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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1857.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, February 19, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness Prince Albert will, by the desire of Her Majesty, hold Levees at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on the following days, at two o'clock :

Thursday the 26th instant.
Thursday the 12th of March next.

It is Her Majesty's pleasure, that presentations to His Royal Highness at these Levees shall be considered equivalent to presentations to The Queen.

Addresses to The Queen may either be forwarded to Her Majesty through the Secretary-of State for the Home Department, or may be reserved until Her Majesty shall hold a Levee.

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

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

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

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

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

St. James's Palace, February 22, 1857.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Richard, Lord Cremorne, to be one of the Lords in Waiting in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of Charles Somers, Earl Somers, resigned.

Foreign-Office, February 20, 1857.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Charles Alison, Esq., now Oriental Secretary, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Embassy at Constantinople.

Foreign-Office, February 21, 1857.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Francis Stacker Dutton, as Consul for South Australia, to reside at Adelaide, for His Majesty the King of the Netherlands.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. William Deane Seymour, as Consul at Queenstown for His Royal Highness the Grand Duke of Oldenburg.

Downing-Street, February 23, 1857.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Charles John Bayley, Esq., to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Bahama Islands.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Humphry Sandwith, Esq., C.B., to be Colonial Secretary for the Island of Mauritius.

Crown-Office, February 23, 1857.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present **PARLIAMENT.**

County of Kent.

Western Division.

Charles Wykeham Martin, Esq., in the room of Sir Edmund Filmer, Bart., deceased.

*War-Office, Pall-Mall,
24th February, 1857.*

Royal Regiment of Horse Guards, Francis George Augustus Fuller, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Bulkeley, promoted. Dated 24th February, 1857.

11th Light Dragoons, Lieutenant Arthur Lyttleton Annesley to be Captain, by purchase, vice Dallas Yorke, who retires. Dated 24th February, 1857.

Cornet William Cuninghame to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Annesley. Dated 24th February, 1857.

William Edward Shaw, Gent., to be Cornet, without purchase, vice Dimsdale, deceased. Dated 24th February, 1857.

16th Light Dragoons, William Richard Corballis, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Duffield, appointed to the 5th Dragoon Guards. Dated 24th February, 1857.

Military Train.

To be Captains.

Captain Thomas Rowland, from half-pay 1st Foot. Dated 20th February, 1857.

Captain H. Hope A'Court Inglefield, from half-pay 14th Foot. Dated 20th February, 1857.

Lieutenant Thomas Penton, from 12th Light Dragoons. Dated 20th February, 1857.

To be Ensign.

Cornet Nathaniel Burslem, from the Land Transport Corps. Dated 20th February, 1857.

Royal Artillery, Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class Matthew Combe, M.D., to be Surgeon. Dated 24th February, 1857.

1st Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Charles J. Tuffnell Oakes to be Captain, by purchase, vice Kirk, who retires. Dated 9th January, 1857.

Captain Thomas John Gregory, from half-pay 1st Foot, to be Captain, vice Oakes, placed upon half-pay. Dated 9th January, 1857.

14th Foot, Edward John Briscoe, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Beamish, promoted. Dated 24th February, 1857.

Lieutenant George Bridges has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 24th February, 1857.

Ensign Iver McIver to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Mathews, promoted. Dated 24th February, 1857.

18th Foot, Ensign Charles Norris Fry to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Shaw, whose promotion by purchase on the 9th January, 1857, has been cancelled. Dated 24th February, 1857.

21st Foot, Lieutenant William Cairnes to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 4th February, 1857.

Charles Robin Hammond, Gent., to be Ensign without purchase, vice Cook, promoted. Dated 24th February, 1857.

For John Urquhart, Esq., late Paymaster British Swiss Legion, to be Paymaster, vice Hawker, appointed to a Depôt Battalion, which appeared in the Gazette of the 30th ultimo, Read, Captain John Urquhart, late Staff Paymaster British Swiss Legion, to be Paymaster, &c.

24th Foot, John Moore Gurnell Tongue, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Birch, promoted. Dated 24th February, 1857.

30th Foot, Lieutenant Henry L'Estrange Herring to be Adjutant, vice G. H. Sanders, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 24th February, 1857.

43rd Foot, Lieutenant Robert Coke Glover to be Captain, without purchase, vice Bruere, deceased. Dated 30th January, 1857.

Ensign Thomas Elmes to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Glover. Dated 30th January, 1857.

Ensign John Evelyn Kingston Morley, from the Rifle Brigade, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Elmes, promoted. Dated 24th February, 1857.

46th Foot, Captain Richard Lluellyn, from half-pay, 46th Foot, to be Captain, vice Wombwell, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant, 6th October, 1854. Dated 24th February, 1857.

54th Foot, Dudley B. Coppinger, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice F. A. Campbell, appointed to 60th Foot. Dated 24th February, 1857.

56th Foot, Julius Lovell, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice H. H. Taylor, promoted. Dated 24th February, 1857.

60th Foot, Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class George Waterloo Pennington Sparrow, from half-pay, to be Surgeon, vice Eaton, placed upon half-pay. Dated 24th February, 1857.

66th Foot, Lieutenant Richard Thomas Hughes to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 5th February, 1857.

67th Foot, Serjeant-Major John Staniforth, to be Quartermaster, vice Crispin, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 24th February, 1857.

73rd Foot, Serjeant-Major Jonathan Gortly Scott to be Quartermaster, vice Carson, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 24th February, 1857.

79th Foot, William Henry McCausland, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Adcock, promoted. Dated 24th February, 1857.

90th Foot, Lieutenant Leonard H. Lloyd Irby to be Captain, by purchase, vice Close, who retires. Dated 24th February, 1857.

Ensign George Edward Perryn to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Irby. Dated 24th February, 1857.

John Williamson, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Perryn. Dated 24th February, 1857.

1st West India Regiment, Ensign William Alexander Dobie, from the 79th Foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Coote, promoted. Dated 24th February, 1857.

2nd West India Regiment, Charles Edward Russell, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice D'Arcy, deceased. Dated 24th February, 1857.

Cape Mounted Rifles, Walter J. Wyatt, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Rorke, promoted. Dated 24th February, 1857.

STAFF.

Veterinary-Surgeon George Western has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 24th February, 1857.

PROVISIONAL BATTALION (Chatham).

To be Majors.

Major Arthur Wombwell, from half-pay Unattached. Dated 24th February, 1857.

Major Henry Disney Ellis, from half-pay Unattached. Dated 24th February, 1857.

UNATTACHED.

Captain and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel William Sankey, 47th Foot, to have the Substantive Rank of Major, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 24th February, 1857.

Brevet-Major Arthur Wombwell, 46th Foot, to have his Brevet Rank converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant 6th October, 1854. Dated 24th February, 1857.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class Patrick Joseph Clarke, from half-pay, to be Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class. Dated 24th February, 1857.

Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class William Thomas Black, from half-pay, to be Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class, vice Reynolds, appointed to the Military Train. Dated 24th February, 1857.

To be Assistant-Surgeons.

Assistant-Surgeon John Wood, from the Military Train. Dated 24th February, 1857.

Assistant-Surgeon William Henry Muschamp, from the Military Train. Dated 24th February, 1857.

Assistant-Surgeon Samuel Pratt Woodfull, from the Military Train. Dated 24th February, 1857.

BREVET.

Brevet-Colonel Godfrey Charles Mundy, upon half-pay Unattached, to have the local rank of Major-General while in the command of the troops in the Island of Jersey. Dated 24th February, 1857.

The undermentioned Quartermasters, retired on half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Captain, under the Royal Warrant, 17th December, 1855: Quartermaster George Crispin, half-pay 67th Foot. Dated 24th February, 1857.

Quartermaster John Carson, half-pay 73rd Foot. Dated 24th February, 1857.

Admiralty, 20th February, 1857.

Corps of Royal Marines.

The following promotions have taken place, under Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 13th September, 1854, in consequence of the death of Lieutenant-General Sir John Owen, K.C.B., on the Fixed Establishment of General Officers of the Royal Marines; viz.:

Major-General Samuel Burdon Ellis, C.B., to be Lieutenant-General.

Colonel-Commandant Fortescue Graham, C.B., to be Major-General, vice Ellis, promoted.

BREVET.

In consequence of the promotion of Major-General Graham, the undermentioned Officers, on the Retired Full-pay List of the Royal Marines, to be Major-Generals, Major-General Graham having stood below them on the Effective Establishment of the Corps when they retired; viz.:

Brevet-Colonel James Clark. Dated February, 1857.

Brevet-Colonel John Tothill. Dated February, 1857.

Admiralty, 20th February, 1857.

Corps of Royal Marines.

Colonel Second Commandant Thomas Hurdle, C.B., to be Colonel-Commandant, vice Graham, promoted.

Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Anderson to be Colonel Second Commandant, vice Hurdle, promoted.

Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel George Colt Langley, Assistant Adjutant-General of the Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council, 13th September, 1854.

Captain George Walkup Congdon to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Anderson, promoted.

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

John Labouchere, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 20th February, 1857.

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

Castlemartin Yeomanry Cavalry.

Decimus Williams Byers, Esq., to be Lieutenant, vice F. L. S. M. Baron de Rutzen Frentz, promoted. Dated 27th January, 1857.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

King's Own Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

Captain Frederick John Parry to be Major, vice Walker, resigned. Dated 3rd February, 1857.

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

*Warwickshire Militia.**1st Regiment.*

Harry Hazlett Ramsdale, Esq., to be Ensign, vice Ensign Charles John Sale, resigned. Dated 30th January, 1857.

2nd Regiment.

Ensign Stephen Troughear Cragg to be Lieutenant, vice George W. Plevins, resigned. Dated 18th February, 1857.

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

Northumberland Regiment of Infantry Militia.

Lord Charles Beauclerk, late Captain in the 1st Royals, to be Major, vice Browne, resigned. Dated 19th February, 1857.

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

Worcestershire Regiment of Militia.

Charles Edward Hopton, Esq., late Captain in the 23rd Fusiliers, to be Captain, vice Winnington, promoted.

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

Royal Aberdeenshire Regiment of Militia.

George Morison, Esq., M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Balfour, deceased. Dated 16th February, 1857.

Exchequer Bills.

*Office of Her Majesty's Paymaster-General,
Whitehall, February 24, 1857.*

The Exchequer Bills, dated in the month of March, 1856 (per Act 18 Vict., cap. 8, anno 1855), with the interest due thereon, will be paid off on the 16th March, 1857, when the interest will cease. Such bills will be received at this office daily, from half-past ten till three o'clock, until the 9th day of March, 1857, inclusive.

Printed forms, containing instructions for the preparation of the lists and the arrangement of the bills, may be obtained on application at this Office.

The bearers must endorse each bill with their usual signatures, and they must insert their names and addresses, in each list; and where the names of holders are inserted in the bills, the indorsements of such holders must also be obtained previously to their lists and bills being left for examination.

New bills, bearing interest at the rate of *two pence halfpenny* by the day, upon every one hundred pounds, and dated the said 16th day of March, 1857, may be obtained in payment of the principal of the whole, or part, of the Exchequer Bills issued under the Act above mentioned, on the claimants specifying, in their lists, the amount of new bills required by them.

The new bills, together with the interest on the bills left on or before the said 9th day of March for exchange, will be issued on the 17th day of March, 1857; the bearers must attend at this Office to sign receipts for the payment of principal and interest.

Payment in money, may be obtained at this Office for any of the said Exchequer Bills, previously to the said 16th day of March, 1857, upon the claimants leaving the bills for examination one day prior to that on which such payment is desired.

N. B. — All Exchequer Bills dated prior to March, 1856, have been previously advertised to be paid off.

Whitehall, February 10, 1857.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed David Black, of Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a building, named Saint Vincent of Paul's, situated in White Croft, in the parish of Sheffield, in the county of York, in the district of Sheffield, being a building licensed and used for public religious worship as a Roman Catholic chapel exclusively, was, on the 17th day of February, 1857, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of the 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 18th day of February, 1857.
Joseph Spencer, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a building, named Saint Joseph's Catholic Chapel, situated at Lamb's-buildings, Bunhill-row, in the parish of St. Luke, in the county of Middlesex, in the district of Saint Luke, Middlesex, being a

building licensed and used for public religious worship as a Roman Catholic Chapel, exclusively, was, on the 6th day of February, 1857, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., c. 85.

Witness my hand this 21st day of February, 1857.
*G. H. Clark, Superintendent Registrar,
28, Finsbury-place.*

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that—

2395. Benjamin Kisch, of Kennington, in the county of Surrey, 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 "an apparatus for containing an arrangement of cards or papers for selection."—A communication.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 13th day of October, 1856.

2405. And Thomas Allen, of Clifton, in the city and county of Bristol, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in the manufacture of iron and other metallic bedsteads."

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

2406. And George Guillaume, of the town and county of the town of Southampton, Architect, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an apparatus for obtaining motive power by means of water or other fluid."

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

2418. And Charles Napoleon Wilcox, of Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Manufacturing Chemist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the preparation and application of certain vegetable matters to be used in toilette soaps, pomades, and other like perfumery."

2419. And Edward Tombs, of Islington, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in screw propelling."

2420. And Joseph Commandeur, of the town of Lyons, in the Empire of France, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a mechanical apparatus for regenerating the impulsive force of any motive power."

2421. And Ferdinando Foggi, of 24, Southampton-place, New-road, in the county of Middlesex, Professor of Mathematics, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of engines driven by steam or other vapour."

2433. And Thomas Frederick Henley, of Bromley, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "the employment of certain substances not hitherto made use of for the production of alcoholic spirits and for the manufacturing of the same, the refuse material being applicable as a food for cattle."

2436. And John Smith, of Kirtley, in the county of Suffolk, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in heating the feed water of steam boilers for marine and land purposes."

2441. Thomas Lawes, of 32, City-road, in the county of Middlesex, Feather Merchant, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved construction of agricultural implement to be used in tilling the land."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 17th day of October, 1856.

2450. And Joseph Harrison, of Blackburn, in the county [of Lancaster, Machinist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for warping yarns, part of which improvements are also applicable to creels used for other purposes."

2460. And Anthony Lorimier, of Bedford-square East, Commercial-road, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in reworking vulcanised india rubber."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 20th day of October, 1856.

2464. And Charles Briqueler, fils, No. 22, Rue Emery, Dunkerque, France, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "the purification, clarification, and discoloration of the cotton seed oil."

2468. And Peter Armand le Comte de Fontaine Moreau, of 39, Rue de l'Echiquier, Paris, in the Empire of France, and of 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved knitting loom."—A communication.

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 21st day of October, 1856.

2487. And John Christian Bremer, of 166, Fenchurch-street, London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in propellers."

2489. And Nehemiah Brough, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Machinist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in dress fastenings."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 23rd day of October, 1856.

2499. 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 "an improved oil for burning in lamps, and an improved burner and chimney."—A communication.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office, on the 24th day of October, 1856.

2523. And Michel Dognin, of Lyons, in the Empire of France, Merchant, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for making lace or net."

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

2528. And Jean Louis Marie, Manufacturer, of Paris, in the French Empire, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in raising, propelling, and forcing water and other fluids, and in obtaining motive power."

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

2548. And David H. Whittemore, of Worcester, Massachusetts, in the United States of America, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved machine for paring, slicing, and coring fruit or vegetables."

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

2572. And Joseph Stone, of Park-terrace, New Cross, in the county of Kent, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of force pumps."

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

2587. And William Gray and John Tate, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, Joiners, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for washing."

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

2600. And Herbert Keeling of the King and Queen Iron Works, Rotherhithe, in the county of Surrey, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in rivetting fish joints and other parts of the permanent way of railways."

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

2625. And Louis Joseph Victor Vuitton, of Paris, in the Empire of France, Mechanician, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved apparatus for consuming smoke."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 7th day of November, 1856.

2642. And François Jules Manceaux, of Paris, in the French Empire, Manufacturer, and Eugene Napoleon Vieillard, of the same place, Gunsmith, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in breech loading fire-arms and ordnance."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 10th day of November, 1856.

2672. And John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, and of 166, Buchanan-street, in the city of Glasgow, North Britain, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for cutting and folding paper."—A communication from Cyrus Chambers, of the United States of America.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 13th day of November, 1856.

2709. And John Drew, of Back Hill, in the county of Middlesex, Cabinet Maker, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in library tables or desks."

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

2799. And John Musgrave the younger, of the Globe Iron Works, Bolton-le-Moors, in the county of Lancaster, Iron Founder, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of cloth beams for beetles."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 26th day of November, 1856.

2893. And William Hooper and Joseph Fry, of Mitcham, in the county of Surrey, and George Nasmyth, of Bucklersbury, in the city of London, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in springs for railway carriages and for other purposes."

2898. And John Longbottom, of Leeds, in the county of York, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in generating; surcharging, or superheating steam."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 6th day of December, 1856.

5. And Eugène Theodore Noualhier and Jean Baptiste Prévost, both of Paris, in the Empire of France, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in applying metals over hard, vitrified or any other surfaces by galvanoplastic process."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 1st day of January, 1857.

43. And John Moore Hyde, of Cumberland Iron Works, in the city of Bristol, Iron Ship Builder, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in iron and wooden ships or vessels, and in the adaptation of the machinery for propelling the same."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 5th day of January, 1857.

64. And Julius Goodman, Abraham Myers, and Louis Goodman, all of No. 25, King David-lane, Shadwell, in the county of Middlesex, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of caps or coverings for the head."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office, on the 8th day of January, 1857.

133. And Thomas Jackson Milnes Townsend, of Searby, near Brigg, in the county of Lincoln, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in drain-pipes, and in machinery for producing the same."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 16th day of January, 1857.

142. And Charles Frédéric Vasserot, of the firm Wells and Vasserot, of 45, Essex-street, Strand, London, Patent Agents, Mechanical Draughtsman, etc., has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "covering all description of grain with a fertile substance or manure, and the apparatus employed for the same."—A communication from Louis Marie Pierre Merleau d'Illiers, in the name of the firm of Caillot and Coy., of Orléans, France.

148. And Robert Reeves and John Reeves, of Bratton Westbury, Wilts, Agricultural Implement Makers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for delivering manure for agricultural purposes."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 17th day of January, 1857.

213. And Thomas Ayles and Robert Andrews Ayles, junior, of Weymouth, in the county of Dorset, Ship Builders, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of ships and other vessels navigating on water."

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

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 24th day of January, 1857.

311. And Richard Laming, of Hayward's Heath, Cuckfield, in the county of Sussex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in purifying gas, in obtaining materials useful for that purpose, and in working up into useful products certain ammoniacal and phosphatic substances obtainable as residues in the purifying of gas."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 3rd day of February, 1857.

329. And Robert Holmes Houston, of Greenock, in the county of Renfrew, North Britain, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in effecting general conveyance or transport on water."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 4th day of February, 1857.

334. And Henry Smith, of the firm of Smith and Ashby, of Stamford, in the county of Lincoln, Agricultural Implement Makers, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in haymaking machinery."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 5th day of February, 1857.

346. And Pierre Poisson, of Paris, in the Empire of France, Artist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in preparing and applying surfaces for painting."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 6th day of February, 1857.

353. And John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, and of 166, Buchanan-street, in the city of Glasgow, North Britain, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in casting metals."—A communication from Messrs. Jackson Brothers, Petin Gaudet, and Company, of Rivé de Gier, in the Empire of France, Iron Manufacturers.

364. And William Wilkens, Manufacturer, of Baltimore, United States of America, and now of No. 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved cannon, which he calls a revolving battery."—A communication from E. Ames, of Baltimore, U.S.

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 7th day of February, 1857.

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.

