

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, dated the 11th day of December, 1857, Joseph Shuttleworth, of Gainsborough, in the county of Lincoln, Ship Builder, hath assigned all his personal estate and effects unto Thomas Adwick Farmer, of Gainsborough aforesaid, Iron Merchant, Richard Finningley Barrowcliff, of Gringley-on-the-Hill, in the county of Nottingham, Timber Merchant, Ralph Lascelles, of Skellingthorpe, in the said county of Lincoln, Timber Merchant, and Jabez Fidell, of Gainsborough aforesaid, Rag Merchant, as trustees, for the benefit of themselves and the other creditors of the said Joseph Shuttleworth, as therein mentioned; and that the said indenture was executed by the said Joseph Shuttleworth and Thomas Adwick Farmer, respectively, on the day of the date thereof, in the presence of, and attested by, Samuel Hayes, of Gainsborough aforesaid, Solicitor; and that the said indenture was executed by the said Jabez Fidell, on the 12th day of December instant, and by the said Richard Finningley Barrowcliff and Ralph Lascelles, respectively, on the 15th day of December instant, and the execution thereof by the said last-named three parties respectively, was attested by the said Samuel Hayes; and that the said indenture now lies at the office of the said Samuel Hayes, in Gainsborough aforesaid, for execution by the creditors of the said Joseph Shuttleworth.—Dated the 31st day of December, 1857.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, bearing date the 10th day of December, 1857, William Peel, of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Draper, conveyed and assigned all his real and personal estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, to William Staley and Richard Nicholls, both of the city of Manchester, in the said county of Lancaster, Merchants, and William Hayhurst, of Bolton-le-Moors, in the said county of Lancaster, Auctioneer, upon trusts, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said William Peel, who shall execute the said indenture, or otherwise signify their assent thereto; and that the said indenture was duly executed by the said William Peel, on the 10th day of December last, and by the said William Hayhurst, on the 11th day of the same month, both in the presence of, and such executions are attested by, John Pickop, of Blackburn aforesaid, Solicitor, and by the said William Staley and Richard Nicholls respectively, on the 21st day of the same month, and such last-mentioned executions are attested by James Seddon, of the said city of Manchester, Solicitor; and such indenture now lies at the offices of the undersigned for inspection and execution by the said creditors.

SALE, WORTHINGTON, and SHIPMAN, Manchester, Solicitors to the Trustees.

Re Charles Rust, of No. 38, Surrey-place, Old Kent-road in the county of Surrey, Cheesemonger.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a First Dividend of 1s. 9d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 24, Basinghall-street, on Tuesday the 12th day of January, 1858, or any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and two of the clock. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

ISAAC NICHOLSON, Official Assignee.

Re William Brown, of Ramsgate, in the county of Kent, Painter, Plumber, &c.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 6s. 8d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 24, Basinghall-street, on Tuesday the 12th of January, 1858, or any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and two o'clock. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

ISAAC NICHOLSON, Official Assignee.

Re William Elsam, of No. 21, Bishopsgate-street, in the city of London, Merchant, and also of Bugbrook or Weedon, in the county of Northampton, Iron Stone Master.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 5½d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 24, Basinghall-street, on Tuesday the 12th day of January 1858, or any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and two o'clock. No Dividend can be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators are required to produce the probate of the will, or the letters of administration under which they claim.

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Re John Walter Gray, of Bishop's Waltham, in the county of Southampton, Commission Agent, Corn and Seed Merchant, Book-seller, and Stationer.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend, of 2s 6d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 24, Basinghall-street, on Tuesday, the 12th January, 1858, or any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and two of the clock. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

ISAAC NICHOLSON, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of Richard Barge, of the city of Manchester, Bookseller, Dealer and Chapman, against whom a Petition in Bankruptcy was filed on the 9th day of September, 1857.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 5s. 10d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 7, Charlotte-street, Manchester, on Tuesday the 12th of January instant, or any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and one o'clock, on each day. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

JAS. S. POTT, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of William Threlfall, of Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Iron Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, against whom a Petition in Bankruptcy was filed on the 2nd day of April, 1857.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 8½d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 7, Charlotte-street, Manchester, on Tuesday the 12th day of January instant, or any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and one of the clock. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

JAS. S. POTT, Official Assignee.

WHEREAS an adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 22nd day of December, 1857, was made against Thomas Taylor, of Nos. 21 and 22, White Rock-place, Hastings, in the county of Sussex, Hatter, Tailor, and Glover; this is to give notice, that by an Order of Mr. Commissioner Fonblanque, the Commissioner acting in the prosecution of the said adjudication, bearing date the 6th day of January, 1858, the said adjudication was ordered to be annulled.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, was, on the 27th day of August, 1857, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, against George Ward, of Sandgate, in the county of Kent, Hotel Keeper and Fly Proprietor; this is to give notice, that by an Order of the said Court, bearing date the 7th day of January, 1858, the said adjudication of Bankruptcy hath been annulled, and the said Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy dismissed.

In the Court of Bankruptcy, London.

The 6th day of January, 1858.

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies Acts 1856 and 1857, and in the Matter of Groux's Improved Soap Company (limited).

BY direction of John Samuel Martin Fonblanque, Esq., the Commissioner to whose Court this Matter is attached, notice is hereby given, that the said Commissioner hath ordered that the meeting appointed for Wednesday, the 13th day of January instant, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to settle the list of contributories of the said Company be adjourned, and hath appointed Tuesday, the 2nd day of February, 1858, by adjournment at one of the clock in the afternoon, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to settle the list of contributories of the said Company; and after such list shall have been settled, no party affected thereby will be allowed to dispute the same without leave of the said Court of Bankruptcy first obtained.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 4th day of January, 1858, hath been presented against William Harrauld, of Bury Saint Edmund's, in the county of Suffolk, Butcher, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to John Samuel Martin Fonblanque, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 22nd day of January instant, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, and on the 2nd