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*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
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NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Wednesday, the 11th of March next, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to His Royal Highness at this Levee shall be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her Majesty.

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEVEE TO BE HELD BY HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES, ON BEHALF OF HER MAJESTY, AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE.

By Her Majesty's Command.

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

PRESENTATIONS.

Any Nobleman or Gentleman who proposes to be presented, must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, *before twelve o'clock*, two clear days before the Levee, a card with his name written thereon, and with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman by whom he is to be presented. In order to carry out the existing regulations that no presentation can be made at a Levee excepting by a person actually attending that Levee, it is also necessary that an intimation from the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to make the presentation, of his intention to be present, should accompany the presentation card above referred to, which will be submitted to The Queen for Her Majesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's command that no presentations shall be made at the Levee, except in accordance with the above regulations.

It is particularly requested, that in every case the names be *very distinctly written* upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in

order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to His Royal Highness.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at one o'clock.

HERTFORD,
Lord Chamberlain.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
March 3, 1874.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that The Queen will hold Drawing a Room at Buckingham Palace, on Wednesday, the 25th of March next, at three o'clock.

N.B. The Knights of the several Orders are to appear in their Collars at the Drawing Room, it being a Collar-Day.

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S DRAWING ROOM AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE.

By Her Majesty's Command.

The Ladies, who propose to attend Her Majesty's Drawing Room, at Buckingham Palace, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with the Queen's Page in Attendance, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to The Queen.

PRESENTATIONS.

Any Lady who proposes to be presented to The Queen must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, *before twelve o'clock*, two clear days before the Drawing Room, a card with her name written thereon, and with the name of the Lady by whom she is to be presented. In order to carry out the existing regulation, that no presentation can be made at a Drawing Room excepting by a Lady actually attending that Court, it is also necessary that an intimation from the Lady who is to make the presentation, of her intention to be present, should accompany the presentation card above referred to, which will be submitted to The Queen for Her Majesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's Command, that no presentations shall be made at the Drawing

Room, except in accordance with the above regulations.

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

It is not expected that Gentleman will present themselves at Drawing Rooms, except in attendance on the Ladies of their families.

Any Gentleman who under these circumstances should desire to be presented to The Queen, will observe the same regulations as are in force, for Her Majesty's Levees.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at two o'clock.

HERTFORD,
Lord Chamberlain.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, March 6, 1874.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Presentation of Mrs. Johnson at Her Majesty's Drawing Room on Thursday, the 26th of February last, took place through inadvertence.

War Office, March 6, 1874.

THE Secretary of State for War has received a Despatch and Enclosure, of which the following are copies, from Major-General Sir Garnet Joseph Wolseley, K.C.M.G., C.B., Commanding the Troops on the Gold Coast:—

*Head Quarters, Amoaful,
February 1, 1874.*

SIR,

ACCORDING to the intention expressed in my despatch of 30th ultimo, I yesterday attacked the enemy to the south of this town, and drove them with heavy loss from the position they had selected to fight upon, and where I now find that the King of Ashanti had been for some time collecting his army.

My whole force, divided into four columns, as per margin,* advanced along the main road, preceded by the scouts, until the enemy were met at the village of Egginassie, which was carried by a rush of the scouts at about 8 A.M. The front column then extended into the thick bush on each side of the road, which was cut and widened by labourers under the Royal Engineers, so as to admit of the advance of the guns.

As the leading column advanced northward the left column, according to orders previously issued, cut a path diagonally to the left front, with a view of protecting the left flank of the front column; and as it moved along this path, the right column closing up, cut a path diagonally to the right to protect the right flank, while the rear column extended, so as to gain touch of the right and left columns which were designed to follow the flanks of the front column, and should it be out-flanked, to face east and west outwards. My inten-

tion was to fight in the form of a square, and so oppose the invariable flanking tactics of the enemy, which their superior numbers would probably allow them to carry out against any line which I could form.

The front column, under Sir A. Alison, found the enemy in great force beyond a swampy stream to the north of Egginassie (see sketch*) and suffered heavily in dislodging them. They were driven out by the steady advance of the infantry, aided by the fire of Rait's guns. The large numbers of dead Ashantis at this part of the field, and the numbers of the 42nd Highlanders here wounded, showed the stubborn resistance made by the enemy. The 42nd Highlanders finally advanced and captured the town of Amoaful about noon, after being more than four hours in action.

Meanwhile the left column advancing under a heavy fire by which Captain Buckle, R.E., was killed while urging on his labourers, occupied the crest of a hill where a clearing was made, and the enemy driven away from this portion of their camp by an advance of the Naval Brigade and Russell's Regiment. Colonel McLeod having cleared his front and having lost touch of the left of the front column, now cut his way in a north-easterly direction and came into the main road in rear of the Highlanders, about the same hour that the advance occupied Amoaful. I protected his left rear by a detachment of the Rifle Brigade; our left flank was now apparently clear of the enemy.

On the right Lieutenant-Colonel Wood was met by a fire which prevented the advance of his column for more than a very short distance into the bush, consequently when the front column took Amoaful it would have become detached from the right column, but that communication was kept up along the main road by two companies of the 42nd, the head-quarters and detachment 23rd, and a company of the Rifle Brigade. Long after Amoaful was taken the Ashantis kept up a heavy fire on the right of the main road, and these troops laid down and replied to it, repelling the enemy, but not without loss.

Up to 1.30 P.M., the enemy kept up a very heavy fire on Lieutenant-Colonel Wood's column, whose right was extended into the bush, east of the village of Egginassie. But they made no progress, and soon after half-past one, an advance of the Kossoos and Bonny men of Wood's Regiment drove them away, clearing the flank of the Naval Brigade, and enabling them to complete the discomfiture of the enemy on this flank. By 1.45 P.M. firing had ceased.

At this time heavy firing was heard in rear, and I learnt that another body of the enemy had attacked my entrenched post at Quarman. I sent back part of the Rifle Brigade; but the attack was continued till nightfall, though of course repulsed. Shortly before dark, a large convoy of baggage, which had been parked at Insarfufu during the action, and was now ordered on, was fired upon, though accompanied by a large escort. A number of carriers threw down their loads and ran away, and had it not been for the great exertions of Lieutenant-Colonel Colley, whom I have placed in charge of my line of communications, and who recovered much of the baggage during the night, more serious consequences might have ensued than the loss of a

* Front Column.—Brigadier General Sir A. Alison, Bart., C.F.—42nd Highlanders; Head Quarters, and detachment 2nd Battalion 23rd Royal Welsh Fusiliers; Rait's Artillery, two 7-pr. guns, detachment; Royal Engineers, Detachment.

Left Column.—Colonel J. C. McLeod, C.B.—Naval Brigade, Right Wing; Russell's Regiment; Rait's Artillery, two Rocket detachments; Royal Engineers, Detachment.

Right Column.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. Wood, V.C.—Naval Brigade, Left Wing; Wood's Regiment; Rait's Artillery, two Rocket detachments; Royal Engineers, Detachment.

Rear Column.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. F. Warren—2nd Battalion Rifle Brigade.

* The sketch to accompany this despatch will be forwarded as soon as possible. It would have been sent with this, but the officer who surveyed the ground has been incessantly on active duty since the action, and it has been impossible for him to complete the sketch.

few loads which occurred. On learning of this affair, I took immediate steps for clearing my line of communications, and brought in large convoys this morning in perfect safety to Amoaful. The officers commanding the columns as above-named performed their difficult tasks most excellently, and were efficiently aided by their staff; Lieutenant-Colonel Evelyn Wood, V.C., was wounded while at the head of his troops.

Nothing could have exceeded the admirable conduct of the 42nd Highlanders, on whom fell the hardest share of the work. As Colonel McLeod was in command of the left column, this Regiment was led by Major Macpherson, who was twice wounded. The two wings of the Naval Brigade, under command of Captain Grubbe, R.N. (severely wounded), and Commander Luxmore, R.N.; the Head-Quarters and Detachment of the 2nd Battalion 23rd Royal Welsh Fusiliers, under Lieutenant-Colonel Mostyn; the 2nd Battalion Rifle Brigade, under Lieutenant-Colonel Warren; Wood's Regiment, under Captain Furse (42nd Highlanders); Russell's Regiment, under Major Russell (13th Hussars), and the scouts under Lieutenant Lord Gifford (24th Regiment), all behaved steadily and coolly under the trying conditions of a fight in dense bush. Sir A. Alison has brought the valuable services of Captain Rait and his Artillery specially to my notice; and Major Home, Commanding Royal Engineers, led the advanced working party of the front column, being slightly wounded in so doing.

Commodore Hewett, V.C., R.N., was present with me during the action, and placed his services at my disposal. I received every possible assistance from him, and from the following Officers of my Staff:—Colonel Greaves, Chief of the Staff; Major Baker, 18th Regiment, Assistant Adjutant-General; Captain H. Brackenbury, R.A., Assistant Military Secretary; Captain Buller, 60th Rifles, D.A.Q.M.G.; Lieutenant Rolfe, R.N., Naval A.D.C.; Lieutenant the Honourable H. Wood, 10th Hussars, A.D.C.; Lieutenant Maurice, R.A., Private Secretary.

The arrangements for the wounded by Surgeon-Major McKinnon, C.B., Principal Medical Officer, were excellent, and I regret that the enclosed return of casualties shows that his duties were not light.

It is difficult to estimate the numbers of an enemy in thick bush, still more difficult to estimate their loss, but the Ashantis opposed to us must have numbered many thousands; and as we have buried about 150 corpses beside the main road only, and as the enemy ran great risks to carry off their dead, their loss in killed and wounded must have been very heavy.

I intend to-day to attack Becquah, which the scouts report occupied by the enemy.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) G. J. WOLSELEY,
Major-General.

*The Right Honourable the Secretary
of State for War.*

*Army Head Quarters, Amoaful,
February 1, 1874.*

NOMINAL RETURN of Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, Killed and Wounded in Action, at Amoaful, on 31st January, 1874.

Officers Killed.

Royal Engineers.

Captain R. N. Buckle, gunshot wound through lung and heart and abdomen (penetrating).

Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Killed.

42nd Highlanders.

2019 Private Thomas Thompson, gunshot wound through head.

332 Private P. Reid, gunshot wound through heart.

Wood's Regiment.

Private Salyah (Kosoo), gunshot wound of brain.

Officers Wounded.

Royal Engineers

Major R. Home, gunshot wound of chin; slight.

23rd Regiment.

Lieutenant G. H. Hutton, gunshot wound of right side; severe.

42nd Highlanders.

Major D. Macpherson, gunshot wound through right leg; severe; ditto right side of neck, slight.

Brevet Major W. Baird, gunshot wound of left thigh, dangerous; ditto of right leg, severe; ditto of right forearm and back, slight.

Captain E. Whitehead, gunshot wound of left thigh (contusion); slight.

Captain A. M. Creagh, gunshot wound of scalp and right side of neck (contusion); slight.

Lieutenant G. B. M. Cumberland, gunshot wound of right arm; severe.

Lieutenant A. S. Stevenson, gunshot wound of neck; slight.

Lieutenant W. A. Berwick, gunshot wound of right leg and ankle; severe.

Lieutenant W. H. C. Mowbray, gunshot wound of left temple and contusion right arm; slight.

79th Regiment attached to 42nd Highlanders.

Lieutenant R. C. Annesley, gunshot wound of left thigh (contusion); slight.

2nd Battalion Rifle Brigade.

Major A. Stephens, gunshot wound of wrist; slight.

Lieutenant C. D. Sherston, gunshot wound of right arm with fracture; very severe.

Lieutenant W. J. Smyth, gunshot wound of thigh; slight.

Wood's Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel Evelyn Wood, V.C., 90th Regiment, gunshot wound of left side of chest; slight.

Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Wounded.

Royal Engineers.

11601 Sapper H. Rowe, gunshot wound of left hand; slight.

9481 Sapper J. Law, gunshot wound of thigh; severe.

9620 Sapper William Little, gunshot wound of chest (penetrating); dangerous.

1165 Sapper J. Voss, gunshot wound of chin; slight.

2nd Battalion, 23rd Regiment.

2083 Private A. Goodwin, gunshot wound of shoulder; severe.

1013 Private J. Torish, gunshot wound of head and neck; dangerous.

62 Private J. North, gunshot wound of hip; severe.

42nd High'anders.

2354 Serjeant-Major John Barclay, gunshot wound of right chest; dangerous.
 305 Private A. Finlayson, gunshot wound of left leg; severe.
 131 Private William Younger, gunshot wound of left ear; slight.
 526 Serjeant Peter Gavins, gunshot wound of right arm; severe.
 154 Private W. Bell, gunshot wound of left arm; severe (amputation).
 144 Private J. Robertson, gunshot wound of left lower jaw; dangerous.
 1466 Private D. Ross, gunshot wound of left side of face; slight.
 8 Private George Samuel, gunshot wound of left clavicle and abdomen; severe, since dead.
 1801 Private J. Pillmer, gunshot wound of left forearm, with fracture; severe.
 4321 Colour-Serjeant J. McLean, gunshot wound of right orbit; severe.
 326 Private J. Hutchison, gunshot wound of left arm and left side of neck; slight.
 2337 Private William Lorrimer, gunshot wound of nose; slight.
 1940 Private T. Scrimgour, gunshot wound of chin and left side of face; slight.
 158 Private T. McKenzie, gunshot wound of left arm and right ear; slight.
 559 Private J. Balfour, gunshot wound of left ear; slight.
 941 Serjeant George Gordon, gunshot wound of right hip; slight.
 120 Private H. Jones, gunshot wound of right side of face; slight.
 892 Private J. Sharpless, gunshot wound of left first finger; slight.
 123 Private J. Butler, gunshot wound of right ear; slight.
 2039 Private William Shiel, gunshot wound of scalp; slight.
 576 Private William Hains, gunshot wound of right fore-arm; slight.
 1741 Private J. Smith, gunshot wound of left fore-arm; slight.
 103 Private J. Walker, gunshot wound of right thigh; severe.
 3808 Private J. Aurther, gunshot wound of right hand and right side of neck; severe.
 2101 Private D. McLelland, gunshot wound of right thigh; severe.
 591 Private J. Dewar, gunshot wound of left fore-arm; slight.
 2071 Private D. Strong, gunshot wound of face and right hip; slight.
 2004 Private William Smith, gunshot wound of abdomen; severe.
 201 Private M. Lynch, gunshot wound of left ear; slight.
 1534 Private J. White, gunshot wound of right fore-arm and shoulder; slight.
 210 Private J. Liddle, gunshot wound of right shoulder; severe.
 1966 Private J. Seaton, gunshot wound of left scapula; slight.
 1487 Private J. Wotherspoon, gunshot wound of back; slight.
 1920 Private C. Brown, gunshot wound of chest; slight.
 2011 Private C. Armstrong, gunshot wound of right shoulder; slight.
 156 Private C. Campbell, gunshot wound of left hand; slight.
 2222 Private R. M'Lennon, gunshot wound of left side of neck; slight.

199 Private J. Chancellor, gunshot wound of left side of neck; slight.
 1185 Private J. Fraser, gunshot wound of left thigh; severe.
 1616 Private J. Tevendale, gunshot wound of left arm; severe.
 1482 Private J. McKay, gunshot wound of left arm; severe.
 1683 Private H. Milne, gunshot wound of left orbit; slight.
 106 Private G. Jamieson, gunshot wound of left leg; slight.
 1915 Private J. Bain, gunshot wound of right fore-arm; severe.
 1610 Private C. Buchan, gunshot wound of back; slight.
 2175 Private A. Hodge, gunshot wound of forehead; slight.
 2015 Private J. Davis, gunshot wound of left side of face; slight.
 571 Private J. Matthews, gunshot wound of left forearm; severe.
 2166 Private J. McFarlane, gunshot wound of left arm; severe.
 653 Serjeant J. Cornfoot, gunshot wound of right thigh; severe.
 1961 Private J. Collins, gunshot wound of left temple; slight.
 206 Private A. Drummond, gunshot wound of left fore-arm; slight.
 105 Private J. Hutchison, gunshot wound of right thigh; severe.
 2100 Private A. Falconer, gunshot wound of left fore-arm; severe.
 111 Private G. Ross, gunshot wound of right thigh; slight.
 1766 Private R. Steward, gunshot wound of left leg; slight.
 1795 Private A. McPhail, gunshot wound of left eye; severe.
 1955 Private A. Bruce, gunshot wound of left fore-arm with injury of bones; severe.
 1657 Private J. Love, gunshot wound of chest (penetrating); dangerous.
 1926 Private J. Thompson, gunshot wound of left side of chest (penetrating); dangerous.
 400 Private M. Bennett, gunshot wound of right arm with fracture; very severe.
 1494 Corporal J. C. Ayton, gunshot wound of right side of chest (penetrating); dangerous.
 2161 Private W. McLaughlan, gunshot wound of right shoulder and back; slight.
 107 Private O. Kirkwood, gunshot wound of left orbit; slight.
 1976 Private J. Crow, gunshot wound of scalp; slight.
 269 Serjeant W. Street, gunshot wound of thigh; slight.
 1905 Private C. Warren, gunshot wound of left side of face; slight.
 2005 Private W. Graham, gunshot wound of left side of neck; slight.
 2159 Private W. Blyth, gunshot wound of left side of face; slight.
 134 Private T. Pickard, gunshot wound of right leg; slight.
 1747 Private R. Stewart, gunshot wound of forehead; slight.
 1882 Private W. Nichol, gunshot wound of right arm and right eye; slight.
 212 Private J. Hunter, gunshot wound of chin; slight.
 3454 Serjeant J. Butters, gunshot wound of left hip; slight.
 132 Private M. Cowan, gunshot wound of scalp; slight.

- 125 Private J. Wallace, gunshot wound of left hip and left jaw, (contusion); slight.
- 1715 Private D. Hogg, gunshot wound of back; slight.
- 129 P. Smith, gunshot wound of right leg; slight.
- 1502 J. Salmond, gunshot wound of abdomen (contusion); slight.
- 7 Piper D. McQueen, gunshot wound of right side (contusion); slight.
- 215 Private A. Selford, gunshot wound of right side of chest (contusion); slight.
- 147 Private C. Lamond, gunshot wound of left forearm (contusion); slight.
- 476 Corporal T. Milne, gunshot wound of left shoulder and right arm (contusion); slight.
- 921 Sergeant H. Barton, gunshot wound of nose; slight.
- 753 Private A. McLaughlin, gunshot wound of left side of neck; slight.
- 1422 Private J. Edwards, gunshot wound of left arm (contusion); slight.
- 54 Private A. Graham, gunshot wound of left thigh (contusion); slight.
- 1561 Private George Ritchie, gunshot wound of right thigh and contusion of left side of chest; slight.
- 1855 Private G. Smith, gunshot wound of middle finger, left hand; slight.
- 209 Private J. Cameron, gunshot wound of left thigh (contusion); slight.
- 108 Private R. McDonald, gunshot wound of left arm; slight.
- 122 Private William Anderson, gunshot wound of right thigh and lip; slight.
- 63 Private H. Grant, gunshot wound of right shoulder (contusion); slight.
- 1761 Private A. McLean, gunshot wound of right chest (contusion); slight.
- 1101 Corporal W. Murray, gunshot wound of left eye (contusion); slight.
- 1886 Private J. May, gunshot wound of left arm (contusion); slight.
- 1419 Serjeant A. Dunbar, gunshot wound of neck (contusion); slight.
- 1756 Serjeant J. Young, gunshot wound of left shoulder (contusion); slight.
- 1866 Private J. Thompson, gunshot wound of left index finger; slight.
- 135 Private R. Scott, gunshot wound of right arm; slight.
- 141 Corporal S. McGaw, gunshot wound of right index finger; slight.
- 104 Private M. McGregor, gunshot wound of left shoulder (contusion); slight.
- 2154 Private J. Arnett, gunshot wound of neck (contusion); slight.
- 203 Private William Armstrong, gunshot wound of left elbow; slight.

2nd Battalion Rifle Brigade.

- Private William Henton, gunshot wound of shoulder; severe.
- Private James Richards, gunshot wound of head and neck; very severe.
- Private F. Davis, gunshot wound of shoulder; slight.
- Private Thomas Pilcher, gunshot wound of forearm; severe.
- Private Thomas Oud, gunshot wound of forearm; slight.
- Serjeant William Bartlett, gunshot wound of chest (non-penetrating); severe.

Rail's Artillery.

- Gunner Marna Sheriffe, gunshot wound of right arm; severe.

Wood's Regiment.

- Private Quashie Boosomachie, gunshot wound of left leg; slight.
- Private Midjena Acquali, gunshot wound of left temple; slight.
- Private Sambo Derami, gunshot wound of right temple and left middle finger; slight.
- Private Etallamena, gunshot wound of left lower jaw; severe.
- Private Bombotmo, gunshot wound of left forearm; slight.
- Private Aboobokey, gunshot wound of left thigh; severe.

Russell's Regiment.

- Private David Jones, gunshot wound of left hip; slight.
- Corporal Jatla Afoo, gunshot wound of forehead; slight.
- Lance Corporal John Glover, gunshot wound of left forearm; severe.
- Private Dardee, gunshot wound of left hip; severe.
- Private Serana Kernikie, gunshot wound of right shoulder; slight.
- Private Daodoo Asheri, gunshot wound of left side of face; severe.
- Private Mamadoo Basumferi, gunshot wound of left side of neck; severe.
- Private Moussa Kennoo, gunshot wound of left eyebrow; slight.
- Private Mumma Damaderi, gunshot wound of right side of jaw; slight.
- Private Attah Kirde, gunshot wound of left thigh; severe.
- Private Ali Kernikie, gunshot wound of left shoulder; severe.
- Private Mamadoo Gouran, gunshot wound of left side of face; severe.
- Private Ali Bagagigi, gunshot wound of right forearm; slight.
- Private Brahno Loudi, gunshot wound of right shoulder; slight.
- Private Abdul Adaoli, gunshot wound of right foot; slight.
- Private Abodooleifa, gunshot wound of right hand; slight.
- Private Moussa Afoo, gunshot wound of right thigh; slight.

In addition to above, six of Lord Gifford's scouts were wounded; one severely, and five slightly.

W. A. MACKINNON, Surgeon-Major,
Principal Medical Officer.

N.B.—For wounded Officers and Men of Naval Brigade, see Naval Despatch below.

Admiralty, March 5, 1874.

THE accompanying Despatch has been received from Commodore W. N. Hewett, V.C.:—

Head Quarters, Agimnamu, 15 miles from Sir, Coomassie, 10 P.M., February 2, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to request you will inform the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty that since I despatched my letter of the 29th of January, the Naval Brigade, in conjunction with the rest of the troops, has been hotly engaged with the enemy on three separate occasions.

2. On our arrival at Detchiasu, on the morning of the 29th ult., Wood's and Russell's Regiments, with the Naval Brigade and 23rd Fusiliers, under the command of Colonel M'Leod, 42nd Highlanders, were ordered to advance four miles into the bush to the village of Borumassie, and attack

it, with the object of driving out the King of Adansi, who, with a large force, was occupying a strong position on our flank. After a sharp engagement the enemy were eventually dislodged, although not without some loss on our side, of which the only particulars I am able to give you are that four men of the Naval Brigade were wounded, two severely and two slightly.

3. On the evening of the 30th of January our troops and carriers were massed at Insarfu, and early on the following morning they advanced in four columns to attack a strong force of the enemy, who had established themselves a short distance south of Amoaful.

4. Without attempting to give the details of the General's plan of operations, I will endeavour to afford such particulars as will enable their Lordships to gain some idea of the position occupied by the Naval Brigade during the engagement.

5. The first encounter took place at 8 A.M., when the village of Egginassie, about a mile from Amoaful, was carried by a rush of the scouts under Lord Gifford.

6. The Naval Brigade was divided into two wings, one, under Captain Walter James H. Grubbe, of Her Majesty's ship "Tamar," being attached to the left column, and the other, under Acting Captain Percy P. Luxmore, of Her Majesty's ship "Druid," to the right.

7. On the advance being made the right and left columns were ordered to cut paths at right angles to the main road, for a distance of 300 yards into the bush, and then to form upon the flanks of the 42nd Regiment, who, in the front column, were making their way through the thick bush on either side of the road.

8. The enemy's centre was at Amoaful, and throwing out two columns towards us in a diagonal direction, they formed, as it were, a broad arrow with the main path, in which order they received our attack.

9. After suffering very heavy losses the 42nd Highlanders eventually captured the town at 1.45 p.m.

10. I have great pleasure in acquainting their Lordships with the steady behaviour of the Naval Brigade. During a very trying time they showed the greatest coolness, and, advancing slowly under a continuous and heavy fire, steadily drove back the enemy until three o'clock, when they forced them to make a precipitate retreat, and the day was ours.

11. Although it is quite impossible to give even an approximate estimate of the strength of the enemy opposed to us, I should say, from the number of Ashantee corpses we have taken from the road side and buried, there must have been several thousands of them.

12. On the baggage being moved up from Insarfu towards the evening, the guard protecting it was attacked, and some of the carriers, dropping their loads, ran away. Nearly all of it was, however, afterwards recovered, and Sir Garnet has since successfully established a line of communication with his rear.

13. On Sunday the Naval Brigade were sent on to a place called Becquah (Baquah?) three miles from Amoaful, where they attacked a large number of Ashantees, and drove them back with considerable loss.

14. On Monday, February 2, we came in here, and to-morrow, at daylight, we are to advance ten miles further, without baggage. This will take us within about five miles of Coomassie.

15. There has been some desultory fighting during the day, in which the Naval Brigade were not engaged.

16. Enclosed is a return of casualties, which does not include the losses suffered by the regiments which, I regret to say, in the case of the 42nd were very heavy.

17. Their Lordships will observe that a very stubborn resistance was offered to us.

(Signed) W. N. HEWETT,

Commodore.

The Secretary of the Admiralty.

*The Camp, Royal Naval Brigade,
Amoaful, February 1, 1874.*

A NOMINAL LIST of Killed and Wounded Officers, Petty Officers, Seamen, and Marines, belonging to the Royal Naval Brigade, at Borumassie, on the 29th of January, 1874; at Amoaful, on the 31st of January, and Becquah, on the 1st of February:—

AT BORUMASSIE.

Petty Officers, Seamen, and Marines Wounded.

Her Majesty's Ship "Active."

Leading Seaman George Peavitt, left breast; very severe.

Gunner's Mate John Smith, right temple; very severe.

Her Majesty's Ship "Argus."

Boatswain's Mate Thomas Wilson, left leg; slight.

Private William B. Truelove, right hand; slight.

AT AMOAFUL.

Officers Wounded.

Her Majesty's Ship "Tamar."

Captain W. J. H. Grubbe, left hand; very severely.

Her Majesty's Ship "Barracouta."

Lieutenant Angus McLeod, abdomen; slightly.

Her Majesty's Ship "Active."

Acting Lieutenant G. R. Maltby, chest; slightly.

Sub-Lieutenant Robert L. Mundy, head; very dangerously.

Sub-Lieutenant Wyatt Rawson, thigh; severely.

Her Majesty's Ship "Amethyst."

Midshipman Charles G. May, neck; slightly.

Petty Officers, Seamen, and Marines Wounded.

Her Majesty's Ship "Active."

Captain of the Foretop Thomas Blake, left shoulder; very severely.

Captain of the Maintop William Elkes, right thigh; very severely.

Boatswain's Mate James Wilson, face; slightly.

Commodore's Domestic William Coleman, right thigh; severely.

Her Majesty's Ship "Druid."

Signalman Francis Watson, chest; very dangerously, penetrating.

A.B. John Murphy, face; slightly.

Her Majesty's Ship "Encounter."

Captain of the Maintop James Jones, left thigh; very severely.

A.B. J. F. Lemm, left arm; very severely.

A.B. Joseph Murphy, two penetrating wounds of chest; very dangerously.

A.B. Joe Barnes, right chest penetrating; very dangerously.

A.B. Henry Darling, right arm; slightly.

Her Majesty's Ship "Amethyst."

A.B. G. Alford, scrotum ; dangerously.
 Captain's C. John Searce, left arm ; severely.
 A.B. Edward Gilbert, neck ; dangerously.
 A.B. Denis Driscoe, head, right side ; severely.
 A.B. William Daw, right side of face ; severely.

Her Majesty's Ship "Argus."

Leading Seaman William Hart, right thigh ; very severely.
 A.B. R. Sykes, right arm ; very severely.
 Boatswain's Mate W. Bunt, left arm ; severely.
 A.B. Benjamin Vivian, right arm ; slightly.

Her Majesty's Ship "Active."

Serjeant R.M.L.I. Timothy Walters, left leg ; very severely.
 Private William Avery, face and neck ; very severely.
 Private D. Gavan, face ; slightly.
 Private Thomas Bavers, left shoulder ; severely.

Her Majesty's Ship "Druid."

Private John Bell, face and neck ; dangerously.
 Private James Sillence, left arm ; severely.

AT BECQUAH.

*Petty Officers, Seamen, and Marines Killed.**Her Majesty's Ship "Active."*

A.B. William Taylor, heart.

*Petty Officers Seamen, and Marines Wounded.**Her Majesty's Ship "Active."*

Captain of Quarter-deck Mr. W. Allridge, left arm ; very severely.
 A.B. John Malegan, head and ear ; severely.
 Boatswain's Mate James Willson, right forearm ; slightly.

(Signed) HENRY FEGAN, M.D.,
 Staff Surgeon, 2nd Class, in Medical Charge.

[These Notices are substituted for those which appeared in the Gazette of the 3rd instant.]

AT the Court at Windsor, the 2nd day of March, 1874.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased to declare the Most Noble James, Duke of Abercorn, K.G., Lieutenant-General and General Governor of that part of the United Kingdom called Ireland.