Erratum in Friday's Gazette.

320. For "Gandine," read "Gandini."

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849, and of the Royal British Bank.

BY direction of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Torin Kindersley, the Judge of the High Court of Chancery, to whose Court the winding up of this matter is attached; notice is hereby given, that the said Judge purposes, on Saturday the 28th day of February, 1857, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at his chambers, No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, London, to proceed to make a call on all those contributories of the said Royal British Bank who have been settled on the list of contributories since the 9th day of January last; and that the said Judge purposes that such call shall be for seventy-five pounds per share.

All persons interested are entitled to attend at such day, hour, and place, to offer objections to such call.—Dated this 23rd day of February, 1857.

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 14th day of February, 1857.

PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£.
Andover Bank	Andover	Heath and Co.	11650
Ashford Bank	Ashford	Jemmett, Pomfret, & Co.	10464
Aylesbury Old Bank	Aylesbury	Z. D. Hunt	28915
Baldock Bank and Baldock and Biggleswade Bank	Biggleswade.....	Wells, Hogge, and Co.	28973
Barnstaple Bank	Barnstaple	Marshall and Co.	8729
Basingstoke and Odiham Bank	Basingstoke	Seymour, Lamb, and Co.	21146
Bedford Bank	Bedford	T. Barnard and Sons	31267
Bewdley Bank.....	Bewdley	Nichols, Baker, and Co	10186
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank and Oxford Bank	Bicester	H. M. and G. Tubb	12827
Birmingham Bank	Birmingham	Attwoods, Spooner, and Co.....	23508
Birmingham and Warwickshire Bank	Birmingham	J. L. Moilliet and Sons.....	8728
Blandford Bank	Blandford.....	Oak and Co.....	7533
Boston Bank	Boston	Claypons and Co.	66093
Boston Bank	Boston	H. and T. Gee and Co.....	13993
Bridgwater Bank	Bridgwater	J. and J. L. Sealey	7335
Bristol Bank	Bristol	Miles, Miles, and Co.....	34044
Broseley and Bridgnorth and Bridgnorth and Broseley Bank	Broseley	Pritchards, Boycott, & Co.....	16218
Buckingham Bank	Buckingham	Bartlett, Parrott, and Co.....	21511
Bury and Suffolk Bank, Sudbury Bank, and Stowmarket Bank.....	Bury St. Edmunds	Oakes, Bevan, and Co.....	69993
Banbury Bank	Banbury	J. C. and A. Gillett	31068
Banbury Old Bank	Banbury	Cobb and Son.....	25356
Bedfordshire Leighton Buzzard Bank	Leighton Buzzard	Bassett, Son, and Co.	34169
Birmingham Bank	Birmingham	Lloyds and Co.	29928
Bradford Old Bank.....	Bradford, Yorkshire	H.A. & W.M. Harris & Co.....	9793
Brecon Old Bank	Brecon	Wilkins and Co.	59346
Brighton Union Bank.....	Brighton	Hall, West, and Co.	20806
Burlington and Driffield Bank	Burlington	Harding, Smith, and Co.	12040
Bury Saint Edmunds Bank	Bury St. Edmunds	Worlledge and Co.	2380
Cambridge Bank.. . . .	Cambridge	Mortlock and Co.	15161
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank	Cambridge	Messrs. Fosters	45696
Canterbury Bank	Canterbury	Hammond and Co.	28981
Carmarthen Bank	Carmarthen	David Morris and Sons.....	22047
Chertsey Bank	Chertsey	La Coste and Son	3056
Colchester Bank	Colchester	Round, Green, and Co.....	17063
Colchester and Essex Bank, and Witham and Essex Bank, and Hadleigh, Suffolk, Bank	Colchester	Mills, Bawtree, and Co.	34575
Cornish Bank, Truro	Truro	Tweedy and Co.	42696
Coventry Bank	Coventry	Little and Woodcock	7736
City Bank, Exeter	Exeter	Milford and Co.....	18522
Craven Bank	Settle	Alcocks, Birkbeck, & Co.....	70641
Chepstow Old Bank, Chepstow Bank, Monmouth Old Bank, Monmouth Bank, Brecon Bank, and Ross and Herefordshire Bank	Chepstow	Bromage, Snead, and Co.....	7968
Derby Bank	Derby	W. and S. Evans and Co.	12133
Derby Bank	Derby	Samuel Smith and Co.....	34545
Derby Old Bank and Scarsdale and High Peak Bank.....	Derby	Crompton, Newton & Co.	26386

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£
Devizes and Wiltshire Bank.....	Devizes	Locke and Co.	8121
Diss Bank	Diss	Fincham and Co. ..	10284
Doncaster Bank and Retford Bank...	Doncaster.....	Cooke and Co.	70581
Darlington Bank, Durham Bank, } and Stockton-on-Tees Bank..... }	Darlington	Backhouse and Co.	81489
Devonport Bank.....	Devonport	Hodge and Co.	8001
Dorchester Old Bank and Dorset- shire Bank	Dorchester	R. and H. Williams	47406
East Cornwall Bank.....	Liskeard	Robins, Foster, and Co.	91018
East Riding Bank.....	Beverley	Bower and Co.	50779
Essex Bank and Bishop's Stortford } Bank	Chelmsford	Sparrow, Round, and Co.....	45588
Exeter Bank	Exeter	Sanders and Co.	24093
Farringdon Bank and Bank of Wantage	Farringdon	Barnes, Medley, and Co	7585
Farnham Bank	Farnham	John and Jas. Knight	11655
Faversham Bank.....	Faversham	Hilton and Co.	5805
Godalming Bank.....	Godalming	Mellersh and Keen	4675
Guildford Bank	Guildford.....	Messrs. Haydon.....	13389
Grantham Bank	Grantham	Hardy and Co.	27227
Hastings Old Bank.....	Hastings	Smith, Hilder, and Co.....	32660
Hereford City and County Bank.....	Hereford	Matthews and Co.....	15748
Hull Bank and Kingston-upon-Hull } Bank	Hull	Smith, Brothers, and Co.	19941
Huntingdon Town and County Bank	Huntingdon.....	Veasey, and Co.	50512
Harwich Bank	Harwich	Cox, Cobbold, and Co.....	4985
Hertfordshire, Hitchin Bank.....	Hitchin	Sharples and Co.	32948
Hereford. Ross and Archenfield } Bank, and Ross and Archenfield } Bank	Ross	Morgan and Co.	28140
Ipswich Bank	Ipswich	Bacon and Co.	18815
Ipswich and Needham Market Bank, } Suffolk, Hadleigh Bank, Man- ningtree and Mistley Bank, and } Woodbridge Bank	Ipswich	Alexanders and Co.	66026
Kentish Bank	Maidstone	Mercer, Randall, and Co.	18169
Kington and Radnorshire Bank.....	Kington	Davies and Co.	25260
Knaresborough Old Bank and Ripon } Old Bank.....	Knaresborough ..	Harrison and Co.	20496
Kendal Bank	Kendal.....	Wakefield, Crewdson, and Co....	43779
Kettering Bank	Kettering.....	J. C. Gotch and Sons	8351
Longton Staffordshire Bank ..	Longton	C. Harvey and Son	5359
Leeds Bank.....	Leeds ..	Beckett and Co.	54862
Leeds Union Bank	Leeds	W. Williams, Brown and Co. ...	37874
Leicester Bank	Leicester ...	T. and T. T. Paget	29669
Lewes Old Bank.....	Lewes	Whitfield and Co.	26645
Lincoln Bank	Lincoln	Smith, Ellison, and Co.....	82541
Llandoverly Bank, Lampeter Bank, } and Llandilo Bank	Llandoverly	D. Jones and Co.	19033
Loughborough Bank	Loughborough....	Middleton and Cradock	7449
Lymington Bank.....	Lymington	St. Barbe and Co.	3789
Lynn Regis and Lincolnshire Bank ..	Lynn Regis	Gurneys and Co.	86785
Lynn Regis and Norfolk Bank	Lynn Regis.....	Jarvis and Co.	11914

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£.
Macclesfield Bank	Macclesfield	Brocklehurst and Co.	14390
Manningtree Bank	Manningtree	Nunn and Co.	2002
Merionethshire Bank	Dolgelly	Williams and Son	5531
Miners' Bank	Truro	Willyams and Co.	16578
Monmouthshire Agricultural and Commercial Bank ..	Abergavenny	Bailey and Co. ..	26999
Monmouth Old Bank, Monmouth Bank, Brecon Bank, Chepstow Bank, Chepstow Old Bank, and Ross and Herefordshire Bank.....	Monmouth	Bromage, Snead, and Co.	13567
Newark Bank	Newark	Godfrey and Riddell.....	24543
Newark and Sleaford Bank, and Sleaford and Newark Bank	Sleaford	Handley, Peacock, and Co.	48234
Newbury Bank	Newbury	Bunny, Slocock, and Co.	20397
Newmarket Bank	Newmarket	Eaton, Hammond, and Co.	19845
Norwich Crown Bank and Norfolk and Suffolk Bank	Norwich ..	Harveys and Hudsons	47372
Norwich and Norfolk and Fakenham Banks	Norwich	Gurneys and Birkbecks	98742
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Bank	Nottingham	Hart, Fellows, and Co.	9864
Nuneaton Bank	Nuneaton	Craddock and Co.	3175
Naval Bank, Plymouth ..	Plymouth.....	Harris and Co.	18428
New Sarum Bank	Sarum	Everett and Co.	8387
Nottingham Bank	Nottingham	Samuel Smith and Co.	27430
Oswestry Bank and Oswestry Old Bank	Oswestry	Croxon and Co.	9678
Oxford Old Bank	Oxford	Parsons & Co.	33163
Old Bank, Tonbridge, Tonbridge and Tonbridge Wells Old Bank, Tonbridge and Tonbridge Wells and Sevenoaks Bank.....	Tonbridge	T. H. and S. Beeching.....	8290
Oxfordshire Witney Bank	Witney	J. W. Clinch and Sons.....	10025
Pease's Old Bank, Hull, the Hull Old Bank and Beverley Bank.....	Hull	Pease and Co.	46809
Penzance Bank	Penzance	Batten and Co.	10210
Peterborough Bank and Oundle Bank	Peterborough	D. Yorke and Co.	5004
Pembrokeshire Bank	Haverfordwest.....	J. and W. Walters	12048
Reading Bank ..	Reading	Simonds and Co.	28475
Reading Bank	Reading	Stephens, Blandy, and Co.	31055
Richmond Bank	Richmond	Roper and Co.	6146
Rochdale Bank	Rochdale	Clement, Royds, and Co.	3748
Rochester, Chatham, and Strood Bank	Rochester.....	Day and Nicholson ..	7071
Royston Bank	Royston	Fordham and Sons	14330
Rugby Bank	Rugby	A. Butlin and Son.....	9222
Rye Bank	Rye	R. C. Pomfret and Co.	18145
Ross Old Bank, Herefordshire	Ross	Allaway and MacDougal	4137
Saffron Walden and North Essex Bank	Saffron Walden ..	Gibsons and Co.	31937
Salop Bank	Shrewsbury	Burton, Lloyd, and Co.	14510
Scarborough Old Bank ..	Scarborough	Woodall and Co.	24055
Shrewsbury Old Bank and Shrewsbury and Ludlow Bank ..	Shrewsbury..	Rocke, Eyton, and Co.	38269
Sittingbourne and Milton Bank.....	Sittingbourne	Vallance and Co.	2345
Southampton Town and County Bank	Southampton	Maddison and Pearce	11250
Southwell Bank	Southwell	Wylde and Co.	12151
Southampton and Hampshire Bank ..	Southampton	Atherley, Fall, and Co.	3109
Stone Bank ..	Stone	W. Moore	340
Stafford Old Bank	Stafford	Stevenson and Co.	12764

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£.
Stamford and Rutland Bank	Stamford	Eaton, Cayley, and Co.....	26744
Shrewsbury and Welsh Pool Bank.....	Shrewsbury	Beck, Downward, and Co.	21440
Taunton Bank.....	Taunton	H. and R. Badcock	22750
Tavistock Bank	Tavistock.....	Gill, Sons, and Co.	8370
Thornbury Bank.....	Thornbury	Rolph and Co.	8390
Tiverton and Devonshire Bank	Tiverton	Dunsford and Co.	10579
Thrapston and Kettering Bank, } Northamptonshire	Thrapston	Yorke and Eland ..	11175
Tring Bank and Chesham Bank	Tring	Butcher and Son	13541
Towcester Old Bank	Towcester	Percival and Co. ...	7327
Town and County of Poole Bank and } Ringwood and Poole Bank	Poole ..	G. W. Ledgerd and Sons.....	10782
Union Bank, Cornwall	Helston	Vivian and Co.	14944
Uxbridge Old Bank	Uxbridge	Hull, Smith, and Co.	12860
Wallingford Bank	Wallingford.....	Hedges, Wells, and Co.....	7689
Warwick and Warwickshire Bank.....	Warwick	Greaves and Co.	24879
Wellington Somerset Bank.....	Wellington	Fox, Brothers, and Co.....	2822
West Riding Bank, Wakefield, and } Pontefract Bank	Wakefield	Leatham, Tew, and Co.	45039
Whitby Old Bank	Whitby	Simpson, Chapman, and Co. ...	13387
Winchester, Alresford, and Alton Bank	Winchester	Bulpett and Co.	18051
Weymouth Old Bank and Dorchester } Bank	Weymouth	Eliot, Pearce, and Co.....	15479
Wirksworth and Ashbourne Derby- } shire Bank	Wirksworth.....	Arkwright and Co.	35533
Wisbech and Lincolnshire Bank	Wisbech	Gurneys and Co.	50540
Wiveliscombe Bank	Wiveliscombe	P. and W. Hancock	5415
Wolverhampton Bank	Wolverhampton ..	Goodricke and Holyoake	10635
Worcester Bank	Worcester	Farley, Lavender, and Co.	5010
Worcester Old Bank and Tewkes- } bury Old Bank	Worcester .	Herwick, Lechmere, and Co. ..	66035
Wolverhampton Bank	Wolverhampton ...	R. and W. F. Fryer	11351
Yarmouth and Suffolk Bank, and } Halesworth and Suffolk Bank...	Yarmouth	Gurney's Birkbeck, and Co.....	44427
Yarmouth, Norfolk and Suffolk Bank	Great Yarmouth...	Sir E. H. K. Lacon, Bart. & Co	13054
York Bank	York	Swann, Clough, and Co.	43776

JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.		Average Amount.
		£.
Bank of Westmorland ..	Kendal ..	9296
Barnsley Banking Company	Barnsley	8670
Bradford Banking Company	Bradford	47726
Bilston District Banking Company.....	Wolverhampton	8868
Bank of Whitehaven	Whitehaven	30111
Bradford Commercial Banking Company	Bradford	16742
Burton, Uttoxeter, and Staffordshire Union Banking } Company	Burton-upon-Trent	48732
Chesterfield and North Derbyshire Banking Company	Chesterfield	Not received.
Cumberland Union Banking Company	Workington ..	36312
Coventry and Warwickshire Banking Company	Coventry	24038

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.		Average Amount.
		£.
Coventry Union Banking Company	Coventry	14219
County of Gloucester Banking Company.....	Cheltenham	111643
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company	Carlisle.....	22945
Carlisle City and District Bank	Carlisle	18463
Dudley and West Bromwich Banking Company	Dudley	34275
Derby and Derbyshire Banking Company	Derby	18947
Darlington District Joint Stock Banking Company	Darlington	22831
East of England Bank.....	Norwich	24144
Gloucestershire Banking Company	Gloucester	145340
Halifax Joint Stock Bank	Halifax	16745
Huddersfield Banking Company	Huddersfield	35450
Hull Banking Company	Hull	24685
Halifax Commercial Banking Company	Halifax	12793
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company	Halifax	42267
Helston Banking Company	Helston	1415
Herefordshire Banking Company	Hereford	21656
Knaresborough and Claro Banking Company.....	Knaresborough	24900
Kingsbridge Joint Stock Bank	Kingsbridge	2591
Lancaster Banking Company.....	Lancaster	66058
Leeds Banking Company.....	Leeds	2305
Leicestershire Banking Company	Leicester	18267
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company.....	Lincoln	4599
Leamington Priors and Warwickshire Banking Company.....	Leamington Priors	10184
Ludlow and Tenbury Bank	Ludlow	10181
Moore and Robinson's Nottinghamshire Banking Company ...	Nottingham	33962
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company	Nottingham	26947
National Provincial Bank of England.....	Birmingham.....	413085
North Wilts Banking Company	Old Office, 112, Bishopsgate-st., London	
Northamptonshire Union Bank	Melksham	40817
Northamptonshire Banking Company.....	Northampton	76200
North and South Wales Bank.....	Northampton	19259
	Liverpool	47553
Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company	Leicester	49395
Saddleworth Banking Company	Saddleworth	2431
Sheffield Banking Company.....	Sheffield	35479
Stamford, Spalding and Boston Banking Company	Stamford	48659
Stuckey's Banking Company, Bristol Somersetshire (Bank, and Somersetshire Bank	Langport	35280
Shropshire Banking Company.....	Shiftnall	44417
Stourbridge and Kidderminster Banking Company	Stourbridge	55356
Sheffield and Hallamshire Banking Company.....	Sheffield	23645
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company.....	Sheffield	52403
Swaledale and Wensleydale Banking Company	Richmond	47734
Wolverhampton and Staffordshire Banking Company	Wolverhampton	36163
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank	Wakefield	13268
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company	Whitehaven	28793
Warwick and Leamington Banking Company.....	Warwick	28644
West of England and South Wales District Bank.....	Bristol	75443
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company	Salisbury	77380
West Riding Union Banking Company	Huddersfield	31653
Whitchurch and Ellesmere Banking Company	Whitchurch.....	4034
Worcester City and County Banking Company.....	Worcester	5815
York Union Banking Company	York	67644
York City and County Banking Company.....	York	86728
Yorkshire Banking Company	Leeds	120222

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849, and of the Lake Bathurst Australasian Gold Mining Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all parties claiming to be creditors of this Company are, on or before the 16th day of March, 1857, to come in and prove their debts before his Honour the Vice-Chancellor Sir William Page Wood, at his chambers, No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, and until they shall so come in, they will be precluded from commencing or prosecuting any proceeding for recovery of their debts. Monday the 20th day of March, 1857, at two o'clock, is appointed for proceeding on the claims.—Dated this 16th day of February, 1857.

CONTRACT FOR FITTING TRANSPORTS, TROOP SHIPS, CONVICT SHIPS, &c.

Office of the Directors of Transport Service Admiralty, Somerset-House, February 10, 1857.

THE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that, on Tuesday the 10th March next, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for fitting, at Deptford and its vicinity, with Sleeping Berths, Horse Stalls, and other Carpenters' Works,

Transports, Troop Ships, Convict Ships, and other Vessels; and for Dismantling Troop Ships, &c.

The conditions of the contract may be seen, and a specification and form of the tender obtained, at the said office.

No tender will be received after one o'clock on the day of treaty, nor any noticed unless made on the printed form provided for the purpose, and which may be obtained on application at the said office.

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

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

FOR THE ROYAL MARINE INFIRMARIES AT WOOLWICH AND CHATHAM.

Admiralty, February 17, 1857.

THE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that, on Tuesday the 10th March next, at one o'clock, they will be ready, at the Office of the Director-General of the Medical Department of the Navy, Somerset-place, in London, to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for the supply of all such quantities of all or any of the following articles as shall from time to time be required for the use of either one or both of the Royal Marine Infirmaries at Woolwich and Chatham, from the 1st day of April next to the 31st day of March, 1858; viz.:

BEEF AND MUTTON.

