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FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 1857.

AT the Council-Chamber, *Whitehall*, the 14th day of *April*, 1857.

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

IT is this day ordered by their Lordships, that His Grace the Archbishop of Canterbury do prepare a Form of Prayer and Thanksgiving to Almighty God for Her Majesty's safe delivery of a Princess; and that such Form of Prayer and Thanksgiving be used in all churches and chapels in England and Wales, and in the town of Berwick-upon-Tweed, upon Sunday the nineteenth day of this instant April, or the Sunday after the respective Ministers of such churches and chapels shall receive the same :

And it is hereby further ordered, that Her Majesty's Printer do forthwith print a competent number of copies of the said Form of Prayer and Thanksgiving, that the same may be forthwith sent round and read in the several churches and chapels in England and Wales, and in the town of Berwick-upon-Tweed.

C. C. Greville.

AT the Council-Chamber, *Whitehall*, the 14th day of *April*, 1857.

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

IT is this day ordered by their Lordships, that every Minister and Preacher, as well of the Established Church in that part of Great Britain called Scotland as those of the Episcopal Communion protected and allowed by an Act, passed in the tenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Anne, intituled "An Act to prevent the disturbing those of the Episcopal Communion in that part of Great Britain called Scotland, in the exercise of their religious worship, and in the use of the

"Liturgy of the Church of England; and for repealing the Act, passed in the Parliament of Scotland, intituled 'An Act against irregular Baptisms and Marriages,'" do, at some time during the exercise of Divine Service in their churches, congregations, or assemblies, on Sunday the nineteenth day of this instant April, or on the Sunday after the Ministers or Preachers of such churches, congregations, or assemblies, respectively, shall be enabled so to do, put up Prayers and Thanksgiving to Almighty God for Her Majesty's safe delivery of a Princess.

C. C. Greville.

Whitehall, April 14, 1857.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, unto Charles Locock, of Speldhurst, in the county of Kent, and of Hertford-street, Mayfair, in the county of Middlesex, Doctor of Medicine, and First Physician Accoucheur to Her Majesty, and to the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

Whitehall, April 15, 1857.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Major Charles Nasmyth Her Majesty's royal licence and permission that he may accept and wear the Imperial Order of the Medjidie of the Fourth Class, which the Sultan hath been pleased to confer upon him as a mark of His Imperial Majesty's approbation of his distinguished services in the defence of Silistria, and during the campaign on the Danube, in the year 1854.

War-Office, April 17, 1857.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Colonel Alexander Murray Tulloch, Unattached, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Crown-Office, April 15, 1857.

These are the names of the sixteen Peers elected and chosen to sit and vote in the House of Peers in the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, summoned to be holden at Westminster, the 30th day of April instant:—

The Marquis of Tweeddale.
The Earl of Morton.
The Earl of Home.
The Earl of Strathmore.
The Earl of Airlie.
The Earl of Leven and Melville.
The Earl of Selkirk.
The Earl of Orkney.
The Earl of Seafield.
The Viscount Strathallan.
The Lord Gray.
The Lord Sinclair.
The Lord Elphinstone.
The Lord Colville of Culross.
The Lord Blantyre.
The Lord Polwarth.

Crown-Office, April 15, 1857.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the PARLIAMENT summoned to be holden at Westminster, the 30th day of April, 1857.

County of Cornwall.

Eastern Division.

Thomas James Agar Roberts, of Lanhydrock, Cornwall, Esq.
Nicholas Kendall, of Pelyn, Cornwall, Esq.

Western Division.

Michael Williams, of Trevince, Cornwall, Esq.
Richard Davey, of Bochim, Cornwall, Esq.

County of Devon.

Southern Division.

Sir John Buller Yarde Buller, Bart.
Lawrence Palk, of Haldon, Devonshire, Esq.

Northern Division.

James Wentworth Buller, of Downes, Devonshire, Esq.
The Honourable Charles Henry Rolle Trefusis, of Heanton Satchville, Devonshire.

Borough of Chepping Wycombe.

Sir George Henry Dashwood, Bart.
Martin Tucker Smith, Esq.

County of Kent.

Eastern Division.

Sir Brook William Bridges, Bart.
Sir Edward Cholmeley Dering, Bart.

Western Division.

Charles Wykeham Martin, Esq.
James Whatman, Esq.

County of Flint.

The Honourable Thomas Edward Mostyn Lloyd Mostyn.

Borough of Flint.

Sir John Hanmer, of Bettisfield, Flintshire, Esq.

April 16.

County of Buckingham.

Caledon George Du Pré, of Beaconsfield, Esq.
The Right Honourable Benjamin Disraeli, of Hudedon Manor.
The Honourable Charles Compton Cavendish, of Latimers.

Borough of Honiton.

Joseph Locke, of Lowndes-square, Middlesex, Esq.
Archibald Henry Plantagenet Stuart Stuart Wortley, of Charles-street, Berkeley-square, Middlesex, Esq.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
April 16, 1857.*

NAVIGATION OF THE DANUBE.

A COMMISSION being at present occupied in the preparation of arrangements to be established in concert with the Sublime Porte, for the proper regulation of the port of Sulina, in all that concerns the navigation of the Danube, and it being highly essential to the success of the undertaking that such measures as may be provisionally adopted by the Commissioners should meet with the prompt concurrence and support of those interested in shipping, Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs and the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations invite the attention of the owners and commanders of vessels resorting to the Danube, to the importance of ready compliance with such rules and payment of such tolls as the Commissioners may find it essential to adopt, pending the passing of permanent laws and a tariff for giving order and security to the navigation of the river.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
April 16, 1857.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Brussels, enclosing an Official Notice of a Royal Industrial Exhibition, to be held at Brussels, by the Society for the Encouragement of Industrial Arts, during the present year, a translation of which, so far as regards Belgian and foreign exhibitors, is subjoined:

ART. 1.—An exhibition of designs, models, and finished works, connected with the industrial arts, the productions of Belgians or foreigners, will be opened at Brussels on the 15th August, 1857.

The following works will be admitted to this exhibition:

DESIGNS AND MODELS.

1. Designs or models of architectural works, plans for ornament and decorations of the exteriors and interiors of public edifices, churches, chapels, assembly rooms, railway stations, theatres, &c., as also for private habitations.

2. Designs or models of objects associated with architectural works, such as capitals, cornices, cariatides, statues or decorative groups, mouldings of all kinds, consol tables, chimney-pieces, doors, balconies, staircases, &c.

3. Designs or models of altar-pieces, tabernacles, pulpits, stalls, confessionals, prie-Dieu, and other objects of furniture for religious edifices.

4. Designs or models of furniture, flooring, frames, and other articles of joinery and cabinet work.

5. Designs or models of all other objects in wood, or of which wood constitutes the chief part, such as wood-work for carriages, musical instruments, &c.

6. Designs or models connected with the use of iron, zinc, copper, and other metals or amalgams in ordinary use for ornament and decoration, such as grates, stoves, furnaces, lustres, candelabra, lamps, gateways, vases, fountains, door ornaments and door handles, &c., and all objects of hardware.

7. Designs or models for inlaid work in wood, metal, or ivory, &c., for gunsmiths' work, &c.

8. Designs or models for jewellery, for works of gold or silver, chasing and lapidary's work.

9. Designs or models for glass, cast or cut, designs or models for works in porcelain, china, earthenware, pottery, &c.

10. Designs or models for works in marble, alabaster, porphyry, natural or artificial stones, stucco, &c., as, for example chimney pieces, vases, pedestals, pavements, &c.

11. Designs for lace, embroidery, carpets, painted fabrics, and stuffs of all kinds, shawls, ribbons, lace work, waxed cloth, painted papers, &c.

12. Designs for binding, ornamental paper, ornamental typography, prints and all other designs or models connected with the industrial application of art, and not previously specified.

N.B. Models may be made in plaster, wood, stone, wax, clay, metal, carton pierre, or any other material.

No designs will be received unless framed, or mounted on wood or cardboard.

FINISHED ARTICLES.

Finished articles belonging to one or other of the above categories, exhibited on account of artistic merit, either on account of the design, the form, or execution, whatever may be the material or nature of the work, and whatever may be the manual or mechanical process by which it has been produced.

In this section are also comprized painting on glass, on porcelain, earthenware, on inlaid work and lacquer, on transparent cloth, illuminations, cameos and intaglios, engravings in relief, typographic engravings, die sinking, enamelling, inlaying, and chasing, the composition and manufacture of mosaics, the application or reproduction of designs in gold, silver, &c., on metal, glass, leather, &c., works of ornament and decoration, &c.

ART. 3.—Particular sections are reserved for works of photography, chromo-lithography, and electrotype.

The photographic section will comprise scientific, technical, industrial, and artistic photographs, on plates, glass, &c., photographs of monuments, objects of art, landscapes, portraits, artistic photographs on paper, photographic engravings, and the different applications of sun-printing.

Exhibitors are invited to state generally the nature of the negative process employed, such as dry or wet collodion, albumen, whether waxed paper or not, and all other particulars of which they may desire to inform the jury in respect of the process, whether negative or positive, will be received with interest.

Photographs should be protected by a frame or case.

The chromo-lithographic section will comprise all coloured prints without any distinction of the object represented.

The electrotype section will comprise all applications of electrotype for the execution or representation of objects of industrial art.

All persons occupied in photography, chromolithography, or electrotyping, are especially requested to compete in this division of the exhibition.

ART. 4.—A Commission will regulate the admission of articles.

Works previously exhibited in Belgium cannot be admitted.

ART. 5.—Prizes will be awarded to the Exhibitors of the most meritorious works. The superiority of designs and models will be judged as regards taste, invention, composition, or execution, in respect only of their industrial application.

Designs, models, and articles relating to ordinary applications, will be placed on the same footing, in respect of prizes, as those intended for purposes of luxury.

There will be a public distribution of prizes.

ART. 6.—There will be two sorts of prizes, a medal and honourable mention.

Medals of Excellence may be exceptionally granted.

ART. 7.—The Association reserves to itself the right of making purchases of any articles exhibited.

ART. 8.—Persons proposing to exhibit must give notice, before the 15th of June, of their intention, to the Secretary of the Committee of the Association, Rue Royale, 58, à Bruxelles. (Letters to be prepaid.) They must give notice of the nature and character of the articles proposed to be exhibited, and of the space, length, breadth, or height, required for this purpose.

ART. 9.—Articles must be forwarded before the 25th July, to a locality to be hereafter stated.

ART. 10.—Exhibitors will be required to attach to the articles they may send, their christian name and surname and their residence, also state whether they exhibit in the capacity of designer, maker, or proprietor; in the two last cases, they are requested so far as possible to state the names of the designer of the articles exhibited, they should at the same time forward a letter stating the terms in which they desire the articles to be described in the catalogue, together with the price of the articles, and whether the price is to be made public or not.

ART. 11.—The cost of transport and return of the articles will be at the charge of the exhibitors. All works however forwarded by the State Railway will be accorded a reduction of 50 per cent. on the cost of carriage, each way.

Every care will be taken for the security of the articles, but the association will not hold itself responsible for any damages the articles may sustain.

The Commission having the direction of the Association is composed for the year 1857, of Messrs. C. de Brouckere, Burgomaster of Brussels, President; E. Remberg, Director of the Department of the Interior, Secretary; E. Allard, Member of the Chamber of Commerce of Brussels; J. B. Cappellemans aîné, Manufacturer; I de Keyn, Constructive Joiner; A. Delehay, Manufacturer; Dumont, Architect; J. Du Pré, Engineer; Fortainps, Judge of the Tribunal of Commerce of Brussels; E. Simonis, Sculptor; E. Slingeneyer, Artist; L. Weiner, Engraver.

War-Office, Pall-Mall,
17th April, 1857.

3rd Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Veterinary Surgeon R. J. G. Hurford, from the 9th Light Dragoons, to be Veterinary Surgeon, vice Shaw, who exchanges. Dated 17th April, 1857.

7th Dragoon Guards, Cornet Richard Charles Echallaz, from the 4th Light Dragoons, to be Cornet, vice Chilton, appointed to the 4th Dragoon Guards. Dated 17th April, 1857.

9th Light Dragoons, Veterinary Surgeon Austin Cooper Shaw, from the 3rd Dragoon Guards, to be Veterinary Surgeon, vice Hurford, who exchanges. Dated 17th April, 1857.

15th Light Dragoons, Regimental Serjeant-Major James Mann to be Cornet, without purchase, in succession to Lieutenant Maude, deceased. Dated 17th April, 1857.

Military Train, Captain Henry Alexander, from half-pay, 10th Light Dragoons, to be Captain, vice John Wood, who resigns. Dated 17th April, 1857.

Grahame Craig, Esq., late Chief Accountant Land Transport Corps, to be Paymaster. Dated 1st April, 1857.

Royal Artillery, Lieutenant Ernest Augustus Montague Lloyd has been superseded, being absent without leave.

Scots Fusilier Guards, Ensign and Lieutenant Henry George Bowden, to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 1st April, 1857.

25th Regiment of Foot, Henry George Ramadge, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Layard, promoted. Dated 17th April, 1857.

The first Christian name of Lieutenant Layard, whose promotion was published in the Gazette of 10th instant, is *Charles*.

32nd Foot, Ensign Joseph Brackenbury to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Crowdy, deceased. Dated 24th January, 1857.

Ensign James Strachan, from the 44th Foot, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Brackenbury. Dated 17th April, 1857.

55th Foot, Captain George Anthony Morgan, from half-pay of the 55th Foot, to be Captain, vice Bissett, who exchanges. Dated 17th April, 1857.

59th Foot, Ensign Robert Cuming to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Tucker, who retires. Dated 17th April, 1857.

Henry Seton Wakefield, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Cuming. Dated 17th April, 1857.

60th Foot, Ensign and Adjutant Matthew Tilford to have the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 17th March, 1857.

Ensign Frederick Simon A. Orchard to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Charles James Phillippis, deceased. Dated 17th March, 1857.

71st Foot, Lieutenant Francis Bonham to be Captain, by purchase, vice F. C. Clerke, who retires. Dated 17th April, 1857.

72nd Foot, Captain Oswald Barton Fielden, from half-pay 72nd Foot, to be Captain, vice Robert Douglas, who exchanges. Dated 17th April, 1857.

73rd Foot, Lieutenant J. J. Lloyd Williams to be Captain, by purchase, vice Knox, who retires. Dated 17th April, 1857.

Ensign William John Lane Milligan to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Williams. Dated 17th April, 1857.

Thomas Monsell Warren, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Milligan. Dated 17th April, 1857.

77th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon George Clarence Hyde, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Burton, who exchanges. Dated 17th April, 1857.

78th Foot, Lieutenant William McGregor Archer to be Captain, without purchase, vice Purvis, deceased. Dated 13th December, 1856.

Ensign Hugh Simpson to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Archer. Dated 13th December, 1856.

Ensign James Sinclair to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Davidson, who retires. Dated 17th April, 1857.

88th Foot, Captain Henry Hooper Day, from half-pay of the 88th Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Nathaniel Steevens, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 17th April, 1857.

89th Foot, Lieutenant George Harmer Pering to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 6th April, 1857.

92nd Foot, Ensign Francis Roberts to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Swift, promoted, by purchase, to an Unattached Company. Dated 17th April, 1857.

Alexander Robert Abercromby Boyd, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Roberts. Dated 17th April, 1857.

98th Foot, Lieutenant Peter Edward Quin to be Adjutant, vice Reid, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 17th April, 1857.

Rifle Brigade, Assistant-Surgeon Alexander Crawford Robertson, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Brown, who resigns. Dated 17th April, 1857.

Assistant-Surgeon John Storey, from the Staff, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Thompson, who resigns. Dated 17th April, 1857.

2nd West India Regiment, Major John Lewes, from half-pay Unattached, to be Major, vice Miller, who exchanges. Dated 17th April, 1855.

ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE.

Brevet-Colonel Charles Rochfort Scott, half-pay Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Governor, vice Brevet-Colonel Prosser, Unattached, who resigns that appointment. Dated 17th April, 1857.