This day, the Most Honourable Francis Hugh George, Marquess of Hertford ; Henry George Percy (commonly called Earl Percy) ; the Right Honourable Frederick, Earl Beauchamp ; Henry Richard Charles Somerset (commonly called Lord Henry Somerset) ; the Right Honourable George William, Viscount Barrington ; Dudley Francis Stuart Ryder (commonly called Viscount Sandon) ; the Right Honourable Edward, Lord Skelmersdale ; Sir Michael Edward Hicks Beach, Baronet ; Sir John Charles Dalrymple-Hay, Baronet ; and George Sclater-Booth, Esquire, were, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took their places at the Board accordingly.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to direct that the Right Honourable Dudley Francis

Stuart Ryder (commonly called Viscount Sandon) be appointed Vice-President of the Committee of Council on Education ; and that the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, do prepare a warrant for Her Majesty's Royal signature accordingly, under the provisions of an Act passed in the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act for the appointment of a Vice-President of the Committee of Council on Education."

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Sir Charles Bowyer Adderley, K.C.M.G., President of the Committee of Council for Trade.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint the Right Honourable George Sclater-Booth, President of the Local Government Board.

[This Notice is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 3rd instant.]

Privy Council Office, March 2, 1874.

THIS day, the oath of office of Lord Chamberlain was taken by the Most Honourable Francis Hugh George, Marquess of Hertford ; the oath of office of Lord Steward by the Right Honourable Frederick, Earl Beauchamp ; the oath of office of President of the Board of Trade by the Right Honourable Sir Charles Bowyer Adderley, K.C.M.G. ; and the oath of office of President of the Local Government Board by the Right Honourable George Sclater-Booth.

Council Office, March 2, 1874.

WHEREAS the Governing Body of Eton College or School, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by "The Public Schools Act, 1868," and "The Public Schools (Eton College Property) Act, 1873," and of every other power enabling them in that behalf, did, on the twenty-third day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, make a Scheme for the improvement of the property of Eton College :

And whereas the said Scheme has been submitted to and approved by the Special Commissioners appointed by the said firstly mentioned Act, and has been this day laid before Her Majesty in Council, the same is published in the London Gazette, in pursuance of the provisions of the said Acts.

And notice is hereby given, that it is lawful for the bodies or persons authorized so to do, in these Acts, within two months from the date of the publication of this notification, to petition Her Majesty in Council to withhold Her approval from the whole or any part of such Scheme.

SCHEME for the Improvement of the Property of Eton College.

Made pursuant to "The Public Schools Act, 1868," and "The Public Schools (Eton College Property) Act, 1873."

1. After the approval of this scheme by Her Majesty in Council no fine shall be taken on the renewal or grant of any lease of any part of the College estates.

2. Immediately after the approval of this scheme by Her Majesty in Council all the provisions of the scheme approved by Her Majesty in Council on the 23rd day of June, 1870, entitled "Scheme

for Improving the Property of Eton College by running out Beneficial Leases," shall be, and the same are hereby revoked, but without prejudice to anything done or suffered under such scheme.

3. The Provost and Fellows, and their successors, shall from time to time, for the purposes of this scheme, upon the requisition of the Governing Body of Eton College or School, and their successors, sell any part of the College estates, or any estate or interest therein for the time being belonging to the College; Provided that every such sale be made with the consent of the Copyhold Commissioners, such consent to be obtained and evidenced in the manner provided by Section 2 of "The Universities and College Estates Act, 1858," with regard to sales of College estates effected under that Act; but such Commissioners shall not be required to join in any conveyance for effecting any such sale.

4. The Provost and Fellows, and their successors, shall also, from time to time, upon the like requisition, raise money for the purposes of this scheme by mortgage of the College estates, or any part of them, or of any estate or interest therein for the time being belonging to the College.

5. The expenses of and incidental to any such sale or mortgage, including, in the case of a sale, the expenses of obtaining the consent of the Copyhold Commissioners thereto, shall be paid out of the moneys arising from such sale or mortgage, and the residue of such moneys shall be paid into a fund, to be established for the purposes of this scheme, and to be called "The Improvement Fund." There shall also be paid into the Improvement Fund the balances (if any) which, at the date of the approval of this scheme by Her Majesty in Council, shall be standing to the credit of the Fines' Fund and the Rents' Fund mentioned in the scheme hereby revoked.

6. The moneys from time to time remaining to the credit of the Improvement Fund shall be placed at the disposal of the Governing Body and their successors, and shall be applied by them for or towards all or any of the purposes or objects following, in such manner and in such order, save as hereinafter provided, as they may think fit, that is to say:—

(a.) In payment annually to the present Provost, and to such of the existing Fellows as have their rights, privileges, and emoluments reserved to them by Statute II of the College or School (including the present Lower Master, if he shall be elected a Fellow under that statute), of the commuted equivalent of their respective interests in the renewal fines, calculated as directed by the 24th section of "The Public Schools Act, 1868." This payment shall have priority over all the other payments out of the Improvement Fund.

(b.) In or towards paying off any mortgage or debt for the time being charged on the College estates, or any part thereof, whether such mortgage or debt shall have been made or incurred previously or subsequently to the making of the scheme hereby revoked, and whether such mortgage or debt shall have been made or incurred for the purposes of such last-mentioned scheme, or of this scheme, or for any other purpose whatsoever, including in the debts payable under this clause the sum of £4,095 11s. 9d., being a debt incurred by the College for extinguishing beneficial leases, and due to the present Provost and such of the existing Fellows as have their rights and emoluments

reserved to them by the Statute II of the College or School.

c.) To effect in the College estates, or any part thereof, any improvement of land within the meaning of "The Improvement of Land Act, 1864."

(d.) To effect improvements for the benefit of the College or School, and for that purpose to repair, improve, enlarge, and add to the buildings belonging to the College or School, to build new buildings, and purchase land.

(e.) To purchase the interest of any lessee under any lease for years, or for a life or lives in any part of the College estates.

7. All moneys arising from any sale or mortgage in pursuance of this scheme shall, until applied for the purposes of this scheme, upon the requisition of the Governing Body, and their successors, be invested, by the Provost and Fellows, and their successors, in Government securities in the name of the Provost and Fellows of Eton College, and the income arising from any such investment shall form part of the annual revenue or income of the College or School; the Provost and Fellows, and their successors, shall, from time to time, cause to be made such investments in the aforesaid securities, and such sales of the said investments, or any of them, as the Governing Body and their successors shall think fit.

8. Proper accounts of the receipts and expenditure of the Improvement Fund shall be kept by the Bursar or Bursars for the time being, and these accounts shall be subject to all the provisions as to audit and examination of Statute 18 of the College or School.

Signed and Sealed the twenty-third day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

(Signed)

Charles O. Goodford, Chairman.

Spencer H. Walpole.

G. G. Stokes.

L. S.

Approved and Sealed by the Special Commissioners appointed for the purposes of "The Public Schools Act, 1868," this twenty-fourth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

L. S.

Council Office, March 2, 1874.

WHEREAS the Governing Body of Harrow School, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by "The Public Schools Act, 1868," and "The Public Schools (Shrewsbury and Harrow Schools property) Act, 1873," and of every other power enabling them in that behalf, did, on the 11th and 21st days of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, make certain Statutes for the Government of that School, and two schemes, one empowering the Governing Body to add to, or alter, the school buildings, and another for transferring to the said Governing Body all the property rights and privileges of "The Old Corporation" and for the dissolution of "The Old Corporation."

And whereas the said Statutes and schemes have been submitted to and approved by the Special Commissioners appointed by the said firstly-mentioned Act, and have been this day laid before Her Majesty in Council, the same are published in the London Gazette, in pursuance of the provisions of the said Acts.

And notice is hereby given, that it is lawful for the bodies or persons authorised so to do, in those Acts, within two months from the date of the publication of this notification, to petition Her Majesty in Council to withhold Her approval from the whole or any part of such Statutes or Schemes.

STATUTES made by the Governing Body of Harrow School under the Provisions of the Public Schools Acts.

WHEREAS by "The Public Schools Act, 1868," and the Acts amending or affecting the same, the Governing Body of any school to which the Acts apply, are empowered to make Statutes as therein mentioned, and to consolidate and amend any existing Statutes or regulations relating to such school, and to repeal any Statutes or regulations which have in the opinion of that Body become obsolete or incapable of observance by reason of changes authorised to be made under the said Acts:

And whereas the Governing Body of Harrow School (a School to which the said Acts apply) have determined to exercise the aforesaid powers in manner hereinafter appearing:

Be it enacted as follows:

STATUTE I.

INTERPRETATION.

In these Statutes—

"The Governing Body" means the new Governing Body of Harrow School constituted under "the Public Schools Act, 1868," and any Act or Acts amending the same.

"The School" means Harrow School.

"The parish of Harrow" means the parish of Harrow as including the parish or hamlet of Pinner.

"The Income of the property of the School," means the income available for the purposes of the School derived from the foundation of John Lyon. "The date of these Statutes" means the date at which they shall be approved by Her Majesty in Council.

STATUTE II.

RESERVATION OF RIGHTS.

All persons residing in the parish of Harrow, on the 31st of July, 1868, shall retain any rights to send their children to Harrow School, which they would have had if these Statutes had not been made.

All boys on the Foundation at the date of these Statutes shall retain any privileges which they would have had if these Statutes had not been made.

Boys admitted to or remaining on the Foundation under the aforesaid reservations in this Statute contained are hereinafter referred to as boys on the Old Foundation.

There shall be paid or accounted for annually out of the income of the property of the school to the Head Master on behalf of every boy on the Old Foundation a sum of money equal to the fees for the time being required to be paid on behalf of a Home Boarder for public tuition and general charges.

Such moneys shall be applied towards the instruction of the boys on the Old Foundation as the Governing Body shall from time to time direct.

STATUTE III.

THE INCOME OF THE PROPERTY OF THE SCHOOL.

The income of the property of the school shall be applied for the following purposes in the

order in which they are specified in the following sub-sections.

1. Payment of salaries and wages of a Receiver, a Secretary or Clerk, and other officers and servants required by the Governing Body, of all rates, repairs, outgoings and expenses of and incidental to or to the management and maintenance of the school buildings including the Head Master's House, and of all other property of the school, and of all expenses of the Governing Body and the members thereof in discharge of their duties.

2. Payment of interest and sinking fund in respect of any sum or sums which may from time to time be lawfully raised by way of mortgage on the property of the school for the purposes of the school or the lower school of John Lyon, hereinafter referred to, or otherwise.

3. Provision of a House for the Head Master, rent and rate free.

4. Payment for all repairs, maintenance, and improvements of, or additions to, the School, Buildings, and Premises, including the Head Master's House, which may not be covered by sub-section 2 of this Statute.

5. Payment of the Lyon Scholarship hereinafter referred to.

6. Payment of such reasonable contributions and outgoings, as the Governing Body may think incumbent on them as Landowners in respect of the property of the School.

7. Payment to the Head Master of the sums which may become payable under Statute II.

One equal moiety of the residue of the income of the property of the School, after meeting the payments aforesaid, shall be appropriated to the purposes of the Lower School of John Lyon, hereinafter referred to, and the other moiety to the purposes of the Foundation Exhibitions, hereinafter referred to.

STATUTE IV.

THE LOWER SCHOOL OF JOHN LYON.

The Governing Body shall establish and maintain in the parish of Harrow, a subordinate School, which shall be called the Lower School of John Lyon, and such School, and the Funds appropriated thereto, shall be managed and administered according to the discretion and under the superintendence of the Governing Body, subject to the following provisions:

1. The Lower School shall be a Day School, and shall provide a sound practical and liberal education, suitable for boys, who, being sons of persons resident in Harrow and the neighbourhood, are intended for commercial and other similar occupations.

2. The fees payable by each boy at the Lower School, shall not exceed £12; or be less than £5, per annum.

3. The subjects of instruction at the Lower School, shall, subject to any modifications or additions which may be prescribed by the Governing Body, comprise Religious Instruction (subject to the provisions of clause 4 of this Statute) Latin, English, Modern Languages, Writing, Arithmetic, the Elements of Mathematics, and of Natural Science, History, and Geography.

4. It shall not be required as a condition of any Boy, being admitted into or continuing in the School, that he shall attend or abstain from attending, any Sunday School, or any place of religious worship, or that he shall attend any religious observance, or any instruction in religious subjects, from which observance or instruction he may be withdrawn by his parent or guardian, or that he shall attend the School on

any day set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent or guardian belongs, if his parent or guardian desires to withdraw him on that day, and any Boy may be withdrawn by his parent or guardian from such observance, or instruction, or attendance, without forfeiting any of the other benefits of the School.

STATUTE V.

THE FOUNDATION EXHIBITIONS.

1. The number and value of Foundation Exhibitions, shall be such as the Governing Body, having regard to the available funds for the purpose, shall from time to time determine.

2. Each Foundation Exhibition shall be tenable at the School for four years, and shall be open only to the sons of persons who shall have resided in the parish of Harrow for not less than two years next preceding the date of the election to the Exhibition: Provided always, that any Boy who being or being entitled to be a Boy on the Old Foundation, shall be elected to and shall accept a Foundation Exhibition, shall, on being elected to such Exhibition, and during his tenure thereof, relinquish all right to any moneys and privileges to which he would or might have been, or become otherwise entitled as a Boy upon the Old Foundation.

3. The election to every Foundation Exhibition shall be made by the Governing Body, according to the results of a competitive examination in such subjects and to be conducted in such manner as shall be determined by Regulation.

4. If, on the occasion of any election to a Foundation Exhibition, no such candidate as aforesaid shall be found, who, in the judgment of the Governing Body, is duly qualified to be elected to such Exhibition, the Exhibition shall for that term be suspended, and the money applicable thereto, shall be added to the balance available for Foundation Exhibitions in the next year.

5. Every Boy elected to a Foundation Exhibition shall, at the date of such election, be not less than 12 and not more than 14 years of age.

6. All candidates for the Foundation Exhibitions shall produce such evidence of age and of good character as the Governing Body may require.

7. All Foundation Exhibitioners shall be subject to the Regulations for the time being in force in the School with respect to the age at which Boys may be required to leave the School. They shall also be subject to the ordinary discipline of the School, and, in case of idleness or misconduct to forfeiture of the Exhibition, but such forfeiture shall be subject to an appeal to the Governing Body.

8. Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, the provisions of Sections 5, 6, and 7, of this present Statute, shall be applicable to Boys having been or being entitled to be on the Old Foundation.

STATUTE VI.

LYON SCHOLARSHIP.

The four Lyon Scholarships or Exhibitions of £5 a year each shall (from and after the first vacancies which shall occur after the date of these Statutes) be consolidated into one Scholarship of £20 a year tenable for four years. The election to the Scholarship shall be made under the provisions hereinafter contained, and the Scholarship shall be tenable by any undergraduate member of the University of Oxford or the University of Cambridge (whether a member of any College or

hall or not) during residence at such University. The said Lyon Scholarship shall be given to a Boy (if any such there be) who, having been born within the parish of Harrow, and having been educated (for not less than one year) at the Lower School of John Lyon, and having proceeded from the said Lower School to Harrow School and continued there till the time of election to the said Lyon Scholarship, shall be about to proceed to either of the Universities of Oxford or Cambridge. If at the time of any election to the said Lyon Scholarship there shall be more than one candidate so qualified, the Scholarship shall be awarded after a competitive examination in such subjects and conducted in such manner as shall be determined by Regulation. And if in any year at the time of election there shall be no candidate so qualified as aforesaid, then the Scholarship shall be thrown open to competition, and all members of the School shall be eligible thereto.

STATUTE VII.

PROCEEDINGS OF GOVERNING BODY.

The Governing Body shall hold not less than two meetings in every year. Minutes of the proceedings at every meeting of the Governing Body shall be entered in a minute book and signed at the next meeting by the then Chairman.

The Governing Body shall cause to be prepared annually a statement for the past year of the income of the property of the School and the application thereof, and such statement shall be published in such manner as the Governing Body shall direct.

STATUTE VIII.

THE HEAD MASTER.

1. The Head Master shall be appointed by, and hold his office at the pleasure of, the Governing Body. Any Graduate of an University within Her Majesty's dominions shall be eligible for the office. For the purpose of obtaining the best candidates, the Governing Body shall, on the occurrence of a vacancy, give sufficient notice thereof and invite applications.

2. The Head Master shall be continually resident except during the School holidays, or except for some grave cause to be signified by him in writing, and to be approved by the Governing Body.

3. He shall be responsible for, and superintend the general discipline and instruction of, all Boys admitted to the School.

4. He shall not receive any stipend from the income of the property of the School, but shall have a house rent and rate free which shall be kept in substantial repair out of the income of the property of the School.

5. He shall not, except with the consent of the Governing Body, hold any office other than the Head Mastership of the School.

6. Before he enters upon his office, he shall sign a declaration to be entered in the Minute Book of the Governing Body in the following form:—

I (A. B.) declare that I will, to the best of my abilities, discharge the duties of Head Master of Harrow School during my tenure of the office, and that, If I am removed by the Governing Body, I will thereupon relinquish all claim to the Mastership and its future emoluments, and will deliver up possession of all property held by me as Head Master then in my possession or occupation.

7. He shall not except with the consent of the Governing Body resign his office without giving

to the Governing Body at least three months notice of his intended resignation, and such resignation shall take effect only at the end of a School term, except with the express consent of the Governing Body.

8. He shall conform in all respects to all Regulations which may from time to time be made by the Governing Body.

STATUTE IX.

THE ASSISTANT MASTERS.

1. The office of Usher or Lower Master is hereby abolished.

2. All the Assistant Masters shall be appointed by and hold their offices at the pleasure of the Head Master, but in case the Head Master shall dismiss a Master he shall forthwith notify in writing the fact, and the reason for it to the Governing Body, and it shall be the duty of the Governing Body to consider (though not in the way of appeal) any statement which shall have been presented to them by a Master who shall have been dismissed.

STATUTE X.

REPEAL OF EXISTING STATUTES.

Subject to the provisions of "The Public Schools Act, 1868," and of the several Acts amending the same, and to all rights and interests reserved thereby, and except Statutes, Schemes, and Regulations made under the provisions of the said Acts, or any of them; all existing Orders, Statutes, Regulations, Rules, and Directions relating to the School shall, from, and after the date of these Statutes be, and the same are hereby repealed save and except in so far as such existing Orders, Statutes, Regulations, Rules, and Directions are hereby reserved or re-enacted. Provided that, all powers which at the time of "The Public Schools Act, 1868," were vested in the then existing Governing Body by Act of Parliament, Charter, Instrument of Endowment, Custom, or otherwise, shall notwithstanding anything herein contained continue in force and be exercisable by the new Governing Body by Regulations, or otherwise, as if these Statutes had not been made.

Sealed by the Governing Body of Harrow School, this twenty-first day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

Approved and sealed by the Special Commissioners appointed for the purposes of "The Public Schools Act, 1868," this twenty-fourth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.



HARROW SCHOOL.

SCHEME EMPOWERING THE GOVERNING BODY OF HARROW SCHOOL TO ADD TO, ALTER, OR CONSTRUCT BUILDINGS, UNDER THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS ACTS.

The Governing Body of Harrow School, and their successors, shall have power from time to time, when and as it may seem to them expedient, to make additions to, or alterations in, the existing buildings of Harrow School, and to construct new or separate buildings for the purposes either of Harrow School, or of any subordinate or other Schools established, or to be hereafter established, in connection with Harrow School.

For the purposes of making any such additions or alterations, or constructing any such buildings

as aforesaid, the Governing Body of Harrow School and their successors may, from time to time, raise such sum or sums of money as they shall think fit, together with all reasonable costs and expenses incidental to such raising, and the application thereof by mortgage of any property belonging to or held in trust for Harrow School, and may from time to time suspend any Scholarships or Exhibitions payable out of such property, and may from time to time exchange any lands belonging to Harrow School for any other lands, and upon any such exchange give or receive money for equality of exchange, and may from time to time purchase any lands as they may think fit, and may from time to time make such arrangements as they may think fit, with respect to the payment of the interest on, and the discharge or re-borrowing of the principal moneys secured by such mortgages, and for the payment of any moneys which may be required on any such exchange or purchase as aforesaid.

Any moneys to arise from any such exchange as aforesaid shall be deemed to be and be moneys applicable for the purpose of any such exchange or purchase, or for the discharge of any moneys raised by mortgage as aforesaid, or they shall be invested in any of the securities which may from time to time be authorised by the Court of Chancery for the investment of cash under the control of the Court, and held in like manner as any other property belonging to or held in trust for the School.

No person dealing with the Governing Body shall be bound to inquire whether any disposition purporting to be made under the powers hereby conferred is in fact proper or authorised.

In this Scheme the word "lands" shall have the same meaning as in "The Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845."

Sealed by the Governing Body of Harrow School, this 11th day of February, 1874.

Approved and sealed by the Special Commissioners appointed for the purposes of the "Public Schools Act, 1868," this sixteenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.



HARROW SCHOOL.

SCHEME MADE BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF HARROW SCHOOL, PURSUANT TO THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS (SHREWSBURY AND HARROW SCHOOLS PROPERTY) ACT, 1873.

1. In this Scheme the term "Old Corporation" shall have the same meaning as in the Public Schools (Shrewsbury and Harrow Schools Property) Act, 1873, with reference to Harrow School.

"The date of this Scheme" means the date of the approbation thereof by Her Majesty in Council.

2. From and after the date of this Scheme—

Firstly, all hereditaments of whatever tenure, and all personal estate, rights of action, and property of every description to which the Old Corporation shall be entitled at the date of this Scheme; and

Secondly, all powers, rights, authorities, duties, and privileges, by Charter, Act of Parliament, Statute, Instrument of Endowment, custom, or otherwise, at the date of this Scheme vested in or exercisable by or incumbent on the Old Corporation (including the power of electing from time to time two members

of the new Governing Body of Harrow School) shall be absolutely transferred to and vested in the new Governing Body of Harrow School and their successors, in the same manner and to the same extent as the same were vested in the Old Corporation at the date of this Scheme.

3. Nothing herein contained shall affect any trust or liability whatsoever affecting the premises aforesaid at the date of this Scheme, but all such trusts and liabilities shall continue and may be enforced by or against the new Governing Body of Harrow School and their successors in the same manner and to the same extent as the same could have been enforced by or against the Old Corporation if this Scheme had not been made.

4. From and after the date of this Scheme the Old Corporation shall be dissolved.

Sealed by the Governing Body of Harrow School this 11th day of February, 1874.

Approved and Sealed by the Special Commissioners appointed for the purposes of the "Public Schools Act, 1868," this sixteenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

L.S.

Council Office, March 2, 1874.

WHEREAS the New Governing Body of Shrewsbury School, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by "The Public Schools (Shrewsbury and Harrow Schools Property) Act, 1873," and of every other power enabling them in that behalf, did, on the eleventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, make a Scheme for transferring to the said Governing Body all the powers and duties vested in the Governors and Trustees of the Free Grammar School of King Edward the Sixth at Shrewsbury, entitled "The Old Corporation," and for the dissolution of "The Old Corporation:"

And whereas the said Scheme has been submitted to and approved by the Special Commissioners appointed by the Public Schools Act, 1868, and has been this day laid before Her Majesty in Council, the same is published in the London Gazette, in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act.

And notice is hereby given, that it is lawful for the bodies or persons authorized so to do in that Act, within two months from the date of the publication of this notification, to petition Her Majesty in Council to withhold her approval from the whole or any part of such Scheme.

SHREWSBURY SCHOOL.

A SCHEME, made pursuant to "The Public Schools (Shrewsbury and Harrow Schools Property) Act, 1873."

1. From and after the date of this Scheme, all and singular the powers and duties vested in, exercisable by, and imposed upon "the Governors and Trustees of the Free Grammar School of King Edward the Sixth at Shrewsbury," in "The Public Schools (Shrewsbury and Harrow Schools Property) Act, 1873," and hereinafter intituled "The Old Corporation," shall be transferred to, and be exercisable by, and be imposed upon, the New Governing Body of Shrewsbury School, in the said Act mentioned.

2. From and after the date of this Scheme, the Old Corporation shall be dissolved.

3. The date of this Scheme shall be the date of the Order in Council signifying the approval thereof by Her Majesty in Council.

L.S.

The Common Seal was hereunto affixed, by order of the Governing Body of Shrewsbury Free Grammar School, this eleventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

(Signed) *W. H. Bateson,*
James Cartmell,
Members of the Governing Body.

(Signed) *G. De Courcey Peel,*
Bailiff and Treasurer.

L.S.

Approved and Sealed by the Special Commissioners appointed for the purpose of "The Public Schools Act, 1868," this sixteenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

Council Office, March 2, 1874.

WHEREAS the Governing Body of Westminster School, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by "The Public Schools Act, 1868," and of every other power enabling them in that behalf, did, on the eighth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, make a certain Statute, respecting certain emoluments created by Dr. Samwaie's will:

And whereas the said Statute has been submitted to and approved by the Special Commissioners appointed by the said Act, and has been this day laid before Her Majesty in Council, the same is published in the London Gazette, in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act.

And notice is hereby given, that it is lawful for the bodies or persons authorized so to do, in that Act, within two months from the date of the publication of this notification, to petition Her Majesty in Council to withhold Her approval from the whole or any part of such Statute.

STATUTE with respect to certain Emoluments created by Dr. Samwaie's Will.

1. The trusts requiring the Master and Seniors of Trinity College, Cambridge, to divide part of the income arising from Dr. Samwaie's benefaction in each year equally amongst certain students of the said college elected from Westminster School, so far as they are inconsistent with the provisions of this Statute, shall from the date of this Statute coming into operation be repealed and abrogated.

2. From and after the abrogation of the aforesaid trusts the part of the said income directed to be so divided in each year shall be employed in establishing at the said College, for the benefit of Westminster School two exhibitions, one tenable for two years, to be called the Senior Samwaie's Exhibition, and the other tenable for one year, to be called the Junior Samwaie's Exhibition.

3. Of the part of the said income so employed in each year, two equal third parts shall be assigned to the holder of the Senior Samwaie's Exhibition, who shall, subject to the conditions hereinafter contained, be entitled to receive one of such two third parts at the expiration of the first academical year, and the other at the expiration of the second academical year after nomination to his Exhibition. The remaining third part shall be

assigned to the holder of the Junior Samwaie's Exhibition, who shall, subject to the same conditions, be entitled to receive the same at the expiration of the first academical year after nomination to his Exhibition.

4. The first of the major candidates in order of merit entitled in each year under the provisions of Chapter IV, Section 7, of the Statutes for the Government of Westminster School, to be elected to a Westminster Exhibition at Trinity College, shall be nominated to the Senior Samwaie's Exhibition for that year, which he shall hold in addition to his Westminster Exhibition, and the second of the major candidates in like order and manner entitled, shall be nominated to the Junior Samwaie's Exhibition for that year, which he shall hold in addition to his Westminster Exhibition.

5. No Samwaie's Exhibitioner shall be entitled to any payment in respect of his Samwaie's Exhibition until the expiration of the academical year for which such payment has accrued, at which time the Master and Seniors of Trinity College, shall at their sole discretion give authority for the payment of the several sums then due in respect of the Samwaie's Exhibitions, if they shall have been satisfied with the conduct and diligence of the respective Exhibitioners, as evidenced by their places in the College Examination for the past year, or by some similar test, but not otherwise.

6. All payments in respect of the Samwaie's Exhibitions which may have been withheld under the powers given to the Master and Seniors of Trinity College by the last preceding section shall be accumulated to a separate account. Whenever the accumulations so formed shall amount to one hundred pounds they shall be invested to the credit of a separate fund, to be called the Samwaie's Exhibition Fund, the interest and dividends arising from which fund shall be applied in each year in augmentation of the part of the income from Dr. Samwaie's benefaction employed in such year for the benefit of the scholars elected from Westminster School, according to the provisions of this Statute.

Given under the Common Seal of the Governing Body of Westminster School, this eighth day of December, one thousand-eight hundred and seventy-three.

Wm. Conway.
George Prothero.
J. L. Hammond.

L. S.

Approved and Sealed by the Special Commissioners appointed for the purposes of "The Public Schools Act, 1868," this sixteenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

L. S.

Master of the Horse's Office,
Royal Mews, Fimlico, March 2, 1874.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Charles Philip, Earl of Hardwicke, to be Master of Her Majesty's Buckhounds, in the room of the Right Honourable Richard Edmund St. Lawrence, Earl of Cork and Orrery, K.P., resigned.

St. James's Palace, March 2, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Donald Cameron, Esq., of Lochbiel, M.P., to be one of

the Grooms in Waiting in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of William, Lord Kensington, resigned.

Whitehall, March 4, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable Sir John Somerset Pakington, Bart., G.C.B., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Hamptor, of Hampton Lovett, and of Westwood, in the county of Worcester.

Whitehall, March 4, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal constituting and appointing the Right Honourable Benjamin Disraeli; the Right Honourable Sir Stafford Henry Northcote, Bart.; Arthur Philip Henry Stanhope, Esq. (commonly called Viscount Mahon); Rowland Winn, Esq.; and Sir James Dalrymple Horn Elphinstone, Bart.; to be Commissioners for executing the Offices of Treasurer of the Exchequer of Great Britain, and Lord High Treasurer of Ireland.

Whitehall, March 4, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, constituting and appointing the Right Honourable George Ward Hunt; Admiral Sir Alexander Milne, G.C.B.; Vice-Admiral Sir John Walter Tarleton, K.C.B.; Richard James Meade, Esq. (commonly called Lord Gilford), Captain R.N.; and Sir Lopes Massey Lopes, Bart., to be Her Majesty's Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of the said United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Dominions, Islands, and Territories thereunto belonging.

Whitehall, March 4, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Peter Henry Edlin, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel, to be Assistant Judge of the Court of the Sessions of the Peace in and for the county of Middlesex, in the room of Sir William Henry Bodkin, resigned.

Downing Street, March 4, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Major Robert Miller Mundy to be Lieutenant-Governor of the Colony of British Honduras.

Foreign Office, March 3, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Henry James Bovell as Consul at St. Helena for His Majesty the King of Denmark.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Moses S. Boyle as Consul at Sierra Leone for the Republic of Liberia.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. A. L. van den Bergh as Vice-Consul for Portsmouth and Southampton for His Majesty the Emperor of Austria.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. John M. Henderson as Vice-Consul at Amble for the German Empire.

