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Foreign Office, December 31, 1874.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Don José Antonio de Lavalle, Conde de Premio Real, as Consul-General for Spain at Quebec.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Olof Fredrik Gollcher as Consul at Malta for His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Howard Fox as Consul at Falmouth for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Senor Felipe am Ende as Vice-Consul at Manchester for the United States of Colombia.

Crown Office, December 30, 1874.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Saint Ives.

Charles Tyringham Praed, of No. 95, Queen's-gate, Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, Banker, in the place of Charles Gershom Davenport, Esq., deceased.

(S. & C. 1943.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, December 31, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Portuguese Royal Decree introducing the following general heading into the 11th Class of the Customs' Tariff:—"Compositions and Products made from vegetable matters and not classified= 15 per cent. ad valorem." Under this heading an extract from barley and hops which has lately been imported into Lisbon will be chargeable with the above-mentioned duty.

(H. 7915.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, January 1, 1875.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a translation of a Portuguese Royal Decree, embodying former quarantine regulations into one code. The decree is too voluminous for

publication, but any person desirous of perusing it can do so on applying at the Harbour Department of the Board of Trade on any week day between the hours of twelve and four.

Admiralty, 31st December, 1874.

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

Staff Commander James Pyper has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

War Office, 1st January, 1875.

MILITIA.

1st Royal Cheshire.

Henry Charles Hamilton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 2nd January, 1875.

Louis Edmund Amedroz, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 2nd January, 1875.

Royal Denbigh.

Lieutenant Arthur Llewellyn Bentley resigns his Commission. Dated 2nd January, 1875.

2nd, or South Devon.

Captain Arthur Worthington resigns his Commission. Dated 2nd January, 1875.

Richard Arthur Moore Stevens, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 2nd January, 1875.

Hampshire Artillery.

James Henry Wightwick Haywood, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 2nd January, 1875.

2nd Royal Lancashire.

Henry Julian Dyer, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 2nd January, 1875.

Royal East Middlesex.

Lieutenant Donald Frederic Durant Maclean to be Captain. Dated 2nd January, 1875.

Captain Daniel O'Neill, half-pay, late Quartermaster, 34th Foot, to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 2nd January, 1875.

1st, or West Norfolk.

Captain Edward Pulleyne, half-pay, late 8th Hussars, to be Captain. Dated 16th December, 1874.

West Suffolk.

Bruce Meade Hamilton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 7th December, 1874.

1st West York.

Alfred Walmsley, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 2nd January, 1875.

4th West York.

Hamlet Wade Pilkington, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 2nd January, 1875.

6th West York.

Captain John Birkbeck Evelyn Stansfeld resigns his Commission. Dated 2nd January, 1875.

The Highland Rifle Militia.

Randolph Douglas Mackenzie, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 2nd January, 1875.

2nd Royal Lanark.

Captain and Honorary Major Sir John Floyd, Bart., resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 2nd January, 1875.

South Cork.

Surgeon Henry Slorach resigns his Commission, also is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 2nd January, 1875.

King's County.

Captain Edmund Eyre resigns his Commission. Dated 2nd January, 1875.

Wexford.

Lieutenant-Colonel Harry Alcock is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 2nd January, 1875.

Wicklow.

George Thomas Frederick Downman, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 2nd January, 1875.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.*Denbighshire.*

Owen John Williams, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 2nd January, 1875.

Derbyshire.

Captain Thomas William Evans to be Major, vice Sir Mylles Cave Browne Cave, Bart., resigned. Dated 2nd January, 1875.

Oxfordshire.

George Augustus, Viscount Parker, late Lieutenant 1st Life Guards, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 2nd January, 1875.

Royal Wiltshire.

Captain William Henry, Viscount Dangan resigns his Commission. Dated 2nd January, 1875.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

Hugh Birley, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd December, 1874.

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

Evan Charles Sutherland-Walker, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 21st December, 1874.

THE FAIRS ACT, 1871.**GRAVESEND FAIR.**

WHEREAS a representation has been duly made to me, as Secretary of State for the Home Department, by the Town Council of Gravesend, as owners, that a Fair has been annually held on the 4th day of May, and following days, in the town of Gravesend aforesaid, and that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that the said Fair should be abolished:

And whereas notice of the said representation, and of the time when I should take the same into consideration, has been duly published in pursuance of "The Fairs Act, 1871:"

And whereas, on such representation and consideration, it appears to me that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that the said Fair should be abolished:

Now, therefore, I, as the Secretary of State for the Home Department, in exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Fairs Act, 1871," do hereby order that the Fair which has been annually held on the 4th day of May, and following days, in the town of Gravesend, shall be abolished as from the date of this order.

Given under my hand at Whitehall, this 31st day of December, 1874.

(Signed) *Richard Assheton Cross.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that an agreement authorized by 18 and 19 Vict., c. 63, s. 13, for the dissolution of a Friendly Society, called the Female Provident Society, held at the National Schoolroom, Cheadle, in the county of Stafford, was transmitted to the Registrar of Friendly Societies in England on the 19th day of December, 1874.

A. K. Stephenson, Registrar of Friendly Societies in England.

London, 21st day of December, 1874.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an agreement authorized by 18 and 19 Vict., c. 63, s. 13, for the dissolution of a Friendly Society, called the Holmfrith Old Friendly Society, held at the King's Head Inn, Holmfrith, in the county of York, was transmitted to the Registrar of Friendly Societies in England on the 28th day of December, 1874.

A. K. Stephenson, Registrar of Friendly Societies in England.

London, 30th day of December, 1874.

SUPPLEMENT TO

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act seventh and eighth Victoria, cap. 32, of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES, of the several Banks of Issue in ENGLAND and WALES, in Circulation during the week ending Saturday, the 19th day of December, 1874.