UNATTACHED.

Captain and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel James John Graham, half-pay Unattached, to have the Substantive Rank of Major. Dated 17th April, 1857.

Brevet-Major Nathaniel Steevens, of the 88th Foot, to have his Brevet Rank converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of the 6th October, 1854. Dated 17th April, 1857.

HOSPITAL STAFF.

Assistant-Surgeon Roberts Graves Burton, M.D., from the 77th Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Hyde, who exchanges. Dated 17th April, 1857.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Officers of the East India Company's Service, retired on full pay, to have a step of honorary rank as follows :

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Benwell, Madras Infantry. Dated 17th April, 1857.
Lieutenant-Colonel William Russell, Madras Infantry. Dated 17th April, 1857.
Lieutenant-Colonel James Holland, Bombay Infantry. Dated 17th April, 1857.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Lowther Thomas Forrest, Bengal Infantry. Dated 17th April, 1857.

To be Majors.

Captain Claude Frederick Irby, Madras Infantry. Dated 17th April, 1857.
Captain Richard Boulton, Bengal Light Cavalry. Dated 17th April, 1857.
Captain John Peter Mount Biggs, Madras Infantry. Dated 17th April, 1857.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

King's Own Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

Lonsdale Pounden, Esq., late a Captain in the Inverness-shire Highland Light Infantry Militia, to be Captain, vice Parry, promoted. Dated 4th April, 1857.

NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset-House, April 16, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines and to all persons interested therein, that the distribution of proceeds arising from the Ionian brig San Spiridione, captured on the 11th May, 1854, by Her Majesty's ships Fury and Sidon, will commence on Monday the 4th May, 1857, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the "Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset-House."

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

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

whom it would be convenient to receive such share of prize money.

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

	£	s.	d.
Flag share	71	11	10
Captain	113	7	0
Commander	56	13	6
Second class	17	3	8
Third class	13	14	10
Fourth class	8	16	9
Fifth class	4	18	2
Sixth class	4	8	5
Seventh class	2	19	0
Eighth class	1	9	5
Ninth class	0	19	8
Tenth class	0	9	9

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the British Possessions in AMERICA, Computed from the RETURNS made in the Week ending the 14th day of April, 1857,

Is Thirty-nine Shillings and Ten Pence Three Farthings per Hundred Weight;

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

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

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

Is Thirty-nine Shillings and Six Pence Farthing per Hundred Weight,

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

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

Is Thirty-seven Shillings and Nine Pence Halfpenny per Hundred Weight;

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

Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty,

Is Thirty-nine Shillings and Nine Pence per Hundred Weight.

By Authority of Parliament,

HENRY BICKNELL,
Clerk of the Grocers' Company.

Grocers'-Hall, April 17, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a building, named Our Lady of Dolours, situated at Lower Park-road, Peckham, in the parish of Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, in the district of Camberwell, being a building licensed and used for public religious worship as a Roman Catholic chapel exclusively, was, on the 11th day of April, 1857, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of the 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 13th day of April, 1857.

Alexr. Lodk. Irvine, jr., Superintendent Registrar.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the Matter of the Petition of Donald Campbell Mackey, an Insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in and by an Order made in the above matter, bearing date the 6th day of December, 1856, it was

ordered, that the several creditors of the firm of Donald Mackey, Hadow, and Company, should come in and prove their several claims (the same to be verified by affidavit) against the said firm of Donald Mackey, Hadow, and Company, on or before the 2nd day of January, 1858, and in default thereof that they be precluded from receiving any dividends arising from the funds of

the said firm of Donald Mackey, Hadow, and Company, unless the said creditors should shew good cause to the contrary, on Saturday the said 2nd day of January, 1858, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

Denman, Hatch, and Davis, Attorneys for the Official Assignee, and Assignee of the Insolvent above named.

SUPPLEMENT TO

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 4th day of April, 1857.

The under-mentioned Parties having omitted to transmit their Accounts in proper time to be inserted in the Gazette of Tuesday the 14th day of April, 1857.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.								Average Amount.
								£.
Aylesbury Old Bank ...	...	...	...	Aylesbury	...	Z. D. Hunt	...	30,922
Blandford Bank	...	...	...	Blandford	...	Oak and Co.	...	7,015
Godalming Bank	...	...	...	Godalming	...	Mellersh and Keen	...	4,902

J. MICHAEL, Acting Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House, April 16, 1857.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Saturday the 11th day of April, 1857.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

£.				£.			
Notes issued	...	...	22,796,165	Government Debt	...	...	11,015,100
				Other Securities	...	...	3,459,900
				Gold Coin and Bullion	...	...	8,321,165
				Silver Bullion	...	...	—
<u>£22,796,165</u>				<u>£22,796,165</u>			

Dated the 16th day of April, 1857.

M. Marshall, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

£.				£.			
Proprietors' Capital	...	...	14,553,000	Government Securities (including	...	...	...
Rest	...	...	3,237,639	Dead Weight Annuity)	...	...	11,333,126
Public Deposits (including Ex-	...	...	...	Other Securities	...	...	18,984,640
chequer, Savings' Banks, Com-	...	...	...	Notes	...	...	3,044,120
missioners of National Debt, and	...	...	...	Gold and Silver Coin	...	...	743,447
Dividend Accounts)	...	...	5,116,350				
Other Deposits	...	...	10,481,057				
Seven Day and other Bills	...	...	717,287				
<u>£34,105,333</u>				<u>£34,105,333</u>			

Dated the 16th day of April, 1857.

M. Marshall, Chief Cashier.

LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the CITY BANK, on the 31st day of March, 1857.

Dr.	£	s.	d.	Cr.	£	s.	d.
To Amount of Capital Paid up	225,000	0	0	By Exchequer Bills and Bonds			
To Amount due upon current				and East India Bonds ...	140,995	17	9
and other Accounts ...	1,187,632	19	7	By Bills discounted, Loans,			
				Building Expences, Cash, &c.	1,271,637	1	10
	£1,412,632	19	7		£1,412,632	19	7

Threadneedle-street,
London, 10th April, 1857.

A. J. White, Manager.

BUCKS AND OXON UNION BANK.

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

ACCOUNT of ASSETS and LIABILITIES of the BUCKS and OXON UNION BANK,
on Tuesday the 31st March, 1857.

Liabilities.	£	s.	d.	Assets.	£	s.	d.
Paid up Capital ...	55,000	0	0	Cash in Hand, and in other			
Current Accounts, Deposits, and				Banking Houses, Bills of			
other Liabilities ...	430,102	11	9	Exchange, Loans and Notes			
Uhdivided Profits ...	1,252	15	9	of Hand, Balance of Bank			
	£486,355	7	6	Premises and Preliminary			
				Expenses ...	486,355	7	6
					£486,355	7	6

Bucks and Oxon Union Bank,
Aylesbury, 15th April, 1857.

(Signed)

A. Garrioch, Secretary.

MONTHLY RETURN.

AN ACCOUNT shewing the Quantities of Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour, imported into the United Kingdom, and admitted to Home Consumption, in the month of March, 1857.

SPECIES OF CORN, GRAIN, MEAL, AND FLOUR.	Quantities Imported into the United Kingdom, and admitted to Home Consumption, in the month of March, 1857.					
	Imported from Foreign Countries.		Imported from British Possessions out of Europe.		TOTAL.	
	Qrs.	Bush.	Qrs.	Bush.	Qrs.	Bush.
Wheat ...	155,950	5	3,788	0	159,738	5
Barley ...	172,080	1	—	—	172,080	1
Oats ...	109,629	5	—	—	109,629	5
Rye ...	3,349	7	—	—	3,349	7
Pease ...	5,379	6	0	4	5,380	2
Beans ...	24,962	7	1	4	24,964	3
Maize or Indian Corn	80,382	3	—	—	80,382	3
Buck Wheat	49	0	—	—	49	0
Beer or Bigg	497	2	—	—	497	2
Total of Corn and Grain ...	552,281	4	3,790	0	556,071	4
Wheat Meal and Flour ...	141,712	2 15	408	1 16	142,121	0 3
Barley Meal	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oat Meal ...	27	3 1	3	0 21	30	3 22
Rye Meal ...	2	0 0	—	—	2	0 0
Pea Meal ...	10	2 5	—	—	10	2 5
Bean Meal ...	—	—	—	—	—	—
Maize or Indian Corn Meal	11	2 1	—	—	11	2 1
Buck Wheat Meal ...	5	2 14	—	—	5	2 14
Total of Meal and Flour ...	141,770	0 8	411	2 9	142,181	2 17

Custom House, London, 14th April, 1857.

W. MACLEAN, Secretary.

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

Received in the Week ended April 11, 1857.	WHEAT.						BARLEY.						OATS.						RYE.						BEANS.						PEAS.					
	Quantities.		Price.				Quantities.		Price.				Quantities.		Price.				Quantities.		Price.				Quantities.		Price.				Quantities.		Price.			
	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.		Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.		Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.		Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.		Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.		Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	
London	4169	0	12402	4	10		1003	0	2358	15	0		1082	0	1417	9	6		364	0	703	4	9		664	0	1161	4	6		54	0	103	1	6	
Uxbridge	384	4	1244	1	0		7	4	13	10	0		10	0	13	10	0		—	—	—	—	—		19	4	39	19	6		—	—	—	—	—	
Chelmsford	1385	7	3797	9	10		478	5	1155	11	3		119	0	139	7	0		—	—	—	—	—		166	4	298	9	6		17	4	33	1	0	
Colchester	888	6	2409	16	9		533	6	1281	9	3		84	0	105	16	0		—	—	—	—	—		151	2	289	17	0		4	4	8	15	6	
Romford	498	0	1377	18	4		85	0	208	15	0		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		50	0	95	9	0		—	—	—	—	—	
Chipping Ongar	None		Sold.				—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Saffron Walden	440	0	1178	12	9		390	2	945	1	6		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		12	0	22	4	0		—	—	—	—	—	
Braintree	594	0	1633	3	6		485	5	1184	19	11		20	0	23	0	0		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Hereford	287	0	791	19	6		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		7	4	15	0	0		—	—	—	—	—	
Royston	378	1	1020	9	0		597	0	1486	0	0		10	0	12	0	0		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	19	3	36	3	0	
Bishop Stortford	644	3	1682	0	9		1003	1	2445	9	0		55	7	69	9	3		—	—	—	—	—		112	4	212	3	3		—	—	—	—	—	
St. Albans	79	3	214	4	0		98	0	232	10	0		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	2	4	6	0	0	
Hemel Hempstead	116	5	321	10	0		43	0	98	10	0		17	4	21	0	0		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Hitchin	232	6	639	1	1		40	0	96	10	0		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Aylesbury	83	0	238	16	0		65	4	161	3	0		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Buckingham	83	0	217	2	0		15	0	35	5	0		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
High Wycombe	88	0	252	10	6		—	—	—	—	—		90	0	97	10	0		—	—	—	—	—		10	0	22	0	0		5	0	9	0	0	
Newport Pagnel	No		Return.				—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Oxford	105	0	286	2	6		104	0	239	4	0		10	0	11	15	0		—	—	—	—	—		15	0	27	0	0		—	—	—	—	—	
Banbury	None		Sold.				—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Henley	145	0	446	15	0		36	0	81	4	0		120	0	134	14	0		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	5	0	10	15	0	
Witney	137	0	372	0	0		23	4	51	5	0		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chipping Norton	20	0	54	0	0		211	4	451	18	6		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	5	0	10	0	0	
Warminster	594	4	1553	13	6		848	4	1806	18	9		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		1	4	3	6	0		—	—	—	—	—	
Swindon	631	0	1567	19	6		126	0	286	5	6		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		40	0	77	19	0		—	—	—	—	—	
Devizes	693	4	1764	14	6		334	0	799	4	0		17	0	17	17	0		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Salisbury	372	4	973	12	0		380	0	840	1	0		89	0	104	2	0		—	—	—	—	—		5	0	10	10	0		—	—	—	—	—	
Troubridge	None		Sold.				—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chippenham	None		Sold.				—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Windsor	37	4	123	13	6		22	0	49	10	0		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Reading	1182	0	3517	17	0		124	4	240	5	9		85	0	93	5	3		—	—	—	—	—		31	0	65	2	0		—	—	—	—	—	
Abingdon	232	4	643	17	6		232	4	528	5	6		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—		23	0	44	17	0		—	—	—	—	—	
Maidenhead	132	0	400	12	0		68	0	166	10	0		15	0	21	0	0		—	—	—	—	—		—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	

Received in the Week ended
April 11, 1857.

Received in the Week ended April 11, 1857.	WHEAT.				BARLEY.				OATS.				RYE				BEANS.				PEAS.				
MARKETS.	Quantities.		Price.		Quantities.		Price.		Quantities.		Price.		Quantities.		Price.		Quantities.		Price.		Quantities.		Price.		
	Qrs.	Bs.	£	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£	s.	d.
Newbury	581	4	1591	7	6	468	0	883	18	6	80	0	100	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	57	0	118	10	0
Wallingford.....	271	0	891	10	3	152	4	311	0	6	45	0	57	7	6	—	—	—	—	—	22	0	43	8	0
Guildford	219	4	678	4	0	88	4	199	12	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Croydon	172	0	481	17	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Kingston	64	0	189	8	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Dorking	13	0	35	18	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Maidstone	577	0	1535	14	6	34	0	75	5	0	50	0	60	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Canterbury	1651	0	4487	17	6	432	0	990	12	0	58	0	66	7	9	—	—	—	—	—	72	0	123	15	0
Dartford	253	0	715	18	0	20	0	53	0	0	181	0	225	14	0	—	—	—	—	—	157	0	274	11	0
Chatham & Rochester...	7	6	24	0	6	—	—	—	—	—	15	0	16	10	0	—	—	—	—	—	18	0	30	12	0
Dover	194	0	543	8	0	—	—	—	—	—	20	0	23	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	36	0	59	11	0
Gravesend	52	4	147	9	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Ashford	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	20	0	22	10	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chichester	185	0	472	9	0	170	0	352	19	0	30	0	33	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	10	0	17	10	0
Lewes	290	0	876	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Rye	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Brighton	97	4	239	18	0	40	0	64	10	0	85	0	91	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
East Grinstead	15	0	43	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Battle	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Arundel	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Hastings	190	0	529	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	41	0	49	2	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Midhurst	No	Return.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	0	28	10	0
Shoreham	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Winchester	340	0	903	2	6	56	0	115	1	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Andover	403	0	1106	10	0	188	0	401	0	6	34	0	39	19	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Basingstoke	296	4	776	14	6	80	0	154	16	6	149	0	171	3	0	—	—	—	—	—	51	0	105	3	0
Fareham	No	Return.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Havant	8	0	22	8	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Newport	159	0	449	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Ringwood	64	4	166	17	6	100	0	213	15	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Southampton	—	—	—	—	—	25	0	60	0	0	6	0	7	7	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Portsmouth	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Incor	rect.	—	—	
Christchurch	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Barnstaple	341	0	950	0	0	19	0	41	10	0	110	0	141	10	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Bridport	No	Return.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Dorchester	241	0	638	0	6	170	0	331	10	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Sherborne	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Shaftesbury	98	0	258	4	0	50	0	105	5	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	