BREAD.

MILK.

SOAP, YELLOW.

CANDLES, MOULDS AND DIPS.

VEGETABLES.

Samples of the soap and candles, together with the conditions of the revised contracts, to which

particular attention is called, may be seen at this Office, or by applying to the Purveyor at the Infirmaries at Woolwich and Chatham.

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

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words "Tender for" and must also be delivered at Somerset-place, accompanied by a letter, signed by a responsible person, engaging to become bound with the person tendering in the sum of £100 for the due performance of the contracts for beef and mutton, for bread and for vegetables, and in the sum of £50 for each of the others.

CONTRACT FOR OILS.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling, Somerset-House, February 20, 1857.

THE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that on Thursday the 5th March next, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying, for twelve months certain, and further until the expiration of three months' warning, Her Majesty's Victualling Yards, at Deptford, Gosport, and Plymouth, with

SPERMACEI, RAPE, and OLIVE OILS.

The conditions of the contract may be seen at the said office.

No tender will be received after one o'clock, on the day of treaty, nor any noticed, unless made on the printed form provided for the purpose, and which may be obtained on application at the said office.

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

TOWER.—SALE OF STORES.

By order of the Secretary of State for War.

TO be sold by public auction, in the Tower, on Thursday 26th and Friday 27th February, 1857, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the following STORES, lying at the Victoria (London) Docks, viz.:

Bedding of sorts, Clothing (various), Mitts and Gauntlets, Accoutrements, Copper, Pewter, Tin, and Zinc Articles, Tools and Ironmongery, Scales and Weights, Candles (Tallow), and Price's Patent Fuel, Heard's Marine Preparation, Stoves, Soyer's Field Kitchen, &c., and Miscellaneous Articles.

May be viewed at the Victoria Docks, from ten to four o'clock, on the three days previous to the sale; and catalogues had at the War-Department, Pall-Mall; the Tower; Victoria Docks; and Royal Arsenal, Woolwich, on payment of sixpence each, which will be allowed to purchasers.

No person will be admitted to view the lots, or into the sale room, without a catalogue.

Equitable Fire Insurance Company.

Cannon-Street West,

23rd day of February, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that, pursuant to an Order of a Special Court of Directors a General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Equitable Fire Insurance Company is specially

called and appointed to be held at the Company's house, Cannon-street West, in the city of London, on Friday, the 20th day of March, 1857, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, being a second Special General Meeting called for the same purpose, to consider the propriety of repealing, and, if so determined, to repeal, such of the provisions of the deed of settlement of the Company as provide that the capital of the Company shall consist of £500,000, divided into 25,000 shares of £20 each, and to consider the propriety of resolving, and, if so determined, to resolve, that the capital of the Company shall consist of £500,000 divided into 100,000 shares of £5 each, numbered in arithmetical progression from 1 to 100,000 inclusive, and to pass all such resolutions, and to make all such rules, and to adopt all such proceedings, and to confer on the Directors all such powers and discretions in relation thereto as the Meeting shall think fit, and, if thought necessary, to make such alterations in the deed of settlement for effecting such purpose as to the Meeting may appear desirable.

By order of the Court of Directors,
Archd. Cample. Barclay, Chairman.

THE Court of Assistants of the Russia Company give notice, that the Annual General Court of the said Company will be held, at the South Sea House, on Monday the 2nd day of March next, at one o'clock, for the election of a Governor, Consuls, Assistants, and other officers for the year ensuing.

Thos. Cope, Secretary.

Canada Company.

Canada House, Saint Helen's-Place,
February 19, 1857.

THE Court of Directors of the Canada Company hereby give notice, that a General Court of Proprietors will be held at the Company's House, in Saint Helen's-place, on Thursday, the 26th day of March next, at one o'clock precisely, for the election of a Deputy Governor and three other Directors, and one Auditor, conformably to the charter, and on other affairs.

The ballots (if demanded) to commence at one o'clock.

The glasses to be closed at four o'clock.

By order of the Court.

G. Molineux, Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which heretofore subsisted between us the undersigned, George Caldcleugh and John Caldcleugh, of the city of Durham, as Ironmongers, Turners, and Braziers, was dissolved by mutual consent, as and from the 31st day of December, 1855; and that all accounts due from or to the said partnership at that date, were and are to be paid and received by the said John Caldcleugh, by whom the said business hath been and will be carried on his own account.—Dated this 18th day of February, 1857.

Geo. Caldcleugh.

Jno. Caldcleugh.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Holman and John Thomas Aldred, as Drapers, at Plymouth, in the county of Devon, under the firm of Holman and Aldred, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 31st day of January last; and the business will in future be carried on by the said Thomas Holman alone.—Dated this 14th day of February, 1857.

T. Holman.

J. T. Aldred.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Crow and Mark Bean, as Plumbers, Painters, Glaziers, and House Decorators, at No. 5, White Horse-place, Mile End, and No. 5, Old Manor-road, both in the county of Middlesex, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 20th day of February, 1857.

William Crow.

Mark Bean.

WE, the undersigned, mutually agree to dissolve the Partnership hitherto carried on by us under the name of Nasmyth and Co., as Consulting Engineers, at No. 27, Bucklersbury.—February 11, 1857.

George Nasmyth.

Anne Hoare Boyd.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned John Lowther and Isaac Bowman, as Engineers and General Smiths, and Timber Merchants, carried on at St. Lawrence, within the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 18th day of February, 1857.

John Lowther.

Isaac Bowman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting and carried on between the undersigned, William Cotton and Thomas Waterhouse Barlow, as Manufacturers of Earthenware, at Longton, in the county of Stafford, under the firm of Cotton and Barlow, was dissolved by mutual consent, on the 11th day of November last; and the said business has since that time been and will in future be carried on by the said Thomas Waterhouse Barlow alone, by whom all debts due and owing to and by the said late partnership firm, will be received and paid.—Dated this 20th day of February, 1857.

William Cotton.

Thomas Waterhouse Barlow.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George William Rivers Hoyland, Frederick Hoyland, and John Hoyland, carrying on business at Sheffield, in the county of York, as Tailors and Woollen Drapers, under the firm of Hoyland and Sons, was dissolved on the 31st day of October last, so far as respects the said Frederick Hoyland. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said George William Rivers Hoyland and John Hoyland, who will continue to carry on the said business.—Dated this 20th day of February, 1857.

George Wm. Rivers Hoyland.

Frederick Hoyland.

John Hoyland.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Slaughter and William Plonley, as Veterinary Surgeons and Farriers, at Maidstone, in the county of Kent, under the firm of Slaughter and Plonley, was dissolved on the 31st day of December, 1856.—Dated this 19th day of February, 1857.

W. Slaughter.

W. Plonley.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, William Singleton Birch and Thomas Knowles Orme, carrying on business in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, as Wharfingers, under the style or firm of Birch and Co., was dissolved on the 17th day of August last, by the death of the said Thomas Knowles Orme. The business has been since such death, and will in future be, carried on by the said William Singleton Birch on his own account.—Dated this 19th day of February, 1857.

Wm. Singleton Birch.

Margaret Sophia Orme,

Executrix of the said Thomas Knowles Orme.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between William Foster, George Hall, and Samuel Collins, all of Halifax, in the county of York, Plasterers, carrying on business as Plasterers, under the style or firm of Foster and Co., at Halifax aforesaid, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due to and owing from the said partnership concern, will be received and paid by the said William Foster.—Dated this 20th day of February, 1857.

William Foster.

George Hall.

Samuel Collins.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Lee Smith and Richard Markinfeld Kirkby, under the firm of John Lee Smith and Company, as Grocers, at the town or borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, in the county of the same town or borough, was dissolved by effluxion of time on, and as from, the 2nd day of January last past. The business will in future be carried on under the style or firm of John Lee Smith, Son, and Company, by whom all debts owing to and by the said late firm will be received and paid.—As witness our hands this 19th day of February, 1857.

Jno. Lee Smith.

R. M. Kirkby.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Francis Parker and Edward Finnesey, as Wholesale Rag and General Dealers, at North-street, in the borough of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Francis Parker.—As witness our hands the 20th day of February, 1857.

*Francis Parker.
Edward Finnesey.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Gilbert and George Watts, as Iron Founders, Smiths, and General Merchants, at Penzance, in Cornwall, under the firm or style of Gilbert and Watts, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on by the said James Gilbert, who will receive and pay all debts and sums of money due to or owing by the said firm.—As witness our hands this 21st day of February, 1857.

*James Gilbert.
George Watts.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between us, under the firm of Christie, Anderson, and Company, has been dissolved, as from the 31st day of December, 1856.—As witness our hands this 16th day of February, 1857.

*Chas. C. Christie.
David Anderson.
Jno. Anderson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, William Nicholas Clark and Mary, now the wife of John Gifford, who, before her marriage, was Mary Clark, Spinster, as Drapers and Grocers, at Castle Cary, in the county of Somerset, under the style and firm of Mary and William Nicholas Clark, has been dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands the 20th day of February, 1857.

*William Nicholas Clark.
Mary Gifford.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us, as Earthenware Manufacturers, at Newcastle-upon-Tyne, was, on the 4th day of October last, dissolved by mutual consent; and that by like consent all debts due from or to our late firm will be paid and received by the undersigned William Frederick Rogers, by whom the said business will in future be carried on upon his sole credit and account.—Dated this 16th day of February, 1857.

*William Frederick Rogers.
John Erridge Swift.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, John Booth and Pearson Smith, as Engineers and Machinists, in the township of Hulme, in the county of Lancaster, under the firm of Booth and Smith, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing to or by the said partnership concern will be received and paid by the said Pearson Smith.—As witness our hands this 17th day of February, 1857.

*John Booth.
Pearson Smith.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, Edwin Holmes Keighley and John Phillip Fisenden (trading under the style or firm of Keighley, Fisenden, and Company), of No. 2, Wharf-road, King's Cross, in the county of Middlesex, Coal Merchants and Lightermen, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 23rd day of February, 1857.

*E. H. Keighley.
J. P. Fisenden.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edouard Etienne Gilbert and Victor Desiré Nicod, carrying on business at No. 48, Regent-street, London, and at No. 21, Faubourg du Temple, Paris, as Importers of Fancy Porcelain Goods and Moderator Lamps, under the style and firm of Gilbert and Nicod, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 20th day of February, 1857.

*Edouard Etienne Gilbert.
Victor Desiré Nicod.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, George Arkwright Peace and William Richard Tuckwood, in the trade or business of Builders and General Contractors, at Radnor-street, Chelsea, Middlesex, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and in future the business will be carried on by the said George Arkwright Peace, who will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership.—Witness our hands this 23rd day of February, 1857.

*George Arkwright Peace.
William Richard Tuckwood.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Cadman, John Gledhill, and Giles Barrans, as Stone Masons, and carried on at Heckmondwike, in the county of York, or elsewhere, under the style or firm of William Cadman and Company, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to and by the said partnership, will be received and paid by the aforesaid William Cadman.—Dated this 19th day of February, 1857.

*William Cadman.
John Gledhill.
Giles Barrans.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Walter Calver, and Edward Calver, of Bradford, in the county of York, lately carrying on business there in copartnership as Proprietors of the Marionette Theatre, under the style or firm of Walter and Edward Calver, was, on the 16th day of February, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 19th day of February, 1857.

*Walter X Calver,
Mark.
his
Edward X Calver,
Mark.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Tolson and John Beaumont, both of Kirkheaton, near Huddersfield, in the county of York, and Thomas North, of Huddersfield aforesaid, all Woollen Manufacturers, and up to the close of September last, carrying on business at Kirkheaton and Huddersfield aforesaid, as Woollen Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Tolson, Beaumont, and North, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, as from September last.—As witness our hands this 20th day of February, 1857.

*James Tolson.
John Beaumont.
Thomas North.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between us the undersigned, William North and John Denison, heretofore carrying on business at Yeadon, in the county of York, as Cloth Manufacturers, under the style or firm of North and Denison, is dissolved by mutual consent from the day of the date hereof.—Dated this 19th day of February, 1857.

*Wm. North.
John Denison.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Robson, John Hamilton, Thomas Hamilton the younger, and John William Hamilton, as Gardeners, Nurserymen, Florists, Seedsmen, and Greengrocers, carrying on business at the city of Carlisle, and at Botcherby, in the county of Cumberland, under the firm of Hamilton and Robson, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated the 18th day of February, 1857.

*William Robson. Thomas Hamilton, junior.
John Hamilton. John William Hamilton.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert Murray and William Edgar, carrying on business as Drapers, at Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, under the firm of Murray and Edgar, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts owing to and by the said late partnership will be received and paid by the said Robert Murray, who will in future carry on the said business on his own separate account.—As witness our hands this 14th day of February, 1857.

*Robert Murray.
William Edgar.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore carried on by us at No. 69, Pennyfields, Poplar, in the county of Middlesex, as Stay Manufacturers, under the firm of Lowry and Darnell, was dissolved this day by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said partnership will be received and paid by the undersigned Priscilla Lowry.—As witness our hands this 21st day of February, 1857.

*Priscilla Lowry.
James Darnell.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Knight and William Barter, carrying on business at Nos. 77 and 78, Tooley-street, in the borough of Southwark, in the county of Surrey, as Biscuit Bakers and Bonded Store Shippers, under the style or firm of Knight and Barter, was, on the 31st day of December last, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and from the firm will be received and paid by the said William Knight.—Dated this 21st day of February, 1857.

*Wm. Knight.
W. Barter.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, under the name, style, or firm of Marks and Co., as Paper Stainers, at No. 2, Great Queen-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or from the said firm will be received and paid by the undersigned David Marks.—Dated this 24th day of February, 1857.

*Lew's Marks.
David Marks.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned James Ashby Newnham and William Geves, as Ship Store Dealers, under the style or firm of Newnham and Geves, at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, was on the 20th day of February instant, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated the 21st day of February, 1857.

*James A. Newnham.
William Geves.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Yeoward and John Forwood Tafe, carrying on business at Drury-buildings, Water-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, as Ship Brokers, under the style or firm of Joseph Yeoward and Tafe, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 21st day of February, 1857.

*Joseph Yeoward.
John Forwood Tafe.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, John Wetherfield and James Duncan, at Henrietta-street, Covent-garden, in the county of Middlesex, as Surgeons, Apothecaries, and Men-midwives, under the style or firm of Wetherfield and Duncan, was determined, on the 21st day of February, 1857.

*John Wetherfield.
James Duncan.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas McLean and Daniel Partridge, lately carrying on business as Upholsterers, at No. 35, South Audley-street, Grosvenor-square, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of McLean and Partridge, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said partnership firm will be received and paid by the said Thomas McLean, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 20th day of February, 1857.

*Thomas McLean.
Daniel Partridge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Green and William Wilkinson Drayton, of No. 79, Newgate-street, London, Stay Manufacturers, has been mutually dissolved.—Dated this 27th day of November, 1856.

*John Green.
William Wilkinson Drayton.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Jesse Binns and Jonas Foster the younger, as Worsted Spinners and Yarn Dealers, carrying on business at Midgeholme Mill, within Haworth, in the parish of Bradford, in the county of York, under the firm of Binns and Foster, was on the 6th day of October last dissolved by mutual consent; and notice is hereby further given that the said business will be carried on by the said Jesse Binns, on his own account, and who will pay and receive all debts due and owing by and to the said copartnership.—As witness our hands the 21st day of February, 1857.

*Jesse Binns.
Jonas Foster, junr.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Walter Rolls, Richard Matthews, and Caleb Soul, as Wholesale Perfumers and British and Foreign Fancy Warehousemen, at No. 75, Watling-street, in the city of London, under the firm of Rolls, Matthews, and Soul, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 24th day of February, 1857.

*Walter Rolls.
Richard Matthews.
Caleb Soul.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Charles Easton and George Easton, both of Reigate, in the county of Surrey, Bricklayers and Builders, under the firm of Charles and George Easton, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing to and from the said Copartnership will be received and paid by the said Charles Easton.—Witness our hands this 21st day of February, 1857.

*Charles Easton.
George Easton.*

Mary Sharratt, deceased.

THE next of kin of Mary Sharratt, Widow, who for several years resided at Codsall, near Wolverhampton, in Staffordshire, and was buried there in January, 1823, may hear of something to their advantage on applying to STUBBS and SMALLWOOD, Solicitors, Birmingham.

SHEPARD.

WHEREAS William Shepard, formerly of Shemley-green, in the parish of Womersley, in the county of Surrey, Shopkeeper, but afterwards of Stoke-next-Guildford, in the said county, by his last will and testament, dated the 28th day of August, 1829, gave and bequeathed, unto Charles Shepard and Samuel Welland (the trustees and executors named in his will), his residuary estate and effects, upon trust, to pay the interest thereof to his wife Ann, for her life, and after her decease, upon trust (among other things), in the first place to pay the debts of his son William Shepard, which he incurred before he went abroad. Notice is hereby given, that all persons claiming to be creditors of the said William Shepard, the son (who was formerly of Chobham, in the said county, Shopkeeper, and since of Guildford, in the said county), in respect of debts which he incurred before he went abroad (which happened in or about the month of August, 1823), are requested to send in their claims and accounts to the undersigned, Mr. John Rand Capron, of Guildford aforesaid, the Solicitor to the said trustees and executors, for examination and adjustment.—Dated the 17th day of February, 1857.

J. RAND CAPRON.

The sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Findon versus Butt, with the approbation of his Honour the Master of the Rolls, on Thursday, the 9th day of April next, at five o'clock in the afternoon, at the New Inn, in the city of Gloucester, by Mr. William Henry Hobbs, the person appointed by the said Judge to sell the same, in three lots:

A freehold and tithe-free estate, situate in the parish of Down Hatherley, in the county of Gloucester, consisting of a farm-house, barn, stables, pasture and orchard land, containing in all 23A. 3R. 38P., in the occupation of Mr. Thomas Brunsten, with an undivided fifth share of 15A. 1R. 35P. of wood land in Hatherley Wood.

Three pieces of freehold pasture land, tithe free, containing 16A. 0R. 15P., situate in the parish of Staverton, in the county of Gloucester, in the occupation of Thomas Brunsten.

A cottage and garden, and a piece of pasture land, in Sandhurst Common Meadow, in the parish of Sandhurst, in the occupation of the said Thomas Brunsten.