The undermentioned Parties having omitted to transmit their Accounts in proper time to be inserted in the Gazette of Tuesday, the 29th day of December, 1874.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.							Average Amount.
							£
East Riding Bank ... ..	...	...	...	Beverley	...	Bower and Co. ...	48,418
Oxford Old Bank ... ..	...	...	...	Oxford	...	Parsons and Co. ...	29,486
Towcester Old Bank ... ..	...	...	...	Towcester	...	Mercer and Co. ...	4,578
Weymouth Old Bank and Dorchester Bank	...	...	...	Weymouth	...	Eliot, Pearce, and Co.	10,904

W. H. COUSINS, Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House, December 31, 1874.

AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered in the Week ending 30th December, 1874.

Countries from which Imported.	Imported into the United Kingdom.					
	GOLD.			SILVER.		
	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.
	Ounces.	Ounces	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
France	340	2,125	2,465	36,588	15,280	51,868
Gibraltar	1,000	...	1,000	15,996	...	15,996
West Coast of Africa ... ..	...	488	488	12,132	...	12,132
United States	100,405	...	100,405	3,200	477,129	480,329
Other Countries	904	600	1,504	3,856	8,537	12,393
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Aggregate of the Importations } registered in the Week ... }	102,649	3,213	105,862	71,772	500,946	572,718
Declared Value of the said } Importations }	£ 410,617	£ 12,854	£ 423,471	£ 17,945	£ 125,250	£ 143,195

Countries to which Exported.	Exported from the United Kingdom.							
	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.
	British.	Foreign.			British.	Foreign.		
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	
Germany ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	80,000	80,000
Belgium ... ..	...	...	...	40,000	32,000	56,000	128,000
France ... ..	...	1,700	1,700	...	148,284	110,000	258,284
Portugal and Madeira	5,081	...	5,081	...	...	...	...
Spain ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	259,371	259,371
Egypt ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	107,600	107,600
South America (except Brazil)	5,500	...	5,500	
Other Countries	222	...	222	...	3,034	...	3,034	
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Aggregate of the Exportations } registered in the Week ... }	10,803	1,700	12,503	40,000	183,318	612,971	836,289	
Declared Value of the said } Exportations }	£ 42,995	£ 6,400	£ 49,395	£ 10,000	£ 45,831	£ 153,900	£ 209,731	

Statistical Department, Custom House, London, December 31, 1874.

S. SELDON, Principal.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 30th day of December, 1874.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

				£					£
Notes issued	...	...	...	35,783,575	Government Debt	...	...	...	11,015,100
					Other Securities	...	...	...	3,984,900
					Gold Coin and Bullion	...	...	...	20,783,575
					Silver Bullion	...	...	...	—
				£35,783,575					£35,783,575

Dated the 31st day of December, 1874.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

				£					£
Proprietors' Capital	...	...	...	14,553,000	Government Securities	...	...	...	12,900,078
Rest	...	...	...	3,092,932	Other Securities	...	..	...	21,155,922
Public Deposits (including Ex- chequer, Savings Banks, Com- missioners of National Debt, and Dividend Accounts)	...	...	...	7,806,967	Notes	...	...	...	9,642,045
Other Deposits	...	...	...	18,689,294	Gold and Silver Coin	..	...	...	709,218
Seven Day and other Bills	...	...	...	265,070					
				£44,407,263					£44,407,263

Dated the 31st day of December, 1874.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
4417. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Henri Adrien Bonneville, of the British and Foreign Patent Offices, 18, Rue de la Chaussée d'Antin, Paris, France, and 6, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in the construction of steam or compressed air carriages for conveying goods and passengers on common roads, and also applicable for other purposes,"—a communication from Eugène Harvard, a person resident at Courbevoie, France, Civil Engineer,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 23rd day of December, 1874, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
4426. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in needles,"—a communication to him from abroad by Harry Mann Jenkins and Henry Baylis, both of the city, county, and State of New York, United States of America,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 23rd day of December, 1874, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
4453. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Henri Adrien Bonneville, of the British and Foreign Patent Offices, 18, Rue de la Chaussée d'Antin, Paris, France, and 6, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, praying for letters patent for the invention of "a new and improved electric battery and obtaining an excitant for working the same,"—a communication from Theophile Chutaux, a person resident at Fb. Poissonniere, Paris, France, Engineer-Electrician,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 28th day of December, 1874, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
4454. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Henri Adrien Bonneville, of the British and Foreign Patent Offices, 18, Rue de la Chaussée d'Antin, Paris, France, and 6, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, praying for letters patent for the invention of "obtaining and applying electricity as a motive power,"—a communication from Theophile Chutaux, a person resident at Fb. Poissonniere, Paris, France, Engineer-Electrician,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 28th day of December, 1874, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
4456. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Henry Ryder, of the State of Massachusetts, of the United States of America, praying for letters patent for the invention of "certain new and useful improvements in grates for furnaces," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 28th day of December, 1874, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
4464. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of George Haseltine, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London, Doctor of Laws, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements relating to the slide valves of steam engines."—A communication to him from abroad by Samuel Frederick Hodge, of Detroit, Michigan, United States of America, Machinist,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 29th day of December, 1874, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that provisional protection has been allowed—

4244. To Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of metal tubing and hollow shafting and axles."—A communication to him from abroad by George Jones Brooks, of Brattleborough, in the State of Vermont, United States of America.

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 9th day of December, 1874.

4261. To George Frederick James, of Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Machinist, for the invention of "improvements in circular braiding machines."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 10th day of December, 1874.

4296. To Caleb Nash, of Shere, near Guildford, Surrey, Bootmaker, and William Mark Streeter, of the same place, for the invention of "improvements in lacing boots and shoes."

4305. And to Henry Young Darracott Scott, of Ealing, in the county of Middlesex, Major-General, C.B., for the invention of "improvements in the treatment of sewage and night soil."

