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VICTORIA, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith :

- To Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor, James Plaisted, Baron Penzance ;
- Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor, John Somerset, Baron Hampton, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath ;
- Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor, Edward Pleydell Bouverie, Esquire ;
- Our trusty and well-beloved Edwin Beaumont Johnson, Esquire, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, and Major-General in Our Army ;
- Our trusty and well-beloved Arthur James Herbert, Esquire, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, and Major-General in Our Army ;
- Our trusty and well-beloved Reginald Earle Welby, Esquire, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath ;
- Our trusty and well-beloved Charles John Foster, Esquire, Major-General in Our Army ;

Greeting :

WHEREAS by Our Royal Warrant, dated the twentieth day of July, in the thirty-fifth year of Our reign, We did cancel and determine all regulations made by Us or any of Our Royal predecessors, or by any Officers acting under Our authority, regulating or fixing the prices at which any Commissions in Our Forces might be purchased, sold, or exchanged, or in any way authorizing the purchase or sale or exchange for money of any such Commissions :

And whereas such regulations being cancelled, all traffic in Commissions became illegal, and any Officer or person buying or selling a Commission became liable to penalty under the Act passed in the session holden in the fifth and sixth years of the reign of King Edward the Sixth, chapter 16, intituled "Against buying and selling of Offices," and the Act passed in the forty-ninth year of the reign of King George the Third, chapter 126, intituled "An Act for the prevention of the sale and brokerage of Offices :

And whereas by the Act passed in the session holden in the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of Our reign, chapter 86, intituled "An Act for the better regulation of the Regular and Auxiliary Land Forces of the Crown," rules were enacted

for compensating Officers in certain circumstances, by the payment to them of the value of the Commissions they might severally hold at the time of the cessation of Purchase in the Army :

And whereas, in Our Royal Warrant, dated the 30th day of October, 1871, in providing for certain changes then necessary in respect of First Appointments, Regimental Promotion, and Exchanges, We did premise that such provision was pending a more complete revision of that section of Our Warrant of the 27th December, 1870, which governed the promotion of combatant Officers :

And whereas certain Officers of Our Army did memorialize Us, alleging certain grievances which they stated that they suffered in consequence of the abolition of Purchase :

And whereas an humble address was presented to Us by the Lords Spiritual and Temporal in Parliament assembled, praying Us to issue Our Royal Commission for enquiry into the allegations of the said Officers :

And whereas by Our Royal Commission, dated the 11th day of October, 1873, We did appoint Sir William Milbourne James, James Plaisted, Baron Penzance, and George Ward Hunt, to be Our Commissioners for the purpose of examining the allegations contained in the memorials of the Officers aforesaid :

And whereas the said Commissioners, in their report to Us, dated the 1st day of June, 1874, did represent that the question of compensation to Officers ought not to be dissociated from that of promotion ; but that the general question of the means proper to maintain the flow of promotion in the Army for the future was not before them :

And whereas an assurance was given by Our responsible Minister, that notwithstanding the Abolition of Purchase, a reasonable rapidity of promotion, not differing essentially from that which obtained before such abolition, should be maintained for the future :

And whereas it is desirable to make a full enquiry with a view to ascertain the best means of ensuring such rapidity of promotion, and making adequate provision for promotion throughout the Army :

Now know ye, that We, reposing great trust and confidence in your zeal, ability and discretion, have authorized and appointed, and by these Presents do authorize and appoint, you, the said James Plaisted, Baron Penzance, John Somerset, Baron Hampton, Edward Pleydell Bouverie,

Edwin Beaumont Johnson, Arthur James Herbert, Reginald Earle Welby, and Charles John Foster, or any three or more of you, to be Our Commissioners for the purpose of enquiring into the said matter :

And We do give and grant to you, or to any three or more of you, full power and authority to call before you such persons as you may deem necessary, and to obtain information from them upon the subject of your enquiry, and of every matter connected therewith, and also to call for, have access to, and examine all such official books, documents, papers, and records, as may appear to you, or to any three or more of you, likely to be of use in affording you the fullest information :

And We do hereby require and command you, or any three or more of you, to report to Us under your hands and seals, with all convenient speed, upon the questions which by these Presents We do refer to you ; namely—

What rapidity of promotion should be considered as having obtained, on the average, in the several arms under the Purchase System ;

And by what means such rapidity may be best secured in the future with justice to the Officers of all ranks in those corps which were under the Purchase System :

And, further, in what manner adequate promotion of Officers to maintain the efficiency of the whole army in all its combatant branches may most effectively be obtained :

And, in what way the relations of the Officers of Our British Forces to Officers of Our Indian Staff Corps may be so adjusted as to do justice to each :

And We will and command, and by these presents ordain, that this Our Commission shall continue in full force and virtue, and that you, Our said Commissioners, or any three or more of you, may from time to time proceed in the execution thereof, although the same be not continued from time to time by adjournment :

And for your assistance in the due execution of this Our Commission, We have made choice of Our trusty and well-beloved Thomas Digby Pigott, Esquire, to be Secretary to this Our Commission, and to attend you, whose services and assistance, as well as the services and assistance of such clerks and other persons as may appear to you to be necessary, We require you to use from time to time, as occasion shall require.

Given at Our Court at *Balmoral*, this seventh day of *November*, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, in the thirty-eighth year of Our reign.

By Her Majesty's Command,
Gathorne Hardy.

Foreign Office, August 10, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Nicholas Roderick O'Connor, Esq., now a Third Secretary, to be a Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

Foreign Office, November 1, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable James St. Vincent Saumarez, now a Third Secretary, to be a Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

Downing Street, November 7, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Charles Cameron Lees, Esq., the Administrator of the

Settlement of Lagos, to be Lieutenant-Governor of the Gold Coast Colony.

BY virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George III, intituled "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs for the election of Members to serve in Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes ;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the time for proceeding to Election during the Recess :"

I do hereby give notice, that the death of John Laird, Esq., late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the borough of Birkenhead, hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament ; and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said borough, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this seventh day of
November, 1874.

HENRY BRAND, Speaker.

Admiralty, 6th November, 1874.

Richard Denton Mason, Esq., C.B., has been promoted to the rank of Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 3rd November, 1874.

Admiralty, 7th November, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 5th February, 1872—
Sub-Lieutenant Henry John Wodehouse has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 4th instant.

*War Office, Pall Mall,
10th November, 1874.*

Royal Regiment of Artillery, Captain William Norton Perssé to be Major, vice M. P. Eden, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 11th November, 1874.

Lieutenant Alexander Campbell to be Captain, vice E. G. B. Gattey, deceased. Dated 17th October, 1874.

Lieutenant William Ogle Carlile to be Captain, vice W. N. Perssé, promoted. Dated 11th November, 1874.

Captain Robert Alexander (late Madras) to be Adjutant, vice W. Wyndham (late Madras), who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 22nd September, 1874.

Lieutenant Vincent Reynolds Woodland retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 11th November, 1874.

The Christian names of Veterinary-Surgeon Hinge appointed to the Royal Artillery in the London Gazette, dated 20th July, 1855, are Daniel Isaac, and not Daniel only, as therein stated.

War Office, 10th November, 1874.

VOLUNTEERS.

1st Aberdeenshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Honorary Quartermaster George Cadenhead resigns his appointment. Dated 11th November, 1874.

George Cadenhead, Gent., to be Quartermaster. Dated 11th November, 1874.

1st Argyllshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Captain James Bett resigns his Commission. Dated 11th November, 1874.

7th Ayrshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Hugh McDonnell resigns his Commission. Dated 11th November, 1874.

3rd Cambridgeshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Sub-Lieutenant John Frederick M. Harris Stone to be Captain. Dated 11th November, 1874.

John Bayfield Clark, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 11th November, 1874.

14th Cheshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Captain Arthur Lyon resigns his Commission. Dated 11th November, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Alfred Charles Lyon resigns his Commission. Dated 11th November, 1874.

2nd Clackmannanshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Honorary Assistant-Surgeon Duncan Farquharson, M.D., resigns his appointment. Dated 11th November, 1874.

1st Cornwall Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Sub-Lieutenant Thomas Hawken to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 17th December, 1873.

7th Cornwall Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Sub-Lieutenant John Renton to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1873.

3rd Devonshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Alexander Dundas Haldane Addison, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 11th November, 1874.

14th Devonshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Captain Charles Marshall Hole resigns his Commission. Dated 11th November, 1874.

1st Forfarshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

The Christian name of Sub-Lieutenant Ferguson, whose appointment appeared in the London Gazette of 19th June, 1874, is *Joseph*, and not *John*.

Sub-Lieutenant Joseph Ferguson to be Captain, and to bear the title of Captain-Commandant. Dated 11th November, 1874.

Lieutenant James Binney Webster to be Captain. Dated 11th November, 1874.

9th Kent Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Stephen W. O'Neill resigns his Commission. Dated 11th November, 1874.

3rd Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Charles Macquarrie to be Captain. Dated 11th November, 1874.

3rd Lincolnshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Ernest Frederick Bourne Lucas, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 11th November, 1874.

19th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Captain John Hudson resigns his Commission. Dated 11th November, 1874.

Captain Samuel Dukinfield Darbishire resigns his Commission. Dated 11th November, 1874.

Lieutenant John Turrey Pickering resigns his Commission. Dated 11th November, 1874.

46th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Frind Charles Burlton-Bennet resigns his Commission. Dated 11th November, 1874.

49th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Allan Roger Charles Porcelli, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 11th November, 1874.

4th Roxburghshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant John Oliver resigns his Commission. Dated 11th November, 1874.

8th Somersetshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Honorary Assistant-Surgeon Frederick Edward Pearse, M.D., resigns his appointment. Dated 11th November, 1874.

1st Sussex Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Sub-Lieutenant William Edward L. Trevor resigns his Commission. Dated 11th November, 1874.

1st Tower Hamlets Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Assistant-Surgeon John H. Parkinson resigns his Commission. Dated 11th November, 1874.

11th Worcestershire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

The Reverend Isaac Gregory Smith to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 11th November, 1874.

1st North Riding of Yorkshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Assistant-Surgeon William Alexander T. Young resigns his Commission. Dated 11th November, 1874.

3rd North Riding of Yorkshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Charles Frederic Hutchinson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 11th November, 1874.

6th North Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Captain George Alanson Cayley resigns his Commission. Dated 11th November, 1874.

2nd West Riding of Yorkshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Albert William Lassen to be Captain. Dated 11th November, 1874.

8th West Riding of Yorkshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Arthur Edward Walker, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 11th November, 1874.

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

Robert Fryor, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th October, 1874.

John Gwyn Jeffreys, Esq., LL.D., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th October, 1874.

July 25, 1874.

The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Tasmania has appointed Henry Kimber, of No. 79, Lombard-street, in the city of London, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner in England to administer oaths and to take affidavits in any cause now or hereafter depending in the said Court.

August 18, 1874.

The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Queensland has appointed Henry Kimber, of No. 79, Lombard-street, in the city of London, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner in England to take bail and affidavits, and also to examine witnesses in all actions and proceedings in the said Court.

COPY OF TREASURY MINUTE.

THE Chancellor of the Exchequer refers the Board to their Minute of 16th July last, directing that a Certificate of the amount of the Surplus of Income over Expenditure in the year to 30th June, 1874, should be sent to the National Debt Commissioners, and that they should be informed that one-fourth of that amount, viz., £463,043 Os. 7d., would be issued to them in the quarter ending the 31st December next, for the purpose of being applied, during that quarter, in the manner directed by the 16th section of the Act 29 and 30 Vic., c. 39.

He states to the Board that the National Debt Commissioners have decided to apply £463,043 Os. 7d., the amount above named, to the redemption of temporary advances.

My Lords desire that a note may be taken of this decision in the Finance Department.

Treasury Chambers,
6th November, 1874.

GENERAL ORDER issued by the Local Government Board, prescribing Regulations under the Vaccination Acts.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the several unions in England and Wales;

To the Guardians of the Poor of the several parishes, townships, and places in England and Wales under separate Boards of Guardians;

To the Vaccination Officers for the said unions, parishes, townships, and places, respectively;

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by Section 5 of "The Vaccination Act, 1871," it is provided as follows—"subject to the provisions of this Act, the Poor Law Board shall have the same powers with respect to Guardians and Vaccination Officers in matters relating to Vaccination as they have with respect to Guardians and Officers of Guardians in matters relating to the relief of the Poor, and may make Rules, Orders, and Regulations accordingly, and all enactments relating to such powers, and to such Orders, Rules, and Regulations, shall apply mutatis mutandis; and the Poor Law Board shall also from time to time frame, provide, and distribute appropriate books and forms for the use of Vaccination Officers, Public Vaccinators, and Medical Practitioners, under the principal Act [The Vaccination Act of 1867] and this Act."

And whereas by a General Order bearing date the 23rd day of January, 1872, addressed to the

Guardians of the Poor of the several unions in England and Wales, and the Guardians of the Poor of the several parishes, townships, and places in England and Wales under separate Boards of Guardians, the Local Government Board prescribed Regulations with respect to the appointment of Vaccination Officers by Boards of Guardians, and also as to the tenure of office, execution of duties, and remuneration of such officers;

And whereas by Article 10 of the above-recited Order the Vaccination Officers so appointed are required to duly observe and execute all instructions and directions issued or given to them from time to time by the Local Government Board; and the Local Government Board, on the 21st day of December, 1871, issued instructions to such officers under the hand of one of their secretaries;

And whereas by Section 1 of "The Vaccination Act, 1874," it is enacted that the powers conferred by Section 5 of "The Vaccination Act, 1871," shall be deemed to extend to and include the making of Rules, Orders, and Regulations, prescribing the duties of Guardians and their Officers in relation to the institution and conduct of the proceedings to be taken for enforcing the provisions of the Vaccination Acts, 1867 and 1871, and the payment of the costs and expenses relating thereto; and that Rules, Orders, and Regulations under "The Vaccination Act, 1874," shall be deemed to be made under Section 5 of the Vaccination Act, 1871.

And whereas it is expedient that the above-recited Order and instructions issued by the Local Government Board should be rescinded, and that the Regulations hereinafter contained should be substituted in lieu thereof;

Now, therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, hereby order as follows:—

The above recited General Order dated the 23rd day of January, 1872, and the instructions above-recited, dated the 21st day of December, 1871, shall be and are hereby rescinded.

The following Regulations shall henceforth be observed as regards the appointment of Vaccination Officers by Boards of Guardians, the tenure of office and the duties and remuneration of such officers, the institution and conduct of the proceedings to be taken for enforcing the provisions of the Vaccination Acts, and the payment of the costs and expenses relating thereto, that is to say:—

I.—Appointment of Vaccination Officers.

Art. 1.—Where the Guardians of any union or parish have not already appointed any Vaccination Officer under the provisions of the Vaccination Acts, they shall do so forthwith.

Where the number of Vaccination Officers already appointed or hereafter appointed in any union or parish shall at any time, in the opinion of the Guardians or of the Local Government Board, be insufficient for the purpose of securing the due execution of the Vaccination Acts in such union or parish, the Guardians shall, in accordance with their own view or on the requisition of the Local Government Board, appoint a sufficient number of such officers.

Whenever, in consequence of an extensive outbreak of small-pox, or for other cause, it may appear to the Guardians to be requisite to provide temporary assistance for any Vaccination Officer in the discharge of his duties, the Guardians may, with the consent of the Local Government Board, appoint an assistant or assis-

tants to the Vaccination Officer, for such time as the Guardians may deem necessary.

Art. 2.—Every appointment of a Vaccination Officer, or Assistant Vaccination Officer, hereafter made by the Guardians, shall be made by a majority of the Guardians voting on the question, and in the same manner as that in which the Guardians are required to appoint other officers or assistants.

Art. 3.—Every such appointment shall, within seven days after it is made, be reported to the Local Government by the Clerk to the Guardians.

Art. 4. In the event of a vacancy in the office of Vaccination Officer occurring at any time hereafter, the Guardians shall report it to the Local Government Board, and shall make a fresh appointment without delay, unless the Local Government Board shall otherwise direct.

II.—Tenure of Office of Vaccination Officers.

Art. 5.—Every Vaccination Officer appointed under this Order shall continue to hold the office until he die, or resign, or be removed by the Guardians with the consent of the Local Government Board, or by the Local Government Board.

Art. 6.—Where a Vaccination Officer is appointed for a particular district, and any change in the extent of the district may be deemed necessary, and he shall decline to acquiesce therein, the guardians may, with the consent of the Local Government Board, but not otherwise, and after six months' notice in writing, signed by their clerk, given to such Vaccination Officer, determine his office.

Art. 7.—No person shall be appointed as a Vaccination Officer who does not agree to give one month's notice previous to resigning the office, or to forfeit such sum as may be agreed upon as liquidated damages.

Art. 8.—If any such officer give notice of an intended resignation to take effect on a future day, such resignation shall take effect on that day; and the guardians may elect a successor at any time subsequent to such notice.

III.—Remuneration of Vaccination Officers.

Art. 9.—The Guardians shall pay to any Vaccination Officer such salary or remuneration, and such only, as the Local Government Board may direct or approve, whether for ordinary duties or for occasional services; and such salary or remuneration may be increased or reduced as that Board may from time to time direct or approve.

Art. 10.—The salary or remuneration of every such officer shall be payable up to the day on which he ceases to hold the office and no longer, subject to any deduction which the Guardians may be entitled to make under Art. 7, and shall be considered as accruing from day to day, and be apportionable in respect of time accordingly, in pursuance of the provisions of "The Apportionment Act, 1870."

Art. 11.—The salary or remuneration assigned to such officer shall be payable quarterly, according to the usual feast days in the year, namely, Lady-day, Midsummer-day, Michaelmas-day, and Christmas-day; but the Guardians may pay to him at the expiration of every calendar month such proportion as they may think fit on account of the salary or remuneration to which he may become entitled at the termination of the quarter.

Art. 12.—Every such Officer shall make out his account at the end of each quarter, and within three days from the quarter-day submit it to the Guardians, together with the books which he may be required to keep, and the certificates in his possession; and until such account, books, and certificates have been so submitted, and until

he has shown that the steps required of him by the instructions contained in the schedule to this Order have been taken by him, with respect to every case entered on the monthly lists furnished to him by the registrars of births and deaths, the Guardians may postpone the payment of the balance of the salary or remuneration which may then remain due.

The Vaccination Officer shall also produce the said books and certificates to the Guardians, when required by them to do so, at any other times than those above specified.

IV.—Duties of Vaccination Officers.

Art. 13.—No Vaccination Officer shall perform the duties of his office by deputy, unless with the permission of the Local Government Board given on the application of the Guardians, he shall be allowed to intrust their performance to some other person approved of by such Guardians.

Art. 14.—Every Vaccination Officer in performing his duties under the Vaccination Acts shall obey all lawful orders of the Guardians which are applicable to his office, and in conformity with the provisions of this Order.

Art. 15.—The Vaccination Officer in performing the duties of his office shall duly observe the instructions contained in the schedule to this Order.

V.—Institution and Conduct of Proceedings.

Art. 16.—The Guardians shall, in all cases in which the provisions of the Vaccination Acts for enforcing Vaccination have been neglected, cause proceedings to be taken against the persons in default, and for this purpose shall give directions, authorising the Vaccination Officer to institute and conduct such proceedings; but no such directions shall authorise the Vaccination Officer to take further proceedings under Section 31 of the Vaccination Act of 1867 in any case in which an order has already been obtained and summary proceedings taken under that section, until he shall have brought the circumstances of the case under the notice of the Guardians and received their special directions thereon.

Art. 17.—The Vaccination Officer shall take such proceedings as may be necessary under the Vaccination Acts, in any case in which the Local Government Board may direct him to do so.

VI.—Costs of Proceedings.

Art. 18.—The Guardians shall pay the reasonable costs and expenses incurred by any Vaccination Officer appointed by them in any proceedings taken by him for enforcing the provisions of the Vaccination Acts, and shall charge the same in their accounts in the manner required by law, and the Vaccination Officer shall pay to the Treasurer of the Guardians, to their credit, all sums of money recovered or received by him from any defendants in respect of such costs or expenses, or in respect of any penalty under the said Acts.

VII.—Interpretation.

Art. 19.—The word "Unions" in this Order shall include not only Unions of Parishes formed under the provisions of "The Poor Law Amendment Act, 1834," but also Unions of Parishes incorporated or united for the relief or maintenance of the Poor under any other Act of Parliament.

The SCHEDULE above referred to.

1. The duties of the Vaccination Officer will be to act as Registrar of Vaccination for the dis-

trict to which he is appointed; to see that all children resident therein are duly vaccinated; and generally to carry into effect, under direction of the Guardians, but subject to the regulations contained in this Order, all such provisions of the Vaccination Acts as are not expressly assigned to the execution of other officers.

2. He will receive from the Registrars of Births and Deaths, and shall be responsible for safe custody of, the "Monthly Lists" of births and deaths which will be sent to him under the provisions of the Act of 1871. On the lists of births he shall duly enter, in columns which are provided for the purpose, all certificates which he may receive of the successful vaccination of the children whose names are entered on the lists, or of their insusceptibility to vaccination, or of their having already had small-pox. All such entries must be made immediately on the receipt of the respective certificates. He shall compare each monthly list of deaths with the corresponding and with preceding lists of births, and as regards any children included in the death-returns whose names are on the birth-lists but for whom he has not received one of the certificates above referred to, he shall enter the death in the column provided. And when on his personal inquiries, or by information from the Vaccination Officer of another district, or on other reliable authority, he shall have ascertained that a child included in the birth lists for his district has died in some other district, he shall write off the case in like way. His work in these respects will be much facilitated by his keeping an alphabetical index to his birth lists.

3. He shall enter at the end of each quarter on blank "birth list" sheets which will be supplied him for the purpose on his applying to the District Registrar, certificates which he may have received during the quarter, of the successful vaccination, or insusceptibility to vaccination of children whose births had not been registered at all, or whose district of birth-registration he has been unable to ascertain.

4. The monthly lists of births, together with the supplemental sheets referred to in section 3, shall in the first instance be kept stitched, or otherwise fastened together, in a stiff cover, so as to preserve them from damage or dirt, and shall from time to time be bound into volumes as the Guardians may direct, and shall constitute the "Vaccination Register" of the district.

5. If any list of births or deaths be not received from a Registrar within one week from the time it is due, the Vaccination Officer shall report this to the Guardians at the next Board meeting, with a view to the Registrar being immediately called upon for an explanation, and, if need be, to communication with the Local Government Board. A Vaccination Officer who shall lose any of these lists shall be bound to obtain another from the Registrar of Births and Deaths at his own cost.

6. The steps that the Vaccination Officer will be required to take in discharge of his duty to see that all children entered on the birth-lists are duly vaccinated, will vary, according as the vaccination district in which the parent resides is one in which continuous weekly public vaccination is maintained, or one in which the public performance of vaccination is only periodical.

(i.) As regards districts in which there is continuous weekly public Vaccination:—

(a.) He shall keep his birth lists examined from week to week, and in each case of default which may arise shall, *immediately on such default arising*, intimate the fact to

the parent. For this purpose a notice in the annexed form A., or to the like effect, may be used; and such notice may, if he think fit, be sent by post. He should make a mark ✓ in the margin of his Vaccination Register in each case in which this intimation of default has been given. If the intimation be not attended to within a reasonable time, say 15 days, or if in the case of a notice sent by post, the person to whom it was addressed has not been found by the post office, the Vaccination Officer shall at once proceed to make *personal* inquiries with a view to obtaining the requisite certificate or taking the necessary proceedings.

(b.) If on these personal inquiries the parent be found in default, an exact date should be specified by which he must have complied with the law; and a notice in the annexed form B., or to the like effect, should be given.

(c.) Failing compliance, the Vaccination Officer shall proceed according to the directions given him under Art. 16 of this Order.

(ii.) As regards districts in which the public vaccination is periodical:—

(a.) He shall, *previous to each vaccination period*, examine his birth lists, and extract therefrom the names of all parents who would fall into default, provided their children were not vaccinated before the termination of the next ensuing attendances, in order that intimation to this effect may be given to such parents *a few days before the attendances commence*, with warning of the penalties which will result from non-compliance. The annexed form C. or a form to the like effect, may be used for this purpose. He should make a mark ✓ in the margin of his Vaccination Register, against each case in which this intimation has been given.

(b.) And failing compliance, he shall without delay enquire personally into the circumstances of the case, and take such further steps as may be required according to the directions given him under Art. 16 of this Order.

7. He shall keep a book to be called "The Vaccination Officer's Report Book," in such form as shall from time to time be framed and provided by the Local Government Board, in which he shall forthwith enter the names, with the other particulars required, of parents of whom personal inquiries may have been made, as above, with the dates of such inquiries. He shall note in this book any further action taken in any case, and make any remarks which the case calls for. He shall take care to make the necessary reference in column V. of his "Vaccination Register" to each case thus entered in the Report Book.

8. When on his inquiries the Vaccination Officer finds that a child has been successfully vaccinated, but the vaccination not duly certified, or that any other certificate due, as of postponement, &c., has not been transmitted, he shall ascertain with whom the default rests, having regard to the requirements of the Vaccination Act, 1867, sections 21, 23, 30, and the Vaccination Act, 1871, section 7, and shall forthwith take the necessary steps for obtaining the certificate required.

9. He shall forthwith enter all certificates of postponement in the Report Book, with the date of the certificate, the name of the practitioner who signed it, and the period for which it was

given, with a view to any inquiries which may be necessary at the expiration of that period; taking care to make the necessary reference in column V. of his "Vaccination Register" to each case so entered. When certificates of postponement are delivered to him on the form of "Notice of requirement," he shall see that the parent is always supplied with a new form of the notice of requirement, with the particulars of attendance, &c., duly filled in. The forms of "Notice of requirement" can be obtained by him on his applying to the District Registrar.

10. When the Vaccination Officer shall find that any parent, respecting whose child has not been received a certificate of successful vaccination, has removed from the district, he shall take pains to ascertain the Vaccination Officer's district to which such removal has taken place, and shall give notice to the Vaccination Officer of that district, with a view to the vaccination of the child, and the due return of the certificate to himself. And whenever a certificate respecting a child whose birth was registered in the district of some other Vaccination Officer is sent to him, he shall take pains to ascertain the district in which the birth took place, and forward the certificate accordingly.

11. He shall submit to the Guardians, in duplicate, at the end of every half-year, a summary of the vaccinations of his district, in the form prescribed and issued half-yearly by the Local Government Board, the duplicate to be transmitted to the Local Government Board.

12. The Vaccination Officer shall at all times use his best endeavours to ascertain whether children resident in his district, but not having been born in it, or (if so born) not having had their births registered in it, are unvaccinated, and shall, in such cases, take the requisite steps for procuring their vaccination.

13. He shall, on outbreaks of small-pox, make any house to house visitations which the Local Government Board or the Guardians may direct in reference to vaccination, and carry out any special instructions they may issue on the subject.