*Education Department, Whitehall,
March 4, 1874.*

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued orders this day for the formation of School Boards in the under-mentioned parishes:—

Brougham	...	Westmorland.
Germansweek	...	Devon
Steppingley	...	Bedford
Aldham	...	Suffolk

*Education Department, Whitehall,
March 4, 1874.*

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued orders this day for the compulsory formation of School Boards in the undermentioned Parishes:—

Burnham Overy	...	Norfolk
Deeping St. Nicholas	...	Lincoln
Trowse Newton	...	Norfolk
Winkleigh	...	Devon
Woolvercott (extra-municipal)	Oxford;	

and in the undermentioned United Districts:

Carisbrooke (comprising the parishes of Carisbrooke (extra-municipal), St. Nicholas in the Castle (extra-municipal), and Gatcombe)	...	Hants
East and West Worlington (comprising the parishes of East Worlington and West Worlington)	...	Devon
Llanfihangel-Ystrad (comprising the parishes of Llanfihangel-Ystrad, Llanerch-Ayron, Cilie-Ayron, and Dihewid)	...	Cardigan

(H. 1510.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, March 4, 1874.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Santiago, stating that by a Decree issued at that place on the 7th January last, the port of Buenos Ayres was declared to be "suspected" and interdicted.

Admiralty, 3rd March, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Ralston Caldwell Bloomfield has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Admiralty, 4th March, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Charles Edward Woulfe Haly Hutton has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
6th March, 1874.*

10th Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General Sir John Garvock, K.C.B., from the 89th Regiment, to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Sir Sydney John Cotton, G.C.B., deceased. Dated 20th February, 1874.

89th Regiment of Foot.

Major-General Caledon Richard Egerton to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Sir John Garvock, K.C.B., appointed to the 10th Regiment. Dated 20th February, 1874.

Whitehall, February 7, 1874.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Durrant Edward Cardinal, of Halstead, in the county of Essex, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

THE FAIRS ACT, 1871.

LYDD FAIR.

IN pursuance of the above-mentioned Act, I, the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, hereby notify as follows:

1. By Memorial, dated the 2nd day of February, 1874, a representation has been duly made to me by the Bailiff, Jurats, and Commonalty of the Town of Lydd, as owners, that a Fair has been annually held in the said town on the last Monday in July, and that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that such Fair should be abolished.

2. On the 6th day of April, 1874, I shall take the aforesaid representation into consideration, and all persons are to intimate, before that day, any objection they may desire to offer to the abolition of the said Fair.

(Signed) *Richard Assheton Cross.*

Whitehall, March 5, 1874.

AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS OF THE METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WORKS.

I, CHARLES G. TURNER, the Auditor appointed by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, under the Act 34 and 35 Vic., cap. 47, to Audit the Accounts of the Metropolitan Board of Works for the year ended the 31st December, 1873, hereby give notice to all whom it may concern, that I purpose attending on Monday, the 16th day of March, 1874, at the office of the said Board, Spring-gardens, between the hours of twelve and one o'clock, to complete the Audit of the Accounts of the Board for the year before-mentioned, under the Act 18 and 19 Vic., c. 120, sec. 195, as amended by the Act 34 and 35 Vic., c. 47, sec. 16.

Given under my hand, this 6th day of March, 1874.

Charles G. Turner.

Spring Gardens.

*Civil Service Commission,
March 5, 1874.*

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that at an Open Competitive Examination for one situation as Draughtsman in the Hydrographical Department of the Admiralty, held in pursuance of the Regulations, dated January 3, 1874, and published in the London Gazette of January 6, 1874, the undermentioned Candidate obtained the first place:—

Thomas Henry Briggs.

*Civil Service Commission,
March 5, 1874.*

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that at an Open Competitive Examination for one situation as Receiver and Examiner of Job Printing in Her Majesty's Stationery Office, held in pursuance of the Regulations, dated January 22, 1874, and published in the London Gazette of January 23, 1874, the undermentioned Candidate obtained the first place:—

Robert William Moffrey.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 26.)—NOVA SCOTIA—SOUTH-WEST COAST.
Beacon and Harbour Light, Yarmouth Harbour.

THE Government of the Dominion of Canada has given notice, that a beacon has been erected on the end of the reef extending from the south-west point of Bunker Island, east side of the entrance to Yarmouth Harbour, and that from the 16th day of February a light would be exhibited from the tower and dwelling-house erected on the beacon.

The light is a *fixed red* light, elevated 27 feet above high water, and in clear weather should be seen from a distance of about 10 miles.

The illuminating apparatus is catoptric or by reflectors.

Position, lat. $43^{\circ} 48' 30''$ N., long. $66^{\circ} 8' 45''$ W.

This light will be visible from the southward, between the bearings of N.E. by N. and N. $\frac{3}{4}$ E. It can also be seen from the north-westward over Stanwood Beach, between the bearings of S. $\frac{1}{2}$ E. and S.E. $\frac{1}{2}$ E.

[All bearings are magnetic. Variation 17° Westerly in 1874.]

By command of their Lordships,
Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
27th February, 1874.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Bay of Fundy, No. 352; Pubnico Harbour to Yarmouth, No. 2537; and Halifax to Delaware, No. 2670: Also, Sailing Directions for the South-east Coast of Nova Scotia, page 162.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 27.)—ENGLAND—EAST COAST.

Alteration in Lowestoft High Light.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 74, dated 23rd August, 1873, on an intended alteration in the character of Lowestoft high light:—

The Trinity House, London, has in accordance therewith, given further notice, that the alteration was made on the 16th instant.

The light is now a *revolving* white light, showing a flash at intervals of *thirty seconds*, visible from S. by W. $\frac{1}{4}$ W. round by west to N. $\frac{3}{4}$ E., instead of a fixed light as heretofore. It is elevated 123 feet above the level of high water.

The fixed *red* light is shown, and on the same bearings as heretofore.

[All bearings are magnetic. Variation $18\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ Westerly in 1874.]

By command of their Lordships,
Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
28th February, 1874.

This Notice will affect the following Admiralty Charts:—British Islands to the Mediterranean,

No. 1; English Channel, No. 2675 a; Thames to St. Abb's Head, No. 2902 a; Southwold to Cromer, No. 1630; North Sea, No. 2182 a; and Lowestoft Roads, No. 1543: Also British Islands Lights List, No. 118; and North Sea Pilot Part III, 2nd Edition, page 161.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 28.)—AUSTRALIA—QUEENSLAND—PIONEER RIVER.

(1.) *Temporary Light on Flat-Top Island.*

THE Colonial Government of Queensland has given notice, that a temporary light is now exhibited from the signal station on Flat-top Island, off the entrance of Pioneer River.

The light is elevated 220 feet above the level of the sea, and in clear weather should be seen from a distance of about 10 miles, except when on a W.N.W. bearing; it is then obscured for about a quarter of a point, by Round-top Island. Position, lat. $21^{\circ} 10' 15''$ S., long. $149^{\circ} 12' 30''$.

EAST COAST.

(2.) *Reported Danger, Princess Charlotte Bay.*

Also, that the master of the schooner *Wikingen*, reports having discovered a reef about 7 miles eastward of Cliff Island, in Princess Charlotte Bay.

This danger (*Wikingen Reef*) was partially dry at low water, and a depth of 7 and 8 fathoms was found close to on all sides. From the reef, Jane Table Land bore S.E.; southerly; and the Northernmost Flinders Island, E.N.E. These bearing place the danger in lat. $14^{\circ} 14'$ S., long. $143^{\circ} 57'$ E.

[All bearings are magnetic. Variation $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} (1) 7\frac{3}{4}^{\circ} \\ (2) 5\frac{1}{2}^{\circ} \end{array} \right.$ Easterly in 1874.]

By command of their Lordships,
Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
4th March, 1874.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—

(1) Australia, northern part, No. 2759 a; Coral Sea, &c., No. 2763; and Percy Isle to Whitsunday Isles, No. 347: Also, Australia Directory, Vol. II, 2nd Edition, page 120.

(2) Coral Sea, &c., No. 2764; and Cape Flattery to Cape Sidmouth, 2352; Also, Australia Directory, Vol. II, 2nd Edition, page 184.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 29.)—UNITED STATES—CALIFORNIA—SAN FRANCISCO—SAN PABLO STRAIT.

Flashing Light off San Pablo Point.

THE United States Government has given notice, that from the 1st March, 1874, a light would be exhibited from a lighthouse recently erected on the western end of East Brother Island, off San Pablo Point, San Pablo Strait.

The light is a *flashing* white light, showing flashes at intervals of *thirty seconds*; elevated 58 feet above the level of high water, and in clear weather should be seen from a distance of 14 miles.

The illuminating apparatus is dioptric or by lenses, of the fourth order.

The lighthouse, built of wood, is square, 47 feet high, of a light buff colour, and attached to the keeper's dwelling. Position, lat. $37^{\circ} 57' 50''$ N., long. $122^{\circ} 25'$ W.

A steam fog signal is being placed on the eastern end of the island, 150 feet from the lighthouse.

By command of their Lordships,
Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
4th March, 1874.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—San Francisco, No. 591; Pinos Point to Bodega Head, No. 229; Diego Bay to Cape Mendocino, No. 2530; and Cook River to California Gulf, No. 2461.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 30.)—MEDITERRANEAN—ADRIATIC—
MALTEMPO CANALE.

(1.) *Red Harbour Light at Czirquenizza.*

THE Austrian Government has given notice, that from the 1st March, 1874, a light would be exhibited at the extremity of the southern mole of the port of Czirquenizza, Maltempo Canale.

The light is a *fixed red* light, elevated 13 feet above the sea, and should be seen from a distance of about 3 miles.

Position, lat. 45° 10' 10" N., long. 14° 41' 30" E.

ITALY.

(2.) *Destruction of the Lighthouse at Monopoli.*

The Italian Government has given notice; that the lighthouse on the Mole at Monopoli has been destroyed, and the light in consequence is temporarily discontinued.

Also, that notice will be given when it is re-exhibited.

By command of their Lordships,
Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer,
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
6th March, 1874.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—(1.) Mediterranean, Nos. 2158 and 2718 b; Adriatic Sea, No. 1440; Cape Promontore to Grossa Island, No. 2711; and Maltempo Canal, No. 1677: Also, Adriatic Pilot, page 140.

(2.) Temporarily affects, Cape Vaticano to Monopoli, No. 198; and Monopoli to Fossaceca, No. 199: Also, Mediterranean Lights List, No. 325* and Adriatic Pilot, page 50.

NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

*Department of the Accountant-General
of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy
Pay, Admiralty, February 27, 1874.*

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the tonnage bounty awarded for a slave dhow, the "Baraza," captured on the 20th July, 1872, by Her Majesty's ship "Magpie."

Agents or other persons having any just and legal demand, unliquidated, against the said award, are required to transmit the particulars of any such demand to the Registrar of the High Court of Admiralty, in order that the same may be examined, taxed, and allowed by that Officer, and paid under the sanction of the Judge of the said Court.

Due notice will be given, by future advertisement in the London Gazette, of the date proposed for the commencement of distribution; and, at the same time, the amount of an individual's share in the respective classes will be announced.

NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

*Department of the Accountant-General
of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy
Pay, Admiralty, February 28, 1874.*

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the tonnage bounty and proceeds for a slave dhow, the "Asak'hire," captured on the 5th October, 1872, by Her Majesty's ship "Magpie."

Agents or other persons having any just and legal demand, unliquidated, against the said award, are required to transmit the particulars of any such demand to the Registrar of the High Court of Admiralty, in order that the same may be examined, taxed, and allowed by that Officer, and paid under the sanction of the Judge of the said Court.

Due notice will be given, by future advertisement in the London Gazette, of the date proposed for the commencement of distribution; and at the same time, the amount of an individual's share in the respective classes will be announced.

NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

*Department of the Accountant-General
of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy
Pay, Admiralty, March 2, 1874.*

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the tonnage bounty awarded for a slave dhow, name unknown, captured on the 21st April, 1873, by Her Majesty's ship "Briton."

Agents or other persons having any just and legal demand, unliquidated, against the said award, are required to transmit the particulars of any such demand to the Registrar of the High Court of Admiralty, in order that the same may be examined, taxed, and allowed by that Officer, and paid under the sanction of the Judge of the said Court.

Due notice will be given, by future advertisement in the London Gazette, of the date proposed for the commencement of distribution; and at the same time, the amount of an individual's share in the respective classes will be announced.

NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

*Department of the Accountant-General
of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy
Pay, Admiralty, March 4, 1874.*

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the tonnage bounty awarded for the slave dhow "Fathulheir," captured on the 14th May, 1873, by Her Majesty's ship "Briton."

Agents or other persons having any just and legal demand, unliquidated, against the said award, are required to transmit the particulars of any such demand to the Registrar of the High Court of Admiralty, in order that the same may be examined, taxed, and allowed by that Officer, and paid under the sanction of the Judge of the said Court.

Due notice will be given, by future advertisement in the London Gazette, of the date proposed for the commencement of distribution; and, at the same time, the amount of an individual's share in the respective classes will be announced.

NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

*Department of the Accountant-General
of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy
Pay, Admiralty, March 5, 1874.*

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the tonnage bounty awarded for the slave dhow "Hassarali," captured on the 13th June, 1873, by Her Majesty's ship "Briton."

Agents or other persons having any just and legal demand, unliquidated, against the said award, are required to transmit the particulars of any such demand to the Registrar of the High Court of Admiralty, in order that the same may be examined, taxed, and allowed by that Officer, and paid under the sanction of the Judge of the said Court.

Due notice will be given, by future advertisement in the London Gazette, of the date proposed for the commencement of distribution; and, at the same time, the amount of an individual's share in the respective classes will be announced.

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby, subject as hereinafter mentioned, grant to the Incumbent or Minister of the district of Saint John the Baptist, Hamsteeds, in the county of Durham, and in the diocese of Durham, and to his successors, Incumbents or Ministers of the same district, one yearly sum or stipend of two hundred pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the nineteenth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions, on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion, to produce the said yearly sum or stipend, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said district, in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-sixth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby grant to the Incumbent of the vicarage of Minera, in the county of Denbigh and in the diocese of Saint Asaph and to his successors, Incumbents of the same vicarage, one yearly sum or stipend of four pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the first day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions, on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or

other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion, to produce the said yearly sum or stipend, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said vicarage, in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-sixth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, do hereby grant and appropriate out of our common fund to the vicarage of Coln Saint Aldwyn, in the county of Gloucester, and in the diocese of Gloucester and Bristol, one capital sum of one hundred and fifty pounds sterling, to be applicable towards defraying the cost of enlarging and otherwise improving the parsonage or house of residence belonging to the said vicarage, according to plans and a specification to be approved by us, such capital sum, or the balance thereof unapplied to such purpose, to remain in the meantime in our hands at interest after the rate of three pounds per centum per annum, and such interest to be paid to the Incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage of Coln Saint Aldwyn.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-sixth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby grant to the Incumbent of the vicarage of the Holy Trinity, in the city of Worcester, and in the diocese of Worcester, and to his successors, Incumbents of the same vicarage, one yearly sum or stipend of one hundred and eighty-nine pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the first day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, and to be receivable, in equal half-yearly portions, on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion, to produce the said yearly sum or stipend, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said vicarage, in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-sixth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction, consisting of a clear annual rent-charge of one hundred pounds, which has been permanently secured to the district of Eglwys Oen Daw, in the county of Brecon, and in the diocese of Saint David's, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of

the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, grant to the Minister or Incumbent of the said district of Eglwys Oen Duw, and to his successors, to meet such benefaction, one yearly sum or stipend of fifty pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the day of the publication of these presents in the London Gazette, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions, on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion, to produce the said yearly sum or stipend, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said district, in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-sixth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby, subject as hereinafter mentioned, grant to the Incumbent for the time being of the vicarage of Saint Peter, Hammersmith, in the county of Middlesex, and in the diocese of London one yearly sum or stipend of one hundred and twenty pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the first day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, and to be receivable, in four equal portions, on the first day of February, the first day of May, the first day of August, and the first day of November, in each and every year: Provided always, that the annual sum or stipend so granted by us to the Incumbent of the said vicarage of Saint Peter, Hammersmith shall be paid only upon the production to us, on or after each of the said lastly-mentioned days in each and every year, of a certificate under the hand of the Bishop of the said diocese of London, that an Assistant-Curate, duly licensed by such Bishop, has been employed within the parish of Saint Peter, Hammersmith aforesaid, during the quarter of the year then ended, and is in receipt of a salary after a rate of not less than one hundred and twenty pounds per annum: Provided also, that such yearly sum or stipend shall continue payable as aforesaid so long only as may to us appear to be expedient under the circumstances from time to time affecting the said parish and vicarage of Saint Peter, Hammersmith.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-sixth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby grant to the Incumbent of the rectory of Saint Nicholas, in the city of Worcester, and in the diocese of Worcester, and to his successors, In-

cumbents of the same rectory, one yearly sum or stipend of sixty-one pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the first day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions, on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion, to produce the said yearly sum or stipend, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said rectory, in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-sixth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby grant to the incumbent of the vicarage of Elmley Castle, in the county of Worcester, and in the diocese of Worcester, and to his successors, Incumbents of the same vicarage, one yearly sum or stipend of sixty-three pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the first day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions, in the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion, to produce the said yearly sum or stipend, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said vicarage, in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-sixth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby, subject as hereinafter mentioned, grant and convey to the Incumbent of the vicarage of Sibertswold with Coldred, in the county of Kent, and in the diocese of Canterbury, and to his successors, Incumbents of the same vicarage, all those pieces or parcels of land and hereditaments, with the appurtenances thereunto belonging, together with the rectorial tithe rent-charge issuing or arising thereout, which said pieces or parcels of land and hereditaments are particularly described in the schedule hereunto annexed, and are now vested in us, to have and to hold the said pieces or parcels of land and hereditaments, with the tithe rent-charge and appurtenances, to the use of the said Incumbent and his successors for ever: Provided always, that the said pieces or parcels of land and hereditaments, expressed to be hereby conveyed, shall be and be taken to be in lieu

of, and in full substitution for, the annual sum or stipend of twenty pounds, heretofore payable by us, the said Commissioners, or by our lessee, to the Incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage, in respect of certain property situate or arising within the parish of Sibertswold aforesaid, and formerly belonging to the Archbishoprick of Canterbury, to which substitution the Reverend Frederick Thomas Scott, Clerk, the present Incumbent of the said vicarage, is consenting, and in token thereof has signed this instrument: and provided also, that the Incumbent for the time being of the same vicarage shall be entitled to receive from us, or on our account, the net amount of the rents, profits, and proceeds of the said pieces or parcels of land and hereditaments and tithe rent-charge for and in respect of the period intervening between the first day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and the date of the publication of these presents in the London Gazette.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our common seal, this nineteenth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

(L.S.)

Frederick Thomas Scott,
Vicar of Sibertswold.

Schedule.

All that close of land called "Parsonage Close," together with the plantations and woodlands adjoining and belonging thereto, containing in the whole sixteen acres and seventeen perches (more or less), as more particularly described in the schedule hereunder written, situate in the parish of Sibertswold, in the county of Kent, and bounded on the north by the vicarage, glebe, and premises; on the east by the high-road leading from Lydden to Sibertswold Church; and on the south and west by lands belonging to Edward R. Rice, Esquire, and which said close of land, plantations, and woodland, are more particularly delineated on the plan hereunto annexed, and are thereon coloured red:

Number on Tithe Map.	Description.	Cultivation.	Quantity.
37b	Parsonage Close	Arable ...	A R P 14 2 3
39a	Part of Parsonage Close	Plantation	0 3 15
39b	Ditto ...	Plantation	0 0 15
40	Ditto ...	Plantation	0 1 25
41	Ditto ...	Plantation	0 0 39
			16 0 17

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, do hereby grant to the Incumbent of the vicarage of Saint George, Claines, in the county of Worcester, and in the diocese of Worcester, and to his successors, Incumbents of the same vicarage, one yearly sum or stipend of one hundred and fifty-two pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the first day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions, on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each

and every year. And we do also hereby grant and appropriate out of our said common fund to the said vicarage of Saint George, Claines, one capital sum of one thousand and five hundred pounds sterling, to be applicable towards defraying the cost of providing a parsonage or house of residence for the said vicarage, according to plans and a specification approved or to be approved by us, such capital sum, or the balance thereof unapplied to such purpose, to remain in the meantime in our hands at interest after the rate of three pounds per centum per annum, and such interest to be paid to the Incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage of Saint George, Claines: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion, to produce the said yearly sum or stipend of one hundred and fifty-two pounds, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said vicarage, in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-sixth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby, subject as hereinafter mentioned, grant to the Incumbent for the time being of the vicarage of Westoe, in the county of Durham, and in the diocese of Durham, one yearly sum or stipend of twenty pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the first day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, and to be receivable in four equal portions, on the first day of February, the first day of May, the first day of August, and the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that the annual sum or stipend so granted by us, to the Incumbent of the said vicarage of Westoe, shall be paid only upon the production to us, on or after each of the said lastly-mentioned days in each and every year, of a certificate under the hand of the Bishop of the said diocese of Durham, that an Assistant-Curate, duly licensed by such Bishop, has been employed within the parish of Westoe aforesaid, during the quarter of the year then ended, and is in receipt of a salary after a rate of not less than one hundred and twenty pounds per annum: Provided also, that such yearly sum or stipend shall continue payable as aforesaid so long only as may to us appear to be expedient under the circumstances from time to time affecting the said vicarage and parish of Westoe.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twenty-sixth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

(L.S.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Dunham-road Chapel, situated at Altrincham, in the parish of Bowden, in the county of Chester, in the district of Altrincham, being a building certified according

to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 26th day of February, 1874, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 27th of February, 1874.

Jno. B. Cutter, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Wesleyan Chapel, situate at Fremington Village, in the parish of Fremington, in the county of Devon, in the district of Barnstaple, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 28th day of February, 1874, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 2nd of March, 1874.

John Barry, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the United Methodist Free Church, situated at Ramsbottom, in the parish of Bury, in the county of Lancaster, in the district of Bury, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 28th day of February, 1874, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 2nd of March, 1874.

Wm. Harper, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Bryn Mawr Chapel, situated in the village of Bettws-y-Coed, in the parish of Bettws-y-Coed, in the county of Carnarvon, in the district of Llanrwst, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 2nd day of March, 1874,

duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 4th of March, 1874.

William Owen, Superintendent Registrar.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and of the Chesterton Miners' Public Hall Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court of Chancery was, on the 20th day of February, 1874, presented to the Master of the Rolls by Thomas Booth, of Chesterton, in the county of Stafford, Miner, a contributory of the said Company, and George Beardmore Ford, of Burslem, in the county of Stafford, Architect, a creditor of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Master of the Rolls on the 14th day of March, 1874; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Acts, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

Ingle, Cooper, and Holmes, City Bank-chambers, 20, Threadneedle-street, E.C.; Agents for

E. W. Hollinshead, of Tunstall, in the county of Stafford, Solicitor for the Petitioners.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 4th day of March, 1874.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

	£		£
Notes issued	37,611,690	Government Debt	11,015,100
		Other Securities	3,984,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion	22,611,690
		Silver Bullion	—
	<u>£37,611,690</u>		<u>£37,611,690</u>

Dated the 5th day of March, 1874.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

	£		£
Proprietors' Capital	14,553,000	Government Securities	13,846,607
Rest	3,763,361	Other Securities	18,412,944
Public Deposits (including Ex-chequer, Savings Banks, Com-missioners of National Debt, and Dividend Accounts)	9,077,120	Notes	11,938,060
Other Deposits	17,151,031	Gold and Silver Coin	738,795
Seven Day and other Bills	391,894		
	<u>£44,936,406</u>		<u>£44,936,406</u>

Dated the 5th day of March, 1874.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 8 and 9 Vict., cap. 38, of the Amount of BANK NOTES authorized by Law to be issued by the several Banks of Issue in SCOTLAND, and the Average Amount of Bank Notes in Circulation, and of Coin held during the four Weeks ending Saturday, the 21st day of February, 1874.

Name and Title as set forth in Licence.	Name of the Firm.	Head Office or Principal Place of Issue.	Circulation authorized by Certificate.	Average Circulation during four Weeks ending as above.			Average Amount of Coin held during four Weeks ending as above.		
				£5 and upwards.	Under £5.	Total.	Gold.	Silver.	Total.
			£						
Bank of Scotland	The Governor and Company of the Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	343418	196962	433056	630018	296198	77234	373432
Royal Bank of Scotland	Royal Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	216451	223238	451287	674525	502286	118313	620600
British Linen Company	British Linen Company	Edinburgh	438024	174560	350897	525457	172024	57316	229340
Commercial Bank of Scotland	Commercial Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	374880	205685	506507	712192	419802	52100	471903
National Bank of Scotland	National Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	297024	166332	385196	551529	359013	58512	417525
Union Bank of Scotland	Union Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh	454346	226908	504629	731538	353944	76801	430745
Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company	Aberdeen Town and County Banking Company	Aberdeen	70133	75410	97103	172513	123155	17184	140339
North of Scotland Banking Company	North of Scotland Banking Company	Aberdeen	154319	140760	140009	280769	151151	16842	167993
Clydesdale Banking Company	Clydesdale Banking Company	Glasgow	274321	171695	329984	501679	277958	49120	327078
City of Glasgow Bank	City of Glasgow Bank	Glasgow	72921	207918	451131	659050	623623	41074	664697
Caledonian Banking Company	Caledonian Banking Company	Inverness	53434	29141	56898	86039	55156	6118	61274

I hereby certify, that each of the Bankers named in the above Return, who have in Circulation an Amount of Notes beyond that authorized in their Certificate (with the exception of), have held an Amount of Gold and Silver Coin, not less than that which they are required to hold during the period to which this Return relates.

Dated this 5th day of March, 1874.

W. H. COUSINS, Officer of Stamp Duties.

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 21st day of February, 1874.

The undermentioned Parties having omitted to transmit their Accounts in proper time to be inserted in the Gazette of Tuesday, the 3rd day of March, 1874.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.					Average Amount.
					£
Stamford, Spalding, and Boston Banking Company...	...	Stamford	...	...	50,507

W. H. COUSINS, Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House, March 5, 1874.

AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered in the Week ending 4th March, 1874.

Countries from which Imported.	Imported into the United Kingdom.					
	GOLD.			SILVER.		
	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.
	Ounces.	Ounces	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Germany... ..	...	...	...	48,800	70,000	118,800
France ... ..	...	1,500	1,500	18,800	1,760	20,560
China (including Hong Kong)	6,885	...	6,885	...	...	...
Mexico, South America (except Brazil), and West Indies ...	4,303	10,291	14,594	753,000	50,080	803,080
United States	4,004	...	4,004	516,116	215,508	731,624
Other Countries	2,657	780	3,437	29,648	12,655	42,303
...
...
...
Aggregate of the Importations } registered in the Week ... }	17,849	12,571	30,420	1,366,364	350,003	1,716,367
Declared Value of the said } Importations }	£ 71,115	£ 50,284	£ 121,399	£ 341,591	£ 87,487	£ 429,078

Countries to which Exported.	Exported from the United Kingdom.							
	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.
	British.	Foreign.	Ounces.	Ounces.	British.	Foreign.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Sweden ... ..	...	...	12,500	12,500	...	...	...	...
Denmark ... ..	...	...	12,175	12,175	...	...	...	...
Spain ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	40,000	40,000
Egypt ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	870,040	870,040
Cape of Good Hope ... ..	...	...	...	...	38,000	...	...	38,000
Java	2,650	...	...	2,650	...	...	...	...
New Zealand ... ..	...	...	...	...	17,000	...	...	17,000
South America (except Brazil) and West Indies	7,851	1,195	...	9,046	10,000	...	...	10,000
Other Countries	11	537	...	548	...	...	2,500	2,500
Aggregate of the Exportations } registered in the Week ... }	10,512	1,782	24,675	36,919	65,000	...	912,540	977,540
Declared Value of the said } Exportations }	£ 41,742	£ 6,830	£ 98,700	£ 147,272	£ 16,250	...	£ 228,090	£ 244,340

Statistical Department, Custom House, London,
March 5, 1874.

S. SELDON,
Principal.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to Laurentius Andreas Waldemar Lund, of Chandos-street, St. Martin's, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of studs, buttons, brooches, bracelets, earrings, baskets, vases, and other such like articles and fastenings," bearing date the 26th day of November, 1864.

NOTICE is hereby given, that application has been made by the said Laurentius Andreas Waldemar Lund to the Commissioners of Patents for leave to file Disclaimers and Memoranda of Alterations of certain parts of the said specifications; and any person or persons intending to oppose such application must leave notice to that effect at the office of Her Majesty's Attorney-General, 2, Essex-court, Temple, within ten days from the date hereof.—Dated 6th of March, 1874

Phelps and Sidgwick, 3, Gresham-street,
London, Solicitors for Petitioner.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
703. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Eugene Julien Hennuy, Engineer, of Charleville, in France, and of Frith-st., Soho, in the county of Middlesex, praying for letters patent for the invention of "a water alarm," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 25th day of February, 1874, 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
727. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of William Brooks, of Bennington, in the State of Vermont, United States of America, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in machines for twisting fringe on shawls and other fabrics," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 26th day of February, 1874, 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
754. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Hugh Walbridge Lafferty and Robert Lafferty, of the city of Gloucester, State of New Jersey, and United States of America, Sugar Refiners, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in machines for corrugating metallic cylinders," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 2nd day of March, 1874, 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
755. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Hugh Walbridge Lafferty and Robert Lafferty, of the city of Gloucester, State of New Jersey, and United States of America, Sugar Refiners, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in the construction of

centrifugal draining machines," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 2nd day of March, 1874, 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
767. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Henri Adrien Bonneville, of the British and Foreign Patent Offices, 18, Rue de la Chaussée d'Antin, Paris, France, and 6, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, praying for letters patent for the invention of "certain improvements in treating sponge and in compounds of sponge for packing of journal boxes, and other purposes,"—a communication from Patrick Sarsfield Devlan, a person resident at Jersey City, county and State of New Jersey, United States of America, Merchant,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 3rd day of March, 1874, 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—

3606. To Charles Jordan, of Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Iron-founder, for the invention of "improvements in the permanent way of railways, and in the method of transferring rolling stock from main lines to sidings in the vicinity of stations."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 6th day of November, 1873.