On both their petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 14th day of December, 1874.

4310. To Charles Albert Shaw, of Boston, in the county of Suffolk, State of Massachusetts, one of the United States of America (Solicitor), for the invention of "improvements in lamp wicks."—A communication to him by Halvor Halvorson, of Cambridge, in said Massachusetts, (Mechanic and Chemist).

4312. To William Thomas Read, of Midland Railway-buildings, Pancras-road, for the invention of "improvements in the preservation of fermented liquors."

4314. To William Stevens, of No. 52, St. Giles-street, Northampton, in the county of Northampton, for the invention of "improvements in reciprocating presses."

4316. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in furnace grates, and in mechanism for supporting and operating the same."—A communication to him from abroad by S. Lloyd Wiegand, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, United States of America.

4318. To John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in steam engines."—A communication to him from abroad by William Brown Reaney, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, United States of America.

4320. To Evan Leigh, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "certain improvements in roads and tramways, and in machinery or apparatus, in connection therewith."

4322. To Thomas Henry Gray, of Grant-road, Clapham Junction, in the county of Surrey, Bleacher, for the invention of "improvements in the preparation of pulp for paper manufacturers."

4324. And to Frederick Dunch Frost, of 11, London-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for heckling or preparing hemp and other fibres."

On their several petitions recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 15th day of December, 1874.

4326. To Pierre Léon Allaire, of Paris, in the Department of the Seine, and Republic of France, Advocate, for the invention of "an improved manufacturing lighting-gas by employing petroleum, schiste, or other mineral or volatile oils."

4328. To James Jordan of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in safety-valves."

4330. To John Ward, of the firm of Marcus Ward and Company, of Belfast, in the county of Antrim, Ireland, for the invention of "improvements in means or apparatus for driving machines for lithographic and letter press printing."

4332. To Peter Jensen, of 89, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "an improved process for tempering and forming articles of steel, or steel and iron, and apparatus connected therewith."—A communication to him from abroad by George Frederick Simons and James Augustus Ferson, both of Fitchburg, in the State of Massachusetts, one of the United States of America, Machinists.

4334. To Samuel Thomas Wackrill, of 71, Portland-street, Leamington, in the county of Warwick, for the invention of "a new or improved air cushion for bed pans, also applicable for the use of invalids generally."

4336. To Alfred Heaven, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Embroider by Machinery, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for embroidering fabrics."

4338. To Edward Davies and John William Turley, both of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and John Newell, of Bootle, also in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "an improved method of and means and apparatus for obtaining, preparing, treating, and carbonising peat for the manufacture of peat fuel, peat charcoal, and fire lighters."

4339. To John Weir, of Castle Dawson, in the county of Londonderry, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in lamps and in lamp wicks."
4340. To Daniel Tallerman and William Clarke, both of Cannon-street, in the city of London, Australian Merchants, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of nutritive drinks."
4342. And to Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, for the invention of "improvements in the mode of, and apparatus for, manufacturing sulphuric acid."—A communication to him from abroad by Alfred Nobel, of Paris, in the Republic of France.
- On their several petitions recorded in the office of the Commissioners on the 16th day of December, 1874.
4344. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in bale bands or ties."—A communication to him from abroad by Richard Terrell, of New Orleans, United States of America.
4348. To Otto Braun, Doctor Philosophie, of Berlin, Prussia, for the invention of "a new or improved method of extracting substances soluble in ether from matters of any kind, by preference applicable for wool of any description and seeds."
4350. To William N. Thursfield, of Shrewsbury, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for enabling the blind and persons of weak or defective sight to write, and for facilitating writing in an unsteady light."
4352. To George Weir and James Weir, both of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in steam boilers."
4354. To Frederick Arthur Paget, of 1, Seymour-chambers, York-buildings, Adelphi, London, and of 13, Riemer Gasse Stadt, Vienna, for the invention of "improvements in steam engines."—A communication to him from Friederich Wannick and Hermann Köppner, persons resident in the city of Brünn, Moravia, in the Empire of Austro-Hungary, Engineers and Manufacturers.
4356. To Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture or ornamentation of buttons, studs, lockets, brooches, and other articles."—A communication to him from abroad by Gustave Henri Ulmann, of Paris, France.
4358. And to William Edwin Heys, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for moulding toothed wheels and other circular articles."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 17th day of December, 1874.
4360. To Henry Harman Slade, of Easton-road, in the city of Bristol, and William Arthur Slade, of 24, the Grove, Clapham-road, Surrey, Gentlemen, for the invention of "improvements in telegraph poles, and for affording better protection to the insulators."
4361. To John Garrett Tongue, of the firm of Tongue and Birkbeck, Patent Agents and Engineers, of 34, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for