14. As the Guardians' officer for the administration of the Vaccination Acts, he shall see that the Registrars of Births and Deaths in his district are kept informed of the arrangements for public vaccination as settled by the contracts, and of all alterations legally made in such arrangements, as well as of his own place of abode, in order that the entries required to be made in these respects by the Registrars on the notices of requirement of vaccination delivered by them to parents may be correct. For this purpose it is recommended that the Guardians have the particulars of the arrangements, and the name and address of the Vaccination Officer, printed in red ink on the notice forms with which each Registrar is supplied.

15. He shall also see that public notifications of the arrangements for Public Vaccination are duly given; and in districts in which Public Vaccination is periodical, shall see that such notices are distributed and placarded through the districts a week or ten days before the commencement of each period.

16. He shall, as far as possible, attend the public Vaccination Stations during vaccinating hours, and report to the Guardians any insufficiency of accommodation at these stations, or any failure of parents to bring for inspection the children on whom vaccination has been performed, or any other matter concerning the business of the station on which the Guardians may require his report.

17. He shall also undertake the distribution of the certificates, books, and other forms issued by the Local Government Board, to the Public Vaccinators and Medical Practitioners in his district.

18. He shall be responsible for the safe custody of the "Registers of successful Vaccinations" which were kept by the Registrars of Births and Deaths under the Acts of 1853 and 1867. The Registers kept under the Act of 1853 may, if the Guardians permit, be deposited in the Union Offices; but all Registers which contain entries of births subsequent to December 31, 1867, must be retained by the Vaccination Officer. He shall duly and forthwith enter in these registers the certificates which he may receive or obtain of the successful vaccination of children whose births are therein recorded. He shall write the word "dead" against the names of any of the children whose births are entered in these registers, whom he may ascertain either by the monthly death-lists, or by his own enquiries, to have died without having been vaccinated. And he shall write, *in pencil*, against the respective names, any information (as of removal from district, certificate of postponement, and its date, &c.) which does not finally dispose of the case.

Form A.

Vaccination Acts, 1867 & 1871.

To _____

I hereby remind you that I have not received the Certificate now due respecting the Vaccination of your child, _____ and I beg that you will take the steps necessary to have such Certificate forwarded to me without delay.

(Signed)

Vaccination Officer for _____

Dated _____

Address of Vaccination Officer _____

* * * The Public Vaccinator for your District attends at his Station at _____ for the gratuitous performance of Vaccination every _____ at _____ o'clock. If the Child be vaccinated there, that Public Vaccinator is responsible for the transmission of the Certificate to me, otherwise it devolves upon yourself to send me the Certificate.

Form B.

Vaccination Acts, 1867 & 1871.

To _____

Whereas you are in default under the above Acts, respecting your Child, _____ I hereby require you [to have the said Child vaccinated within fourteen days from the date hereof, and do all other things the law requires touching the said Vaccination*], or [to transmit to me within seven days from the date hereof the requisite Certificate concerning the Vaccination of the said Child*], failing which it will be my duty to take the proper steps for securing the enforcement of the law.

(Signed)

Vaccination Officer for _____

Dated _____

Address of Vaccination Officer _____

* * * The Public Vaccinator for your District attends at his Station at _____ for the gratuitous performance of Vaccination every _____ at _____ o'clock. If the Child be

* Strike out the words which do not apply to the case.

vaccinated there, the Public Vaccinator is responsible for the transmission of the Certificate to me, otherwise it devolves upon yourself to send me the Certificate.

Form C.

Vaccination Acts, 1867 & 1871.

To _____

I hereby remind you that the next appointed periodical attendances for the performance of Public Vaccination in your District will take place at _____ on _____, and that if your Child, _____ be not vaccinated before the expiration of that period, you will be in default, and subject to the penalties of the Vaccination Acts; and that it will be my duty to take the proper steps for securing the enforcement of the law.

(Signed)

Vaccination Officer for _____

Dated _____

Address of Vaccination Officer _____

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this thirty-first day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.



G. Sclater Booth,
President,

John Lambert, Secretary.

ORDER issued by the Local Government Board under "The Public Health Act, 1872," investing Rural Sanitary Authority with Urban Powers:—

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Congleton Union, in the counties of Chester and Stafford, being the Rural Sanitary Authority for that Union:

To the Churchwardens and Overseers of the parish of Biddulph, and to the Overseers of the Poor of the townships of Alsager, Church Hulme, and Odd Rode, in the said Union:

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by Section 23 of the Public Health Act, 1872, it is enacted that the Local Government Board may, on the application of the Authority of any Rural Sanitary District, by Order, to be published in the London Gazette, or in such other manner as they may direct, invest such Authority with all or any of the powers, rights, duties, capacities, liabilities, and obligations of an Urban Sanitary Authority; and that such investment may be made either unconditionally or subject to any conditions to be specified by the Board as to the time, portion of district, or manner during, at, and in which such powers, rights, duties, capacities, liabilities, and obligations are to be exercised and attach;

And whereas the Guardians of the Poor of the Congleton Union, in the counties of Chester and Stafford, being the Rural Sanitary Authority for that Union, have applied to the Local Government Board to issue an Order investing them, as such Sanitary Authority, with certain of the powers, rights, duties, capacities, liabilities, and obligations of an Urban Sanitary Authority, as regards the parish of Biddulph, and the townships of Alsager, Church Hulme, and Odd Rode, in the said Union:

Now, therefore, We, the Local Government Board, having duly considered the said applica-

tion, do hereby, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, invest the Guardians of the Poor of the Congleton Union, as such Sanitary Authority as aforesaid, from and after the 20th day of November, 1874, with all the powers, rights, duties, capacities, liabilities, and obligations of an Urban Sanitary Authority, as regards the parish of Biddulph, and the townships of Alsager, Church Hulme, and Odd Rode, with reference to making bylaws, and otherwise, in respect to the following matters, viz.:—

In respect to the various matters mentioned in Section 32 of the Local Government Act, 1858, so far as the powers under that section are not already conferred upon the said Sanitary Authority in pursuance of Section 8 of the Public Health Act, 1872, and Section 5 of the Sanitary Act, 1868.

In respect to the various matters mentioned in Section 34 of the Local Government Act, 1858.

And in respect to Slaughter-houses, under Section 45 of the same Act.

And We hereby direct the said Guardians to cause this our Order to be published once in some newspaper circulated within the Rural Sanitary District of the said Union, before the expiration of one calendar month from the date hereof.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this fifth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.



G. Sclater-Booth,
President.

H. Fleming, Secretary.

ORDER of the Local Government Board for the Appointment of an Auditor for the Cheshire and Staffordshire Audit District:—

To the Guardians of the Poor of the several Unions comprised in the Cheshire and Staffordshire Audit District;

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Parish of Stoke-upon-Trent, comprised in the said District;

To the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Parishes and Places comprised in the said several Unions and of the Parish of Stoke-upon-Trent;

To John Dolby, Esquire, of Bramley, near Leeds;

And to all others whom it may concern.

WE, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the statutes in that behalf, do hereby appoint John Dolby, of Bramley, near Leeds, Gentleman, to be the Auditor for the Cheshire and Staffordshire Audit District, and to discharge the duties required of him by the Order of the Local Government Board, dated the 6th day of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and by all other Orders of the Poor Law Board and of the Local Government Board, and the several statutes applicable to his office.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this seventh day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.



G. Sclater-Booth,
President.

John Lambert, Secretary.

*Civil Service Commission,
November 9, 1874.*

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that at the Open Competitive Examination appointed to be held on the 30th December, 1874, for one hundred situations as Second Class Assistant of Excise in the Department of Inland Revenue, notice of which Examination was given in the London Gazette of the 8th October last, eighty-two Candidates will, in addition, be selected for appointment as Out-door Officer in Her Majesty's Customs.

The joint Examination will be held under the following Regulations, viz. :—

SPECIAL REGULATIONS (Supplementary to the General Regulations issued 8th April, 1872, and amended by Notices in the London Gazette of the 24th January, 1873, 21st November, 1873, and 16th June, 1874,) respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the situations of Assistant of Excise in the Department of Inland Revenue, and of Out-door Officer in the Customs Department.

N.B.—*These Regulations are liable to alteration for future Examinations.*

1. The limits of age for these situations are 19 and 22 for an appointment in the Inland Revenue, and 19 and 25 for an appointment in the Customs. Candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of the month in which the Examination is held.

2. Candidates for the Excise must be unmarried and without family.

3. The Examination will be in the following subjects; viz. :—

	Marks.
1. Handwriting	200
2. Orthography	200
3. Arithmetic (to Vulgar and Decimal Fractions)	300
4. English Composition	200

4. Candidates failing in any of the above-named subjects will not be eligible.

5. Application for permission to attend an Examination must be made at such times and in such manner as the Commissioners may appoint.

6. A fee of 15s. will be required from each Candidate attending the Examination.

Persons wishing to be admitted to the Examination should apply at once for the necessary form to the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, London, S.W.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 152.)—UNITED STATES—DELAWARE RIVER.

(1) *Obstructions near the Main Ship Channel.*

THE United States Government has given notice, that a pile platform is being built to aid in the construction of a lighthouse on Ship John Shoal, Delaware River, about 2½ miles S. by W. from Cohansay Lighthouse, and in about 8 feet at low water. When the weather permits, it will be marked by a red light, but as the exhibition of the light cannot always be depended on, care should be taken to keep in the main ship channel.

Also, that a heap of stones is about to be placed on the lower end of Cross Ledge Shoal, Delaware River, to serve as a foundation for a lighthouse. It will bear about E. by S. from Mahon River light, and until the completion of the lighthouse will prove a dangerous obstruction, vessels should herefore keep well in the main ship channel.

No. 24149.

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LAKE SUPERIOR.

(2) *Fog Signal on Manitou Island.*

Also, that from the 21st October a steam fog whistle has been established on Manitou Island, Lake Superior.

During thick or foggy weather the whistle will be sounded in alternate blasts of *three* and *five seconds* duration, with intervals of *twenty-six seconds*.

[All bearings are magnetic. Variation 4¼° Westerly in 1874.]

By command of their Lordships,
Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
3rd November, 1874.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—

(1) Delaware River, No. 2563; and Great Egg Harbour to Albemarle Sound, No. 266: Also, Principal Ports on the East Coast of the United States, 2nd Edition, page 67.

(2) Lake Superior, No. 320 b: Also, the Admiralty List of Lights in the United States of America, 1874, No. 517.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 153.)—UNITED STATES—CHESAPEAKE BAY.

Leading Lights for Craighill Channel.

INFORMATION has been received from the United States Government, that two leading lights have been established to mark the line of the Craighill Channel, Chesapeake Bay; viz. :—

1. Inner light. A *fixed* white light exhibited from a lighthouse bearing East, half a cable, from the south end of Hart Island, visible only in the direction of the Channel; it is elevated 106 feet above the level of the sea, and in clear weather should be seen from a distance of 16 miles.

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

The lighthouse is painted black and white, and stands in 2 feet water.

2. Outer light. A *fixed* white light exhibited from a cast-iron lighthouse near the mouth of the Patapsco River, and bearing S. ¼ W. 2½ miles from the inner light; it is elevated 30 feet above the level of the sea, and in clear weather should be seen from a distance of 11 miles.

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

The lighthouse is painted black, and stands in 14 feet at low water springs.

During fogs, a bell is struck by machinery at alternate intervals of *five seconds* and *thirty seconds*.

Notice has also been received, that from the 1st September, 1874, in addition to the light exhibited from the outer lighthouse, a *fixed* white light would be shown 17 feet above the level of low water, visible only on the line of the channel it marks, and in clear weather should be seen from a distance of 9 miles.

Position of outer lighthouse, lat. 39° 11' 15" N., long. 76° 23' 20" W.

NOTE.—In making Craighill Channel, the leading lights should be brought in line when Love Point Light bears E. ¼ S.

[All bearings are magnetic. Variation 3° Westerly in 1874.]

By command of their Lordships,
Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London.
3rd November, 1874.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty

Charts:—Great Egg Harbour to Albemarle Sound, No. 266; Chesapeake River, Nos. 2556 and 2843 *e, f*: Also, the Admiralty List of Lights in the United States of America, 1874, and Principal Ports of the East Coast of the United States, 2nd Edition, page 86.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 154.)—NORTH SEA—SCHELDE RIVER.

Additional Lights above Bath.

THE Belgian Government has given notice of the establishment, on the 10th September, 1874, of four additional lights on the banks of the Schelde River; above Bath, viz. :—

1. Kruisschan light is a *fixed* white light, exhibited from a house close to the dyke of the Poldor of Oordam, and one cable above the ruin of Fort de la Croix; it is elevated 16 feet above the level of high water.

2. Liefkenshoek light is a *fixed* which light, exhibited from a house near the landing-place of Liefkenshoek Fort; it is elevated 16 feet above the level of high water.

The illuminating apparatus of both the above lights is dioptric or by lenses, of the fifth order.

3. Doel light is a *fixed red and white* light, showing red between the bearings S. $\frac{1}{2}$ W. and S. by W. $\frac{1}{2}$ W., and white between S. by W. $\frac{1}{4}$ W. round by west to N. $\frac{1}{2}$ E.; it is exhibited from a house at the jetty, and elevated 15 feet above high water.

4. Frederik Lights. Two lights—the Northern light, is a *fixed red and white* light, showing red between the bearings of North and E. by S. $\frac{3}{4}$ S., and white between E. by S. $\frac{3}{4}$ S. and South, is exhibited from a house close to the dyke of the old fort, and elevated 20 feet above high water.

The Southern light, is a white light, visible between the bearings of S. $\frac{1}{2}$ E. and S.E. $\frac{1}{2}$ E.; and bearing S.S.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ E., distant 194 yards from the northern light.

The illuminating apparatus of the three last-named lights is dioptric or by lenses, of the fourth order.

DIRECTIONS.—Vessels proceeding down the river from Doel at night must keep within the white sector of Doel Light, and when the North Frederik Light changes from red to white, keep the two Frederik Lights in line until the leading lights of Rilland come in line, near Sæftinge. When proceeding up the river from Sæftinge, the Frederik Lights must be kept in line until Doel light changes from red to white, when the course must be altered so as to keep in the white sector of Doel Light.

[All bearings are magnetic. Variation $17\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ Westerly in 1874.]

By command of their Lordships,

Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
4th November, 1874.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—North Sea, Nos. 1406 and 2182 *a*; and Schelde River, No. 120: Also, the Admiralty List of Lights in the North Sea, &c., No. 47, and North Sea Pilot, Part IV, page 107.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 155.)—NORTH SEA—MAAS RIVER.

Discontinuance of Lights of the Brielle Gat.

THE Netherlands Government has given notice, that the following lights, situated on the north-west end of Voorne Island, which have heretofore

been used as directing lights from the Brielle Gat to Brielle, have been discontinued, viz. :—

The two lights of Kruijne.

The two lights at Oostvoorne.

The three lights of Lagendoen.

The two lights of Ladage (Molenhaven).

By command of their Lordships,

Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
4th November, 1874.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—North Sea, Nos. 1406 and 2182 *a*; and Mouths of the Maas, No. 122. Also, the Admiralty List of Lights in the North Sea, &c., 1874, Nos. 75 to 78 inclusive, and No. 80; and North Sea Pilot, Part IV, 2nd Edition, page 138.

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the British Timber Company Limited, and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court of Chancery, was, on the 2nd day of November, 1874, presented to the Lord Chancellor by James Eccles, of 15, Durham-villas, Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., John William Eccles, of King's Bench-walk, Temple, in the city of London, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, and Robert Langley Wilson, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Broker, contributories of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, on the 20th day of November, 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.

Field, Roscoe, and Co., 36, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London; Agents for

Messrs. Pears, Logan, and Eden, Liverpool, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Sonora 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 3rd day of November, 1874, presented to the Lord Chancellor by Thomas Henry Owens, of 106, Cannon-street, London, Secretary to an Insurance Company, a creditor of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, on the 20th day of November, 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.

Chinery and Aldridge, 7, Fenchurch-street, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Petitioner.

Thames Conservancy.
Election of Four Conservators of the River Thames under the powers of "The Thames Conservancy Act, 1864."

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Conservators of the River Thames have appointed that the election of four Conservators under the above Act, viz. :—

- A representative of Shipowners,
 - A representative of owners of Lighters and Steam Tugs,
 - A representative of Dockowners and Wharfingers,
 - A representative of Owners of Passenger Steamers,
- shall take place at the Thames Conservancy Office, 41, Trinity-square, Tower Hill, London, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of December next.

The election to commence at twelve o'clock at noon, and terminate at two o'clock P.M.

E. Burstal, Secretary.

Thames Conservancy Office,
November 2, 1874.

COTTON STATISTICS' ACT, 1868.

RETURN of the Quantities of COTTON Imported and Exported at the various Ports of the United Kingdom during the Week ended 5th November, 1874.

	Imports.		Exports.	
	Bales.		Bales.	
American	35,174		717	
Brazilian	9,090		55	
East Indian	15,280		9,061	
Egyptian	10,732		231	
Miscellaneous	6,722		427	
Total	76,998		10,491	

Dated November 6, 1874.

R. VALPY,
Statistical and Commercial Department,
Board of Trade.

COTTON STATISTICS' ACT, 1868.

RETURN showing the number of BALES of COTTON Imported, Exported, forwarded from Ports to Inland Towns, and returned to Ports, during the Month and ten Months ended 31st October, 1874.

DESCRIPTION.	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		Forwarded from Ports to Inland Towns.		Forwarded from Inland Towns to Ports.	
	In the month of October.	In the 10 months ended 31st October.	In the month of October.	In the 10 months ended 31st October.	In the month of October.	In the 10 months ended 31st October.	In the month of October.	In the 10 months ended 31st October.
American	65,887	1,578,625	7,150	96,594	130,363	1,422,268	863	7,678
Brazilian... ..	12,808	402,639	2,332	33,046	59,181	345,758	...	300
East Indian	79,971	948,856	40,222	431,511	61,993	509,112	...	165
Egyptian	9,742	194,800	1,275	10,369	20,902	199,159	...	352
Miscellaneous... ..	11,498	93,675	2,604	19,432	7,144	33,497	1	557
Total... ..	179,906	3,218,595	53,583	590,952	279,583	2,509,794	864	9,052

Dated the 6th day of November, 1874.

R. VALPY,
Statistical and Commercial Department, Board of Trade.

In the Matter of the European Assurance Society Arbitration Acts, 1872 and 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Right Honourable John, Baron Romilly, the Arbitrator appointed under the above-mentioned Acts, has by his orders mentioned in the schedule hereto, made calls on the contributories of the Company named in that schedule for the amount, and payable at the date therein specified, with interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum from that date until payment.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

By order of the Arbitrator,

S. Lowell Price,
Jno. Young,

} Joint Official Liquidator.

European Assurance Society Arbitration Offices,
3, Westminster-chambers, Victoria-street, London, S.W.

The Schedule above referred to.

Name of Company.	Date of Order for Call.	Amount per Share.	When payable.
English Widows' Fund and General Life Assurance Association	20th October, 1874...	{ £4 ... Class A } { £7 ... Class B }	30th November, 1874

RECEIPTS into and PAYMENTS out of the EXCHEQUER, between the 1st April, 1874, and the 7th November, 1874.

REVENUE AND OTHER RECEIPTS.	Budget Estimate for the Financial Year 1874-75.	Total Receipts into the Exchequer from 1st April, 1874, to 7th November, 1874.	Total Receipts for corresponding Period of last Year.	EXPENDITURE AND OTHER PAYMENTS.	Estimate for the Financial Year 1874-75.	Total Issues from Exchequer to meet pay- ments, from 1st April, 1874, to 7th November, 1874.	Total Issues from Exchequer for corresponding Period of last Year.
	£	£	£	EXPENDITURE.	£	£	£
Balance on 1st April, 1874 :—							
Bank of England	—	5,908,870	10,213,574	Interest of Debt ... } Other charges on } As stated in the Consolidated Fund. } Budget Supply Services, as per Appropriation Act	*27,145,000	18,687,179	18,284,750
Bank of Ireland	—	1,533,984	1,779,131		1,580,000	1,086,245	1,103,613
		7,442,854	11,992,703		45,359,000	26,324,827	28,745,959
REVENUE.				Estimate ...	£74,084,000		
Customs	18,740,000	11,278,000	12,137,000	* Including the additional Terminable Annuity referred to in the Budget.			
Excise	27,610,000	15,180,000	15,014,000	Expenditure ...		46,098,251	48,134,322
Stamps	10,880,000	6,169,000	6,300,000				
Land Tax and House Duty	2,360,000	569,000	467,000	OTHER PAYMENTS.			
Income Tax	3,960,000	1,528,000	1,760,000	Advances, under various Acts, issued from the Exchequer		1,885,198	1,691,627
Post Office	5,300,000	3,450,000	*3,162,000	Expenses of Fortifications and Military Barracks ...		400,000	—
Telegraph Service	1,250,000	700,000	560,000	Exchequer Bills paid off		9,000	112,400
Crown Lands	375,000	200,000	195,000	Surplus Income applied to reduce Debt		466,409	3,020,550
Miscellaneous, including Interest on Public Loans in the current year ...	3,950,000	2,378,630	*2,431,286			48,858,858	52,958,899
Revenue ...	£74,425,000	41,452,630	42,026,286	Balances on 7th November, 1874:—		1,176,976	1,841,358
				{ Bank of England		578,005	524,540
Total including Balance ...		48,895,484	54,018,991	{ Bank of Ireland...			
OTHER RECEIPTS.				Totals		£50,613,839	55,324,797
Advances, under various Acts, repaid to the Exchequer		1,118,355	1,305,806				
Money raised for Fortifications and Military Barracks ...		600,000	—				
* Including £652,000 and £148,000 respectively repaid to Revenue out of Telegraph Loan, and not included in the Budget Estimate for 1873-74.							
Totals		£50,613,839	55,324,797				

Treasury, 10th November, 1874.

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 31st day of October, 1874.

PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£
Ashford Bank	Ashford ...	Pomfret and Co.	10445
Aylesbury Old Bank	Aylesbury	Cobb and Co.	22607
Baldock Bank and Baldock and Biggleswade Bank	Biggleswade ...	Wells, Hogge, and Co.	18743
Barnstaple Bank	Barnstaple ...	Marshall and Co.	4826
Bedford Bank	Bedford ...	Barnard and Co.	30915
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank and Oxford Bank	Bicester ...	Tubb and Co.	13149
Boston Bank	Boston ...	Garfit and Co.	58791
Bridgewater Bank	Bridgewater ...	Sealy and Prior	7652
Bristol Bank	Bristol ...	Miles, Miles, and Co.	18532
Broseley and Bridgnorth and Bridgnorth and Broseley Bank	Broseley ...	Pritchard and Co.	14611
Buckingham Bank	Buckingham ...	Bartlett, Parrott, and Co.	18322
Bury and Suffolk Bank, Sudbury Bank, and Stowmarket Bank	Bury St. Edmunds	Oakes, Bevan, and Co.	50619
Banbury Bank	Banbury ...	J. C. and A. Gillett	22773
Banbury Old Bank	Banbury ...	Cobb and Son	17722
Bedfordshire Leighton Buzzard Bank	Leighton Buzzard	Bassett, Son, and Co.	36553
Brecon Old Bank	Brecon ...	Wilkins and Co.	47185
Brighton Union Bank	Brighton ...	Hall and Co.	18724
Burlington and Driffield Bank	Burlington ...	Harding, Mortlock, and Co.	12627
Bury Saint Edmunds Bank	Bury St. Edmunds	Huddleston and Co.	2700
Cambridge Bank	Cambridge ...	Mortlock and Co.	12680
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank	Cambridge ...	Messrs. Fosters	47119
Canterbury Bank	Canterbury ...	Hammond and Co.	23451
Colchester Bank	Colchester ...	Round, Green and Co.	11700
Colchester and Essex Bank, and Witham and Essex Bank, and Hadleigh Suffolk Bank	Colchester ...	Mills, Bawtree, and Co.	27364
Cornish Bank, Truro	Truro ...	Tweedy and Co.	28614
City Bank, Exeter	Exeter ...	Milford and Co.	12395
Craven Bank	Settle ...	Birkbeck, Robinson, and Co.	77451
Derby Bank	Derby ...	W. and S. Evans and Co.	11062
Derby Bank	Derby ...	Samuel Smith and Co.	36187
Derby Old Bank and Scarsdale and High Peak Bank	Derby ...	Crompton, Newton, and Co.	27284
Devizes and Wiltshire Bank	Devizes ...	Locke and Co.	4633
Darlington Bank, Durham Bank, and Stockton-on-Tees Bank	Darlington ...	Backhouse and Co.	84833
Devonport Bank	Devonport ...	Hodge and Co.	5835
Dorchester Old Bank and Dorsetshire Bank	Dorchester ...	Williams and Co.	36142
East Cornwall Bank	Liskeard ...	Robins, Foster, and Co.	91628
East Riding Bank	Beverley ...	Bower and Co.	49258
Essex Bank and Bishop's Stortford Bank	Chelmsford ...	Sparrow, Tufnell, and Co.	38329
Exeter Bank	Exeter ...	Sanders and Co.	18642
Farnham Bank	Farnham ...	Knight and Sons	Not received.
Faversham Bank	Faversham ...	Hilton and Co.	6417