The several lots may be viewed, by permission of the tenant, and printed particulars, with conditions of sale, obtained of Mr. Charles Pidcock, Solicitor, Worcester; Messrs. Roberts and Richards, Solicitors, Worcester; Messrs. James Taylor Mason and Taylor, Solicitors, No. 15, Furnival's-inn, London; Messrs. Plucknett and Adams, Solicitors, No. 17, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London; at the New Inn, Gloucester; and of the Auctioneer, at his offices, Worcester.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Jackson and others, against Maskall and another, the creditors of Mary Ann Carr, late of Park-street, in the parish of Saint Mary, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Spinster, who died in or about the month of May, 1856, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 18th day of March, 1857, to come in and prove their debts, at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, in Chancery-lane, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Tuesday, the 24th day of March, 1857, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 20th day of February, 1857.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Newport against Bury, the heir at law of Thomas Henry Newport, late of Hanley Court, in the county of Worcester, who died in or about the month of June, 1855, is, by his Solicitor, on or before the 18th day of March, next, to come in and prove his heirship, at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, in Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, or in default thereof he will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Tuesday, the 24th day of March, 1857, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 19th day of February, 1857.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of Henry Reay, deceased, and in a cause Worwood against Reay, the creditors of Henry Reay, late of No. 58, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, and of No. 33a, New-street, Kingston-road, in the county of Surrey, Wine Merchant, who died in or about the month of April, 1852, are, by their

Solicitors, on or before the 20th day of March, 1857, 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. Friday, the 27th day of March, 1857, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 21st day of February, 1857.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of John Hall, late of Hoveton St. John, in the county of Norfolk, Merchant and Wheelwright, and in a cause of Hall and others, v. Hall and another, the creditors of the said John Hall, deceased, who died on or about the 11th day of January, 1855, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 23rd day of March next, to come in and prove their debts or claims, at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Thursday, the 26th day of March next, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 20th day of February, 1857.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of William Henry Smith, late of No. 40, Great Ormond-street, Queen-square, in the parish of Clerkenwell, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, deceased, Jacob George Strutt against Alice Elizabeth Smith, and hearing date the 2nd day of February, 1857, the creditors of William Henry Smith, late of Great Ormond-street, in the county of Middlesex, who died in or about the month of November, 1856, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 18th day of March, 1857, to come in and prove their debts, at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Tuesday, the 24th day of March, 1857, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 20th day of February, 1857.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Martin against Martin, the creditors of George Bohun Martin, late of East Bridgford, in the county of Nottingham, and of Deptford, in the county of Kent, Esquire, a Captain in the Royal Navy, who died in or about the month of October, 1854, are by their Solicitors, on or before the 26th day of March, 1857, to come in and prove their debts, 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 30th day of March, 1857, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 14th day of February, 1857.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of George Howlett, deceased, and in the cause Howlett against Howlett, the creditors of the said George Howlett, late of Hencham, in the county of Norfolk, Shepherd, deceased, who died in or about the month of March, 1855, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 17th day of March next, to come in and prove their debts or 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. Saturday, the 21st day of March, 1857, at twelve o'clock noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 19th day of February, 1857.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Lightfoot, late of Markyate-street, in the county of Hertford, Widow, deceased, and in a cause Maria Bingham against Richard Stevens and another, the creditors of, and the incumbrancers upon the real estate of the said Elizabeth Lightfoot, who died in or about the month of November, 1853, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 3rd day of April, 1857, to come in and prove their claims at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir John Stuart, at No. 12, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Thursday, the 16th day of April, 1857, at half past one o'clock in the afternoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 20th day of February, 1857.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause William Bunney Russell against William Baylis Green, the creditors of Catherine Mills, late of Alvechurch, in the county of Worcester, Spinster, who died in or about the month of September, 1852, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 3rd day of April, 1857, to come in and prove their debts at the chambers of

the Vice-Chancellor Sir John Stuart, No. 12, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree.—Thursday the 16th day of April, 1857, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 21st day of February, 1857.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause William James against George Skipp, all persons claiming to be creditors of the personal estate or incumbrancers of the real estate of Ann Skipp, late of Prior Lodge, in the parish of Lydney, in the county of Gloucester, Widow, the testatrix in the proceedings named (who died in or about the month of July, 1851), are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 23rd day of March, 1857, to come in and prove their debts or incumbrances, at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir John Stuart, No. 12, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the said Order. Monday, the 30th day of March, 1857, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 21st day of February, 1857.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Margaret Debney against Robert Eckett and others, the persons claiming to be next of kin to Thomas Debney, late of Cromer-street, Brunswick-square, in the county of Middlesex, Builder, the testator in the pleadings of the cause named, who died on the 10th day of January, 1841, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 27th day of March, 1857, to come in and prove their claims, at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir John Stuart, No. 12, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Thursday, the 2nd day of April, 1857, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 21st day of February, 1857.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Thomas Hamilton and others against Charlotte Arrowsmith and others, the creditors of Thomas Wolfe, late of Stoke-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, Manufacturer of Porcelain and Earthenware, deceased, the testator in the said cause named (who died in the year 1819), are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 16th day of March, 1857, to come in and prove their claims, at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir John Stuart, at No. 12, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Monday, the 23rd day of March, 1857, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 20th day of February, 1857.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Thomas Lloyd Crosthwaite and another, plaintiffs, against Edward Dean, otherwise Lee and others, defendants, the creditors of James Lee, late of Stockwell, and formerly of King-street, in the county of Surrey, Carman, who died in or about the month of December, 1850, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 9th day of March, 1857, to come in and prove their debts at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir William Page Wood, at No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Monday, the 16th day of March, 1857, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 19th day of February, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Roger Thomas Westwood, of the Green Man Inn, in the parish of Harborne, in the county of Stafford, Victualler, has by an indenture of assignment, dated the 20th day of February, 1857, assigned all his estates and effects unto John Hilliard, of Heath-road, in the parish of Harborne aforesaid, Silver-smith, upon trust, for the benefit of himself and all and every other the creditors of the said Roger Thomas Westwood who shall execute the said assignment; and that the said assignment was executed by the said Roger Thomas Westwood and John Hilliard respectively, on the 20th day of February instant; and the execution thereof by them respectively is attested by Thomas John Robinson, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Solicitor; and the said assignment now lies at the office of the said Thomas John Robinson, situate at Alma Chambers, Paradise-street, Birmingham aforesaid, for the inspection and execution of the creditors of the said Roger Thomas Westwood.—Dated the 20th day of February, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that George Edwards, of Hurst-green, in the parish of Silehurst, in the county of Sussex, Grocer and Draper, has by indenture, dated this 14th day of February, 1857, assigned unto Charles Arkcoll, of Maidstone, in the county of Kent, Grocer, and Thomas Edward Kenward, of Battle, in the said county of Sussex,

Draper, all his personal estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, upon certain trusts therein declared, for the benefit of the creditors of the said George Edwards; and that the said indenture of assignment was duly executed by all of them the said George Edwards, Charles Arkcoll, and Thomas Edward Kenward, on the said 14th day of February, 1857, in the presence of, and attested by, Frederic Ellman, of Battle aforesaid, Solicitor, and by James Crowhurst, of the same place, Draper's Assistant; and that the said indenture now lies at the house of the said Thomas Edward Kenward, at Battle aforesaid, for signature by the creditors of the said George Edwards.—Dated this 14th day of February, 1857.

THIS is to give notice, that by an indenture, bearing date 6th day of February, 1857, John Cowan, of the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and of Sunderland, in the county of Durham. Cheesemonger, Butcher, and Bacon Dealer, carrying on business under the firm of Cowan and Company, hath conveyed and assigned all his estate and effects, whatsoever, to Benjamin Bigger, of the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Provision Merchant, and George Sisson, of the same place, Merchant, as trustees, upon trust, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said John Cowan; and that the said indenture was duly executed by the said John Cowan, on the said 6th day of February instant, and by the said Benjamin Bigger and George Sisson, on the 7th day of February instant, and is witnessed by John Theodore Hoyle, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Attorney-at-Law. The assignment can be executed by the creditors at the offices of Mr. Hoyle, Solicitor, No. 30, Grey-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, dated the 13th day of February, 1857, Joseph Watson, of Nos. 2 and 3, Watling-street, in the city of London, Warehouseman, conveyed and assigned all his estate and effects, unto Edward Fisher, of No. 1, Chester-villas, Canonbury-park, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, and John Heard Clarke, of No. 91, Watling-street, in the said city of London, Warehouseman, as trustees for the creditors of the said Joseph Watson; which indenture was executed by the said Joseph Watson, Edward Fisher, and John Heard Clarke, respectively, on the day of the date thereof, and their respective executions are attested by, Frederic John Reed, of No. 59, Friday-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Solicitor; and the said indenture now lies at our office for execution by the creditors of the said Joseph Watson.—Dated this 20th day of February, 1857.

REED, LANGFORD, and MARSDEN, No. 59, Friday-street, Cheapside, Solicitors to the Trustees.

Estate of William Parsons.

BY indenture, dated the 11th day of February, 1857, William Parsons, of Evesham, in the county of Worcester, Draper, assigned all his personal estate, as therein mentioned, except leaseholds, to Thomas Parsons, of Stroud, in the county of Gloucester, Gentleman, and William White the younger, of Cheapside, in the city of London, Warehouseman, in trust, for the benefit of his creditors; the said indenture was executed by the said William Parsons and Thomas Parsons on the day of the date thereof, and by the said William White the younger on the 12th day of February instant; the executions by the said William Parsons and Thomas Parsons were respectively attested by Lindsey William Winterbotham, of Stroud, in the county of Gloucester, Solicitor, and the execution of the said William White the younger was attested by John Nicholas Mason, of No. 7, Gresham-street, in the city of London, Solicitor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by indenture, bearing date the 27th day of January, 1857, George Ash, of Ivy-street, Green-lane, Southsea, in the parish of Portsea, in the county of Southampton, Coal Merchant and Dairyman, conveyed and assigned all his real and personal estate and effects unto George Greetham Palmer, of King-street, Southsea, in the said county of Southampton, Brewer, and Ann Ash, of Landport-road, Landport, in the said county of Southampton, Widow, upon trust, for the benefit of the creditors of the said George Ash, who should execute the said indenture within two months from the date thereof; and that the said indenture was duly executed by the said George Ash, George Greetham Palmer, and Ann Ash respectively, on the said 27th day of January, in the presence of, and attested by, James Stening, of Portsea, aforesaid, Solicitor. And notice is hereby further given, that the said indenture now lies at the office of the said James Stening, in Portsea, aforesaid, for inspection and execution by the said creditors.—Dated this 20th day of February, 1857.

The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849, and the Bankruptcy Act, 1854.

WHEREAS we, the undersigned, Robert Marston and George Marston, of Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Manufacturers of Hosiery, Dealers and Chap-

men, did, on the 10th day of November, 1856, duly cause to be filed in the Court of Bankruptcy for the Birmingham District, a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy against ourselves, under the provisions of the said Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849, and the said Bankruptcy Act, 1854; and were adjudged and declared bankrupts on the said Petition; and whereas we did pass our last examination under the said Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy on the 30th day of December, 1856; and whereas we, being desirous that the said bankruptcy and all proceedings thereunder shall be annulled, did, by a certain notice under our hands, bearing date the 13th day of January, 1857, make an offer of composition to our creditors of six shillings and eight pence in the pound on the amount of the respective sums of money due and owing from us to them, and did by the said notice call a meeting of our creditors, in pursuance of the powers and directions contained in the Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849, for the purpose of submitting to them our offer to pay such composition as aforesaid, and did thereby give notice that such meeting would be held at the White Lion Hotel, in the Market-place, in Leicester, in the county of Leicester, on the 10th day of February instant; and whereas such notice was duly advertised in the London Gazette on Friday, the 16th day of January, 1857; and whereas the said meeting was duly held at the said White Lion Hotel, in Leicester aforesaid, on the 10th day of February instant, and more than nine-tenths in number and value of the creditors assembled at such meeting, to wit, the whole of the creditors assembled at such meeting did agree to accept the said composition of six shillings and eight pence in the pound in discharge of the debts due and owing to them. And whereas we did by a notice under our hands, dated the 11th day of February instant, and advertised in the London Gazette on Friday, the 13th day of February instant, call another meeting of our creditors for the purpose of deciding upon such our offer of composition of six shillings and eight pence in the pound, and we did thereby give notice that such meeting would be held at the White Lion Hotel, in the Market-place, in Leicester, in the county of Leicester, on Tuesday, the 10th day of March next, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely; and whereas the said second meeting being required to be held before a Commissioner of the Court of Bankruptcy, and the time and place of meeting before advertised being inconvenient for that purpose. Now, we do hereby give notice, that the said meeting advertised for the 10th day of March, 1857, at the said White Lion Hotel, in Leicester, will not be held, and in lieu and stead thereof, and in pursuance of the powers and directions contained in the said Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849, we do hereby call another meeting of our creditors for the purpose of deciding upon such our offer of composition of six shillings and eight pence in the pound; and we do hereby give notice, that such meeting will be held at the said White Lion Hotel, in the Market-place, in Leicester, in the county of Leicester, on Thursday, the 19th day of March next, at the hour of twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of February, 1857.

ROBERT MARSTON.
GEORGE MARSTON.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 20th June, 1856, against Joseph Tucker, of Southampton, China Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 1s. 3d. in the pound, is now payable and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 20, Aldermanbury, City, on Wednesday next, and the three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two 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 or letters of administration under which they claim.—February 18, 1857.

CHARLES LEE, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated the 10th of September, 1856, against Alfred John Franklin, of Clotham, Ironmonger.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 4s. 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 three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two o'clock, on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special direction of a Commissioner. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will and letters of administration under which they claim.—February 18, 1857.

CHAS. LEE, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of John Tanner, of Chippenham, Carrier, &c. **I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a Dividend of 5s. 10d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, any Wednesday, between the hours of eleven and one of the clock. No Dividend can be paid to any creditor holding any security for his debt until such security shall be produced to me, without the special direction of a Commissioner on that behalf. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

EDWARD MANT MILLER, Official Assignee,
19, Saint Augustine's-parade, Bristol.

In the Matter of Godfrey Gregory Pike, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Grocer, a Bankrupt.

I HEREBY give notice that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a First Dividend of 1s. 10d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Thursday, the 26th day of February, 1857, or any subsequent Thursday, between the hours of eleven and three. No Dividend can be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators are required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

JAMES CHRISTIE, Official Assignee,
37, Waterloo-street, Birmingham.

In the Matter of John Ledward the younger, of Gorton, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, against whom a Petition for adjudication in Bankruptcy was issued on the 6th day of October, 1856.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 8s. 6d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 45, George-street, Manchester, on Tuesday the 10th day of March, next, or any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and one. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debts. 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.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, was filed on the 20th day of December, 1856, in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy at Manchester, against Robert Ashworth, of Vale Mill, in Newchurch, in Rossendale, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Spinner and Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman (as a trader indebted jointly with Richard Ashworth, of the same place), under which he was declared bankrupt; this is to give notice, that by an order of Walker Skirrow, Esq., one of the Commissioners of the said Court, bearing date the 20th day of February, 1857, the adjudication of Bankruptcy made against the said Robert Ashworth has been annulled.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 23rd day of February, 1857, hath been presented against Edwin Shepherd and Walter Shepherd, of No. 12, Crane-court, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Lozenge Manufacturers, Dealers and Chapmen, lately in copartnership with Alfred Shepherd, of the same place, and they having been declared bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to Joshua Evans, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 6th day of March next, at half past twelve of the clock in the afternoon precisely, and on the 9th day of April following, at one o'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 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. Bell, No. 3, Coleman-street-buildings, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Chidley, Solicitor, Basinghall-street.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, was, on the 19th day of February, 1857, filed against William Sadgrove the younger and Richard Ragg, of Eldon-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, and Dunsingr-alley, Bishopsgate-street, in the city of London, Cabinet Makers and Upholsterers, Dealers and Chapmen, carrying on business under the style and firm of Sadgrove and Ragg, and they having been declared bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to Edward Holroyd, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 10th day of March next, at half past two of the clock in the afternoon precisely, and on the 7th day of April following, at two of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of their estate and

effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupts are required to finish their examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupts, or that have any of their effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Charles Lee, No. 20, Aldermanbury, London, the Official Assignee, in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Mr. Spyer, Solicitor, No. 30, Broad-street-buildings, London.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 10th day of February, 1857, filed against Frederick Francis Shaw, of No. 253, Blackfriars-road, in the county of Surrey, Ironmonger, Dealer and Chapman, 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 13th day of March next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, and on the 20th of April 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 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. Nicholson, No. 24, Basinghall-street, London, the Official Assignee in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Messrs. J. and J. H. Linklater and Hackwood, Solicitors, No. 17, Sise-lane, London, or Messrs. Hodgson and Allen, Solicitors, Birmingham.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 23rd day of February, 1857, filed against Sleater Geoghegan, of No. 7, Palsgrave-place, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Engraver, Printer, and Stationer, Dealer and Chapman, 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 13th of March next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, and on the 20th April following, 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 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-street, London, the Official Assignee, in the matter of this Bankruptcy, and give notice to Mr. Pierce S. Brisley, Solicitor, No. 4, Pancras-lane, Cheapside.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 19th day of February 1857, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, against Robert Graves, of Windmill-street, Gravesend, in the county of Kent, Corn and Flour Merchant, and he having been declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Robert George Cecil Fane, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 6th day of March next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, and on the 17th day of April following, at half past eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Cannan, of No. 18, Aldermanbury, London, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. George Crafter, Solicitor, of No. 168, Blackfriars-road.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 21st day of February, 1857, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy in London, against Joshua Downing Stanbury, of Richmond, in the county of Surrey, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, and he having been declared bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Robert George Cecil Fane, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 6th day of March next, at half past one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, and on the 3rd of April following, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the

said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Wm. Whitmore, of No. 2, Basinghall-street, London, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed and give notice to Messrs. Mason and Sturt, Solicitors, of No. 7, Gresham-street, London.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 21st day of February, 1857, hath been presented against Thomas White the younger, of Portsmouth, and of Gosport, both in the county of Southampton, Ship Builder and Engineer, 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 11th day of March next, at two in the afternoon, and on the 7th day of April following, at one of the clock 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. Stansfeld, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Lawrence, Plews and Boyer, Solicitors, No. 14, Old Jewry Chambers, London.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy filed on the 20th day of February, 1857, hath been presented against Frederick Morse, of No. 2, Dunster-court, Mincing-lane, in the city of London, Rice and Spice Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, trading under the style or firm of Frederick Morse and Company, 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 7th day of March next, and on the 7th day of April following, at twelve o'clock at noon, on each day, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. H. H. Stansfeld, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Vallance and Hibbert, Solicitors, No. 12, Tokenhouse-yard, City.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 17th February, 1857, hath been filed against Samuel Smith, of Derby, in the county of Derby, Iron Merchant, 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 the Shirehall, Nottingham, on the 10th and 31st days of March next, at half past ten o'clock in the forenoon, on each day, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Harris, Middle-pavement, Nottingham, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. J. and J. Simpson, Solicitors, Derby, or to Messrs. Wadsworth and Wadsworth, Solicitors, Nottingham.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 23rd day of February, 1857, hath been filed by Thomas King, of Spalding, in the county of Lincoln, Licensed Victualler, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to John Balguy, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at the Shirehall, Nottingham, on the 10th and 31st days of March next, at half past ten of the clock in the forenoon, on each of the said days, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt, is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Harris, Middle Pavement, Nottingham, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Thomas Brown, Solicitor, Lincoln.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 20th day of February, 1857, hath been filed by William Smith, of Mansfield, in the county of Nottingham, Licensed Victualler, heretofore also carrying on

business at the same place, as a Confectioner, in partnership with one John Brown, 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 the Shirehall, Nottingham, on the 10th and 31st days of March next, at half past ten of the clock in the forenoon, on each of the said days, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Harris, Middle Pavement, Nottingham, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Bowley and Ashwell, Solicitors, Nottingham.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, against James Griffiths, of the city of Bristol, and of Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Builder, Dealer and Chapman, was filed on the 21st of February, 1857, in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, at the city and county of Bristol, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Matthew Davenport Hill, Esq., a Commissioner of Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, acting for the Bristol District, on the 9th day of March next, and on the 7th day of April following, 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, Saint Augustine's-place, Bristol, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. George Fisher Prideaux, Solicitor, Albion-chambers, Bristol.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 14th day of February, 1857, hath been duly filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, for the Leeds District, against Robert Spendlove, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Horse and Cattle Dealer, and he being declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Martin John West, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 7th day of March next, and on the 4th day of April following, at ten in the forenoon precisely, on each day, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Council Hall, Sheffield, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Brewin, of Sheffield, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Robert Marsh, jun., Solicitor, Rotherham.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 16th day of February, 1857, was filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, on the 17th day of February, 1857, against Francis Bee, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Table Knife Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Martin John West, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 7th day of March next, and on the 4th day of April following, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, on each of the said days, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Council Hall, in Sheffield, 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. John Brewin, of Sheffield, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. John Ryalls, Solicitor, Sheffield.