- the invention of "improvements in splints, clamps, or apparatus for repairing carriage shafts, axles, masts, and other articles of like character."—A communication to him from abroad by Marcus Devriès, Merchant, Paris, France.
4362. To George Good, of Lopen, near Ilminster, in the county of Somerset, for the invention of "improvements in preparing and treating seaming and roping twines for sail-making and other purposes, and in apparatus employed therein."
4364. To Joseph Holding, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in healds and mails employed in looms for weaving."
4365. To Robert Paulson Spice, of 21, Parliament-street, in the city of Westminster, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of gas."
4366. To Raphael Herring, of Alexandria-terrace, St. Helen's, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for securing the lids or covers of gas retorts."
4367. To Frederic William Thornton, of 6, Westminster-chambers, Victoria-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in railway fog signal apparatus."
4368. To Christian Lange, of 99, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Watchmaker, for the invention of "a new or improved escapement and pendulum impulse movement, applicable to clocks and other horological instruments."
4369. To Francis Lambert, of St. Marylebone, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in grapnels for raising submarine telegraph cables."
4370. To Michael Henry Brown, of New Cross, in the county of Kent, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of nose-bags for horses, and such like animals, and in the manner of suspending such articles when in use."
4371. And to Edwin Hawker, of Lee, in the county of Kent, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of jujubes and other articles of confectionery."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 18th day of December, 1874.
4373. To William John Pughsley, of Kidwelly, in the county of Carmarthen, for the invention of "improvements in the processes of and apparatus for treating and purifying the refuse 'pickle' of tinplate works, also in treating the sulphuric acid obtained, and in purifying the 'scouring water' used at such works."
4374. To Horatio Harriman Ayre, Algernon Sydney Ayre, William Chambers, and Walter Albert Ayre, all of Kingston-upon-Hull, in the county of the same town, for the invention of "improvements in means or apparatus employed in effecting the compression of oil seeds to extract oil therefrom and produce cake, which improvements are also applicable in the compression of other seeds or matters for the production of cakes, blocks, or other forms."
4375. To William Morgan-Brown, of the firm of Brandon and Morgan-Brown, Engineers and Patent Agents, of 38, Southampton-buildings, London, and 13, Rue Gaillon, Paris, for the invention of improvements in thrashing machines."—A communication to him from abroad by Henry Rose and George Rose, both of 13, Rue Gaillon, Paris, France, Engineers.

4377. To John Charles Coleman, of No. 83, Brook-street, Kennington-road, London, Engineer, and Albert Holman, of No. 113, Drummond-street, Euston-square, London aforesaid, Lithographic Printer, for the invention of "improved appliances for the taking off and delivery of printed sheets from stop cylinder lithographic and stop cylinder letter press machines."
4378. To William Cunningham Lang, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Consulting Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in and applicable to steam boilers."
4379. To Henry Halford Coventry, of 4, Westminster-chambers, Victoria-street, in the city of Westminster, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of stoves."
4380. To Thomas Webster Rammell, of No. 4, Westminster-chambers, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in pneumatic railways and tubes, some of which improvements are applicable to other purposes."
4381. To Frederick John Cheesbrough, of the Office for Patents, 15, Water-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Consulting Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in and applicable to steam boilers."—A communication to him from abroad by William Charles Ford, of Brooklyn, in the county of Kings, State of New York, United States of America.
4382. To Seymour Allen, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in and applicable to packing or rendering tight the spindles of throttle valves, stop valves, and other like valves."
4383. To Frederick John Cheesbrough, of the Office for Patents, 15, Water-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Consulting Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the method of and apparatus for applying superheated air to the furnaces of steam boilers, particularly applicable to marine steam boilers."—A communication to him from abroad by William Charles Ford, of Brooklyn, in the county of Kings, State of New York, United States of America.
4384. And to William Henry Taylor, of Barbican, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in dress improvers."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 19th day of December, 1874.
4385. To Robert Smith, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Machinist, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for spooling yarns or threads."
4386. To Robert Speir, of Greenock, in the county of Renfrew, North Britain, Chemist, and John Mather, of Gateshead-on-Tyne, in the county of Durham, Engineer, for the invention of "new or improved apparatus which may be used for condensing vapours or gases, for heating liquids, for purifying and bleaching oils and gases, and for other analogous purposes."
4387. To John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of hydrogen gases and in the utilization of the by or secondary products obtained in such manufacture."—A communication to him from abroad by Jean Octave Ernest Moreau, of Paris, in the Republic of France, Manufacturer.
4388. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, South-

- ampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of cylinders for pumps and steam-engines."—A communication to him from abroad by George F. Blake, of Boston, Massachusetts, United States of America.
4389. To John Edward Felton, of Grantham, Lincolnshire, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in motive power engines."
4390. To Jean Antoine Victor Burg, of Paris, France, Doctor of Medicine, for the invention of "improvements in dynamometers, steam pressure-gauges, spring-balances, or other similar testing-gauging or weighing apparatus actuated by means of a spring."
4391. To Levi Alfred Wainman and Edwin Jeffrey Holmes, both of Leeds, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in steam engines."
4394. To Louis Sterne, of 9, Victoria-chambers, in the city of Westminster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in springs."—A communication to him from abroad by Richard Vose, of New York, in the United States of America.
4395. To Robert Fairburn, of Burley, in Wharfedale, in the county of York, Combing Overlooker, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for combing wool or other fibrous substances."
4396. To Newton Wilson, of High Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, Sewing Machine Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in sewing machines and in appliances to be attached thereto and used therewith."
4397. To James Colverd, of 4, Trinity-buildings, Great Tower-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "improved carriage poles."
4398. And to James Morison Burnup, of Clement's-lane, in the city of London, Merchant, for the invention of "improvements in railway carriage axle boxes."—A communication to him from abroad by Charles Eugene Barber, of Berlin, in the Kingdom of Prussia.
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 21st day of December, 1874.

PATENTS WHICH HAVE BECOME VOID.

A LIST of the Letters Patent for Inventions which have become void by reason of the non-payment of the additional Stamp Duty of £50, before the expiration of the third year from the date of such Patents, pursuant to the Act of the 16th Vic. c. 5, sec. 2, for the week ending the 26th day of December, 1874.