279. To James Hickisson, of Southgate-road, Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, Marking Ink Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in the means of or apparatus for stopping or stoppering bottles, jars, and other vessels of capacity."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 22nd day of January, 1874.

391. To Thomas Woodcock, of 220, South-road, Walkley, in Sheffield, in the county of York, Carver, for the invention of "an improved mode of carving the horns of other animals so as to imitate the horns of the stag."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 30th day of January, 1874.

487. To John Ledbrook and James Henry Mills, both of Snow Hill Station, Great Western Railway, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Inspectors, for the invention of "an apparatus for the self adjusting of all kinds of railway signal and other wires."

On their petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 6th day of February, 1874.

529. To Jean Craps, of 70, Bayham-st., Camden Town, in the county of Middlesex, Manufacturer, and Joseph Derihon, of Liège, Belgium, also Manufacturer, for the invention of "a new or improved non-conducting composition or mastic for preventing the radiation of heat from boilers and other similar apparatus."—A communication from the late L. J. Rientjens, of Maastricht (Hollande).

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 11th day of February, 1874.

575. To Arthur Rolph Burman and Maurice De Frece, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in portable ether and perfume sprayers."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 16th day of February, 1874.

589. To William Henry, of No. 28, Lisle-street, Leicester-square, Middlesex, Commission Agent, for the invention of "improvements in lighting, and heating with carburetted hydrogen gas."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 17th day of February, 1874.

622. To Oscar Siebert, of the city and State of New York, United States of America, now of No. 8, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in gas-light apparatus."

623. To Thomas Clegg and Thomas Lucas, both of Miles Platting, Manchester, in the county of Lancashire, for the invention of "improvements in arrangements for effecting the grinding of the travelling flats of carding engines."

624. To Henry Cockey and Francis Christopher Cockey, both of Frome Selwood, in the county of Somerset, for the invention of "improvements in furnace doors."

628. To Edward Thomas Hughes, of the firm of Hughes and Son, Patent Agents, 123, Chancery-lane, London, for the invention of "improvements in breech loading fire arms."—A communication to him from abroad by Eli Whitney, of the city and county of New Haven, in the State of Connecticut, United States of America.

630. To James Bogie Terrace, of Dysart, in the county of Fife, North Britain, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in mechanism for working steam engine valves."

632. To John Peel, Weaving Manager, and Sidney Emsley, Agent, both of Bradford, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in looms and pickers."

634. To Alphonse Piver, of No. 10, Boulevard de Strasbourg, Paris, in the Republic of France, Perfumery Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in the distillation of essential oils or perfumes."

636. To Septimus Lowe, Surgeon, and Samuel White, Engineer, both of Lincoln, for the invention of "improvements in appliances for signalling on railways, especially during fogs and dark weather."

638. To George Kent, of High Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "an improved apparatus for cutting or slicing fruit, vegetables, and other materials capable of being so treated."—Partly the result of a communication to him from abroad by J. Adam, of Soleure, Switzerland, and partly of invention and discovery made by him.

640. And to William Henry Davies, of 17 & 18, Cornhill, in the county of Middlesex, and Frederick Herbert William Higgins, of 17 and 18, Cornhill in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in electric telegraphs for giving signals and alarms."

On their several petitions recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 19th day of February, 1874.

644. To Henri Adrien Bonneville, of the British and Foreign Patent Offices 18, Rue de la Chaussée d'Antin, Paris, France, and 6, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "a new and improved axle or spindle sole or socket."—A communication

from Adolphe Broux and David Broux, of the firm of Broux Brothers, two persons resident at Roubaix, France, Manufacturers.

646. To William Bywater, of the Sweet-street Foundry, Holbeck, Leeds, and Samuel Smith, of the Low Bridge Works, Keighley, both in county of York, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus employed in drawing, spinning, or twisting wool or other fibrous substances."

650. To Edward Alford Clegg, of Shore Mills, Littleborough, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturer, and Abraham Hoyle, of the same place, Manager, for the invention of "certain improvements in looms for weaving."

652. To John Stenhouse, of Rodney-street, Pentonville, in the county of Middlesex, Analytical Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of sugar, and in purifying saccharine solutions."

654. To Adolph Nitzke, of Spandau, in the Kingdom of Prussia, but now residing at Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, for the invention of "improvements in cartridges."

656. And to John Robinson, of Rochdale, in the county of Lancashire, Engineer, and John Smith, of the same place, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for shaping wood."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 20th day of February, 1874.

657. To Andrew Dunlop, of the city of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in endless or portable railways and wheels for facilitating the traction or draught of vehicles."

658. To John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in steam engines."—A communication to him from abroad by Augustin Harmignies, Engineer, of Paris, in the Republic of France.

659. To William Lloyd Wise, of Chandos-chambers, Buckingham-street, Adelphi, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of wheels for railway rolling stock."—A communication to him from abroad by Francis Cowell Pratt and Frederick Parsons, both of Moscow, Russia, Engineers.

660. To Edward Griffith Brewer, of 89, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of 'ice-breaker' ships, and in screw propellers for the same and for other ships."—A communication to him from abroad by E. J. Weeder-mann and Sons, of Flensburg, Prussia.

661. To Edward Griffith Brewer, of 89, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of artificial butter."—A communication to him from abroad by E. Didrichsen, of Copenhagen, in the Kingdom of Denmark.

662. To Daniel Kemp West, of Crown-place, Kentish Town, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in engines to be driven by water, and steam, and in pumps."

663. To John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in the construction and manufacture of armour plates."—A communication to him from abroad by La Société Marrel Brothers, of Rivé de Gier, in the Republic of France.

664. And Daniel Hipkins, of Tipton, in the county of Stafford, Provision Merchant, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of artificial butter."

665. To Benjamin Joseph Barnard Mills, of the firm of Harris and Mills, of 23, Southampton-buildings, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in machinery employed in the manufacture of felt hats."—A communication to him from abroad by Messieurs F. Klein and Company, of Liegnitz, Silesia, in the Kingdom of Prussia.

666. To Frank Armstrong, of Waterbury, Connecticut, United States of America, now of No. 8, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "an improved clasping pin for securing articles of dress, and for other like purposes."

667. To Philip Albert Muntz, of Keresley, in the county of Warwick, Gentleman, and Thomas Budworth Sharp, of the French Walls Works, Smethwick, in the county of Stafford, Mechanical Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the process of and apparatus for condensing and collecting the fumes evolved by furnaces used for melting metals and for other metallurgical operations."

668. And to Edward Fiddian Jones, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Brass Founder and Lamp Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in railway, ship, and other lamps."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 21st day of February, 1874.

669. To Thomas Vicars the elder and Thomas Vicars the younger, both of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Engineers, and James Smith, of the same place, Baker, for the invention of "improvements in steam generators and self stoking furnaces therefor."

670. To George Fyfe Elder, of Lochee, in the county of Forfar, North Britain, Managing Engineer of the Camperdown Linen Works, for the invention of "improvements in crimping or doubling textile and other fabrics, and in the machinery or apparatus employed therefor."

671. Jahn Laird the younger, of the firm of William Laird and Company, Manufacturers, and William Rutherford, Manager to the said firm, both of the town and county of Forfar, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in weaving bags, sacks, and other tubular and double fabrics, also single fabrics, and in the means employed therefor."

672. To Henry Wilke, of 3, Crown-villas, Green-gate-street, Plaistow, in the county of Essex, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in steam boilers."

673. To Isham Baggs, of Surbiton, in the county or Surrey, Practical Chemist and Electrician, for the invention of "improvements in electric telegraphy and in the arrangement of apparatus employed therein."

674. To Job Johnson, of Brooklyn, in the county of Kings, and State of New York, United States of America, for the invention of "improvements in ball casters."

675. To John Connell, of Paisley, in the county of Renfrew, North Britain, Manufacturer's Foreman, for the invention of "improvements in weaving ornamental fabrics."

676. To Richard Sutton Harvey, of Retford, in the county of Nottingham, Surgeon, for the invention of "improvements in privies and in dry earth closets."

677. To Samuel Newton, of Dudley, in the county of Worcester, Forge and Mill Manager, and Charles Newton, of West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, Millwright, for the invention of "improvements in puddling furnaces used in the manufacture of iron and steel."

678. To Henry Bernoulli Barlow, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in brewing, and in the machinery or apparatus employed therein."—A communication to him from abroad by Nicolas Joseph Galland, of Paris, France, Engineer.

680. To George Tomlinson Bousfield, of Sutton, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in rock drilling machines."—A communication to him from abroad by Camille Ferroux, of Goeschenen, in the Federal Republic of Switzerland.

681. To George and Henry Agar, of 3, Flower-gate, Whitby, in the county of Yorkshire, for the invention of "an improved wind and rain impervious door plinth."

682. To Henry Benjamin, of Graham's Town, South Africa (Gentleman), for the invention of "improvements in the extraction of oleaginous matters from wool washing suds, or other liquids containing soapy matters or grease, and the production of tallow or oil from the resulting substances."

684. To Daniel Hipkins, of Tipton, in the county of Stafford, Member of the Inventors and Patentees' Protection Association, 11, Cherry-st., Birmingham, for the invention of "a new or improved method of manufacturing artificial butter and of clarifying or purifying rancid butter."

685. To Walter Clopton Wingfield, of Belgrave-road, Pimlico, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "a new and improved portable court for playing the ancient game of tennis."

686. To Joseph Henry Betteley, of Cornhill, in the city of London, for the invention of "a new and improved mode of stopping and starting tramway cars."

687. To Samuel Henry Johnson, F.C.S., of Lea Bank Works, Stratford, in the county of Essex, Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of furnaces and retorts for the manufacture of bisulphide of carbon."

688. And to George Walton Baker, of the city of Wilmington, in the county of New Castle and State of Delaware, one of the United States of America, for the invention of "improvements in sewing machines."

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689. To Charles Heaton, of New York, United States of America, at present residing at 22, Craven-street, Strand, London, for the invention of "certain improvements in emery and other grinding machinery, and in emery or other grinding wheels for use therewith."

690. To Thomas Turton, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Iron and Steel Manufacturer, and Ernest Latham, of Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, Engineer, for the invention of "improved apparatus for transhipping coal and bulk cargo."

691. To Tyndall Bright, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Merchant and Shipowner, for the invention of "an improved method of extracting gold from auriferous antimony ores, antimonial compounds, and antimonial mix-

- tures."—A communication to him from abroad by Reginald Bright, of Melbourne, Victoria, Australia, Merchant, and John Cosmo Newbery, of the same place, Analytical Chemist.
692. To Horatio William Cracknell, of 36, Spring-street, Paddington, in the county of Middlesex, House Decorator, for the invention of "an improved sash fastener."
693. To Isaac Brown, of Elm Croft Grange, Edinburgh, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in the construction and arrangement of pipes for watering streets or roads, and for the purposes of irrigation."
694. To Joseph Timothy Hopkinson, of 110, Newington-causeway, in the county of Surrey, Tool Maker, for the invention of "improvements in window sash fastenings."
695. To John Keighley, Plumber, of Bradford, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in pickers used in weaving and apparatus therefor."
696. To Sidney Emsley, Agent, of Bradford, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for spinning and twisting wool, cotton, silk, and other fibrous substances."
697. To James Francis Braidwood, of the Phoenix Gas Works, 69, Bankside, Blackfriars-road, in the county of Surrey. Gas Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for securing the lids or covers of gas and other retorts."
698. To Isaac Merritt Singer, of New York, in the United States of America, but now residing at Oldway House, Paignton, in the county of Devon, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in sewing machines."
699. To Edward Pilkington, of Rishton, and George Addison, junior, of Clayton-le-Moors, both in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improved apparatus for locking 'safety lamps' used by miners."
700. To Edmund Hunt, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in bottles and stoppers for aerated liquids."—A communication to him from abroad by George Gledhill, residing at Auckland, New Zealand.
702. And to John Henry Weston, of No. 5, Lansdowne-crescent, Lansdowne-road, in the county of Surrey, Gas Engineer, for the invention of "improved means of and apparatus for purifying, carburetting, and increasing the illuminating power of coal gas."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 24th day of February, 1874.
704. To Edward Hulme, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, and John Hulme, and William Hulme, of Bradford, in the county of York, Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in appliances for controlling the admission of steam and other elastic fluids to motive power engines."
705. To John Davey, of Croftthole, in the parish of Shevick, in the county of Cornwall, Agricultural Engineer and Implement Maker, for the invention of "improvements in ploughs, such improvements being applicable to single-furrow, double-furrow, and triple-furrow turn-wrest ploughs."
706. To George Alexander Teulon, of 7, Havestock-terrace, Hampstead, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in rotary engines for operating propeller and other shafts, where counter-thrust is required."
707. To Albert Jackson, Weaver, George Jackson, Foreman Twister, of Saltaire, near Bradford, and John Smith, Engineer, of Bradford, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in looms for weaving, and in apparatus connected therewith."
708. To Ramsay Cooke, of Beaufort-villas, North End, Fulham, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvement in button hole stitching attachments for sewing machines."—A communication to him from abroad by William Cooke, of Galt, in the Province of Ontario, and Dominion of Canada, Gentleman.
710. To Charles Llewellyn Light, of No. 5, Great Winchester-street-buildings, in the city of London, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of railway and other wheels."
711. To Charles Edward David Morris, of the Vernon Iron and Tin Plate Works, Briton Ferry, in the county of Glamorgan, Tin Plate Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus used in coating metal plates with tin or with other metals or alloys."
712. To William Middleditch Scott, of the firm of W. and C. Scott and Son, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Gun Manufacturers, for the invention of "improvements in breech loading small arms."
713. To William Cotton, of Loughborough, in the county of Leicester, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in means or apparatus for the manufacture of knitted fabrics."
714. To Robert Stone, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of and mode of heating iron, and in apparatus employed therefor."
715. To William Bown, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in horse clippers."
716. To Marshall Henry Pearson and Joseph Thomas Pearson, of Little Neville-street, Leeds, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in sewing machines."
718. To John Carter Ramsden, of Smith House, Lightcliffe, in the county of York, Silk Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for spinning, doubling, twisting, or winding wool, silk, cotton, flax, or other fibres."
719. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in loom-harness, and in machinery for manufacturing the same."—A communication to him from abroad by Joseph Sladdin, of Lawrence, Massachusetts, United States of America.
720. To John Woodcock, of Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Brassfounder, for the invention of "improvements in valves for regulating the supply of water to cisterns or tanks."
721. And to Henry Baggeley, of No. 18, Gearve's-road, Crown-road, Fulham, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of earthenware."
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722. To Jonas Haley, of the firm of Samuel Haley and Son, of Cleckheaton, in the county of York, Card Manufacturers, for the invention of "improvements in wire cards and in the

machinery or apparatus used in the manufacture thereof."

723. To Louis Sterne, of 9, Victoria-chambers, in the city of Westminster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in railway couplings."

726. To Edward Hammond Bentall, of Heybridge, near Maldon, in the county of Essex, Agricultural Implement Maker, for the invention "improvements in the construction of root pulpers."

728. To John Hancock, of Holland House, Hyson Green, in the town and county of Nottingham, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of knitted fabrics and in machinery employed therein."

729. To Fordham Mote, of March, in the county of Cambridge, Implement Maker, for the invention of "improvements in horse hoes."

730. And to William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus or machinery for charging and finishing cartridges for fire-arms, parts of which improvements are applicable to other purposes."—A communication to him from abroad by Charles H. Webb, of Brooklyn, New York, United States of America.

On their several petitions recorded in the Office of the Commissioners, on the 26th day of February, 1874.

PATENTS WHICH HAVE BECOME VOID.

A LIST of the Letters Patent for Inventions which have become void by reason of the non-payment of the additional Stamp Duty of £50, before the expiration of the third year from the date of such Patents, pursuant to the Act of the 16th Vic., c. 5, sec. 2, for the week ending the 28th day of February, 1874.

454. Arnold Budenberg, of the firm of Schaeffer and Budenberg, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for an invention of "improvements in 'injectors' or feed apparatus for steam generators, applicable also to the raising and forcing of liquids."—Communicated to him from abroad by Heinrich Mühlrad, of Königshütte, in the Kingdom of Prussia.—Dated 22nd February, 1871.

457. Joseph Alexander Franklin and Alexander Caesar Frederick Franklin, both of Abingdon-street, in the city of Westminster, Engineers, for an invention of "improvements in engines worked by steam or other elastic fluids."—Dated 22nd February, 1871.

461. Benjamin Slater, of Wellington Foundry, Charles-street, City-road, in the county of Middlesex, Ironfounder, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for regulating the turning of gas, water, or other cocks, the opening and closing of ventilators, skylights, and other like objects."—Dated 22nd February, 1871.

472. George Haseltine, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for carburetting atmospheric air."—Communicated to him from abroad by Antoine Ernest Dupas and Arthur Barbarm, both of New Orleans, Louisiana, United States of America.—Dated 22nd February, 1871.

475. George Haseltine, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "improvement in gas burners."—Communication to him from abroad

by Antoine Ernest Dupas, of New Orleans, Louisiana, United States of America.—Dated 23rd February, 1871.

476. George Haseltine, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "an improved combined knife and glass-cutting instrument."—Communicated to him from abroad by Thelesphore Spénard, of Coaticooke, Jeweller, and C. H. Letourneux, of Montreal, Merchant, both in the Province of Quebec, Canada.—Dated 23rd February, 1871.

477. George Haseltine, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "improvements in machines for separating magnetic iron from sand and other substances."—Communicated to him from abroad by Alfred Holme Balch, Gentleman, and Wolfred David Emelius Nelson, Medical Student, both of Montreal, Canada.—Dated 23rd February, 1871.

479. George Clarke, of No. 16, Argyle-square, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in fire-escapes."—Dated 23rd February, 1871.

482. Fleury Claudius Gautier, of Halifax, in the county of York, Designer, for an invention of "improvements in looms for weaving, and in means or apparatus to be employed in connection therewith."—Dated 23rd February, 1871.

485. John Tullis, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for an invention of "improvements in tubes for carrying yarn in spinning, winding, and weaving machinery."—Dated 23rd February, 1871.

486. Alfred Priest and William Woolnough, both of Ceres Iron Works, Kingston-on-Thames, in the county of Surrey, for an invention of "improvements in implements for drilling land by steam power."—Dated 23rd February, 1871.

490. John Lowthian, of No. 38, Lowther-street, Carlisle, in the county of Cumberland, for an invention of "improvements in water flushing apparatus."—Dated 24th February, 1871.

491. Thomas James Smith, of the firm of Robertson, Brooman, and Company, of 166, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agents, for an invention of "improvements in the nitrification of ammonia."—Communicated to him from abroad by Cyprien Marie Tessié du Motay, of Paris, France, Chemist.—Dated 24th February, 1871.

493. William Moscrop, of Red Lumb, near Reckdale, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Spinner and Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for spinning and doubling."—Dated 24th February, 1871.

497. Ambrose Edmund Butler, of Kirkstall Forge, near Leeds, in the county of York, Iron Master, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of the naves of running wheels."—Dated 24th February, 1871.

498. John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in pencils for writing and drawing."—The said invention is communicated to him from abroad by Joseph Reckendorfer, of New York, in the United States of America.—Dated 24th February, 1871.

501. George Gore, of Whitnash, in the county of Warwick, Engineer, for an invention of "improved means or apparatus for guiding, breaking, and guarding the wheels of tramway cars and other vehicles, and the method of fixing and acting upon the same."—Dated 25th February, 1871.

504. Ferdinand Silas, of Park-place West, Mornington-road, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for an invention of "an improved mode of writing in ciphers and in apparatus therefor."—Dated 25th February, 1871.
505. Ebenezer Boyes, of Mark-lane, in the city of London, for an invention of "improvements in means or apparatus for roasting coffee and for cooling it when roasted."—Dated 25th February, 1871.
510. Frederick Arthur Paget, of 1, Seymour-chambers, Adelphi, W.C., in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for the manufacture of malleable cast iron."—Dated 25th February, 1871.
513. James Jackson, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Manager of Steel and Iron Works, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of spades and shovels and other like implements, and in the machinery and tools to be used in the said manufacture."—Dated 25th February, 1871.
517. Alexander Armour, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for an invention of "an improved ammoniacal gas engine."—A communication to him from abroad by Emile Lamin, of New Orleans, Louisiana, United States of America.—Dated 25th February, 1871.
518. George Haseltine, of the International Patent Office, Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "an improved electrotyping process and apparatus used therefor."—A communication to him from abroad by William Augustus Leggo, of Montreal, Canada, Gentleman.—Dated 25th February, 1871.
520. Arthur Auckland Cochrane, of the city of Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in the application of bituminous compositions for sanitary and other useful purposes."—Dated 27th February, 1871.
524. Isaac Roberts, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Contractor and Builder, for an invention of "improvements in retorts and kilns employed in the manufacture and re-burning of animal charcoal."—Dated 27th February, 1871.
528. George Haseltine, of the International Patent Office, Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "improvements in steam traps or devices for withdrawing condensed water from steam drying or heating apparatus."—The said invention has been communicated to him from abroad by Edward Lamson Perkins, Joseph Hatch Moulton, and Charles Edmund Sawyer, all of Boston, Massachusetts, United States of America.—Dated 27th February, 1871.
530. Johannes Heinrich Ludwig Theodor Pörtner, of Regent-street, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in sewing machines."—Communicated to him from abroad by Pollack, Schmidt and Company, of Hamburg, Germany.—Dated 27th February, 1871.
532. John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of gunpowder and in the machinery or apparatus employed therein."—Communicated to him from abroad by James Samuel Brown, of St. Valéry-sur-Somme, in the Republic of France, Agent.—Dated 27th February, 1871.
533. John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for an invention of "improved sand glass, or emery paper, or emery cloth."—Communicated to him from abroad by George Carpenter Taft, of Worcester, Massachusetts, and Jacob Henry Armbruster, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, United States of America.—Dated 28th February, 1871.
534. Samuel Wilson, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in braces or suspenders, belts, straps, and other similar articles of wearing apparel."—Dated 28th February, 1871.
536. Robert Griffiths, of Rhual Issa, near Mold, in the county of Flint, Engineer, and Walter James Griffiths, of the same place, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in screw propellers."—Dated 28th February, 1871.
538. Samuel Thomas the younger, of Redditch, in the county of Worcester, Needle Manufacturer, and William Guise, of the same place, Needle Maker, for an invention of "improvements in needles and their envelopes, wrappers, and cases."—Dated 28th February, 1871.
539. Carl Eduard Schwartz and Carl Richard Schwartz, both of Waterloo-road, in the parish of Lambeth, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of metal frames of purses, porte-monnaies, leather and carpet bags, cigar cases, and other analogous articles."—Dated 28th February, 1871.
540. George Haseltine, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "an improved photo-electrotyping process and stopping-out plate to be used therefor, and for other similar purposes."—Communicated to him from abroad by William Augustus Leggo, of Montreal, Canada, Gentleman.—Dated 28th February, 1871.

A LIST of the Letters Patent for Inventions which have become void by reason of the non-payment of the additional Stamp Duty of £100, before the expiration of the seventh year from the date of such Patents, pursuant to the Act of the 16th Vict., c. 5, sec. 2, for the week ending the 28th day of February, 1874.

492. William Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer and Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture and ornamentation of anhydrous rectified and double faced toilet soaps."—Communicated to him from abroad by Pierre Bonaventure Mougeot, Doctor of Medicine, of 29, Boulevard St. Martin, Paris.—Dated 22nd February, 1867.

497. John Phillips-Smith, of Hereford, in the county of Hereford, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in tilling and cultivating land by steam power, and in machinery or apparatus for such purposes."—Dated 23rd February, 1867.

498. Henry Purnell, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in motive-power engines to be worked by water, steam, or other fluid, and applicable to pumps."—Dated 23rd February, 1867.

500. William Deakin, of Great Barr, in the county of Stafford, Ironmaster, and John Bagnall Johnson, of Tettenhall, also in the county of Stafford, Roll Turner, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of steel caps for spinning and other purposes."—Dated 23rd February, 1867.

504. Isaac Morris Milbank, of Greenfield Hill, in the State of Connecticut, United States of America, for an invention of "improvements in breech loading fire-arms."—Dated 23rd February, 1867.

509. Clinton Edgcumbe Brooman, of the firm of Robertson, Brooman, and Company, of 166, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agents, for an invention of "improvements in the preparation of threads and the manufacture of fabrics from the threads so prepared."—Communicated to him from abroad by Stanislas Vigoureux, of St. Denis, France.—Dated 23rd February, 1867.

511. John Marshall, of Trafalgar-road East, Greenwich, in the county of Kent, Civil and Mechanical Engineer, for an invention of "certain improvements in fluid safety gauges for steam boilers and other pressure and vacuum vessels."—Dated 25th February, 1867.

516. John Alison, of Brightlands, Reigate, in the county of Surrey, for an invention of "improvements in steam boilers."—Dated 25th February, 1867.

524. Edward Hely, of 17, Lower Ormond Quay, in the city of Dublin, Envelope Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of envelopes."—Dated 26th February, 1867.

542. Thomas Bispham Kay, of Bolton-le-Moors, in the county of Lancaster, Gentleman, and Francis Hamilton, of the same place, Foreman, for an invention of "certain improvements in carding engines, to be employed for carding cotton and other fibrous materials."—Dated 27th February, 1867.

550. Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, for an invention of "an improvement in screws and bolts."—Communicated to him from abroad by William Gorham Angell, of Providence, in the State of Rhode Island, United States of America. Dated 27th February, 1867.

560. Stillman Boyd Allen and Jairus Handy Winsor, of the State of Massachusetts, of the United States of America, for an invention of "improvements in generating heat by the admixture and combustion of a hydro carbon vapor, air, and the gaseous components of steam."—Communicated to them by Henry Rutger Foote, a person resident at Boston, in the county of Suffolk and State aforesaid.—Dated 28th February, 1867.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and of the Colonial and Foreign Meat Supply Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court of Chancery was, on the 28th day of February, 1874, presented to the Lord Chancellor by Henry Johnson and David Archer, of No. 147, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, Merchants and Copartners, creditors of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, on the 13th day of March, 1874; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Acts, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company

requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

John Castle Gant, of 38, Walbrook, in the city of London, Solicitor for the Petitioners.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Leeds and Yorkshire Shoddy, Manure, and Superphosphate Company Limited.

By an Order made by the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins in the above matter, dated the 27th day of February, 1874, on the petition of Henry Horn, of Cockhill Hall, Farsley, in the county of York, Cloth Manufacturer, and Thomas Facer, of Calverley Bridge, near Leeds aforesaid, Hotel Proprietor, it was ordered that the said Leeds and Yorkshire Shoddy, Manure, and Superphosphate Company Limited should be wound up by the Court of Chancery under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

Singleton and Tattershall, 9, Great James-street, Bedford-row, W.C.; Agents for *Fawcett and Malcolm*, of Leeds, Yorkshire, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

In the Matter of the Wine and Spirit Co-operative Supply Association Limited, and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Master of the Rolls has fixed the 16th day of March, 1874, at half-past one o'clock in the afternoon, at his chambers, in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, as the time and place for the appointment of an Official Liquidator of the above-named Company.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Stadil Fiord Reclamation Company Limited.

THE Master of the Rolls has, by an Order dated the 12th day of February, 1874, appointed Thomas St. Leger Alcock, of No. 39, Green-street, Grosvenor-square, in the county of Middlesex, late a Major in Her Majesty's Army, and now Colonel of the Royal East Middlesex Militia, and Anders Westenholz, of No. 40, Great Tower-street, in the city of London, Merchant, to be Official Liquidators of the above-named Company.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

BRITISH OAK TIMBER.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, February 18, 1874.

TENDERS will be received on Tuesday, the 10th March next, until two o'clock, for 2,300 Loads of BRITISH OAK TIMBER, and 2,060 BOAT CROOKS.

Their Lordships do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, and they reserve to themselves the power of accepting any part of a tender.

Forms of tender containing all particulars may be obtained at this Office, on written or personal application.

Bank of England, March 3, 1874.

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

That a General Court will be held at the

Bank on Thursday next, the 12th instant, at twelve o'clock precisely, to consider of a Dividend.

Also, that another General Court will be held at the Bank, on Tuesday, the 7th April next, from eleven o'clock in the forenoon until four in the afternoon, for the election of a Governor and Deputy Governor for the year ensuing (which will be declared that evening); and the same Court will be continued, by adjournment, and held at the same place, and during the same hours, on Wednesday, the 8th April next, for the election of twenty-four Directors (which will also be one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by the Charter); and the election of the twenty-four Directors will be declared as soon as the scrutiny is over.

Printed lists of the Proprietors having votes will be ready to be delivered at the Bank, on Friday, the 28th March.

Hammond Chubb, Secretary.

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

Van Diemen's Land Company.

31, Finsbury-Circus, London, E.C.,
March 3, 1874.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Forty-ninth Yearly General Meeting of Proprietors will be held at the Company's Office, on Tuesday, the 24th instant, at two o'clock precisely, to receive the Annual Report and statements of account, and for other business.

The Transfer Books will be closed on Tuesday, the 17th instant, and will be re-opened on Monday, the 29th instant.

By order,

W. Brookes, Clerk of the Company.

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862, and the Pier Hotel Company Margate Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Pier Hotel Company Margate Limited, duly convened and held at No. 24, Gresham-street, on Monday, the 2nd day of March, 1874, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were passed:—

1. "That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Shareholders that the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same.

2. "That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Henry Kendrick, of No. 24, Gresham-street, be appointed the Liquidator."

Lewis Geo. Dive, Chairman.