WHEREAS a Petition for arrangement, under the superintendence and controul of the Court, was filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District, on the 3rd day of January, 1857, by Lorenz Theodor Wang, of the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Timber Merchant, 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 6th day of March next, at twelve at noon precisely, and on the 8th of April following, at half past twelve in the afternoon 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 Messrs. Young, Harrison, and Young, Solicitors, Sunderland.

WHEREAS a Petition for arrangement under the superintendence and control of the Court, was filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District, on the 26th day of December, 1856, by James Armstrong, of the borough of Berwick-upon-Tweed, Linen and Woollen Draper, carrying on business under the firm or style of Smith and Armstrong, and he being declared a 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 10th day of March next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, and on the 21st day of April following, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in the 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, Royal-arcade, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Robert B. Moore, Solicitor, Carlisle, or Mr. John Theodore Hoyle, Solicitor, Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

JOSHUA EVANS, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 3rd day of January, 1857, against John Sworder, of Ware, in the county of Hertford, Maltster, will sit on the 12th day of March next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

JOSHUA EVANS, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 19th day of December, 1856, against John Kennard, of No. 32, Little Queen-street, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, Ironmonger, will sit on the 10th day of March next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

EDWARD HOLROYD, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 21st day of November, 1856, against Charles Brown, of No. 42, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, Milliner and Dress Maker, will sit on the 10th March next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, London, to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

EDWARD GOULBURN, Serjeant-at-Law, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition, for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 8th day of December, 1856, against Robert Yallowley Barnes, of No. 11, City-road, in the county of Middlesex, Floor Cloth Manufacturer, will sit on the 9th day of March next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

EDWARD GOULBURN, Serjeant-at-Law, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under an adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 13th day of October, 1856, against Morris Roberts Syers, James Walker, and Daniel Backhouse Syers, trading and carrying on business as Merchants, in copartnership at Ball-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, will sit on the 9th of March next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupts, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

JOHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, dated the 7th day of February, 1855, and filed against Richard Brawn, of Daw End, in the parish of Rushall, in the county of Stafford, Limeburner, will sit on the 19th of March 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.

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 3rd day of December, 1855, filed against Stephen Jackson, of Sutton, in the parish of Kildwick, in the county of York, Machine Maker, Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 31st day of March next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, in Leeds, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849."

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 22nd day of April, 1842, awarded and issued forth against John Richardson, of Leeds, in the county of York, Wool Merchant, will sit on the 31st of March next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, in Leeds, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Fiat, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849."

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 24th day of December, 1839, awarded and issued forth against Robert Derham, of Leeds, in the county of York, and Walter Alan Hinde and James Derham, of Dolphinhole, in the county of Lancaster, Worsted Spinners, Partners in Trade, Dealers and Chapmen, will sit on the 31st day of March next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, Leeds, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupts, under the said Fiat, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849."

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 15th day of October, 1856, filed against Henry Luman, of Bradford, in the county of York, Shop Keeper, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 30th day of March next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, in Leeds, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849."

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 3rd day of April, 1840, awarded and issued forth against George Robinson, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, Surgeon, and Mary Farrand, of Alhordbury, in the same county, Widow, Dealers and Traders, now or heretofore jointly and together carrying on trade at Almondbury aforesaid, and elsewhere, as Fancy Cloth Manufacturers, under the name, style, or firm of the Executors of the late Joseph Farrand, Dealers and Chapmen, will sit on the 31st day of March next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, at the Commercial-buildings, Leeds, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupts, under the said Fiat, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849."

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 27th day of June, 1843, awarded and issued forth against Thomas Parker, John Parker, John Rawlinson, William Abbott, Joshua

Hanson, Joseph Bell, Thomas Chadwick, Abram Crusley, Robert Kershaw, John Musgrave, Joseph Wooller, Thomas Pullan, John Shaw, and George Eastburn, all of Woodhouse Carr, in the parish and borough of Leeds, in the county of York, Dyers and Copartners, carrying on business in co-partnership together, and along with one David Dixon, under the name, style, or firm of T. and J. Parker and Co., will sit on the 7th day of April next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, in Leeds, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the separate estate and effects of Thomas Parker, one of the said bankrupts, under the said Fiat, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849."

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 3rd day of January, 1846, awarded and issued forth against William Wilks, of Leeds, in the county of York, Builder and Stone Mason, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 31st of March next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, in Leeds, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Fiat, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849."

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 14th day of March, 1856, filed against Benjamin Wood, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Boiler Maker, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 7th day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Council-hall, in Sheffield, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849."

JOHN SAMUEL MARTIN FONBLANQUE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 4th day of April, 1856, against William Gascoine, of Hitchin, in the county of Hertford, Butcher, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 17th day of March next, at two of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

JOHN SAMUEL MARTIN FONBLANQUE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 23rd day of June, 1856, against William Copeland Strange, of Henley-on-Thames, in the county of Oxford, Bricklayer and Builder, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 17th of March next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London (by adjournment from the 19th day of December last), 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 28th day of October, 1856, against Charles Poole, of No. 22, Waterloo-street, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Livery-stable Keeper and Job Master, will sit on the 17th of March next, at eleven in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

JOSHUA EVANS, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 3rd of January, 1857, against John Sworder, of Ware, in the county of Hertford, Maltster, will sit on the 19th day of March next, at one of the clock in the afternoon 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.

JOSHUA EVANS, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 10th day of May, 1850, against George Healey Ward and Bailey Griffith, of No. 16, Bear Alley, Farringdon-street, in the city of London, Printers, will sit on the 19th day of March next, at two of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make Dividends of the estates and effects of the said bankrupts; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividends. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

JOSHUA EVANS, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 31st day of October, 1851, against Charles Stuart Voules, of New Windsor, in the county of Berks, Scrivener, Trader, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 19th day of March next, at half past eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

JOSHUA EVANS, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 19th day of June, 1855, against Joseph Harnden of No. 20, Webb-street, Southwark, and of Three Oak-lane, Horsleydown, in the county of Surrey, Bricklayer, Plasterer, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 17th day of March 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.

EDWARD HOLROYD, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 26th day of January 1857, against William White, of New Crane Mill, Shadwell, in the county of Middlesex, Miller, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 17th day of March next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

WILLIAM THOMAS JEMMETT, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 28th day of October, 1856, against Thomas Thomas, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Miller, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 10th day of March next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts; and the said Commissioner will also sit on the 17th day of March next, at the same hour, and at the same place, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

WILLIAM THOMAS JEMMETT, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 4th day of February, 1856, by Josiah Coulthurst Gaskell and Thomas Garstang, both of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Copartners in Trade, trading there under the firm of Gaskell and Garstang, Machine Makers, Dealers and Chapmen, will sit on the 9th March next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, at Manchester, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the separate estate and effects of Thomas Garstang, one of the said bankrupts, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts; and the said Commissioner will also sit on the 18th day of March next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the same place, in order to make a Divi-

dend of the separate estate and effects of Thomas Garstang, 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.

WILLIAM THOMAS JEMMETT, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 4th day of February, 1856, by Josiah Coulthurst Gaskell and Thomas Garstang, both of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Copartners in Trade, trading there under the firm of Gaskell and Garstang, Machine Makers, Dealers and Chapman, will sit on the 18th day of March next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, to make a First 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.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 27th day of January, 1857, presented and filed against John Alfred Hatfield, of Bradford, in the county of York, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 20th day of March next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, in Leeds, 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.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 4th day of July, 1856, presented and filed against Henry Shaw, of Halifax, in the county of York, Worsted Spinner, surviving Partner of John Shaw, trading at Halifax aforesaid, under the style or firm of John Shaw and Son, will sit on the 19th day of March next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, in Leeds, 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.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 4th day of July 1856, presented and filed against Henry Shaw, of Halifax, in the county of York, Worsted Spinner, surviving partner of John Shaw, trading at Halifax aforesaid, under the style or firm of John Shaw and Son, will sit on the 19th day of March next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, in Leeds, in order to make a Dividend of the separate estate and effects of the said bankrupt Henry Shaw; when and where the creditors who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 26th day of December, 1856, presented and filed against Thomas Hardacre, of Settle, in the West Riding of the county of York, Mercer and Draper, Dealer and Chapman, trading under the firm of E. Hardacre and Son, will sit on the 19th day of March next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, in Leeds, in order to 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.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 9th day of September, 1856, presented and filed against James Henry Hargreaves, of Leeds, in the county of York, Share Broker, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 20th day of March next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, in Leeds, in order to 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.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 18th day of December, 1850, presented and filed against Joshua Unwin, of Bradford, in the county of York, Stuff Manufacturer. Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 19th of March next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, Leeds, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 7th day of February, 1854, presented and filed against Robert Hammond, of the city of Ripon, Builder, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 20th day of March next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, in Leeds, Yorkshire, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 15th day of October, 1856, presented and filed against Henry Inman, of Bradford, in the county of York, Shop Keeper, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 30th day of March next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, in Leeds, Yorkshire, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 24th day of December, 1839, awarded and issued forth against Robert Derham, of Leeds, in the county of York, and Walter Alan Hinde and James Derham, of Dolphinhole, in the county of Lancaster, Worsted Spinners, Partners in Trade, Dealers and Chapman, will sit on the 31st day of March next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, in Leeds, Yorkshire, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 27th day of June, 1843, awarded and issued forth against Thomas Parker, John Parker, John Rawlinson, William Abbott, Joshua Hanson, Joseph Bell, Thomas Chadwick, Abram Emsley, Robert Kershaw, John Musgrave, Joseph Wooler, Thomas Pullan, John Shaw and George Eastburn, all of Woodhouse Carr, in the parish and borough of Leeds, in the county of York, Dyers and Copartners, carrying on business in co-partnership together and along with one David Dixon, under the name, style or firm of T. and J. Parker and Co., will sit on the 7th day of April next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, Leeds, in order to make a Dividend of the separate estate and effects of Thomas Parker, one of the said bankrupts; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

JOHN 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, filed against Thomas Brindley, of Uttoxeter, in the county of Stafford, Grocer, Tea Dealer, Seed and Hop Merchant, and Provision Dealer, will sit on the 20th day of March next, at half past eleven in the forenoon, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors who

have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

JOHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 19th of January, 1855, by Henry Binnell Harris, of Shrewsbury, in the county of Salop, Draper, will sit on the 20th day of March next, at half past eleven of the clock in the forenoon, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

JOHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 7th day of February, 1855, filed against Richard Brawn, of Daw End, in the parish of Rushall, in the county of Stafford, Limeburner, will sit on the 19th day of March next, at half past eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

JOHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 1st day of September, 1856, filed by William Britain Jones, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Grocer, and Paper Dealer, will sit on the 20th of March next, at half past eleven in the forenoon, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

MONTAGUE BAKER BERE, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Exeter District Court of Bankruptcy, being the Commissioner authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 25th day of July, 1856, against Edwin-Peeke, of Torquay, in the county of Devon, Builder, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 19th March next, at one in the afternoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in Queen-street, in the city of Exeter, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 24th day of November, 1856, against Edward Smith, of Isleworth, in the county of Middlesex, Baker, Dealer and Chapman, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Edward Holroyd, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 17th day of March next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, London, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 5th day of December, 1856, against Lewis Benjamin, of No. 28, Jewry-street, Aldgate, in the city of London, Fish Merchant and Leather Merchant, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Edward Holroyd, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 17th day of March next, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, London, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the

laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 9th day of October, 1856, and now in prosecution against William Rose, of No. 165, Kingsland-road, in the parish of Saint Leonard, Shoreditch, in the county of Middlesex, Baker, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Joshua Evans, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 19th day of March next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 19th day of August, 1856, and now in prosecution against Charles Edward Davis, late of No. 82, Upper Thames-street, in the city of London, Wholesale Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, in partnership with Henry Hale, under the firm of Henry Hale and Company, but now of No. 2, Woodbine Cottages, Stamford-road, Kingsland, in the county of Middlesex, out of business, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Edward Goulburn, Serjeant-at-Law, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 18th of March next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Walker Skirrow, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 5th day of November, 1856, by James Barlow, of Bolton-le-Moors, in the county of Lancaster, Paper Hanger and Painter, will, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849," on the application of the said bankrupt, sit on the 20th day of March next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, for the allowance of the Certificate of conformity of the said bankrupt under the said Petition; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his or their intention to oppose, may at such sitting be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, pursuant to the Statute in such case made and provided.

NOTICE is hereby given, that William Thomas Jemmett, Esq., the Commissioner acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 1st day of December, 1856, against James Constantine, of Scout, near Newchurch, in Rossendale, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Spinner and Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, will, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849," on the application of the said bankrupt, sit on the 17th of March next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at Her Majesty's Court of Bank-

ruptey, in Manchester, for the allowance of the Certificate of conformity of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition. Any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his or their intention to oppose, may, at such sitting, be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided.

NOTICE is hereby given, that William Thomas Jemmett, Esq., the Commissioner acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 29th day of October, 1856, against David Imrie, of Belfast, in the county of Antrim, in Ireland, also trading at Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, as a Manufacturer, Merchant and Shipper, will, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849," on the application of the said bankrupt, sit on the 17th day of March next, at twelve at noon precisely, at Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, for the allowance of the Certificate of conformity of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition. Any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his or their intention to oppose, may, at such sitting, be heard against the allowance of such Certificate pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided.

NOTICE is hereby given, that William Thomas Jemmett, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 5th day of November, 1856, by Levi Pearson, of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, Wholesale Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, will, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849," on the application of the said bankrupt, sit on the 16th day of March next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, for the allowance of the Certificate of conformity of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition. Any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his or their intention to oppose, may at such sitting be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, pursuant to the Statute in such case made and provided.

NOTICE is hereby given, that William Thomas Jemmett, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 29th day of October, 1856, against Heaton Wright, of Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, Timber Dealer and Sawyer, carrying on business there as such Timber Dealer and Sawyer, under the style or firm of Heaton Wright and Company, will, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849," on the application of the said bankrupt, sit on the 17th day of March next, at twelve at noon precisely, at Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy in Manchester, for the allowance of the Certificate of conformity to the said bankrupt, under the said Petition; and any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his or their intention to oppose such certificate, may at such sitting be heard against the allowance thereof, pursuant to the Statute to 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 5th day of January, 1857, and filed in Her Majesty's Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy at Birmingham, against Joseph Baxter, of Gooch-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Victualler, Dealer and Chapman, has appointed a public sitting for the allowance of a Certificate under such Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, to be holden on the 19th day of March next, at half past ten in the forenoon precisely, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt who shall have given due notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shown to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

JOHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 7th day of January, 1857, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, by Joseph Healey Clarke, of Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Hatter, Dealer and Chapman, appointed a public sitting for the allowance of the Certificate under such Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, to be holden on the 24th day of March next, at half past ten in the forenoon precisely, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at the Shirehall, Nottingham; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

JOHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 7th day of January, 1857, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, by Joseph Gelsthorpe, of the town and county of the town of Nottingham, Builder, Dealer and Chapman, appointed a public sitting for the allowance of the Certificate under such Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, to be holden on the 24th day of March next, at half past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at the Shirehall, Nottingham; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 23rd day of September, 1856, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Leeds, against John Sloman, of the town of Kingston-upon-Hull, in the county of the same town, Merchant, Commission Agent, and Ship Broker, hath appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be holden on the 1st day of April next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at the Town-hall, Kingston-upon-Hull, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 5th day of December, 1856, against Charlotte Robertson, of the Queen Catherine, No. 4, Brook-street, Rateliff, in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler, did, on the 17th day of February instant allow the said Charlotte Robertson a Certificate of the first class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Richard Stevenson, Esq., one of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, at Liverpool, acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 23rd day of September, 1856, by Isaac James, Hadwen, and James Lamont McGregor, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and of Havannah, in the island of Cuba, Merchants, lately carrying on business in copartnership under the firm of Hadwen, McGregor and Co., did, on the 16th day of February, 1857, allow the said bankrupts, a Certificate of the first class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupts, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

JOHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 4th of December, 1856, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, against Thomas Firmston, of Shrewsbury, in the county of Salop, Builder, did, on the 19th day of February, allow the said Thomas Firmston a Certificate of the third class, and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, at Hanley.

In the Matter of Hannah Cooper, an Insolvent Debtor.

A DIVIDEND of 1s. 9d. in the pound is payable to the creditors of the above insolvent, and may be received at the County Court Office, Albion-street, Shelton, on any day after the 2nd day of March next, between the hours of ten and four o'clock.

EDWARD CHALLINOR, Registrar.

WHEREAS a Petition of Robert Clements, at present and for twelve years and upwards now last past residing and carrying on business at No. 28, Cleveland-square, in the parish of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Earthenware Dealer (the name of James Pearson being over the door of the business premises during about nine years of such period, and up to about February, 1856), during the whole period of twelve years occupying a stand in Cleveland-square-market, in Cleveland-square aforesaid, for the

sale of Earthenware, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the Liverpool District County Court, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Robert Clements, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Robert Clements is hereby required to appear before Joseph Pollock, Esq., Judge of the said Court, on the 3rd day of March next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Liverpool District County Court, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Robert Clements, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. William Statham, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Edward Jones, now and for the last four weeks past residing in lodgings at No. 23, Back Bond-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and previously thereto residing during three years at No. 35, Bevington-street, in Liverpool aforesaid, Bricklayer and Plasterer, and occasionally letting off apartments to lodgers, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the Liverpool District County Court, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Edward Jones, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Edward Jones is hereby required to appear before Joseph Pollock, Esq., Judge of the said Court, on the 3rd day of March next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Liverpool District County Court, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Edward Jones, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. William Statham, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of William Smith, now and for three years last past residing at No. 45, Duke-street, in the township of Everton, in the borough of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Porter, and during the last ten months of that time carrying on business at No. 2, Victoria-street, Everton aforesaid, Porter and Retailer of Coals, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the Liverpool District County Court, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Smith, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Smith is hereby required to appear before Joseph Pollock, Esq., Judge of the said Court, on the 3rd day of March next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the Liverpool District County Court, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said William Smith, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. William Statham, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Robert Reid, now and for three years and six months last past residing and carrying on business as a Beer-house Keeper, at No. 5, Rupert-street, in the parish of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for eighteen months immediately previous thereto residing in lodgings at No. 7, Wilde-street, in Liverpool aforesaid, for the first twelve months of the said period being a Commission Agent, for the two months immediately following managing a Beer-house, and for the four months immediately following carrying on business as a Beer-house Keeper, at No. 73, Lime-street, in Liverpool aforesaid, for twelve months immediately previous thereto residing at No. 24, Crosshall-street, and during the same period carrying on business as a Cordial Manufacturer, in Earle-street, both in Liverpool aforesaid, for three years immediately previous thereto residing in Myrtle-street, Saint Anne-street, both in Liverpool aforesaid, at the same time carrying on business as a Licensed Victualler, at No. 133, Dale-street, in Liverpool aforesaid, for three years immediately previous thereto residing at No. 8, Manchester-street, Assistant to a Licensed Victualler, for six months immediately previous thereto residing in lodgings in Gregson-street, in the township of Everton, near Liverpool aforesaid, out of business, for six months immediately previous thereto residing and carrying on business in copartnership with one William Parsavage, as Licensed Victuallers, at No. 28, Preston-street, in Liverpool aforesaid, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the Liverpool District