3441. Henry Herapath Siebe and William Augustus Gorman, both of Denmark-street, Soho, in the county of Middlesex, Submarine Engineers, and Thomas Christy, junior, of Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, Contractor, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of vessels for raising sunken ships or other bodies."—Dated 20th December, 1871.
3442. Francis William Webb, of Crewe, in the county of Chester, Mechanical Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in or applicable to locomotive engines and boilers, parts of which improvements are also applicable to other boilers and to railway carriages."—Dated 20th December, 1871.
3447. Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improved apparatus for the production of gas for lighting and heating

- purposes."—Communicated to him from abroad by Raphaël Colacicchi, of 13, Boulevard, St. Martin, Paris.—Dated 20th December, 1871.
3448. Alfred Morris, of the Royal Exchange, in the city of London, for an invention of "improvements in the production of iodine and bromine, and in apparatus therefor."—Communicated to him from abroad by Joseph Pellieux and Albert Mazé-Launay, of Kerhuon, Finisterre, France.—Dated 20th December, 1871.
3452. Charles Denton Abel, of No. 20, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for regulating the admission of steam to the cylinder of a steam engine by the action of the governor."—Communicated to him from abroad by Alphonse Ryex, residing in Ghent, in the Kingdom of Belgium.—Dated 20th December, 1871.
3453. Henry George Hellier, of Bramah House, Bramah-road, Brixton, in the county of Surrey, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for stirring the contents of saucepans."—Dated 20th December, 1871.
3455. William Anderson, of Inverkeithing, in the county of Fife, North Britain, for an invention of "improvements in domestic apparatus for rendering sewage gases innocuous."—Dated 21st December, 1871.
3456. William Anderson, of Inverkeithing, in the county of Fife, North Britain, for an invention of "improvements in treating skins or hides."—Dated 21st December, 1871.
3458. Stewart Peters and John Peters, Copper-smiths and Tinsplate Workers, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for an invention of "improvements in economic water-supply apparatus for water closets."—Dated 21st December, 1871.
3463. Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for reefing and furling ships' sails."—Communicated to him from abroad by John Edward Worthman, of Mobile, county of Mobile, State of Alabama, United States of America.—Dated 21st December, 1871.
3464. William Robert Lake & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of metal rods and wire and in apparatus therefor."—Communicated to him from abroad by Benjamin Augustus Mason, of the city and State of New York, United States of America.—Dated 21st December, 1871.
3465. William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "improved apparatus for supplying fuel to furnaces."—Communicated to him from abroad by Samuel Danks, of Cincinnati, Ohio, United States of America.—Dated 21st December, 1871.
3468. John Waugh Dawson, of Wellington Mills, Follard-street, in the city of Manchester, county of Lancaster, Cotton Spinner, for an invention of "an improved apparatus for burning off the loose fibres adhering especially to fine yarns or threads."—Dated 22nd December, 1871.
3470. Friedrich Leonardt, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in lubricators for lubricating the shafts and bearings of machinery and other rotating bodies."—Communicated to him from abroad by Melchior Klosak, of Vienna, Civil Engineer.—Dated 22nd December, 1871.
3471. William Henry Yeomans, of Astwood Bank, near Redditch, in the county of Worcester, Needle Manufacturer, for an invention of "an improvement or improvements in sewing machine needles."—Dated 22nd December, 1871.
3473. Edward Thomas Hughes, of the firm of Hughes and Son, Patent Agents, 123, Chancery-lane, London, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for drawing or rolling rods or bars into straight or conical forms, for shafting, axles, spindles, and analogous purposes."—Communicated to him from abroad by Henry Kellogg, of Milford, in the county of New Haven and State of Connecticut, United States of America.—Dated 22nd December, 1871.
3477. John William Willans Shaw, of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, for an invention of "an improved depilatory composition for hides and skins."—Communicated to him from abroad by Jules Watteau, of Antwerp, in the Kingdom of Belgium.—Dated 22nd December, 1871.
3479. William Bex, of the town of Northampton, in the county of Northampton, Carpenter, and Eli Morris, of the same town, Clicker, for an invention of "improvements in making and fixing the heels of boots and shoes, and in apparatus therefor."—Dated 22nd December, 1871.
3483. David Hunter Brandon, Engineer, of 13, Rue Gaillon, Paris, France, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of water meters and motors or engines."—It is a communication from Valentine Fogerty, a person resident at Boston, Massachusetts, United States of America.—Dated 23rd December, 1871.
3485. Frederick Clinch, of No. 37A, Brook-street, Grosvenor-square, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements applicable to the feet of horses and other animals."—Dated 23rd December, 1871.
3488. Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "an improvement in infants' head dresses."—Communicated to him from abroad by Louise Elvira Love, of the city, county, and State of New York, United States of America.—Dated 23rd December, 1871.
3489. William Zenas Winslow Chapman, of the city, county, and State of New York, United States of America, Surgeon-Dentist, for an invention of "improvements in fastenings for carriage curtains and other like purposes."—Dated 26th December, 1871.

A LIST of the Letters Patent for Inventions which have become void by reason of the non-payment of the additional Stamp Duty of £100, before the expiration of the seventh year from the date of such Patents, pursuant to the Act of the 16th Vict., c. 5, sec. 2, for the week ending the 26th day of December, 1874.

3632. Jonah Hadley, of the City Flour Mills, Upper Thames-street, in the city of London, for an invention of "improved apparatus for cleaning grain or seeds and reducing the same to meal or flour."—Dated 21st December, 1867.
3633. James Davidson, of Woolwich, in the county of Kent, for an invention of "improved machinery for manufacturing central fire cartridges."—Dated 21st December, 1867.
3651. Matthew James Rice, of the firm of Matthew James Rice and Company, Engineers, of Sher-

lock-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for cutting and heading nails."—Dated 23rd December, 1867.

3660. Frederick Render, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Corn Merchant, for an invention of "improvements applicable to traps for pigeon and other shooting."—Dated 24th December, 1867.

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Tecoma Silver Mining 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 24th day of December, 1874, presented to the Lord Chancellor by Charles Stuart Forbes, of 44, Charing-cross, in the county of Middlesex, a Captain in Her Majesty's Royal Navy, a creditor of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, on the 15th day of January, 1875; 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.

Sampson Samuel and Emanuel, 36, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London, Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Foreign and Colonial Gas Company Limited.

THE Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins has, by an Order dated the 21st day of December, 1874, appointed Robert Fletcher, of No. 2, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, to be Official Liquidator of the above-named Company.—Dated this 23rd day of December, 1874.

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Foreign and Colonial Gas Company Limited.