Received in the Week ended April 11, 1857.	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		RYE.		BEANS.		PEAS.	
Markets.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.
	Qrs. Bs.	£ s. d.	Qrs. Bs.	£ s. d.	Qrs. Bs.	£ s. d.	Qrs. Bs.	£ s. d.	Qrs. Bs.	£ s. d.	Qrs. Bs.	£ s. d.
Wareham	11 4	32 4 0	50 0	124 10 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poole	—	—	7 0	14 7 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Exeter	268 6	733 6 7	93 6	208 1 8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Barnstaple	39 7	115 9 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Plymouth	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Totness	71 4	208 13 6	10 0	18 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tavistock	51 0	153 2 0	21 0	35 14 0	70 0	8i 5 0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kingsbridge	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oakhampton	59 4	174 12 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tiverton	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Honiton	53 6	149 17 6	3 1	5 12 5	25 6	29 14 8	—	—	—	—	—	—
Truro	30 0	85 5 0	67 7	126 14 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bodmin	120 4	347 19 10	32 3	58 2 8	18 4	21 12 2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Launceston	43 6	123 11 9	12 4	22 10 0	15 6	17 12 6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Redruth	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Helstone	101 2	295 15 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
St. Austell	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Falmouth	No Return.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Callington	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Liskeard	8 6	22 8 6	12 6	21 6 0	43 7	47 8 6	—	—	—	—	—	—
St. Columb	31 7	94 13 9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bristol	255 0	639 3 8	452 0	828 9 0	200 0	240 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Taunton	88 6	239 15 0	47 4	106 3 4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wells	—	—	95 0	229 15 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bridgewater	169 5	456 4 8	—	—	—	—	—	—	109 3	223 17 6	—	—
Frome	35 0	92 10 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chard	297 0	794 19 0	166 0	360 14 8	37 4	41 5 0	—	—	66 4	136 11 4	—	—
Somerton	412 6	1139 10 10	20 0	36 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Shepton Mallett	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wellington	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wiveliscomb	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Monmouth	132 4	388 3 10	54 3	115 4 9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Abergavenny	77 0	197 14 3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chepstow	72 4	184 6 3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pontpool	32 0	83 4 0	30 0	67 0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Newport	No Return.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gloucester	508 0	1359 7 4	17 4	38 10 0	—	—	—	—	5 0	12 0 0	—	—
Cirencester	669 0	1713 14 0	355 0	770 5 6	61 0	72 2 0	—	—	—	—	—	—

Received in the Week ended April 11, 1857.		WHEAT.					BARLEY.					OATS.					RYE.					BEANS.					PEAS.							
MARKETS.		Quantities.		Price.			Quantities.		Price.			Quantities.		Price.			Quantities.		Price.			Quantities.		Price.			Quantities.		Price.					
		Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.			
Tetbury		None		Sold.			—		—			—		—			—		—			—		—			—		—			—		
Stow-on-the-Wold		70	0	190	15	0	10	0	22	10	0	—		—			—		—			—		—			—		—			—		
Tewkesbury		113	4	300	5	4	—		—			—		—			—		22	4	47	10	0	—		—			—			—		
Cheltenham		167	4	452	14	3	65	0	142	15	0	—		—			—		3	0	6	8	0	—		—			—			—		
Dursley		80	0	206	10	0	19	4	44	17	0	—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Northleach		None		Sold.			—		—			—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Stroud		None		Sold.			—		—			—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Hereford		None		Sold.			—		—			—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Leominster		None		Sold.			—		—			—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Kington		None		Sold.			—		—			—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Worcester		631	3	1671	0	7	29	0	68	2	0	—		—			—		20	5	41	5	0	—		—			—			—		
Bromsgrove		Incor rect.		—			—		—			—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Kidderminster		289	0	748	7	6	90	0	234	0	0	21	0	27	12	0	—		25	0	53	13	4	—		—			—			—		
Stourbridge		85	5	236	15	0	228	6	539	6	8	—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Evesham		153	4	410	12	4	60	2	136	2	6	—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Shrewsbury		684	1	1887	9	6	254	1	594	14	8	54	0	67	13	0	—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Ludlow		90	3	242	18	0	—		—			20	6	30	7	6	—		9	3	19	10	0	—		—			—			—		
Newport		—		—			30	3	67	1	8	—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Oswestry		194	0	535	0	6	87	7	200	14	4	—		—			—		9	4	20	6	8	—		—			—			—		
Wellington		75	1	207	6	3	51	3	116	10	0	—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Wenlock		123	1	351	2	0	40	3	87	2	0	—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Whitchurch		45	3	128	13	4	—		—			—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Market Drayton		62	0	180	12	5	—		—			—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Stafford		64	5	180	0	1	—		—			—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Burton-on-Trent		81	0	223	14	6	—		—			—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Lichfield		None		Sold.			—		—			—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Newcastle-under-Lyne		None		Sold.			—		—			—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Stone		77	2	223	1	6	—		—			32	5	46	3	0	—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Uttoxeter		106	0	298	3	9	—		—			—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Walsall		—		—			79	0	187	3	0	—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Wolverhampton		186	0	511	9	4	41	0	96	0	0	—		—			—		82	0	196	0	0	—		—			—			—		
Coæster		—		—			—		—			49	0	60	12	10	—		18	2	36	12	3	—		—			—			—		
Nantwich		52	3	136	11	8	43	3	105	6	10	—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Middlewich		143	3	378	3	1	—		—			80	3	101	16	2	—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Four-Lane-ends		None		Sold.			—		—			—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Congleton		None		Sold.			—		—			—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Macclesfield		None		Sold.			—		—			—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		
Stockport		None		Sold.			—		—			—		—			—		—		—			—		—			—			—		

MARKETS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			OATS.			RYE.			BEANS.			PEAS.			
	Quantities.	Price.		Qrs.	Bs.	Price.		Qrs.	Bs.	Price.		Qrs.	Bs.	Price.		Qrs.	Bs.	Price.	
		£	s. d.			£	s. d.			£	s. d.			£	s. d.			£	s. d.
Derby	320 0	900	1 0	10 0	22	0 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cheshire	22 4	59	6 0	—	—	—	5	0	7 15	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Coventry	470 7	1256	4 4	167 4	369	5 0	65	0	83 15	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Birmingham	567 0	1556	2 11	50 0	101	10 0	10	0	12 10	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Warwick	762 2	2084	5 8	204 4	492	3 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stratford-on-Avon	503 5	1347	15 9	340 0	504	17 6	211	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Leicester	798 0	2242	15 0	281 4	612	15 0	23	0	276 12	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Loughborough	215 0	612	0 6	73 0	27 17	0	23	0	27 17	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hinckley	49 0	129	16 0	—	170	5 0	120	0	170 5	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lutterworth	80 0	216	12 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Northampton	1308 0	3266	1 6	701 0	1378	9 6	122	0	141 6	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Peterborough	2580 0	6853	6 6	140 4	251	17 6	158	0	184 16	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Leicester	18 0	46	16 0	27 4	62	8 6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wellingborough	277 4	701	4 6	144 0	274	2 0	18	0	25 4	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kettering	442 0	1140	10 6	244 0	479	11 0	20	0	25 0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Oakham	35 0	98	10 0	—	16	16 0	12	0	16 16	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bedford	759 4	1866	6 0	140 0	309	4 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Leighton Buzzard	117 1	292	8 6	17 4	39	18 9	14	4	16 17	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Luton	36 2	101	0 0	35 4	84	6 0	10	0	12 0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Huntingdon	365 7	946	12 1	80 4	166	11 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
St. Ives	1306 2	3431	10 6	114 5	246	18 3	250	0	264 18	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cambridge	1375 4	3696	0 9	1332 0	3054	15 4	98	6	74 12	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ely	158 0	394	12 6	—	—	—	162	0	180 3	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wisbech	1769 0	4457	5 3	10 0	17	10 0	310	0	440 17	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Newmarket	202 7	556	9 0	231 0	583	19 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ipswich	732 7	1978	0 6	731 6	1804	3 3	48	7	60 17	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Woodbridge	1129 0	2914	5 9	441 5	1041	16 3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sudbury	1268 7	3394	12 6	825	1982	10 9	8	0	10 0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hadleigh	397 2	1041	9 6	576 3	1454	0 6	10	0	15 0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stowmarket	400 4	1041	6 0	783 0	1911	4 7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bury St. Edmunds	1118 4	3035	11 1	1055 7	2545	18 11	68	3	91 1	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Beccles	392 0	1014	5 0	256 0	608	13 0	—	—	21 17	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bangay	359 0	951	15 6	355 0	860	19 0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lowestoft	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Norwich	2264 1	5908	15 2	1689 4	3933	16 7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Yarmouth	157 6	396	17 0	993 2	2304	9 4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lynn	2626 1	6924	12 4	815 3	1872	1 9	—	—	181	9 10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Thetford	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Received in the Week ended April 11, 1857.		WHEAT.					BARLEY.					OATS.					RYE					BEANS.					PEAS.				
MARKETS.		Quantities.		Price.			Quantities.		Price.			Quantities.		Price.			Quantities.		Price.			Quantities.		Price.			Quantities.		Price.		
		Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.
Watton		134	4	365	3	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Diss		502	0	1313	17	0	380	0	850	3	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	44	0	89	6	0	—	—	—	—	
East Dereham		510	4	1336	2	0	124	0	288	19	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Harleston.....		308	5	807	19	3	109	4	256	7	6	5	3	8	1	3	—	—	—	—	—	13	0	27	0	6	—	—	—	—	
Holt		137	0	358	4	0	47	0	107	4	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Aylesham.....		49	0	121	6	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Fakenham		1120	5	2940	4	6	249	0	588	4	0	50	0	51	15	0	—	—	—	—	—	25	0	47	10	0	—	—	—	—	
Northwalsham.....		122	2	321	9	6	82	4	192	0	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Swaffham.....		74	4	186	0	6	5	0	11	10	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Lincoln		3795	4	10868	10	6	485	4	1162	10	0	28	0	33	12	0	—	—	—	—	—	13	0	28	5	6	—	—	—	—	
Gainsborough		411	0	1140	0	3	107	0	244	10	0	—	—	—	—	—	20	0	37	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Glanfordbridge		1228	0	3401	1	0	386	0	823	1	6	74	4	85	19	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Louth		1196	0	3144	2	0	251	0	549	15	0	162	0	183	3	0	—	—	—	—	—	99	4	204	14	0	—	—	—	—	
Boston		3890	0	10416	4	0	13	0	30	11	0	621	0	697	7	0	—	—	—	—	—	702	4	1443	2	0	78	0	153	3	0
Sleaford		44	0	119	12	0	—	—	—	—	—	125	0	147	5	0	—	—	—	—	—	86	0	180	12	0	—	—	—	—	
Stamford		553	0	1510	4	0	281	0	641	7	0	154	0	199	18	0	—	—	—	—	—	20	0	40	10	0	—	—	—	—	
Spalding		1458	0	3816	6	6	—	—	—	—	—	130	0	140	10	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	50	0	89	10	0	
Barton-on-Humber.....	No	Return.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Bourne.....	20	0	55	0	0	9	0	18	18	0	14	0	16	16	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	44	0	90	4	0	12	0	21	12	0
Grantham	764	0	2159	5	0	529	0	1246	13	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	16	0	32	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	
Grimsby	No	Return.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Horncastle	216	0	582	15	0	83	0	193	19	6	40	0	51	10	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Market Raisin.....	73	4	197	7	6	—	—	—	—	—	109	0	132	19	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Caister.....	85	0	252	10	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Alford	428	0	1152	14	9	70	0	168	0	0	88	0	110	18	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	94	0	185	11	6	—	—	—	—	
Holbeck ..	No	Return.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Long Sutton	No	Return.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Nottingham.....	1483	0	4298	6	0	404	4	932	10	0	40	0	50	0	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	234	0	502	19	0	—	—	—	—	
Newark	908	0	2535	2	0	305	4	689	14	7	282	0	363	19	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	46	0	94	18	0	—	—	—	—	
Mansfield.....	260	7	761	1	0	85	0	199	12	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	0	31	2	6	—	—	—	—	—	
Retford	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
York	440	0	1215	7	2	178	4	405	0	6	124	0	162	3	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	37	0	78	4	6	—	—	—	—	
Leeds	4289	3	11683	11	3	627	0	1500	11	0	58	0	75	6	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	305	3	652	5	6	—	—	—	—	
Wakefield	3108	3	8372	11	6	394	0	949	5	0	117	4	171	15	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	75	0	156	5	0	30	0	55	10	0
Bridlington	None	Sold.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Beverley ..	97	4	257	0	0	50	1	120	16	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	0	24	0	0	4	0	8	4	0	
Howden	217	0	587	10	0	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Sheffield	64	4	191	14	0	—	—	—	—	—	13	0	18	19	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	

Received in the Week ended April 11, 1857.		WHEAT.					BARLEY.					OATS.					RYE.					BEANS.					PEAS.					
MARKETS.		Quantities.		Price.			Quantities.		Price.			Quantities.		Price.			Quantities.		Price.			Quantities.		Price.			Quantities.		Price.			
		Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	Qrs.	Bs.	£.	s.	d.	
Belford		None		Sold.			—		—			—		—			—		—			—		—		—			—			
Hexham		196	2	451	7	6	11	2	21	0	0	21	7	29	3	4	10	0	20	10	0	—		—		—		—		—		
Newcastle		1965	6	5002	13	8	372	4	854	17	6	236	2	290	5	0	—		—			3	0	4	16	0	6	2	12	0	3	
Morpeth		173	0	337	0	0	6	0	11	8	0	48	0	58	4	0	—		—			—		—		1	4	2	9	6		
Alnwick ..		36	4	83	8	8	8	2	13	15	0	—		—			—		—			—		—		—		—				
Berwick		995	1	2011	0	0	283	4	539	17	10	62	5	68	17	9	—		—			13	4	24	14	0	—		—			
Durham		50	7	82	17	0	100	0	215	0	0	—		—			—		—			—		—		—		—				
Stockton		436	0	884	11	10	—		—			—		—			—		—			—		—		—		—				
Darlington		182	4	414	19	3	0	4	1	0	6	0	4	0	15	4	—		—			18	2	35	19	0	—		—			
Sunderland		895	1	2226	0	6	6	6	12	0	9	—		—			—		—			4	2	7	19	3	—		—			
Barnard Castle.....		54	4	153	14	3	16	0	37	15	0	7	7	12	14	6	—		—			0	4	1	3	0	—		—			
Wolsingham		102	2	308	6	10	12	0	22	17	0	36	2	49	1	9	—		—			—		—		—		—				
Mold		17	3	52	7	6	—		—			—		—			—		—			—		—		—		—				
Denbigh		75	0	194	1	6	44	5	88	8	6	—		—			—		—			—		—		—		—				
Wrexham.....		No		Return.			—		—			—		—			—		—			—		—		—		—				
Carnarvon		None		Sold.			—		—			—		—			—		—			—		—		—		—				
Bangor.....		None		Sold.			—		—			—		—			—		—			—		—		—		—				
Llangefni.....		None		Sold.			—		—			—		—			—		—			—		—		—		—				
Corwen		No		Return.			—		—			—		—			—		—			—		—		—		—				
Weishpool		No		Return.			—		—			—		—			—		—			—		—		—		—				
Newtown		No		Return.			—		—			—		—			—		—			—		—		—		—				
Haverfordwest.....		3	5	10	16	11	29	3	54	15	2	116	4	106	3	6	—		—			—		—		—		—				
Carmarthen		6	5	17	14	0	—		—			170	6	175	17	0	—		—			—		—		—		—				
Llandillo		None		Sold.			—		—			—		—			—		—			—		—		—		—				
Swansea		1	7	5	8	6	—		—			—		—			—		—			—		—		—		—				
Cowbridge		None		Sold.			—		—			—		—			—		—			—		—		—		—				
Cardiff		353	0	948	18	0	—		—			—		—			—		—			—		—		—		—				
Brecon		101	3	287	0	5	46	2	93	19	3	34	3	39	10	0	—		—			—		—		—		—				
Knighon		No		Return.			—		—			—		—			—		—			—		—		—		—				
Grand Total.....		93845	3	—			32175	1	—			9728	5	—			419	2	—			6119	7	—			436	5	—			
				s.	d.				s.	d.				s.	d.				s.	d.				s.	d.				s.	d.		
General Weekly	}	—		53	11	034	—		45	9	378	—		24	4	209	—		38	9	524	—		39	10	024	—		38	5	579	
Average		—		53	11	034	—		45	9	378	—		24	4	209	—		38	9	524	—		39	10	024	—		38	5	579	
Aggregate Average of Six Weeks				55	2		—		46	5		—		23	9		—		39	7		—		39	7		—		39	0		

AN ACCOUNT of the Total Quantities of each Kind of CORN, distinguishing Foreign and Colonial, imported into the principal Ports of GREAT BRITAIN (viz. London, Liverpool, Hull, Newcastle, Bristol, Gloucester, Plymouth, Leith, Glasgow, Dundee, and Perth), and the Rates and Amount of Duty thereon, in the Week ended 8th April, 1857.