The Cleveland Land and Building Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the Workmen's Social Club, Newport-road, Middlesbrough, in the county of York, on Monday, the 16th day of February, 1874, Jeremiah Head, Esq., being in the chair, the following Special Resolutions were passed, in accordance with, and by the authority of, the 71st

Article of Association of the said Company, namely:—

"That it is expedient that this Company should be dissolved, and that the same be dissolved accordingly, and wound up voluntarily.

"That Messrs. Thomas Henry Richardson, Ironworks Secretary, Grove Hill, Thomas Charles Hutchinson, Ironworks Secretary, Corporation-road, and Hugh Gilzean Reid, Newspaper Proprietor, Newlands, all of Middlesbrough, in the county of York, be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators, for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company and distributing the assets thereof, at such remuneration as the Company in general meeting may hereafter agree upon."

Jeremiah Head, Chairman.

Llangefni Gas and Coke Company Limited.

AT a Special General Meeting of the said Company, duly convened and holden at the Bull Hotel, Llangefni, in the Isle of Anglesey, on Friday, the 13th February, 1874, the following Special Resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent Special General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened and holden in like manner at the Bull Hotel, Llangefni, in the Isle of Anglesey, on Friday, the 27th February, 1874, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Llangefni Gas and Coke Company Limited be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1862, and that Mr. William Hughes, of the National Provincial Bank of England, Llangefni, Anglesey, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator, for the purpose of conducting the winding up accordingly."

Robert Hughes, Chairman.

Weldon's Soda Processes Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the offices of the Company, 59, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 23rd day of January, 1874, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 10th day of February, 1874, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That this Company be forthwith wound up voluntarily, and that Percy Greg, Esq., be and he is hereby appointed the voluntary Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the Company."

C. Townsend Hook, Chairman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Carreg Fawr Slate and Mineral Company Limited (in liquidation) will be held at No. 8, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, on Saturday, the 11th day of April, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving and passing the final accounts of the Liquidator, and dissolving the Company.—8, Queen Victoria-street, London, E.C., 2nd March, 1874.

John Hughes, Liquidator.

Portland Gas Light, Coke, and Coal Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the office of Mr. Richard Nicholas Howard, in East-street, Weymouth, in the county of Dorset, on the 6th day of February, 1874, the following

Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 23rd day of February, 1874, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

“That this Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Richard Nicholas Howard be appointed Liquidator.”

Richard Nicholas Howard, Chairman.

Ty Mawr West Slate Quarry Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to Section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held at the offices of the undersigned, Joseph Barber, Accountant, No. 41, John Dalton-street, in the city of Manchester, on Tuesday, the 7th day of April next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of submitting to the Members the account of the Liquidators, showing the manner in which the winding up of the said Company has been conducted and the property of the said Company disposed of, and also for the purpose of taking an Extraordinary Resolution, directing the disposal of the books on the dissolution of the said Company.—Dated the 3rd day of March, 1874.

*Hugh Roberts, } Liquidators.
Joseph Barber, }*

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862, and the Pier Hotel Company Margate Limited.

THE Creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 4th day of April, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Henry Kendrick, of No. 24, Gresham-street, in the city of London, the Liquidator of the said Company. In default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution which may be effected prior to such claims being made and allowed.

Henry Kendrick, Liquidator.

In Liquidation.

The South American Val de Travers Rock Paving Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 23rd day of March, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Samuel Lowell Price, of No. 13, Gresham-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, the Liquidator of the said Company, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution of the assets of the said Company, made before notice of such debts or claims shall have been received. Creditors holding security are to produce the same by themselves or their Solicitors to the said Samuel Lowell Price, at his office, No. 13, Gresham-street, within one month from the said 23rd of March, 1874.—Dated this 18th day of February, 1874.

S. Lowell Price, Liquidator.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting and carried on between us the undersigned, William Scott and George Brigg Peirson, as Surgeons, Apothecaries, and Accoucheurs, at Holbeck, in the parish of Leeds, in the county of York, under the firm of Scott and Peirson, is dissolved by mutual consent, as from the 26th day of May, 1873. All debts due to the said firm will be received by Mr. John Gordon, of No. 23, Albion-street, in Leeds aforesaid, Accountant.—Dated this 20th day of February, 1874.

*William Scott.
Geo. B. Peirson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Charles Laurence Baker and Henry Morgan Capner, carrying on business under the style or firm of Baker and Capner, as Electrical, Pneumatic, and Philosophical Apparatus Manufacturers, at No. 20, Northampton-square, Clerkenwell, in the county of Middlesex, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 4th day of March, 1874.

*Charles Laurence Baker.
Henry Morgan Capner.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between us the undersigned, Clement Cadle and George Henry Tatham, carrying on business at No. 52, Chancery-lane, London, and at Gloucester, as Auctioneers, Land Agents, and Surveyors, under the style of Cadle and Tatham, has been dissolved, as from the 1st day of September, 1873, by mutual consent, from which date the said business as carried on at No. 52, Chancery-lane, London, has been, and in future will be, carried on exclusively by the said George Henry Tatham, and from which date the said business as carried on at Gloucester, has been, and in future will be, carried on exclusively by the said Clement Cadle.—As witness our hands this 25th day of February, 1874.

*Clement Cadle.
George H. Tatham.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, George Thomas Whichelow and Edward Kipps, carrying on business at No. 37, Bermondsey-square and No. 7, Abbey-street South, Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, as Leather Dressers and Sellers, under the style of Whichelow and Kipps, was dissolved on and as from the 2nd day of March, 1874. All debts will be received and paid by the said George Thomas Whichelow, at No. 37, Bermondsey-square aforesaid.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

*George Thomas Whichelow.
Edward Kipps.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, Francis Whitworth Crossley, James Herbert Crossley, and Charles Benjamin Crossley, carrying on business as Cotton Spinners and Drysalers, at Centre Mills, Sowerby Bridge, in the parish of Halifax, in the county of York, under the style of James Crossley and Co., has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 1st day of November instant, so far as concerns the retirement therefrom of the said Francis Whitworth Crossley.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1873.

*Francis Whitworth Crossley.
James Herbert Crossley.
Charles Benjamin Crossley.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Johnson, and Samuel Brooking Anthony Rowe, under the style or firm of Johnson and Rowe, carrying on business at Nos. 15 and 16, Gough-square, Fleet-street, in the city of London, was, as from the 1st day of March, 1874, dissolved by mutual consent. And that the said business will be for the future carried on by the said William Johnson, on his own account, by whom all debts owing to or by the said firm will be received and paid.—As witness our hands this 2nd day of March, 1874.

*William Johnson.
Samuel B. A. Rowe.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, Frederick Shipley and John Ludlam, in the trade or business of Painters, Grainers, and Paperhangers, at Loughborough, in the county of Leicester, under the firm or style of Shipley and Ludlam, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and in future the business will be carried on by the said Frederick Shipley, on his separate account; and he will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership in the regular course of trade.—As witness our hands this 2nd day of March, 1874.

*Frederick Shipley.
John Ludlam.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edward James, Louis Sansom, and William McPherson Couch, of No. 4, George-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, under the firm of James, Sansom, and Couch, Tailors, Hosiers, and Shirt Makers, has been and is hereby dissolved by mutual consent as from the 27th day of February, 1874, so far as regards only the said William McPherson Couch, who retires therefrom. The business will be continued under the firm of Sansom and James, who will receive and pay all debts of the late firm.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1874.

*Edward James.
Louis Sansom.
William McPherson Couch.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Oates and Edward Adderley Stopford, carrying on business as Tea Merchants, under the style of Oates and Stopford, at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Edward Adderley Stopford will collect and pay all debts owing to and by the said firm of Oates and Stopford.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

John Oates.

E. A. Stopford.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Benson Elley, Hugh Woods Gibson, and William Francis Woolley, carrying on business at Stafford and Stone, in the county of Stafford, and at Northampton and Kettering, in the county of Northampton, as Boot and Shoe Manufacturers and Tanners, under the style of Elley, Gibson, and Woolley, was dissolved by effluxion of time, on the 1st day of January, 1874.—Dated this 31st day of January, 1874.

Thos. Benson Elley.

H. W. Gibson.

William F. Woolley.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert Stephenson and William Henry Tarran, as Builders and Contractors, and carried on by us at Saltsburn-by-the-Sea, in the North Riding of the county of York, under the style or firm of Stephenson and Tarran, was dissolved, by mutual consent, on the day of the date hereof.—As witness our hands this 2nd day of March, 1874.

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Robert X Stephenson,
Mark.

William H. Tarran.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership formerly subsisting between William Adshead, deceased, and the undersigned Samuel Adshead and Thomas Adshead, as Coal Proprietors, carried on at or near Barnsley, in the county of York, under the style of The Silkstone Fall Colliery Company, was dissolved by the said William Adshead's death, which took place on the 17th day of April, 1869.—Dated the 12th day of February, 1874.

Wm. Barker.

T. Beddows,

Peter Adshead,

Surviving Executors of William Adshead, deceased.

Samuel Adshead.

Thomas Adshead.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Demain, John Demain, and William Demain, carrying on business in copartnership as Joiners and Builders, at St. Jude's-place, Bradford, and elsewhere, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as on and from the 1st day of March, 1873. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received or paid as the case may be by the said John Demain and William Demain, who will carry on the business on their own account, under the old style of George Demaine and Sons.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

George Demain.

John Demain.

William Demain.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Lomax Plant and Edwin Plant, carrying on business at East Retford, Ollerton, and Tuxford, in the county of Nottingham, as Drapers, Outfitters, and Tailors, under the style of J. and E. Plant, was dissolved, by mutual consent, on the 20th day of December last. All moneys owing by and to the late firm will be paid and received by the said John Lomax Plant, who will carry on the business.—As witness our hands this 26th day of February, 1874.

John Lomax Plant.

Edwin Plant,

By Ann Fisher, his Attorney,
duly authorized.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, Edward Saul Bright, Charles Edward Barnes, and James Walter Goldsmith, of Nos. 1 and 2, Robertson-street, Hastings, Linen Drapers, carrying on business under the firm of Bright, Barnes, and Co., has determined by effluxion of time. The business will henceforth be carried on by Messrs. Barnes and Goldsmith, to whom the debts of the late partnership will be paid.—Dated the 2nd day of March, 1874.

Edw. S. Bright.

Charles Ed. Barnes.

James W. Goldsmith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Henry George Stafford and Robert Darwin, as Wholesale Cigar Dealers, at Hanover-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the firm of Stafford and Darwin, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Robert Darwin.—As witness our hands this 2nd day of March, 1874.

H. G. Stafford.

R. Darwin.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Arthur Varah and George Varah, trading under the firm of A. and G. Varah, as Pawnbrokers and Salesmen, in Carlton-road, Attercliffe, in the parish of Sheffield, in the county of York, is dissolved this day by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Arthur Varah.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

Arthur Varah.

George Varah.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, John Stephenson, Richard Saville, and Thomas Benson, in the trade of Pattern Card Makers and Setters, and carried on by us at Nelson-street, in Bradford, in the county of York, under the style or firm of John Stephenson and Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that the said Richard Saville and Thomas Benson are entitled to receive and will pay all debts owing to or by the said late firm.—As witness our hands this 2nd day of March, 1874.

John Stephenson.

Rd. Saville.

T. Benson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by David Hanson and Joseph Edwardson, under the firm of David Hanson and Co., at Brook Mill, Holywell Green, in the borough of Halifax, in the county of York, in the trade or business of Oil Cloth and Tarpaulin Manufacturers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and in future the business will be carried on by the said David Hanson on his separate account. The said David Hanson will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership in the regular course of trade.—Witness our hands this 2nd day of March, 1874.

Joseph Edwardson.

David Hanson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Alexander Augustus Hedges, John Walter Hedges, and Francis Ferdinand Hedges, in the business of Poultry Farmers and Egg Merchants, carried on at Longcot, in the county of Berks, under the style of Hedges and Company, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 6th day of October last so far as regards John Walter Hedges.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

Alexander Augustus Hedges.

Jno. W. Hedges.

Francis F. Hedges.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Thomas Quested Finnis, of Wanstead, in the county of Essex, Esquire, an Alderman of the city of London, Charles Wade, and George Carruthers Finnis, both of No. 79, Great Tower-street, in the said city of London, Provision Merchants, and carrying on business in copartnership under the style or firm of Finnis, Fisher, and Co., was dissolved, as from the 31st day of December, 1871, so far as regards the said Thomas Quested Finnis. All debts owing to or by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Charles Wade and George Carruthers Finnis, who are carrying on the business on their own account.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1872.

Thomas Q. Finnis.

Charles Wade.

G. C. Finnis.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Israel James Edward Renshaw and Edward Hickson, carrying on business as Tea and Coffee Dealers, at 22, Oak-street, in the city of Manchester, under the style or firm of Thompson Brothers and Company, has this day been dissolved, in pursuance of the 13th clause of our Articles of Partnership, and by mutual consent. All debts owing to or by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Edward Hickson, by whom alone the said business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

I. J. E. Renshaw.

Edward Hickson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership business heretofore carried on between the undersigned, Vincent Driver and John Wallace, of No. 307, Chester-road, in the city of Manchester, Knife and Fork Cleaning Machine Manufacturers, under the style of Driver and Wallace, was, on the 21st day of November last, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 6th day of December, 1873.

*Vincent Driver.
John Wallace.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, Edwin George Keay and Michael Draper, carrying on business as Boot and Shoe Manufacturers, at the Stafford Works, Vase-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, under the style or firm of Keay and Draper, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. Accounts to be paid to Edwin George Keay, at the Stafford Works aforesaid, to whom also the particulars of claims are to be sent.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

*Edwin George Keay.
Michael Draper.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between Jesse Woollicroft Bourne and Leonard Smith, of Bradford and Leeds, in the county of York, Tile Merchants, under the firm of J. W. Bourne, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All moneys due to the said firm should be paid to the said Jesse Woollicroft Bourne.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

*J. W. Bourne.
Leonard Smith.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, Edwin Fardon and Charles Joshua Coates, carrying on business at 48, Castle-street and Tower Hill, in the city of Bristol, as Wholesale Tea and Coffee Dealers, Drysalers, and Spice Merchants (the firm being known as Fardon and Coates), was dissolved by mutual consent as from the 21st day of February last. And notice is also hereby given, that each of the said partners will henceforth carry on business in the city of Bristol, on his separate account. All debts owing by the said partnership will be discharged by the said Edwin Fardon.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

*Edwin Fardon.
Charles Joshua Coates.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, William James Smith and Alice Smith, John Hetherington, and Georgina Hetherington, carrying on business at Crosschurch-street, in Huddersfield, in the county of York, as Drapers and Milliners, under the style of Smith and Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 1st day of February, 1874.—Dated this 17th day of February, 1874.

*John Hetherington. William James Smith.
Georgina Hetherington. Alice Smith.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Stephen Harman and Edmund Cloke, as Cabinet Makers and Upholsterers, at No. 57, Saint Andrew's-road, Hastings, in the county of Sussex, under the firm of Harman and Cloke, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to or from the said firm will be received and paid by the said Edmund Cloke, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 21st day of February, 1874.

*Stephen Harman.
Edmund Cloke.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Sagar and Charles Sagar, carrying on business at Burrowford, near Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, as Spice Manufacturers and Confectioners, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. And that all debts due to and from the late partnership will be received and paid by the said Charles Sagar, by whom alone the said business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 19th day of February, 1874.

*William Sagar.
Chas. Sagar.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore carried on by us the undersigned, Abner Brunskill the younger and Richard Ord, as Stone Merchants, at Colne, in the county of Lancaster, and elsewhere, under the style or firm of the Stone Purchase and Supply Company, Colne, was, from the 31st day of January last past, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and from the said late partnership will be received and paid by the said Abner Brunskill the younger, who will henceforth carry on the said business on his own private account.—As witness our hands this 4th day of March, 1874.

*Abner Brunskill, jun.
Richard Ord.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between us the undersigned, William Boyle Barbour and Robert Barclay, carrying on business together as Merchants, at Manchester and Monte Video, under the firm of Barbour, Barclay, and Company, was dissolved on the 7th day of February, 1874, the said William Boyle Barbour retiring therefrom, as from that date. All debts will be received and paid by the undersigned, Robert Barclay, who being now solely entitled to all the good will, stamps, trade marks, headings, property, and assets of the late firm, will continue the business under the style of Robert Barclay and Company.—Dated this 20th day of February, 1874.

*Wm. B. Barbour.
Robert Barclay.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Bonnell and Jonathan Benson, carrying on business at Leeds, in the county of York, under the style of Bonnell and Benson, as Linen Manufacturers, has been dissolved, by mutual consent; as and from the 5th day of March, 1874. All debts due to and owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Jonathan Benson, by whom the said business will in future be carried on, under the style of Jonathan Benson.—Dated this 26th day of February, 1874.

*John Bonnell.
Jonathan Benson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, Frederick Alexander Hodgkinson and John Lowe, in the trade or business of Shipping and Insurance Agents, carried on at No. 51, Lime-street, in the city of London, 58, Brown-street, in the city of Manchester, No. 34, Oxford-street, Southampton, and No. 1, Gore's Piazzas, Water-street, Liverpool, under the name or firm of Hodgkinson, Lowe, and Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Witness our hands this 3rd day of March, 1874.

*F. A. Hodgkinson.
Jno. Lowe.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Fallowfield Masser, Walter Watson Masser, and Samuel Channing Toby, lately carrying on business together at Leeds, in the county of York, as Lithographers and Stationers, under the style or firm of J. F. Masser and Sons, was dissolved by mutual consent on and from the 1st day of February instant, so far as concerns the said Samuel Channing Toby. And that all debts due and owing to and from the said late partnership will be received and paid by the said Joseph Fallowfield Masser and Walter Watson Masser, who will alone continue to carry on the said business at Leeds aforesaid under the said style of J. F. Masser and Sons.—Dated the 27th day of February, 1874.

*Joseph F. Masser.
Walter Watson Masser.
Saml. C. Toby.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel Tugman and Sylvester Christopher Bradshaw, Merchants, Bereys-buildings, George-street, Liverpool, under the style or firm of Tugman and Bradshaw, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 4th day of December, 1873. All debts due to the said partnership will be received and liabilities discharged by the said Sylvester Christopher Bradshaw, who will continue to carry on the said business on his own account and in his own name.—As witness the hands of the parties this 5th day of March, 1874.

*S. Tugman.
S. C. Bradshaw.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, carrying on business together in partnership as Manufacturers, at Twiston Mill, near Clitheroe, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Greenwood and Bailey, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due by the said partnership, and all monies due to the late partnership will be paid and received by the said William Bailey, by whom alone, in future, the business will be carried on.—Dated this 25th day of February, 1874.

*Samuel Greenwood.
William Bailey.*

MARY BROTHERS, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claim or claims against the estate and effects of Mary Brothers, late of the parish of St. Paul, Deptford, New Cross, in the county of Kent, Spinster, (who died on the

13th day of January, 1874, and whose will was proved on the 5th day of February, 1874, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, by Jane Hampson, of Deptling, Maidstone, Kent, Spinster, the sole executrix named in the said will), are required to send in their debt, claim, or demand to the said Jane Hampson, and the office of her Solicitors, Messrs. Williams and James, of No. 62, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on or before the 1st day of April next, at the expiration of which time the said Jane Hampson will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said testatrix among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only of which the said Jane Hampson shall then have had notice, and for the assets or any part thereof, so administered or distributed, the said Jane Hampson will not be liable to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand, she shall not then have had notice, and all persons indebted to the estate of the said deceased are requested forthwith to pay the amount of their debts to the said Jane Hampson.

WILLIAMS and JAMES, 62, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C., Solicitors for the said Executrix.

HENRY MANLEY CORK, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Henry Manley Cork, late of Woodford Farm, in the parish of Plympton Saint Mary, in the county of Devon, Yeoman, (who died on or about the 4th December, 1873, and whose will was proved by James Adams and Joseph Pearce, the executors therein named, in the District Registry at Exeter of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 5th January, 1874), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to the said executors, at the office of their Solicitors, Messrs. Pridham, Woolcombe, and Pridham, situate in Athenæum-lane, Plymouth, on or before the 5th day of April, 1874, on the expiration of which time the executors will distribute the assets of the said Henry Manley Cork among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice; and all debtors to the estate of the said Henry Manley Cork are requested to pay the sums due from them to the said Solicitors of the said executors at the office aforesaid.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

PRIDHAM, WOOLCOMBE, and PRIDHAM.

Rev. JOHN LAMPEN, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Lampen, formerly of the parish of St. John, in the county of Cornwall, but late of Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Clerk in Holy Orders, deceased (who died on or about the 20th day of January, 1874, and whose will was proved by Lavinia Lampen, Widow, Andrew Murray, and William Cornwallis Evans, the executors named in the said will, on the 21st day of February, 1874, in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Exeter, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands, in writing, to the undersigned, the Solicitors to the said executors, at their offices, situate and being No. 7, Chapel-street, Devonport, Devon, on or before the 1st day of June next; and notice is also hereby given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

GILBARD and HITCHINS, 7, Chapel-street, Devonport, Solicitors to the said Executors.

RICHARD JONES, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vict., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and others having any legal claims or demands against or affecting the estate of Richard Jones, formerly of the Canal Basin, near Newtown, in the county of Montgomery, Lime Merchant, and late of Red House, in the parish of Aberhafesp, in the same county, deceased (who died on the 6th day of August, 1873, and whose will was proved in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Shrewsbury on the 28th day of February, 1874, by Richard

Lewis Jones, of Red House, in the parish of Aberhafesp aforesaid, Farmer, the surviving executor named in the said will), are hereby requested to send the particulars of their debts or claims to Messrs. Woosnam and Talbot, of Newtown, in the said county of Montgomery, on or before the 10th day of April next, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the debts or claims of which he shall then have had notice, and the said executor will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

WOOSNAM and TALBOT, Newtown, Solicitors to the said Executor.

JOHN JOHNSON, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Johnson, late of Altrincham and Hale, both in the county of Chester, Timber Merchants, and trading in Altrincham aforesaid at the time of his death as a co-partner with James Johnson, under the firm or style of John and Thomas Johnson, Timber Merchants and Wood Turners (who died on the 18th day of March, 1873, and whose will was proved in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, at Chester, on the 12th day of June, 1873, by Jane Johnson, John Yates, and Henry Dean the younger, the executors therein named), are hereby required, to send in the particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned, Matthew Fowden, of Market street, Altrincham aforesaid, Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 10th day of April next, after which last-mentioned day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice, and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 20th day of February, 1874.

M. FOWDEN, Solicitor to the said Executors.

RICHARD GRIEVES, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd year of the reign of Her present Majesty, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against or upon the estate of Richard Grievès, late of No. 2, Prudhoe-place, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Gentleman (who died on the 14th day of January, 1874, and of whose will probate was granted by the District Registry attached to Her Majesty's Court of Probate, at Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 7th day of February instant, to Jonathan Edmondson Joel, of Collingwood-terrace, Jesmond, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Gentleman, the executor named in the said will), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors to the said executor, on or before the 1st day of May next; and notice is hereby further given, that after that day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which he shall then have had notice, and the said executor will not be liable for the assets, so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim and demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

J. G. and J. E. JOEL, New Grainger-street-chambers, 1, Newgate-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitors to the said Executor.

The Reverend EDMUND ALDERSON, Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute, 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of the Reverend Edmund Alderson, deceased, late of Aslackby, in the county of Lincoln, Clerk in Holy Orders (who died on the 30th day of April, 1873, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 28th day of August, 1873, by Mary Elizabeth Alderson, Widow and relict of the said deceased, and Thomas Hugh Oldman, the executors named in the said will), are requested to send written particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned, Thomas Hugh

Oldman, one of the executors, on or before the 15th day of April next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only of which they shall have had notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice; and all persons owing any money to the said deceased are requested to pay the same to me forthwith.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

THOS. H. OLDMAN, Solicitor, Gainsborough,
one of the Executors.

CHARLES NORTH, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, chapter 35, intituled "An Act for further amending the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons, having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Charles North, late of Chesterfield, in the county of Derby, High Bailiff, deceased (who died on the 23rd day of November, 1873, and whose will was, on the 20th day of January, 1874, proved by George Haslehurst, of Chesterfield, aforesaid, Gentleman, and Charles Blockley, of the same place, Accountant, the executors named therein, in the Derby District Registry attached to Her Majesty's Court of Probate), are hereby requested to send particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned, Solicitors for the executors, on or before the 30th day of June next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which they shall then have had notice, and notice is hereby further given, that the said executors will not, after the day last aforesaid, be liable for any other claims or demands.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1874.

W. and B. WAKE, Castle-court, Sheffield,
Solicitors for the said Executors.

CATHERINE HODGE, Deceased.

Pursuant to Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of Catherine Hodge, late of Taunton, in the county of Somerset (who died on the 5th day of January, 1874, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 21st day of January, 1874, by Thomas Rawle, the executor named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to the said executor, at No. 1, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, on or before the 20th day of April, 1874, after the expiration of which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executor shall then have had notice. And that the said executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

THOMAS RAWLE, Executor, 1, Bedford-row,
London.

Mrs. JANE HOLLOWAY, Deceased.

Pursuant to the provisions of an Act of Parliament passed in the session of Parliament, holden in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty, Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claim against the estate of Jane Holloway, late of Brewer's-green, Wallington, in the county of Surrey, Widow, Wadding and Mattress Manufacturer, deceased (who died on the 17th day of January, 1874, and whose will was proved by the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 10th day of February, 1874), are hereby required to send in their claims to the executors, at the office of me, the undersigned, as their Solicitor, on or before the 10th day of April, 1874, and in default thereof the executors will, at the expiration of that time, proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims and demands only of which the executors shall then have had notice; and that the executors will not, after that time, be liable for the assets or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

JOHN MURRAY, 7, Whitehall-place, London,
Solicitor to the Executors.

THOMAS TURNER, Esq., Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Turner, late of Plas Brereton, in the county of Carnarvon, Esq. (who died on the 24th day of December, 1873, and whose will was proved by William Turner, Arthur Henry Turner, and Francis Wynne Turner, the executors therein named, on the 18th day of February, 1874, in the District Registry, at Bangor, of Her Majesty's Court of Probate), are hereby required to send the particulars of such claims or demands, in writing, to the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 1st day of May next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which they shall then have had notice, and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

DAUNCEY and TURNER, Wotton-under-Edge,
Gloucestershire, Solicitors for the said Executors.

THOMAS ROBINS, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons, having any claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Robins, late of Wotton-under-Edge, in the county of Gloucester, Innkeeper (who died on the 13th day of July, 1872, and whose will, with five codicils thereto, were proved on the 13th day of January, 1874, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, by George Fingle Robins and Thomas Robins Finglass, the executors therein named), are required to send particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 1st day of May next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which they shall then have had notice, and the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

DAUNCEY and TURNER, Wotton-under-Edge,
Gloucestershire, Solicitors for the said Executors.

Mrs. SARAH WILLIAMS, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament, of the 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Sarah Williams, late of Wotton-under-Edge, in the county of Gloucester, Widow (who died on the 4th day of May, 1873, and whose will was proved on the 20th day of May, 1873, in the District Registry at Gloucester, of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, by John Wilcox, the sole executor therein named), are required to send particulars of such claims or demands, in writing, to the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 1st day of May next, after which day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice, and the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

DAUNCEY and TURNER, Wotton-under-Edge,
Gloucestershire, Solicitors for the said Executor.

ROBERT ORR, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament, 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Robert Orr, late of Bedford-park, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, Esq. (who died on the 5th day of January, 1874, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 3rd day of February, 1874, by Margaret Orr, of Bedford-park, Croydon aforesaid, Widow, Rear Admiral Arthur Mellersh, of Fernhurst, Haslemere, in the county of Surrey, R.N., C.B., Miles Belfield Filby, of St. Michael's House, Cornhill, in the city of London, Gentleman, and John Henry, of Calthorp Mills, Thatcham, in the county of Berks,

Gentleman, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, William Henry Rowland, the Solicitor to the said executors, at my office, No. 104, High-street, Croydon aforesaid, on or before the 11th day of April next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not, after that time, be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 4th day of March, 1874.

WILLIAM HENRY ROWLAND, 104, High-street, Croydon, Solicitors to the said Executor.

RICHARD WILLACY GODWIN, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debt or claim against or upon the estate of Richard Willacy Godwin, late of Oxtou, in the county of Chester, Gentleman, deceased (who died at Oxtou aforesaid, in the month of April, 1873, and whose will was proved on the 25th day of August, 1873, in the District Registry at Chester of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, by James Nickels, Alan Backhouse Salmon, and Edward James Marwood, three of the executors named in the said will), are required to send particulars of their debts or claims to the said James Nickel, Alan Backhouse Salmon, and Edward James Marwood, at the office of their Solicitor, Mr. Thomas Goffey, No. 16, Lord-street, Liverpool, on or before the 31st day of March next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased which shall come to their hands among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said executors may then have had notice; and they will not be answerable or liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

THO. GOFFEY, 16, Lord-street, Liverpool.

JOHN BALFOUR MAXWELL, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, sec. 29, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Balfour Maxwell, late of Holyrood-terrace, Great Malvern, in the county of Worcester, Admiral in the Royal Navy, deceased (who died on the 31st day of January, 1874, at No. 30, Mount-row, in the Island of Guernsey, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 27th day of February, 1874, by Frederick Gream Ommanney, of No. 41, Norfolk-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Navy Agent, the sole acting executor), are requested to send particulars of their claims or demands to the said executor, at the office of the undersigned, Nathaniel Robarts, of No. 6, Godliman-street, Doctors'-commons, in the city of London, his Proctor on or before the 31st day of March, 1874, or at the expiration of the said period the said executor will distribute the assets of the said John Balfour Maxwell, deceased, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the just claims or demands of which the said executor may then have had due notice; and that the said executor will not be liable or answerable for the assets, or any part thereof, under this estate, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debt or claim the said executor shall not, as aforesaid, have had due notice.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

NATHANIEL ROBERTS, 5, Godliman-street, Doctors'-commons, Proctor for the above-named Executor.