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.				Average Amount.
				£
Godalming Bank	Godalming	Mellersh and Co.	5475	
Guildford Bank	Guildford	Haydon and Co... ..	11597	
Grantham Bank	Grantham	Hardy and Co.	19585	
Hull Bank and Kingston-upon-Hull Bank	Hull	Smith, Brothers, and Co.	19732	
Huntingdon Town and County Bank	Huntingdon	Veasey and Co.	29845	
Harwich Bank	Harwich... ..	Cox, Cobbold, and Co.	3983	
Hertfordshire, Hitchin Bank	Hitchin	Sharples and Co... ..	29864	
Ipswich Bank	Ipswich	Bacon and Co.	16067	
Ipswich and Needham Market Bank, Suffolk, Hadleigh Bank, Manningtree and Mistley Bank, and Woodbridge Bank	Ipswich	Alexanders and Co.	46643	
Kentish Bank	Maidstone	Wigan, Mercers, and Co.	19923	
Kington and Radnorshire Bank	Kington	Davies and Co.	22701	
Knaresborough Old Bank and Ripon Old Bank	Knaresborough	Harrison and Co.	20035	
Kendal Bank	Kendal	Wakefield, Crewdson, & Co.	44099	
Leeds Bank	Leeds	Beckett and Co... ..	129552	
Leeds Union Bank	Leeds	W. Williams Brown and Co.	36977	
Leicester Bank	Leicester... ..	T. and T. T. Paget.	27283	
Lewes Old Bank	Lewes	Whitfeld and Co.	26172	
Lincoln Bank	Lincoln	Smith, Ellison, and Co... ..	85064	
Llandoverly Bank, Lampeter Bank, and Llandilo Bank	Llandoverly	D. Jones and Co.	32750	
Loughborough Bank	Loughborough	Middleton, Cradock, and Co.	7470	
Lymington Bank	Lymington	St. Barbe and Co.	2810	
Lynn Regis and Lincolnshire Bank... ..	Lynn Regis	Gurneys and Co... ..	27789	
Lynn Regis and Norfolk Bank	Lynn Regis	Jarvis and Co.	9952	
Macclesfield Bank	Macclesfield	Brocklehurst and Co.	10572	
Miners' Bank	Truro	Willyams and Co.	16899	
Monmouth Old Bank	Monmouth	Bromage and Co.	2505	
Newark Bank	Newark	Godfrey and Riddell	18230	
Newark and Sleaford Bank, and Sleaford and Newark Bank	Sleaford	Handley, Peacock, and Co.	45251	
Newbury Bank	Newbury	Matthews, Slocock, and Co.	11833	
Newmarket Bank	Newmarket	Hammond and Co.	16750	
Norwich and Norfolk and Fakenham Banks	Norwich... ..	Gurneys, Birkbecks, & Co.	88220	
Naval Bank, Plymouth	Plymouth	Harris, Bulteel, and Co.	21534	
New Sarum Bank	Sarum	Pinckney, Brothers	4562	
Nottingham Bank	Nettingham	Samuel Smith and Co.	28780	
Oswestry Bank and Oswestry Old Bank	Oswestry	Croxon and Co... ..	8078	
Oxford Old Bank	Oxford	Parsons and Co.	31784	
Old Bank, Tonbridge, Tonbridge and Tonbridge Wells Old Bank, Tonbridge and Tonbridge Wells and Sevenoaks Bank	Tonbridge	Beeching and Co.	11856	
Oxfordshire Witney Bank	Witney	J. W. Clinch and Sons	7587	
Pease's Old Bank, Hull, the Hull Old Bank and Beverley Bank	Hull	Peases and Co.	47145	
Penzance Bank	Penzance	Batten and Co.	7662	
Reading Bank	Reading	Simonds and Co.	21655	
Reading Bank	Reading	Stephens, Blandy, and Co.	25991	
Richmond Bank	Richmond	Roper and Co.	6788	
Royston Bank	Royston	Fordham and Co.	8379	
Rye Bank	Rye	Curteis, Pomfret, and Co.	7055	

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.				Average Amount.
				£
Saffron Walden and North Essex Bank	Saffron Walden ...	Gibson, Tuke, and Co. ...	...	18878
Salop Bank	Shrewsbury ...	Burton, Lloyd, and Co. ...	...	4728
Scarborough Old Bank	Scarborough ...	Woodall and Co. ...	...	24520
Shrewsbury Old Bank and Shrewsbury and Ludlow Bank	Shrewsbury ...	Rocke, Eyton, and Co. ...	...	23996
Sittingbourne and Milton Bank	Sittingbourne ...	Vallance and Co. ...	...	2529
Southampton Town and County Bank	Southampton ...	Maddison, Atherley, and Co. ...	...	7711
Southwell Bank	Southwell ...	Wylde and Co. ...	...	10064
Stamford and Rutland Bank	Stamford ...	Eaton, Cayley, and Co. ...	...	12377
Shrewsbury and Welsh Pool Bank	Shrewsbury ...	Beck, Downward, and Co. ...	...	19639
Tavistock Bank	Tavistock ...	Gill, Sons, and Co. ...	...	8391
Thornbury Bank	Thornbury ...	Harwood and Co. ...	...	6123
Tiverton and Devonshire Bank	Tiverton ...	Dunsford and Co. ...	...	6263
Thrapston and Kettering Bank, Northamptonshire	Thrapston ...	Eland and Eland ...	...	10950
Tring Bank and Chesham Bank	Tring ...	Butcher and Sons ...	...	11882
Towcester Old Bank	Towcester ...	Mercer and Co. ...	...	5063
Union Bank, Cornwall	Helston ...	Vivian and Co. ...	...	10696
Uxbridge Old Bank	Uxbridge ...	Hull, Smith, and Co. ...	...	5905
Wallingford Bank	Wallingford ...	Hedges, Wells, and Co. ...	...	4630
Warwick and Warwickshire Bank	Warwick ...	Greenway and Co. ...	...	21962
Wellington Somerset Bank	Wellington ...	Fox, Brothers, and Co. ...	...	5195
West Riding Bank, Wakefield, and Pontefract Bank	Wakefield ...	Leatham, Tew, and Co. ...	...	38411
Whitby Old Bank	Whitby ...	Simpson, Chapman, and Co. ...	...	14345
Winchester, Alresford, and Alton Bank	Winchester ...	Bulpett and Co. ...	...	8803
Weymouth Old Bank and Dorchester Bank	Weymouth ...	Eliot, Pearce, and Co. ...	...	12164
Wirksworth and Ashbourne Derbyshire Bank	Wirksworth ...	Arkwright and Co. ...	...	37089
Wisbech and Lincolnshire Bank	Wisbech ...	Gurney and Co. ...	...	42782
Wiveliscombe Bank	Wiveliscombe ...	W. Hancock ...	...	2525
Worcester Old Bank and Tewkesbury Old Bank	Worcester ...	Berwick, Lechmere, and Co. ...	...	47092
Yarmouth and Suffolk Bank, and Halesworth and Suffolk Bank	Yarmouth ...	Gurneys, Birkbeck, and Co. ...	...	36630
Yarmouth, Norfolk, and Suffolk Bank	Great Yarmouth ...	Sir E. H. K. Lacon, Bt., & Co. ...	...	9198
York Bank	York ...	Swann, Clough, and Co. ...	...	41374

JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.				Average Amount.
				£
Bank of Westmorland	Kendal ...	...	...	11960
Barnsley Banking Company	Barnsley ...	...	...	9277
Bradford Banking Company	Bradford ...	...	...	46448
Bank of Whitehaven Limited	Whitehaven ...	...	...	29825
Bradford Commercial Banking Company	Bradford ...	...	...	20340
Burton, Uttoxeter, and Ashbourn Union Bank	Burton-upon-Trent ...	...	...	46937
Chesterfield and North Derbyshire Banking Company	Chesterfield ...	...	...	8631
Cumberland Union Banking Company Limited	Carlisle ...	...	...	34155
Coventry and Warwickshire Banking Company	Coventry ...	...	...	15840
Coventry Union Banking Company	Coventry ...	...	...	14627
County of Gloucester Banking Company	Cheltenham ...	...	...	93403

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.							Average Amount.
							£
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company	...	...	Carlisle	...	...	Not received.	
Carlisle City and District Bank	...	...	Carlisle	...	...	...	19727
County of Stafford Bank, late Bilston District Banking Company	...	...	Wolverhampton	...	...	...	8907
Dudley and West Bromwich Banking Company	...	...	Dudley	...	...	...	24543
Derby and Derbyshire Banking Company	...	...	Derby	...	...	...	18114
Darlington District Joint Stock Banking Company	...	...	Darlington	...	...	...	23466
Gloucestershire Banking Company	...	...	Gloucester	...	...	...	151690
Halifax Joint Stock Bank	...	...	Halifax	...	...	...	16910
Huddersfield Banking Company	...	...	Huddersfield	...	...	...	36793
Hull Banking Company	...	...	Hull	...	...	...	27146
Halifax Commercial Banking Company Limited	...	...	Halifax	...	...	...	42101
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company	...	...	Halifax	...	...	...	36534
Helston Banking Company	...	...	Helston	...	...	...	1490
Knarborough and Claro Banking Company	...	...	Knarborough	...	...	...	28010
Lancaster Banking Company	...	...	Lancaster	...	...	...	60991
Leicestershire Banking Company	...	...	Leicester	...	...	Not received.	52895
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company	...	...	Lincoln	...	...	...	11828
Leamington Priors and Warwickshire Banking Company	...	...	Leamington Priors	...	...	...	9536
Ludlow and Tenbury Bank	...	...	Ludlow	...	...	...
Moore and Robinson's Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited	...	...	Nottingham	...	...	...	32802
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company	...	...	Nottingham	...	...	...	29256
North Wilts Banking Company	...	...	Melksham	...	...	...	39102
Northamptonshire Union Bank	...	...	Northampton	...	...	...	59541
Northamptonshire Banking Company	...	...	Northampton	...	...	...	18186
North and South Wales Bank	...	...	Liverpool	...	...	...	61393
Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company	...	...	Leicester	...	...	...	57121
Sheffield Banking Company	...	...	Sheffield	...	...	...	35513
Stamford, Spalding, and Boston Banking Company	...	...	Stamford	...	...	...	46415
Stuckey's Banking Company, Bristol Somersetshire Bank, and Somersetshire Bank	...	...	Langport	...	...	...	331579
Stourbridge and Kidderminster Banking Company	...	...	Stourbridge	...	...	...	51623
Sheffield and Hallamshire Banking Company	...	...	Sheffield	...	...	...	23289
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company	...	...	Sheffield	...	...	...	51454
Swaledale and Wensleydale Banking Company	...	...	Richmond	...	...	...	53430
Wolverhampton and Staffordshire Banking Company	...	...	Wolverhampton	...	...	Not received.	
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank	...	...	Wakefield	...	...	...	13991
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company	...	...	Whitehaven	...	...	...	29532
West of England and South Wales District Bank	...	...	Bristol	...	...	...	78836
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company	...	...	Salisbury	...	...	...	66701
West Riding Union Banking Company	...	...	Huddersfield	...	...	...	33156
Whitchurch and Ellesmere Banking Company	...	...	Whitchurch	...	...	...	4903
Worcester City and County Banking Company Limited	...	...	Worcester	...	...	...	1241
York Union Banking Company	...	...	York	...	...	...	69586
York City and County Banking Company	...	...	York	...	...	...	86921
Yorkshire Banking Company	...	...	Leeds	...	...	...	119852

W. H. COUSINS, Registrar of Bank Returns.

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, Imperial Measure, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise, conformably to the Act of the 27th and 28th Victoria, cap. 87, in the Week ended 7th November, 1874.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	54,695	2	44	5
Barley	77,208	2	42	8
Oats	3,501	5	27	11

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1870 to 1873.

Corresponding Week in	QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICES.					
	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1870	76,059	3	75,356	2	3,646	6	49	9	36	8	22	7
1871	64,023	6	80,016	3	4,191	7	56	5	37	4	23	5
1872	47,021	7	68,456	2	4,576	4	56	9	43	3	22	4
1873	58,180	5	81,798	0	4,610	5	60	9	43	9	24	10

Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade,
November 9, 1874.

R. VALPY,
Comptroller of Corn Returns.

CORN IMPORTED AND EXPORTED.

AN ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of the several kinds of Corn and Meal Imported into each division of the United Kingdom; and the Quantities of British and Foreign Corn and Meal, of the same kinds, Exported from the United Kingdom, in the week ended the 7th November, 1874.

	QUANTITIES IMPORTED INTO--				QUANTITIES EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM.		
	England.	Scotland.	Ireland.	The United Kingdom.	British.	Colonial and Foreign.	Total Exported.
	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.
Wheat	364,296	254,688	487,127	1,106,111	952	2,934	3,886
Barley	224,044	66,589	5,607	296,240	354	1,795	2,149
Oats	124,909	...	...	124,909	6,197	...	6,197
Rye	1,245	23,428	...	24,673	...	...	...
Pease	72,629	6,450	...	79,079	204	...	204
Beans	29,372	17,615	...	46,987	...	...	...
Indian Corn	107,817	6,220	17,907	131,944	...	81	81
Buckwheat	3,645	2,100	...	5,745	...	...	...
Bere or Bigg ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total of Corn (exclusive of Malt)...	927,957	377,090	510,641	1,815,688	7,707	4,810	12,517
Wheatmeal or Flour...	47,176	47,261	5,344	99,781	2,070	86	2,156
Barley Meal ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oat Meal ... ..	...	...	...	...	161	...	161
Rye Meal ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pea Meal ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bean Meal ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Indian Corn Meal ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	8	8
Buckwheat Meal ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total of Meal	47,176	47,261	5,344	99,781	2,231	94	2,325
Total of Corn and Meal (exclusive of Malt)...	975,133	424,351	515,985	1,915,469	9,938	4,904	14,842
Malt (entered by the Quarter)	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.
	...	...	...	...	885	...	885

Statistical Office, Custom House, London,
November 9, 1874.

S. SELDON,
Principal.

India Office, November 3, 1874.

THE Secretary of State for India in Council hereby gives notice, that he has received a Madras Gazette, containing the following Notices that the undermentioned Insolvents filed their Petitions in the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors there, under the provisions of the Act 11 Vict., cap. 21 :—

Petitions filed praying for relief.

Notice is hereby given, that petitions to the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors were filed on the 30th day of July last, by Vandaloor Valayootha Chetty, a Hindoo inhabitant of Madras, residing at No. 21, in Avadanum Pappiah-road, at Choolay, within the local limits of Madras, and formerly a Dealer in Cajewnuts, Dates, &c., but at present out of business; on the 31st day of July last, by Pooloocoaroo Appier, a Hindoo inhabitant of Madras, residing at No. 34, in Adam-street, at Royapooram, within the local limits of Madras, but now a Prisoner in Her Majesty's Debtors' Jail at Madras, lately employed as a Goomastah in the service of Sathrasala Venkatachella Chetty, but now without employ; and on the 4th day of August last, by Cottah Venkatasoobiah Chetty, a Hindoo inhabitant of Madras, residing at No. 208, in Govindappa Naick's-street, at Peddoo Naick's Pettah, in the Black Town of Madras, and lately a Merchant, but now a Broker in the service of S. Venkatasoobramany Chetty; the said Insolvents severally being and residing within the jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at Madras, praying for the benefit of the Act passed in the eleventh year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter 21, intituled "An Act to consolidate and amend the Laws relating to Insolvent Debtors in India;" and on the same days orders were respectively made by the said Insolvent Court, vesting the estates and effects of the said Vandaloor Valayootha Chetty, Pooloocoaroo Appier, and Cottah Venkatasoobiah Chetty in Benjamin Brooks, Esq., the Official Assignee of the said Court.—Date of Gazette containing notice, September 29, 1874.

A. Macdonald Ritchie, Chief Clerk.

Madras, Chief Clerk's Office,
4th August, 1874.

Notice is hereby given, that petitions to the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors were filed on the 6th day of August instant, by Messrs. Soobramanian and Soondram, Attorneys for C. Lee Mahomed Abdool Cawdur, of Madras, a Mahomedan inhabitant, residing at No. 229, in Ungappa Naick's-street, in the Black Town of Madras, at present a Prisoner in Her Majesty's Debtors' Jail; and on the 7th day of August instant, by Chingum Chetty Moonesawmy Naidoo, residing at No. 24, in Iyah Moodelly-street, at Peddoo Naick's Pettah, in the Black Town of Madras, and a Clerk in the service of the Madras Railway Company; and by Vustrulu Sabapathy Chetty, a Hindoo inhabitant of Madras, late a Cloth Merchant, but at present a Prisoner in the Civil Jail at Madras; and by Bellooroo Venkata-kistnamah Chetty and Bellooroo Thapermall Chetty, respectively, Hindoo inhabitants of Madras, residing at No. 126, in Govindappa Naick's-street, in the Black Town of Madras, and formerly carrying on business together as Merchants, but now Goomastahs; the said Insolvents severally being and residing within the jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at Madras, praying for the benefit of the Act passed in the eleventh

year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter 21, intituled "An Act to consolidate and amend the Laws relating to Insolvent Debtors in India;" and on the same days orders were respectively made by the said Insolvent Court, vesting the estates and effects of the said C. Lee Mahomed Abdool Cawdur, Chingum Chetty Moonesawmy Naidoo, Vustrulu Sabapathy Chetty, and Bellooroo Venkata-kistnamah Chetty, and Bellooroo Thapermall Chetty in Benjamin Brooks, Esq., the Official Assignee of the said Court.—Date of Gazette containing notice, September 29, 1874.

A. Macdonald Ritchie, Chief Clerk.

Madras, Chief Clerk's Office,
7th August, 1874.

Notice is hereby given, that petitions to the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors were filed on the 8th day of August instant, by Paliam Iyah Somoo Chetty, a Hindoo inhabitant of Madras, residing at No. 320, in Lingee Chetty-street, in the Black Town of Madras, and employed as a Clerk under Moorogappa Chetty; and by Vadacullathoor Ethiraja Moodelly, a Hindoo inhabitant of Madras, residing at No. 158, in Mint-street, at Washermanspettah, within the local limits of Madras, formerly a Cultivator, but now unemployed; and on the 10th day of August instant, by Thondavaraya Chetty, a Hindoo inhabitant of Madras, residing at No. 65, in Pycroft's-road, at Poodoopaukum, within the local limits of Madras, lately carrying on business as a Merchant in the purchase and sale of articles of provisions, but now without employ; and by Mr. P. B. Gordon, Attorney for Julia DeBeaux, a widow, an inhabitant of Madras, residing at No. 190, in Esplanade-row, in the Black Town of Madras, and lately carrying on the trade or business of Chemist and Druggist, under the name, style, or firm of Messrs. DeBeaux and Company, but now out of business; the said Insolvents severally being and residing within the jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at Madras, praying for the benefit of the Act passed in the eleventh year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter 21, intituled "An Act to consolidate and amend the Laws relating to Insolvent Debtors in India;" and on the same days orders were respectively made by the said Insolvent Court, vesting the estate and effects of the said Paliam Iyah Somoo Chetty, Vadacullathoor Ethiraja Moodelly, Thondavaraya Chetty, and Julia De Beaux in Benjamin Brooks, Esq., the Official Assignee of the said Court.—Date of Gazette containing notice, September 29th, 1874.

A. Macdonald Ritchie, Chief Clerk.

Madras, Chief Clerk's Office,
8th August, 1874.

Notice is hereby given, that petitions to the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors were filed on the 10th day of August instant, by The-roomooshee Pooroosotham Naidoo, a Hindoo inhabitant of Madras, residing at No. 30, in Bangar Naick's-street, within the local limits of Madras, and employed as a Clerk in the firm of Messrs. Franck and Co., and by Adeaceamungalam Ruthnavalu Moodelliar, a Hindoo inhabitant of Madras, residing at No. 52, in Tholasingaperoomaull Covil-street, at Triplicane, within the local limits of Madras, and employed as a Clerk in the Revenue Board Office; and on the 11th day of August instant, by Trichinopoly Rungah Pillay, a Hindoo inhabitant of Madras, residing at No. 8, in Eswara Doss-street, at Triplicane, within the

local limits of Madras, and lately carried on business as Cowkeeper in selling Milk and Butter, and at present gains a livelihood as Tamil Schoolmaster, the said Insolvents severally being and residing within the jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at Madras, praying for the benefit of the Act passed in the eleventh year of the reign of Her Majesty, Queen Victoria, chapter 21, intituled "An Act to consolidate and amend the Laws relating to Insolvent Debtors in India;" and on the same days orders were respectively made by the said Insolvent Court, vesting the estates and effects of the said Theroomooshee Poo-rooshotham Naidoo, Adeaceamungalum Ruthnavalu Moodelliar, and Trichinopoly Rungah Pillay in Benjamin Brooks, Esq., the Official Assignee of the said Court.—Date of Gazette containing notice, September 29th, 1874.

A. Macdonald Ritchie, Chief Clerk.
Madras, Chief Clerk's Office,
8th August, 1874.

Notice is hereby given, that petitions to the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors were filed on the 11th day of August instant, by Mr. P. B. Gordon, Attorney for Joseph Lewis De Beaux, of Madras, Chemist, residing at No. 90, in Esplanade-row, in the Black Town of Madras, and by Hameeth Saib, a Mahomedan inhabitant of Madras, residing at No. 24, in Vurdamootheappan-street, in the Black Town of Madras, lately carrying on business in the purchase of European Chintz, and a Copartner under the name, style, and firm of Syed Humjah Saib and Mahomed Cassim and Company, but now a Goomastah in the service of C. Dadah Meah Saib and Company, the said Insolvents severally being and residing within the jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at Madras, praying for the benefit of the Act passed in the eleventh year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter 21, intituled "An Act to consolidate and amend the Laws relating to Insolvent Debtors in India;" and on the same day orders were respectively made by the said Insolvent Court, vesting the estates and effects of the said Joseph Lewis De Beaux and Hameeth Saib in Benjamin Brooks, Esq., the Official Assignee of the said Court.—Date of Gazette containing notice, September 29th, 1874.

A. Macdonald Ritchie, Chief Clerk.
Madras, Chief Clerk's Office,
11th August, 1874.

Notice is hereby given, that petitions to the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors were filed on the 11th day of August instant, by Kistnagiry Rungasawmy Naidoo, a Hindoo inhabitant of Madras, and a Goomastah in the service of Nella Mundy Iyah Sawmy Moodelly, residing at No. 27, in Saravana Permall Moodelly-street, at Pursewankum, within the local limits of Madras; and by Messrs. Grant and Grant, Attorneys for Natary Stereenivasa Charriar, a Hindoo inhabitant of Madras, lately residing at No. 6, in South Madal-street, at Triplicane, within the local limits of Madras, and employed as a Goomastah, in the service of Koolsim Begum Sahiba, the said Insolvents severally being and residing within the jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at Madras, praying for the benefit of the Act passed in the eleventh year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter 21, intituled "An Act to consolidate and amend the Laws relating to Insolvent Debtors in India;" and on the same days orders were respectively made by the said Insolvent Court, vesting the estates and effects of the said Kistnagiry Rungasawmy Naidoo and Natary Stereenivasa Charriar in Benjamin Brooks,

Esq., the Official Assignee of the said Court.—Date of Gazette containing notice, September 29, 1874.

A. Macdonald Ritchie, Chief Clerk.
Madras, Chief Clerk's Office,
11th August, 1874.

Notice is hereby given, that petitions to the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors were filed on the 13th day of August instant, by Alundoory Canakasabay Chetty, a Hindoo inhabitant of Madras, residing in Thumboo Chetty-street, No. 271, in the Black Town of Madras, and employed as a Goomastah, under one T. Kistnasamy Chetty; and by George William Lewis, an inhabitant of Madras, residing at No. 54, in Mylapperumall-street, in the Black Town of Madras, and drawing a pension from Government as a Supervisor in the Department of Public Works, the said Insolvents severally being and residing within the jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at Madras, praying for the benefit of the Act passed in the eleventh year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter 21, intituled "An Act to consolidate and amend the Laws relating to Insolvent Debtors in India;" and on the same day an order was made by the said Insolvent Court, vesting the estate and effects of the said Alundoory Canakasabay Chetty and George William Lewis in Benjamin Brooks, Esq., the Official Assignee of the said Court.—Date of Gazette containing notice, September 29, 1874.

A. Macdonald Ritchie, Chief Clerk,
Madras, Chief Clerk's Office,
13th August, 1874.

Notice is hereby given, that petitions to the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors were filed on the 15th day of August instant, by Trivaloor Moorogappah Chetty, a Hindoo inhabitant of Madras, residing at No. 22, in Nyniappa Naisk's-street, in the Black Town of Madras, lately a Culinary Bazaar-keeper, but now without employ, the said Insolvents being and residing within the jurisdiction of the High Court of Judicature at Madras, praying for the benefit of the Act passed in the eleventh year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter 21, intituled "An Act to consolidate and amend the Laws relating to Insolvent Debtors in India;" and on the same day orders were respectively made by the said Insolvent Court, vesting the estates and effects of the said Trivaloor Moorogappah Chetty in Benjamin Brooks, Esq., the Official Assignee of the said Court.—Date of Gazette containing notice, September 29, 1874.

A. Macdonald Ritchie, Chief Clerk.
Madras, Chief Clerk's Office,
15th August, 1874.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a building, named Corpus Christi Temporary Chapel, situated at Charles-street, in the county of Middlesex, in the district of St. Giles, being a building licensed and used for public religious worship as a Roman Catholic Chapel exclusively, was, on the 3rd day of November, 1874, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 6th of November, 1874.

William Musson Newbery, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that William Crighton, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Machinist, and Alfred Thomas

Richardson, of Mobberley, in the county of Chester, Crape Manufacturer, and Bryce Smith, of Manchester aforesaid, Merchant (Trustees of the marriage settlement of Frederick William Crighton), intend to apply, by petition, under the fourth section of the statute 5th and 6th William IV, chapter 83, to Her Majesty in Council, for a prolongation of their term of sole using and vending an invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for preparing cotton and other fibrous materials to be spun," granted to the said William Crighton and Frederick William Crighton, of Manchester aforesaid, Machinists, by Letters Patent, bearing date the 3rd day of April, in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria, and which said Letters Patent, so far as the legal estate of the said Frederick William Crighton therein is concerned, have been assigned to the said Alfred Thomas Richardson and Bryce Smith. And notice is hereby further given, that the said William Crighton and Alfred Thomas Richardson and Bryce Smith intend to apply by counsel to the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, on the 14th day of December next, or if the said Judicial Committee shall not sit on that day, at the then next sitting of the said Judicial Committee, for a time to be fixed for the hearing of the matter of the said petition, and that on or before the said 14th day of December next, notice must be given of any opposition intended to be made to the said petition; and any person intending to oppose the said application must lodge a caveat to that effect at the Council Office on or before that day.—Dated this 3rd day of November, 1874.

Shaw and Tremellen, 14, Gray's-inn-square, London, Agents for Arthur Macdonald Blair, of 9, St. James-square, Manchester, Solicitor for the said William Crighton, Alfred Thomas Richardson, and Bryce Smyth.

Edward K. Dutton, 3, Princess-street, Manchester, Patent Agent for the said William Crighton, Alfred Thomas Richardson, and Bryce Smith.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that—

2217. Samuel Townsend, of Hopton, in the parish of Mirfield, in the county of York, Stuff Merchant, has given notice at the Office of the Commissioners of his intention to proceed with his application for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in endless bands."

2220. And Corneille Joseph Tackels, of No. 50, Rue Gaucheret, in the city of Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Captain of Infantry, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in gas burners."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office, on the 26th day of June, 1874.

2233. And the Honble, John W. Plunkett, of Dunsany Castle, Ireland, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in generating steam in locomotive and other steam boilers."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 27th day of June, 1874.

2241. And Jabez Oldfield, of Carlisle-place, Manningham, Bradford, in the county of York, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus employed in weaving."

2249. And Mrs. Bridget French, of the city of Rochester, in the county of Monroe, and State of New York, United States of America, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in lubricating compounds." As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 29th day of June, 1874.

2276. And Joseph Henry Betteley and William Davison, both of Cornhill, in the city of London, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved method and apparatus for issuing tickets to check fares, and for checking amounts generally wherever tickets are issued."

2277. And Edward Thomas Hughes, of the firm of Hughes and Son, Patent Agents, 123, Chancery-lane, London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in steering propellers."—A communication to him from abroad by William Henry Mallory, of the city of Bridgeport, in the county of Fairfield, in the State of Connecticut, United States of America.

2279. And Joseph Delieux de Savignac, of Paris, in the Department of the Seine, Republic of France, Doctor, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved vaginal injection cavula."