THE creditors resident within the United Kingdom of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 1st day of February, 1875, 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 Robert Fletcher, of No. 2, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, 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. Tuesday, the 16th day of February, 1875, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 23rd day of December, 1874.

No. 24167.

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IRON SLAG FOR SALE.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, December 28, 1874.

OFFERS will be received until two o'clock on Tuesday, the 12th January, 1875, for the purchase of about

1,000 Tons of IRON SLAG,
lying at Chatham.

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

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

ENGLISH ELM TIMBER.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, December 15, 1874.

TENDERS will be received until two o'clock, on Thursday, the 7th January, 1875, for

1,900 Loads of ENGLISH ELM TIMBER.

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

A form of tender containing all particulars may be obtained at this Office.

BEECH WEDGES.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, December 28, 1874.

TENDERS will be received until two o'clock on Tuesday, the 12th January, 1875, for the supply of

222,000 BEECH WEDGES.

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

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

Bank of South Australia.

Incorporated by Royal Charter.

London, December 31, 1874.

ASPECIAL General Meeting of the Proprietors will be held at the offices, No. 54, Old Broad-street, on Friday, 15th January next, immediately after the Half-yearly Meeting fixed for one o'clock precisely, for the purpose of confirming, if the meeting should think fit, the resolutions of the Special General Meeting, held on Thursday, 31st instant, authorising the Court of Directors to establish a Colonial Share Register.

*By order of the Court,
William Purdy, Manager.*

The National Bank,

No. 13, Old Broad-Street, London, E.C.,
December 29, 1874.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Fortieth Annual General Meeting of the Proprietors of the National Bank will be held on Thursday, the 28th day of January, 1875, at one o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the office of the Society, No. 13, Old Broad-street, London, and at which meeting, pursuant to the Deed of Settlement, two of the present Directors, the Honourable Albert Henry Petre and the Right Honourable the Viscount Midleton, will go out of office by rotation, and being eligible, offer themselves for re-election.

With reference to the other existing vacancies, the Directors are not at present prepared to recommend that the Board of Directors should be

increased to the complement authorised by the deed of settlement.

And further notice is hereby given, that every Proprietor, not being a Director, intending to become a candidate, or to propose some other Proprietor as a candidate for the office of Director, must, at least fourteen days before the day on which the Annual General Meeting is to be held, signify by some writing under his or her hand, to be left at the office of the Society, in Old Broadstreet, London, either his intention to become a candidate, or the name and place of abode of the candidate intended to be proposed by him or her.

By order of the Court of Directors,

W. G. Simm, Secretary.

N.B. The books will be closed for the registration of Transfer Deeds from Wednesday, the 6th day of January next, until Friday, the 29th day of January, 1875, both days inclusive.

Alliance Marine Assurance Company.

Capel-Court, Bartholomew-Lane,
December 28, 1874.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual General Court of the Members of the Alliance Marine Assurance Company will be held on Wednesday, the 18th day of January next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at this office, pursuant to the Deed of Settlement.

Alex. J. Montefiore, Secretary.

Norwich Union Fire Insurance Society.

Norwich Union Fire Office,
December 29, 1874.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Annual General Court of Proprietors will be held at the Society's Office, in Surrey-street, Norwich, on Tuesday, the 12th day of January, 1875, at twelve o'clock at noon, pursuant to the Deed of Settlement, to receive the Report of the Directors.

Samuel Bignold, Secretary.

MEM.—Proprietors desirous of inspecting the Annual Accounts are hereby informed that they can do so at any time during office hours.

The Taff Vale Wagon Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the Royal Hotel, College-green, Bristol, on the 4th day of December, 1874, the following resolutions were duly passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the same Company, also duly convened and held at the same place on the 18th day of December, 1874, the following resolutions were duly confirmed:—

“That it is expedient that the Company should, from and after the 31st day of December, 1874, be dissolved, and that its business and affairs should be wound up.

“That the following rule or article shall be added to the existing laws, rules, regulations, and provisions of the Company, and that the Company's Deed of Settlement shall be read, construed, and have effect, with that rule or article added thereto, immediately after Article 48 thereof.

“48A. ‘That in case a dissolution of the Company shall be at any time duly resolved upon, the Company may thereupon have and exercise all or any of the powers which are, by the Companies Act, 1862, conferred upon or provided for exercise by a Company about to be wound up voluntarily, or in the course of being wound up voluntarily under that Act.’”

Crosby Leonard, Chairman.

Pursuant to the Companies Act, 1862, and in the Matter of the Georgia Tea and Copper Mining Company Limited.

At an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the said Company, duly convened and held at Abchurch-chambers, Abchurch-yard, in the city of London, on the 17th day of December, 1874, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly submitted and passed, viz.:—

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

2. “That this Company be wound up voluntarily.

3. “That Mr. Richard Mitchell be and is hereby appointed the Liquidator of the Company.”

Alfred J. Jay, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862, and in the Matter of the Carway Anthracite Colliery Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the offices of the Company, Burryport, Carmarthen, on the 9th day of November, 1874, the following Special Resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the office of the Solicitor to the Company, 10, New-inn, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, on the 3rd day of December, 1874 (by adjournment from the 26th day of November, 1874, at the same place), the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

“That it is expedient that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and it is hereby required to be wound up accordingly.”

And at such Extraordinary General Meeting of the 3rd day of December, 1874, it was also resolved:—

“That Mr. Edward Thomas Wilde be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator of the Company.”

Dated this 16th day of December, 1874.

Charles K. Anderson, Chairman.

The Gobbett Tin Mining Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Adjourned Extraordinary General Meeting of this Company, held on Monday, the 28th day of December, 1874, at the offices of Mr. George Wells Owen, at No. 7, Westminster-chambers, in the city of Westminster, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed:—

1. “That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Company that the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that accordingly the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions in that behalf of the Companies Act, 1862.