CHARLES FREDERICK SMITH, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of Charles Frederick Smith, late of Rose-hill, Smealey-lane, Cheetham, in the county of Lancaster, and of the city of Manchester, Merchant, deceased (who died on or about the 3rd day of January, 1873, and whose will was proved by Eliza Smith, his Widow, Henry Clifton Carver, and Henry Bridgford, the executrix and executors therein named, in the District Registry at Manchester of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 13th day of February, 1873), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to Messrs. J. R. Bridgford and Sons, Estate Agents and Accountants,

30, Cross-street, Manchester, on or before the 8th day of April next. And notice is hereby further given, that after that day the said executrix and executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Charles Frederick Smith amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, or demands of which the said executrix and executors shall then have had notice; and that the said executrix and executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

ATKINSON, SAUNDERS, and CO., 14, Marsden-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Executrix and Executors.

GEORGE FIELDING, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of George Fielding, late of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Stock and Share Broker, and also of Llandudno, in the county of Carnarvon, deceased (who died on or about the 10th day of December, 1873, and whose will was proved by Henry Hayes, of No. 9, Cross-street, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Stock and Share Broker, and Herman Warren, of No. 5, Booth-street, Manchester aforesaid, Merchant, the executors therein named, in the District Registry at Manchester of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 27th day of January, 1874), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to us the undersigned, the Solicitors to the executors, on or before the 8th day of April next. And notice is hereby further given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said George Fielding amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, or demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

ATKINSON, SAUNDERS, and CO., 14, Marsden-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re ABNER GILBODY, Deceased.

Pursuant to the 29th section of the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Abner Gilbody, late of No. 55, Springfield-lane, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Labourer (who died at No. 55, Springfield-lane aforesaid, on the 22nd day of January, 1874, and letters of administration of whose personal estate were granted by the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 6th day of February, 1874, to Sarah Gilbody, of No. 55, Springfield-lane aforesaid, his Widow), are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned, Cobbett, Wheeler, and Cobbett, the Solicitors for the said Sarah Gilbody, at the offices of the said Cobbett, Wheeler, and Cobbett, 61, Brown-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on or before the 16th day of March, 1874. And notice is hereby also given, that at the expiration of the last-mentioned day the said Sarah Gilbody will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said Abner Gilbody, or any part thereof, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said Sarah Gilbody has then had notice; and that the said Sarah Gilbody will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim the said Sarah Gilbody has not had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

COBBETT, WHEELER, and COBBETT, Solicitors for the said Sarah Gilbody.

Sir WILLIAM EDEN, Baronet, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having claims upon the estate of Sir William Eden, late of Windlestone, in the county of Durham, Baronet, deceased (who died on the 21st October, 1873, and whose will was proved on the 23rd January, 1874, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, by Dame Elfrida S. H. Eden, the executrix therein named), are required to send particulars of their claims to the said executrix, at the office of her Solicitors, Messrs. Watkins, Baker, and Baylis, 11, Sackville-street, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, on or before the 1st day of May, 1874,

after which date the executrix will distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have notice; and the said executrix will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

WATKINS, BAKER, and BAYLIS, 11, Sackville-street, London, W.

Re MARY FOX, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

ALL persons being creditors of, or having claims against the estate of Mary Fox, late of Newark-upon-Trent, in the county of Nottingham, Widow, deceased (who died on the 18th day of December, 1873, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 8th day of January, 1874, by George Gascoyne and Walter Easterfield, both of Newark-upon-Trent aforesaid, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send particulars of their debts, claims, or demands to us the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 2nd day of May next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased according to the provisions of the said will, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

PRATT and HODGKINSONS, Newark-upon-Trent, Solicitors.

WILLIAM GAINEY, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Gainey, late of Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Contractor, deceased (who died on the 29th day of April, 1873, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Llandaff of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 16th day of June, 1873, by Daniel Prewett, of Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Grocer, and Aaron Bailey, of Reath, in the said county of Glamorgan, Tinman, the executors therein named), are required to send particulars of their claims and demands to the said Daniel Prewett and Aaron Bailey, at the offices of the undersigned, on or before the 23rd day of March, 1874, at the expiration of which time the executors will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and for the assets, or any part thereof, so administered or distributed, the said executors will not be liable to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of February, 1874.

JOSIAH MERRILLS, Church-street, Cardiff, Solicitor to the said Executors.

GEORGE FRIEND, Esquire, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of George Friend, formerly of No. 17, Canonbury-park, in the parish of Islington, in the county of Middlesex, and late of No. 1, Magdalen-terrace, Saint Leonard's-on-Sea, in the county of Sussex (who died on the 16th day of October, 1873, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 20th day of November, 1873, by Robert Whitaker Friend, one of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors to the said executors, at our office, No. 11, Wardrobe-place, Doctor's-commons, in the city of London, on or before the 15th day of April, 1874, after which day the said executor will proceed to apply and distribute the assets of the said testator pursuant to the provisions of his said will, having regard to the claims of which the executor shall then have notice; and that the said executor will not be liable to any person or persons of whose claim or demand he shall not have had notice by the time aforesaid.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

JOHNSON and COOTE, 11, Wardrobe-place, Doctor's-commons, in the city of London, Solicitors for the said Executor.

CATHERINE BANISTER, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vict., chap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of Catherine Banister, late of the parish of Antony West or Saint Jacobs, in the county of Cornwall, Spinster (who died on the 21st day of July, 1873, and of whose personal estate

and effects letters of administration were, on the 17th day of December, 1873, granted by the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, to William Banister, of Tarrington, in the county of Hereford, Labourer), are required to send, in writing, the particulars of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, as Solicitor for the said William Banister, on or before the 14th day of April, 1874, after which day the administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

GEORGE H. PIPER, Court House, Ledbury, Herefordshire, Solicitor for the Administrator.

Mrs. ELIZABETH MACKINDER, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand against the estate of Elizabeth Mackinder, late of Boston, in the county of Lincoln, Widow, deceased (who died on the 12th day of December, 1873, and whose will, with two codicils thereto, was proved in the Lincoln District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 14th day of January, 1874, by Henry Harwood and Joseph Harpham Small, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars thereof to us, the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of April next, after which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts or claims of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of February, 1874.

WISE and HARWOOD, Solicitors, Boston.

Re GEORGE TOPHAM, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons being creditors and claimants upon or against the estate of George Topham, late of No. 8, Beta-street, City-road, and also of Trafford-street, Gaythorn, both in the city of Manchester, Whitesmith, deceased (who died on the 17th day of January, 1874, and to whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were, on the 2nd day of February, 1874, granted out of the District Registry at Manchester of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, to Elizabeth Topham, the widow and relict of the deceased), are hereby required, on or before the 6th day of April next, to send, in writing, particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to us, the undersigned, after which day the said administratrix will distribute the assets of the intestate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, or demands of which she shall then have had notice; and the said administratrix will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand she shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 6th day of February, 1874.

BOND and SON, 19, Dickenson-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the Administratrix.

Mr. THOMAS TOLLMAN, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vict., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Thomas Tollman, formerly of the Devonshire Arms, Sherwood-street, Golden-square, in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler, and late of No. 2, South-villas, Ealing, in the same county, of no occupation (who died on the 14th day of January, 1874, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 31st day of January, 1874, by Charles Hatchman, of No. 4, Harrington-street, Hampstead-road; in the said county of Middlesex, Builder, and George Philip Moon, of Leigh-street, Red Lion-square, in the same county, Licensed Victualler, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned, Shaen, Roscoe, and Massey, the Solicitors of the said executors, on or before the 15th day of April, 1874, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any creditors or other persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

SHAEN, ROSCOE, and MASSEY, Bedford-row, Holborn, Middlesex, Solicitors to the said Executors.

SMITH HALL, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Smith Hall, late of Hesketh-street, in Southport, in the county of Lancaster, Esq., deceased (who died on or about the 7th day of October, 1873, and whose will was proved on the 24th day of November, 1873, by Ann Hall, of Southport aforesaid, Spinster, Ann Hall, of Lumshill, near Matlock, in the county of Derby, Spinster, and Edward Hall, of Shalleross Hall, Whaley, in the said county of Derby, Gentleman, the executrixes and executor therein named, in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Liverpool), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to Messrs. Welsby and Hill, of 161A, Lord-street, in Southport aforesaid, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 7th day of April, 1874. And notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only of the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.

—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

WELSBY and HILL, Solicitors for the Executors.

Denbighshire.—Abergele, on the Chester and Holyhead Line.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause *Stephenson v. Stephenson*, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, by Mr. John Churton (of the firm of Churton, Elphick, and Co.), the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Bee Hotel, at Abergele, in the county of Denbigh, on Tuesday, the 24th day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon, in one lot:—

A freehold messuage or dwelling-house, with the coach-house, stable, cowhouse, garden, field, and appurtenances thereto belonging, known as the Bryn Hyfryd, situate near to the turnpike-road, leading from Abergele to St. Asaph, and about a quarter of a mile distant from the town of Abergele, and now in the occupation of the Reverend Robert Roberts, as yearly tenant.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis) of Messrs. Keen and Rogers, of 24, Knight Rider-street, Doctor's-commons, in the city of London, Solicitors; of Mr. Samuel Williamson, of Holywell, in the county of Flint, Solicitor; of Messrs. Churton, Elphick, and Co., of Chester, the Auctioneers; and at the place of sale.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of *Galloway v. Galloway*, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, by Mr. Ludlow Herrick, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Griffin Hotel, Kingston-upon-Thames, Surrey, on Thursday, the 26th day of March, 1874, at three for four o'clock in the afternoon, in one lot:—

A detached residence, situate in New-street, Hampton, Middlesex, of the estimated value of £65 a year.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had of Mr. G. C. Sherrard, of No. 11, Lincoln's-inn-fields, Middlesex, and Kingston-on-Thames, Solicitor; of Mr. R. F. Bartrop, of Kingston-on-Thames, Solicitor; of Messrs. Bartley and Saxton, of 30, Somerset-street, Portman-square, Solicitors; of the Auctioneers, at Kingston and Chertsey; and at the place of sale.

In Chancery.—Snepp v. Snepp.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the Court, and with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, by Messrs. Edwin Fox and Bousfield, at the Auction Mart, London, on Wednesday, the 8th day of April, 1874, at two o'clock precisely, in one lot:—

Certain freehold property, known as Burg Field, and four cottages and gardens, situated in the parish of Etchingham, in the county of Sussex, comprising a field of twelve acres or thereabouts, and four cottages and gardens, the whole containing 12A. 1R. 4P.

Particulars and conditions may be had (gratis) of Mr. Robert Shuttleworth Gregson, of No. 8, Angel-court, Throgmorton-street, London, Solicitor; of Messrs. Fallows and Whitehead, of No. 4, Lancaster-place, Strand, Solicitors; of Messrs. Whateley, Milward, and Company, Birmingham, Solicitors; at the principal Inns at Etchingham and Hurst Green, in Sussex; and of the Auctioneers, Messrs. Edwin Fox and Bousfield, No. 24, Gresham-street, London; and at the place of sale.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of Sophia Wyndham Cuthbert Hayland, otherwise De Hayland,

deceased, and in a cause *Burton v. Wright*, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, by Mr. William Anthony Bowler, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Swan Hotel, at Alresford, in the county of Hants, on Thursday, the 16th day of April, 1874, at one for two o'clock in the afternoon:—

The beneficial interest in a lease of the Ramscombe Wood Estate, containing 325 acres 2 roods and 10 perches of arable and grass land, with a house and small farm homestead, situate in the parish of Bishop's Sutton, in the county of Hants, about two miles from Alresford, held from a late Lord Bishop of Winchester (but now under the Ecclesiastical Commissioners), for an unexpired term of 15 years from the 5th of April, 1874, at an annual rent of 10s., and £14 6s. for redeemed land-tax. The farm is in the occupation of Mr. Thomas North, of Ropley, whose lease will expire on the 29th of September, 1874.

Particulars and conditions of sale, with plans annexed, may be had at the place of sale; upon the premises; at the Swan Hotel, Alton; of Messrs. Markby, Tarry, and Stewart, Solicitors, 57, Coleman-street, London; of Messrs. J. J. Hubbard and Son, Solicitors, 24, Bucklersbury, London; and of the Auctioneer, at Theatre-street, Norwich, and at New Craven-chambers, London.

BY an Order of the Court of Chancery, dated the 23rd day of January, 1874, made in the causes of *Wride v. Clark* and *Middleton v. Wormley*, an enquiry is directed, who are the parties now entitled to the sum of £946 17s. 6d. cash remaining in Court to the credit of a cause of *Wride v. Iveson*, and in what shares and proportions. The above sum consists of dividends apportioned to the creditors of the Reverend Doctor John Clark, formerly of Hedon in Holderness, in the county of York (who died in the month of June, 1763), who proved their debts under the Decree made in the first-mentioned cause on the 1st of July, 1766, and under the Decree made in the second-mentioned cause on the 21st of December, 1784, and who did not receive the dividends so apportioned to them. The names of such creditors, and the respective amounts so unreceived by them, are set forth in the schedule hereto. The said creditors, or their representatives, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 13th day of April next, to come in and establish their claims before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, at his chambers, situate No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex. Monday, the 20th day of April, at twelve o'clock at noon, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating on the said claims.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

SCHEDULE.

Due to the Rev. Wm. Bristoe and Dorothy, his wife	£.	s.	d.
Due to Robert Bell on bond	35	7	8
Due to Robert Buckels on bond	141	10	8
Due to Abraham Dunn and Robert Dunn on bond	141	10	8
Due to Lawrence Elliott	2	5	6
Due to Robert Gray, of Hull, on bond	70	15	4
Due to Robert Gray, of Keyingham, on bond	42	9	2
Due to Thomas Mussendine on note	31	14	6
Due to George Marshall on bond	35	7	8
Due to Francis Marshall on bond	56	12	0
Due to Susannah North on bond	106	3	0
Due to William Shields on bond	70	15	4
Due to Samuel Wright on bond	70	15	4

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PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the cause *Haring and others v. Gist and others*, dated 8th November, 1873, the persons claiming a share in the one-third part of the residue of the estate of William Anderson, formerly a citizen of the State of Virginia, but who, at his death, resided at Vauxhall, London, England, trading in the United States, under the firm of William Anderson and Co., and in London, in partnership with Messrs. Birkett and Company, Crosby-square, London, which, by his will, was given to the brothers and sisters of the said William Anderson, who were living on the 25th day of December, 1792, or parties claiming as their legal personal representatives, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 30th day of May, 1874, to come in and prove their claims, at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Saturday, the 4th day of July, 1874, at twelve of the clock, at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause the Reverend Francis Scamell, on behalf of himself and all other the creditors of the Reverend John Briddon Wightwick, deceased, against Richard Lowe, the creditors of the Reverend John Briddon

Wightwick, late of Newton Reigny, in the county of Cumberland, Clerk, who died in or about the month of June, 1873, are, on or before the 9th day of April, 1874, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. James Bell, of the firm of Messrs. Bell and Crowder, of Victoria-buildings, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, the Solicitors of the defendant Richard Lowe, the executors of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Master of the Rolls, at his chambers, situated in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Saturday, the 25th day of April, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of Mary Brown against William Beet and John Beet, 1870, B., No. 276, the creditors of David Wilson, late of Bingham, in the county of Nottingham, Miller, who died on the 21st day of March, 1858, are, on or before the 31st day of March, 1874, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Archibald Scott Lawson, of No. 39, Lombard-street, in the city of London, the Solicitor of the above-named defendants, the executors of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Master of the Rolls, at his chambers, situated in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Wednesday, the 15th day of April, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of Robert Pocklington, deceased, and in a cause Pocklington against Fisher, 1874, P., 12, the creditors of Robert Pocklington, late of Wellingborough, in the county of Northampton, Contractor, who died on or about the 4th day of May, 1869, are, on or before the 10th day of April, 1874, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. William Edward Tattershall, of Queen-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, the Solicitor of the defendants, William Fisher and Jane Haywood, the executor and executrix of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, and the Christian and surnames of any partner or partners, and the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, at his chambers, situated No. 3, Stone buildings, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Monday, the 20th day of April, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of Joseph Bowles, deceased, and in a cause between George John King Harrison and Deborah, his wife, against Walter Shephard and Caroline, his wife (B., 1873, 412), the creditors of Joseph Bowles, late of Nether Wallop, in the county of Southampton, Yeoman, who died in or about the month of December, 1871, are, on or before the 27th day of March, 1874, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Richard Footner, of Audover, in the county of Hants, the Solicitor of the defendants, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated No. 12, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Tuesday, the 14th day of April, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the Court of Chancery of the county palatine of Lancaster, in a cause Heaton and another v. Winnard and another, made on the 4th day of February, 1874, the creditors and the incumbancers upon the real estate of Joseph Taylor Winnard, late of Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, Surgeon, deceased (who died in the month of October, 1873), are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 17th day of March next, to come in and prove their debts and claims, at the office of the Registrar for the Preston District of the said Court, situate at No. 2, Fox-street, Preston, in the said county, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit

of the said Order. Friday, the 20th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the said office of the District Registrar, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 24th day of February, 1874.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the Court of Chancery of the county palatine of Lancaster, in a cause Heaton and another v. Winnard and another, made on the 4th day of February, 1874, persons claiming to be heir at law of Joseph Taylor Winnard, late of Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, Surgeon, deceased, who died in the month of October, 1873, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 17th day of March next, to come in and prove their claims at the office of the Registrar for the Preston District of the said Court, situate at No. 2, Fox-street, Preston, in the said county, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Friday, the 20th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the said office of the District Registrar, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 24th day of February, 1874.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the Court of Chancery of the county palatine of Lancaster, in a cause Heaton and another v. Winnard and another, made on the 4th day of February, 1874, the persons claiming to be next of kin according to the Statutes for the distribution of intestates' estates of Joseph Taylor Winnard, late of Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, surgeon, deceased, living at the time of his death in the month of October, 1873, or the legal personal representatives of such of them as have since died, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 17th day of March next, to come in and prove their claims at the office of the Registrar for the Preston District of the said Court situate at No. 2, Fox-street, Preston, in the said county, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Friday, the 20th day of March next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the said office of the District Registrar, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 24th day of February, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment, bearing date the 19th day of May, 1863, and executed by Emma Lee, of Longport, in the parish of Burslem, in the county of Stafford, Grocer and Coal Dealer, for the Benefit of all the Creditors of the said Emma Lee.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Emma Lee will be held at the offices of the undersigned, in Burslem, in the county of Stafford, on the 18th day of March, 1874, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, when the Trustees will submit a statement of the whole estate of the said Emma Lee as then ascertained of the property received and of the property outstanding, specifying the cause of its being so outstanding, and of all the receipts, and of all the payments thereout made, and any creditor who has proved may attend and examine such statement and compare the receipts with the payments, and the meeting will declare by resolution whether any and what part of the said produce of the estate (after making a reasonable deduction for future contingencies) shall be divided amongst the creditors, and at the same time the majority in value of the creditors will determine whether any and what allowance shall be made to the said Emma Lee out of the estate, and 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.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1874.

T. H. and F. W. TOMKINSON, Burslem,
Solicitors.

Re Daniel Dimmock.

WHEREAS, by indenture, dated 4th March, 1868, Daniel Dimmock, of Luton, in the county of Bedford, Grocer and Size Maker, conveyed and assigned all his estate and effects unto Jonathan Crocker and Frederick Bennett Webb, as Trustees for the benefit of his creditors. This is to give notice, that a Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Daniel Dimmock will be held at the offices of Messrs. Ashley and Tee, 7, Frederick-place, Old Jewry, in the city of London, Solicitors, on Thursday, the 19th day of March instant, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the purpose of auditing the accounts of the Trustees and declaring a First and Final Dividend. And further take notice, that it is the intention of the said Trustees at that meeting to apply for their discharge. All creditors who have not proved their debts are required to do so forthwith, and to send same to the said Messrs. Ashley and Tee.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

G. ASHLEY and TEE, 7, Frederick's-place, Old Jewry, Solicitors for the Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton.
A FIRST and Final Dividend of 3s. 4d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Joseph Pimbley, of Farnworth, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, and Brass and Ironfounder, and will be paid by me, at the Ladyshore Collieries, Little Lever, on and after the 9th day of March, 1874, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon, and three o'clock in the afternoon.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

RICHARD HAYWOOD, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
A FINAL Dividend of 1s. 0½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement and composition with creditors, instituted by Thomas Baxendell, of Alpha Mill, Denton, near Ashton under-Lyne, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Spinner, and will be paid by me, at the offices, of John S. and Robert Blease, 15, Lord-street, Liverpool, Accountants, on and after the 6th day of March, 1874.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

JOHN S. BLEASE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Buckinghamshire, holden at Aylesbury.
A FIRST Dividend of 5s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Grenville Ballard Bull, of Ashton Clinton, in the county of Buckingham, Farmer, and will be paid on and after the 14th day of March, 1874, at the offices of Messrs. Joseph and Thomas Parrott, Bourbon-street, Aylesbury, in the county of Buckingham, between the hours of ten and four.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

RICHARD FOWLER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.
 In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Lambert Goldsmid and Lewis Isaacs, both of 2, Saint James'-place, Aldgate, in the city of London, Carmen and Copartners.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. E. J. Sydney and Son, 46, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London, Solicitors, on the 19th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

ALGERNON E. SYDNEY, 46, Finsbury-circus, E.C., Attorney for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.
 In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Annie Mary Johnson, of No. 334, Hackney-road, in the county of Middlesex, Widow, Boot Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Edmund Chalk, Solicitor, No. 53, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, on the 19th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

EDMUND CHALK, 53, Moorgate-street, London, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.
 In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Lyons and Louis Jacob Lyons, of 14, 16, and 18, Wilson-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, and of 6, Short-street, Tibb-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster (lately carrying on business in copartnership with Elizabeth Lyons, deceased, under the style or firm of Jacob Lyons and Sons, at the above-mentioned addresses), Clothiers and Outfitters and Copartners, and also lately trading in copartnership with the said Elizabeth Lyons, deceased, under the style or firm of Hyams and Co., at Powis-street, Woolwich, in the county of Kent, as Clothiers and Outfitters.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the Queen's Hotel, Leeds, in the county of York, on the 24th day of March, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

ALGERNON E. SYDNEY, 46, Finsbury-circus, London, E.C., Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.
 In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Lyons and Louis Jacob Lyons, of 14, 16, and 18, Wilson-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, and of 6, Short-street, Tibb-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster (lately carrying on business in copartnership with Elizabeth Lyons, deceased, under the style or firm of Jacob Lyons and Sons, at the above-mentioned addresses), Clothiers and Outfitters and Copartners, and also lately trading in copartnership with the said Elizabeth Lyons, deceased, under the style or firm of Hyams and Co., at Powis-street, Woolwich, in the county of Kent, as Clothiers and Outfitters.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of Samuel Lyons, one of the above-named persons, has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. E. J. Sydney and Son, Solicitors, 46, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London, on the 27th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

ALGERNON E. SYDNEY, 46, Finsbury-circus, E.C., Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.
 In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Lyons and Louis Jacob Lyons, of 14, 16, and 18, Wilson-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, and of 6, Short-street, Tibb-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, (lately carrying on business in copartnership with Elizabeth Lyons, deceased, under the style or firm of Jacob Lyons and Sons, at the above-mentioned addresses), Clothiers and Outfitters and Copartners, and also lately trading in copartnership with the said Elizabeth Lyons, deceased, under the style or firm of Hyams and Co., at Powis-street, Woolwich, in the county of Kent, as Clothiers and Outfitters.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named Louis Jacob Lyons, one of the above-named persons, has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. E. J. Sydney and Son, Solicitors, 46, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London, on the 27th day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

ALGERNON E. SYDNEY, 46, Finsbury-circus, E.C., Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.
 In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Moore, of Nos. 99 and 109, Cheapside, in the city of London, Clothier, trading under the style of Moore and Austin.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 106, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 16th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

C. A. SWAINE, 106, Cheapside, in the city of London, Attorney for the said William Moore.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.
 In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Alexander Pooley, of Sussex Wharf, Wapping, in the county of Middlesex, Horticultural Sundriesman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 15, South-street, Finsbury-square, in the county of Middlesex, on the 18th day of March, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

TAYLOR and JAQUET, 15, South-street, Finsbury-square, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.
 In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Thomas Seaborn, of Glacus-street, Bow-common, in the county of Middlesex, Bone-Boiler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Townley and Gard, No. 2, Gresham-buildings, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 16th day of March, 1874, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

TOWNLEY and GARD, Attorneys for the said George Thomas Seaborn.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Hubert Wharton, of 174, 176, and 178, Kennington Park-road, in the county of Surrey, Pawnbroker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Spyer and Son, No. 1, Winchester-house, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, on the 17th day of March, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

SPYER and SON, 1, Winchester-house, Old Broad-street, E.C., Attorneys for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Harris and Charles Richard Harris, both of Covent Garden Market, and Potato Market, King's Cross, in the county of Middlesex, and of Tooley-street and Borough Market, in the county of Surrey, Fruit, Pea, and Potato Salesmen.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. May and Sykes, No. 2, Adelaide-place, London Bridge, in the city of London, Attorneys, on the 17th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

MAY and SYKES, 2, Adelaide-place, London Bridge, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Harris and Charles Richard Harris, both of Covent Garden Market and Potato Market, King's Cross, in the county of Middlesex, and of Tooley-street and Borough Market, in the county of Surrey, Fruit, Pea, and Potato Salesmen.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named George Harris has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. May and Sykes, No. 2, Adelaide-place, London Bridge, in the city of London, Attorneys, on the 17th day of March, 1874, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

MAY and SYKES, 2, Adelaide-place, London Bridge, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Harris and Charles Richard Harris, both of Covent Garden Market and Potato Market, King's Cross, in the county of Middlesex, and of Tooley-street, Borough Market, in the county of Surrey, Fruit, Pea, and Potato Salesmen.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Charles Richard Harris has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. May and Sykes, No. 2, Adelaide-place, London Bridge, in the city of London, on the 17th day of 1874, at a quarter to twelve o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

MAY and SYKES, 2, Adelaide-place, London Bridge, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas William Cansdale, of 3, Half Moon-crescent, Barnsbury-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex (carrying on business as Coal Merchant in conjunction with Enoch Gater, of Bycar's Colliery, Burslem, Staffordshire, and Joseph Cliffe, of Newcastle-street, Silverdown, Staffordshire), late of 93, Lever-street, Saint Luke's, Grocer and Coal Merchant, formerly of 53, Elmore-street, Essex-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Grocer's Assistant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of James Popham, 5, Vincent-terrace, Islington, Middlesex, on the 16th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of February, 1874.

JAMES POPHAM, 5, Vincent-terrace, Islington, Attorney for the said Debtor.

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The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry James Carr, of No. 77, Golborne-road, and No. 2, Bevington-road, North Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, Grocer,

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 35, Bedford-row, London, on the 17th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1874.

FRANCIS LAMB, 35, Bedford-row, London, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Lock and George Edwin Chapman, of No. 31, Worship-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Wholesale Photographic and Scrap Album Manufacturers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. John Thomas Moss, No. 38, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, on the 26th day of March, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

JOHN THOMAS MOSS, 38, Gracechurch-street, London, Attorney for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry John Brown, No. 4, Bellevue, Fulross-road, Brixton, in the county of Surrey, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 1, George-street, Mansion House, in the city of London, on the 18th day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1874.

FREDK. WM. SNELL, Attorney for the said Henry John Brown.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas John Whiting, of 103, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, Stationer and Printer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Coffee-house, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 20th day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

PIESSE and SON, 15, Old Jewry-chambers, London, Attorneys for the said Thomas John Whiting.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Farries, senior, of No. 64, Chancery-lane, and late of No. 12, Heathcote-street, Gray's-inn-road, in the county of Middlesex, Law Costs Draftsman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Henry Charles Barker, St. Michael's House, St. Michael's-alley, Cornhill, in the city of London, on the 18th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

HENRY CHAS. BARKER, St. Michael's House, St. Michael's-alley, Cornhill, in the city of London, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alfred Carpenter, of 13, Median-road, Clapton, and 65 and 66, Clarendon-street, Somers Town, both in the county of Middlesex, Baker, Grocer, and Cheese-monger.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Masons' Hall Tavern, Masons'-avenue, in the city of London, on the 16th day of March, 1874, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of February, 1874.