2282. And Samuel Corbett, of Wellington, in the county of Salop, Agricultural Implement Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in implements or machines for raising or lifting potatoes, for thinning and scuffling turnips or mangel wurtzel, and for cleaning and forking land."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 1st day of July, 1874.

2296. And Edwin Knowles, of the firm of Messrs. Knowles, Houghton, and Company, of Gomersal, in the county of York, Machine Makers, and William Fenton, of the firm of Messrs. John Fenton and Sons, of Batley Carr, in the county aforesaid, Woollen Manufacturers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in 'double doffer' condensers."

2300. And John Parry, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in fittings or 'movements' for swing looking glasses."

2303. And Edward Warner and Edmund Freeman Woods, both of Stowmarket, in the county of Suffolk, Engineers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved method of hanging upon their axletrees the bodies of those carts which can be tipped to empty them of their contents."

2306. And Robert Willacy, of Penwortham Priory, near Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Land Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new and improved mode of, and apparatus for, spreading or distributing manure or other substances, either solid or liquid, over the ground."

2308. And Joseph Schloss, of No. 46, Cannon-street, in the city of London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in cigarettes."

2310. And Edward Booth, of Lower Broughton, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturer; and Henry Tetlow, of Newton, in the same county, Reed and Heald Manufacturers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in shuttles for weaving."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 2nd day of July, 1874.

2316. And John Morrison, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in covering and protecting the points of lead pencils as well as regulating the said covering, applicable for artists and general commercial purposes."

2322. And John Wallace, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Agricultural Implement Maker, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in potato diggers."

2323. And Henry Handyside, of Saint John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in coupling or joining together railway rolling stock."

2325. And Charles Dening and Samuel Henry Dening, both of Chard, in the county of Somerset, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in agricultural drills."

2328. And Frederick William Colls, of Erith, in the county of Kent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in safety valves."

2330. And Frederick William Colls, of Erith, in the county of Kent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in traps for preventing the escape of gases from sewers and drain pipes."

2334. And John Morris, of the city and State of New York, United States of America, now of No. 8, Southampton-buildings, London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved devices for effecting instantaneous changes of costumes in character impersonations."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 3rd day of July, 1874.

2338. And John Wells, Main Cock Maker for gas, water, and other purposes, of Wednesbury, in the county of Stafford, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in main cocks for gas and water purposes, but which said improvements are also applicable for main cocks for the controlling of other fluids."

2340. And Augustus Arnold Schlesinger, of Duncan-terrace, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Merchant, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved lawn mowing machine."—A communication to him from abroad by David Williams, of New York, United States of America.

2346. And James Scattergood, of West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, Manager of Works, and Benjamin Wilkes, of West Bromwich aforesaid, Iron Roller, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of nuts for screws and in machinery to be used in the said manufacture."

2347. And Edouard George Peter Thomas, of the Star Chemical Works, Brentford, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of blue colouring matter."—A communication to him from abroad by Charles Adam Girard, of 20, Rue des Ecoles, Paris, in the Republic of France.

2348. And John Combe, of Trinity, in the county of Edinburgh, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for spinning, roving, and drawing fibrous substances."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 4th day of July, 1874.

2351. And George Alfred Poole, of 21, Fairfield-terrace, Lower Tranmere, Birkenhead, in the county of Cheshire, Schoolmaster, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for indicating the depth of water under vessels."

2354. And Frederick Groves, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved double acting and continuous brake for railway carriages and wagons."

2358. And William Gardner, of Bekesbourne, Canterbury, in the county of Kent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for training hops."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 6th day of July, 1874.

2377. And Wilhelm Heinrich Julius Bergner, of the firm of Bergedorfer Iron Works, near Hamburg, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in horse-captans."

2380. And Edwin E. Bean, of Boston, in the county of Suffolk, and State of Massachusetts, in the U. S. of America, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a pneumatic electric gas-lighting apparatus."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 7th day of July, 1874.

2393. And Edward Taylor, of the firm of Thomas and Taylor, of Salford, in the county of Lancaster, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of driving and reversing gear for washing, wringing, and mangling machines."

2398. And John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of columns, piers, lighthouses, and other buildings, and in the apparatus employed therein."—A communication to him from abroad by Charles Edwin Hill, of the city, county, and State of New York, United States of America.

2402. And William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved compound to form surfaces for the ignition of safety-matches."—A communication to him from abroad by L. Otto P. Meyer, of Newtown, Connecticut, United States of America.

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 8th day of July, 1874.

2407. And Alexis Bois, of Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved guard, or safety apparatus applicable to tramway cars and other vehicles."

2412. And John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-in-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in saws and in handles for the same."—A communication to him from abroad by Henry Disston, of the city and county of Philadelphia, State of Pennsylvania, United States of America.

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 9th day of July, 1874.

2424. And Frederick Edward Blackett Beaumont, of No. 2, Westminster-chambers, Victoria-street, in the city of Westminster, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in steam steering apparatus."

2429. And Arthur James, of Redditch, in the county of Worcester, Needle Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for grinding and polishing needles."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 10th day of July, 1874.

2437. And John McGrigor Croft, of No. 15, Abbey-road, Saint John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex, Physician and Doctor of Medicine, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in propellers for propelling vessels."

2441. And Fleeming Jenkin, of 3, Great Stuart-street, in the city of Edinburgh, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in obtaining motive power, and in apparatus to be used for this purpose."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 11th day of July, 1874.

2479. And Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for spinning and twisting fibrous substances."—A communication to him from abroad by Jean Jacques Bourcart, of Paris, France.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 15th day of July, 1874.

2555. And Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved composition or compositions to be applied to steam boilers and other surfaces for preventing the radiation or transmission of heat"—A communication to him from abroad by Alexandre Leydet, of Marseilles, France.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 21st day of July, 1874.

2645. And William Hillam, of Croxton Kerrial, in the county of Leicester, Farmer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery and apparatus for tying up corn or other cereals into sheaves or bundles."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 29th day of July, 1874.

3013. And Levi Lincoln Atwood, of Chicago, Illinois, United States of America, now of No. 8, Southampton-buildings, London, Mer-

chant and Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved machine for trimming or paring and burnishing the edges of boot and shoe soles."—A communication to him from abroad by Henry Elmer Townsend, of Boston, Massachusetts, United States of America.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 3rd day of September, 1874.

3054. And William Munton Bullivant, of 59, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in windlasses, capstans, stoppers, and other apparatus for working ropes on board ship."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 5th day of September, 1874.

3277. And Louis Gustave Bodet, Jacques Masse, and William Webster, of Boulevard Voltaire, No. 85, at Paris, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved apparatus for stamping and inking bonds, shares-bills, and other documents."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 24th day of September, 1874.

3426. And Maurice Mondou, of No. 77, Boulevard de Clichy, Paris, in the Republic of France, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved machine for cutting files."

3428. And George Haseltine, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London, Doctor of Laws, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved mode of and means for supplying water to steam boilers."—A communication to him from abroad by Peter Woods, of Melbourne, Victoria, Australia, Engineer.

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 7th day of October, 1874.

3449. And James Dakers, of the city and county of Aberdeen, North Britain, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in four wheeled carriages."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 8th day of October, 1874.

3454. And Frederick Stichbury, of Vicarage-road, Leyton, in the county of Essex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in finishing or dressing textile fabrics."

3472. And Henry Young Darracott Scott, of Ealing, in the county of Middlesex, Major General, C.B., has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of ammoniacal salts."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 9th day of October, 1874.

3567. And George Ashworth and Elijah Ashworth, both of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Card Manufacturers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in steam-pumps or pumping-engines."

3571. And Harry William Neild, of Reece's Patent Ice Company (Limited), St. Bride's-st., in the city of London, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of ice, and in machinery or apparatus to be employed therefor, and for cooling and refrigerating liquids."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 17th day of October, 1874.

3598. And Robinson Gale Perry, of Dublin, in the county of Dublin, Ireland, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in kilns or drying chambers for drying peat, malt, grain, brewers' or distillers' grains, hops, or other similar substances."

3601. And John Chisholm, of Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Machinist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in mules and twiners for spinning and doubling."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 20th day of October, 1874.

3615. And John Crawford Munn, of the firm of Munn & Hughes, of the city of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new or improved dress fabric for ladies wear."

3621. And George Wilks, of No. 62, Swinton-street, Saint Pancras, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in steam cylinders, compressed air cylinders, and water cylinders, for use in steam pumping engines and machinery."

3626. And John Edwards, of No. 6, Cassland-crescent, South Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in breaks for the rolling stock of railways."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 21st day of October, 1874.

3639. And Paul Louis Manbré, of Valenciennes, in the Republic of France, but temporarily of Penge, in the county of Surrey, Brewer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the process and apparatus for the conversion of starch and fecula into gum, compounds of gum and glucose, glucose, caramelized glucose, and other analogous products."

3642. And Thomas Appleby, of Kingston-upon-Hull, in the county of York, Foreman at Mr. Henry Hodge's Oil Mills, High-street, Kingston-upon-Hull, in the same county, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved method of and apparatus for cutting up and for trimming the ends of oil and other cakes of compressed seeds."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of October, 1874.

3667. And James Livesey, of 9, Victoria-chambers, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the permanent way of railways and tramways."

3672. And Thomas Greenacre, of Turner's-road, Burdett-road, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in means or apparatus for manufacturing screws of vulcanite or other analogous material for liquid meters."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 24th day of October, 1874.

3682. And George Haseltine, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London, Doctor of Laws, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in rotary engines."—A communication to him from abroad by Alfred James Works and

Paul Porter Todd, both of New York, United States of America.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 26th day of October, 1874.

3779. And John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in slide valves, which improvements are also applicable to other rubbing surfaces."—A communication to him from abroad by Victor Forquénot, of Paris, in the Republic of France.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 2nd day of November, 1874.

And notice is hereby further given, that all persons having an interest in opposing any one of such applications are at liberty to leave particulars in writing of their objections to such application at the said Office of the Commissioners, within twenty-one days after the date of the Gazette in which this notice is issued.

Erratum in Gazette of Friday, November 6, 1874.

3683. For "Warwick," read "Stafford."

In the Matter of the Fore Street Warehouse Company Limited and Reduced, and in the Matter of the Companies Act, 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for confirming a resolution reducing the capital of the above Company from £600,000 to £480,000, by the reduction of the nominal amount of each share to £16, was, on the 26th day of October last presented to the Master of the Rolls, and is now pending, and that the list of creditors of the Company is to be made out as for the 11th day of December, 1874.

Ashurst, Morris, and Co., 6, Old Jewry, London, E.C., Solicitors to the Company.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the New Llangynog Lead Mining Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company, subject to the supervision of the Court of Chancery, was, on the 6th day of November, 1874, presented to the Lord Chancellor by the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, on the 20th day of November, 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.—Dated the 7th day of November, 1874.

Dean and Taylor, 7, King's-road, Bedford-row, W.C.; Agents for

Longueville, Jones, and Williams, of Oswestry, Salop, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and of the Imperial Mineral Water 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 7th

day of November, 1874, presented to the Lord Chancellor by Cyrus Davis, of No. 61, Westbourne-road, Barnsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Mineral Water Manufacturer, out of business, a creditor of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, on Friday, the 20th day of November, 1874; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the above-named 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.

T. W. Payne, Solicitor for the Petitioner,
2, King's-road, Bedford-row, London.

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Battersea Foundry and Horse Shoe Works 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 7th day of November, 1874, presented to the Lord Chancellor by the Phoenix Gas Light and Coke Company, creditors of the said Battersea Foundry and Horse Shoe Works Limited; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Hall, on the 20th day of November, 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.

Young, Jones, Roberts, and Hale, 2, St. Mildred's-court, Poultry, London, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

In the Matter of the Bessemer Steel and Ordnance Company Limited, and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

THE Vice-Chancellor Malins has, by an Order dated the 4th day of August, 1874, appointed Charles Fitch Kemp, of No. 8, Walbrook, in the city of London, Accountant, and John Evans Freke Aylmer, of 27, Walbrook, in the city of London, Merchant, to be Official Liquidators of the above-named Company.—Dated this 10th day of November, 1874.

In the Matter of the Bessemer Steel and Ordnance Company Limited, and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 31st day of December, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to Mr. Charles Fitch Kemp, at No. 8, Walbrook, in the city of London, one of the Official Liquidators of the said Company; and if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Malins, at No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in

default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. Friday, the 15th day of January, 1875, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Holywell Level Silver Lead Mining Company Limited.

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 4th day of December, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to John Stanley Blease, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, the Official Liquidator of the said Company; and if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, at No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. Friday, the 11th day of December, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Mildenhall and Hundred of Lackford Permanent Benefit Building Society.

THE creditors of the above-named Society, whether as members of the Society or otherwise, are required on or before the 30th day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to James Read, of Mildenhall, in the county of Suffolk, Gentleman, the Official Liquidator of the said Society; and if so required, by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, at No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. Wednesday, the 9th day of December, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

MEAT AND BREAD.

Contract Department, Admiralty,
Whitehall, November 4, 1874.

TENDERS will be received until two o'clock, on Wednesday, the 2nd December, for the supply of

BREAD AND MEAT,
to Royal Marines at Walmer,
from 1st January to 30th June next.

Their Lordships do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

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

NAVY CONTRACTS FOR FRESH BEEF.

Contract Department, Admiralty,
Whitehall, November 3, 1874.

TENDERS, addressed to the Superintendent of Contracts, Admiralty, Whitehall, S.W., will be received until two o'clock, on Wednesday, the 2nd December, 1874, for the supply of

FRESH BEEF,

at the following places, for six calendar months from the 1st January next ensuing; viz. :—

ENGLAND.

Cowes; Dartmouth; Falmouth; Gravesend; Harwich; Holyhead; Hull, Hawke Roads, and in the Humber; Jersey; London Bridge to Woolwich, inclusive; Milford Haven, Pembroke, and Pater; Netley; Newhaven; Penzance; Plymouth (Oxen); Portsmouth (Oxen); Portland, and in Portland Roads; Rock Ferry; Sheerness, &c. (Oxen).

SCOTLAND.

Granton; Greenock; Queensferry; Rothesay; Stornoway.

IRELAND.

Bantry; Carrickfergus; Castletown (Berehaven); Foynes; Galway; Killybegs; Kingstown and Dublin; Lough Foyle; Lough Swilly; Queens-town and Kinsale; Youghal.

Forms of tender* containing all particulars and full conditions of contract can be had on application, in writing or otherwise, to the Superintendent of Contracts, Admiralty, Whitehall, S.W.

Their Lordships do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

* Forms of Tender are as follows:—(1) For Oxen for Fresh Beef, at Portsmouth and Plymouth. (2) For Oxen for Fresh Beef, at Sheerness. (3) For Fresh Beef at Portland and Falmouth. (4) For Fresh Beef at all other places. Applications should state which Form is required.

The Whetstone Freehold Estate Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the said Company, Nos. 31 and 32, Lombard-street, in the city of London, on the 22nd day of September, 1874, the following Special Resolutions were 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 13th day of October, 1874, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

“That this Company be, and it is hereby required to be wound up voluntarily.

“That Richard Billingsley Looker, of 31 and 32, Lombard-street, in the city of London, the Secretary of the Company, be and he is hereby appointed the voluntary Liquidator thereof.”

Wm. Thos. Makins, *Chairman*.

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862, and the Companies Act, 1867, and in the Matter of the York Tanning and Currying Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the York Tanning and Currying Company Limited, held in the Saloon of the Lecture Hall, Goodramgate, York, on Tuesday, the 20th day of October, 1874, it was resolved:—

1. “That the York Tanning and Currying Company Limited be forthwith wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1862, and the Companies Act, 1867.

No. 24149.

2. “That John Moon, of the city of York, Gentleman, and John Pearson, of the same city, Bank Manager, be appointed Liquidators to wind up the affairs of the York Tanning and Currying Company Limited, and to distribute the assets thereof, and that the said John Moon and John Pearson be paid the sum of one hundred pounds each for their remuneration as such Liquidators.”

And at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above Company, held in the Saloon of the above Lecture Hall, on Thursday, the 5th day of November, 1874, it was resolved:—

“That the resolutions passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of this Company, held in the Saloon of the Lecture Hall, Goodramgate, York, on the 20th day of October last, be and they are hereby confirmed.”

James Meek, *Chairman*.

The Ceylon Transport Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of this Company will be held on the 14th day of December next, at twelve o'clock, at the office of the Ouwah Coffee Company Limited, 31 and 32, Lombard-street, London, for the purpose of having my accounts laid before them, and any explanation which may be required thereon.—Dated this 9th day of November, 1874.

John A. Robertson, *Liquidator*.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph William Poulton and Thomas James Cotter, carrying on business at No. 10, Wood-street-square, London, as Merchants and Commission Agents, under the style or firm of Poulton, Cotter, and Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on by the said Thomas James Cotter alone, under the style of Cotter and Co., who will pay and receive all debts due by and to the late partnership.—Dated this 6th November, 1874.

Joseph W. Poulton.

Thomas J. Cotter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership formerly subsisting between the undersigned, Robert Joseph Clarke and Thomas Samuel Fisher, as Auditors and Accountants, at Mansion House-chambers, 12, Queen Victoria-street, has been determined and put an end to.—Dated this 2nd day of November, 1874.

Thomas Samuel Fisher.

Robert Joseph Clarke.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Sarah Fricker and Thomas Brice Robbins and Susanna Robbins, at 191, Saint John-street, Clerkenwell, in the county of Middlesex, as Coffee and Eating House Keepers, was this day dissolved as from the 3rd day of October last. The business will in future be carried on by the said Sarah Fricker alone, by whom the debts of the said partnership will be paid.—As witness our hands this 20th day of October, 1874.

Sarah Fricker.

Thomas Brice Robbins.

Susanna Robbins.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Charles Ezard and Isaac Sykes, in the trade or business of Ironfounders, at Park-road Ironworks, Bradford, in the parish of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, was, on the 30th day of October, 1874, dissolved by mutual consent; and that the business will in future be carried on by the said Charles Ezard, by whom all debts due and owing to and from the said copartnership will be received and paid.—Dated this 3rd day of November, 1874.

Charles Ezard.

Isaac Sykes.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned, John Cooke Hester and Richard Dickie McCandlish, both of No. 1, Great Tower-street, in the city of London, Wholesale Tea Dealers, trading as J. C. Hester and Co., was, on the 17th day of May, 1873, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

J. C. Hester.

R. D. McCandlish.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Brooks and William Davies, in the business of Letter Press, Copper Plate and Lithographic Printers and Engravers, carried on by us at 77, Minories, in the city of London, under the style of Davies and Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 3rd day of November, 1874.

Willm. Brooks.
Wm. Davies.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edward Challis the elder and Edward Challis the younger, as Oil and Colour Men, trading as E. Challis and Son, Church-street, Greenwich, in the county of Kent, is dissolved, as and from the 6th day of November, 1874. All debts to be received and paid by the said Edward Challis the younger.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

Edward Challis, senr.
Edward Challis, junr.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Dyson and William Dyson, carrying on business as Ironfounders, at Brookfield Foundry, Hunslet, in the parish of Leeds, in the county of York, under the style or firm of George Dyson and Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that the business will in future be carried on by the said George Dyson alone, by whom all debts due to and owing from the said firm will be received and paid.—As witness our hands this 6th day of November, 1874.

Wm. Dyson.
Geo. Dyson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Fry and Richard Carmalt Smith, as Leather Factors, at No. 145, Moor-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, under the style or firm of Fry and Smith, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

Joseph Fry.
Richd. Carmalt Smith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George John Mitchell, Charles Beasley, and Henry Phillips, carrying on business at the North Kent Brewery, Plumstead, in the county of Kent, under the style or firm of Mitchell, Beasley, and Phillips, as Brewers and Maltsters, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Henry Phillips, as from the 30th day of October, 1874. All debts due to or by the said firm will be received and paid by the said George John Mitchell and Charles Beasley, by whom the said business will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 31st day of October, 1874.

George John Mitchell.
Charles Beasley.
Henry Phillips.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Hawthorn the younger, Benjamin Chapman Browne, Francis Carr Marshall, and John Hilton Ridley, as Engineers, at Newcastle-upon-Tyne, under the style or firm of R. and W. Hawthorn, has been this day dissolved, so far only as concerns the said William Hawthorn the younger.—Dated this 1st day of July, 1874.

Wm. Hawthorn, jr.
Benjamin Chapman Browne.
F. C. Marshall.
J. H. Ridley.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edward Walker Whitely, William Newton, and George Taylor, all of Leeds, in the county of York, carrying on business at Leeds aforesaid, under the style or firm of Newton, Taylor, and Whitely, as Calenderers, was, on the 31st day of October last, dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due to and from the said firm will be received and paid by the said William Newton and George Taylor, by whom the said business will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 5th day of November, 1874.

Edward Walker Whitely.
William Newton.
George Taylor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore carried on by the undersigned, Gilbert Dunsmore and George Knight, at Peckham Rye, in the county of Surrey, and elsewhere, under the firm of Dunsmore and Knight, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 24th day of June, 1874.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

Gilbert Dunsmore.
George Knight.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Benjamin Scott Foster MacGeagh and George Godwin, under the firm of Foster and Co., at Queen Victoria-street, and Bennett's-hill, in the city of London, in the trade or business of Carriers, Forwarding Agents, Booking-office Proprietors, and Commission Agents, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 9th day of November, 1874.

Benj. S. F. MacGeagh.
George Godwin.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Morton and Russell Jeffrey, carrying on the trade or business of General Ironfounders and Fender Manufacturers, at the Star Foundry, Fordrough-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, under the style of Morton and Jeffrey, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing by and due to the said firm will be paid and received by the said Russell Jeffrey.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

George Morton.
Russell Jeffrey.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Henry Shephard Law, John Charles Hardy, and Frederick Tucker Aston, carrying on business as Attorneys and Solicitors, at No. 23, Bush-lane, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Vandercom, Law, Hardy, and Aston, has been determined as from the 2nd day of November, 1874.—Dated the 9th day of November, 1874.

H. S. Law.
J. C. Hardy.
Fred. T. Aston.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, Thomas Winter and Henry Joseph, of No. 50A, Newgate-street, in the city of London, Carpet and Upholstery Warehousemen and Commission Merchants, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

Thomas Winter.
Henry Joseph.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Gardner and Abner Lucas, as Ironmongers, and carried on at No. 51, Side, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, under the firm of Gardner and Lucas, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 29th day of October, 1874.

John Gardner.
Abner Lucas.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Alfred Shiers and Richard Ball Pellow, at Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, as Commission Agents, under the style or firm of Pellow and Shiers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated the 4th day of November, 1874.

G. A. Shiers.
R. B. Pellow.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership (if any) heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Thomas Tomlinson, Ramoth Lightowler, Jonas Lightowler, Jonathan Lightowler, John Pollard, and Matthew Hillas, in the trade or business of Colliery Proprietors, at Dudley Hill Colliery, near Bradford, Yorkshire, under the firm of Tomlinson and Co., was dissolved, on the 29th day of September last, by mutual consent.—Dated this 29th day of October, 1874.

Thomas Tomlinson.
Ramoth Lightowler.
his
Jonas X Lightowler,
Mark.
his
Jonathan X Lightowler,
Mark.
John Pollard.
Matthew Hillas.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Thomas Richmond Proctor and John Kirk the younger, trading at the town of Nottingham, and elsewhere, as Lace Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Proctor and Kirk, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts will be received and paid by the said John Kirk the younger, by whom alone the business will in future be carried on in the name of John Kirk only.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

T. R. Proctor.
John Kirk, junr.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between Hannah Thorpe and Sarah Mackay, carrying on business at West Hartlepool, in the county of Durham, as Milliners and Dressmakers, under the style or firm of Thorpe and Ridgway, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. And that from and after this date the said business will be carried on by the said Hannah Thorpe alone, and all debts owing to or payable by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Hannah Thorpe.—As witness our hands this 7th day of November, 1874.

Hannah Thorpe.
Sarah Mackay.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, George Halton and Benjamin Steel, as Painters and Paper Hangers, carrying on business at Leeds, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Halton and Steel, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 26th day of October last. All debts due to or owing by the late firm will be received and paid by George Halton.—As witness our hands this 3rd day of November, 1874.

George Halton.
Benjamin Steel.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, William Pickles Hartley and George Ramsden, under the style or firm of W. P. Hartley, in the trade or business of Wholesale Drysalters and Manufacturing Confectioners, formerly carried on at Colne and recently at Bootle, both in the county of Lancaster, was dissolved, by mutual consent, on the 19th day of October last. All partnership debts and liabilities will be received and paid by the said William Pickles Hartley, who will continue to carry on the said business on his own account.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

William P. Hartley.
George Ramsden.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Ann Norton, Widow, and Charles Thomas Norton, carrying on business as Carpenters and Builders, at No. 1, Park-street, I-lington, in the county of Middlesex, under the firm of Norton and Son, is this day dissolved. All debts due from or to the said partnership will be paid and received by the said Charles Thomas Norton, by whom the business will be carried on in future under the same style or firm as heretofore.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

Ann Norton.
Charles Thomas Norton.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between us the undersigned, James Lowndes, James Blair, and John Blair, heretofore carrying on business as Sugar Refiners, at Albert-street, Shadwell, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Lowndes, Blair, and Company, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 9th day of November, 1874.

James Lowndes.
James Blair.
John Blair.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Hanson and William Crossland, as Manufacturing Chemists, at Cleckheaton, in the county of York, or elsewhere, under the style or firm of Hanson and Crossland, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 26th day of June last. All debts owing to and from the said firm will be received and paid by the said John Hanson.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

John Hanson.
Wm. Crossland.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Penman and Lancelot Tulip Penman, as Coal and Lime Merchants, and carried on by us, at Park-lane, Gateshead, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st day of August, 1874, and that the business will be in future carried on by the said William Penman on his own account.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

William Penman.
Lancelot Tulip Penman.

[Extracts from the Edinburgh Gazette of November 6, 1874.]

NOTICE.

THE interest of the Subscriber, Henry Paterson, as a Partner of the firm or company of William Paterson and Sons, Wholesale Druggists and Merchants, in Aberdeen, ceased upon the 30th day of September, 1874, since which

date the Subscriber, James Paterson, has been the sole partner or member of the said firm.

James Paterson.
H. Paterson.

ARCH. CAMPBELL, Law Agent, Aberdeen,
Witness to the Signatures of the said
James Paterson and Henry Paterson.
JOHN LESLIE, Accountant, Aberdeen,
Witness to the Signatures of the said
James Paterson and Henry Paterson.

THE firm of Walker, Hume, and Co., Quarriers, at Gagie Quarries, near Dundee, of which the Subscribers are the sole Partners, was of this date dissolved by mutual consent.

Parties indebted to the firm are requested to pay their accounts to Messrs. J. and R. Morrison, Accountants, Perth, who alone are authorized to discharge same.
2nd November, 1874.

H. Hume.
David Harris.
John Reid.
David Walker.

ROBERT TAYLER, Writer, Stirling,
Witness.

WILLIAM DONALDSON, Law-Clerk,
Stirling, Witness.