SPECIES.	Quantities Imported into the Ports of Great Britain, enumerated above (being those into which Corn is chiefly Imported).			Amount of Duty received thereon.			Rates of Duty (Foreign and Colonial).	
	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.	Corn and Grain of all sorts, per quarter.	Meal and Flour of all sorts, per cwt.
	Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Wheat & Wheat Flour	44201 4	1082 5	45284 1	2463 14 0	54 3 0	2517 17 0	1 0	0 4½
Barley & Barley Meal	49044 2	—	49044 2	2452 5 4	—	2452 5 4		
Oats and Oat Meal	38893 3	—	38893 3	1944 13 1	—	1944 13 1		
Rye and Rye Meal.....	2020 0	—	2020 0	101 0 0	—	101 0 0		
Pease and Pea Meal	2574 5	—	2574 5	128 14 8	—	128 14 8		
Beans and Bean Meal.....	7140 4	—	7140 4	357 0 10	—	357 0 10		
Indian Corn and Indian Meal	23604 4	—	23604 4	1180 5 0	—	1180 5 0		
Buck Wheat and Buck Wheat Meal.....	0 2	—	0 2	0 0 4	—	0 0 4		
Beer or Bigg	—	—	—	—	—	—		
	167497 0	1082 5	168561 5	8627 13 3	54 3 0	8681 16 3		

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

Office of the Inspector-General of Imports and Exports, Custom-house, London, 15th April, 1857.

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

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to George Lowry for improvements in machinery for heckling flax and other fibrous materials, bearing date the 7th day of September, 1855.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the above-named George Lowry has applied by Petition, to Her Majesty's Attorney-General, according to the Statutes in that case made and provided, for leave to file a disclaimer and memorandum of alteration of parts of the said specification of the said patent.

George Lowry.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Jean Francois Victor Larnaudès, of No. 2, Rue Gabrielle, Montmartre, near Paris, in the Empire of France, Gentleman, praying for letters patent for the invention of "for the disinfection and deodorisation of animal and vegetable substances," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 8th day of April, 1857, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that provisional protection has been allowed

2954. To Henry Wimball, of Aldermaston, in the county of Berks, Brick Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for the manufacture of bricks, tiles, pipes, and other articles of a similar nature."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 12th day of December, 1856.

288. To Duncan Morrison, of Bordesley Works, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, for the invention of "a new or improved manufacture of ordnance."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 31st day of January, 1857.

578. To Edward Mucklow, of Bury, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturing Chemist, for the invention of "an improvement in the manufacture of 'alizarine.'"

On his petition recorded, in the Office of the Commissioners on the 27th day of February, 1857.

618. To James Broad, of 149 and 150, Drury-lane, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "the application of artificial boards, or papier maché, or patent composition boards, composed (or partly so) of any vegetable fibre, and the like, either in its raw state or worked up from old substances, to friction washers of every description of wheeled carriage and cart axles, also for covering wing and dash irons, and forming heel boards for Hansom cabs."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 3rd day of March, 1857.

664. To Eléonore Augustin Pagnerre, of No. 143, Drury-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Designer and Engraver, for the invention of "a machine for counting, cutting, and inserting wire in blocks of wood for the purpose of printing and stamping on linen, calico, silk, cloth, and paper, and for all printing purposes."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 7th day of March, 1857.

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746. To George Farrell Remfry, of Riches-court, Lime-street, in the city of London, Merchant, for the invention of "a portable apparatus for working punkas and whisks."

748. To Thomas Dean, of Whittle-lane, near Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, Power Loom Weaver, for the invention of "improvements in looms."

750. To William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66 Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "certain improvements in artificial legs."—A communication.

752. To James Withnall, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Coppersmith, for the invention of "certain improvements in the manufacture of rollers or cylinders to be employed for printing calico and other surfaces."

754. To William McCulloch, of Kilmarnock, in the county of Ayr, North Britain, Plumber, and Thomas Kennedy, of the same place, Water Meter Maker, for the invention of "improvements in stop cocks or valves."

756. And to John Fox, of Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Builder, for the invention of "an improved music scale."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 17th day of March, 1857.

758. To Thomas Yarrow, of Arbroath, in the county of Forfar, North Britain, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in locomotive steam engines."

760. To François Barthelemy Loubatières, of Agen (France), Merchant, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of paper, card-board, and paste board."

762. To Richard Talbot, of Moxley, near Bilston, in the county of Stafford, Furnace Builder, for the invention of "improvements in furnaces used in the manufacture of iron."

764. To Lewis Hope, of Bishopsgate Churchyard, in the city of London, Merchant, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of paper."—A communication from Harriet Smith, late widow and executrix of E. P. Woolrich, of Canada, North America.

766. To John Horace Taylor, of New York, in the United States of America, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in buckets and valve seats for bilge and other pumps."

768. And to Joseph Lewis, of Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Machine Maker, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for reaping and mowing."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 18th day of March, 1857.

770. To Henry Armistead, of Colne, in the county of Lancaster, Mill Architect, for the invention of an "improved 'picker,' to be used in power looms for weaving."

772. To Richard Archibald Brooman, of 166, Fleet-street, in the city of London, E. C., Patent Agent, for the invention of "an improved projectile."—A communication.

774. And to Marie Amedie Charles Mellier, of Frews Weir Mills, Exeter, in the county of Devon, Paper Maker, for the invention of "improvements in desiccating or drying paper and other goods in process of manufacture."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 19th day of March, 1857.

776. To Thomas Sidebottom Adshead, of North End Mills, Stalybridge, in the county of Chester, Cotton Spinner, and Abraham Holden, of the same place, Carder, for the invention of "certain improvements in machinery for carding cotton and other fibrous materials."

782. To Charles Weiss, of the firm of Schwann, Kell and Co., of Huddersfield, Commission Merchants, Henry Lister, of the same place, Manufacturer, and John Mitchell, of Sheepridge, near Huddersfield, in the county of York, Finisher, for the invention of "improvements in finishing woollen and other textile fabrics, and in the machinery or apparatus employed for that purpose."

784. To Nathan James Greenwood, of Morley, near Leeds, in the county of York, Woollen Spinner, for the invention of "improvements in spinning mules and slubbing machines."

786. To John Chedgoy, of the Grove, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for mangling, callendering, or pressing goods."

788. And to Isaac Atkin, of the town and county of the town of Nottingham, Lace Manufacturer, and Marmaduke Miller, of the same place, Steam Guage Maker, for the invention of "improvements in dividing lace."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 20th day of March, 1857.

895. To Charles Iles, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in bolts for doors."

897. To Benjamin Horatio Paul, of Torrington-street, Torrington-square, in the county of Middlesex, Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in the preservation of stone, either natural or artificial, also of cements and other similar compositions."

899. To Charles Greves, of St. Thomas-street, Southwark, Gun Maker, for the invention of "improvements in breech loading guns and pistols."

901. To Robert Adam, of Paisley, in the county of Renfrew, North Britain, Manager, for the invention of "improvements in preparing and finishing threads or yarns."

903. To Lambert Perin, Engineer, residing in Paris, No. 2, Rue Barbette, for the invention of "the easy discovery of flaws and escapes in gas pipes."

905. To John Sugden, of Bradford, in the county of York, Machine Wool Comb Maker, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of combs for combing wool, silk, cotton, flax, or other fibrous materials,"

907. To Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, for the invention of "certain improvements in fire-arms."—A communication.

909. And to John Oliver, of 28, Bow-lane, Poplar, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for manufacturing and conveying sulphuric acid."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 1st day of April, 1857.

911. To George Lowry, of Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Machinist, for the invention of "certain improvements in machinery for heckling flax and other fibrous materials."

913. To John Frederick Wieland, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in portable apparatus and materials for cleaning the teeth."

915. To Howard Ashton Holden, of Bingley Works, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Railway and General Carriage Furniture and Lamp Manufacturer, for the invention of "certain improvements in carriage lamps and general carriage and harness furniture and fittings."

917. To Edwin Maw, of the Doncaster Iron Works, Yorkshire, for the invention of "an improvement in the points of railway crossings."

919. To Richard Archibald Brooman, of 166, Fleet-street, in the city of London, E.C., Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in treating and bleaching fibrous vegetable substances, and in machinery employed therein."—A communication from Henri Bouchet.

921. And to Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, for the invention of "improvements in repeating fire arms."—A communication.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 2nd day of April, 1857.

923. To William Henry Box, of East Looe, in the county of Cornwall, Gentleman, for the "invention of an improved fish hook."

925. To Stephen Barker, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturer, for the invention of "an improvement or improvements in the manufacture of steel."

927. To Richard Archibald Brooman, of 166, Fleet-street, in the city of London, E.C., Patent Agent, for the invention of "a machine for the manufacture of bolts and rivets."—A communication.

929. To David Joy, of Leeds, in the county of York, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in steam engines."

931. To Thomas Craddock, of 137, Tachbrook-street, Pimlico, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for the invention of "certain improvements in the steam engine and steam boiler."

933. And to Félix Marie Baudouin, of Paris, in the Empire of France, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in the wires or conductors of electric telegraphs, and in the machinery for the manufacture thereof."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 3rd day of April, 1857.

935. To John Bourne, of No. 9, Billiter-street, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "the generation and application of motive power."

937. To Henry Harvey and Robert Smith, both of No. 22, Surrey-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in raising sunken ships; other vessels, and all other matters and things from under, to the surface of the water, and to prevent their sinking."

939. To Elkan Adler, of the city of New York, in the United States of America, now residing at 133, High Holborn, Middlesex, and Francis Barber Howell, of the city of Lebanon, in the State of Ohio, in the United States of America, now residing at 36, High Holborn, Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in machines for cleaning knives and other similar articles."

941. To John Austen, of 33, Rue des Martyres, Paris, in the Empire of France, Gentleman, for the invention of "certain improvements for extracting silk and other textile and vegetable substances from the bark and leaves of every description of mulberry trees."
943. To Adolphe Leclercq, Iron Manufacturer, of Trith St. Leger, near Valenciennes, town in the French Empire, for the invention of "certain improvements in sleepers of railways."
945. To Richard Birkin, junr., and Thomas Isaac Birkin, of Nottingham, Lace Manufacturers, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of figured lace."
947. To Emile Testelin, living in the city of Ghent, Kingdom of Belgium, Plaine St. Pierre, No. 22, for the invention of "a new system for the application of electricity as moving power."
949. To William Sumner, of Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Spindle Maker, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for preparing, slubbing, and roving fibrous materials."
951. To 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, for the invention of "improvements in preserving food."—A communication from Poe Edouard Lemetteus and Michael Bonière, both of Rouen, in the Empire of France.
953. To James Hansor, of Barnes, in the county of Surrey, Practical Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for consuming gas."
955. And to John James Rippon, of Oakenshaw Print Works, near Accrington, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturer, for the invention of "a new or improved instrument or apparatus for straining or filtering colours."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 4th of April, 1857.
957. To Thomas Melling, of the Rainhill Iron Works, near Prescott, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in taps or valves, and in apparatus to prevent the overflowing of, and letting off, the water from baths."
959. To George Tomlinson Bousfield, of Loughboro'-park, Brixton, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in treating India-rubber and gutta percha, in order to render the same impermeable to illuminating and other gases."—A communication.
961. To Samuel Clarke, of 55, Albany-street, Regent's-park, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of candles and night lights."
963. To Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, for the invention of "an improvement in the construction of smoothing irons."—A communication.
965. To Charles Goodyear, of Leicester-square, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "an improved manufacture of waterproof fabric, applicable as a substitute for leather, prunella, embroidered and other ornamental fabrics and stuffs."
967. And to John Horace Taylor, of 24, Alma-street, Hoxton, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in regulating the flow of fluids."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners, on the 6th day of April, 1857.

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849, and of the General Indemnity Insurance Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all parties claiming to be creditors of this Company are to come in and prove their debts before the Vice-Chancellor Sir William Page Wood, the Judge to whose Court this matter is attached, and who is acting in the winding up of the above-named Company, at his chambers, No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, and until they shall so come in, they will be precluded from commencing or prosecuting any proceeding for recovery of their debts.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1857.

In Chancery.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Honour Vice-Chancellor Sir John Stuart, the Judge to whose Court this matter is attached, on Monday, the 27th day of April instant, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at his chambers, No. 11 and 12, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, will proceed to make a call of ten pounds per share, upon all the contributories settled on the list of contributories of this Company; and notice is hereby further given, that all persons interested are entitled to attend at such time and place to offer objections to such call.

CONTRACTS FOR BALTIC TIMBER GOODS AND NORWAY SPARS.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, March 28, 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 28th April next, at two o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying Her Majesty's several Dock Yards with

Riga Fir Timber and Hand Masts,
Dantzic Fir Timber and Deck Deals,
and
Norway Spars.

The articles (except such as may be rejected) to be exempted from the Customs' duties.

Distributions of the articles and forms of the tenders may be seen at the said Office.

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

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words "Tender for _____," and must also be delivered at Somerset-place, accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of £5,000 for the due performance of each of the contracts for Riga and Dantzic Goods, and in the sum of £500 for the Norway Spars.

CONTRACTS FOR TAR AND PITCH.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, March 31, 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 21st April next, at two o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying Her Majesty's Dock Yards with

Stockholm Tar,
and

Stockholm, Archangel, or British-made Pitch.

Distributions of the articles and forms of the tenders may be seen at the said Office.

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

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words "Tender for _____," and must be delivered at Somerset-place, accompanied by a letter, signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of £25 per cent. on the value for the due performance of the contract for tar, and by one person for the contract for pitch.

CONTRACT FOR TALLOW.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, April 6, 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 21st instant, at two o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying Her Majesty's Dock Yard, at Woolwich, with

20 tons of RUSSIA WHITE or ENGLISH TALLOW.

Parties tendering are to state the earliest period within which they will engage to deliver the same.

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

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

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words "Tender for Tallow," and must be delivered at Somerset-place, accompanied by a letter, signed by a responsible person, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of £300 for the due performance of the contract.

CONTRACT FOR CLEANSING BISCUIT BAGS, HAMMOCKS, AND COTS, AND FOR CLEANSING AND REPAIRING BED CASES, PILLOW CASES, AND BLANKETS.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling, Somerset-House, April 8, 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 23rd instant, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract, for twelve months certain, and further until the expiration of three months' warning, for

Cleansing Biscuit Bags, Hammocks, and Cots,
and for

Cleansing and Repairing Bed Cases, Pillow Cases and Blankets.

The articles to be taken by the contractor from Her Majesty's Yards at Deptford, and to be returned by him into Store when cleansed and repaired.

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

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

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

CONTRACT FOR LIGHTERAGE ON THE RIVER THAMES.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling, Somerset-House, April 9, 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 23rd instant, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for performing, for twelve months certain from the 25th May next, and afterwards until the expiration of three months' warning, all such

LIGHTERAGE

between Woolwich and the Nine Elms Railway Station above Vauxhall Bridge (both inclusive) as shall from time to time be required by the Superintendent of Her Majesty's Victualling Yard at Deptford.

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

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

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

CONTRACTS FOR LEMON JUICE CASES AND TARRED CLOTH.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling, Somerset-Place, April 9, 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 23rd instant, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and delivering into Her Majesty's Victualling Stores at Deptford, all such

LEMON JUICE CASES and

TARRED CLOTH FOR WRAPPERS,
as may from time to time be demanded for twelve months certain, and afterwards until the expiration of three months' warning.

Samples of the Lemon Juice Cases may be seen at Her Majesty's Victualling Yard at Deptford, and samples of the Tarred Cloth, together with the conditions of the revised contracts, may be seen at the said Office.

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

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

CONTRACTS FOR STAVES AND IRON
HOOPS.