ARCH. J. MILES, Attorney for the said Alfred Carpenter.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Wigan.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joshua Marsden, of Whelley, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, Joiner and Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Robert Ashton, Solicitor, No. 5, King-street, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, on the 12th day of March, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

ROBERT ASHTON, 5, King-street, Wigan, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Wigan.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Crook, of No. 79, Scholes, and also of Darlington-street, both in Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, Fishmonger and Fish Curer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Frederick Wood, Solicitor, Bretherton's-row, Wallgate, in Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, on the 12th day of March, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

FRED. WOOD, of Bretherton's-row, Wallgate, in Wigan aforesaid, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Ursell, of 11A, High-street, in the city of Manchester, Warehouseman, trading as George Ursell and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Edwards and Bintliff, Solicitors, 17, Brazen-nose-street, Manchester, on the 20th day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

EDWARDS and BINTLIFF, 17, Brazen-nose-street, Manchester, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Abraham Holland and Joseph Holland, of Greek-street Mills, Greek-street, Chorlton-upon-Medlock, in the city of Manchester, Skirt Manufacturers, trading as A. Holland and Son.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Lees and Graham, Accountants, St. George's-chambers, Albert-square, in the city of Manchester, on the 23rd day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

EDWARDS and BINTLIFF, 17, Brazen-nose-street, Manchester, Attorneys for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Burgess, late of Railway-street, Altrincham, in the county of Chester, Draper, but now of Mill-place, Altrincham aforesaid, out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Thomas Seddon Smith, Solicitor, Corf's-buildings, Preeon's-row, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on the 10th day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

THOMAS SEDDON SMITH, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Oulton, of 26, Railway-street, Altrincham, in the county of Chester, Butcher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Gardner and Horner, Solicitors, 45, Cross-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 23rd day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

GARDNER and HORNER, 45, Cross-street, Manchester, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Fuller, of 48A, Dantzic-street, and 1, Back Balloon-street, and residing at 3, Needwood-street, Rochdale-road, all in the city of Manchester, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Arthur Hines, No. 2, Victoria-street, Manchester, on the 19th day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

JNO. DAWSON, 14, Ridgefield, John Dalton-street, Manchester, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Jarvis, of No. 54, Great Homer-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Outfitter and General Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Bartlett and Atkinson, Solicitors, No. 22, North John-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 19th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

J. F. H. ATKINSON, 22, North John-street, Liverpool, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Dawson, of No. 50, Bridge-street, St. Helen's, in the county of Lancaster, Tobacconist, formerly of No. 2, Chapel-street, Chorley, in the said county, Tobacconist, and previously of No. 85, Whitefield-road, Everton, Liverpool, in the said county, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Bradley and Steinforth, No. 4, York-buildings, 14, Dale-street, in Liverpool aforesaid, on the 17th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

BRADLEY and STEINFORTH, 4, York-buildings, 14, Dale-street, Liverpool, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Whittle the younger, of 84, William-street, Southport, in the county of Lancaster, Stonemason and Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Thomas W. Barker, 23, London-street, Southport aforesaid, Solicitor, on the 24th day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

THOS. W. BARKER, London-street, Southport aforesaid, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Hugh Denerley, of 59, South John-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Hatter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Gibson and Bolland, No. 10, South John-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Accountants, on the 18th day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

ROBERT RUNDLE, Sagar's-buildings, 4, Brunswick-street, Liverpool, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Jacob Cohen, of No. 3, Vauxhall-road, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Maurice Nordon, 5, Cook-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Attorney-at-Law, on the 23rd day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

M. NORDON, 5, Cook-street, Liverpool, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Parry Jones, formerly on board the sailing ship the Samuel, of London, Master Mariner, afterwards of Everett-terrace, Victoria Dock Custom House, London, in the county of Middlesex, out of business, afterwards on board the steam ship the Tagus, of Hull, Master Mariner, afterwards of No. 16, Bath-place, Hull, in the county of York, out of business, but now of No. 2 House, No. 7 Court, Prince Edwin-lane, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. William Lowe, Solicitor, No. 43, Castle-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on the 20th day of March, 1874, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

WILLIAM LOWE, 43, Castle-street, Liverpool,
Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Kingston-upon-Thames.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Samuel Yarham Parker, of Kingston-upon-Thames, in the county of Surrey, Builder, Brickseller, and retired News Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Robert Fox Bartrop, at Brook-street, Kingston-upon-Thames, on the 19th day of March, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

ROBERT SAMUEL YARHAM PARKER, Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Kingston-upon-Thames.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Henry Rice, of Teddington, in the county of Middlesex, Plumber, Glazier, and House Decorator.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Robert Fox Bartrop, at Brook-street, Kingston-upon-Thames, on the 19th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of February, 1874.

JOHN HENRY RICE, Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Greenwich.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Booth Hills, of No. 391, New Cross-road, Deptford, in the county of Kent, Cheesemonger.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Ridler's Hotel, 133, Holborn, in the city of London, on the 13th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 19th day of February, 1874.

CHARLES BOOTH HILLS.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Canterbury.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Treadwell, of Boughton-under-Blean, in the county of Kent, Farmer and Corn Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, High-street, Sittingbourne, Kent, on the 13th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

FRED. GEO. GIBSON, High-street, Sittingbourne,
Attorney for the said William Treadwell.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Tunbridge Wells.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Moses Beck, of Camden-road, Tunbridge Wells, in the county of Kent, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 23, Church-road, Tunbridge Wells aforesaid, on the 19th day of March, 1874, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

STONE and SIMPSON, 23, Church-road, Tunbridge Wells, Attorneys for the said Moses Beck.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Berkshire, holden at Windsor.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Theodore Snelson, of Winkfield, in the county of Berks, and of No. 90, Queen's-road, Reading, in the said county of Berks, Grocer, Draper, and Upholsterer's Assistant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 8, Forbury, Reading aforesaid, on the 11th day of March, 1874, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

FREDERICK ELKINS, 8, Forbury, Reading,
Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Berkshire, holden at Windsor.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Amelia Spencer, of 4, Clarence-road, New Windsor, in the county of Berks, Widow, Paperhanger, trading under the style of William Spencer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Benjamin Chandler Durant, 3, Clarence-villas, Windsor, Berks, on the 23rd day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

B. C. DURANT, Attorney for the said Amelia Spencer.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Chelmsford.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Clark, of Springfield, in the county of Essex, Butcher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Robert Blyth, Solicitor, Chelmsford, on the 19th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

ROBT. BLYTH, Chelmsford, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Francis Inledon Vincent, of the White Lion Hotel, North-street, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Licensed Victualler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 14, Ship-street, Brighton, on the 23rd day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

CHARLES LAMB, 14, Ship-street, Brighton, Attorney for the said Francis Inledon Vincent.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Frohisher, of No. 9, Grenville-place, and No. 10, Western-road, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Tobacconist.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Messrs. Clennell and Fraser's offices, No. 6, Great James-street, Bedford-row, London, on the 20th day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

M. BRANDRETH, 64, Middle-street, Brighton,
Attorney for the said Frederick Frohisher.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Johnson Cook, of No. 196, High-street, in the town and county of the town of Kingston-upon-Hull, late Soda Water Manufacturer, but now out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of the undersigned, Frederic William Torry, No. 5, Cogan's-chambers, Bowl-alley-lane, in Kingston-upon-Hull aforesaid, on the 23rd day of March, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of February, 1874.

FREDERIC W. TORRY, Attorney for the said George Johnson Cook.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Sayer, of Hornsea, in the East-Riding of the county of York, Schoolmaster.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. George Eaton, situate No. 17, Parliament-street, Hull, on the 18th day of March, 1874, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of February, 1874.

GEO. EATON, 17, Parliament-street, Hull, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Hartley, of Great Horton, in the parish of Pradford, in the county of York, Joiner and Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of William Burnley, in Queensgate, Bradford aforesaid, Solicitor, on the 16th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of February, 1874.

WM. BURNLEY, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Charcock, of Main-street, Bingley, in the county of York, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Robinson and Robinson, in North-street, Keighley, in the county of York, on the 20th day of March, 1874, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

ROBINSON and ROBINSON, of Keighley, Attorneys for the said George Charcock.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Driver, of Stanningley, in the parish of Calverley, in the county of York, Plumber.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of William Burnley, in Queensgate, Bradford aforesaid, Solicitor, on the 20th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

WM. BURNLEY, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at York. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Lamb, late of Stockton-on-the-Forest, Farmer, but now of Lowther-street, Groves, in the city of York.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Alfred Watson, Solicitor, Lendal, in the city of York on the 20th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

ALFRED WATSON, Lendal, York, Attorney for the said William Lamb.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Wakefield. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Francis Blades Cooper, of Aire-street, Knottingley, in the county of York, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Mr. Boulton's offices, at Pontefract, in the said county, on the 18th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

CHARLES BOULTON, Pontefract, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Wakefield. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Howd, of 26, North-street, Goole, in the county of York, Coach Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Elephant Inn, in Don-

caster, in the county of York, on the 20th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

EDWIN SINGLETON, 14, Saint James'-row, Sheffield, Attorney for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Stringer, of Leeds, in the county of York, out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Benjamin Collett Pullan, Bank-chambers, Park-row, in Leeds aforesaid, on the 17th day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

BENJ. C. PULLAN, Attorney for the said Richard Stringer.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at York. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Schofield, of the Lord Nelson Inn, Walmgate, in the city of York, Innkeeper and Hay and Straw Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. George Crumby, Solicitor, No. 46, Stonegate, in the city of York, on the 18th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

GEO. CRUMBIE, 46, Stonegate, York, Attorney for the said James Schofield.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at York. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Cook, of Fetter-lane, in the city of York, Joiner and Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Robert Young, No. 5, Castlegate, in the city of York, Solicitor, on the 18th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

ROBERT YOUNG, No. 5, Castlegate, York, Attorney for the said William Cook.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Ledger, of 26, Baker-street, Doncaster, in the county of York, Joiner, Builder, and Undertaker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Edward Charles Peagam, 19, Baxter-gate, Doncaster aforesaid, on the 24th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

EDW. C. PEAGAM, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Atkinson, of Swinton Bridge, in the parish of Wath-upon-Dearne, in the county of York, Draper and Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Henry Patteson, of No. 1, Bank-street, in Sheffield, in the county of York, Attorney-at-Law, on the 20th day of March, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

HENRY PATESON, Attorney for the above-named Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Francis Thompson, of Norfolk-street and St. Philip's-road, in Sheffield, in the county of York, Saddler, and Grocer and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Alfred Taylor, Solicitor, Norfolk-row, Sheffield, on the 17th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

ALFRED TAYLOR, Attorney for the said Francis Thompson.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Scarborough. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Hargest, of Rudston, in the county of York, Grocer and Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, Squire-lane, Bridlington, on the 10th day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

THOMAS HARLAND, Bridlington, Attorney for the said George Hargest.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Cox, of No. 145, Etruria-road, in the borough of Hanley, in the county of Stafford, Shopkeeper and Beer-seller, and Mary Ann Cox, his wife, lately the widow, and formerly the wife of Thomas Roberts, late of the same place, Shopkeeper and Beer-seller, and now deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Ralph Stevenson, situate at No. 4, Bagnall-street, in the borough of Hanley aforesaid, on the 18th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of February, 1874.

J. LOVELL HAMSHAW, Hanley, Attorney for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Bailey, of No. 2, Bridge-street, Newcastle-under-Lyme, in the county of Stafford, Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Mr. Charles John Welch's office, 16, Caroline-street, Longton, in the county of Stafford, on the 19th day of March, 1874, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

CHAS. JOHN WELCH, 16, Caroline-street, Longton, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Walsall.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Challinor, of Hednesford, in the county of Stafford, Grocer, Provision Merchant, and Hay and Straw Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. John Glover, No. 66, Park-street, Walsall, in the county of Stafford, on the 17th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

JOHN GLOVER, No. 66, Park-street, Walsall, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Cheltenham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Surman, of No. 1, St. George's-street, Cheltenham aforesaid, Broker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 12, Regent-street, Cheltenham aforesaid, on the 13th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

WILLIAM SURMAN.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Seager, formerly of Phippen-street, in the parish of Saint Mary, Redcliff, but now of Victoria-street, in the parish of Temple, both in the city and county of Bristol, Corn Factor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Hancock, Triggs, and Company, Public Accountants, Broad-street, Bristol, on the 17th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

GEORGE LEY KING, Attorney for the above-named Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Ford, of No. 18, Brigstock-road, in the city and county of Bristol, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Barnard, Thomas, Tribe, and Co., Albion-chambers, in the city and county of Bristol, Public Accountants, on the 18th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

OSBORNE, WARD, VASSALL, and CO., Bristol, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Reeves, of 1, Richmond-place, Horfield, in the county of Gloucester, Haulier.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Albert Essery, in the Guildhall, Broad-street, Bristol, on the 14th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

ALBERT ESSERY, Guildhall, Broad-street, Bristol, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Sarah Elizabeth Varden, of East Dereham, in the county of Norfolk, Bootmaker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Fosters, Burroughes, and Robberds, Solicitors, Bank-place, Norwich, on the 20th day of March, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

FRANCIS G. FOSTER, Bank-place, Norwich, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Lincoln.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Wells, of Elksley, in the county of Nottingham, Joiner and Wheelwright.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Marshall, Sons, and Bescoby, Solicitors, East Retford, on the 31st day of March, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

THOS. BESCOBY, East Retford, Attorney for the said William Wells.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at East Stonehouse.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by David Ross, of 26, St. Aubyn-street, Devonport, in the county of Devon, and recently also of Her Majesty's Ship Narcissus, but now lodging at 9, Trafalgar-place, Stoke Damerel, in the borough of Devonport aforesaid, First-class Boatwain in Her Majesty's Navy and Lodging-house Keeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of James Vaughan, Solicitor, 27, St. Aubyn-street, Devonport, in the county of Devon, on the 14th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

JAMES VAUGHAN, 27, St. Aubyn-street, Devonport, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at East Stonehouse.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Toll, of Cartuther Mills, in the parish of Menheniot, in the county of Cornwall, Miller and Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Edmonds and Son, 8, Parade, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, on the 19th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

R. HINGSTON, Attorney for the said John Toll.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at East Stonehouse.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Atkins, of the Queen's Arms, Edgcombe-street, East Stonehouse, in the county of Devon, Licensed Victualler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at St. George's Hall, East Stonehouse, in the county of Devon, on the 20th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

J. EDWARD CURTEIS, of St. George's Hall, East Stonehouse, in the county of Devon, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alfred Abel Cuss, of No. 16, Lower Union-street, Torquay, in the county of Devon, Grocer, Tea Dealer, and Provision Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Robert T. Campion, Solicitor, No. 8, Bedford-circus, in the city of Exeter, on the 26th day of March, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

ROBT. T. CAMPION, Attorney for the said Alfred Abel Cuss.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Bowden, of Ipplepen, and of Newton Abbot, Totnes, and Plymouth, all in the county of Devon, trading under the style of John Bowden and Company as Corn, Cider, and General Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Half Moon Hotel, Exeter, in the county of Devon, on the 14th day of March, 1874, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

LEAROYD and LEAROYD, 11, South-street, Finsbury, London, E.C., Attorneys for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Matthews, of the Cross, Upton-upon-Severn, in the county of Worcester, Baker and Confectioner, and late of the same place, Innkeeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Crown Hotel, Broad-street, in the city of Worcester, on the 20th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

ROWLANDS and BAGNALL, 25, Colmore-row, Birmingham, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Newport and at Ryde.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Bevins, of Ryde, in the Isle of Wight, in the county of Hants, Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Ladbury, Collison and Viney, of No. 99, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 20th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

ALLEN and EDWARDS, 8, Old Jewry, London, Attorneys for the said John Bevins.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Smith Fairbank, of 82, Herbert-road, Small Heath, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Architect and Surveyor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Joseph Francis

ove, 38, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, on the 19th day of March, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

J. F. GROVE, Attorney for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Nurse, formerly of Sherlock-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Grocer, but now of Erdington, in the same county, Ale and Porter Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Edward Baker, Solicitor, No. 13, Cannon-street, Birmingham, on the 17th day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

EDWARD BAKER, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Walter William Gossage, residing at No. 21, Masshouse-lane, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Edward Thomas Gossage and Alfred Howard Gossage, residing at No. 42, Dale-end, Birmingham aforesaid, carrying on business at Bradford-street Saw Mills, in the said borough, as Timber Dealers, Cabinet and Packing-case Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Gossage Brothers, and at No. 47, Dale-end aforesaid, as Furniture Dealers, under the style or firm of Howard Gossage and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the Hen and Chickens Hotel, New-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 17th day of March, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

H. HAWKES, 14, Temple-street, Birmingham, Attorney for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Walter William Gossage, residing at No. 21, Masshouse-lane, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Edward Thomas Gossage and Alfred Howard Gossage, residing at No. 42, Dale-end, Birmingham aforesaid, carrying on business at Bradford-street Saw Mills, in the said borough, as Timber Dealers, Cabinet and Packing-case Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Gossage Brothers, and at No. 47, Dale-end aforesaid, as Furniture Dealers, under the style or firm of Howard Gossage and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Walter William Gossage has been summoned to be held at the Hen and Chickens Hotel, New-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 17th day of March, 1874, at quarter-past one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

H. HAWKES, 14, Temple-street, Birmingham, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Walter William Gossage, residing at No. 21, Masshouse-lane, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Edward Thomas Gossage and Alfred Howard Gossage, residing at No. 42, Dale-end, Birmingham aforesaid, carrying on business at Bradford-street Saw Mills, in the said borough, as Timber Dealers, Cabinet and Packing Case Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Gossage Brothers, and at No. 47, Dale-end aforesaid, as Furniture Dealers, under the style or firm of Howard Gossage and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Edward Thomas Gossage has been summoned to be held at the Hen and Chickens Hotel, New-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 17th day of March, 1874, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

H. HAWKES, 14, Temple-street, Birmingham, Attorney for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Warwick. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Coates, of Russell-street, Leamington Priors, in the county of Warwick, Livery-stable Keeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Charles Handley, Solicitor, Northgate-street, Warwick, on the 24th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

CHARLES HANDLEY, Attorney for the said Robert Coates.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Warwick. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Court, of Wellesbourne Mountford, in the county of Warwick, Coal Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. W. B. Sanderson, Northgate-street, Warwick, on the 18th day of March, 1874, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

W. B. SANDERSON, Northgate-street, Warwick, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Warwick. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Cooper, late of the Garibaldi Tavern, High-street, but now of Augusta-place, Leamington Priors, in the county of Warwick, Innkeeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Bath Hotel, Leamington Priors aforesaid, on the 18th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of February, 1874.

W. B. SANDERSON, Northgate-street, Warwick, Attorney for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Smith, of Victoria House, Northgate, Darlington, in the county of Durham, Auctioneer and General Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, No. 41, High-row, Darlington aforesaid, on the 19th day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

EDWARD WOOLER, of 41, High-row, Darlington, in the county of Durham, Attorney for the said James Smith.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Hamilton Carling, of No. 7, South Moor-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, carrying on business as a Ship Chandler and Marine Store Dealer, at No. 12, Drop, South Dock, Sunderland aforesaid, and formerly residing at Norman-street, Sunderland aforesaid.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. William Bell, Solicitor, No. 23, Lambton-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, on the 21st day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

WILLIAM BELL, 23, Lambton-street, Sunderland, Attorney for the said Robert Hamilton Carling.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bath. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Tuck and William Stoneham Pike, of No. 25, High-street, in the city of Bath, Ironmongers, Copartners in Trade.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at No. 5, Westgate-buildings, Bath, on the 20th day of March, 1874, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

THOS. WILTON, 5, Westgate-buildings, Bath, Attorney for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Herefordshire, holden at Hereford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Gore, of Bridge-street, in the city of Hereford, Rope Maker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Hop Market Hotel, Worcester, on the 19th day of March, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

JAMES CORNER, 37, High Town, Hereford Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bath. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Fry, of Bulkington, in the parish of Wilts, Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Bear Hotel, at Chippenham, in the said county of Wilts, on the 19th day of March, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

W. and F. AWDREY and CLARKE, of Chippenham, Wilts, Attorneys for the said William Fry.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James McConnell, of Berwick-upon-Tweed, in the county of the borough and town of Berwick-upon-Tweed, Boot and Shoe Maker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Dunlop, situate on the Quay Walls, in Berwick-upon-Tweed aforesaid, on the 13th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of February, 1874.

JNO. DUNLOP, Quay Walls, Berwick-on-Tweed, Attorney for the said James McConnell.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Arthur Robinson, of No. 124, Alfreton-road, in the town of Nottingham, Hosier and Outfitter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, St. Peter's Church-walk, Nottingham, on the 23rd day of March, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1874.

D. W. HEATH, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Albert Hibbit, of No. 1, Church-street, Wellington-borough-road, Northampton, Sugar Boiler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. C. C. Becke, 20, Market-square, Northampton, on the 19th day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

C. C. BECKE, 20, Market-square, Northampton, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Peterborough.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Christopher, of Deeping St. James, in the county of Lincoln, Grocer and Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Angel Hotel, in the city of Peterborough, on the 19th day of March, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

WM. THOS. WEST, Market Deeping, Attorney for the said Charles Christopher.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Miranda Richards, of No. 22, Trinity-street, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Eating-house Keeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 18, High-street, Cardiff aforesaid, on the 24th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

M. MORGAN, 18, High-street, Cardiff, Attorney for the said Miranda Richards.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Edward Simmons Cooper, of 63, Queen-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Portmanteau, Bag, and Legging Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Edward Simmons Cooper will be held at my offices, Nos. 7 and 8, London Bridge Railway-approach, London, S.E., on the 13th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the assent by the Trustee to a scheme for the settlement of the affairs of the said Edward Simmons Cooper, or such further or other resolutions for the like purpose as the creditors present or represented at such meeting may determine upon.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

BENJAMIN NICHOLSON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Goodacre, of New Sleaford, in the county of Lincoln, Milliner and Fancy Draper.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named William Goodacre is hereby summoned to be holden at the offices of Messrs. W. J. White and Company, No. 33, King-street, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 18th day of March instant, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the following objects:—1. For the purpose of receiving the declaration of a Dividend by the Trustee; 2. For the purpose of adopting the accounts as audited by the Committee of Inspection; 3. For the purpose of fixing the date of the close of the liquidation; 4. For the purpose of considering the release of the Trustee; 5. For the purpose of considering the granting of the discharge of the said William Goodacre.—Dated this 5th day of March, 1874.

FREDERICK CARR, 33, King-street, London, E.C., Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Hawkes, of 34, Peasecod-street, Windsor, in the county of Berks, Saddler and Harness Maker.

A MEETING of the Creditors of the above-named person is hereby summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Minton, Boyes, and Child, Accountants, 2, Carey-lane, London, on Tuesday, the 24th day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the purpose of granting the discharge of the said William Hawkes; releasing the Trustee; and fixing the close of the liquidation.—Dated 5th March, 1874.

J. BOYES, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Macclesfield.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Garside, of Congleton, in the county of Chester, Silk Throwster and Draper.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named debtor will be held on Wednesday, the 25th day of March next, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at No. 4, Exchange-street, in Macclesfield aforesaid, for the following purposes:—1. To pass the accounts of and make an allowance to the Trustee; 2. To grant the Trustee his release.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

ANDW. FULTON SMITH, 51, Old Broad-street, London, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Lewes.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Mary Jones, of High-street, Lewes, in the county of Sussex, Schoolmistress.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named person is hereby summoned to be held at the Bear Hotel, Cliffe, Lewes aforesaid, on Saturday, the 14th

day of March instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, for the purpose of receiving and passing the Trustee's accounts, declaring a Dividend, and considering the close of the liquidation, discharge of the debtor, and release of the Trustee.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

GEO. W. GREEN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1859.

In the County Court of Oxfordshire, holden at Oxford.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the Affairs of James Collier and Albert Collier, both of Witney, in the county of Oxford, carrying on business there as Blanket Manufacturers, in copartnership, under the style or firm of J. and A. Collier.

A MEETING of the Creditors of the above-named James Collier and Albert Collier, will be held at the office of Mr. Alfred Hallworth Crowther, Solicitor, 7, Gray's-inn-square, London, on Monday, the 16th day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustee, of a composition offered by the debtors of ten shillings in the pound, and for fixing the date for the release of the Joint Trustees.—Dated this 5th of March, 1874.

HORATIO HARRIS,

JAMES LONG, Junr., Joint Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Bromley, of Queen-street, Redditch, in the county of Worcester, Printer.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named person is hereby summoned to be held at my offices, No. 37, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on Saturday, the 14th day of March instant, at twelve o'clock noon precisely, for the following purposes:—To declare a Dividend; to close the liquidation, and discharge the Trustee.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

CHARLES MARRIS, 37, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, Trustee of the above-named Debtor's Estate.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Arkell White, of 16 and 17, Russell-street, Covent-garden, in the county of Middlesex, Wine and Spirit Merchant and Grocer.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Arkell White who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of March, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Edward Moore, of No. 3, Crosby-square, in the city of London, Public Accountant and Auditor, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1874.

EDWARD MOORE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Kingston-upon-Thames.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert John Tabby, of No. 13, Broad-street, Teddington, in the county of Middlesex, Stationer and Fancy Repository Keeper.

THE creditors of the above-named Robert John Tabby who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of March, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Comben Harvey, of 1, Gresham-buildings, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

W. C. HARVEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Canterbury.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Edward Broom, of Wellington House, Hertford-place, Ramsgate, in the county of Kent, Schoolmaster.

THE creditors of the above-named Edward Broom who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 21st day of March, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to the undersigned, Mr. James Berry Walford, Ramsgate, Solicitor for the Trustee under the liquidation,

or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

JAS. BERRY WALFORD, Solicitor for the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Francis Adie, of High-street, Bilston, in the county of Stafford, Grocer, Provision Dealer, and Hop Merchant

THE creditors of the above-named Francis Adie who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 12th day of March, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, William Lomas Harrison, of 37, Cannon-street, Birmingham, Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 26th day of February, 1874.

W. LOMAS HARRISON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Gloucester.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Smallwood Humphrys, of Stroud, in the county of Gloucester, Auctioneer and Appraiser, formerly carrying on business as Humphrys and Son, and subsequently and now carrying on business as Humphrys and Sons.

THE creditors of the above-named George Smallwood Humphrys who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 18th day of March, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Charles Wyndham Kingdom, of Stroud aforesaid, Banker, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1874.

C. W. KINGDOM, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Neath. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of David Thomas, of Cwmshone Factory, Ynismedw, near Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Woollen Manufacturer.

THE creditors of the above-named David Thomas who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of March, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, John Daniel Thomas, of No. 1, Camden-place, Swansea, High Bailiff, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

JOHN DANIEL THOMAS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax.

In the Matter of the Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Henry Green, George Battersby, and James Battersby, of Booth Town, Halifax, in the county of York, Worsted Spinners and Manufacturers, trading in copartnership under the style of Green, Battersby, and Son.

THE separate creditors of the above-named William Henry Green who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 16th day of March, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Thomas Whitley, of Horton-street, in Halifax aforesaid, Woolstapler, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

THOMAS WHITLEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Bateson Wormald, of Leeds, in the county of York, Clerk, previously of the same place, Blue Slater.

THE creditors of the above-named John Bateson Wormald who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 18th day of March, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, William Stead, of 11, Bank-street, Leeds, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

WILLIAM STEAD, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bridgewater.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Charles Hayward, of Bridgewater, in the county of Somerset, Hairdresser and Perfumer.

THE creditors of the above-named Charles Hayward who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 25th day of March, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned Joseph White, of Bridgewater, in the county of Somerset, Auctioneer, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

JOSEPH WHITE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Benjamin Inkpen, of Abinger, in the county of Surrey, Builder and Licensed Victualler.

THE creditors of the above-named Benjamin Inkpen who have not already proved their debts are required, on or before the 19th day of March, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Charles Alexander White, of Dorking, in the said county of Surrey, Valuer and Estate Agent, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 25th day of February, 1874.

CHARLES ALEXANDER WHITE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Carlisle.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Joseph Hindson, of English-street, in the city of Carlisle, Grocer and Tea Dealer, also carrying on business at Armathwaite, Longtown, Silloth, Warwick Bridge, Headsnook, and Lazonby, all in the county of Cumberland, as Grocer and Tea Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named Joseph Hindson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of March, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Christopher Ling, of the city of Carlisle, Merchant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

C. LING, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. by transfer from the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Partington the younger, of Herbert-street, Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Bobbin Shuttle and Skewer Maker.

THE creditors of the above-named John Partington who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 16th day of March, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Hugh Shaw, of Clegg-street, in Oldham aforesaid, Auctioneer, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

HUGH SHAW, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Makin, of the Veteran Brewery, Stanley-street, Salford, in the city of Lancaster, and the Oldfield-road Tavern, Oldfield-road, Salford aforesaid, Ale and Porter Brewer and Beerhouse Keeper.

THE creditors of the above-named John Makin who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 9th day of March, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me the undersigned, John Blakey, of Copley-hill, Wortley, near Leeds, Maltster, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

JOHN BLAKEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of David Dixon, of Woolton-road, and Island-road, Garston, in the county of Lancaster, Innkeeper, Grocer, Butcher, Cattle, and General Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named David Dixon who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 23rd day of March, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, James Gardiner Martin, of 10, Harrington-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation; or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

JAMES GARDINER MARTIN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Burnley.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Alfred Watkinson, of Forest House, in the Forest of Pendle, and of Brierfield, near Burnley, both in the county of Lancashire, Oil Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named Alfred Watkinson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 26th day of March, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, John Bradley, No. 11, Saint James's-street, in Burnley aforesaid, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

JOHN BRADLEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Warrington.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Bettley, of Church-street, Runcorn, Cheshire, Fish, Game, and Poultry Dealer and Greengrocer.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Bettley who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 16th day of March, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Charles Connor, Commission Agent, of 5, Rokeby-street, Everton-crescent, Liverpool, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

CHAS. CONNOR, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Perks and Richard Joseph Wood (trading as Perks, Wood, and Company), of No. 72, Mark-lane, in the city of London, Wholesale Tea Dealers.

ROBERT JOSEPH CLARKE, of Mansion House-chambers, No. 12, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors must deliver them to the trustee; and all debts due to the debtors must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of February, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Michael Coleman Cohen, of No. 9, King-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, East India Merchant and Mineral Broker.

WILLIAM WHITE, of No. 25, Finsbury-place, in the city of London, Assayer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 26th day of February, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edwin Clarke Bodley, of 346, Fulham-road, in the county of Middlesex; Baker.

SIDNEY SMITH, of 65, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having

in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th day of February, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Perks and Richard Joseph Wood, trading as Perks, Wood, and Company, of No. 72, Mark-lane, in the city of London, Wholesale Tea Dealers.

ROBERT JOSEPH CLARKE, of Mansion House-chambers, No. 12, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the separate estate of William Perks. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of February, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Perks and Richard Joseph Wood, trading as Perks, Wood, and Company, of No. 72, Mark-lane, in the city of London, Wholesale Tea Dealers.

ROBERT JOSEPH CLARKE, of Mansion House-chambers, No. 12, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the separate estate of Richard Joseph Wood. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of February, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Langford Webb, of 131, Tottenham Court-road, in the county of Middlesex, Wholesale and Retail Cheesemonger and Provision Merchant, also trading as Webb and Co. at 26, Munster-street, Regent's Park, in the county of Middlesex aforesaid.

BENJAMIN BINGHAM SMITH, of Cheapside, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alfred George Monk, of 54, Caledonian-road, King's Cross, formerly of 48, Chapel-street, Euston-road, both in the county of Middlesex, Draper.

JOHAN AUGUSTUS JOSOLYNE, of No. 28, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Celine Adele Hangion, of 111, Great Portland-street, in the county of Middlesex, Spinster, carrying on business as a Milliner.