DAVID EVANS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of David Evans, late of Canuing-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Attorney-at-Law (who died on the 5th day of June, 1874, and whose will was proved on the 22nd day of June, 1874, by Abigail Eliza Evans, John Harnden, Margaret Anne Thomas, and Caroline Evans, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of such claims and demands to me the undersigned, Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 1st day of December next, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and that the executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims and demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

C. H. LOCKETT, 6, Commerce-chambers, Lord-street, Liverpool, Solicitor to the Executors.

JOHN DULSON, Deceased.

Pursuant to 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 persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Dulson, late of Taylor-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Team Owner (who died on the 18th day of July, 1874, and whose will was proved on the 23rd day of September, 1874, by William Taylor, of Cow-lane, Ditton, in the county of Lancaster, the executor therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of such claims and demands to us the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 21st day of November instant, after which date the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and that the executor will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

EVANS and LOCKETT, 6, Commerce-chambers, Lord-street, Liverpool, Solicitors to the Executor.

WILLIAM WEALL, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 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 or other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of William Weall, late of No. 5, Bell-yard, Doctors'-commons, in the city of London, and of Pinner, in the county of Middlesex, Solicitor, deceased (who died on the 11th day of March, 1874, and whose will, with two codicils thereto, was proved by Rosa Annie Weall, John Weall, and John Weall the younger, all of Pinner aforesaid, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send, in writing, particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned, Solicitor to the said executors, on or before the 31st day of December next, after which day the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased

amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not afterwards be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

JOHN D. BLAKE, 5, Bell-yard, Doctors'-commons, London, Solicitor to the said Executors.

MARIA SUSANNI, 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 upon or against the estate of Maria Susanni, late of Florence, in the Kingdom of Italy, and formerly of No. 1, Albion-street, Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex, Widow (who died on the 8th day of January, 1874, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, by Samuel Shaen, late of Kennington Cross, in the county of Surrey, and then and now of Broadwater House, Brixton-rise, in the same county, Gentleman, the sole executor thereof, on the 30th day of January, 1874), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to the said Samuel Shaen, at Broadwater House, aforesaid, on or before the 1st day of January, 1875, after which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which he 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 claim or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1874.

SHAEN, ROSCOE, and MASSEY, 8, Bedford-row, Solicitors for the said Samuel Shaen.

WILLIAM JAMES CAREY, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of 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 William James Carey, late of Lauriston House, Bedford Park, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, and No. 34, Mark-lane, in the city of London, Ship Owner (who died on the 4th day of October, 1874, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 28th October, 1874, by Edward Fricker Carey and Arthur Carey, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required, on or before the 10th day of December, 1874, to send particulars of their claims to me the undersigned, Solicitor for the said executors; and that in default thereof the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and 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 have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

WILLIAM A. CRUMP, No. 10, Philpot-lane, London, Solicitor for the said Executors.

GEORGE THOMAS DAVY, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament passed 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 creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of the said George Thomas Davy, late of Colston Bassett, in the county of Nottingham, Esq., deceased (who died at Colston Bassett aforesaid, on or about the 13th day of May, 1874, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 4th day of June, 1874, by George Baynton Davy, of Colston Bassett, Esq., and John Frederick Flemmich, of 12, Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, Esq., two of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars of such claims or demands, in writing, to us the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors, at our office, No. 20, Austin Friars, in the city of London, on or before the 12th day of February, 1875, 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 claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 9th day of November, 1874.

UPTON, JOHNSON, UPTON, and BUDD, 20, Austin Friars, London, Solicitors for the said Executors.

CHARLOTTE SUSANNA CLARK, Widow, Deceased. Pursuant to the Act 22nd and 23rd Victoria, c. 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 against the estate of Mrs. Charlotte Susanna Clark, late of Chertsey, in the county of Surrey, Widow (who died on the 30th day of October, 1873, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 28th day of February, 1874, by Charles Cathron Cotton and William Smith, the executors thereof), are hereby required to send the particulars of their respective debts or claims to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors for the said executors, at our offices, situate at No. 13, Northumberland-street, Charing Cross, in the county of Middlesex, on or before the 31st day of December, 1874, after which day the executors will proceed to apply and distribute the whole of the assets of the said testatrix amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts or claims of which they shall then have had notice; and such executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

SMITH and CO., Solicitors for the said Executors.

HENRY BELCHER, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 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 claim against the estate of Henry Belcher, late of 84, Copenhagen-street, Islington, Middlesex, Builder's Foreman, deceased (who died on the 17th of July, 1874, and whose will was proved in Her Majesty's Court of Probate, the Principal Registry, on the 30th July, 1874, by Robert Price Ball and William Masters, the executors thereof), are hereby required to send particulars of such claims to us, the undersigned, on or before the 30th day of November instant, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Henry Belcher among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only of which the said executors shall then have received notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 30th day of October, 1874.

STONEHAM and LEGGE, 5, Philpot-lane, London, Solicitors for the said Executors.

EDWARD WHISTLER, 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, 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 against or upon the estate of the said Edward Whistler, late of No. 11, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, and of Seacombe Lodge, Clapham Park, in the county of Middlesex, Silver-smith and Pawnbroker (who died on or about the 18th day of December, 1873, and whose will was duly proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 12th day of January, 1874, by Mary Ann Whistler, of Seacombe Lodge, Clapham Park aforesaid, Widow, William Henry Peake, of No. 29, Gerrard-street, Soho, in the said county of Middlesex, Manufacturing Goldsmith, and John White, of No. 28, Budge-row, Cannon-street, in the city of London, Gentleman, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars of such debts, claims, or demands, in writing, to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, at our office, No. 28, Budge-row, Cannon-street aforesaid, on or before the 10th day of January, 1875, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to those debts, claims, or demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed or dealt with to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

WHITES, RENARD, and Co., 28, Budge-row, Cannon-street, E.C., Solicitors to the said Executors.

The Honourable Sir **GEORGE ROSE**, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors or other persons having any debt or claim against or affecting the estate and effects of Sir George Rose, late of No. 4, Hyde Park-gardens, in the county of Middlesex (who died on the 3rd day of December, 1873, and whose will was proved on the 13th day of December, 1873, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate by Alfred

Leaf, of the city of Manchester, Solicitor, and Walter Leaf, of No. 14, Furnival's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Surgeon, two of the trustees named and appointed by the said will), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims upon the estate of the said Sir George Rose, deceased, to the said executors, at the office of their Solicitors, Messrs. Cunliffe, Leaf, and Co., No. 56, Brown-street, Manchester aforesaid, on or before the 1st day of January next, after which day the said executors will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said Sir George Rose, deceased, for the benefit of the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and liabilities of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall not have had notice for or in respect of the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

CUNLIFFE, LEAF, and CO., 56, Brown-street, Manchester.

THOMAS SMART, Deceased.

Pursuant to the 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 claims or demands upon or against the estate of Thomas Smart, late of Mare-street, Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, and of the Bank of England, Esq. (who died at Mare-street aforesaid on the 26th day of July, 1858, and whose will, with two codicils, was proved by Kemp Berry, of Tyndale-place, Islington, Middlesex, Esq., since deceased, Richard Rotton, of the Boltons, West Brompton, Middlesex, Esq., and Richard Atkins, of Upper Clapton, Middlesex, Esq., the executors named in the said will, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 11th day of August, 1858), are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their claims or demands to the said surviving executors, at the offices of their Solicitors, Messrs. Sheffield and Sons, No. 52, Lime-street, in the city of London, on or before the 30th day of November, 1874, after which day the said executors will proceed to apply and distribute the assets of the said Thomas Smart, deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not 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 7th day of November, 1874.

SHEFFIELD and SONS, 52, Lime-street, London, Solicitors for the said Executors.

HENRY GOOD, Deceased.

Pursuant to the 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 creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon the estate or effects of Henry Good, late of No. 60, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, Stationer, deceased (who died on the 20th day of September, 1874, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 2nd day of November, 1874, by Henry Good, one of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of such claims and demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 24th day of December next, after which day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and will not afterwards be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 8th day of November, 1874.

CARR, BANNISTER, DAVIDSON, and MORRISS, 70, Basinghall-street, London, Solicitors to the said Executor.

Mrs. SARAH SYKES, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 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 creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Sarah Sykes, late of No. 10, Saint George's-terrace, in Leeds, in the county of York, Widow, deceased (who died on the 7th day of December, 1873, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Wakefield attached to Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 20th day of January, 1874, by Samuel Hick, of Leeds aforesaid, Gentleman, and John Westgarth Robinson, of Leeds aforesaid, Cement Dealer, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their respective claims or demands to the said executors, or either of them, or to us, the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 7th day of December next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testatrix amongst the parties 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 to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

HICK and JONES, 7, Cookridge-street, Leeds, Solicitors.

Mr. CHARLES CHILD, Deceased.

Pursuant to the 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 any debt, claim, or demand upon or against the estate of Charles Child, late of the Box Farm, Vernham Dean, in the county of Southampton, Farmer, deceased (who died on the 2nd day of October, 1873, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 26th day of December, 1873, by William North Herbert, of Lower Conholt Farm, Vernham, in the said county of Southampton, Farmer, and John Smith, of Andover, in the same county, Gentleman, the executors thereof), are hereby required to send particulars of their debts, claims, or demands to the said executors, on or before the 1st day of January, 1875. And notice is hereby given, that after the said 1st day of January, 1875, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator, Charles Child, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be answerable or liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

JOHN SMITH, High-street, Andover, Hants, Solicitor.

JAMES TODD, Deceased.

Pursuant to an 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 persons having any debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of James Todd, late of No. 4, Raby-street, Byker, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Builder, deceased (who died on the 29th day of August, 1874, and whose will was proved in the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 19th day of October, 1874, by Susan Todd, widow and relict of the deceased, the Reverend David Lowe, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, Presbyterian Minister, and Johnston Geggie, of Byker aforesaid, Town Missionary, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars of such debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, Messrs. Chartres and Youll, Central-buildings, Grainger-street West, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, the Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 21st day of December 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 of which the executors shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice. All persons indebted to the said James Todd are also requested to pay to us, the undersigned, the amount of their respective debts.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

CHARTRES and YOULL, Central-buildings, Grainger-street West, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitors to the Executors.

FORSTER WALKER, Deceased.

Pursuant to the 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 persons having any debts, claims, or demands against or upon the estate and effects of Forster Walker, late of Claremont-place, in Gateshead, in the county of Durham, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 21st day of August, 1874, and whose will was proved in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Durham on the 2nd day of November, 1874, by Robert Rankin and John Davison Bland, two of the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars of such debts, claims, and demands, in writing, to the undersigned, Shaftoe Robson, of the Town-hall, Gateshead, Solicitor to the said executors, on or before the 30th day of November instant, after which date 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 debts, claims, or demands of which they then shall have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable or accountable for or in respect of the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of November, 1874.

SHAFTOE ROBSON, Town-hall, Gateshead, Solicitor to the Executors.

HENRY SWINTON WALKER, 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 claim or demand upon or against the estate of Henry Swinton Walker, late of Whitby, in the county of York, Gentleman (who died on the 23rd day of February, 1874, and whose will was proved by John Weighill, Spirit Merchant, Matthew Gray, Gentleman, and John Brown Nicholson, Ironmonger, all of Whitby aforesaid, the executors therein named, on the 27th day of April, 1874, in the York District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their respective claims or demands to the said executors, or to the undersigned, Messrs. Gray and Pannett, of Flowergate, in Whitby aforesaid, their Solicitors, on or before the 21st day of December next. And notice is hereby also given, that after that 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 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 29th day of October, 1874.

MATTHEW GRAY, of Whitby aforesaid, Solicitor to the above-named Executors.

MARGARET WALKER, 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 claim or demand upon or against the estate of Margaret Walker, late of Dunsley, in the township of Newholm-cum-Dunsley, in the parish of Whitby, in the county of York, Widow (who died on the 29th day of March, 1874, and whose will was proved by William Watson, of Bempton, near Bridlington, in the county of York, Farmer, and John English, of Raithwaite, in the township of Newholm-cum-Dunsley aforesaid, Farmer, the executors therein named, on the 18th day of August, 1874, in the York District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their respective claims or demands to the said executors, or to the undersigned, Messrs. Gray and Pannett, of Flowergate, in Whitby aforesaid, their Solicitors, on or before the 1st day of December next. And notice is hereby also given, that after that 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 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 22nd day of October, 1874.

GRAY and PANNETT, of Whitby aforesaid, Solicitors to the above-named Executors.

Re ALEXANDER CRAIG GIBSON, 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 claims or demands upon or against the estate of Alexander Craig Gibson, late of Bebington, in the county of Chester, Surgeon (who died on or about the 12th day of June, 1874, and whose will was proved in the Chester District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 14th day of July, 1874, by Sarah Gibson, of Bebington aforesaid, Widow, and William Jackson, of Saint Bees, in the county of Cumberland, Gentleman), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, Solicitor to the said executors, on or before the 24th day of December next, after which time the said executors, will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, and will otherwise deal therewith, having regard to the claims or demands only of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed or otherwise dealt with, to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

JOHN WEBSTER, 32, Queen-street, Whitehaven, Solicitor to the said Executors.

DAVID HOYLE, Deceased.
Pursuant to the Statute 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 creditors and other persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of David Hoyle, late of Huddersfield, in the

county of York, Cloth Finisher, deceased (who died at Huddersfield aforesaid, on the 7th day of September, 1874, and whose will was proved in Her Majesty's Court of Probate Wakefield District Registry, on the 6th day of November, 1874, by Thomas Heatou, one of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send written particulars of such their claims or demands to the said executor, or to the undersigned, his Solicitor, on or before the 31st day of January next 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 those claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

J. BOTTOMLEY, 52, New-street, Huddersfield, Solicitor for the said Executor.

SAMUEL BUTCHER, Deceased.
Pursuant to the Act 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 upon or against the estate of Samuel Butcher, late of Lowestoft, in the county of Suffolk, Master Mariner (who died on or about the 19th day of March, 1874, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Ipswich of the Court of Probate on the 20th day of April, 1874, by Thomas Emery Butcher, of Lowestoft aforesaid, Publican, and William Thomas Balls, of Lowestoft aforesaid, Auctioneer and Estate Agent, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in to me, the undersigned, Edmund Palmer Norton, of Bungay, in the county of Suffolk, Solicitor to the said executors, the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands, on or before the 31st day of December next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to apply and distribute the assets of the said testator amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executors 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 of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 5th day of November, 1874.

EDMD. P. NORTON, Bungay, Suffolk, Solicitor to the said Executors.

Miss EMMA SUSANNA MALPAS, late of the Flying Horse Hotel, Nottingham, Deceased.

Pursuant to the 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 creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of Emma Susanna Malpas, late of The Flying Horse Hotel, in the Poultry, in the town of Nottingham, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 1st day of April, 1874, and whose will was duly proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 12th day of May, 1874, by Joseph Tucker, of No. 1, Mansfield-street, Portland-place, in the county of Middlesex, Stock Broker, and James Probyn McGeorge, of Newark-upon-Trent, in the county of Nottingham, Wine Merchant, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in the particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands upon or against the said estate, with the nature of their securities, if any, to the said Joseph Tucker and James Probyn McGeorge, at the office of me, the undersigned, their Solicitor, on or before the 7th day of December next, at the expiration of which time the said Joseph Tucker and James Probyn McGeorge will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, or demands of which they shall then have had notice, and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1874.

THOS. E. BEAUMONT, St. Peter's Church-walk, Nottingham, Solicitor to the said Executors.

THOMAS POWELL, Deceased.
Pursuant to 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 against the estate of Thomas Powell, late of Coldra, near Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Esq. (who died on or about the 18th day of April, 1869, and whose will was proved, on or about the 1st day of December, 1869, in the Llandaff District of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, by Henry St. John Powell, of Newport aforesaid, Esq.,

Walter Powell, now of Eastcourt House, Malmesbury, Wilts, Esq., M.P., and William Henry Phillips Jenkins, of Richard's Castle, near Ludlow, in the county of Salop, Esq., the executors therein named), are required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to us, or to the said executors, on or before the 21st day of December next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

C. F. and G. JAMES, of Merthyr Tydfil, Glamorganshire, Solicitors to the Executors.

DAVID WILLIAMS, Deceased.

Pursuant to the 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 David Williams, formerly of Ynyscynon and of Miskin, both in the county of Glamorgan, deceased, Colliery Proprietor (who died on the 28th day of February, 1863, and whose will was proved on or about the 9th day of May, 1863, in the Llandaff District of Her Majesty's Court of Probate by Charles Herbert James, of Merthyr Tydfil, in the county of Glamorgan, Attorney-at-Law, Thomas Davis, of Aberdare, in the same county, Bank Manager, and David Edwards, of Gilfachglyd, in the parish of Llanwonno, in the same county, Gentleman, the executor therein named), are required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to us, or to the said executors, on or before the 21st day of December next; after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

C. F. and G. JAMES, of Merthyr Tydfil, Glamorganshire, Solicitors to the Executors.

ISABELLA MILWARD, Widow, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors or other persons having any claims or demands upon or affecting the estate of Isabella Milward, late of Richmond-hill, near Whitehaven, in the county of Cumberland, Widow, deceased (who died on the 22nd day of July, 1874, and whose will, with a codicil, was proved on the 24th day of September, 1874, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, by the surviving executor named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of such claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said executor, on or before the 7th day of December, 1874; and notice is hereby given, that after the last-mentioned day the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the 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 or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

PITMAN and LANE, 27, Nicholas-lane, Lombard-street, London, Solicitors to the said Executor.

Dr. JOSEPH CLARKE, 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 persons indebted to or having any claim against the estate of Dr. Joseph Clarke, late of No. 6, Mecklenburg-square, in the parish of Saint Pancras, in the county of Middlesex, Doctor of Medicine, deceased (who died on the 21st day of May, 1874, whose will was proved on the 21st day of July, 1874, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, by George Henry Clarke, of No. 2, Wilton-terrace, Goldsmith-road, Acton, in the county of Middlesex, Accountant, the brother of the deceased, one of the executors named in the said will, power being reserved of making a like grant to Thomas Charles Clarke, son of the said deceased, the other executor named in the said will), are hereby required to send in to me, the undersigned, the Solicitors to the said executors, particulars, in writing, of their claims against or indebtedness to the said estate, on or before the 12th day of December, 1874, after which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled, having regard only to the claims of which I shall

then have received notice.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

E. W. SEALE, 35, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, Solicitor for the said Executor.

EDWARD YEATS THEXTON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands on or against the estate of Edward Yeats Thexton, late of Ashton House, Beetham, in the county of Westmoreland, Esq., deceased (who died on the 27th day of March, 1874, and whose will was proved on the 23rd day of May, 1874, in the District Registry at Carlisle of Her Majesty's Court of Probate), by Isabella Thexton and Jennet Frances Thexton, the executrices named in the said will, are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executrices, on or before the 21st day of December, 1874, after which date the said executrices 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 the said executrices will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

THORNELLY and DISMORE, 14, Water-street, Liverpool, Solicitors to the said Executrices.

The Very Reverend WILLIAM KNIGHT, Deceased.

Pursuant to the 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 persons having claims or demands upon or against the estate and effects of the Very Reverend William Knight, late of Hartlepool, in the county of Durham, Canon of the Roman Catholic Church, deceased (who died on the 4th day of March, 1874, and whose will was proved in the District Registry attached to Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Durham, on the 16th day of April, 1874, by the Very Reverend John William Bewick, Canon of the Roman Catholic Church, the sole executor therein named), are required, on or before the 6th day of January next, to send particulars of such claims or demands to the said executor, at the office of his Solicitors, Messrs. Leadbitter and Harvey, Grainger-street West, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; and notice is hereby further given, that the said executor will, on and after the said 6th day of January next, proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice, and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

LEADBITTER and HARVEY, Solicitors to the said Executor.

THOMAS COVENEY, 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 persons having any claims or demands on the estate of Thomas Coveney, formerly of Eastchurch, in the Isle of Sheppy, in the county of Kent, and late of Queenborough, in the Isle of Sheppy, Farmer and Grazier, deceased (who died on the 16th day of February, 1874, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 12th day of March, 1874, by Thomas Coveney, of Mill Farm, Hollingbourne, in the county of Kent, Farmer, and Chester Foulsham, formerly of No. 2, Ilchester-place, Brixton, in the county of Surrey, and now of No. 9, Caversham-road, Kentish Town, in the county of Middlesex, Architect and Surveyor, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars of their respective debts or claims to the said executors, at the offices of Messrs. Young, Jackson, and Company, of No. 12, Essex-street, Strand, in the said county of Middlesex, on or before the 1st day of January, 1875, and that after the said 1st day of January, 1875, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Thomas Coveney, deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts or claims of which the executors shall then have had notice, and the executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

YOUNG, JACKSON, and CO., 12, Essex-street, Strand, London, W.C., Solicitors for the Executors.

In Chancery.—1874, M., No. 74.—Lord Chancellor.—Master of the Rolls.—Between the Montrotier Asphalte and Cement Concrete Paving Company Limited, Plaintiffs; and Richard Berridge, William Elliott Duncan, Thomas Snowdon, Jules Buttin, and Jacques Chambaz, Defendants.

TAKE notice, that this Honourable Court will be moved before his Honour the Master of the Rolls, on Thursday, the 10th day of December, 1874, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, or so soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard, by Mr. Thomas Southgate, Q.C., as Counsel on the part of the above-named plaintiffs, that the plaintiffs' Bill may be taken pro confesso against the defendant Jules Buttin, at the hearing of this cause.—Dated this 31st day of October, 1874.

WALTER WEBB, 22, Queen Victoria-street, London, E.C., Solicitor for the Plaintiffs.

To the Defendant Jules Buttin.

In Chancery.—1873, W., 227.—Between Annie Kitson Wrigley and Florence Wrigley, Plaintiffs; and Thomas Clarke, John Batley Wrigley, and Mary Ann Wrigley, his Wife, and William Craven, Defendants.

TAKE notice, that this Honourable Court will be moved before his Honour the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, on the first seal day in the sittings after this present Michaelmas Term, or so soon thereafter as Counsel can be heard, by Mr. John Cutler, of Counsel on behalf of the plaintiffs, that the plaintiffs' Bill may be taken pro confesso against the defendant John Batley Wrigley, at the hearing of this cause.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

Yours, &c.,

PITMAN and LANE, 27, Nicholas-lane, London; Agents for George Bentley Siddall, of Otley, Yorkshire, Plaintiffs' Solicitor.

To the Defendant John Batley Wrigley.

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Act 19 and 20 Victoria, chapter 120, intituled "An Act to facilitate Leases and Sales of Settled Estates:" and in the Matter of a certain Messuage or Public-house, situate in Southgate-street, in the parish of Saint Mary, in the borough of Leicester, in the county of Leicester, known as the Shakespeare's Head Inn, and the Buildings and Premises now used and occupied by one Joseph Cant, and which adjoin the said Public-house, and are situate in the same parish, devised by the Will of Thomas Broughton, deceased.

PURSUANT to the above-mentioned Act of Parliament and the Consolidated General Order of this Court in that behalf, notice is hereby given, that on the 30th day of October, 1874, Samuel Argyle, of Havelock-street, in the borough of Leicester, Warehouseman, Eli Argyle, of Newton-street, in Leicester aforesaid, Warehouseman, and Ann Broughton, of Leicester aforesaid, Widow, presented their Petition to the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain (to be heard before his Honour the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins), praying that the hereditaments above mentioned may be sold, in accordance with the provisions of the contract of the 11th day of August, 1874, in the said Petition mentioned, to Joseph Cant, for the sum of £2600, and that the said purchase-money or sum of £2600, or the balance thereof, after payment of the mortgage debt in the said Petition mentioned, may be ordered to be paid to the petitioners Samuel Argyle and Eli Argyle, and that the net surplus of the said purchase-money, after providing for the costs, as between Solicitor and client, of all parties, of the application, and for the costs, charges, and expenses of the said petitioners of and incidental to the said sale, may be applied by the petitioners Samuel Argyle and Eli Argyle to some one or more of the purposes mentioned in the 23rd section of the Statute 19 and 20 Victoria, chapter 120, without any application to the Court; and that until the same can be so applied, the petitioners Samuel Argyle and Eli Argyle may be at liberty to invest the same in or upon such stocks, funds, or securities as are authorized by the will of the testator, Thomas Broughton, in the said Petition mentioned, and to pay the interest or income arising therefrom to the petitioner Ann Broughton, during her life; and that all proper directions may be given for carrying out the said sale. And notice is also hereby given, that the petitioners may be served with any Orders of the Court, or of the Judge in Chambers, or notice relating to the subject of the said Petition, at the offices of Messrs. Field, Roscoe, Field, Francis, and Osbaldeston, situate at No. 36, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

FIELD, ROSCOE, and CO., 36, Lincoln's-inn-fields; Agents for Messrs. Stone and Billson, of Leicester, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the cause of Astley v. the Earl of Essex, with the approbation of the Master of the Rolls, by

Mr. Robert Collier Driver (of the firm of Messrs. Driver), the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Victoria Station Hotel, Sheffield, in the county of York, on Tuesday, the 1st day of December, 1874, at three o'clock precisely, in twelve lots:—

A freehold farm and about 77 acres of arable and pasture land, situate in the parish of Kimberworth, in the West Riding of the county of York, late the property of the Thomas George Corbett, deceased.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had of Messrs. Frere, Forster, and Frere, Solicitors, 28, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C.; Messrs. R. M. and F. Lowe, Solicitors, 2, Tanfield-court, Temple, London, E.C.; Messrs. Dunlop, Bryant, and Naylor, Land Agents and Surveyors, 3, Old Palace-yard, Westminster Abbey, S.W.; and of Messrs. Driver, Auctioneers and Surveyors, 4, Whitehall, London, S.W.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of Walker v. Seligmann, with the approbation of the Master of the Rolls, in one lot, by Mr. William Mitcheson, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Mart, Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, on Thursday, the 26th day of November, 1874, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely:—

A leasehold house and premises (including such fixtures as are the property of the vendors), situate No. 9, Finchley-road, formerly 3, Alexandra-villas, St. John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex, containing five bed-rooms, dressing and box rooms, bath-room, fitted entrance hall, drawing, dining, and breakfast-rooms, conservatory, kitchen, scullery, servants' room, two w.c.'s, and walled garden in the rear.