2. “That Charles Maynard Owen, of No. 8, Furnival's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company and distributing the property thereof.”

Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

G. Wells Owen, Chairman.

The Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

The Woderhalie Estate Company Limited.

At an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above Company, held at No. 75, Mark-lane, in the city of London, on the 14th day of December, 1874, the following Special Resolution was duly passed, and at a

subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the above Company, held at the above address, on the 29th day of December, 1874, the same was duly confirmed:—

“That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Robert Henry Pearpoint and Edgar Figgess be and are hereby appointed voluntary Liquidators.”

Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

Edgar Figgess, Chairman.

The Healey Coal Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Special General Meeting of the Members of this Company will be held on Tuesday, the 2nd day of February, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of Mr. William Coates, Auctioneer and Valuer, Commercial-street, Batley, in the county of York, for the purpose of having the final accounts of the Liquidator laid before them, in accordance with the Companies Act, 1862, chapter 89, section 142.—Dated the 29th day of December, 1874.

William Coates, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and of the Gobbett Tin Mining Company Limited.

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 30th day of January, 1875, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts and claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Charles Maynard Owen, of No. 8, Furnival's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, the Liquidator of the said Company; and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such place and 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.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

Chas. Maynard Owen, Liquidator.

The Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

In the Matter of the Abercorave Dinas Brick Company Limited.

THE creditors of the above Company are required, on or before the 8th day of January, 1875, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to George Coryn Hore, of Prospect-place, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, the Liquidator of the said Company; and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the offices of Messrs. Smith, Lewis, and Jones, Solicitors, No. 1, Somerset-place, Swansea aforesaid, 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. Monday, the 11th day of January, 1875, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at No. 1, Somerset-place, Swansea aforesaid, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1874.

G. C. Hore, Liquidator.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Harpin, Edmond Brownhill, and Benjamin Bower, carrying on business at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, as General and Cotton Brokers, under the firm of Harpin and Bower, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

William Harpin.

Edmond Brownhill.

Benj. Bower.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Thierry Preyer, William Henry Aders, Alfred Aders, and William Kutter, carrying on business in copartnership at Bradford, in the county of York, as Merchants, under the style or firm of Aders, Preyer, and Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Alfred Aders, who retires from the firm.—Dated this 20th day of November, 1874.

Thierry Preyer.

Wm. Henry Aders.

Alfred Aders.

William Kutter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, undersigned, Thierry Preyer, William Henry Aders, and Alfred Aders, carrying on business in copartnership at Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, as Merchants, under the style or firm of Aders, Preyer, and Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Alfred Aders, who retires from the firm.—Dated this 20th day of November, 1874.

Thierry Preyer.

Wm. Henry Aders.

Alfred Aders.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, John Codling, Benjamin Swain, and Robert Hodgkinson, as Merchants, at Manchester, under the style or firm of Codling, Swain, and Hodgkinson, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, so far as regards the said John Codling and Benjamin Swain, who retire therefrom. All debts due and owing to or by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Robert Hodgkinson, by whom alone the business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

Jno. Codling.

Benjn. Swain.

Robt. Hodgkinson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, John Codling, Benjamin Swain, and Robert Hodgkinson, as Merchants, Cotton Spinners, and Manufacturers, at Livesey, near Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Hodgkinson, Swain, and Codling, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Benjamin Swain, who retires therefrom. All debts due and owing to or by the said partnership, will be received and paid by the said Robert Hodgkinson and John Codling, by whom the business will in future be carried on, under the new style or firm of Hodgkinson and Codling.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

Jno. Codling.

Benjn. Swain.

Robt. Hodgkinson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, Samuel Oram, Matilda Clark, William Clark, and Howard Clark, carrying on business as Leather Cutters and Carriers, at Devonport, in the county of Devon, under the style or firm of Miall and Company, was dissolved this day by mutual consent.—Dated 28th day of November, 1874.

Samuel Oram.

Matilda Clark.

Wm. Clark.

Howard Clark.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership carried on for some time past at King-street, Liverpool, by Daniel Ashton and Alexander Balbirnie, as Wine Merchants, under the firm of Ashton and Balbirnie, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 21st day of December, 1874.

Daniel Ashton.

A. Balbirnie.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership business heretofore carried on by us the undersigned, Richard Barrett, Thomas Squire Barrett, and Edward Barrett, as Painters and Stationers, at No. 13, Mark-lane, in the city of London, under the style or firm of R. Barrett and Sons, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

Rich. Barrett.

Thos. Squire Barrett.

E. Barrett.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Charles Isaac Forget, Charles Pierre Melly, and George Melly, as Merchants, at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the firm of Melly, Forget, and Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Liverpool, 23rd November, 1874.

Ch. I. Forget.

Charles P. Melly.

George Melly.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Joseph Crabtree and Thomas Crabtree the younger, in the trade or business of Machine Makers, carried on by them at Halifax, in the county of York, under the firm of Thomas Crabtree and Sons, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 26th day of December instant. The said trade or business will in future be carried on by the said Joseph Crabtree, on his own account, who will receive and pay all debts due in the usual course of trade.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

Joseph Crabtree.
Thomas Crabtree, junr.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, Jonathan Crocker the elder, Jonathan Crocker the younger, Charles Crocker, Arthur William Crocker, and Frederick Martin Turner, carrying on business as Warehousemen, in Friday-street, in the city of London, under the firm of Crocker, Sons, and Turner, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, so far as concerns the said Frederick Martin Turner.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

Jonathan Crocker. *Arthur William Crocker.*
Jathan. Crocker, Jr. *F. M. Turner.*
Charles Crocker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, Irvine Stephens Bulloch and William Greer Barcroft, at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, as Cotton Brokers, under the style or firm of Bulloch and Barcroft, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent; and in future the business will be carried on by the said Irvine Stephens Bulloch, on his separate account, who will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership in the regular course of business.—Dated the 30th day of December, 1874.