HENRY CHATTERIS, of No. 1, Gresham-buildings, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Lincoln.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Benjamin Hempstock, of Ludford, in the county of Lincoln, Saddler.

GEORGE JAY, of the city of Lincoln, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Marvell, of Ilkley, in the county of York, Bailier.

JOSEPH HARRISON, of Oley, in the said county of York, Brick and Tile Maker, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 26th day of February, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Boston.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Joseph Mayfield the elder, of Chapel Hill, in the parish of Swineshead, in the county of Lincoln, Butcher, and Dealer in Bread, Flour, and Bacon.

WILLIAM HENRY POSSON, of Coningsby, in the county of Lincoln, Auctioneer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 23rd day of February, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Stockport.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Bateman, of 2, Hooley's-court, Grenville-street, Stockport, in the county of Chester, in no business or occupation, previously of the Union Tavern, Union-road, Stockport aforesaid, Licensed Victualler.

THOMAS DOUGLAS HORNER, of 1, Ridgfield, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Walpole, formerly carrying on business at No. 2, Malin-hill, in the town of Nottingham, as a Bed and Mattress Manufacturer, and now of No. 93, Glebe-street, in the said town, carrying on business as a Bobbin and Carriage Mender.

CHARLES ROGERS, of Nottingham, Accountant, and Henry Young, of Nottingham, Accountant, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustees. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustees.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Henry Wills, of the town of Nottingham, out of business, late Governor of the Nottingham House of Correction.

JOHN THORNTON, of the town of Nottingham, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Brailsford, of Sutton-in-Ashfield, in the county of Nottingham, Builder.

JOHAN ATTENBORROW, of Sherwood-street, Nottingham, Builder, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 26th day of February, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at King's Lynn.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Henry Barton, of Sutton Saint James, in the county of Lincoln, Blacksmith.

CHARLES WRIGHT, of Boston, in the county of Lincoln, Ironmonger, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor, must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Daniel Simmons, of Dorking, in the county of Surrey, Plumber, Glazier, Painter, and Decorator.

EDMUND CHARLES CHATTERLEY, of 25, Old Jewry, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Greenhow Crane, residing at No. 12, Rock-park, Rock Ferry, in the county of Chester, carrying on business with James Roy, in partnership, at No. 12, Rumbold-place, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, as a General Broker, under the style or firm of T. G. Crane and Co.

JOHAN SUTHERLAND BANNER, of 24, North John-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Rogers, of 92, Old Hall-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Rawlbraker and Outfitter.

JOHAN PRICE, of the firm of Rose and Price, 36, North John-street, Liverpool, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Pownall, of Peel-causeway, and Prussia-terrace, Bowden, in the county of Chester, Stone Mason and Contractor.

HAROLD GASKELL SYERS, of Altrincham, in the county of Chester, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Heaselden, of No. 50, Dorset-street, Hulme, in the city of Manchester, and county of Lancaster, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

THOMAS SUTTON, of No. 23, Brown-street, in the city of Manchester, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George France, of No. 62, Cross-lane, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer and Drysalter.

HENRY GROSVENOR NICHOLSON, of No. 7, Norfolk-street, in the city of Manchester, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Herefordshire, holden at Leominster.

A DIVIDEND is intended to be declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by George Crundell, late of No. 3, Bull-ring, Ludlow, in the county of Salop, Printer, Stationer, and General Dealer. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 10th day of March, 1874, will be excluded.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

WILLIAM COATES, Old-street, Ludlow, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax.
To James Ramskill, of Halifax, in the county of York, Accountant.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Petition has been presented against you to this Court by Adam Crossfield *Foster* (and not *Joster*, as erroneously printed in last Gazette), of Halifax aforesaid, Gentleman, and Joshua Sutcliffe, of the same place, Oil Merchant, and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette shall be deemed to be service of the Petition upon you; and further take notice, that the said Petition will be heard at this Court, on the 30th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, on which day you are required to appear, and if you do not appear, the Court may adjudge you bankrupt in your absence. The Petition can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated this 26th day of February, 1874.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A MEETING of the Creditors of James Clifford Hodges, of No. 9, Marlborough-road, Saint John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, adjudicated bankrupt on the 23rd day of July, 1873, will be held at the offices of Frederick Whinney, No. 8, Old Jewry, in the city of London, on the 16th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the assent by the trustee to a scheme of settlement of the affairs of the bankrupt, and for the annulling thereafter of the order of adjudication made against the bankrupt.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of William John Anderson, of 11, Grenada-terrace, Commercial-road East, Middlesex, Watch Maker and Jeweller, adjudicated Bankrupt 25th June, 1872.

TAKE notice, that this Honorable Court has appointed the 17th March, 1874, at twelve at noon, for hearing an adjourned application by Mr. Selim Israel, the Trustee, for his release, a Meeting of Creditors having been called for 5th February, 1874, to consider such application.

WM. BROWNE KIDDER, Trustee's Solicitor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Filipe Simoes Dos Santos, of 5 and 6, Great Winchester-street-buildings, in the city of London, Dealer in Preserved Meats and General Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named person, adjudicated bankrupt on the 20th day of July, 1872, is summoned to be held at my offices, 22, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 18th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of passing the Trustee's accounts.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

MICHAEL BANES, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Henry Ball, of No. 51, Aldridge-road-villas, Westbourne Park, in the county of Middlesex, Solicitor's Clerk, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 16th day of December, 1873.

ON the requisition of the above-named bankrupt a Meeting of his Creditors is hereby summoned to be held at No. 10, John-street, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, on Thursday, the 19th day of March, 1874, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of taking into consideration, and if the creditors shall think fit, of passing the following special resolutions:—1. That the creditors of the bankrupt hereby assent to the bankrupt applying to the Court for an Order of Discharge, although the bankruptcy has not been closed; 2. That in the opinion of the creditors of the bankrupt his bankruptcy, or the failure to pay 10s. in the pound, has arisen from circumstances for which the said bankrupt cannot justly be held responsible, and that they desire that an Order of Discharge should be granted to him.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

WILLIAM PHILIPS, 4, Wilson-street, Gray's-inn-road, W.C., Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Huddersfield.

A SECOND Dividend of 1s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of William Cooke Hewby, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, Surgeon, adjudicated bankrupt on the 16th day of May, 1872, and will be paid by me at my offices, No. 18, Albion-street, Leeds, in the county of York, on and after the 6th day of March, 1874.—Dated this 2nd day of February, 1874.

W. H. BURRELL, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull.

A SECOND and Final Dividend of 11d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Edward Robinson, of the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Plumber, adjudicated bankrupt on the 6th day of May, 1872, and will be paid by me at 8, Parliament-street, Kingston-upon-Hull, on and after the 9th day of March, 1874.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

BENJAMIN PICKERING, Trustee.

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. 11d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of George Bradford, late of 11, Sadler-gate, in the borough of Derby, Provision Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 25th day of June, 1873, and will be paid by me, at the office of Messrs. Harrison and Co., Accountants, 1, Becket Well-lane, Derby, on and after the 2nd day of March, 1874.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1874.

T. H. HARRISON, Trustee.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Poole.

A DIVIDEND of 2s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of William Spicer, of Wareham, in the county of Dorset, Baker, adjudicated bankrupt on the 24th day of October, 1873, and will be paid by me, at my office at Wareham, in the said county of Dorset, on and after the 21st day of March, 1874.—Dated this 28th day of February, 1874.

THOMAS WISE, Trustee.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bath.

A FIRST Dividend of 5s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Frederick George Chambers, of 5, Harington-place, in the city of Bath, Painter and House Decorator, adjudicated bankrupt on the 8th day of February, 1873, and will be paid by me, at my office, No. 1, Harington-place, Bath, between the hours of two and five, on and after the 7th day of March, 1874.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

GEORGE BULL, Trustee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 16th October, 1866, against William Sibun, formerly of New Brompton, in the county of Kent, Inspector of Shipwrights in the Royal Dockyard, Chatham, in the said county of Kent, and subsequently carrying on the trade of a Builder, at New Brompton aforesaid, then residing successively at No. 125, Week-street, Maidstone, and Bourne Cottage, Tunbridge Wells, in the said county of Kent, out of business, and now of 25, New Cavendish-street, New North-road, Hoxton, in the county of Middlesex, out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 3s. 2d. in the pound is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, in the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, City, on Wednesday next, and the three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two o'clock on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special directions of a Registrar. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—March 5, 1874.

PETER PAGET, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 9th March, 1865, against Lawrence Burt, of Brooklands, Lea Bridge, in the county of Essex, and of 16, Silver-street, in the city of London, Warehouseman and Manufacturer, and afterwards and now of Brooklands, Lea Bridge, and of 16, Silver-street aforesaid, in copartnership with Henry Cliff, as Warehousemen and Manufacturers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 1s. 1d. in the pound is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, in the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, City, on Wednesday next, and the three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special directions of a Registrar. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—March 5, 1874.

PETER PAGET, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 9th January, 1862, against Thomas William Jewell, of Harwich, in the county of Essex, Surgeon on board Her Majesty's ship Pembroke, now lying in Harwich Harbour, Harwich aforesaid.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Seventh Dividend at the rate of 3s. 1½d. in the pound, and 15s. 3½d. to New Proofs, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, in the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, City, on Wednesday next, and the three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special directions of a Registrar. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—March 5, 1874.

PETER PAGET, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 23rd December, 1869, against James Stewart Calder Sutherland, of 92, Hereford-road, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, late of Beverley-road, Colchester, in the county of Essex, late Assistant Commissary-General in Her Majesty's Army.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Second Dividend at the rate of 3s. 9½d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, in the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, City, on Wednesday next, and the three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special directions of a Registrar. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—March 5, 1874.

PETER PAGET, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 12th April, 1845, against Walter Westrup and Thomas Martin Cooksedge, of New Crane, Shadwell, in the county of Middlesex, and of Northfleet, in the county of Kent, Millers and Ship Biscuit Bakers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Final Dividend at the rate of 1s. 10d. and nine thirty-seconds of one penny in the pound, and 4s. and nine thirty-seconds of one penny to New Proofs is now payable, and that warrants for

the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, in the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, City, on Wednesday next, and the three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two o'clock on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special directions of a Registrar. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—March 5, 1874.

PETER PAGET, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 18th January, 1864, against Joseph Marsh Blacklock, formerly of Priory-place, Wandsworth-road, then of Park-road, Clapham-road, Stockwell, Surrey, Clerk in Her Majesty's War Office, and then and now of Eastworth-lane, Chertsey, Surrey, Superannuated Clerk in Her Majesty's War Office.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Third Dividend at the rate of 4s. 10½d. in the pound, and 16s. 5½d. to New Proofs is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, in the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, City, on Wednesday next, and the three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special directions of a Registrar. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—March 5, 1874.

PETER PAGET, Official Assignee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against J. L. Edlund, of 49, Fern Tower-road, Highbury Park, the county of Middlesex, late of 1, Westbourne Grove-terrace, in the same county, Milliner and Dress-maker, trading under the style or firm of Madame Edlund.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said J. L. Edlund having been given, it is ordered that the said J. L. Edlund be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of March, 1874.

By the Court,

James R. Brougham, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said J. L. Edlund is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 20th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to James Rigg Brougham Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, to the said address.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Gabriel William Couves, of 192, Queen's-road, Peckham, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Gabriel William Couves having been given, it is ordered that the said Gabriel William Couves be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 4th day of March, 1874.

By the Court,

Wm. Hazlett, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Gabriel William Couves is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 18th day of March, 1874, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be

paid to William Hazlitt, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Canterbury.
In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Thomas George Wilkinson, of the city of Canterbury, Draper and Outfitter.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Thomas George Wilkinson having been given, it is ordered that the said Thomas George Wilkinson be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 4th day of March, 1874.

By the Court,

John Callaway, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Thomas George Wilkinson is hereby summoned to be held at the office of the Registrar, 43, Saint Margaret-street, Canterbury, on the 17th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Chelmsford.
In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against George Clift King, of Chelmsford, in the county of Essex, Grocer.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said George Clift King having been given, it is ordered that the said George Clift King be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court, this 4th day of March, 1874.

By the Court,

T. M. Gepp, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said George Clift King is hereby summoned to be held at the Shirehall, Chelmsford, in the county of Essex, on the 25th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Joseph Watts (not Joseph Walls as before advertised), of 36, Augustine-street, Northampton, Fork Butcher and Cow-keeper.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Joseph Watts having been given, it is ordered that the said Joseph Watts be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 19th day of February, 1874.

By the Court,

William Dennis, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Joseph Watts is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court Office, Northampton, on the 21st day of March, 1874 (by adjournment from the 4th day of March, 1874), at three o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.
In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Washington Irving, of No. 54, Windmill-street, Lower Mosley-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Commission Merchant, carrying on business under the style or firm of Washington Irving and Co.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Washington Irving having been given, it is ordered that the said Washington Irving be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of March, 1874.

By the Court,

Sam. Kay, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Washington Irving is hereby summoned to be held at the Court-house, Nicholas-croft, High-street, Manchester aforesaid, on the 26th day of March, 1874, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bath.
In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against J Dauris, of Gibb Hill Villa, Nettleton, near Chippenham, in the county of Wilts.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said J Dauris, having been given, it is ordered that the said J Dauris be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of March, 1874.

By the Court,

Edwd. G. Smith, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said J Dauris is hereby summoned to be held at the office of the Bath County Court, on the 17th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Boston.
In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against John William Pollard, of Boston, in the county of Lincoln, Coach Builder.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the second of the two acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said John William Pollard having been given, it is ordered that the said John William Pollard be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 3rd day of March, 1874.

By the Court,

R. W. Staniland, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said John William Pollard is hereby summoned to be held at the Office of this Court, in Boston aforesaid, on the 17th day of March, 1874, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich.
In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Isaac Page, of Costessey, in the county of Norfolk, Farm Baliff.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Isaac Page having been given, it is ordered that the said Isaac Page be, and he is hereby,

by, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 28th day of February, 1874.

By the Court,

Thos. H. Palmer, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Isaac Page is hereby summoned to be held at the Registrar's office, Redwell-street, Norwich, on the 21st day of March, 1874, at one o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carmarthenshire, holden at Carmarthen.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Joshua Huzzey, of Dimond-street, and Laws-street, Pembroke Dock, in the county of Pembroke, Grocer and Licensed Victualler.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Joshua Huzzey having been given, it is ordered that the said Joshua Huzzey be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 28th day of February, 1874.

By the Court,

Walter Lloyd, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Joshua Huzzey is hereby summoned to be held at the Guildhall, Carmarthen, on the 21st day of March, 1874, at one o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Huddersfield, In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition presented by James Allen Love, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, Bill Broker, on the 9th day of December, 1873, against John Jagger, of Tunnaccliffe Hill, in Almondbury, in the county of York, formerly a Milk Dealer, but now out of business.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said John Jagger having been given, it is ordered that the said John Jagger be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of March, 1874.

By the Court,

Fredk. R. Jones, Junr., Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said John Jagger is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, in Queen-street, in Huddersfield aforesaid, on the 19th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at York.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Robert Cole, of Thorp Arch, in the county of York, Steam Thrashing Machine Proprietor and Market Gardener.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Robert Cole having been given, it is ordered that the said Robert Cole be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 3rd day of March, 1874.

By the Court,

Richard Perkins, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Robert Cole is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court Office, in the Minster-yard, in the city of York, on the 16th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the fore-

noon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Benjamin Gale, of 21, Lyndhurst-street, Burmantofts, Leeds, in the county of York, Soda Water Manufacturer, formerly carrying on business in partnership with Frederick Roberts, at Leeds aforesaid, as Soda Water Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Gale and Roberts.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Benjamin Gale having been given, it is ordered that the said Benjamin Gale be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 4th day of March, 1874.

By the Court,

Thos. Marshall, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Benjamin Gale is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, on the 25th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Emily Sheffield, late of 75, Tennant-street, Bradford, in the county of York, Widow, Beerseller, and Grocer, but now of 12, Victoria-street, Bradford aforesaid.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Emily Sheffield, having been given, it is ordered that the said Emily Sheffield be, and she is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 3rd day of March, 1874.

By the Court,

Geo. Robinson, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Emily Sheffield is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, on the 17th day of March, 1874, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of her affairs as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against John Rawnsley, of Marshall's Mill, Manchester-road, Bradford, in the county of York, Worsted Spinner and Manufacturer.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said John Rawnsley having been given, it is ordered that the said John Rawnsley be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 3rd day of March, 1874.

By the Court,

Geo. Robinson, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said John Rawnsley is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, on the 17th day of March, 1874, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.
In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Andrew Melville Brook, of Keighley, in the county of York, Beerhouse Keeper.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioners, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Andrew Melville Brook having been given, it is ordered that the said Andrew Melville Brook be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 3rd day of March, 1874.

By the Court,

Geo. Robinson, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Andrew Melville Brook is hereby summoned to be held at this Court on the 24th day of March, 1874, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Edward Fullwood, of No. 1, Somerset-place, Bevenend-street, Hoxton, in the county of Middlesex, and No. 25, Queen's-square, St. James's Park, in the county of Middlesex, Lime and Cement Merchant, a Bankrupt.

James Cooper, of No. 3, Coleman-street-buildings, in the city of London, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn, on the 16th day of April, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of William Harvey, of Norfolk House, Bruce-road, Bromley by Bow, in the county of Middlesex, a Bankrupt.

Robert Joseph Clark, of Mansion House-chambers, 12, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the 21st day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts, must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 26th day of February, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Lewis Brodzik, of No. 68, Coleman-street, in the city of London, Merchant, a Bankrupt.

Silas William Bagg, of No. 28, King-street, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 16th day of April, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Charles Beardsell, of No. 2, Gresham-buildings, Basinghall-street, and Church-court, Old Jewry, and Ironmonger-lane, all in the city of London, Woollen Merchant, a Bankrupt.

Ebenezer Chambers Foreman, of No. 7, Gresham-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 24th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All

persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 26th day of February, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Julius Roberts, of No. 24, Cheyne-walk, Chelsea, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, a Bankrupt.

Joseph Shubbrook, of No. 9, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 22nd day of April, 1874, at half past ten o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Joseph Sanders, of No. 6, Underhill-street, and No. 19, Allen-street, Belmont-road, both in Everton, in the county of Lancaster, Cowkeeper and Milk Dealer, a Bankrupt.

Alfred Lawson Ford, of No. 31, The Temple, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house, 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, on the 10th day of April, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 2nd day of March, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of George Henry Nicholson, of No. 75, Piccadilly, in the city of Manchester, Commission Agent and Merchant, trading under the style or firm of George H. Nicholson and Co., a Bankrupt.

John Robinson Clarke, of No. 28, King-street, Cheap-side, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the County Court, Nicholas-croft, High-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 26th day of March, 1874, at half-past nine o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Greenwich. In the Matter of James George Bell, of No. 9, Spencer-place, Blackheath, in the county of Kent, Wine and Spirit Merchant, a Bankrupt.

Thomas William Frost, of No. 4, St. Benet-place, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, Articled Clerk to Benjamin Wharton Nind, of the same place, Gentleman, Attorney-at-Law and Solicitor, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house, Burney-street, Greenwich, Kent, on the 25th day of March, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of March, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Kingston. In the Matter of Paul Lewis Phipps, of 10, Claremont-villas, Pelham-road, New Wimbledon, in the county of Surrey, a Bankrupt.

George Henry Powell, of No. 4, Saint James'-place, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the County Court at Kingston, in the county of Surrey, on the 17th day of April, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver

them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 20th day of February, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield. In the Matter of Thomas Gilpin, of Norton, near Doncaster, in the county of York, Tailor, a Bankrupt.

Thomas George Shuttleworth, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the County Court Hall, Bank-street, Sheffield, on the 12th day of March, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 5th day of February, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Shropshire, holden at Madeley. In the Matter of William Allen, of the King's Head Inn, Whitburne-street, Bridgnorth, in the county of Salop, Licensed Victualler, a Bankrupt.

Edward Morrall, of No. 4, Squirrel-bank, Bridgnorth, in the county of Salop, Brewer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the County Court, Madeley aforesaid, on the 1st day of April, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A MEETING of the Creditors of James Wilson Robertson, of No. 100, Aldersgate-street, in the city of London, Bullion Dealer and Refiner, adjudicated bankrupt on the 28th day of May, 1872, will be held at the offices of Messrs. Read, Dangerfield, and Smith, Albert-buildings, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, on the 18th day of March, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of filling up the vacancy in the committee of inspection caused by the resignation of one of their number, and for the purpose of increasing the number of members of the committee of inspection if thought desirable.—Dated this 5th day of March, 1874.

GEO. N. READ, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Second Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of William Frederick Salmon, of 21, Aldermanbury, in the city of London, The Manufacturer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 7th day of June, 1873. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 31st day of March, 1874, will be excluded.—Dated this 5th day of March, 1874.

Robert Minton, 2, Carey-lane, London, E.C., Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Third Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of James Wood, late of Farringdon-road, in the county of Middlesex, Typefounder, then trading under the style of J. and R. M. Wood, but now of the Austin Type Foundry, 13, 14, and 15, Bear-alley, Farringdon-street, in the city of London, Typefounder, adjudicated bankrupt on the 20th day of July, 1871. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 13th day of March, 1874, will be excluded.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

James T. Snell, Trustee.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Harry Richardson, of No. 3, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, adjudicated bankrupt on the 1st day of December, 1873. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 21st day of March, 1874, will be excluded.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1874.

J. W. Houghton, Trustee.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Henry Wood and James Stewart, of No. 7, Hodson-square, Market-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Cloth Agents, trading in copartnership under the style or

firm of Stewart, Wood, and Co., adjudicated bankrupts, the said Henry Wood on the 10th day of September, 1872, and the said James Stewart on the 26th day of September, 1872. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 21st day of March, 1874, will be excluded.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

John Edwd. Lees, Trustee.

In the County Court of Hertfordshire, holden at Hertford.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of George Augustus Hesse, of Stanstead, in the county of Hertford, out of business, adjudicated bankrupt on the 15th day of March, 1873. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 20th day of March, 1874, will be excluded.—Dated this 24th day of February, 1874.

R. B. Postans, Brentwood, Essex, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.

A Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of John Hall the younger, of 33, Kirkgate, Bradford, in the county of York, Hosier, adjudicated bankrupt on the 28th day of August, 1874. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 14th day of March, 1874, will be excluded.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

Charles Joseph Buckley, Trustee.

EDWARD JOHN LLOYD, Esquire, Judge of the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol, authorised to act under an adjudication in bankruptcy, bearing date the 29th day of November, 1862, made against George Augustus Breillat Chick, of Milk-street, in the city of Bristol, Indigo, Stone, Blue, and Black Lead and Cylindrical Black Lead Manufacturer, lately carrying on business in copartnership with Henry Avins, under the style or firm of Chick and Avins, will sit, on the 19th day of March, 1874, at twelve o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the County Court Offices, Small-street, in the city of Bristol, in order to proceed to the choice of one or more Assignee or Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt in the room of the late Thomas Frostan Snow, of the city of Bristol, Warehouseman, deceased, when and where the creditors who have not already proved their debts are to come in prepared to prove the same, and with those who have already proved their debts vote in such choice accordingly.—Dated this 4th day of March, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

Notice of Dividend Meetings.

Meetings of the Creditors of the Bankrupts hereinafter named will be held, pursuant to the 174th section of the said Act, at the time and place hereinafter mentioned; that is to say:—

At the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, before Henry Philip Roche, Esq., Registrar:

Arthur Shippey, of Nos. 53 and 81, Wood-street, in the city of London, and of Nos. 10 and 11, Gloucester-place, Brixton-road, in the county of Surrey, Trimming Manufacturer, Draper and Haberdasher, adjudicated bankrupt on the 12th day of November, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 17th day of March instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

Benjamin Byatt, of No. 215, Blackfriars-road, in the county of Surrey, Cheesemonger, adjudicated bankrupt on the 27th day of September, 1864. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 20th day of March next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

David Britten, of Nos. 5 and 6, High-street, Highgate, in the county of Middlesex, Drapers' Assistant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 12th day of July, 1865. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 20th day of March, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the County Court of Devonshire, holden at the Castle of Exeter, at Exeter, before R. R. M. Daw, Esq., Registrar:

Frederick Every, late of Bampfylde-street, in the city of Exeter, and Alphington-road, in the parish of St. Thomas the Apostle, Devon, Scrivener, Dealer and Chapman, adjudicated bankrupt on the 23rd day of November, 1855, in the Exeter District Court of Bankruptcy, and the proceedings having been transferred to the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 19th day of March instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

George Braginton, of Great Torrington, in the county of Devon, Banker, carrying on business under the styles or firms

of Braginton, Rimington, and Company, and the Agricultural and Commercial Bank, Torrington, adjudicated bankrupt on the 27th day of May, 1865, in the Exeter District Court of Bankruptcy, and the proceedings having been transferred to the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 18th day of March instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the said Meeting the Assignees will, in pursuance of the 174th section of the said Act, submit statements of the Bankrupts' estate recovered and outstanding, and of all receipts and of all payments made or to be made thereout; and the creditors at the said meeting will, in pursuance of the said section, declare whether any and what allowance shall be paid to the said bankrupts. Proofs of Debts will be received, and creditors who have not proved, or do not then prove, will be excluded the benefit of the Dividend. And all claims not proved will be disallowed.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Huddersfield, In the Matter of James William Golden, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, Oil Dealer, General Dealer, Commission Agent, and Insurance Agent, a Bankrupt.

AN Order of Discharge was granted to James William Golden, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, Oil Dealer, General Dealer, Commission Agent, and Insurance Agent, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 6th day of April, 1872.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court, acting in the prosecution of an adjudication of Bankruptcy, made on the 31st day of December, 1868, against William Beadle, of 38, Oakfield-road, Penge, in the county of Surrey, Grocer and Cheesemonger, did on the 1st day of March, 1869, grant the Discharge of the said bankrupt; and that such Discharge will be delivered to the bankrupt unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of the Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Boswarva Argall, late of No. 15, Belgrave-road, Abbey-road, Saint John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex, Clerk at the Discount Office of the Bank of England, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 28th day of January, 1874, reporting that since the date of his appointment as Trustee he had not, nor had any person by his order or for his use, received any sum of money on account of the bankrupt's estate, nor had any property of any kind come to his hands, or to the hands of any person for his use, that the bankrupt had gone to Utah, in North America, and had settled there, and that to the best of his information and belief the bankrupt had not left any property or effects in England, nor to the best of his belief was the bankrupt entitled to any property in possession, reversion, remainder, or otherwise howsoever, and there was no probability of any assets being realized, and upon reading the report of the Official Assignee, dated the 2nd day of March, 1874, the Court being satisfied that since the date of his appointment as Trustee the Trustee had not, nor had any person by his order, or for his use, received any sum of money on account of the bankrupt's estate, and that no property of any kind had come to his hands, or to the hands of any person for his use, that the bankrupt had gone to Utah, in North America, and had settled there, and that the bankrupt had not left any property or effects in England, and that the bankrupt was not entitled to any property in possession, reversion, remainder, or otherwise howsoever, and that there was no probability of any assets being realized, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Boswarva Argall has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 3rd day of March, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of George Shatwell, of Blackley, in the parish of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Cow-keeper, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 17th day of February, 1874, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt, has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, but that the proceeds thereof have been insufficient to pay the costs and charges incurred in winding up the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, and upon hearing Mr. J. W. Addleshaw,

for the Trustee, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said George Shatwell has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 17th day of February, 1874.

THE estates of Robert Scott, junior, Bootmaker, 6, Downhill-street and 8, Hyndland-street, Partrick, were sequestrated on the 3rd day of March, 1874, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 18th day of February, 1874.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Wednesday, the 11th day of March, 1874, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's-place, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 18th day of June, 1874.

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

THOS. ARNOT, Writer, 9, West Regent-street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE estates of William Fraser, sometime Tacksman, of Conan, in the Island of Skye, and afterwards residing at New-street, Alness, in the county of Ross, were sequestrated on the 3rd day of March, 1874, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated 3rd March, 1874.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held upon Friday, 13th March, 1874, at twelve o'clock, noon, within the Procurators' Rooms, the Castle, Inverness.

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 3rd July, 1874.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the county of Inverness.

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

BOYD, MACDONALD, and LOWSON, S.S.C., 55, Constitution-street, Leith, Agents.

THE estates of Thomas Morton, Farmer, Bargarran, Erskine, near Bishopton, were sequestrated on the 2nd March, 1874, by the Sheriff of Renfrew and Bute.

The first deliverance is dated the said 2nd March, 1874.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, afternoon, on Thursday, the 12th day of March, 1874, within the County Hotel, County-place, Paisley.

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 2nd July, 1874.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt, till the meeting for the election of Trustee.

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

THO. MACROBERT, Writer, County-buildings, Paisley, Agent.

THE Estates of Thomas Moses and Company, Woollen Manufacturers, in Langholm, as a Company, and of Thomas Moses, residing in Langholm, the only Partner of the said Company, as such, and as an Individual, were sequestrated on 3rd March, 1874, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the 3rd day of March, 1874.

The sequestration is remitted to the Sheriff of the county of Edinburgh.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at half-past one o'clock, afternoon, on Thursday, the 12th day of March, 1874, within Dowell's Rooms, No. 18, George-street, in Edinburgh.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 4th day of July, 1874.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt.

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

T. J. GORDON, W.S., 3, Queen-street, Edinburgh, Agent.

THE estates of Cochran and Hay, Bleachers, Dyers, and Dressers, Kirktonfield, Neilston, as a Company, and Alexander Cochran and William Scott Hay, both Bleachers, Dyers, and Dressers there, the Individual Partners of that Firm, as such Partners, and as Individuals,

were sequestrated on the 4th day of March, 1874, by the Sheriff of Renfrew and Bute.

The first deliverance is dated the 4th day of March, 1874.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Friday, the 13th day of March current, within the County Hotel, County-place, Paisley.

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 4th day of July next.

A Warrant of Personal Protection has been granted to the bankrupts till said meeting.

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