Department of the Comptroller for
Victualling, Somerset-House,
April 13, 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 30th instant, at one
o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such
persons as may be willing to contract for sup-
plying and delivering into Her Majesty's Vic-
tualling Stores, at Deptford, Gosport, and Ply-
mouth, the undermentioned articles, viz.:

DEPTFORD.

Baltic Pipe Staves, 50 mille; Quebec Pipe
Staves, 30 mille; 20 mille of the Baltic
Staves and 10 mille of the Quebec Staves to
be delivered by the 30th June, 1857, and
the remainder by the 31st December, 1857,
or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.
New Iron Butt Hoops, 60 tons; New Iron
Stout Plate Hoops, 79 tons; New Iron Slight
Plate Hoops, 60 tons; half of each to be
delivered by the 30th June, 1857, and the
remainder by the 31st December, 1857, or
earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

GOSPORT.

Baltic Pipe Staves, 4 mille; Quebec Pipe
Staves, 4 mille; half of each to be delivered
by the 31st July, 1857, and the remainder
by the 31st December, 1857, or earlier if
preferred by the party tendering.
New Iron Butt Hoops, $7\frac{1}{4}$ tons; New Iron
Stout Plate Hoops, $12\frac{1}{4}$ tons; New Iron
Slight Plate Hoops, 1 ton; half of each to be
delivered by the 31st July, 1857, and the
remainder by the 31st December, 1857, or
earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

PLYMOUTH.

Baltic Pipe Staves, 12 mille; Quebec Pipe
Staves, 4 mille; half of each to be delivered
by the 30th September, 1857, and the re-
mainder by the 31st December, 1857, or
earlier if preferred by the party tendering.
New Iron Butt Hoops, 23 tons; half to be de-
livered by the 30th September, 1857, and
the remainder by the 31st December, 1857,
or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

*Tenders may be made for the whole or any
portion of the articles, but separate tenders must be
made for each port, and no attention will be paid
to any offers not so made.*

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

*Samples of the articles may be seen at the Vic-
tualling Yards at Deptford, Gosport, and Ply-
mouth.*

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

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

*No tender will be received after one o'clock on
the day of treaty, and it will not be required that
the party tendering, or an agent on his behalf,*

*should attend at the Office on the day of contract,
as the result of the offer received from each per-
son will be communicated to him and his proposed
sureties in writing.*

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

CONTRACT FOR WINE.

Department of the Comptroller for
Victualling, Somerset-House,
April 13, 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 Monday the 27th instant, at one o'clock,
they will be ready to treat with such persons as
may be willing to contract for supplying and
delivering into Her Majesty's Victualling Stores,
at Deptford,

Wine (White) Marsala, 2,000 gallons; half to
be delivered in three weeks, and the re-
mainder in three weeks afterwards, or earlier
if preferred by the party tendering.

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

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

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

*Samples of the wine, in pints from each cask,
must be produced by the parties tendering, and not
samples only for each import mark.*

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

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

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

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

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

Westminster Fire Office.

King-Street, Covent-Garden,

April 16, 1857. W.C.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Ordinary
General Meeting of Members appointed by
the rules of this Society to be held yearly on the
last Thursday in April, or within ten days there-
after, for the choice of Auditors, and on other
affairs, will be holden at this office, on Thursday,
the 7th day of May next, at twelve o'clock.

The chair to be taken at one o'clock precisely.

W. M. Browne, Secretary.

Sambre and Meuse Railway.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the twenty-third Half-yearly General Meeting of the Proprietors in this undertaking will be held at the Offices of the Company, No. 61, Moorgate-street, London, on Tuesday the 12th day of May next, at one o'clock precisely; and at the Siège of the Company, Jardinets lez Walcourt, Belgium, on Tuesday the 19th day of May next, at twelve o'clock precisely, on the general business of the Company.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1857.

Wm. P. Richards, President.
M. Chubb, Secretary.

By the statutes of the Company it is required that, to enable the Holders of Shares "To Bearer" to take part in the General Meeting, such shares must be deposited with the Secretary of the Company at least ten days before such Meeting.

M. Chubb, Secretary.

Universal Life Assurance Office,
No. 1, King William-Street, London,
April 17, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual General Court of Proprietors of this Society will be held, at the Society's Office, as above, on Wednesday the 13th day of May next.

The chair will be taken at one o'clock precisely.

By order of the Board,

M. E. Impey, Secretary.

Universal Life Assurance Office,
No. 1, King William-Street, London,
April 17, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an Extraordinary General Court of Proprietors of this Society will be held, at the Society's Office, as above, on Wednesday the 13th day of May next, at half past one o'clock (or at the termination of the business of the Annual General Court of Proprietors which will be held on the same 13th day of May).

For the purpose of electing two Directors, in the places of Charles Otway Mayne, Esq., and Robert Saunders, Esq., deceased, and also for the election of an Auditor, in the place of William Norris Nicholson, Esq., who has resigned that office.

Persons proposing candidates, or intending to offer themselves as candidates for either of the said offices, will be required to leave notice in writing of such their intention, at the Office of the said Society, fifteen days at least before the said day of election, and no votes by proxy can be admitted.

By order of the Board,

M. E. Impey, Secretary.

The Mines Royal and Mineral and Battery Works Societies.

Dowgate, April 13, 1857.

THE Governors and Court of Assistants give notice, that a General Court will be held, at the House, Golden Heart Wharf, Dowgate, London, on Monday the 4th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, for the election of Governors and Assistants; and on other business.

R. W. Jennings, Governor.

Assam Company.

30, Great Winchester-Street,
April 15, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that pursuant to the 27th clause of the deed of settlement of the Assam Company, a General Annual Meeting of the Shareholders, will be held at the London Tavern, Bishopsgate-street, on Friday, the 1st day of May next, at twelve for one o'clock precisely.

By order of the Court of Directors,

Walter Frideaux, Secretary.

Equitable Reversionary Interest Society,
10, Lancaster-place, Strand.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an Extraordinary General Court of Proprietors will be holden at the London Coffee-house, Ludgate-hill, London, on Friday, the 24th day of April instant, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the purpose of taking into consideration, and confirming or rejecting, the Resolutions passed at the Extraordinary General Court of the 13th of March last, for determining on the steps to be taken in consequence of the Society having been Registered and Incorporated under "The Joint Stock Companies' Act, 1856."

By order of the Board of Directors,

John Clayton, Secretary.

Imperial Brazilian Mining Association.

Winchester-House, Broad-Street,
London, April 9, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting (being the 2nd Meeting for this purpose) of the Proprietors of the above Association will be held, at the London Tavern, Bishopsgate-street, London, on Tuesday the 19th day of May next, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the purpose of considering the propriety of an absolute and entire dissolution of the said Association, in pursuance of the deed of settlement of the said Association in this behalf, and of coming to such resolution thereon as the Meeting shall think proper.

And notice is hereby also given, that, at the former Meeting for this purpose, held on the 9th day of April instant, a dissolution was resolved on, and a Committee for taking measures to effect such dissolution was appointed, and the following are copies of such resolution.

9th April, 1857.

Resolved,

1. That the Imperial Brazilian Mining Association be forthwith absolutely and entirely dissolved, in pursuance of the provisions of the deed of settlement of the said Association in that behalf.

2. And that a Committee be now appointed in pursuance of the provisions of the said deed, for taking measures for effecting such dissolution, and that such Committee be composed of the present Directors of the said Association, and of an equal number of Shareholders to be chosen by the Proprietors of the said Association now present.

3. That, accordingly, Captain Leicester Viney Vernon, John David Barry, Thomas Gibbes, William Lemon Oliver, John Schofield, and Thomas Bailey Illidge, Esqrs., who are the present Directors of the said Association, and Joseph Charles Barkworth, William Whitelock, Conrad Vandermin, Thomas Butts, Benjamin Curtis, and William Cook, Esqrs., Shareholders now present, and who undertake to serve, and who are now respectively chosen by the Proprietors of the said Association now present, be such Committee.

4. That the Chairman of this Meeting do sign these resolutions, in token that three-fourth parts of the votes of the Proprietors now present give their consent and approbation to the absolute and entire dissolution of the said Association taking place as aforesaid, and that such Committee as aforesaid has been appointed, and such persons as aforesaid have been chosen to compose the same, for the purpose aforesaid, by the majority of the Proprietors of the said Association present at this Meeting.

(Signed) Leicester V. Vernon, Chairman.

By order of the Court of Directors,

J. G. Davy.

Tincroft Mining Company.

London, April 14, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a dividend, being the 20th, of five shillings per share, has this day been declared on the shares in this Company, payable on and after the 20th instant.

By order of the Board,

Hiram Williams, Secretary.

N.B. Certificates must be left at the office of the Company, 61, Moorgate-street, London, six clear days in order to be examined and marked.

Hiram Williams.

National Provincial Bank of England,
No. 112, Bishopsgate-Street, London,
April 14, 1857.

THE Directors of the National Provincial Bank of England hereby give notice, that the Annual General Meeting of the Proprietors of this Society will be held on Thursday the 14th May next, at the hour of twelve precisely, at the Company's House, No. 112, Bishopsgate-street, in the city of London.

By order of the Court of Directors,

Dan. Robertson, Agent and Manager.

N.B. The chair will be taken at twelve o'clock precisely, not twelve for one.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edmund Barstow and Francis Barstow, in the trade or business of Grocers, carried on by us at Bowling, in the parish of Bradford, in the county of York, or elsewhere, under the style or firm of E. and F. Barstow, or under any other style or firm, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent; the business will in future be carried on by the said Edmund Barstow, on his own account, and he will pay and be authorized to receive all debts and sums of money due to or owing from the said firm.—As witness our hands this 11th day of April, 1857.

Edmund Barstow.

Francis Barstow.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership (if any) hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, James Pilling and William Duckworth, as Confectioners and Bread Bakers, at Rawtenstall, in the Forest of Rossendale, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Pilling and Company, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said James Pilling, who will henceforth carry on the said business of a Confectioner and Bread Baker, on his own account.—As witness the hands of the said parties this 11th day of April, 1857.

James Pilling.

William Duckworth.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Minshall, Thomas Savin, and John Jones, carrying on the trade or business of Hop Merchants and Seedsmen, at Oswestry, in the county of Salop, under the style or firm of Minshall, Jones, and Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent, so far as concerns the said John Minshall. All debts to be received and paid by the said Thomas Savin and John Jones.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1857.

John Minshall.

John Jones.

Thos. Savin.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which lately subsisted between Edwin Betts and Emma Betts, of High-street, Putney, in the county of Surrey, Butchers, was on the 29th day of September, 1856, dissolved by mutual consent; and all debts owing to or from the said late partnership will be received and paid by the said Edwin Betts.—Witness our hands the 30th day of March, 1857.

Edwin Betts.

Emma Slater.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Herman Wulfson and William Wulfson, as Wholesale Dealers in Watches, Clocks, and Watch Materials, carrying on business at No. 98, Stock-street, Cheetham-hill-road, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, under the style of H. and W. Wulfson, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1857.

Herman Wulfson.

William Wulfson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Benjamin Greenwood and James Longbottom, trading at Halifax, in the county of York, as Fancy Cloth Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Greenwood and Longbottom, was, on the 9th day of January last past, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said partnership will be received or paid by the said James Longbottom.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1857.

Benjamin Greenwood.

James Longbottom.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, carrying on business in the Old Cock-yard, Halifax, in the county of York, as Wool and Waste Dealers, under the firm of Riley and Mallinson, was dissolved by mutual consent, on the 14th day of October last; the said business will be continued by the said Alfred Riley, by whom all debts due to and from the said partnership business will be received and paid.—As witness our hands this 9th day of April, 1857.

Alfred Riley.

William Mallinson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Samuel Francis and George Frederick Dunn, carrying on the trade or business of Engineers and Revolving Shutter Makers, at No. 84, Gray's-inn-lane, in the county of Middlesex, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due and owing by or to the said partnership firm will be received and paid by the said William Samuel Francis, who will continue to carry on the said business at Gray's-inn-lane aforesaid.—Dated this 14th day of April, 1857.

W. S. Francis.

G. F. Dunn.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, John Livesey, James Lancaster, and Samuel Lancaster, as Coal and Ironstone Miners, at Cobridge, near Burslem, in the county of Stafford, under the style or firm of James Lancaster and Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said James Lancaster and Samuel Lancaster.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1857.

John Livesey.

Jas. Lancaster.

Sam. Lancaster.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, William Satterthwaite the elder and William Satterthwaite the younger, carrying on business as Grocers, at Lancaster, in the county of Lancaster, was dissolved by mutual consent, on the 31st day of December, 1856.—As witness our hands this 13th day of April, 1857.

William Satterthwaite the elder.

William Satterthwaite the younger.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership for some time past subsisting and carried on by us the undersigned, William Haigh, John Chapman Poore, and William John Brown, at Reddish Vale, in the county of Lancaster, as Paper Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Haigh, Poore, and Brown, was this day dissolved by mutual consent, so far as regards the undersigned William Haigh, who retires therefrom; and that all debts owing to or by the said copartnership concern will be received and paid by the said John Chapman Poore and William John Brown, who will henceforth carry on the said business in copartnership together on their own account.—As witness our hands this 14th day of April, 1857.

Wm. Haigh.

Jno. Chapman Poore.

William John Brown.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Shackleton and Robert Budd, carrying on business as Common Brewers, at the Strong Arm Brewery, at Sheffield, in the county of York, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Robert Budd.—Dated this 11th day of March, 1857.

Thomas Shackleton.

Robert Budd.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Pim and Sylvanus Pim, carrying on business at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, as Corn Brokers and General Commission Agents, under the name or firm of G. and S. Pim, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 31st day of March now last past.—As witness our hands this 15th day of April, 1857.

George Pim.

Sylvanus Pim.

THE Partnership subsisting between Frederick William Gibbon and Robert Dennistoun Macgregor is this day dissolved by mutual consent; and the said Frederick William Gibbon will receive debts due to the said firm, and discharge liabilities.—No. 25A, Bucklersbury, London, 31st March, 1857.

F. W. Gibbon.

R. D. Macgregor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Charles James Ellis and William Nash, carrying on trade or business under the style or firm of the Patent Graining Company, at No. 30, Minories, in the city of London, hath been this day dissolved by mutual consent, as from the 1st day of January last; and that by the like consent all debts due to and owing by the said late partnership will be received and paid by the said Charles James Ellis, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1857.

W. Nash.

Charles J. Ellis.

NOTICE, that we, Paul Addington and William Fassett, have this day mutually agreed to dissolve the partnership subsisting between us, and carrying the business and trade of Varnish Makers, at Phipp's-bridge, Mitcham, in the county of Surrey; the said William Fassett is to receive and retain all debts due and owing to the said partnership; and we declare, that from and after this day, the partnership subsisting between us shall cease and determine.—Dated the 16th day of April, 1857.

Paul Addington.

W. Fassett.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Abraham Howe and Charles James Cooper, of the city of York, Brewers, Spirit Merchants and Maltsters, carrying on business together in Friargate, in the city of York aforesaid, under the style or firm of Howe and Cooper, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and all debts due to and owing from the said firm will be received and paid by the said Abraham Howe.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1857.

Abm. Howe.

Charles James Cooper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Benjamin Wood and Alexander John Russell, carrying on the business of Wine Merchants, at No. 3, Crescent-place, Blackfriars, in the city of London, trading under the firm of Benjamin Wood and Company, has this day been dissolved, as from the 31st day of March last, by mutual consent; and that the said trade or business will in future be carried on by the said Benjamin Wood alone; and that all debts due or owing from or to the said late partnership will be received and paid by the said Benjamin Wood.—As witness our hands this 2nd day of April, 1857.

Benj. Wood.

A. J. Russell.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Elizabeth Holt and Robert Whittam Meadowcroft, in the business of Plumbers, Glaziers and Gas Fitters, carried on at No. 12, New York-street, Ardwick, under the style or firm of Holt and Meadowcroft, was dissolved on the 4th day of April instant. All debts due to or owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Elizabeth Holt, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 15th day of April, 1857.