Particulars whereof may be had (gratis) of Mr. F. W. Hilbery, of No. 32, Crutched Friars, London, Solicitor; of Messrs. Norris and Sons, of No. 2, Bedford-row, Middlesex, Solicitors; of the Auctioneer, at his offices, No. 32, Crutched Friars aforesaid; and at the place of sale.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Colyer against Fergusson, 1874, C., 203, the creditors of Thomas Colyer, late of Wombwell Hall, Northfleet, in the county of Kent, Esquire, who died on the 27th day of June, 1874, and all persons having any charge or incumbrance affecting his real estate, are, on or before the 10th day of December, 1874, to send by post, prepaid, to John Camden Hayward, Esquire, of the firm of Messrs. Haywards, Keele, and Swann, of No. 5, Frederick's-passage, Old Jewry, in the city of London, the Solicitors of the plaintiff, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims or incumbrances, 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 or incumbrancer 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 23rd day of December, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of Buenaventura de Cuadra, Commission Merchant, deceased, and in a cause Gaston against de Cuadra, 1874, D., No. 108, the creditors of Buenaventura de Cuadra, late of No. 1, Lansdown-square, Rotherville, in the county of Kent, and of No. 43, Lime-street, in the city of London, Commission Merchant, who died in or about the month of June, 1874, are, on or before the 10th day of December, 1874, to send by post, prepaid, Charles Robbins, Esq., of the firm of Messrs. Bolton, Robbins, and Busk, of No. 1, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, the Solicitor of the defendant, the executrix 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 Order. 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 Tuesday, the 22nd day of December, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Middlebrook against Heatou, the creditors of Thomas Middlebrook, late of the Old Swan Inn, in the parish of Gargrave, in the West Riding of the county of York, Innkeeper and Farmer, who died in or about the month of October, 1870, are, on or before the 4th day of December, 1874, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Richard Greenwood, of Skipton, in the said county of York, the Solicitor of the plaintiff, Thomas Middlebrook, one of 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 Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, at his chambers, situated at No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, on the 12th day of December, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a suit of *Le Marchant v. Le Marchant*, 1874, L., No. 80, the creditors of Sir John Gaspard Le Marchant, late of No. 80, St. George's-square, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, a Lieutenant-General in Her Majesty's Army, Colonel of the 11th Regiment, and Knight Commander of the Bath, deceased, who died in or about the month of February, 1874, are, on or before the 7th day of December, 1874, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Henry Ray Freshfield, of 5, Bank-buildings, in the city of London, Solicitor of the defendant, Dame Margaret Anne Le Marchant, Widow, the administratrix, with the will annexed, 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 Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, at his chambers, situated at No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Monday, the 14th day of December, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause *Lazarus against Schwarsensky*, 1873, L., No. 161, the creditors of Isaac Schwarsensky, late of Cross-street, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, Outfitter, who died in or about the month of October, 1873, are on or before the 30th day of November, 1874, to send by post, prepaid, to Charles Richard Copeman, of the firm of Snowball, Copeman, and Smith, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, the Solicitors of Hannah Schwarsensky, Widow, the executrix 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 Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, at his chambers, situated No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Thursday, the 10th day of December, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause *Ritson against Elliott*, 1874, R., No. 76, the creditors of John Ritson, late of Maryport, in the county of Cumberland, Brewer, who died in or about the month of October, 1830, are, on or before the 20th day of December, 1874, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Joseph Hayton, of the firm of Hayton and Simpson, of Cockermouth, in the county of Cumberland, the Solicitors of the plaintiffs) Robert Ritson and William Ostle, 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 Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, at his chambers, situate at No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Friday, the 15th day of January, 1875, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

JAMES RICHARDS, Deceased.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause *Richards against Kitchen*, 1872, R., No. 161, the creditors of James Richards, late of Foston, in the county of Lincoln, Gentleman, who died in or about the month of April, 1869, are, on or before the 25th day of November, 1874, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. Henry and J. G. Thompson, of Grantham, the Solicitors of the plaintiffs, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the Christian and surnames of any partner or partners, 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 Vice-Chancellor Sir James Bacon, at his chambers, situated No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Wednesday,

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day, the 2nd day of December, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estates of William White, late of the North London Railway Hotel, Kilburn, in the county of Middlesex, Builder, deceased, and in a cause *Rawlins* (on behalf of himself and all other the creditors of William White, deceased), against Mary Hickman, Hannah Wise, and John White, 1874, W., No. 70, the creditors of the said William White, late of the North London Railway Hotel, Kilburn, in the county of Middlesex, Builder, who died in or about the month of October, 1873, are, on or before the 15th day of December, 1874, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. John Wood and Co., of No. 8, Bucklersbury, in the city of London, the Solicitors 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 Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before His Honour the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situate at No. 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of December, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of *Hockliffe v. Sansom*, 1874, H., No. 147, the creditors of James Bollons Sewell, otherwise James Bollons, late of the town of Bedford, in the county of Bedford, Bookseller and Printer, deceased, who died on the 17th day of April, 1873, are, on or before the 9th day of December, 1874, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Henry Tebbs, of the town of Bedford, in the county of Bedford, the Solicitor of the plaintiff, Frederick Hockliffe, the executor of the will of the said James Bollons Sewell, 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 Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Saturday, the 19th day of December, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause *Walker v. Walker*, 1874, W., No. 157, the creditors of Jane Hawkrigg, late of the Horse Head Inn, Wythburn, in the parish of Crosthwaite, in the county of Cumberland, Widow, who died on or about the 23rd day of November, 1871, are, on or before the 31st day of December, 1874, to send by post, prepaid, to Robert Broatch, of Keswick, in the county of Cumberland, the Solicitor, 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 Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated at No. 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Thursday, the 14th day of January, 1875, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause *Walker v. Walker*, 1874, W., No. 157, the creditors of William Walker, late of the Nag's Head Inn, Wythburn, in the parish of Crosthwaite, in the county of Cumberland, Innkeeper, who died on or about the 16th day of January, 1872, are, on or before the 31st day of December, 1874, to send by post, prepaid, to Robert Broatch, of Keswick, in the county of Cumberland, Solicitor, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and 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 Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated at No. 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Thursday, the 14th day of January, 1875, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Court of Chancery of the county palatine of Lancaster, made in the matter of Luke Bruce, late of Liverpool, in the county palatine of

Lancaster, Shipowner, deceased, the creditors and other persons claiming debts or liabilities affecting the personal estate of the said Luke Bruce, who died in or about the month of February last, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 4th day of December next, to come in and prove their debts and claims before the Registrar of the Liverpool District of the said Court, at his office, situate in the Municipal-buildings, Dale-street, Liverpool aforesaid, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Friday, the 11th day of December next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the said office, is appointed for adjudicating on the said debts and claims.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

COUNTY COURTS' EQUITABLE JURISDICTION.

PURSUANT to an Order of the County Court of Westmorland, holden at Kendal, made in a suit Richard Machell against Elizabeth Bracken, administratrix of John Bracken, the creditors of or claimants against the estate of the said John Bracken, late of Firbank, in the county of Westmorland, Farmer, who died in or about the month of March, 1874, are, on or before the 5th day of December, 1874, to send by post, prepaid, to the Registrar of the County Court of Westmorland, holden at Kendal, 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; in default thereof they may be excluded from any benefit in the estate. Every creditor holding any security is to produce or transmit the same to the Registrar aforesaid, on or before the 7th day of December, 1874, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 30th day of October, 1874.

R. F. THOMPSON, Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 8d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Charles Worsley, of No. 12, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, and of Brunswick-road, Sutton, in the county of Surrey, trading under the style or firm of Charles Worsley and Company, as General Merchants, and will be paid by me, at No. 23, Bucklersbury, in the city of London, on and after Monday, the 23rd day of November instant, between the hours of ten and four.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

SIDNEY MATTHEWS, 23, Bucklersbury, London, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Wiltshire, holden at Salisbury.

A SECOND and Final Dividend of 1s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Henry White, of Guilder-lane, Salisbury, in the county of Wilts, Coal Merchant, and will be paid by me, at my office, High-bridge, Somerset, on and after the 27th day of October, 1874.—Dated this 24th day of October, 1874.

ROBERT TOOMER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the Court Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.

A FIRST Dividend of 2s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Edward James Lomnitz, of No. 25, Mount-street, in the city of Manchester, Merchant and Commission Agent, trading under the style or firm of E. Lomnitz and Co., and will be paid by me, at 104, King-street, Manchester, on and after the 11th day of November, 1874.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

A. MURRAY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Berkshire, holden at Reading.

A THIRD and Final Dividend of 10d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of John William Withers, of 44, Minster-street, Reading, in the county of Berks, and of Hartley-row, in the county of Hants, Boot and Shoe Maker, and will be paid by me, at my offices, No. 2, Circus-place, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London, on and after Wednesday, the 18th day of November, 1874, between the hours of ten and two.

GEORGE ROGERS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Suffolk, holden at Ipswich.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 4s. 8d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by John Corder Squirrel, of Bildeston, in the county of Suffolk, Wine, Spirit, Ale, and Porter Merchant,

and will be paid by me, at my offices, 25, Old Jewry, in the city of London, on Thursday, the 19th day of November next, or any subsequent Thursday, between the hours of eleven and two.—Dated this 10th day of November, 1874.

W. L. CLIFTON BROWNE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. 0³/₄d. in the pound has been declared in the separate estate of William Henry Johnson, in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Richard Johnson and William Henry Johnson, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Watchmakers and Pawnbrokers and Copartners, trading under the firm of Johnson and Son, and will be paid by me, at my offices, 66, Queen-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, on and after the 12th day of November, 1874.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

FREDERICK BEDFORD, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Northallerton.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 8s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Mary Elizabeth Tennant, of Northallerton, in the county of York, Spinster, Milliner and Dressmaker, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Charles Waistell, of Northallerton aforesaid, Solicitor, on and after the 13th day of November, 1874.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

GEORGE OXENDALE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 5s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Joseph Loft, late of Salthouse-lane, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Licensed Victualler, but now of No. 12, Hall-street, in the said borough, out of business, and will be paid by me, at my offices, No. 15, Kirkgate, Bradford, in the county of York, and on Tuesdays, at my offices, No. 11, Corn Exchange, Leeds, in the said county, on and after Wednesday, the 18th day of November instant.—Dated the 4th day of November, 1874.

ALEXANDER ATKINSON, 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 George Wakefield, of No. 37, Gun-street, in the liberty of the Tower, and in the county of Middlesex, formerly of No. 17, Brushfield-street, in the same county, Saddler.

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 Black Lion, No. 31, New Montague-street, Spitalfields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 21st day of November, 1874, at a quarter-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of November, 1874.

GEORGE WAKEFIELD, 37, Gun-street, Old Artillery-ground, 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 Josiah Remfry, of 2, Boscombe-terrace, Uxbridge-road, Shepherd's Bush, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer.

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 Stollard, 26, Chancery-lane, Solicitor, on the 19th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1874.

WM. STOLLARD, 26, Chancery-lane, 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 Taylor, of 362, Essex-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, 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 7, Ironmonger-lane, E.C., on the 25th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

GEO. W. KEIGHTLEY, 7, Ironmonger-lane, 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 Stephen James Bartlett and Henry Chapman, of Finsbury-square-buildings, 1, Chiswell-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, trading under the style or firm of Bartlett and Chapman, Stock and Share Dealers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the joint creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at Finsbury-square-buildings, 1, Chiswell-street, Finsbury aforesaid, on the 19th day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 31st day of October, 1874.

WILLIAM BECK, 2, East India-avenue, Leadenhall-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 William Stephen James Bartlett and Henry Chapman, of Finsbury-square-buildings, 1, Chiswell-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, trading under the style or firm of Bartlett and Chapman, Stock and Share Dealers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named William Stephen James Bartlett has been summoned to be held at Finsbury-square-buildings, 1, Chiswell-street, Finsbury aforesaid, on the 19th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 31st day of October, 1874.

WILLIAM BECK, 2, East India-avenue, Leadenhall-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 William Stephen James Bartlett and Henry Chapman, of Finsbury-square-buildings, 1, Chiswell-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, trading under the style or firm of Bartlett and Chapman, Stock and Share Dealers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Henry Chapman has been summoned to be held at Finsbury-square-buildings, 1, Chiswell-street, Finsbury aforesaid, on the 19th day of November, 1874, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 31st day of October, 1874.

WILLIAM BECK, 2, East India-avenue, Leadenhall-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 Joseph Luke Chipchase, of 10, Great Cambridge-street, Hackney-road, in the county of Middlesex, Children's 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 offices of Mr. W. R. Philp, 17, Queen Victoria-street, Mansion House, in the city of London, on the 18th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of October, 1874.

WILLIAM R. PHILP, 17, Queen Victoria-street, 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 Charlotte Wright Hewitt, of 14, Bloomfield-terrace, Pimlico, in the county of Middlesex, Widow, 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 15, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

DUIGNAN and SMILES, Attorneys for the said Charlotte Wright Hewitt.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Rudd, of No. 197, Old-street-road, St. Luke's, in the county of Middlesex, Baker.

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. 7, South-square, Gray's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, on the 27th day of November, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

WM. JOHN CHILD, 7, South-square, Gray's-inn, 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 Abraham Daniel De Pass, of No. 2, Kensington-garden-terrace, Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex, and also of Bembridge, in the Isle of Wight, in the county of Hants, Merchant, lately trading in copartnership with Michael De Pass, at Langbourne-chambers, No. 17, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, under the style or firm of De Pass and Sons, and also at Melbourne, Victoria, in Australia, under the style or firm of De Pass Brothers and Company.

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 18th day of November, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of November, 1874.

WILLIAM A. CRUMP, 10, Philpot-lane, 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 John Brown Drew, of 100, Murray-street, Hoxton, in the county of Middlesex, carrying on business at 1, Christopher-street, Hatton-garden, and 32 and 40, Hatton-wall, both in the county of Middlesex, Shop Fitter and Builder, until lately trading with one Robert Worth, under the firm or style of Drew and Worth, as Shop Fitters and Builders.

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 Tavern, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

C. WOLLASTON LOCKE, Pavement-chambers, 17, Pavement, Finsbury, 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 Thomas Peacock, of No. 61, New Church-road, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, Mantle Manufacturer, previously of No. 43, Sutherland-square, Walworth, in the same county, Mantle Manufacturer, and formerly of No. 91, Newington-causeway, Newington, in the same county, Mantle Manufacturer and General 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 No. 88, Newington Butts, Newington, in the county of Surrey, on the 20th day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

HY. FREDK. and EDWD. CHESTER, 86, Newington Butts, S.E., Attorneys, for the said Thomas Peacock.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Walter Thomas Salton, of No. 27, Rood-lane, in the city of London, and formerly of No. 81, Gower-street, Bedford-square, in the county of Middlesex, but now of No. 1, Elizabeth-terrace, South London-road, Lowestoft, in the county of Suffolk, Public Accountant and Shipowner.

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. 90, Lower Thames-street, in the city of London, on the 3rd day of December, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

J. A. FARNFIELD, 90, Lower Thames-street, 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 Frances Sophia Warner, of No. 27, King-street, West Smithfield, in the city of London, and 188, Camden-road, in the county of Middlesex (trading as Edwin Warner), Wholesale 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 the Guildhall Coffee-house, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 24th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

PEARCE and SON, 8, Giltspur-street, London, Attorneys for the 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 Frederick James Catling and James Vanputten, of No. 10, Catherine-court, Tower-hill, in the city of London, Corn Factors, trading in copartnership together under the style or firm of Catling 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 offices of Messrs. Cooper Brothers and Co., No. 14, George-street, Mansion House, in the city of London, on the 24th day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

HOLLAMS, SON, and COWARD, Mincing-lane, London, Attorneys 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 Frederick James Catling and James Vanputten, of No. 10, Catherine-court, Tower-hill, in the city of London, Corn Factors, trading in copartnership together under the style or firm of Catling and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the separate estate of the above-named Frederick James Catling has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Cooper Brothers and Co., of No. 14, George-street, Mansion House, in the city of London, on the 24th day of November 1874, at a quarter-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

HOLLAMS, SON, and COWARD, Mincing-lane, London, 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 Frederick James Catling and James Vanputten, of No. 10, Catherine-court, Tower-hill, in the city of London, Corn Factors, trading in copartnership together under the style or firm of Catling and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the separate estate of the above-named James Vanputten has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Cooper Brothers and Co., No. 14, George-street, Mansion House, in the city of London, on the 24th day of November, 1874, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

HOLLAMS, SON, and COWARD, Mincing-lane, London, 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 William Henry White, of Strood Dock, Rochester, in the county of Kent, and Honduras Wharf, Bankside, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, Cement Manufacturer, trading as W. H. White and Company.

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 Rectory House, St. Michael's-alley, Cornhill, in the city of London, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

PARKER, WATNEY, and CLARKE, St. Michael's-alley, Cornhill, 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 Eliza Yeowell, of No. 118, Saint John's-road, Hoxton, in the county of Middlesex, Widow, Baker.

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 23rd day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

F. W. IMBERT TERRY, 27, Gresham-street, Bank, 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 Joseph Delahave, of 323, Kennington-road, in the county of Surrey, Wholesale Egg 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 Painters' Hall, in Little Trinity-

lane, in the city of London, on the 30th day of November 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

PRITCHARD, ENGLEFIELD, and CO., Painters' Hall, Little Trinity-lane, London, Attorneys for the 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 James Edward Nation Simmonds, of 21, Walbrook, 1, Ludgate-circus, and 6, Queen-street-buildings, Queen Victoria-street, all in the city of London, Cigar Importer.

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. Sidney Chapman, of 135, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

SIDNEY CHAPMAN, 135, Fenchurch-street, 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 George Wood, of 55 and 57, Brushfield-street, Spitalfields, in the county of Middlesex, Provision Merchant and Cheesemonger, and of 150, Essex-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, 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 No. 3, Bishopsgate-street Without, in the city of London, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

THOS. WHITTINGTON, of 3, Bishopsgate-street Without, E.C., Attorney for the said George Wood.

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 John Taylor, residing at Lime Villa, Peckham Rye, in the county of Surrey, and Alfred Grey, residing at 1, Linden-grove, Nunhead, in the same county, both carrying on business in copartnership under the style or firm of Messrs. Taylor and Company, at Peckham Rye, in the county of Surrey, and at Kingston-on-Thames, in the same county, as Auctioneers.

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 Guildhall Coffee-house, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 24th day of November, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

MAX. G. ROOPER, Attorney for the said William John Taylor and Alfred Grey.

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 John Taylor, residing at Lime Villa, Peckham Rye, in the county of Surrey, and Alfred Grey, residing at 1, Linden-grove, Nunhead, in the same county, both carrying on business in copartnership under the style or firm of Messrs. Taylor and Company, at Peckham Rye, in the county of Surrey, and at Kingston-on-Thames, in the same county, as Auctioneers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named William John Taylor has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Coffee-house, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 24th day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

MAX. G. ROOPER, Attorney for the said William John Taylor.

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 John Taylor, residing at Lime Villa, Peckham Rye, in the county of Surrey, and Alfred Grey, residing at 1, Linden-grove, Nunhead, in the same county, both carrying on business in copartnership under the style or firm of Messrs. Taylor and Company, at Peckham Rye, in the county of Surrey, and at Kingston-on-Thames, in the same county, as Auctioneers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Alfred Grey has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Coffee-house, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 24th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

MAX. G. ROOPER, Attorney for the said Alfred Grey.

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 David Drakeford, of No. 26, Ladbroke-square, in the county of Middlesex, and of No. 5, Great Winchester-street-buildings, Great Winchester-street, in the city of London, and William Thomas Drakeford, of No. 12, St. Alban's-row, Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, and of No. 5, Great Winchester-street-buildings aforesaid, trading in partnership together, under the style or firm of Drakeford Brothers, as Silk Merchants; and in the Matter of the Separate Estate of John David Drakeford.

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. G. F. Hudson, Matthews, and Co., Solicitors, No. 23, Bucklersbury, in the city of London, on the 19th day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

G. F. HUDSON, MATTHEWS, and CO., 23, Bucklersbury, London, 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 John David Drakeford, of No. 26, Ladbroke-square, in the county of Middlesex, and of No. 5, Great Winchester-street-buildings, Great Winchester-street, in the city of London, and William Thomas Drakeford, of No. 12, St. Alban's-row, Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, and of No. 5, Great Winchester-street-buildings aforesaid, trading in partnership together under the style or firm of Drakeford Brothers, as Silk Merchants; and in the Matter of the Separate Estate of William Thomas Drakeford.

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. G. F. Hudson, Matthews, and Co., Solicitors, of No. 23, Bucklersbury, in the city of London, on the 19th day of November, 1874, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

G. F. HUDSON, MATTHEWS, and CO., 23, Bucklersbury, London, 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 William Heaphy, of 8, Hampden-street, Paddington, late of No. 6, Waverly-road, Paddington, both in the county of Middlesex, Shoe Salesman, formerly of Bath House, Bedford-road, Clapham, in the county of Surrey, trading in copartnership with Charles William Turner, as Boot and Shoe Manufacturers.

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. H. W. Cattlin, Solicitor, Guildhall-yard, in the city of London, on the 19th day of November, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of October, 1874.

H. W. CATTLIN, Guildhall-yard, 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 John Leggett, formerly of No. 3, Marlborough-square, Chelsea, in the county of Middlesex, but now of Pond Cottage, Pond-terrace, Leader-street, Chelsea, in the same county, and during the whole time having premises No. 4, Markham-terrace, Blenheim-street, Chelsea, in the county of Middlesex, Builder and Contractor.

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. Boydell's offices, No. 3, South-square, Gray's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, on the 19th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of October, 1874.

WM. THOS. BOYDELL, 3, South-square, Gray's-inn, Attorney for the said John Leggett.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Philip Newberry England, of No. 30, Polygon, Somers Town, in the county of Middlesex, Accountant and Money Lender.

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. 251, Vauxhall Bridge-road, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, on the 18th day

of November, 1874, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

—Dated this 2nd day of November, 1874.

BURY HUTCHINSON, 251, Vauxhall Bridge-road, Westminster, 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 May Underwood, of 424 and 428, Kingland-road, in the county of Middlesex, Cheesemonger, Poulterer, and Fishmonger.

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. Izard and Betts, 46, Eastcheap, in the city of London, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

CARTER and BELL, 102, Leadenhall-street, London, 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 Helen Benham, of 1, Parkside, Knightsbridge, in the county of Middlesex, Milliner, carrying on business under the style of Willis and Benham.

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, at St. Michael's House, Cornhill, in the city of London, on the 25th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

HENRY CHARLES BARKER, of St. Michael's House, 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 Edward Dowden, of 138, Edgware-road, in the county of Middlesex, Grocer and Wine and Spirit 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 Messrs. Deane, Chubb, and Co., 14, South-square, Gray's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, on the 25th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of November, 1874.

DEANE, CHUBB, and CO., 14, South-square, Gray's-inn, Attorneys for the said Edward Dowden.

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 David Curr, of Chapel-square Birch-in-lane, in the city of Manchester, and of Bury, in the county of Lancaster, Jute Spinner and Manufacturer, trading under the style of D. Curr, Langford, and Co., and lately carrying on business at New Mills, in the county of Derby, as a Paper Stainer and Manufacturer, under the style of A. F. Langford and Co., surviving partner of Aaron Ferns Langford, deceased, lately carrying on the said businesses together at Chapel-square, Birch-in-lane, Manchester, Bury, and New Mills respectively aforesaid, under the said styles respectively.

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. Sale, Shipman, Seddon, and Sale, Solicitors, No. 29, Booth-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 27th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

SALE, SHIPMAN, SEDDON, and SALE, 29, Booth-street, Manchester, Attorneys for the said David Curr.

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 Joseph McKinnell, of Holt Town Mills, Ancoats, in the city of Manchester, Paper Stainer, trading under the style of Edmund Grime 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. Sale, Shipman, Seddon, and Sale, Solicitors, No. 29, Booth-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 24th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

SALE, SHIPMAN, SEDDON, and SALE, 29, Booth-street, Manchester, Attorneys for the said Joseph McKinnell.

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 Joseph Walsh, of 140, London-road, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Boot and Shoe 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 Clarence Hotel, Spring-gardens, Manchester, on the 30th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

JOHN LEIGH, 30, Brown-street, Manchester, 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 William Pollitt, of 62, Ashton, New-road, Bradford, in the county of Lancaster, Joiner and Broker.

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 John Law, 18, King-street, Manchester, on the 27th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

JOHN LAW, 18, King-street, Manchester, Attorney for the 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 Richard Oswell, of No. 117, George-street, and No. 24, Victoria-street, both in Altrincham, in the county of Chester, Grocer and Baker.

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 Mann, Solicitor, Phoenix-buildings, 20, Cooper-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 25th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

WM. MANN, Phoenix-buildings, 20, Cooper-street, Manchester, Attorney for the said Richard Oswell.

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 George Wall, of Darlington-street, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, Stone Carver.

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, Churchgate, Market-place, Wigan, on the 24th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

WILLIAM S. FRANCE, 1, Churchgate, Market-place, Wigan, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Blackburn. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Nathan Wilson, of No. 8, Northgate, in Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Cabinet Maker and House Furnisher.

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 Messrs. T. J. and H. Backhouse, Solicitors, No. 5, St. John's-place, in Blackburn aforesaid, on the 16th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

T. J. and H. BACKHOUSE, 5, St. John's-place, Blackburn, Attorneys for the said Nathan Wilson.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Blackburn. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Procter, of No. 27, Cobden-street, within Old Accrington, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer and Beerseller.

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. George William Barlow, Attorney-at-Law, No. 21, Dutton-street, within New Accrington, in the said county, on the 16th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

GEO. WM. BARLOW, No. 21, Dutton-street, New Accrington, in the county of Lancaster, Attorney for the said William Procter.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Peter Smith, of Nuttall-lane, Ramsbottom, in the county of Lancaster, Rope and Twine 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. John Leigh, Solicitor, 30, Brown-street, Manchester, on the 26th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

JOHN LEIGH, 30, Brown-street, Manchester, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Daniel Moore, of Tottington, near Bury, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer and Tea 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 No. 9, Broad-street, Bury, in the county of Lancaster, on the 24th day of November, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

J. M. WATSON, of No. 9, Broad-street, Bury, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Burnley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Astin Barker, of Gandy Bridge, in Todmorden, 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 the Queen Hotel, in Todmorden, in the county of Lancaster, on the 18th day of November, 1874, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

A. G. and T. W. EASTWOOD, Todmorden, Attorneys for the said Thomas Astin Barker.

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 Hugh Bray and James Smith, both of Douglas Bank Weaving Shed, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, Linen and Cotton Manufacturers, trading in copartnership together under the firm of Bray and Smith.

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. Sale, Shipman, Seddon, and Sale, Solicitors, No. 29, Booth-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 24th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

SALE, SHIPMAN, SEDDON, and SALE, 29, Booth-street, Manchester, Attorneys for the said Debtors.

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 Hugh Bray and James Smith, both of Douglas Bank Weaving Shed, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, Linen and Cotton Manufacturers, trading in copartnership together under the firm of Bray and Smith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Hugh Bray has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Sale, Shipman, Seddon, and Sale, Solicitors, No. 29, Booth-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 24th day of November, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

SALE, SHIPMAN, SEDDON, and SALE, 29, Booth-street, Manchester, Attorneys for the said Hugh Bray.

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 Hugh Bray and James Smith, both of Douglas Bank Weaving Shed, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, Linen and Cotton Manufacturers, trading in copartnership together under the firm of Bray and Smith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the separate estate of above-named James Smith has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Sale, Shipman, Seddon, and Sale, Solicitors, No. 29, Booth-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 24th day of November, 1874, at a quarter-past twelve o'clock

in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

SALE, SHIPMAN, SEDDON, and SALE, 29, Booth-street, Manchester, Attorneys for the said James Smith.