County Court and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Robert Reid, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Robert Reid is hereby required to appear before Joseph Pollock, Esq., Judge of the said Court, on the 3rd day of March next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the Liverpool District County Court, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Robert Reid, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. William Statham, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Thomas Russell Smith, now and for twenty-six weeks last past, residing in lodgings at No. 18, Leyland-street, Edge-hill, in the parish of West Derby, in the county of Lancaster, Journeyman Joiner, for sixteen months immediately previous thereto residing in lodgings, in Wood-lane, in Little Woolton, in the parish of Prescott, near Liverpool, in the county aforesaid, for nine months immediately previous thereto, residing at No. 19, Pembroke-place, in Liverpool aforesaid, during the last two mentioned periods carrying on business as a Joiner and Cabinet Maker, at No. 61, Gascoyne-street, in Liverpool aforesaid, and during a portion of the above-mentioned period, namely, from February 1st to July 1st, 1856, occasionally dealing in Watches, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the Liverpool District County Court, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Thomas Russell Smith, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Thomas Russell Smith is hereby required to appear before Joseph Pollock, Esq., Judge of the said Court, on the 3rd of March next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Liverpool District County Court, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Thomas Russell Smith, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. William Statham, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Thomas Oxley, at present and for six months and upwards last past residing at No. 47, High-street, in the city and county of Bristol, and for two years previously thereto residing at Twinnell-road, Upper Easton, in the out-parish of Saint Philip and Jacob, in the city and county of Bristol aforesaid, and at present and for two years and upwards last past carrying on business as a Grocer, Tea Dealer, and Shopkeeper, at No. 47, High-street aforesaid, and from August, 1856, to the present date employed as a Commercial Clerk, 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 Oxley, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Thomas Oxley is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 25th day of March next, at half past ten of the clock in the forenoon, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Thomas Oxley, 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 Edgar Fairburn Marsh, at present and for ten years and upwards last past residing at Chipping Sodbury, in the county of Gloucester, and up to the 8th day of July, 1856, carrying on business there as a Linen Draper and Shopkeeper, and part of the time renting Land there, and at Old Sodbury, in the county of Gloucester aforesaid, and from the said eighth day of July, 1856, to the 1st day of November, 1856, out of business and employment, and from the said 1st day of November, 1856, to the present time, employed as a Commercial Traveller and Commission Agent, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Gloucestershire, at Chipping Sodbury, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Edgar Fairburn Marsh, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Edgar Fairburn Marsh is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 28th day of February instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, for his first examination touch-

ing 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 Edgar Fairburn Marsh, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Harley, Registrar of the said Court, at the Office of Mr. Alfred Cox, Solicitor, Chipping Sodbury, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of George Smith, of Hungerford, in the county of Berks, Fishmonger, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Berkshire, at Hungerford, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said George Smith, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said George Smith is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 10th day of March next, at one of the clock in the afternoon 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 Smith, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Henry Edward Astley, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Hungerford, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Robert Bowman, formerly of Corbridge, in the county of Northumberland, Market Gardener, afterwards residing in Blackett-street, and carrying on the businesses of a Potato, Fruit, and Vegetable Merchant, Grocer and General Provision Dealer, in Gallowgate, both in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and now residing and carrying on the same businesses in Gallowgate aforesaid, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Northumberland, at the Guildhall, Newcastle, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Robert Bowman, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Robert Bowman is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 10th day of March next, at one of the clock in the afternoon 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 Bowman, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Clayton, Registrar of the said Court, at the County Court Office, at Newcastle, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of William Oliver, formerly of No. 18, Gibson-street, in the parish or parochial chapelry of All Saints, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Flour Dealer, and carrying on business as a Miller, at a Steam Mill, situate in Bedford-street, in the said borough and county, and during part of such residence carrying on business as a Flour Dealer, Greengrocer, and Provision Dealer only, and acting as an Assistant to Mr. Robert Brown, of the Close, in the said borough, Miller, afterwards of No. 12, Gibson-street aforesaid, and carrying on business at No. 18, Gibson-street aforesaid, as such Flour Dealer, Greengrocer, and Provision Dealer, and acting as such Assistant as aforesaid, and during part of such last-mentioned residence out of business, and acting as such Assistant as aforesaid, then of No. 28, Gibson-street aforesaid, out of business, and acting as an Assistant to Mr. William Rennoldson, of Walker, in the county of Northumberland, Miller, and now of No. 10, Richmond-street, in the said borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Dealer in Butter, and acting as an Assistant to Mr. John Hopper, of Gateshead, in the county of Durham, Miller, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Northumberland, at the Guildhall, Newcastle, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Oliver, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Oliver is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 10th of March next, at one in the afternoon 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 Oliver, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Clayton, Registrar of the said Court, at the County Court Office, at Newcastle-upon-Tyne, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Thomas Maughan, at present residing at New Mills, Barrack-road, in the borough of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Merchant Tailor and Beerhouse Keeper, previously of Nun-street, in the said borough, Merchant Tailor, and formerly of Grainger-street,

also in the said borough, carrying on business in copartnership with John Nicholls, as Merchant Tailors, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Northumberland, at the Guildhall, Newcastle, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Thomas Maughan, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Thomas Maughan is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 10th of March next, at one o'clock in the afternoon 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 Maughan, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same, but to Mr. John Clayton, Registrar of the said Court, at the County Court Office, at Newcastle, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Frederick Peacey, now and for six months last past residing at Evesham, in the county of Worcester, Grocer, and Tea and Provision Dealer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Worcestershire, at Evesham, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Frederick Peacey, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Frederick Peacey is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 20th day of March next, at two o'clock in the afternoon 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 Frederick Peacey, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Oswald Cheek, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Evesham, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Edwin Robert Haynes, now and for six months last past residing at Evesham, in the county of Worcester, Plumber, Glazier, and Painter, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Worcestershire, at Evesham, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Edwin Robert Haynes, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Edwin Robert Haynes is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 20th day of March next at two of the clock in the afternoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Edwin Robert Haynes, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Oswald Cheek, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Evesham, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Alexander Maxtone Harvey, formerly of No. 9, Spear-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, then of No. 14, Runcorn-street, Hulme, Manchester aforesaid, and at present at No. 13, Fortune-street, Livesey-street, Oldham-road, Manchester aforesaid, during part of the above-mentioned period Book-keeper and Commission Agent, 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 Alexander Maxtone Harvey, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Alexander Maxtone Harvey is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 16th day of March next, at twelve at noon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Alexander Maxtone Harvey, 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.

WHEREAS a Petition of Henry Cuss, at present and for eleven months last past residing at No. 13, Ebenezer-place, Openshaw, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for the space of four months immediately preceding residing at No. 19, Mitchell-street, in Openshaw aforesaid, for the space of fourteen months immediately preceding residing at No. 9, Ebenezer-place, in Openshaw aforesaid, for the space of six months immediately preceding residing in Gorton-lane, in Openshaw aforesaid, Clerk and Timekeeper, and for eight years before the said periods residing in Victoria-street, Swindon, in the county of Wilts, Railway Clerk, and also carrying on business during part of the last-mentioned period as a Grocer and Tea Dealer, at Swindon 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 Henry Cuss, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Henry Cuss is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 16th day of March next, at twelve at noon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Henry Cuss, 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.

WHEREAS a Petition of Edward Webster, of No. 83 Saint Sidwell-street, in the parish of Saint Sidwell, in the county of the city of Exeter, Carver, Gilder, and Picture Dealer, Grocer, and Tea Dealer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Devonshire, at the Castle of Exeter, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Edward Webster, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Edward Webster is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 10th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Edward Webster, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Daw, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at No. 13, Bedford-circus, Exeter, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Matthias Payne, of Bradford-street, Hill-fields, Coventry, Ribbon Weaver, previously of West Orchard, Coventry, Ribbon Weaver, then of Well-street, Coventry, Ribbon Weaver, then of Stoney Stanton-road, Coventry, Ribbon Weaver, then of Gosford-street, Coventry, Ribbon Weaver, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, at Coventry, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Matthias Payne, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Matthias Payne is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 9th day of March next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Matthias Payne, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Thomas Ball Troughton, Registrar of the said Court, at his office at Coventry, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Samuel Stringer, of Saint John's Bridge, Burgess, Coventry, Printer and Bookseller, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, at Coventry, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Samuel Stringer, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Samuel Stringer is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 9th day of March 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 Samuel Stringer, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Thomas Ball Troughton, Registrar of the said Court, at his office at Coventry, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of William Hobley, lodging at the house of William Hobley, of the Seven Stars Inn, Saint John's-street, Coventry, in the county of Warwick, Licensed Victualler, Tailor, previously thereto of the Seven Stars Inn aforesaid, Licensed Victualler and Tailor, and previously thereto of Craven-street Chapel Fields, Coventry aforesaid, Tailor and Draper, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, at Coventry, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Hobley, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Hobley is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 9th day of March next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons in-

debted to the said William Hobley, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Thomas Ball Troughton, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Coventry, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of John Wainwright, of Thorne, in the county of York, Corn Miller, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Yorkshire, at Thorne, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Wainwright, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Wainwright is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 9th day of March next, at one of the clock in the afternoon 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 Wainwright, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. William Johnson Fox, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Thorne, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Joseph Lawrence, of No. 3, East-street, in the town and county of Southampton, previously of No. 7, Lower Saint Mary's-street, in the town and county of Southampton, and before that of No. 12, Upper Saint Mary's-street, in the town and county of Southampton, Cabinet Maker, Upholsterer, Paper Hanger, Undertaker, Broker, and Furniture Dealer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Hampshire, at the Court-house, Castle-square, Southampton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Joseph Lawrence, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Joseph Lawrence is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 7th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Joseph Lawrence, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. A. S. Thorndike, Registrar of the said Court, at the County Court, at Southampton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Robert Liddell, of the Port Mahon Public-house, Saint Clements, in the city of Oxford, Licensed Victualler and Carpenter, and formerly of No. 22, High-street, Saint Clements, in the said city, Carpenter and Furniture Dealer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Oxfordshire, at Oxford, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Robert Liddell, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Robert Liddell is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 12th day of March 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 Liddell, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Crews Dudley, Registrar of the said Court, at his office at Oxford, the Official Assignees of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of John Brockliss, formerly of No. 1, Paradise-square, in the city of Oxford, and carrying on business at the Castle Mill, and at No. 20, New Inn, Hall-street, both in the city of Oxford, as a Miller, Baker, and Mustard Manufacturer, afterwards residing with his son at No. 56, Saint John-street, in the city of Oxford, and occasionally during this time visiting his daughter at Sreatley, in the county of Berks, in no business or employment, and now in lodgings at No. 2, East-street, Osney New Town, in the suburbs of the city of Oxford, in no business or employment, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Oxfordshire, at Oxford, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Brockliss, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Brockliss is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 12th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said John Brockliss, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Crews Dudley, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Oxford, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of John Hortop, of Mary-street, Taunton, in the county of Somerset, Builder, Grocer, and General Dealer, previously of No. 19, High-street, in Taunton aforesaid, Builder, Grocer, Beerseller, and General Dealer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Somersetshire, at Taunton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Hortop, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Hortop is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 10th of March 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 John Hortop, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. William Giles, Registrar of the said Court, at his office at Taunton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Timothy Rutherford, formerly of Port-road, in the parish of St. Mary, Carlisle, Joiner, now of Newtown, in the same parish, Joiner and Innkeeper, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Cumberland, at Carlisle, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Timothy Rutherford, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Timothy Rutherford is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 12th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Timothy Rutherford, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Richard Clegg Sutcliffe, Registrar of the said Court, at his office at Carlisle, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of William Mathew Chaffin, late of Sherborne, Dorset, carrying on business as a Printer and Stationer, and publishing a newspaper called the *Sherborne Recorder*, but now of Milborne Port, in the county of Somerset, Printer and Stationer, and part of the time also keeping a small General Shop, but now only following the occupation of taking Photographic Likenesses, an insolvent debtor, having been in the County Court of Somersetshire, at Wincanton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Mathew Chaffin, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Mathew Chaffin is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 16th day of March next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said William Mathew Chaffin, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or the same but to Mr. John Messiter, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Wincanton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

In the Matter of the Petition of Joseph Thomas Johnson, commonly called Joseph Johnson, at present and for thirteen weeks now last past residing at No. 12, Lower Saint Michael's-hill, in the parish of Saint Michael, in the city and county of Bristol, Tailor, Draper, Undertaker, Dealer in and Manufacturer of Masonic Clothing and Jewels, previously and for two years residing at No. 27, Saint Michael's-hill, in the said parish of Saint Michael, during part of such last-mentioned residence being a Commercial Traveller and Commission Agent, and during the remainder of such last-mentioned residence carrying on business as a Tailor and Draper, an Insolvent Debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Gloucestershire, at Bristol, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 11th day of March next, 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 Abraham Maden, of Bridge-street, Heywood, in Heap, in the county of Lancaster, Barber and Hair Cutter, and formerly of No. 6, Bamford-road, in Heywood aforesaid, Barber and Hair Cutter, and also Provision Dealer and Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Lancashire, at Bury, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 18th day of March 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 John Flanedy, at present and for three years now last past residing at No. 42, Canning-street, Everton, in the borough of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for two months immediately previous thereto residing in lodgings in Field-street, Everton aforesaid, for twelve months immediately previous thereto residing at Richmond, near Dublin, in the county of Dublin, and being a Reporter, for eighteen months immediately previous thereto residing at Lime-rick, in Ireland, Editor of a Newspaper, for nine months immediately previous thereto residing in Great Newton-street, in the borough and county first aforesaid, Reporter, for twelve months immediately preceding thereto residing in Saville-place, in the city of Dublin, Reporter, for twelve months immediately previous thereto residing in Ranelagh-road, in the county of Dublin, Reporter, for ten month immediately previous thereto residing at Black Rock, in the county of Dublin, Reporter, and for eight years and upwards immediately previous thereto residing in Portland-row, in the city of Dublin, at the same time carrying on business in Elephant-lane, in the said city of Dublin, in copartnership with one Michael Stanton, as joint Proprietors of a Newspaper called *The Weekly Register*, an Insolvent Debtor.

NOTICE 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 17th day of March 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 George Clayton, now and for six months last past residing in furnished lodgings at No. 99, Mill-road, in the township of Everton, in the parish of Walton-on-the-Hill, in the county of Lancaster, for nine weeks of such period, namely, from the 24th day of July to the 27th day of September last, carrying on business as a Dealer in Boots and Shoes, at No. 17, Elliot-street, in the parish of Liverpool, in the said county, and during the whole of such period, being a Linen Draper's Assistant, an Insolvent Debtor.

NOTICE 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 17th day of March 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 Josiah Swann, at present and for seven years last past residing at No. 55, Melbourne-street, Hulme, in the county of Lancaster, and up to the 27th day of December, 1856, carrying on the business of Shopkeeper and Provision Dealer, since then an Assistant in the same business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Lancashire, at Manchester, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 16th day of March 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 Richard Fazakerley, at present and for two months last past residing at No. 96, Chester-road, Hulme, in the parish of Manchester, and county palatine of Lancaster, carrying on business as a Retailer of Beer, and following the occupation of Journeyman Wood Carver, for four months previously thereto at No. 2, Church-street, in Hulme aforesaid, in lodgings, following the occupation of Wood Carver, and for two years previously thereto at No. 72, Great Jackson-street, in Hulme aforesaid, and whilst there carrying on business as a Beer Retailer, and also being occasionally employed as a Journeyman Wood Carver.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Lancashire, at Manchester, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 16th day of March 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 William Mc Cormick, formerly of No. 154, York-street, Hulme, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, afterwards of No. 28, Slater-street, Oldham-road, Manchester aforesaid, and now of Lostock-lane, Stretford, in the said county of Lancaster, Traveller, and during part of the aforesaid time, carrying on business in Victoria-street, and Marslen-street, Manchester aforesaid, in copartnership with Matthew Derome and John Wesley Hayes, as Advertising Agents, under the firm of Mc Cormick, Derome, and Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Lancashire, at Manchester, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 16th day of March 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 Peter Macready, at present and for thirteen years last past residing at No. 20, Hart-street, in the city of Manchester, and county palatine of Lancaster, and during all that period following the occupation of Artists' Assistant or Labourer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Lancashire, at Manchester, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 16th day of March 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 Peter Brown, of Little Heath, in the parish of Foleshill, Warwickshire, Watch Escapement Maker, previously thereto of Trafalgar-street, in the city of Coventry, Watch Escapement Maker, then of Red-lane, in the parish of the Holy Trinity, in the said city of Coventry, Watch Escapement Maker, then of Devonshire-street, Gerrard-street, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Watch Maker, and Watch Escapement Maker, and formerly of No. 19, Gerrard-street aforesaid, Watch Maker and Watch Escapement Maker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Warwickshire, at Coventry, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 9th day of March next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, unless cause be then and there shown to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of John Barnwell, of No. 7, Day's-lane, Hill Fields, Coventry, Warwickshire, Ribbon Weaver, previously thereto of the Butcher's Arms Inn, New-buildings, Coventry aforesaid, Licensed Victualler and Ribbon Weaver.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Warwickshire, at Coventry, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 9th day of March 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 George Higgitt, now residing in lodgings at No. 4 House, 16, Court, Little Park-street, Coventry, in the county of Warwick, Baker and Confectioner, before then of Swanswell-street, Coventry aforesaid, Baker, Confectioner, and Shopkeeper, previously thereto of Little Park-street, Coventry aforesaid, Baker, Grocer, and Provision Dealer, and before then of the New-buildings, Coventry aforesaid, Baker and Confectioner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Warwickshire, at Coventry, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 9th day of March 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 Joseph Draper Partings, of the Heath, Foleshill, near Coventry, Butcher and Labourer, formerly of the Little Heath, Foleshill aforesaid, Baker, Flour Dealer, and Shopkeeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Warwickshire, at Coventry, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 9th day of March 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 John Beet, of Church-street, Nuneaton, Warwickshire, Labourer, previously thereto of Abbey-street, Nuneaton aforesaid, Licensed to let Horses and Carriages for Hire, and formerly of the Half Moon Inn, Abbey-street, Nuneaton aforesaid, Licensed Victualler, and also Licensed to let Horses and Carriages for Hire.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Warwickshire, at Nuneaton, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, on the 12th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of William Colclough the elder, formerly of Barker-street, Longton, in the parish of Stoke-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, Grocer and Provision Dealer, and Musician, afterwards for three years and a quarter, of Furnace-road, in Longton aforesaid, Grocer and Provision Dealer, and Musician, and at present and for eight weeks last past residing at No. 5, in Furnace-road aforesaid, with his Son-in-Law, Peter Ward, and out of employment.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Staffordshire, at Stoke-upon-Trent, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 12th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Gilbert Grey, formerly of No. 7, Franklin-street, Shieldfield, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Superintendent of the Corporation Weighhouse, at the Quayside, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, afterwards of No. 29, Carlton-street, Shieldfield aforesaid, acting as such Superintendent as aforesaid, and holding the office of Beadle to the Incorporated Company of Hoastmen of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, afterwards of No. 1, Carlton-street aforesaid, afterwards of No. 20, Carlton-street aforesaid, afterwards of No. 15, Ellison-terrace, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, afterwards of No. 11, Victoria-terrace, Shieldfield aforesaid, afterwards of No. 92, Wesley-street, Shieldfield aforesaid, afterwards of No. 7, Mosley-street, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, occupying part of a house there, taken by his daughter Mary Grey, afterwards of No. 17, Wesley-street aforesaid, then of No. 17, Hewgill-terrace, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, and now of No. 23, York-street, Shieldfield aforesaid, during the whole period of such last-mentioned residences acting as such Superintendent and Beadle as aforesaid.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Northumberland, at Newcastle, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 10th day of March next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Henry Boyle, of the New Market House Inn, situate near the Pig Market, in the parish of Taunton, Saint Mary Magdalene, in the county of Somerset, Beerseller and Gardener, an Insolvent Debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Charles Saunders, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Somersetshire, at Taunton, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 10th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of George Brown, for ten years previous to the commencement of the month of October, 1856, residing in Saint John-street, in the parish of Bridgewater, in the county of Somerset, carrying on the business of a Beerhouse Keeper, and since that time residing in Chilton-super-Polden, in the said county, out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Charles Saunders, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Somersetshire, at Bridgwater, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 6th day of March next, at half past nine in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Joseph Peddle, formerly of Drayton, in the county of Somerset, Gamekeeper, then of Compton Pauncefoot, in the said county, Gamekeeper, then of Somerton, in the said county, Beer-house Keeper, and now of Somerton aforesaid, of no occupation.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Somersetshire, at Langport, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 13th day of March 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 Ziba Bennett, now and from the first day of October, 1851, residing at Bridgewater, in the county of Somerset, and until the 11th day of December now last past carrying on there the trades or businesses of a Butcher and Beer-house Keeper, and since such 11th day of December now last past, up to and inclusive of the day of the date hereof, residing at Bridgewater aforesaid, out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Charles Saunders, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Somersetshire, at Bridgwater, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 6th day of March next, at half past nine o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of James Edwards, at present and for upwards of six months last past of the parish of Tregare, in the county of Monmouth, Butcher, previously of the several parishes of Dingestow and Llansoy, in the said county, out of business, and formerly of the Ship Inn, in the parish of Ragland, in the county of Monmouth aforesaid, Licensed Victualler and Butcher.