Elizabeth Holt.

Robert Whittam Meadowcroft.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned, carrying on business as Attorneys and Solicitors, in the town of Nottingham, under the style or firm of Percy, Smith, and Goodall, is this day dissolved. All debts due to the said firm and owing by them will be received and paid at the offices of Messrs. Percy and Goodall, Wheeler-gate, Nottingham.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1857.

Edmund Percy.

John Smith.

Frederick Bates Goodall.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, John Hearn Nosworthy and William Henry Snell, carrying on business at No. 78, Coleman-street, in the city of London, as Lithographic Printers, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to or by the said copartnership will be received and paid by the said John Hearn Nosworthy, by whom the business will be carried on.—As witness our hands this 16th day of April, 1857.

J. H. Nosworthy.

W. H. Snell.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Richard Holland Bradley and Cecil Calvert Cogan, of Greenwich, Kent, as Surgeons and Apothecaries, under the firm of Bradley and Cogan, was dissolved as on and from the 20th day of March last.—Dated the 8th day of April, 1857.

Richard Holland Bradley.

C. Calvert Cogan.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore carried on by the undersigned, James Robert Evans, William Gates Adlard, and William Gilling, as Paper Manufacturers, at the Postlip Mills, Winchcomb, in the county of Gloucester, has, so far as relates to the said William Gilling, this day been dissolved by mutual consent; and that in future the business will be carried on by the said James Robert Evans and William Gates Adlard, in partnership, and they will pay and receive all debts owing to and from the late partnership in the regular course of trade.—Witness our hands this 7th day of March, 1857.

James Robert Evans.

William Gates Adlard.

William Gilling.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Fisher the younger and John Plews, carrying on business at Masham, in the county of York, as Attorneys and Solicitors, under the style or firm of Fisher and Plews, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts owing to and from the said firm will be received and paid by the undersigned John Fisher the younger.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1857.

Jno. Fisher, jr.

John Plews.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting and carried on between us the undersigned, James Refitt and Henry Fawcett, as Wool Dyers, under the firm of Refitt and Fawcett, at Spring-gardens, in Leeds, in the county of York, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due to and owing from the said late partnership will be received and paid by the said James Refitt, who alone is authorized to receive and pay the same.—Dated this 14th day of April, 1857.

James Refitt.

Henry Fawcett.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore subsisting between us, Thomas Malcolm and William Alexander Malcolm, in the trades of Ironmongers, Braziers, and Gas Fitters, and of Dealers in China and Glass, carried on by us at Nos. 11 and 25, Elvet-bridge, in the city of Durham, under the style or firm of T. and W. A. Malcolm, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that the trade or business of Ironmonger, Brazier, and Gas Fitter, will in future be carried on at No. 11, Elvet-bridge aforesaid, by the said Thomas Malcolm alone, by whom all debts due to and from that branch of the late copartnership will be received and paid; and that the trade or business of Dealer in China and Glass will in future be carried on at No. 25, Elvet-bridge aforesaid, by the said William Alexander Malcolm alone, by whom all debts due to and from that branch of the late copartnership will be received and paid.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1857.

Thomas Malcolm.

W. A. Malcolm.

[Extract from the Edinburgh Gazette of April 14, 1857.]

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERY.

Leith, April 13, 1857.

THE Copartnership carried on in Leith by the Subscribers, the sole Partners, as Wine Merchants and Commission Agents, under the Firm of William Shiels and Company, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. The debts due to and by the Copartnership will be received and paid by either of the Subscribers.

Wm. Shiels.

John S. Shiels.

PILLANS SCARTH, Witness.

PHILIP CAMPBELL, Witness.

Norfolk.—The remaining part of the Bawburgh Hall Estate, four miles from Norwich.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Cooper v. Greene, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Torin Kindersley, the Judge to whose Court the said cause is attached, by Messrs. Butcher, at the Royal Hotel, Norwich, on Saturday, the 2nd day of May, 1857, at four o'clock in the afternoon, in one lot:

Four inclosures of arable land, situate in Bawburgh and Little Melton, Norfolk, abutting north on the turnpike-road from Norwich to Hingham, containing together, by survey,

35A. 2R. 24P., in the occupation of Mr. Thomas Cross, who is under notice to quit possession at Michaelmas, 1857.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis) in London, of Messrs. Wood and France, Solicitors, No. 8, Falcon-street, Aldersgate, Messrs. Currie, Woodgate, and Williams, Solicitors, Lincoln's-inn-fields; Messrs. Sharpe, Field, and Jackson, Solicitors, Bedford-row; Messrs. Bray and Co., Solicitors, Great Russell-street, Bloomsbury; Mr. Child, Solicitor, Old Jewry-chambers; Messrs. Lowless and Nelson, Solicitors, Hatton-court, Threadneedle-street; Mr. Kelly, Solicitor, Old Jewry-chambers; Messrs. Clarke, Gray, and Woodcock, Solicitors, Lincoln's-inn-fields; Mr. Cole, Solicitor, Tokenhouse-yard; Messrs. Bell and Co., Solicitors, Bow-churchyard; Mr. Green, Solicitor, Moor-gate-street; and in the country, in Norwich, of J. N. V. Cooper, Solicitor; Messrs. Foster, Son, Burroughes, and Robbards; Messrs. Rackham and Cooke; Messrs. Blake, Keith, Blake, and Keith; at the Royal Hotel, Norwich; and of the Auctioneer, Norwich.

Freehold Estate near Portsmouth, Hampshire.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Ommanney v. McCarogher, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Sir R. T. Kindersley, the Judge to whose Court the said cause is attached, by Messrs. Daniel Smith, Son, and Oakley, at the Auction Mart, London, on Tuesday, the 19th day of May, 1857, at twelve o'clock noon, in four lots:

A valuable freehold estate, situate in the parish of Warblington, in the county of Hants, comprising a substantial and well-built mansion house, known as Warblington House, together with a farm-yard and all requisite farm buildings, cottage, and garden, and several very valuable pieces or parcels of superior meadow or pasture land, and containing in the whole nearly 27 acres.

The estate is situate on the high road from Portsmouth to Chichester, and is a mile from the Havant Station of the Brighton and South Coast Railway. The mansion house is built upon a comfortable plan, and contains excellent and commodious offices, with stabling, entrance lodge, well-dressed lawns and pleasure-grounds, ornamental water, walled garden, vinery, and conservatory. The estate was, for some years previously to his death, occupied by the proprietor, the late Admiral Sir John Acworth Ommanney, K.C.B.

Printed particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis), in London, of Messrs. Park and W. B. Nelson, Solicitors, No. 11, Essex-street, Strand; and of Messrs. Daniel Smith, Son, and Oakley, No. 10, Waterloo-place, Pall Mall, Land Agents and Auctioneers.

In the Matter of Charles Dickenson Hill, a Lunatic, so found by Inquisition.

UNDER the provisions of the Lunacy Regulation Act, 1853, any person or persons claiming to be the heir or heirs at law of the said Charles Dickenson Hill, formerly residing at Redcliffe-parade, Bristol, and for some years past and now residing at Hanham, in the county of Gloucester, or claiming to be entitled under the statute for the distribution of intestates' estates (in case he were now dead intestate), to his personal estate, are forthwith, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their heirship or kindred before the Masters in Lunacy, at their office, No. 45, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be precluded the benefit of all proceedings in the above matter. The said Charles Dickenson Hill is the only son of John Bartlett Hill, formerly of Redcliffe-parade and Hanham aforesaid, by Mary his wife, formerly Mary Creswicke, Spinster, who were married on the 30th November, 1797.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1857.

Estate of William Rose Smith

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, bearing date the 7th day of April, 1857, William Rose Smith, of King's Lynn, in the county of Norfolk, Draper, assigned all his personal estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, as therein is mentioned, unto John Swinford Basset, of Wood-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, and Rittson Southall, of King-street, Cheapside, also in the city of London, Warehouseman, in trust, for the benefit of themselves and the rest of the creditors of the said William Rose Smith, who shall execute the same; and that the said indenture of assignment was duly executed by the said William Rose Smith, and by the said John Swinford Basset and Rittson Southall, on the day of the date thereof, in the presence of, and attested by, William Charles Sole, of No. 68, Aldermanbury, in the said city of London, Solicitor; and that the said indenture now lies for execution by the creditors, at No. 68, Aldermanbury aforesaid.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1857.

Estate of Samuel Harrauld.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, bearing date the 2nd day of April, 1857, Samuel Harrauld, of Bury St. Edmund's, in the county of Suffolk, Draper, as-

signed all his personal estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, as therein is mentioned, unto Samuel Lowry, of Wood-street, and John Falshaw Pawson, of St. Paul's-churchyard, both in the city of London, Warehousemen, in trust, for the benefit of the creditors of the said Samuel Harrauld, who should execute the same; and that the said indenture of assignment was duly executed by the said Samuel Harrauld, and also by Samuel Lowry, and John Falshaw Pawson, on the day of the date thereof, in the presence of, and attested by, William Charles Sole, of No. 68, Aldermanbury, in the said city of London, Solicitor; and that the said indenture now lies for execution by the creditors at No. 68, Aldermanbury aforesaid.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1857.

Estate of Charles Henry Hills.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, bearing date the 8th day of April, 1857, Charles Henry Hills, of Broad-street, Portsmouth, in the county of Southampton, Tailor and Outfitter, assigned all his personal estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, as therein is mentioned, unto David Parker, of Goldsmith-street, in the city of London, Warehouseman, and Thomas Ford, of King-street, Cheapside, in the said city, Warehouseman, in trust, for the benefit of the creditors of the said Charles Henry Hills who should execute the same; and that the said indenture of assignment was duly executed by the said Charles Henry Hills on the day of the date thereof, in the presence of, and attested by, James Henry Pafford, junior, of Portsea, Solicitor; and by David Parker, on the day of the date, and by Thomas Ford on the 13th instant, in the presence of, and attested by, Frederic Turner, No. 68, Aldermanbury, in the said city of London, Solicitor; and that the said indenture now lies for execution by the creditors at No. 68, Aldermanbury aforesaid.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, dated the 19th day of March last, William Wild, of No. 162, North-street, Brighton, and of Eastbourne, both in the county of Sussex, Dealer in Toys, assigned all his personal estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, unto Daniel Pryor Hack, of Brighton aforesaid, Gentleman, and George Lynn, also of Brighton aforesaid, Builder, their executors, administrators, and assigns, upon trust, for the equal benefit of the creditors of the said William Wild who should execute the said indenture; and that the said indenture was duly executed by the said William Wild on the said 19th day of March last, by the said Daniel Pryor Hack on the 1st day of April instant, and the said George Lynn on the 2nd day of April instant, and the execution thereof by the said William Wild, Daniel Pryor Hack, and George Lynn, respectively, was witnessed by Wilson Aylesbury Stuckey, of No. 50, Old Steine, Brighton aforesaid, Solicitor. And notice is hereby further given, that the said indenture now lies at the office of the said Wilson Aylesbury Stuckey situate at No. 50, Old Steine, Brighton aforesaid, for execution by the creditors of the said William Wild.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1857.

In Bankruptcy.

In the Matter of William Carter the younger, a bankrupt. Freeholds at Leamington. Eligible business premises, with extensive frontage to the Upper Parade and Warwick-street.

TO be sold by auction, by order of the Court of Bankruptcy, by Mr. Henry Elvins, at the Lansdowne Hotel, Leamington, on Monday, the 18th day of May next, at half past six for seven o'clock p.m. precisely.

All those desirable and conveniently-arranged premises, at the corner of the Upper Parade, wherein Mr. Wm. Carter has for many years carried on an extensive Ironmongery business. The principal shop has a frontage towards the parade of thirty feet, and another frontage to Warwick-street, and is forty-five feet long. There are three handsome and well-lighted reception rooms on the first floor, which is approached by a handsome geometrical oak staircase; three chambers used as show rooms, on the second floor; and three attics. There are also three small rooms let off to Mr. William Ballard, the owner of the adjoining property. In the basement are kitchen, scullery, pantry, housekeeper's room, and other offices, to which there is a distinct entrance from Warwick-street. There is also a private entrance from the parade. The fixtures are included in the sale.

Early possession may be had. The whole is freehold.

So favourable an opportunity of acquiring capacious business premises, with a residence, in one of the best situations in Leamington, is rarely to be met with.

For further particulars apply to Mr. John Suckling, Solicitor to the Assignees, Birmingham; Messrs. Poole and Sons, Solicitors, Kenilworth; James Christie, Esq., Official Assignee, Birmingham; or to Mr. H. Elvins, Auctioneer, Warwick.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 27th June, 1853, against Frederick Hale Thomson, late of No. 48, Berner's-street, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, and of West End, Hampstead, in the said county, Manufacturer of Silvered Glass Ware, and Silvered Glass Reflectors.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 4d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 18, Aldermanbury, City, on Monday the 20th instant, or any subsequent Mondays, between the hours of eleven and three of the clock, on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special direction of a Commissioner. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—April 16, 1857.

H. H. CANNAN, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 12th June, 1856, against George Newman Dobson, of the town and county of the town of Poole, Tailor and Woollen Draper, carrying on business under the name, style, or designation of Maitland.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 2s. 10d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 18, Aldermanbury, City, on Monday, the 20th of April instant, or any subsequent Mondays, between the hours of eleven and three on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special direction of a Commissioner. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will and letters of administration under which they claim.—April 16, 1857.

H. H. CANNAN, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 9th of August, 1856, against William Hugh Russell, of No. 30, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Blacking Manufacturer, trading under the style or firms of William Russell and Company, and Warren, Russell, and Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend at the rate of 5s. 6d. in the pound is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 18, Aldermanbury, City, on Monday the 20th instant, or any subsequent Monday, between the hours of eleven and three on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special direction of a Commissioner. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—April 16, 1857.