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 Thomas Thompson, of 55, Myrtle-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer and Wine 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 Anthony W. Chalmers, Accountant, 55, Fenwick-street, Liverpool, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

ALEXANDER COLLINS, 21, Harrington-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 John Miller, of No. 12, Oldham-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Ironmonger.

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 5th day of December, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

WILLIAM LOWE, 43, Castle-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 Patrick Waters, of No. 26, Adlington-street, and of Queens-square-market, both in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Fruiterer.

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 4th day of December, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

WILLIAM LOWE, 43, Castle-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 George Gilbert Durkee, of No. 5, Strand-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Merchant and Broker.

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, Attorney-at-Law, No. 5, Cook-street, Liverpool, on the 26th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 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 Glazebrook, of the Hawthorns, Hawthorn-road, Bootle, in the county of Lancaster, Gentleman.

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 Edward Holt, Accountant, 3, Union-court, Castle-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 27th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

JONES, PATERSON, and JONES, 11, Dale-street, Liverpool, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Harlow, of No. 43, Burying-lane, Swinton, in the county of Lancaster, carrying on the trade or business of a Butcher.

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. Edward Lowndes, No. 33, Bridge-street, Manchester, on the 16th day of November, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

EDW. LOWNDES, 33, Bridge-street, Manchester, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles James Ashenhurst, of No. 3, Windsor-terrace, Brook's Bar, Moss Side, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Solicitor's Clerk.

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 Mottershead, situate at No. 2, Victoria-street, Manchester aforesaid, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

CHAS. JAS. ASHENHURST.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Ellen Alker, of 123, Stretford-road, Hulme, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Wine and Beer Retailer.

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 Burton, Solicitor, 26, King-street, Manchester, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

WILLIAM BURTON, 26, King-street, Manchester, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Middlesex, holden at Edmonton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Pinn Morgan and Reuben Elworthy, of the Terrace, Upper Fore-street, Edmonton, in the county of Middlesex, Corn and Coal Dealers and Partners in Trade, Trading under the style or firm of Morgan and Company.

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. Willoughby and Cox, No. 13, Clifford's-inn, Fleet-street, in the city of London, on the 26th day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

WILLOUGHBY and COX, Attorneys for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Wandsworth. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Livett, No. 5, Balham-place, Balham, 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 the offices of Mr. Charles Race Septimus Hooper, No. 32, Newgate-street, in the city of London, on the 26th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

CHAS. R. S. HOOPER, Attorney for the said Richard Livett.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Wandsworth. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Sergeant, of No. 1, Northcote-road, Battersea, in the county of Surrey, Drill Master.

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, Bank-buildings, Wandsworth, in the county of Surrey, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

H. R. JONES, 1, Bank-buildings, Wandsworth, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Wandsworth. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Palmer, of the Putney Nurseries, Putney, in the county of Surrey, Seedsman and Florist.

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. Munton and Morris, Solicitors, 3, Lambeth-hill, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, on the 30th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

MUNTON and MORRIS, 3, Lambeth-hill, Queen Victoria-street, E.C., Attorneys for the said George Palmer.

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 Edwin Winscom, of No. 4, Park-street, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, Accountant.

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. 11, Wellington-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, on the 19th day of November, 1874, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of November, 1874.

KISCH, SON, and HANBURY, 11, Wellington-street, Strand, Attorneys for the said Edwin Winscom.

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 Joseph Smallwood, of High-street, Epsom, in the county of Surrey, 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 offices of Mr. H. Montagu, No. 3, Bucklersbury, in the city of London, on the 19th day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

H. MONTAGU, 3, Bucklersbury, London, E.C., Attorney for the said Joseph Smallwood.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Guildford and Godalming.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Arthur Crux, of Wrecclesham, near Farnham, in the county of Surrey, Grocer.

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 Messrs. Knight and Ward, Farnham, on the 12th day of November, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of November, 1874.

KNIGHT and WARD, Castle-street, Farnham, Attorneys for the said Arthur Crux.

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 George Brickman, of No. 20, Upper Sandgate-road, and Rendezvous-street, Folkestone, in the county of Kent, Dealer in Musical Instruments and Auctioneer.

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 Fleur-de-Lis Hotel, in the city of Canterbury, in the county of Kent, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

F. A. A. ROWLAND, Attorney for the said George Brickman.

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 Temple, of No. 59, Queen-street, Ramsgate, in the county of Kent, Stay and Belt Manufacturer and Ladies' 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 the Bull and George Hotel, Ramsgate, in the county of Kent, on the 20th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of November, 1874.

SANKEY and CO., 12, Chapel-place, Ramsgate, Kent, Attorneys 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 Walter Gillespie, of Yiewsley, near West Drayton, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, trading under the style or firm of W. Gillespie and Company, in copartnership with Henry George Carew, of Cowley Peachey, in the said county of Middlesex, Gentleman.

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. Dean and Taylor, of No. 7, King's-road, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

W. GILLESPIE, the above-named Debtor.

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 Isaac Hanson, of No. 7, Quadrant, Buxton, in the county of Derby, Hair Dresser and Perfumer.

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 Stanley Bent, Attorney, 91, Piccadilly, Manchester, on the 25th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

E. STANLEY BENT, Attorney for the said Isaac Hanson.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Birkenhead.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Lancaster Hopkins, of No. 8, York-place, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, Grocer and Wine and Spirit 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 office of Mr. Downham, Solicitor, No. 7, Market-street, Birkenhead, on the 20th day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of November, 1874.

THOMAS MORRIS DOWNHAM, of 7, Market-street, Birkenhead, 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 Benjamin Matthewman the elder and Henry Matthewman, of Milton-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, Cutlery Manufacturers, carrying on business under the style of Benjamin Matthewman and Sons.

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 Cutlers' Hall, Church-street, Sheffield, on the 20th day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

WM. J. CLEGG and SONS, 57, Bank-street, Sheffield, Attorneys for the Debtors.

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 Benjamin Matthewman the elder and Henry Matthewman, of Milton-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, Cutlery Manufacturers, carrying on business under the style of Benjamin Matthewman and Sons.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Benjamin Matthewman the elder has been summoned to be held at the Cutlers' Hall, Church-street, Sheffield, on the 20th day of November, 1874, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

WM. J. CLEGG and SONS, 57, Bank-street, Sheffield, Attorneys 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 Benjamin Matthewman the elder and Henry Matthewman, of Milton-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, Cutlery Manufacturers, carrying on business under the style of Benjamin Matthewman and Sons.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Henry Matthewman has been summoned to be held at the Cutlers' Hall, Church-street, Sheffield, on the 20th day of November, 1874, at a quarter-past four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

WM. J. CLEGG and SONS, 57, Bank-street, Sheffield, Attorneys 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 Samuel George Holland, of Heeley, in the parish of Sheffield, in the county of York, Builder and Contractor.

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. George James Mellor, 40, Bank-street, Sheffield aforesaid, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

G. J. MELLOR, 40, Bank-street, Sheffield, Attorney for the said Debtor.

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 Charles Sever, of New Malton, in the county of York, Painter.

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 George Inn, in New Malton aforesaid, on the 26th day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

WM. SIMPSON, New Malton, Yorkshire, Attorney for the said Charles Sever.

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 Metcalfe, of No. 26, High Ousegate, in the city of York, and of Boston Spa, 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 the offices of Mr. George Crumbie, No. 46, Stonegate, in the city of York, Solicitor, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

GEO. CRUMBIE, 46, Stonegate, York, Attorney for the said William Metcalfe.

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 Arthur Edwin Gill, of Scothall Farm, in Woodhouse Carr, in the parish of Leeds, in the county of York, Merchant and Farm Bailiff, lately carrying on business at No. 28, Duncan-street, in Leeds aforesaid, with Alfred George King, as Corn, Flour, and Seed Merchants, under the style or firm of King and Gill.

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 Greene, Solicitor, No. 48, St. James-street, Leeds, in the county of York, on the 24th day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 31st day of October, 1874.

JNO. GREENE, of No. 48, St. James-street, Leeds, Attorney for the said Arthur Edwin Gill.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Northallerton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Marshall, of Ripon, in the county of York, Auctioneer and Dealer in Cake, Seed, and Tillage.

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. Arrowsmith and Winn, Solicitors, Ripon, on the 3rd day of December, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

CHAS. WAISTELL, Northallerton, Attorney for the said John Marshall.

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 Abraham Solomons, of No. 42, Day-street, Aulaby-road, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Travelling Jeweller.

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 S. Jorleson, Solicitor, No. 8, County-buildings, Land of Green Ginger, Hull, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

GEO. S. JORDESON, 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 John Sutcliffe, of Richmond-road, Bradford, in the county of York, Cotton Warp 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 Messrs. Wigglesworth and Glosop, of No. 33B, Kirkgate, Bradford, in the county of York, Accountants, on the 24th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

FREDERICK GREATREX, 53, Greengate-street, Stafford, Attorney for the said Debtor.

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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 John Robottom, of 30, Northgate and Sun-bridge, in Bradford, in the county of York, Fruiterer.

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. 29, Tyrrel-street, in Bradford aforesaid, on the 18th day of November, 1874, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

CHAS. L. ATKINSON, Attorney for the said John Robottom.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Ambler, of Dewsbury Moor, in the parish of Dewsbury, in the county of York, 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 William Sykes, Oak-street, Heckmondwike, on the 24th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

WILLIAM SYKES, Attorney for the said Debtor.

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 Joseph Jamieson and Frederick John Jamieson, of Old Shotton, in the county of Durham, Drapers, carrying on business in copartnership under the style or firm of J. and F. J. Jamieson, at Old Shotton aforesaid.

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. William Bell, Solicitor, No. 23, Lambton-street, Sunderland, in the said county of Durham, on the 18th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of November, 1874.

WILLIAM BELL, 23, Lambton-street, Sunderland, Attorney for the said Joseph Jamieson and Frederick John Jamieson.

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 Ralph Child, of No. 125, Coronation-street, and 2, Borough-road, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Cabinet 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. James Tilley, Solicitor, 9, Norfolk-street, Sunderland, on the 17th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of November, 1874.

JAMES TILLEY, 9, Norfolk-street, Sunderland, Attorney for the said Ralph Child.

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 John Benjamin Fairbairn, of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, trading as J. B. Fairbairn and Company, 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 No. 56, John-street, Sunderland, on the 18th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of November, 1874.

WILLIAM PINKNEY, No. 56, John-street, Sunderland, Attorney for the said John Benjamin Fairbairn.

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 Henry Mears, of No. 13, Norfolk-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Ironmonger.

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. J. H. Hope's office, No. 14, Norfolk-street, Sunderland aforesaid, on the 19th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

J. H. HOPE, 14, Norfolk-street, Sunderland, Attorney for the said Debtor.

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 Hird the younger, of Musgrave-street, West Hartlepool, in the county of Durham, 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. Ralph Bell, 64, Church-street, West Hartlepool, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 31st day of October, 1874.

RALPH BELL, 64, Church-street, West Hartlepool, Attorney for the said 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 John Edward Mackay, of Middlesborough, in the county of York, 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 Mrs. Barker's Temperance Hotel, Bridge-street West, Middlesborough, on the 25th day of November, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of November 1874.

GEO. BAINBRIDGE, 24, Albert-road, Middlesborough, Attorney for the said John Edward Mackay.

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 John Cooper, of 171, New Town-row, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Boot and Shoe Maker 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 Mr. Robert Duke, Christ Church-passage, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Attorney-at-Law, on the 24th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

ROBERT DUKE, 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 John Worth, of No. 80, Bordesley-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Scrap Iron Dealer and Broker.

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. E. A. Harrison's offices, 19, Newhall-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

E. A. HARRISON, 19, Newhall-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 George Frederick Hollis, also sued as George Hollis and Thomas Hollis, of 69, Great King-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Coal 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. Charles Beaton, Solicitor, Victoria-buildings, Temple-row, Birmingham, on the 20th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

CHAS. BEATON, 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 Edward Davis, of 9, Howe-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Tailor 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 Bullivan's Hotel, Carr's-lane, Birmingham, on the 19th day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

CHARLES KENNEDY, 100, Varna-road, Birmingham, Attorney for the Debtor.

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 William Almond and John Almond, carrying on business at King-street and the Union-quay, Low Lights, North Shields, in the county of Northumberland, as Engine Builders, the said William Almond residing at No. 19, Dockwray-square, North Shields aforesaid, and the said John Almond at No. 68, King-street aforesaid.

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. Tinley, Adamson, and Adamson, 99, Howard-street, North Shields, on the 25th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

TINLEY, ADAMSON, and ADAMSON, 99, Howard-street, North Shields, Attorneys for the said William Almond and John Almond.

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 William Almond and John Almond, carrying on business at King-street and the Union-quay, Low Lights, North Shields, in the county of Northumberland, as Engine Builders, the said William Almond residing at No. 19, Dockwray-square, North Shields aforesaid, and the said John Almond at No. 68, King-street aforesaid.

In the Separate Estate of William Almond.

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. Tinley, Adamson, and Adamson, 99, Howard-street, North Shields, on the 25th day of November, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

TINLEY, ADAMSON, and ADAMSON, 99, Howard-street, North Shields, Attorneys for the said William Almond.

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 Robert Ord and James Purvis, of Berwick-upon-Tweed, in the county of the borough and town of Berwick-upon-Tweed, Tailors and Clothiers, trading as Copartners, under the firm of Ord and Purvis.

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 Red Lion Hotel, Berwick-upon-Tweed, on the 25th day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

R. DOUGLAS, Berwick-upon-Tweed, Attorney for the said Robert Ord and James Purvis.

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 Thomas Hewett, of No. 1, Percy-street, in the borough of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 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. J. G. and J. E. Joel, 1, Newgate-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

J. G. and J. E. JOEL, 1, Newgate-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Attorneys for the said Thomas Hewett.

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 Mark Wilkinson, of Curzon-street, in the town of Nottingham, and of Bulwell, in the county of Nottingham, Plasterer and Lime Burner.

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 Assembly Rooms, Low-pavement, in the town of Nottingham, on the 27th day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

ORANCH and STROUD, of 3, Low-pavement, in the town of Nottingham, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

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 James Allen, formerly of Alma-terrace, Saint Ann's Well-road, in the town of Nottingham, Lace Maker, and now of No. 27, Lower Talbot-street, in the same town, Lace 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 Wilkinson Smith, No. 8, Fletcher-gate, in the town of Nottingham, on the 26th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

JOHN WILKINSON SMITH, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Stoke-upon-Trent and Longton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Bettaney, of East Vale, in the parish of Caverswall, in the county of Stafford, and William Bettaney, of Normacott, in the said county, trading as Copartners at King-street and Stafford-street, Longton, in the said county, as Decorators, Commission Agents, and Merchants, under the style or firm of W. Bettaney and J. Bettaney 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 Copeland Arms Hotel, Stoke-upon-Trent, on the 26th day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

CHAS. JOHN WELCH, 16, Caroline-street, Longton, 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 Reuben Thorley, now of Hope-street, Hanley, Joiner, but late of Paddock-street, Hanley, in the county of Stafford.

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. Paddock and Sons' offices, Old Hall-street, Hanley, on the 20th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

WM. W. PADDOCK, Hanley, Staffordshire, 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 Elizabeth Law, of Dudley-street, Wednesbury, in the county of Stafford, 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. James Slater, Solicitor, Buteroft, Darlaston, on the 24th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

W. H. EDWARDS, Darlaston, Attorney for the said Elizabeth Law.

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 Blagdon Taylor, of 10 and 11, Trim-street, in the city of Bath, Bookbinder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 3, Paragon, in the said city of Bath, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

JOHN RICKETTS, 3, Paragon, Bath, 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 Frederick Hildebrand Stevens, formerly of the Island of Malta, but now of 5, Caer Badden-terrace, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, a Captain in the Royal Navy.

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 Whitfield Derry, of No. 17, Courtenay-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at

twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

GEORGE W. DERRY, of 17, Courtenay-street, Plymouth, Attorney for the said Frederick Hildebrand Stevens.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cambridgeshire, holden at Cambridge.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Vinsen the elder, late of Harston, in the county of Cambridge, but now of No. 63, King-street, in the town of Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge, Coach Builder, and Walter William Vinsen, of Nos. 4, 5, and 6, Regent-street, in the said town of Cambridge, Coach Builder, carrying on business as Coach Builders (in connection with Robert Vinsen, late of Royston, in the county of Hertford, Coach Builder, who some time since quitted England, and is now presumed to be residing in the Colony of New Zealand), and trading under the style or firm of Henry Vinsen and Sons, at Nos. 4, 5, and 6, Regent-street, in the said town of Cambridge, and at Back-street, in the said town of Royston.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the joint creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the Bird-bolt Hotel, St. Andrew's-street, in the town of Cambridge, on the 26th day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of November, 1874.

FETCH and JARROLD, 55, St. Andrew's-street, Cambridge, Attorneys for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cambridgeshire, holden at Cambridge.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Vinsen the elder, late of Harston, in the county of Cambridge, but now of No. 63, King-street, in the town of Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge, Coach Builder, and Walter William Vinsen, of Nos. 4, 5, and 6, Regent-street, in the said town of Cambridge, Coach Builder, carrying on business as Coach Builders (in connection with Robert Vinsen, late of Royston, in the county of Hertford, Coach Builder, who some time since quitted England, and is now presumed to be residing in the Colony of New Zealand), and trading under the style or firm of Henry Vinsen and Sons, at Nos. 4, 5, and 6, Regent-street, in the said town of Cambridge, and at Back-street, in the said town of Royston.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Henry Vinsen the elder, has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Fetch and Jarrold, Solicitors, No. 55, St. Andrew's-street, in the town of Cambridge, on the 27th day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

FETCH and JARROLD, 55, St. Andrew's-street Cambridge, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cambridgeshire, holden at Cambridge.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Vinsen the elder, late of Harston, in the county of Cambridge, but now of No. 63, King-street, in the town of Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge, Coach Builder, and Walter William Vinsen, of Nos. 4, 5, and 6, Regent-street, in the said town of Cambridge, Coach Builder, carrying on business as Coach Builders (in connection with Robert Vinsen, late of Royston, in the county of Hertford, Coach Builder, who some time since quitted England, and is now presumed to be residing in the Colony of New Zealand), and trading under the style or firm of Henry Vinsen and Sons, at Nos. 4, 5, and 6, Regent-street, in the said town of Cambridge, and at Back-street, in the said town of Royston.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Walter William Vinsen has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Fetch and Jarrold, Solicitors, No. 55, St. Andrew's-street, in the town of Cambridge, on the 27th day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

FETCH and JARROLD, 55, St. Andrew's-street, Cambridge, Attorneys 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 Ann Biggs, of 21, Bond-street, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Widow, and Pork 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 19, Prince Albert-street, Brighton,

on the 28th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

THOMAS A. GOODMAN, 19, Prince Albert-street, Brighton, Attorney for the said Ann biggs.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Hastings. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Goodman Porter, No. 4, Queen's-buildings, Hastings, in the county of Sussex, Soda Water Manufacturer.

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 Town Clerk's Office, No. 8, Bank-buildings, Hastings aforesaid, on the 18th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

MEADOWS and ELLIOT, 32, Havelock-road, Hastings, Attorneys for the said William Goodman Porter.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Great Yarmouth. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Fosdike, of No. 39, Charlotte-street, Great Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, Ironmonger.

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. 3, South-quay, Great Yarmouth aforesaid, on the 27th day of November, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

WORSHIP and RISING, No. 3, South-quay, Great Yarmouth, Attorneys for the said Robert Fosdike.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cornwall, holden at Truro. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Hocken, of Carnhell, in the parish of Gwinnear, in the county of Cornwall, Commission Agent.

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 Teague Trevena, Solicitor, West-end, Redruth, on the 18th day of November, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

JOHN TEAGUE TREVENA, Redruth, Attorney for the said Henry Hocken.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Portsmouth. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Hewett, of No. 15, High-street, and Government-road, both in Gosport, in the county of Hants, Coal Merchant and Contractor.

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. Alfred S. Blake, No. 40, High-street, Gosport, in the county of Hants, on the 14th day of November, 1874, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

ALFRED S. BLAKE, 40, High-street, Gosport, and 21, Union-street, Portsea, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Westmorland, holden at Kendal. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Peacock, residing at 9, Back-lane, Kendal, in the county of Westmorland, and carrying on business at Ann-street, Kendal aforesaid, as a 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 Board Room, Market-place, Kendal, in the county of Westmorland, on the 24th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

C. G. THOMSON and WILSON, Finkle-street, Kendal, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Stourbridge. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Mary Jane Allen, of High-street, Stourbridge, in the county of Worcester, Fancy Haberdasher.

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. Thomas Wall, in

Union-chambers, Stourbridge, on the 21st day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

THOS. WALL, Union-chambers, Stourbridge, Attorney for the said Mary Jane Allen.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Wiltshire, holden at Salisbury. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by the Reverend John Rice, of Andover, in the county of Southampton, Clerk in Holy Orders and Schoolmaster.

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 White Hart Hotel, Market-place, Newbury, Berks, on the 14th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

W. H. CAVE, Newbury, Berks, Attorney for the said John Rice.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Luton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Clark, of Lane Farm, Stopsley, near Luton, in the county of Bedford, 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 Mr. Richard Hall, No. 16, Abchurch-lane, in the city of London, Solicitor, on the 20th day of November, 1874, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

RICH. HALL, 16, Abchurch-lane, London, 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 Henry Hiam, of Sherborne-terrace, Cheltenham, 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 offices of Mr. Frederick Stroud, Solicitor, Clarence-parade, in Cheltenham aforesaid, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

FREDK. STROUD, Attorney for the said Henry Hiam.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Charles Painter, of No. 5, Market-place, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Hosiery Warehouseman.

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 Marlborough's Head, Welford-road, Leicester aforesaid, on the 24th day of November, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

J. NEALE PETTY, Millstone-lane, Leicester, Attorney for the said Frederick Charles Painter.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Denbighshire, holden at Wrexham. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Roberts and Thomas William Oliver, both Oswestry, in the county of Salop, Mercers and Drapers, trading under the style or firm of Roberts and Oliver.

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 the Home Trade Association, situate at No. 8, York-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

STEPHEN DONNE, of Oswestry, Attorney for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Grindle Johnstone, of No. 10, Morgau-street, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Tailor 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 offices of Mr. Joseph Gibbs,

Solicitor, No. 5, Commercial-street, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

JOSEPH GIBBS, Newport, Monmouthshire, Attorney for the said John Grindle Johnstone.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Louis Praeger, of 68, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, Wholesale Clothier.

ON the requisition of the above-named debtor, a Meeting of his Creditors is hereby summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Coles, Wilson, and Co., 63, Bishopsgate-street Within, in the city of London, Accountants, on Wednesday, the 18th day of November, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for the purpose of passing the accounts of the Trustee, and granting his release, and also to consider the grant of the debtor's discharge; and to fix the date of closing the liquidation.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

E. P. WILSON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Shropshire, holden at Shrewsbury. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Williams, late of No. 9, Castle-street, Shrewsbury, in the county of Salop, Grocer, but now of No. 3, Smithfield-terrace, Shrewsbury aforesaid (in lodgings), out of business.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named person is hereby summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Henry Morris, Solicitor, Swan-hill, Shrewsbury, on Saturday, the 21st day of November instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely. The objects of such meeting, and the business proposed to be transacted thereat, being by special resolution:—1. To consider and if thought advisable, pass a resolution authorising the Trustee to dispose of as the meeting shall direct, or in default thereof, as the Trustee shall think fit, a legacy of £150 given to the debtor by the will of his late father, and payable by three instalments from the day of the death of the testator; 2. To fix the remuneration to be given to the Trustee; 3. To order the payment of the Solicitor's costs; 4. To resolve as to the time and manner of auditing the accounts; 5. To fix the date of the close of the liquidation and the release of the Trustee.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

WM. HALL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Richard Lewis Smith, of Tonypandy, near Pontypridd, in the county of Glamorgan, Tailor and Draper.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named debtor will be held at the offices of Mr. James Collins, Junior, Accountant, No. 39, Broad-street, in the city of Bristol, on Tuesday, the 17th day of November now instant, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustee of an offer the debtor has made to pay to his creditors a composition of 12s. 6d. in the pound, by five instalments of 2s. 6d. each, payable respectively at three, six, nine, twelve, and fifteen months from the date of the acceptance by the Trustee of such offer, the first instalment to be secured by the promissory note of the debtor, and the four remaining instalments to be secured by the joint and several promissory notes of the debtor and two sureties, to be approved of by the Trustee; the said debtor or his sureties paying all costs, charges, and expenses, and also all preferential claims or payments incidental to the liquidation proceedings and to this arrangement, or due from him or his estate; and to pass such resolutions in the matter as may be necessary for carrying the said composition arrangement into effect.—Dated the 9th day of November, 1874.

JAMES COLLINS, Jr., 39, Broad-street, Bristol, 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 Brown and John Nunns, both of 5, Commercial-street, Shoreditch, in the county of Middlesex, Wholesale Cabinet Manufacturers, Copartners.

THE creditors of the above-named William Brown and John Nunns who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of December, 1874,

to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Yalden, of 70, Cheapside, in the city of London, 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 6th day of November, 1874.

J. YALDEN, 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 Louis White, of No. 78, Tottenham Court-road, London, in the county of Middlesex, and of Nos. 52, 57, and 81, all in Market-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, and No. 256, Oxford-road, Chorlton-upon-Medlock, in the said county of Lancaster, Jeweller.

THE creditors of the above-named Louis White who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 30th day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to us, the undersigned, Edward Joseph Lezard, of Viaduct-chambers, Holborn-viaduct, London, Watch Manufacturer, and Henry Grosvenor Nicholson, of 100, King-street, Manchester, Accountant, the Trustees under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

EDWARD J. LEZARD,
H. G. NICHOLSON, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Guildford and Godalming.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Arthur Brett, of No. 95, High-street, Godalming, in the county of Surrey, Builder.

THE creditors of the above-named Arthur Brett who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, John Cates Collier, of Godalming, Surrey, 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 2nd day of November, 1874.

JOHN CATES COLLIER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cornwall, holden at Truro.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Roberts, of Redruth, in the county of Cornwall, Draper.

THE creditors of the above-named John Roberts who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Michell Grylls, of Redruth, in the county of Cornwall, 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 5th day of November, 1874.

WM. M. GRYLLES, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cornwall, holden at Truro.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Vine, of Redruth, in the county of Cornwall, Travelling Draper.

THE creditors of the above-named John Vine who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, William Henry Reynolds, of Redruth, in the county of Cornwall, Draper, 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 5th day of November, 1874.

WILLIAM HENRY REYNOLDS, 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 Margaret Elder, Widow, and James Elder, of No. 25, Redcross-street, Nos. 57 and 59, Hotham-street, and No. 388, Scotland-road, all in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Flour Dealers and Bakers, trading in copartnership under the style or firm of James Elder.