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

In the Matter of the Petition of John Spink, of Fornham All Saints, in the county of Suffolk, Carpenter, Grocer, Bread, Flour, Meat, and Coal Seller, an Insolvent Debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Suffolk, at Bury Saint Edmunds, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 14th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Arthur Gibson, late of Wortham, in the county of Suffolk, Dealer in Flour and Pollard, and now of the same place, out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Suffolk, at Eye, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 16th day of March next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Rowland Worner, of Witcombe, in the parish of Martock, in the county of Somerset, late Farmer and Dairyman, but now a Labourer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Somersetshire, at Yeovil, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 14th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Ambrose Alexander, of Ramsbury, in the county of Wilts, Carpenter, Wheelwright, and Blacksmith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that John Billingsley Parry, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Berkshire, at Hungerford, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 10th day of March next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Thomas Chambers, of Rickergate, in the city of Carlisle, Inn Keeper and Sawyer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Theophilus Hastings Ingham, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Cumberland, at Carlisle, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 12th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of John Wartnaby, of Sherard-street, Melton Mowbray, in the county of Leicester, Cabinet Maker and Joiner, his wife Mary there on his behalf conducting an Infant School.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Leicestershire, at Melton Mowbray, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 12th day of March next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

JOHN GEORGE STAPYLTON SMITH, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Lincolnshire, at Market Rasen, authorized to act under a Petition of Insolvency presented by Robert Augustus Lafargue, of Market Rasen, in the county of Lincoln, Clerk, will sit on the 14th day of March next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the County Court-room, Market Rasen, in order to make a Further 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 James Nicol Bulker, in Aberdeen, and carrying on business as a China, Glass, and Stoneware Merchant, under the name or firm of Miss Davidson, China, Glass, and Stoneware Merchant, No. 2, Shiprow, Aberdeen, were sequestrated on the 17th day of February, 1857, by the Sheriff of the county of Aberdeen.

The first deliverance is dated the 17th day of February, 1857.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock P.M., on Monday, the 2nd day of March, 1857, within the Lemon Tree Tavern, Aberdeen.

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 17th day of June, 1857.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt.

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

JOHN DUNCAN, Junr., Agent,
84, King-street, Aberdeen.

THE estates of William Sinclair, Commission Agent, Scotland-street, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on the 18th day of February, 1857, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the 18th day of February, 1857.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at three o'clock afternoon, on Friday the 27th day of February, 1857, within the Albert Hotel, Hanover-street, Edinburgh.

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 18th day of June, 1857.

A Warrant of Protection was granted to the Bankrupt till the meeting for election of Trustee.

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

JNO. M. JUNNER, S.S.C., Agent,
No. 6, North St. David-street, Edinburgh.

THE estates of Robert M'Gavin Robertson, Manufacturer in Dundee, were sequestrated on the 20th day of February, 1857, by the Sheriff of the County of Forfar.

The first deliverance is dated 20th February, 1857.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held on Wednesday, the 4th day of March next, at twelve o'clock noon, within the British Hotel, Dundee.

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 20th day of June, 1857.

The Sheriff has awarded the Bankrupt a Protection 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.

JOHNSTON & SCOTT, Solicitors, Agents.
Dundee, February 20, 1857.

THE estates of Alexander Merchant Edwards, Commission Merchant in Glasgow, sometime a Partner of Edwards, Crooks, and Company, sometime Merchants and Commission Agents in Melbourne, Australia, were sequestrated on the 20th February, 1857, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated 20th February, 1857.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Thursday, the 5th March next, within the Faculty Hall, St. George's-place, 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 20th June next.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt.

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

R. SWORD, Agent, Glasgow.

THE estates of Robert Maitland, Postmaster and Horse Dealer, Rose-street-lane, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on 21st February, 1857, by the Sheriff-Substitute of the county of Edinburgh.

The first deliverance is dated the 21st February, 1857.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at three o'clock afternoon, on Wednesday, the 4th day of March, 1857, within Dowells and Lyon's Rooms, No. 18, George-street, Edinburgh.

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 22nd day of June, 1857.

Personal Protection against Arrest or Imprisonment was granted to the bankrupt, until the meeting for election of Trustee.

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

GEO. C. ADAMS, S.S.C., Agent.
Edinburgh, 51, Prince's-street,
February 21, 1857.

COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

See Notice at the end.

The following PERSONS, who, on their several Petitions filed in the Court, have obtained Interim Orders for protection from process, are required to appear in Court as hereinafter mentioned, at the Court-House, in Portugal-

street, Lincoln's-Inn, as follows, to be examined and dealt with according to the Statute:

On Wednesday the 11th March, 1857, at Eleven o'Clock precisely, before Chief Commissioner Law.

William Sayer, formerly of No. 58, and next and now renting apartments at No. 54, both in Mornington-road, Regent's-park, Middlesex, during the whole time acting as a Solicitor's Clerk, since 7th February, 1857, out of employ.

John Golding, of No. 43, Marchmont-street, Brunswick-square, for five months prior to January, 1857, having also a place of business at No. 19½, Weston-street, Somers Town, both in Middlesex, Tailor and Trimming Seller, and occasionally letting lodgings.

On Wednesday the 11th March, 1857, at Ten o'Clock, before Mr. Commissioner Murphy.

George Martin, formerly of the Leopard Coffee-house, No. 3, Bridge-street, Lambeth, Coffee and Lodging-house Keeper, then of Cheltenham-place, Westminster-road, out of business, then of the York Coffee and Dining Rooms, No. 18, Park-street, Borough, Coffee and Lodging-house Keeper, then of No. 56, Webber-row, Waterloo-road, out of business, then of the same place, all in Surrey, then of Gray's-inn-lane, then of No. 32, Buckingham-street, William-street, Caledonian-road, Islington, then of No. 16, Bidborough-street, Brunswick-square, then and now of No. 3, Chad's-row, Gray's-inn-road, all in Middlesex, Licensed Cab Driver.

Thomas Clark, formerly of No. 29, Roxburgh-terrace, Prince of Wales-road, Haverstock-hill, Middlesex, Travelling Agent for the Safety, East of England, and European Life Assurance Offices, afterwards of No. 19, King's-road, Bedford-row, Holborn, Middlesex, for thirteen months last past Secretary and one of the Committee of the National Insurance Friendly Society, and also for a period of four months of the same time Agent to the National Life Assurance and Loan Company, but now out of employment.

James Bishop, of No. 3, Caroline-place, City-road, and also renting a warehouse No. 13, Bath-buildings, Baldwin-street, City-road, Middlesex, Carpenter, Builder, Horticultural Builder, and Hot Water Apparatus Manufacturer, trading under the names of James Bishop and Co., and Bishop and Co.

Palmer William Porter, of Heathen-street, Kingston-upon-Thames, Surrey, Furniture Broker, Appraiser, and Builder.

Henry Dyke, formerly of No. 13, Princess-road, Bermondsey-wall, Southwark, Surrey, Baker, and now of No. 1, Westmoreland place, City-road, Middlesex, out of business.

John Frank Baker, of No. 18, Richmond-street, Saint George's-road, Southwark, Surrey, previously of No. 11, Upper North-place, Gray's-inn-lane, and of No. 7, Albion-villas, Dalston, both in Middlesex, Clerk in the service of the St. Katharine's Dock Company.

William Harrison the elder, formerly of Upper Mitcham-green, then of Whitford-lane, Upper Mitcham, Surrey, Bread and Biscuit Baker, Pastry Cook, and Confectioner, also during part of the time a Grocer, and now of the last-named place, out of business.

On Thursday the 12th March, 1857, at Eleven o'Clock, before Mr. Commissioner Phillips.

Thomas George Cooper, formerly of No. 11, Britannia-row, afterwards of No. 4, Pleasant-place, both in Lower-road, Journeyman Dyer and Silk Dresser, his wife a Fringe Dresser, afterwards of No. 2, Southgate-place, Southgate-road, all in Islington, afterwards of No. 82, Nicholas-street, New North-road, Hoxton, afterwards and now of No. 29, Mansfield-street, Kingsland-road, all in Middlesex, Silk Dresser, Dyer, Scourer, and Shawl Cleaner.

John Thomas, of No. 18½, Charles-square, Hoxton, Middlesex, Tailor and Journeyman Tailor, letting lodgings.

Nathaniel Price, formerly of No. 5, Hungerford-street, Strand, Middlesex, Linen Draper, occupying a stall in the Bazaar, Hungerford Market, Middlesex, as a Linen Draper and Fancy Stationer, then of No. 50, York-road, Lambeth, Surrey, out of business, then of Cheshunt, Hertfordshire, then of No. 25, Villiers-street, Strand, aforesaid, and now of No. 1, Philip-terrace, Philip-lane, Tottenham, Middlesex, Surveyor to an Insurance Company, during the time whilst residing at the last-named place letting lodgings.

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

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

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

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

COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

Saturday the 21st day of February, 1857.

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

James Young, late of No. 11, Albion-place, Walworth-road, Surrey, out of business, Insolvent, No. 66,396, T.; Thomas Cloake, Assignee.

Edward Thomas, late of No. 20, Ebury-street, Pimlico, Middlesex, Plumber, Insolvent, No. 66,507, T.; Edward Lacey Price, Assignee.

James Newell, late of Lofthouse, Rothwell, Yorkshire, Cordwainer and Shopkeeper. Insolvent, No. 66,580 T.; John Hirst, Assignee.

Adam Domoney, late of Irverne Minster, Dorsetshire, Builder, Insolvent, No. 83,144 C.; William Baker Green, Assignee.

COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

Saturday the 21st day of February, 1857.

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

On their own Petitions.

John McLean, late of No. 135, Fetter-lane, Fleet, London, Tailor and Beadle of the Ward of Farringdon Without.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

Alexander Gordon John Bishop, late of No. 59, Cambridge-street, Hyde Park, Middlesex, Clerk in Holy Orders.—In the Queen's Prison.

Lawrence Torpey, late of No. 14, Essex-street, Duncanter-terrace, Islington, Middlesex, Commercial Traveller.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

Marx Rothschild, late of No. 4, Duke-street, Aldgate, London, Dealer in Fancy Goods.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

William Horrex Stevens, late of Nos. 84 and 85, Snow's-fields, King-street, Southwark, Surrey, Oil and Colourman.—In the Gaol of Surrey.

Benjamin Household, late of No. 3, Albert-terrace, Woodington, Kentish Town, Middlesex, Builder.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

Charles Massey Darby, late of No. 3, Caroline-street, Bedford-square, Middlesex, out of business.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

Jonathan Jerreat, late of No. 28, Little Alie-street, Goodman's-fields, Whitechapel, Middlesex, Carpenter and Builder.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

James Tozer, late of No. 14, Southerland-terrace, Caledonian-road, Middlesex, out of business.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

Henry Banks, late of No. 72, Bethnal Green-road, Bethnal Green, Middlesex, Carpenter and Builder.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

Robert Jacob Hamerton, late of No. 34, Cambridge-place, Cambridge-terrace, Edgware-road, Middlesex, Artist in Painting, and Lithographer.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

Günther Von Büna, late of the German Hotel, Nos. 1 and 2, Leicester-street, Leicester-square, late a Lieutenant in the British German Legion.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.

- George Drapper, late of No. 82, New Church-street, Bermondsey, Surrey, Licensed Victualler.—In the Queen's Prison.
- Charles Samuel Tozer, late of No. 48, Essex-street, Strand, Middlesex, Tobaccoist.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
- Jebez Richard Quinton, late of No. 15, Kensington Park-terrace, Notting-hill, Middlesex, Surgeon Dentist.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
- Job Swain, late of No. 379, Oxford-street, Middlesex, Confectioner.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
- Alfred Louis Edan, late of No. 61, Hatton Garden, Middlesex, Confectioner.—In the Queen's Prison.
- Thomas Piers Healey, late of No. 27, Tottenham-place, Tottenham-court-road, Middlesex, Barrister-at-Law.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.
- Daniel Sevier, late of Chew Magna, near Bristol, Somersetshire, Corn Dealer and Farmer.—In the Gaol of Taunton.
- John Clark, late of No. 21, Monmouth-street, Bath, Somersetshire, Grocer and Bacon Merchant.—In the Gaol of Taunton.
- Abraham Coleman, late of Castle Meadow, Norwich, Surgeon Dentist.—In the Gaol of Norwich.
- Joseph Dodd Fulford, late of the city of Chester, Glass and Smallware Dealer.—In the Gaol of Chester.
- Charles Bentinck, late of No. 33, Western-street, Brighton, Sussex, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lewes.
- Susannah Price, late of Enderby, Leicestershire, Cap-Makers' Assistant.—In the Gaol of Leicester.
- William Brenner, late of No. 10, Nile-street, Sunderland, Durham, out of business.—In the Gaol of Durham.
- John Place, late of Saint Anthony's, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, out of business.—In the Gaol of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.
- William Creasey, Woodhouse, late of Spalding, Lincolnshire, Baker and Confectioner.—In the Gaol of Lincoln.
- John Nelson, late of No. 4, Saint Mark-street, Woodhouse-lane, Leeds, Yorkshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of York.
- John Llewellyn, late of Penmain, Mynyddiwydd, Monmouthshire, Haulier and Small Farmer.—In the Gaol of Monmouth.
- Robert Whitaker, late of the Fox and Lamb Public-house, Pilgrim-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, out of business.—In the Gaol of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.
- James Parsons, late of No. 17, Corridor, Bath, Draper's Assistant.—In the Gaol of Taunton.
- William Hands, late of the Golden Lion Inn, Regent-street, Leamington, Warwickshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Warwick.
- David Parkin, late of High Town, Leeds, Yorkshire, Commission Agent.—In the Gaol of York.
- Henry William Lamb, late of the Rose Hotel, Canterbury, Kent, one of the Officers of the Court for Relief of Insolvent Debtors in England.—In the Gaol of Canterbury.
- Charles Dendy, late of Gilwern Llanelly, Breconshire, Tailor.—In the Gaol of Brecon.
- Robert Lloyd, late of Anderson-street, Oldfield-road, Salford, Lancashire, Butcher and Cattle Jobber.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- John Weetman, late of 63, Jackson-street, Hulme, Manchester, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- Henry Cohen, late of No. 21, Leander-street, Liverpool, Lancashire, Jeweller and Watchmaker.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- Solomon Levin, late of No. 33, Great Orford-street, Liverpool, Lancashire, Jeweller and Watchmaker. In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- William Hartley, late of Warren-lane, Church, near Acreington, Lancashire, Beerseller and Stonemason.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- Joseph Nightingale, late of Lancashire-hill, Heaton Norris, near Manchester, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- John Roberts, late of No. 7, High-street, Rhyl, Flintshire, Boot and Shoe Maker.—In the Gaol of Flint.
- James Hall, late of Higher York-street, Chorlton-upon-Medlock, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Manchester.
- Joseph Walker, late of Dalton-street, Manchester, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Manchester.
- Peter Moran, late of Hunter's-lane, Handsworth, Staffordshire, Shoemaker.—In the Gaol of Warwick.
- Henry Bent, late of No. 20, Ann-street, Birmingham, Warwickshire, Commission Agent.—In the Gaol of Warwick.
- James Gower, late of the Castle Tavern, Butchery-lane, Canterbury, Kent, Licensed Victualler and Journeyman Carpenter.—In the Gaol of Canterbury.
- Simon Humphry, late of No. 8, Bridge-street, Cardiff, Glamorganshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Taunton.
- Robert Holden, late of Hermitage, Hampstead Norris, Berkshire, Gentleman.—In the Gaol of Reading.
- Philip Nicholls, late of the Druid Inn, Goginan, Leabardnaw, Cardiganshire, Innkeeper.—In the Gaol of Cardigan.
- Edward Joseph Ablitt, late of the Bell Tavern, High-street, Canterbury, out of business.—In the Gaol of Canterbury.
- George Frederick Hawkins, late of the Freemasons' Tavern, St. Margaret's-street, Canterbury, Kent, Commission and General Agent.—In the Gaol of Canterbury.
- John Ballard the elder, late of No. 29, Tontine-street, Folkestone, Kent, out of business.—In the Gaol of Canterbury.
- William Jeffs, late of No. 87, Percival-street, Manchester, Lancashire, Patentee and Manufacturer of Letters and Figures.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- Daniel Sutcliffe, late of Bent-street, Blackburn, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- John Aukett, late of No. 179, Edward-street, Brighton, Sussex, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lewes.
- John Bradley, late of Obbridge, Taunton, Somersetshire, in no way of business.—In the Gaol of Taunton.
- John Rhodes, late of Holgate-lane, Yorkshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of York.
- William Tilly, late of Tarrant-street, Arundel, Sussex, Saddler and Harness Maker.—In the Gaol of Lewes.
- Frederick William Davies, late of Caroline-street, Cardiff, Glamorganshire, Journeyman Blacksmith.—In the Gaol of Taunton.
- Thomas Clifford, late of Stow-on-the-Wold, Gloucestershire, Corn Dealer.—In the Gaol of Bristol.
- James Turner, late of Bollington, near Macclesfield, Chester, in no business.—In the Gaol of Chester.
- William Williams, late of the city of Chester, Basket Maker.—In the Gaol of Chester.
- Charles Sutherland, late of Sale Moor, Chester, Journeyman Joiner.—In the Gaol of Chester.
- Thomas Burgess, late of Hurdfield, near Macclesfield, Chester, Wheelwright.—In the Gaol of Chester.
- William Goodwin, late of No. 86, Mott-street, Birmingham, Warwickshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Warwick.
- Charles Partridge, late of Strand-street, Liverpool, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- Kitty Smith, late of the Station Hotel, Warrington-street, Ashton-under-Lyne, Lancashire, Licensed Victualler.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- William Kelly, late of River-street, Hulme, Manchester, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.
- Robert Churchyard, late of Thorndon, Suffolk, Carpenter and Beer-house Keeper.—In the Gaol of Ipswich.
- Henry Barrett, late of Barker End-road, Bradford, Yorkshire, Painter and Gilder.—In the Gaol of York.
- Richard Walker, late of New Wortley, near Leeds, Yorkshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of York.
- James Nichols, late of Duloe, Cornwall, Cordwainer and Innkeeper.—In the Gaol of Bodmin.

COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

See Notice at the end.

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

On Tuesday the 10th March, 1857, at Ten o'Clock precisely, before Mr. Commissioner Murphy.

William Mahon Maxwell, formerly of No. 8, Dynevor-place, Swansea, South Wales, Colliery Proprietor, afterwards of Kennerton Priory, Gloucestershire, out of business, then of Huntly-lodge, Aberdeen-place, Maidahill, out of business, then of No. 22, Dalby-terrace, City-road, Clerkenwell, all in Middlesex, out of business, then of No. 31, Trinity-square, Southwark, and late of No. 1, Minerva-terrace, Brixton-road, Brixton, both in Surrey, out of business.

Charles Searle, formerly and afterwards of No. 1, Heath-street (near the Broadway), and late of North-street, both in Barking, Essex, Grocer, Tea Dealer, Cheesemonger, and General-shop Keeper.

On Wednesday the 11th March, 1857, at Eleven o'Clock, before Chief Commissioner Law.

John Sabin, formerly of No. 88, Dudley-street, Bloomsbury, Bird and Canine Dealer, and also a Dealer in Coals, Coke, and Wood, then of No. 35, Great Saint Andrew-street, Seven Dials, Bird and Canine Dealer, then of Little Stanmore, Edgware, Bird and Canine Dealer, and during part of the time, whilst residing there, also carrying on the business of a Dealer in Coals, Coke, and Wood, at No. 88, Dudley-street, Bloomsbury, and also renting a field, at Edgware, during the time whilst residing at the before-mentioned places, renting several unfurnished houses, then, and now of No. 35, Great Saint Andrew-street, Seven Dials, all in Middlesex, out of business or employ.

Alexander Gordon John Bishop (sued and committed as Alexander G. J. Bishop), formerly of the Queen's Prison, Surrey, afterwards of No. 6, Tonbridge-place, New-road, then of No. 31, Lisle-street, Leicester-square, both in Middlesex, afterwards of No. 24, Brook-street, Kennington-road, Surrey, occasionally staying at the Cross Keys Hotel, St. Alban's, Herts, afterwards of No. 2, Verulam-buildings, Gray's-inn, then of No. 27, Gloucester-place, Hyde-park, afterwards of No. 30, Aldenham-terrace, Old Saint Pancras-road, then of No. 10, Gray's-inn-place, Holborn, and of No. 6, Foundling-terrace, Gray's-inn-road, afterwards of No. 59, Cambridge-street, Hyde-park, all in Middlesex, and while at such last residence, occasionally staying at the King and Queen Hotel, Brighton, Sussex, and the Quebec Hotel, Portsmouth, Hants, afterwards of the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex, London, and late of No. 5, Weymouth-terrace, New Kent-road, Surrey, Clerk, in no employ.

TAKE NOTICE.

1. If any Creditor intends to oppose a Prisoner's discharge, notice of such intention must be given, by entry thereof in the proper page and columns of the book kept for that purpose at the Office of the Court, between the hours of Eleven in the Forenoon and Three in the Afternoon, two clear days before the day of hearing above mentioned, exclusive of Sunday, and exclusive both of the day of entering such notice and of the said day of hearing; but in the case of a Prisoner, for the removal of whom for hearing in the country an order has been obtained, but not carried into effect by the Creditors, notice of opposition will be sufficient if given one clear day before the day of hearing.

N.B. Entrance to the Office in Portugal-street.

2. The petition and schedule, and all books, papers, and writings filed therewith, will be produced by the proper Officer for inspection and examination until the last day for entering opposition inclusive; and copies of the petition and schedule, or such part thereof as shall be required, will be provided by the proper Officer, according to the Act 1 and 2 Vict. c. 110, sec. 105.

3. Notice to produce at the hearing any books or papers filed with the schedule must be given to the Officer having the custody thereof, within the hours above mentioned, on any day previous to the day of hearing.

4. Opposition at the hearing can only be made by the Creditor in person, or by Counsel appearing for him.

COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

See Notice at the End.

The following PRISONERS, whose Estates and Effects have been vested in the Provisional Assignee by Order of the Court for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, and whose Petitions and Schedules, duly filed, have been severally re-

ferred 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 Breconshire, holden at Brecon, on Tuesday the 10th day of March, 1857.

Charles Dendy, late of Gilwern, in the parish of Llanelly, in the county of Brecon, Tailor and Dealer in Articles of Wearing Apparel, and previously of Clydach Iron Works, in the parish of Llanelly aforesaid, Tailor and Dealer in Articles of Wearing Apparel.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Flintshire, holden at Mold, on Tuesday the 10th day of March, 1857, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon.

David Williams, late of No. 27, High-street, in the town of Rhyl, in the county of Flint, Butcher, previously of Lark-lane, Aigburth, near Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, in lodgings, Butcher, before then of the village of Ramson, in the county of Onida, in the State of New York, in the United States of America, Butcher, and formerly of Pen Parc Llwyd, in the parish of Llanefydd, in the county of Denbigh, at the same time occupying and partially residing at the New Inn, High-street, in the town of Rhyl aforesaid, Farmer and Licensed Victualler, Innkeeper and Publican, and previously of Greenfield, near Trefnant (and not Trepant, as advertised in last Friday's Gazette), in the parish of Henllan, in the county of Denbigh, Farmer.

John Roberts, late and for the last seven years prior to his arrest and commitment of No. 7, High-street, in the town of Rhyl, in the county of Flint, Boot and Shoe Maker.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Taunton, on Tuesday the 10th day of March, 1857, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon precisely.

Frederick William Davis, from the month of November, 1845, to the 22nd day of September, 1856, residing at Highbridge, in the parish of Burnham, in the county of Somerset, carrying on the trade or business of a Blacksmith, and also during part of that period carrying on the business of a Beer-house Keeper, at a house at Highbridge aforesaid, known by the sign of the Globe Inn, and since such 22nd day of September, 1856, residing at Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, working as a Journeyman Blacksmith, and also carrying on business as a Beer-house Keeper, at a house known by the sign of the Bristol Arms Inn, in Caroline-street, Cardiff aforesaid.

Simon Humphry, from the 1st day of March, 1848, until the 16th day of January, 1857, residing in the parish of Puriton, in the county of Somerset, carrying on business as a Beer-house Keeper, at a house known by the sign of the Exchange, and during part of that time also working as a Policeman and Ganger, in the employ of the Bristol and Exeter Railway Company, and during other part of such time, carrying on business as a Haulier, and since such 16th day of January, 1857, residing in lodgings at No. 7, Bridge-street, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorganshire, out of business.

John Clark, late of No. 12, Monmouth-street, Bath, Somerset, Grocer, Bacon Merchant, and Tea Dealer, previously of Cirencester, Gloucestershire, Mail Contractor, and formerly of Cricklade, Wilts, Mail Contractor, residing in furnished lodgings there.

James Parsons, late of No. 17, Corridor, in the city of Bath, Somerset, previously of No. 9, Union-passage, Bath aforesaid, previously of No. 8, Union-passage aforesaid, he acting as a Draper's Assistant, and his wife carrying on her business as a Milliner during all such residences.

Daniel Sevier, late of Chew Magna, Somerset, in no way of business, previously a Prisoner for Debt in Whitecross-street Prison, London, previously of Chew Magna aforesaid, Farmer, Baker, and Corn Dealer, previously of Chew Magna aforesaid, Miller, Baker, and Farmer, previously of Chew Magna aforesaid, Baker and Farmer, and formerly of Chew Magna aforesaid, Miller and Baker.

John Bradley, late of Obridge, in the parish of Taunton Saint James, in the county of Somerset, in no way of business, residing in furnished lodgings there, previously of the Devon County Prison, at Exeter, previously of Pitt Farm, in the parish of Sampford Peverell, in the county of Devon, Farmer.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Northumberland, holden at the Guildhall, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 10th day of March, 1857, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon precisely.

James Brown, late of No. 19, Simpson-street, Sandford-lane, formerly of No. 4, Picton-place, New Bridge-street, carrying on business formerly on his own account, and latterly as Agent in the Broad Chare, Quayside, all in Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Cooper and Broker in Coal and other Merchandise.

John Place, late of St. Anthony's, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, out of business, previously of Byker High Pit Farm, near Byker, in the said borough, Farmer and Builder, previously of St. Anthony's aforesaid, Builder, and formerly of Walker, in the parish of Long Benton, in the county of Northumberland, Builder.

Robert Whitaker (sued by the name of Robert Whittaker), formerly of Shaw-lane-end, near Rochdale, Woollen Manufacturer and Commercial Traveller, and afterwards of Middlewood, near Rochdale, Farmer, Commercial Traveller, and Woollen Manufacturer, both in the county of Lancaster, and lately residing at furnished lodgings, in the Fox and Lamb Public-house, Pilgrim-street, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, out of business.

Robert Guy, formerly of Forrest-hall, near Long Benton, Farmer, afterwards of West Belsay, both in the county of Northumberland, Farmer, afterwards of Percy-court, Percy-street, out of business, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, afterwards of Harnham New-building, in the county of Northumberland, Labourer, afterwards of Percy-place, Percy-street, out of business, afterwards of Leazes-lane, Cowkeeper, afterwards of Percy-street, Poulterer, Cowkeeper, Cartowner, Labourer, and Dealer in Butter, Eggs, and Rabbits, afterwards of Hill-street, Cowkeeper and Labourer, and late residing at Spring-street, Cowkeeper, Dealer in Butter and Eggs, and Labourer, all in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at the Guildhall, in the City and County of Bristol, on the 11th day of March, 1857, at half-past Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon precisely.

Alfred James Chadwick (commonly called Alfred Chadwick), lately residing in lodgings at the Duke of York Public House, Baptist Mills, in the district of the united parishes of St. James and St. Paul, in no business or employment, previously residing at Prospect Cottage, Montpellier, during part of the last-mentioned residence, being out of business and employment, and during the remainder of such last-mentioned residence, carrying on business at No. 22, Union-street, in the parish of St. Peter, as a Manufacturer of, and Dealer in, Hats and Caps, Dealer in Hat Cases, Umbrellas, Brushes, Silk, Plush, and Hatters' Trimmings, previously residing at No. 22, Union-street aforesaid, and carrying on business there as a Manufacturer of, and Dealer in, Hats and Caps, Dealer in Hat Cases, Umbrellas, Brushes, Silk, Plush, and Hatters' Trimmings, formerly of Frogmore-street, in the parish of St. Augustine, Journeyman Hatter, all the above-mentioned places of residence and business, being in the city and county of Bristol.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Kent, holden at Canterbury, on Wednesday the 11th day of March, 1857, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon precisely.

Henry William Lamb, sued, committed, and detained as H. W. Lamb, formerly of Great Queen-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields, Middlesex, then of Harleyford-place, then of York-place, both near Kennington-common, Surrey, then of Fitzroy-square, then of Bloomsbury-square, then again of Fitzroy-square, then of Alsop-terrace, New-road, then of Burton-crescent, then of Foley-place, then of Upper Norton-street, Portland-place, then again of Foley-place, then of York-street, Portman-square, then of Weymouth-street, Portland-place, then of Upper Charlotte-street, Fitzroy-square, then of Charlotte-street, Portland-place, all in Middlesex, one of the Officers of the Court for relief of Insolvent Debtors in England, then of Upper Albany-street, Regent's-park, Middlesex, one of the Officers as aforesaid, and at the same time a Director of the General Indemnity Insurance Company, which Company had offices first in Cannon-street West, and then in Chatham-place, Blackfriars, both in the City

of London, and also a member and Chairman of the Committee of the Investment and Mutual Loan Fund Association, in Duke-street, Adelphi, Middlesex, and then and late of the Rose Hotel, High-street, Canterbury, in the county of Kent, one of the Officers, Director, and member as aforesaid.

James Gower, formerly of Frant-road, Tunbridge Wells, in the county of Sussex, Carpenter and Builder, Timber Dealer, and Contractor, and during part of the period (for about a year), in copartnership with Ambrose Beale, and with him carrying on business at Frant, Sussex, as Carpenters and Builders, Timber Dealers and Contractors, under the style or form of Beale and Gower, then of Hythe, in the county of Kent, carrying on business at the Rose and Crown Tavern, as a Licensed Victualler, and Journeyman Carpenter and Timber Dealer, then lodging at the Grapes Tavern, in the Borough-market, in the county of Surrey, and still carrying on business at Hythe, as aforesaid, then a Prisoner for Debt in the Jail of St. Augustine, in the county of Kent, and at the same time carrying on business at Hythe, as aforesaid, and late of the Rose and Crown, Hythe, and of the Castle Tavern, Butchery-lane, Canterbury, Kent, carrying on business at Hythe, as aforesaid.

George Frederick Hawkins (sometimes known as George Hawkins), formerly of No. 5, Merioneth-terrace, Church-road, Kingsland, then of No. 14, Matson-terrace, Kingsland, Middlesex, and No. 4, Old Jewry, London, Auctioneer, Appraiser, Commission and General Agent, Secretary of the Kingsland, Dalston, and De Beauvoir Town Building Society, of Southgate-road, Kingsland, Middlesex, and one of the Managers of the Licensed Victuallers and General Permanent Benefit Building Society, of Old Jewry, London, then of No. 25, King-street, Islington, and 14, Matson-terrace aforesaid, Retailer of Beer and Tobacco, and carrying on business as aforesaid, and Secretary and Manager as aforesaid, then of No. 1, Canonbury-street, Islington, Auctioneer, Appraiser, Accountant, Commission and General Agent, and Secretary and Manager as aforesaid, then of No. 3, Middle-lane, Crouch End, Hornsey, all in Middlesex, and of No. 17, Cornhill, London, then of No. 3, Middle-lane aforesaid, and 80, King William-street, London, Appraiser, Accountant, Commission and General Agent and Bill Discounter, Manager as aforesaid, and Secretary to the Emigrants' Aid and Transit Society, then of No. 4, Rosoman-buildings, Islington, Middlesex, and No. 12, Clements-lane, Lombard-street, London, Appraiser, Accountant, Commission and General Agent and Bill Discounter, then of No. 9½, Prebend-street, Islington, Middlesex, and of No. 22, New Bridge-street, Blackfriars, London, then of No. 9½, Prebend-street aforesaid, and No. 4, King-street, Cheapside, London, Accountant, Commission and General Agent and Bill Discounter, and Secretary to the Six Counties Freehold Land Society, and Manager as aforesaid; then of No. 9½, Prebend-street aforesaid, Wood-green, Tottenham, Middlesex, and No. 25, Farringdon-street, London, and in business, and occupied as last aforesaid, then of No. 18, Brunswick-road, Holloway, Middlesex, and No. 11, Staples-lane, Holborn, then of No. 4, Northampton-terrace, Islington, and Wood-green, Tottenham, Builder, Accountant, Commission and General Agent, then of No. 2, High-street, Kingsland, Middlesex, and No. 8, New Bridge-street, London; then of No. 31, Mildmay-street, Balls-pool-road, Islington, Middlesex, then and late of the same place, and of the Freemason's Tavern, Saint Margaret's-street, Canterbury, Kent, Commission and General Agent, Accountant, and Manager as aforesaid.

John Ballard the elder, formerly of the Druids Arms, Blue Town, Sheerness, in the Isle of Sheppy, in the county of Kent, Licensed Victualler, and then and late of No. 29, Tontine-street, Folkestone, in the said county of Kent, out of business and employment.

Edward Joseph Abitt, formerly of Friar-street, Sudbury, in the county of Suffolk, Tea Dealer, Grocer, and Tobaccoist, then for six months residing at Old Market-place, Sudbury aforesaid, Selling on Commission, then of King-street, Dover, Kent, Shopman to a Hatter and Clothier, lodging during part of the time at No. 3, St. Margaret's-place, St. James's-street, Dover, Kent, then of Last-lane, Dover, in the county of Kent, Shopman to a Hatter and Clothier, and then and late of the Bell Tavern, High-street, in the city of Canterbury, out of business and employment.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Suffolk, holden at the Shirehall, in Ipswich, on the 12th day of March, 1857, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon precisely.

Alexander Rabbinnourtz (sued as A. Rabbinnourtz), formerly of George-street, Great Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, Travelling Hawker, afterwards of the London-road,

Lowestoft, in the county of Suffolk, Tobacconist, Dealer in Tea and Fancy Goods, afterwards of No. 1, Arnell-street. Lowestoft aforesaid, not following any business or employment, and late of No. 1, Arnell-street, Lowestoft aforesaid, Ship and Commission Agent's Clerk.

Charles Eliiston Wilson, formerly of No. 5, Albany-street, Regent's-park, Middlesex, Bookseller, Stationer, Law Writer, and Lodging-house Keeper, then lodging at No. 95, Albany-street, Regent's-park aforesaid, Law Writer at No. 14, Castle-street, Holborn, in the city of London, then lodging at No. 95, Albany-street, Regent's-park aforesaid, Law Writer at No. 14, Castle-street, Holborn aforesaid, and carrying on the business of a Tobacconist at No. 1, New Church-street West, Marylebone, Middlesex, then of No. 95, Albany-street, Regent's-park aforesaid, Clerk to a Funeral Company and Law Writer at No. 14, Castle-street aforesaid, and late of Ipswich, in the county of Suffolk, not following any business or employment.

Robert Churchyard, late of Thorndon, in the county of Suffolk, Carpenter and Beer-house Keeper, previously of the same place and occupations, and formerly of the same place and occupations.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at the Townhall, in Kingston-upon-Hull, on Friday the 13th day of March, 1857.

Matthew Curtis, formerly of Patrington, in Holderness, in the county of York, Boot and Shoe Maker, then of Patrington aforesaid, Boot and Shoe Maker, and late of Patrington aforesaid, Boot and Shoe Maker.

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

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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.

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A Dividend of one shilling and three pence in the pound is now payable to the creditors of George Maunder, late of Uplowman, Devonshire, out of business, No. 70,073 C.

Of four shillings and seven pence in the pound to the creditors of John Oldeorn, late of Cooklands, near Kendal, Westmorland, Farmer, No. 80,665 C.

Of four shillings, making eight shillings in the pound to the creditors of Mary Sophia Pointon, late of No. 2, Wilson-street, Deptford, Kent, Widow, No. 3753 P.

Of seven pence three farthings, making one shilling and three farthings in the pound to the creditors of John Maskell, late of No. 7, Aston-place, Holloway-road, Middlesex, Attorney and Clerk Sitter of the Sheriffs Court, London, out of business, No. 51,629 T.

Of two shillings and nine pence, making twenty shillings in the pound to the creditors of James Murray, late of No. 5, Park-place-cottages, Peckham, Surrey, Lieutenant in the Royal Navy on half-pay, No. 36,329 T.

Of one shilling and seven pence in the pound to the creditors of Edmund Groon, of No. 43, Whitcomb-street, Leicester-square, Middlesex, Grocer, No. 6,132 P.

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Of one penny farthing in the pound to the creditors of James Miller, late of Englefield-green, in the county of Surrey, Attorney and Solicitor, No. 25,700 T.

Of four shillings and two pence farthing, making seventeen shillings and ten pence farthing, in the pound to the creditors of John Poad, late of No. 3, Friars walk, Holy Trinity, city of Exeter, Purser in Her Majesty's Royal Navy, No. 53,831 C.

Of three shillings and five pence farthing in the pound to the creditors of Joseph Johnson, late of No. 4, Dock-street, Leman-street, Whitechapel, Middlesex, Wholesale Clothier and Slop Seller, No. 66,077 T.

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