H. H. CANNAN, Official Assignee.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was filed on the 9th day of March, 1857, against William Popham Davis and James Davis, both of Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Slate, Marble, and Brick Merchants, and trading at Cardiff aforesaid, under the style or firm of Davis Brothers, under which they were declared Bankrupts; this is to give notice, that by an Order of Matthew Davenport Hill, Esq., the Commissioner of Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy at Bristol, bearing date the 16th day of April, 1857, the Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, made against the said William Popham Davis and James Davis, was dismissed, and the adjudication thereunder has been annulled.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 6th day of April, 1857, hath been presented against James Choat, late of No. 14, Bishopsgate-street, in the city of London, but now residing at No. 6, Albert-road, Dalston, in the county of Middlesex, Tailor, Dealer and Chapman, and he having been declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Joshua Evans, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 23rd day of April instant, and on the 21st day of May next, at two in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Bell, Coleman-street-buildings, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Morris, Stone, and Co., Solicitors, Moorgate-street.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 15th day of April, 1857, hath been presented against Frederick Lett, of No. 43, High-street, Lam-

beth, and of No. 13, Lavender Villas, Battersea, both in the county of Surrey, Potter, Dealer and Chapman, and he having been declared bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Joshua Evans, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 23rd day of April instant, and on the 21st of May next, at one in the afternoon precisely, on each of the said days; at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. P. Johnson, No. 20, Basinghall-street, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. William Phillips, Solicitor, No. 4, Sise-lane.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 16th day of April, 1857, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, against Alexander Bloxham Henderson, of London-street, Paddington, in the county of Middlesex, Livery-stable Keeper, 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 29th day of April instant, at two of the clock in the afternoon, and on the 26th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Stansfeld, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. H. E. Voules, Solicitor, No. 16, Gresham-street, City.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 11th day of April, 1857, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, against Joseph Smith, of Nos. 28 and 29, Broad-street, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, Dealer in Iron, 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 28th day of April instant, at two of the clock in the afternoon precisely, and on the 29th day of May next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. H. H. Cannan, of No. 18, Aldermanbury, London, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Tippetts and Son, Solicitors, of No. 2, Sise-lane.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, was, on the 15th day of April, 1857, filed against William James Tayler, of No. 1, Albion-terrace, De Beauvoir-square, Kingsland, in the county of Middlesex, Upholsterer, Cabinet Maker, Dealer and Chapman, and he having been declared bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Edward Holroyd, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 28th day of April instant, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, and on the 26th day of May 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. Edward Watkin Edwards, No. 1, Sambrook-court, Basinghall-street, London, the Official Assignee in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Messrs. Lawrance, Plews, and Boyer, Solicitors, No. 14, Old Jewry-chambers, London.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 9th day of April, 1857, filed against William Adams, of the borough of Huntingdon, in the county of Huntingdon, Miller, Corn Dealer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Edward Holroyd, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy,

on the 30th day of April instant, and on the 26th of May next, at two of the clock in the afternoon precisely, on each of the said days, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Edward Watkin Edwards, No. 1, Samsbrook-court, Basinghall-street, London, the Official Assignee in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Messrs. Bird and Moore, Solicitors, No. 5, Gray's-inn-square, London, or to Mr. Thomas Hallen, Solicitor, Huntingdon.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 16th day of April, 1857, filed against William Tent, of No. 21, Royal Exchange, in the city of London, Hosier, Dealer and Chapman, and he having been declared bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Edward Holroyd, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 30th day of April instant, at half past two in the afternoon precisely, and on the 26th day of May next, at one in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Charles Lee, No. 20, Aldermanbury, London, the Official Assignee in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Messrs. Hillyer and Fenwick, Solicitors, No. 8, Fenchurch-street, London.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy against Thomas Richards, of Aberystwith, in the county of Cardigan, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, was filed on the 4th day of April, 1857, in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, for the Bristol District, at the city and county of Bristol, and he having been declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Matthew Davenport Hill, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, on the 4th day of May next, and on the 1st day of June following, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, on each of the said days, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in the city and county of Bristol, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Alfred John Acraman, No. 19, St. Augustine's-place, Bristol, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. M. Brittan and Sons, Albion-chambers, Bristol, Solicitors.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, against George Jayne the younger, of Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Builder, and lately carrying on business as a Sawyer, in copartnership with John Philipotts, at the Newport Steam Sawing Mills, at Newport aforesaid, was filed on the 15th day of April, 1857, in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, for the Bristol District, at the city and county of Bristol, and he having been declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Matthew Davenport Hill, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, on the 27th day of April instant, and on the 25th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, on each day, at the Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, in the city and county of Bristol, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Edward Mant Miller, No. 19, Saint Augustine's-place, Bristol, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Bevan and Girling, Solicitors, Bristol.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 15th day of April, 1857, hath been duly filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, against Richard Winter Neave, of Market Rasen, in the county of Lincoln, and of Sheffield, in the county of York, Miller and Flour Dealer, and he being declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to

William Scrope Ayrton, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 6th day of May next, and on the 3rd day of June following at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, on each day, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Town-hall, Kingston-upon-Hull, 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. Theophilus Carrick, of Hull, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. R. H. Daubney, Solicitor, Market Rasen, or to Messrs. Stamp and Jackson, Solicitors, Hull.

WHEREAS Samuel Dalton, Daniel Dalton, and Alfred Dalton, of the city of Chester, Ironmasters and Copartners, carrying on business at Leeswood, in the parish of Mold, in the county of Flint, as Ironmasters, under the style or firm of the Leeswood Iron Company, being traders within the meaning of "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849," and being unable to meet their engagements, did, on 11th day of March, 1857, file in the Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District a Petition for arrangement with their creditors, under the said Act, and a private sitting having been appointed to be held on the 15th day of April, 1857, and the Court having, on the said 15th day of April, 1857, for the cause then shown to its satisfaction, duly adjudged them bankrupts, and they having been declared bankrupts are hereby required to surrender themselves to Henry James Perry, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Liverpool District Court of Bankruptcy, at Liverpool, on the 28th day of April instant, and on the 25th day of May next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, on each of the said days, 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. James Cazenove, Eldon-chambers, Liverpool, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Cooper and Sons, Solicitors, Manchester, or to Mr. Dodge, Solicitor, Liverpool.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District, on the 7th day of April, 1857, against Anderson Stokoe, of Findon Hill, in the county of Durham, Grocer, Flour Dealer, Dealer and Chapman, 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 27th day of April instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, and on the 9th day of June next, at one of the clock 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 Mr. Joseph Watson, Solicitor, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, or Mr. Joseph Unwin Harwood, of No. 10, Clement's-lane, Lombard-street, London, Solicitor.

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 28th day of June, 1856, presented and filed against Samuel Sketchley, of Horncastle, in the county of Lincoln, Scrivener and Dealer in Railway, Mining and other Shares, will, sit on the 29th day of April instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Town-hall, Kingston-upon-Hull, in order to take the Proof of Debts, under the said Petition; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, may come prepared to prove the same.

NATHANIEL ELLISON, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Court of Bankruptcy, the Commissioner authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 16th day of January, 1857, against William Doeg and John Skelton, of the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Timber Merchants, carrying on business in copartnership under the style or firm of Doeg and Skelton, will sit on the 28th April instant, at twelve at noon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Royal-arcade,

Newcastle-upon-Tyne, to receive Proof of Debts against the separate estate of John Skelton, 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.

NATHANIEL ELLISON, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Court of Bankruptcy, the Commissioner authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed against Robert Rumney Charles and William Fordyce, both of Haughton, in the county of Northumberland, Paper Manufacturers, Dealers and Chapmen, Partners in Trade, trading under the style or firm of Charles and Fordyce, will sit on the 5th day of May next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Royal-arcade, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne (by adjournment from the 8th day of April instant), in order to take the Last Examination, of the said bankrupts; when and where they are required to surrender themselves, and make a full discovery and disclosure of their estate and effects, and finish their examination; and those creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same.

WALKER SKIRROW, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 4th day of February, 1857, against Charles Fox, of Cketer-road, Hulme, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Corn and Flour Dealer, will (on the application of the said bankrupt, whose Last Examination stands adjourned sine die), sit on the 30th day of April instant, at twelve of the clock at noon, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, at Manchester, in order to take the Last Examination of the said bankrupt; when and where he is required to surrender himself and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, and finish his examination; and the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same.

NATHANIEL ELLISON, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Court of Bankruptcy, the Commissioner authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 16th day of January, 1857, against William Doeg and John Skelton, of the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Timber Merchants, carrying on business in copartnership under the style or firm of Doeg and Skelton, will sit on the 28th day of April instant, at half past eleven and twelve o'clock in the fore and at noon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Royal-arcade, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the joint and separate estates and effects of the said bankrupts, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

NATHANIEL ELLISON, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Court of Bankruptcy, the Commissioner authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 14th day of January, 1857, against George Woodall, of the city of Carlisle, in the county of Cumberland, Grocer, will sit on the 28th day of April instant, at half past eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Royal-arcade, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

JOHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 8th day of March, 1837, awarded and issued forth against John Evans, of the borough of Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, Cordwainer, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 27th day of April instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt under the said Fiat, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 24th day of January, 1855, filed against Walter Milligan, William Gandy, and George Gandy, of Bradford, in the county of York, Stuff Merchants, Dealers and Chapmen, carrying on business in partnership under the style or firm of Milligan, Gandy, and Co., will sit on the 30th day of April instant, at eleven 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 separate estate and effects of William Gandy, one of the said bankrupts, under the said Petition, 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 13th day of February, 1856, filed against Thomas Turton Clarke and James Wade, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, Woolen Yarn Manufacturers, Dealers and Chapmen, trading under the style or firm of Thomas Turton Clarke and Company, will sit on the 30th day of April instant, at eleven o'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 Petition, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849."

WILLIAM SCROPE AYRTON, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 28th day of June, 1856, filed against Samuel Sketchley, of Horncastle, in the county of Lincoln, Scrivener and Dealer in Railway, Mining, and other Shares, will sit on the 29th day of April instant, at twelve at noon precisely at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Townhall, Kingston-upon-Hull, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849."

ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 22nd day of February, 1856, against Simon Cohen and Joseph Lubliner, of No. 37, Hatton-garden, in the county of Middlesex, Manufacturing Goldsmiths and Jewellers, Dealers and Chapmen and Copartners, will sit on the 8th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to make a Dividend of the joint estate and effects of the said bankrupts; when and where the creditors who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 6th day of March, 1856, against Charles Cannon, of Lovelane, Eastcheap, in the city of London, Meat, Fruit, and Fish Salesman, will sit on the 8th day of May next, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 16th day of February, 1857, by Thomas Butt, of Littlehampton, in the county of Sussex, Ironmonger and Dealer in China, Glass, and Fancy Goods, will sit on the 8th day of May next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

MATTHEW DAVENPORT HILL, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 11th day of November, 1856, against John Tanner, of Chippenham, in the county of Wilts, and also of the city of Bath, in the county of Somerset, Common Carrier, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 14th day of May next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Bristol District Court of Bankruptcy, in the city of Bristol, in order to make a Final Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

WHEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed against Samuel Howell Grieverson and Cathbert Richar. son Grieverson, both residing and carrying on business as Copartners in Trade, at Deptford, in the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, as Joiners and Builders, has appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Nathaniel Ellison, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Court of Bankruptcy, for the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District, on the 8th day of

May next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, Royal-arcade, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupts' conformity to the laws in force at the time of issuing such Petition, 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, called "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 bankrupts, who shall have given to the Registrar of the Court three clear days' notice in writing of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 1st day of March, 1851; and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy at Leeds, against Jesse Wilkinson, of Lindley, in the parish of Huddersfield, in the county of York, Woollen Cloth Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, hath appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be holden on the 8th day of May next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at the Commercial-buildings, Leeds, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

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 February, 1857, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Leeds, against Robert Spendlove, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Horse and Cattle Dealer, hath appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be holden on the 9th May next, at ten in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at the Council Hall, in Sheffield, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

MARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 16th day of February, 1857, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Leeds, against Francis Bee, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Table Knife Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, hath appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be holden on the 9th of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at the Council Hall, in Sheffield, 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 the 18th day of April, 1856, against Joseph Hale Bryan, of No. 170, Lambeth-walk, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, Oil and Colourman, and Tallow Chandler, did, on the 31st day of March, 1857, allow him, the said Joseph Hale Bryan, a Certificate of the second class, after a suspension of six months; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 13th day of January, 1857, against William Burch, of Nos. 2 and 3, Back-hill, Hatton Garden, in the county of Middlesex, Last and Boot Tree Maker, did on the 7th day of April instant, allow the said William Burch 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.

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THIS is to give notice, that Nathaniel Ellison, Esquire, the Commissioner acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 13th day of December, 1856, by Joseph Leeming the younger, of Hartlepool, in the county of Durham, Whitesmith and Ironmonger, did, on the 8th day of April, 1857, adjudge that a Certificate of conformity as of the third class be allowed to the said Joseph Leeming the younger, subject to suspension until the 8th day of May next, when 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.

WHEREAS a Petition of John Rhodes, at present and for six months last past residing at High-street, in the parish of Glossop, in the county of Derby, and carrying on the business of a Farrier and Smith, and for three years and six months previously thereto residing at Dinting, in the parish of Glossop aforesaid, and carrying on the business of a Licensed Victualler, Innkeeper, Farrier, and Smith, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Derbyshire, at Glossop, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Rhodes, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Rhodes is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 6th day of May 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 John Rhodes, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Brooks, Registrar of the said Court, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Thomas Brooks, at present and since the 16th day of June, 1856, residing in Witton-street, in the township of Witton, in the parish of Great Budworth, in the county of Chester, Beer-house Keeper and Bricklayer, previously, from December, 1855, to the 16th day of June, 1856, residing in lodgings in Tabley-street, in Witton aforesaid, Sub-Bailiff to this Honourable Court, before then residing in lodgings in Richmond-row, Scotland-road, in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, in no business or occupation, previously from the 6th day of June, 1855, to the month of October, in the same year, in lodgings, in Horatio-street, in Scotland-road aforesaid, working in a warehouse, before then, namely, from the 6th day of November, 1854, to the 6th day of June, 1855, residing in lodgings, in Chapel-street, in the borough of Salford, in the county of Lancaster, in no business or occupation, and previously of Hartford, in the parish of Great Budworth aforesaid, Innkeeper and Common Carrier, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Cheshire, at the Townhall, Northwich, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Thomas Brooks, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Thomas Brooks is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 27th day of April instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Thomas Brooks, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same, but to Mr. Christopher Cheshire, Registrar of the said Court, at Northwich, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Henry Freeman, of the Swan Inn, Waterloo-street, Hillfields, in the city of Coventry, Licensed Victualler and Journeyman Tailor, and previously thereto of Hertford-street, in the said city of Coventry, Tobaccoist and Journeyman Tailor, 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 Henry Freeman, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Henry Freeman is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 18th day of May 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 Henry Freeman, 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 Frederick Treble, Artist, now lodging in Smithford-street, in the city of Coventry, late of No. 8, Jesson-street, in the same city, theretofore of No. 6, High-street, in the same city, formerly residing at the George and Dragon Inn, in Nottingham, and previously in Thurland-street, Nottingham, his Wife being formerly Elizabeth Wyndham, Widow, carrying on business as a Schoolmistress, assisted by or in partnership with Maria Hall, at No. 8, Jesson-street aforesaid, and previously at No. 1, Ford-street, in the said city of Coventry, and he, the said Frederick Treble, carrying on business as a Photographic Artist, at No. 6, High-street aforesaid, 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 Frederick Treble, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Frederick Treble is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 18th day of May 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 Frederick Treble, 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, in the city of Coventry, Licensed Victualler), Tailor, previously thereto of the Seven Stars Inn aforesaid, Licensed Victualler and Tailor, and formerly of Craven-street, Chapelfields, 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 18th day of May 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 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 David Carver, residing at Lord-street, Chapel-fields, Coventry, Journeyman Watch Finisher, previously residing at Spon-street, Coventry, Watch Manufacturer, formerly of Earlsdon-lane, Coventry, Watch Manufacturer, and before then of the Butts, Coventry, Watch Manufacturer, 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 David Carver, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said David Carver is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 18th day of May 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 David Carver, 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 Gee, of Old Bolingbroke, in the county of Lincoln, Nail Maker and Blacksmith, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Lincolnshire, at the Sessions House, in Spilsby, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Gee, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Gee is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 8th day of May next, at half past 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 John Gee, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. William Walker, junior, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, in Spilsby, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Henry Coleman, of Spilsby, in the county of Lincoln, General Dealer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of