THE creditors of the above-named Margaret Elder and James Elder who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 18th day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Hugh Carmichael, of 77A, Lord-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Ac-

countant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the proposed to be declared.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

H. CARMICHAEL, 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 Henry Haywood Glover, of 7, Canning-chambers, Strand-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Oil Merchant, trading under the firm of H. H. Glover and Co.

THE creditors of the above-named Henry Haywood Glover who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 18th day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Henry Bolland, of 10, Sotuh John-street, Liverpool aforesaid, 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 7th day of November, 1874.

HY. BOLLAND, 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 Staley, of 16A, Brooks's-bar, Moss-side, and Upper Moss-lane, Stretford, in the county of Lancaster, Boot and Shoe Maker and Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named John Staley who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 18th day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to us, the undersigned, Thomas Mottershead, of No. 2, Victoria-street, Accountant, and George Whitt, of 64, Lower King-street, Accountant, both of Manchester, the Trustees under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

THOS. MOTTERSHEAD,
GEO. WHITT, Joint Trustees.

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 Robert Bramall, of No. 90, London-road, in the city of Manchester, Boot and Shoe Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named Robert Bramall who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 18th day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Thomas Mottershead, of No. 2, Victoria-street, Manchester, 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 6th day of November, 1874.

THOS. MOTTERSHEAD, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester, by transfer from the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Henry Pochin, of No. 80, Derby-road, in the town of Nottingham, Draper.

THE creditors of the above-named George Henry Pochin who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Joshua Crowther, of Bath-chambers, 39, York-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, 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 6th day of November, 1874.

JOSHUA CROWTHER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Hodgson Sharp, of Hudson-road, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Painter.

THE creditors of the above-named William Hodgson Sharp, who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 18th day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Thomas Sherwood, of No. 1, John-street, Sunderland, 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 6th day of November, 1874.

THOMAS SHERWOOD, 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 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.

THE creditors of the above-named Frederick Nurse who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 25th day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Spencer, of 41, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, 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 16th day of October, 1874.

THOMAS SPENCER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Hill, of Hexham, in the county of Northumberland, Draper.

THE creditors of the above-named James Hill who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 27th day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Thomas Bowden, of Bank-buildings, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 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 6th day of November, 1874.

THOS. BOWDEN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Carpenter, of No. 10, Spring Garden-terrace, and Pitt-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Cab Proprietor, Undertaker, Yeast Dealer, and Drysalter.

THE creditors of the above-named James Carpenter who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Dodds Lamb, Public Accountant, St. John's-chambers, Grainger-street West, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 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 6th day of November, 1874.

W. D. LAMB, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Stafford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Goodwin, of Chapel-street, Stafford, in the county of Stafford, Plumber and Glazier.

THE creditors of the above-named George Goodwin who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 25th day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to us, the undersigned, Thomas John Wesley Bennett, of 39, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, and George Griffiths, of the Stafford Foundry, in the county of Stafford, Ironfounder, the Trustees 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 November, 1874.

T. J. WESLEY BENNETT,
GEORGE GRIFFITHS, Trustees.

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 Toplis, late of the Pack Horse Inn, West Bar, in Sheffield, in the county of York, Licensed Victualler, and now of No. 150, Upperthorpe-road, in Sheffield aforesaid, out of business.

THE creditors of the above-named William Toplis who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Unwin Wing, of Prideaux-chambers, Change-alley, Sheffield, 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 6th day of November, 1874.

J. UNWIN WING, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Smith, of Swinton-bridge, near Rotherham, Boat Builder, Timber Merchant, and General Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named John Smith who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Charles Herbert Moss, of 14, College-street, Rotherham, 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 7th day of November, 1874.

CHAS. H. MOSS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Fearnshides, of Batley Carr, in the parish of Batley, in the county of York, Rag Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named William Fearnshides who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 21st day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Matthew Wharton, Junr., of Batley Carr aforesaid, Woollen Manufacturer, 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 5th day of November, 1874.

MATTHEW WHARTON, Junr., Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Luton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Gage, of Market-hill, Luton, in the county of Bedford, Chemist and Druggist, and of the Market-place, Dunstable, in the said county, Chemist and Druggist.

THE creditors of the above-named George Gage who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 15th day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Francis Nicholls, of 14, Old Jewry-chambers, 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 4th day of November, 1874.

FRANCIS NICHOLLS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Bibbens, of Ambrooke House, Ipplepen, in the county of Devon, Commission Agent.

THE creditors of the above-named William Bibbens who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Thomas Andrew, of No. 3, Bedford-circus, Exeter, 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 7th day of November, 1874.

THOMAS ANDREW, Trustee.

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 George Edwards, of No. 10, Wellington-place, in the town of Northampton, Coal Merchant and Insurance Agent.

THE creditors of the above-named George Edwards who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 24th day of November, 1874, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Charles Dawson King, of No. 38, Newland, Northampton, 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 4th day of November, 1874.

C. DAWSON KING, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Great Grimsby. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Wells, of Saltfleetby Saint Clement's, in the county of Lincoln, Farmer.

THE creditors of the above-named William Wells who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 16th day of November, 1874, to send their

names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Vincent Thomas Crow, of Louth, in the said county of Lincoln, Clerk, the Trustee under the liquidation; or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated the 4th day of November, 1874.

VINCENT THOMAS CROW, 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 Francis Wheeler and George Edward Wheeler, trading as Wheeler Brothers, both of No. 7, Borough-market, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, Seed Merchants and Florists.

JOHAN COMFORT, of Grecian-chambers, Devereux-court, Temple, 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 2nd day of November, 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 Thomas Denman, of 170, Camberwell-road, and of Dowlas-street, Camberwell, both in the county of Surrey, Florist and Seedsman.

EDWARD DOWNS, of Moorgate-street-chambers, in the city of London, 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 proof of debts to the trustees.—Dated this 21st day of October, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Wandsworth. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Job George, of 106, High-street, Wandsworth, in the county of Surrey, Baker.

HENRY WYNDHAM PETTIS, of 5, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, 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 6th day of November, 1874.

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 John Elliott, of East Jarrow, in the county of Durham, Iron Manufacturer, and of Leith, in the Kingdom of Scotland, Dealer in Iron.

THOMAS YOUNG STRACHAN, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 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 7th day of November, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Boston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Wise and William Gee the younger, both of Boston, in the county of Lincoln, Bankers, carrying on business under the style or firm of Thomas Gee and Co., the said Thomas Wise residing at No. 49, High-street, Boston aforesaid, and the said William Gee the younger residing at the Churchyard, in Boston aforesaid, in the said county.

The Separate Estate of the said Thomas Wise.

JAMES THORNS, of Boston, in the county of Lincoln, Justice of the Peace, and James Waddell, of Mansion-house-chambers, 12, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, Public 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 21st day of September, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Boston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Wise and William Gee the younger, both of Boston, in the county of Lincoln, Bankers, carrying on business under the style or firm of Thomas Gee and Co., the said Thomas Wise residing at No. 49, High-street, Boston aforesaid, and the said William Gee the younger residing at Churchyard, in Boston aforesaid, in the said county.

The Separate Estate of the said William Gee, the younger.

JAMES THORNS, of Boston, in the county of Lincoln, Justice of the Peace, and James Waddell, of Mansion-house-chambers, 12, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, Public 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 21st day of September, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Berkshire, holden at Newbury. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Beckingham, of Boxford, in the county of Berks, out of business, and Frank Williams Beckingham, of Kingsbury Episcopi, in the county of Somerset, Miller, but lately carrying on the trades or businesses of Millers and Farmers, at Boxford aforesaid, as Copartners, the said Frank Williams Beckingham now also carrying on the business of a Farmer, at Boxford aforesaid.

FRANCIS FLOWER SOMERSET, of Newbury, in the county of Berks, Brewer, John Woolcott, of Montacute, in the county of Somerset, Yeoman, and John Petter, of Yeovil, in the said county of Somerset, Ironmonger, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the debtors 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 31st day of October, 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 James Bruce, of 52, Irlam-lane, Bootle, near Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Commission Merchant, lately carrying on business at 13, Broadway, New York, in the United States of America, under the firm of Bruce and Co., but without a partner.

HENRY BOLLAND, of 10, South John-street, Liverpool, 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 5th day of November, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Edward Blake, of Nos. 44 and 57, Yorkshire-street, and No. 11, Albion-street, all in Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer, Tailor, and Clothier.

ROBERT WINTERBOTTOM, of Glendale, in Oldham aforesaid, Commercial Traveller, 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 November, 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 James Hill, of Mansfield-road, in the town of Nottingham, Cab Proprietor.

JOSEPH PRESS, of Hound's-gate, in 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 5th day of November, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cardiganshire, holden at Aberystwith.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Evans, of Pennaŵ Aberarth, in the parish of Llanbadarn Trefeglwys, in the county of Cardigan, Grocer.

JAMES COLLINS, of No. 39, Broad-street, Bristol, 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 7th day of November, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Lewes. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Jeremiah Clifford, described as of No. 6, Bourn-street, Eastbourne, Sussex, out of business, and late of No. 156, Hoxton-street, Middlesex, Provision Dealer.

HENRY AIRD, of No. 8, Eastcheap, in the city of London, Solicitor, 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 31st day of October, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Westmorland, holden at Kendal. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Speight, of Sand Air, in Crook, in the county of Westmorland, Yeoman.

FRANCIS JOHN THORNER, of Kendal, in the county of Westmorland, Auctioneer and 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 6th day of November, 1874.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. **A MEETING** of the Creditors of William Shearman, of No. 29, St. John's-road, Bootle, in the county of Lancaster, trading under the style or firm of The Liverpool Steam Laundry Company, at Brazenose-road, Miller's Bridge, Bootle, in the county of Lancaster, and also following the occupation of a Book-keeper at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, adjudicated a bankrupt on the 20th day of September, 1870, will be held at the Clarendon Rooms, South John-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 23rd day of November, 1874, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the trustee of a composition, offered by the bankrupt of one shilling in the pound, and for annulling thereafter of the order of adjudication made against the bankrupt.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court. In the Matter of William Fellgate, of 249, Holloway-road, and 8, Osborn-terrace, Stroud-green, both in the county of Middlesex, Dairyman, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 12th day of September, 1873.

TAKE notice, that a Meeting of the Creditors in the above bankruptcy will be held at the office of Mr. William Bohm, Solicitor, 7, New-inn, Strand, London, on Monday, the 16th day of November instant, at one o'clock in the afternoon, to consider an application to be made by me to Mr. Registrar Pepys, at the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 1st day of December next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for an order for my release as Trustee, pursuant to the 51st section of the Bankruptcy Act, 1869, an order having been made closing the bankruptcy.—Dated 5th November, 1874.

WILLIAM ARMSTRONG, Haynes, Bedfordshire, Trustee in the above Bankruptcy.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FIRST Dividend of 1s. 3d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Herbert Edward Clayton, of No. 34, Throgmorton-street, in the city of London, Stock-broker, adjudicated bankrupt on the 25th day of April, 1874, and will be paid by me, at my offices, No. 3, Crosby-square, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 11th day of November, 1874, and three following Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

EDWARD MOORE, Trustee.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Lewes.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 3d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Alfred Henry Dray, of Swansbrook, Chiddingfold, in the county of Sussex, Blacksmith, adjudicated bankrupt on the 17th day of February, 1874, and will be paid by me, at the office of Mr. Edward Hillman, Solicitor, Cliffe, Lewes, Sussex, on and after the 10th day of November, 1874.—Dated this 4th day of November, 1874.

E. MORRIS, jun., Trustee.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 10d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Joseph Wilkinson, of Whitley, in the county of York, Butcher, Ham and Bacon Merchant, and Farmer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 14th day of February, 1871, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Gray, Frankland, and Simpson, Solicitors, in Grape-lane, in Whitley aforesaid, on and after the 2nd day of November, 1874.—Dated this 29th day of October, 1874.

ROBERT GRAY, Trustee.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.

A THIRD and Final Dividend of 9d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Manockjee Dhunjeebhoy Shroff, of 8B, Rumford-place, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Commission Merchant, trading as Manockjee D. Shroff and Co., adjudicated bankrupt on the 11th day of June, 1873, and will be paid by me, at my office, 10, South John-street, Liverpool, on any Wednesday, between the hours of eleven and two.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

HY. BOLLAND, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 2s. 9d. in the pound has been declared in the joint estate in the matter of Richard Johnson and William Henry Johnson, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Watch Makers and Pawnbrokers, and Copartners, trading under the firm of Johnson and Son, adjudicated bankrupts on the 10th day of November, 1873, and will be paid by me, at my offices, 66, Queen-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, on and after the 12th day of November, 1874.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

FREDERICK BEDFORD, Trustee.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Poole.

A FIRST Dividend of 8s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of George Warren, of Bournemouth, in the county of Southampton, Victualler and Provision Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 11th day of March, 1874, and will be paid by me, at the office of Mr. Henry Samuel Davy, of Ringwood, in the county of Southampton, Solicitor, on and after the 25th day of November, 1874.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

ROBT. DURRANT, Trustee.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

A FIRST Dividend of 4s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of William Gall, of No. 3, Charlotte-square, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Draper, adjudicated bankrupt on the 19th day of August, 1873, and will be paid by me, at my offices, 65, Clayton-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on and after the 10th day of November, 1874.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

ROBERT HANNAH, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury. In the Matter of Joseph Fisher Hainsworth, of Ossett, in the county of York, Manufacturer, a Bankrupt.

WHEREAS under a Bankruptcy Petition presented to this Court against the said Joseph Fisher Hainsworth, an order of adjudication was made on the 23rd day of July, 1874. This is to give notice, that the said adjudication was, by order of this Court, annulled on the 5th day of November, 1874.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against John Thompson, of 21, Cuthbert-street, Edgware-road, in the county of Middlesex, Commission Agent.

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 John Thompson having been given, it is ordered that the said John Thompson be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 6th day of November, 1874.

By the Court.

H. P. Roche, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said John Thompson is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 24th day of November, 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 Philip Henry Pepsy, 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 London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against W Leschkau, of 25, Aldgate High-street, in the county of Middlesex, Commission Agent.

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 W Leschkau having been given, it is ordered that the said W Leschkau be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 6th day of November, 1874.

By the Court.

H. P. Roche, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said W Leschkau is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 26th day of November, 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 Henry Philip Roche, 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 London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Frederick Edward Lonsdale, late of Roussel Lodge, Roussel-street, St. Heliers, in the Island of Jersey, and formerly of Walham Lodge, Fulham, in the county of Middlesex, but now of 2, North-villas, Camden-square, in the said county of Middlesex, late a Lieutenant in Her Majesty's 49th Regiment of Foot, but now of no occupation.

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 the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Frederick Edward Lonsdale having been given, it is ordered that the said Frederick Edward Lonsdale be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 6th day of November, 1874.

By the Court.

H. P. Roche, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Frederick Edward Lonsdale is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 24th day of November, 1874, at half-past 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 William Powell Murray, 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 London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Harris, of 71, Princess-street, and at 7, Malthouse-mews, Carlisle-street, Edgware-road, in the county of Middlesex, Builder, Contractor, House Decorator, and Shop-fitter.

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 William Harris having been given, it is ordered that the said William Harris be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 5th day of November, 1874:—

By the Court.

H. P. Roche, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Harris is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 24th day of November, 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 William Powell Murray, 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 Cheshire, holden at Nantwich and Crewe.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Ledward Price, of Over, otherwise Winsford, in the county of Chester, Builder and Quarrymaster.

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 William Ledward Price having been given, it is ordered that the said William Ledward Price be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 7th day of November, 1874.

By the Court,

C. E. Speakman, Deputy-Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Ledward Price is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court Office, Nantwich-road, Crewe, on the 26th day of November, 1874, at half-past 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 Henry Stanley Gale, of No. 35, Burgess-terrace, Hyde-road, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Surgeon, formerly of No. 145, East India-road, and No. 188, High-street, Poplar, in the county of Middlesex, then of No. 8, Westbourne Park-place, Paddington, in the county of Middlesex, and afterwards of 14A, Warwick-street, Leamington, in the county of Warwick.

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 Henry Stanley Gale having been given, it is ordered that the said Henry Stanley Gale be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 5th day of November, 1874.

By the Court.

Sam. Kay, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Henry Stanley Gale is hereby summoned to be held at the Court-house, Nicholas-croft, High-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 26th day of November, 1874, at half-past 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 Davison Alexander Dakziel, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, Agent for Sale of Gloves, a Bankrupt.

Frederick Lucas, of No. 26, Maddox-street, Regent-street, in the county of Middlesex, 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 19th day of December, 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 5th day of November, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of William Macaire, of No. 18, Duke-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler and Publican, a Bankrupt.

Edward Moore, of No. 3, Crosby-square, 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 5th day of December, 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 5th day of November, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Henry Lacy, formerly of No. 8, Colville-square, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, afterwards of No. 51, Hereford-road, Bayswater, in the same county, and now of No. 28, Bark-place, Bayswater, in the same county, Schoolmaster, a Bankrupt.

John Holder, of No. 1, Frederick's-place, Old Jewry, in the city of London, Attorney 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 London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on the 25th day of November, 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 6th day of November, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of John Simkin Sidwell, of 49, Citizen-road, Holloway-road, in the county of Middlesex, Pawbroker's Assistant, a Bankrupt.

John Attenborough, of 63, St. Paul's-churchyard, in the city of London, 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 London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 23rd day of November, 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 22nd day of September, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of James Coleman, of No. 8, Warrender-road, Junction-road, Holloway, in the county of Middlesex, Builder, a Bankrupt.

Frederick James Rowley, of No. 229, Junction-road, Holloway, in the county of Middlesex, Surveyor, 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 1st day of December, 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 5th day of November, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Stoke-upon-Trent and Longton.

In the Matter of John Warner, of Longton, in the county of Stafford, Beerseller, a Bankrupt.

William Keary, of Stoke-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, Gentleman and Registrar of the Court, 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, Townhall, Stoke-upon-Trent, on the 7th day of December, 1874, at one 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 5th day of November, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Lewes.

In the Matter of James Edward Mathew, of No. 9, Bourne-street, Eastbourne, Sussex, in no occupation, a Bankrupt.

Sydney Chidley, of 40, Marlborough-street, London, Gentleman, 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-hall, Lewes, Sussex, on the 24th day of November, 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 5th day of November, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

In the Matter of Arthur John Fritwell, carrying on business at Sheepbridge, in the parish of Whittington, in the county of Derby, as Brick Manufacturer and Colliery Proprietor, and residing at Sheffield, in the county of York, a Bankrupt.

Cooper Corbridge the younger, 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, in Bank-street, in Sheffield, on the 26th day of November, 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 6th day of November, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.

In the Matter of Samuel Pickman, of No. 4, New Cannon-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, trading as Pickman and Co., Shirt Manufacturer and Merchant, a Bankrupt.

Thomas Walton Gillibrand, of No. 56, George-street, in the city of Manchester, 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 Court-house, Nicholas-croft, High-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 26th day of November, 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 5th day of November, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.

In the Matter of John Kates Richardson, of Orchard-villas, Slade-lane, Levenshulme, near the city of Manchester, lately carrying on business as a Wine and Spirit Merchant and Commission Agent, at 35A, Spring-gardens, in the said city of Manchester, but now engaged in the business of a Wine and Spirit Merchant, at the Barton-arcade, Deansgate, in Manchester aforesaid, a Bankrupt.

Edwin Banks Harding, of No. 23, Brown-street, in the city of Manchester, 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 Court-house, Nicholas-croft, High-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 26th day of November, 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 5th day of November, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Thomas Byrne, of No. 13, Huskisson-street, and of Walmer-buildings, Water-street, both in Liverpool aforesaid, Merchant, a Bankrupt.

John Sutherland Banner, of North John-street, Liverpool, 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, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, on the 27th day of November, 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 October, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of John Featherston, of Mansfield, in the county of Nottingham, Grocer and Provision Dealer, a Bankrupt.

Samuel Turner, of Mansfield, in the county of Nottingham, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. 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 November, 1874.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

On the 11th day of December, 1874, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, James Fawcett, of Collingwood-chambers, Collingwood-street, Public Accountant, Financial Agent, and residing at No. 3, Hutton-terrace, Jesmond, both in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, adjudicated bankrupt on the 27th day of August, 1874, will apply for an Order of Discharge.—Dated this 5th day of November, 1874.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon.

On the 30th day of November, 1874, at two o'clock in the afternoon, Frank John Hawkins, of No. 2, Oak-villas, Merton Park, in the county of Surrey, adjudicated bankrupt on the 16th day of September, 1873, will apply for an Order of Discharge.—Dated this 9th day of November, 1874.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Second Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Charles Cavell, of 27, Old Burlington-street, in the county of Middlesex, Milliner and Upholsterer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 25th day of April, 1874. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 24th day of November, 1874, will be excluded.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1874.

Jno. F. Lovering, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Cornelius Chambers, of No. 84, Lausdowns-road, Sheffield, in the county of York, Comb and Brooch Manufacturer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 23rd day of July, 1874. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 20th day of November, 1874, will be excluded.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1874.

W. T. Stainforth, 12, Baker's-hill, Sheffield, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Edward Gamble, trading as Edward Gamble and Company, of Durham-road and Trent Works, Edward-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, File and Steel Manufacturer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 1st day of June, 1874. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 24th day of November, 1874, will be excluded.—Dated this 7th day of November, 1874.

Josh. Pearson, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Wandsworth.

In the Matter of James Alexander Mill, of the Grayhound Tavern, Streatham Common, in the county of Surrey, Licensed Victualler, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 5th day of April, 1871.

THE Creditors of the above-named James Alexander Mill who have not already proved their debts are required, on or before the 25th day of November next, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of

their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Edwin Davis Estall, of the Artillery Brewery, Victoria-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, the Trustee under the bankruptcy, or in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of the final dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 30th day of October, 1874.

EDWIN D. ESTALL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

Notice of Dividend Meeting.

A Meeting of the Creditors of the Bankrupt 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 the Honourable William Cecil Spring-Rice, Registrar:

John Macnamara, of No. 8, Navarino-terrace, Cowley-road, Brixton, in the county of Surrey, previously of No. 4, Navarino-terrace aforesaid, previously of No. 2, Hill-street, Peckham, in the same county, and of No. 39, Charlotte-street, Fitzroy-square, in the county of Middlesex, and during all the time being a Government Clerk, Inland Revenue, Somerset House, adjudicated bankrupt on the 3rd day of August, 1863. A Final Dividend Meeting will be held on the 26th day of November instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the said Meeting the Assignee will, in pursuance of the 174th section of the said Act, submit statements of the Bankrupt's 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 bankrupt. 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 London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of William Reader, of 20, Cullum-street, in the city of London, Fire-proof Safe Manufacturer, a Bankrupt.

AN Order of Discharge was granted to William Reader, of 20, Cullum-street, in the city of London, Fire-proof Safe Manufacturer, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 20th day of June, 1872.—Dated this 6th day of November, 1872.

In the County Court of Westmorland, holden at Kendal. In the Matter of Moses Hully, of No. 1, Yard, 22, Finkle-street, Kendal, in the county of Westmorland, and of the New Shambles, Kendal aforesaid, Butcher, a Bankrupt.

AN Order of Discharge was granted to Moses Hully, of No. 1, Yard, 22, Finkle-street, Kendal, in the county of Westmorland, and of the New Shambles, Kendal aforesaid, Butcher, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 5th day of July, 1873.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Hanley. Burslem, and Tunstall.

In the Matter of Alexander Grierson McMurdo, of Church-street, Newcastle-under-Lyme, in the county of Stafford, Travelling Draper, a Bankrupt.

AN Order of Discharge was granted to Alexander Grierson McMurdo, of Church-street, Newcastle-under-Lyme, in the county of Stafford, Travelling Draper, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 30th day of November, 1872.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of Samuel Holliday, of Little Hulton, in the county of Lancaster, Shopkeeper, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 6th day of November, 1874, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt had been realised for the benefit of his creditors, and a dividend to the amount of eightpence halfpenny in the pound has been paid, as shown by the statements of account hereunto annexed, and no person appearing to oppose an order for the closing of this bankruptcy, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the bankrupt had been realised for the benefit of his creditors, and a dividend to the amount of eightpence halfpenny in

the pound has been paid, as shown by the statement of accounts annexed to the said report, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Samuel Holliday has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 6th day of November, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Robert Townend Denton and Charles Butterworth, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, Wholesale Grocers, trading in Copartnership under the style or firm of R. T. Denton and Co., Bankrupts, the separate estate of Charles Butterworth, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 6th day of November, 1874, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and that there was not sufficient to pay a dividend, as shown by the statement thereunto annexed, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized, and that there was not sufficient to pay a dividend, as shown by the said statement, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Charles Butterworth has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 7th day of November, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Huddersfield. In the Matter of Alfred Jackson Hoyle, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, Jeweller, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 3rd day of November, 1874, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and a dividend to the amount of two shillings in the pound has been paid, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and a dividend of two shillings in the pound has been paid, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Alfred Jackson Hoyle has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court, this 4th day of November, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon. In the Matter of Frank John Hawkins, of No. 2, Oak Villas, Merton Park, in the county of Surrey, Banker's Clerk, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 16th day of October, 1874, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, 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 Frank John Hawkins has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of November, 1874.

THE estates of William George Thomson, Doctor of Medicine, Carlisle, were sequestrated on 3rd November, 1874, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated 3rd November, 1874.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, afternoon, on Monday, the 16th day of November, 1874, within the Clydesdale Hotel, Lanark.

A composition may be offered at this latter meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 1st day of March, 1875.

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

R. RENTON, Agent.

73, West Nile-street, Glasgow,
6th November, 1874.

THE estates of William Thomson, Commission Agent residing at La Belle Cottage, Ayr, were sequestrated on the 7th day of November, 1874, by the Sheriff of the county of Ayr.

The first deliverance is dated 7th November, 1874.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, afternoon, on Wednesday, the 18th day of November, 1874, within the Star Hotel, Ayr.

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 7th day of March, 1875.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt until the meeting of the Creditors for the election of a Trustee.

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

W. W. and J. POLLOCK, Solicitors, Ayr,
Agents.

THE estates of Thomas Cameron, of Bainsford Roperie, Falkirk, were sequestrated on the 6th day of November, 1874, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated 6th November, 1874.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Friday, the 13th day of November, 1874, within the Red Lion Hotel, Falkirk.

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 6th March, 1875.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the county of Stirling.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt till said meeting.

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

THOMAS DOWIE, S.S.C.,
49, Constitution-street, Leith.

THE estates of Thomas Paterson, Baker, Cleland, in the county of Lanark, were sequestrated on the 6th day of November, 1874, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated 6th November, 1874.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, afternoon, on Tuesday, the 17th day of November, 1874, within the Black Bull Hotel, Hamilton.

The Lord Ordinary has granted Personal Protection to the bankrupt till the meeting; and has remitted the sequestration to the Sheriff of the county of Lanark, Hamilton District.

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 6th March, 1875.

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

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