Lincolnshire, at the Sessions House, in Spilsby, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Henry Coleman, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Henry Coleman is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 8th day of May next, at half past 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 Henry Coleman, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. William Walker, junior, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, in Spilsby, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of William Woodward, of Old Bolingbrooke, in the county of Lincoln, Blacksmith, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Lincolnshire, at the Sessions House, in Spilsby, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Woodward, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Woodward is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 8th day of May next, at half past 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 William Woodward, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. William Walker, junior, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, in Spilsby, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of John Thomas, of the Cross Inn, Norton, in the parish of Oystermouth, in the county of Glamorgan, Licensed Victualler, Farmer and Grocer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Glamorganshire, at Swansea, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Thomas, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Thomas is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 22nd day of April instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said John Thomas, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Lewis Morris, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Fisher-street, Swansea, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Edwin Hurellm, of No. 7, Union-street, in town of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Grocer, Tea Dealer, and Retailer of Provisions an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Glamorganshire, at Swansea, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Edwin Hurellm, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Edwin Hurellm is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 22nd of April instant, at ten in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Edwin Hurellm, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Lewis Morris, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, Fisher-street, Swansea, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of John Lewis, of Picton-street, Caedraw, in the town of Merthyr Tydfil, in the county of Glamorgan, Builder and Carpenter, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Glamorganshire, at Merthyr Tydfil, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Lewis, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Lewis is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 16th day of May 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 John Lewis, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. James Ward Russell, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at High-street, Merthyr Tydfil, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of William Turner, of Saint Leonard's-square, in the parish of Saint Leonard, in the borough of Wallingford, in the county of Berks, Plumber, Painter, and Glazier, and for some time and up to the month of June now last, Lessee of the Market Tolls, at Wallingford aforesaid, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Berkshire, at the Townhall, Wallingford, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Turner, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Turner is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 9th day of May 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 William Turner, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Rowland William Atkinson, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Wallingford, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of William Robert Breese, of Commis Coch, in the parish of Cennues, in the county of Montgomery, Saddler, Watchmaker, and Shop-keeper, formerly carrying on trade at Llanbrynmair, in the county of Montgomery aforesaid, in partnership with his brother John Breese, as Saddlers, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Montgomeryshire, at Machynlleth, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Robert Breese, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Robert Breese is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 11th day of May 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 William Robert Breese, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. David Howell, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Machynlleth, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Alfred Johnson, of Tuttle-hill, in the parish of Nuneaton, in the county of Warwick, Ribbon Weaver, and previously thereto of Abbey-street, Nuneaton aforesaid, Ribbon Manufacturer, Grocer and Provision Dealer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, at Nuneaton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Alfred Johnson, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Alfred Johnson is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 21st of May next, at ten in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Alfred Johnson, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Henry Dewes, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Nuneaton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of David Timms, of Ramsbury, in the county of Wilts, Schoolmaster, Bookseller, Stationer, and Tea Dealer, 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 David Timms, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said David Timms is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 12th day of May 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 David Timms, 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 Henry Lazarus, formerly of No. 20, Hutchinson-street, Gravel-lane, in the parish of Saint Botolph, Aldgate, in the city of London, General Dealer, and now of Boston, in the county of Lincoln, Dealer in Government Stores and General Dealer, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Lincolnshire, at Boston, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Henry Lazarus, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Henry Lazarus is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 7th day of May next,

at nine of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Henry Lazarus, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Meaburn Staniland, Registrar of the said Court, at his office, at Boston, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

In the Matter of the Petition of John Jupe, formerly of the Prince of Wales Public-house, in the Square, in the city of Winchester, in the county of Southampton, Licensed Victualler, and at the same time working as a Journeyman Whitesmith for Mr. Josiah Carter, of High-street, Winchester aforesaid, Ironmonger, then of the Burton Ale-house, in the Piazza, High-street, Winchester aforesaid, Beer Retailer and Journeyman Whitesmith, working for the said Josiah Carter, and now in lodgings at Mr. Lawrence's, Bacon Drier, Water-lane, Winchester aforesaid, Journeyman Whitesmith, working for the said Josiah Carter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Hampshire, at Winchester, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 28th day of April instant, 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 Benjamin Backhouse, late of Dulcote, in the out-parish of Saint Cuthbert, in Wells, in the county of Somerset, Paper Manufacturer, but now of Magdalen-street, in the town of Glastonbury, in the said county, out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Charles Saunders, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Somersetshire, at Wells, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 6th day of May 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 Charles Simpson, of High Felling, in the county of Durham, Foreman to a Blacksmith, previously of the White Swan Public House, Sheriff-hill, in the county of Durham, Publican, and Licensed Victualler, and Journeyman Blacksmith, formerly of the White Swan Public House, Sheriff-hill aforesaid, Publican, and Licensed Victualler, and Journeyman Blacksmith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Durham, at Gateshead, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 18th day of May next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Thomas Adamson, of Whickham, in the county of Durham, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Durham, at Gateshead, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 18th day of May 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 Dann Banes, formerly of High-street, Brompton, Kent, then of Blackman-street, Southwark, Surrey, then of High-street, Brompton aforesaid, then of No. 11, Prospect-row, Brompton aforesaid, then again of High-street, Brompton aforesaid, and now of No. 1, Scrayfries-place, in the parish of Gillingham, Kent, one of the Foremen of Her Majesty's Dock-yard, Chatham, Kent (during his residence at High-street, Brompton aforesaid), having been temporarily absent, first at No. 2, Crown-terrace, Aberdeen, Scotland, afterwards at No. 124, Union-street, Aberdeen aforesaid, afterwards at No. 184, Union-street, Aberdeen aforesaid, and after that at No. 27, Elder-street, Edinburgh, Scotland, his wife having resided, previously to her marriage, at No. 187, Upper-street, Islington, Middlesex, under her then name of Rosina Sophia Woods.

NOTICE is hereby given, that James Espinasse, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Kent, at Rochester, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, or enlarge the Protection on proposal, at the said Court, on the 7th day of May 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 Joseph Clay, of Stocking-ford, in the parish of Nuneaton, in the county of Warwick, Wood Turner, Carpenter, and Rake Maker.

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, at the said Court, on the 21st day of May next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of George Croxall, of No. 56, Mill-lane, in the city of Coventry, Draftsman and Ribbon Weaver, previously thereto of Junction-street, Hillfields, in the said city of Coventry. Draftsman and Ribbon Weaver, and Dealer in Jacquard Machines, and formerly of Bradford, in the county of York, Draftsman and Warehouseman.

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 18th day of May 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 Barratt, of Bishop-street, Coventry, Trimming Manufacturer, previously of Lockhurst-lane, Foleshill, near Coventry, Ribbon Manufacturer, and formerly of Bulkington, near Coventry, Ribbon Manufacturer.

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 18th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Warwickshire, at Nuneaton, authorized to act under a Petition of Insolvency, bearing date the 20th day of March, 1855, presented by William Willson, of Rieton, near Bulkington, in the county of Warwick, Carpenter and Wheelwright, and Retailer of Ale and Tobacco, will sit on the 21st day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Townhall, in Nuneaton, in order to make a First 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. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE estates of David Spence, Merchant, in Ferry-Port-on-Craig, were sequestrated on the 13th day of April, 1857, by the Sheriff of the county of Fife.

The first deliverance is dated the 6th day of April, 1857. The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Friday, the 24th day of April, 1857, within the Tontine Hotel, Cupar-Fife.

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 Saturday the 13th day of August, 1857.

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

DRUMMOND and MITCHELL,
Writers, Cupar, Agents.

Cupar-Fife, April 13, 1857.

THE estates of John M'Rostie, Flesher, Cattle Dealer, and Spirit Dealer, in Crieff, were sequestrated on the 13th day of April, 1857, by the Sheriff of Perthshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 13th day of April, 1857.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Wednesday the 22nd day of April, 1857, within the Procurators' Library, County Buildings, Perth.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 13th day of August, 1857.

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

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

JOHN IRONSIDE, Writer, Crieff, Agent.

THE estates of James Glennie, Lace and Sewed Muslin Warehouseman, No. 120, Buchanan-street, Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 13th day of April, 1857, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 13th April, 1857.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock afternoon, on Friday, the 24th day of April current, within the Glasgow Stock Exchange, National Bank Buildings there.

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 13th day of August, 1857.

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

The Sheriff, in awarding sequestration, granted Warrant of Protection to the said James Glennie against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of creditors for election of Trustee.

J. NAISMITH, Agent,
11, Buchanan-street, Glasgow.

NOTICE.

THE estates of William Sharp, sometime Draper and Clothier, in Victoria-street, Kirkwall, now deceased, were sequestrated on the 10th day of April, 1857, by the Sheriff-Substitute of Orkney.

The first deliverance is dated the 10th day of April, 1857.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at eleven o'clock forenoon, on Saturday the 25th day of April, 1857, within the Sheriff-Court-Room, at Kirkwall.

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

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

P. S. HEDDLE, Agent, Kirkwall.

NOTICE.

THE estates of Thomas Murray, Tailor and Clothier, in Port-Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 14th day of April, 1857, by the Sheriff of Renfrewshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 14th day of April current.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Friday, the 24th day of April current, 1857, within the White Hart Inn, Greenock.

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 14th day of August next.

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

DENNISTON and MACDONALD, Agents,
49, Cathcart-street, Greenock.

Greenock, April 14, 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 Friday the 1st May, 1857, at Eleven o'clock precisely, before Chief Commissioner Law.

Charles Crouch, formerly of Church-path, Hornsey, Grocer, Cheesemonger, and General Chandler's-shop Keeper, then of No. 50, Liverpool-street, King's-cross, both in Middlesex, then of Peter-street, Bishopsgate, London, then of No. 5, Windsor-place, City-road, Warehouseman to an Oil and Italian Merchant, then of No. 4, Laurel-place, Queen's-road, Dalston, both in Middlesex, Stationer, Music Seller, Dealer in Fancy Goods, and a Warehouseman as aforesaid, then lodging at Saint Pancras-road, King's-cross, Middlesex, then lodging at No. 28, Russell-street, Bury New-road, Manchester, Lancashire, and now of Lower Sydenham, Kent (wife lodging at No. 28, Russell-street aforesaid), out of business and employ.

On Saturday the 2nd May, 1857, at Eleven o'clock precisely, before Mr. Commissioner Phillips.

Robert Stafford, late of No. 19, Adam-street East, Portman-square, Upholsterer, Cabinet Maker, Undertaker, and letting lodgings, afterwards and now of No. 11, East-street, Manchester-square, both in Middlesex, Journeyman Upholsterer, Cabinet Maker, and Undertaker.

William Jackson, of No. 11, Charles-street, Pitfield-street, Hoxton, Middlesex, Tailor, letting apartments.

John Bennett, formerly of No. 19, Saint Mary's-square, Walcot-square, Lambeth, Cap Maker, and late of No. 101, Borough-road, Southwark, both in Surrey, Cap Maker and Tailor.

On Monday the 4th May, 1857, at Eleven o'clock precisely, before Chief Commissioner Law.

John Boggas, formerly of No. 14, Union-court, East India-road, Poplar, then and now of No. 2, John's-terrace, East India-road, Poplar, Middlesex, Mast and Block Maker.

Nicholas Smith, of No. 16, Saint Matthias-road, Hornsey, Middlesex, Baker.

Charles Mathewson, of No. 9, Hope-terrace, Notting-hill, near the Royal-crescent, in the parish of St. Mary Abbots, Kensington, Middlesex, Poulterer and Fishmonger.

Fanny Wells, of No. 10, Queen's-terrace, Finchley-road, Saint John's-wood, Middlesex, Dealer in Toys, Fancy Goods and Stationery, part of the time out of business.

On Monday the 4th May, 1857, at Eleven o'Clock precisely, before Mr. Commissioner Phillips.

John Samuel Wilkins, formerly of No. 3, Newington-causeway, Newington, Surrey, Butcher, at same time having stalls in Leadenhall-market, City, there carrying on business as a Carcase Butcher and Selling Meat on Commission, and likewise having a shop in Beehive-passage, Lime-street, City, part of the time in copartnership with Thomas Wilkins, carrying on business at Beehive-passage aforesaid, as Carcase and Shipping Butchers, afterwards and for latter part of same time of No. 24, Colet-place, Commercial-road, Saint George's-in-the-East, Middlesex, and then only having stalls in Leadenhall-market aforesaid, Carcase and Commission Butcher, subsequently out of business or employ, then and now lodging at No. 24, Colet-place aforesaid, and keeping a shop in Beehive-passage, Lime-street aforesaid, Carcase Butcher.

Alfred Strickland, formerly of No. 24, Fort-street, then of No. 20, Queen's-road, both in Bermondsey, Surrey, Chymist and Dentist, then of Hillingdon, Middlesex, out of business, then of No. 4, Portland-street, then of No. 9, Villa-row, both in Walworth, Surrey aforesaid, Chymist and Dentist, part of the time carrying on business at the said No. 4, Portland-street, and No. 9, Villa-row, Walworth, in copartnership with Robert Perrott, under the firm of Perrott and Strickland, as Surgeons and Chymists, then and now of No. 13, Bolingbroke-row, and No. 9, Villa-row, Walworth, Surrey aforesaid, Chymist and Dentist, part of the time having a card printed and otherwise describing himself as a Surgeon Dentist.

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

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

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

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

COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

See Notice at the end.

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

On Saturday the 2nd May, 1857, at Eleven o'Clock precisely, before Mr. Commissioner Phillips.

John Smith, late of No. 18, Nelson-square, Blackfriars-road, Surrey, formerly Inspector of Coal Traffic under the Corporation of the city of London, now out of employment, previously of No. 6, Cottage-grove, West-street, Walworth, Surrey, Inspector of Coal Traffic as aforesaid previously of No. 5, Union-place, New Kent-road, Surrey, Inspector of Coal Traffic, previously of No. 2, Darnley-road, Gravesend, Kent, Inspector of Coal Traffic, previously of No. 36, Doddington-grove, Kennington, Surrey, Inspector of Coal Traffic, previously of No. 5, Newington-crescent, Surrey, Inspector of Coal Traffic.

William Heath, late of No. 15, Edmonds-place, York-road, Battersea, Surrey, Cowkeeper and Dairyman, but latterly Servant to a Cowkeeper and Dairyman, previously of East Hill Farm, Wandsworth, Surrey, Cowkeeper and Dairyman.

George Hogg, late of No. 31, King-square, Goswell-road, Middlesex, Watch Manufacturer.

On Monday the 4th May, 1857, at Eleven o'Clock precisely, before Chief Commissioner Law.

James Cummins, late of No. 15, Little Parish-street, in the parish of Saint Mary, Lambeth, Surrey, out of business, previously of No. 1, Upper Baker-street, in the parish of Saint Marylebone, Baker, previously of No. 1, Upper Baker-street aforesaid, and at the same time carrying on business at No. 2, Newbery-place, Kentish New Town, in the parish of St. Pancras, Baker, and both in the county of Middlesex.

James John Barnes, formerly of No. 5, afterwards of No. 29, both in Belvidere-terrace, Northam, Southampton, Hants, Foreman to a Builder, then still of No. 29, Belvidere-terrace aforesaid, Carpenter and Builder, having a workshop and two sheds in the rear thereof, and four houses in Prince-street, Northam aforesaid, afterwards of No. 10, Percy-square, Bagnigge-wells-road, Clerkenwell, Middlesex, out of business, then of No. 35, Frederick-street, Gray's-inn-road, Saint Pancras, Middlesex, Journeyman Carpenter and Joiner, then of No. 2n, Warren-street, Chapel-street, Pentonville, Middlesex, Jobbing Carpenter and Joiner, afterwards of No. 35, Great Randolph-street, and late of No. 83, King-street, both in Camden Town, Middlesex, Foreman to a Builder.

Nathaniel Lowe, late of No. 49, London-street Commercial-road East, Middlesex, in lodgings, Beer-shop Keeper, out of business, formerly of the White Horse, West Ham, Essex, Beer-shop Keeper, then of the Half Way House, Leytonstone-road, Leytonstone, Essex, Beer-shop Keeper.

Joshua Taylor, sued as Josiah Taylor, and sued and committed as Joshua Tayler, late of No. 140, originally No. 175, Bermondsey-street, Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, Boot and Shoe Maker, and also of Gun-alley, Bermondsey-street, aforesaid, Carrier, previously of No. 106½, Bermondsey-street aforesaid, in the county of Surrey, in copartnership with Charles Mason, trading under the style or firm of Taylor and Mason, as Working Carriers for the trade.

TAKE NOTICE.

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

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

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

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

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

COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

See Notice at the End.

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

Before the Judge of the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Southampton, on Saturday the 2nd day of May, 1857.

Elizabeth Watts Humby, late of New-place, Portswood, in the parish of South Stoneham, within the borough of Southampton, Widow, of no business.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Lancashire, holden at the Court-House, Nicholas-Croft, High-Street, Manchester, on the 11th day of May, 1857, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon precisely.

Charles George White, sued by the name of Charles G. White, late of Essex-street, Lyon Dam Werneth, Oldham, in the county palatine of Lancaster, carrying on business in the same street as a Cotton Roving Manu-

facturer and Waste Dealer, previously of Cheethams-buildings, in Oldham aforesaid, and formerly of West-street, in Oldham aforesaid, carrying on business as a Beer Seller and Waste Dealer, on the same premises.

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

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

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

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

All Letters must be Post-paid.

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