Irvine S. Bulloch.
W. Greer Barcroft.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Foster Raisbeck and Benjamin Smith, carrying on business in copartnership together at Nos. 52 and 74, Basinghall-street, Leeds, in the county of York, as Mungo Manufacturers, and Flock, Cotton Warp, and Oil Merchants, under the style or firm of Raisbeck and Smith, is dissolved as and from the 21st day of December instant, by mutual consent.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

W. F. Raisbeck.
Benjamin Smith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Briggs and Thomas Holdsworth, carrying on business under the style or firm of Briggs and Holdsworth, in the borough of Halifax, in the county of York, as Wool and Waste Dealers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1874.

John Briggs.
Thomas Holdsworth.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Edward Green and James Bromwich, as Seedsmen and Florists, at 8, Victoria-buildings, Westminster, under the style or firm of James Bromwich and Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent, and that all debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Edward Green.—Dated the 29th day of December, 1874.

Jas. Bromwich.
Edward Green.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Charles Cross and Joseph Mackintosh, heretofore carrying on business at No. 86, Great Tower-street, in the city of London, as Colonial Brokers, under the style or firm of Cross, Mackintosh, and Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will henceforward be carried on by the said Joseph Mackintosh, on his own account, and he will pay and receive all debts owing by or to the late firm.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

Charles Cross.
Joseph Mackintosh.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, Thomas Honeybone and Thomas Pearce, in the trade or business of Watchmakers, Jewellers, and Silversmiths, at the High-street, Old Brentford, in the county of Middlesex, and elsewhere, under the style or firm of Honeybone and Pearce, was this dissolved by mutual consent, and in future the business will be carried on by the said Thomas Pearce, on his separate account.—Dated this 24th day of December, 1874.

Thos. Honeybone.
Thos. Pearce.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Medwin and E. de la Penha, carrying on business as Stock and Share Brokers, at 3, Cophall-court, Throgmorton-street, in the city of London, under the title of Medwin and de la Penha, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 31st December, 1874.

James Medwin.
E. de la Penha.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us in the borough of Newport, in the Isle of Wight, in the county of Southampton, and elsewhere, in the trade or business of Dyers, has been dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 29th day of December, 1874.

William Bright.
William Minns.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, William Henry Williams and Edmund Buckley the younger, as Cotton Brokers, at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the firm of Williams and Buckley, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to or by the late partnership will be received and paid by the undersigned, Edmund Buckley.—Dated this 16th day of December, 1874.

W. H. Williams.
Edmd. Buckley, Junr.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Leon Melas, Constantine Melas, Basil Melas, Michael Melas, and Demetrius Bikélas, as Merchants, under the firm of Melas Brothers, at South Sea House, Threadneedle-street, London, and at Marseilles, has been dissolved by mutual consent, so far as respects the said Leon Melas, Constantine Melas, and Michael Melas.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

B. Melas. *Leon Melas.*
D. Bikélas. *M. Melas.*
C. Melas.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Benjamin Willem Blydenstein, Diederik Bernard Jordaan, and William Henry Trumpler, carrying on business as Foreign Bankers, at 20½, Great Saint Helen's, in the city of London, under the style or firm of B. W. Blydenstein, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent, so far as regards the said William Henry Trumpler, who retires from the firm, and that the business will be continued under the same style by the said Benjamin Willem Blydenstein and Diederik Bernard Jordaan, by whom all debts owing to or by the firm will be received and paid.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

B. W. Blydenstein.
D. B. Jordaan.
William Henry Trumpler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Jonas Foster and John Wilson Smith, as Worsted Spinners and Stuff Manufacturers, at Castlefields Mill, Bingley, and at Bradford, both in the county of York, under the firm of Jonas Foster and Co., has been dissolved by effluxion of time. All debts owing to or by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Jonas Foster alone, who will continue to carry on the business as heretofore under the same style or firm.—Dated the 27th day of October, 1874.

Jonas Foster.
John Wilson Smith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Binns and George Shackleton, both of Thornton, near Bradford, in the county of York, trading under the style or firm of Binns and Shackleton, as Cabinet Makers, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 31st day of October, 1874.—Dated this 19th day of December, 1874.

William Binns.
George Shackleton.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by us the undersigned, Nehemiah Copley and Isaiah Copley, under the style or firm of Nehemiah Copley and Co., at Middlesbrough, in the county of York, as Blacksmiths and Engineers, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 30th day of June, 1874. All debts due to and owing by the said late partnership will be received and paid by the said Isaiah Copley, who will carry on the said trade or business, as from the said 30th day of June, under the style or firm of J. Copley and Co.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

Nehemiah Copley.
I. Copley.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Thomas Berry Horsfall and George Henry Horsfall, trading as Merchants, at James-street, Liverpool, under the firm of Charles Horsfall and Sons, is dissolved, as from the 31st day of December instant, by the retirement therefrom of the said Thomas Berry Horsfall in favour of the said George Henry Horsfall, who will collect the outstanding assets and discharge the liabilities.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

*Thomas B. Horsfall.
George H. Horsfall.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Francis Buck, of Middlesbrough, in the county of York, Contractor, and George Edward Dixon, of the same place and business, under the firm or style of Buck and Dixon, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due and owing to or by the aforesaid late firm will be received and paid by the said George Edward Dixon; and that in future such business will be carried on by the said George Edward Dixon alone.—As witness our hands this 19th day of December, 1874.

*Francis Buck.
George Edward Dixon.*

THE Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, William Cuthbertson Cowie and Frederick Wevill, of the Albany, Liverpool, Ship Owners and Merchants, trading under the style of C. G. Cowie, Son, and Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1874.

*W. G. Cowie.
Fred. Wevill.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, Joseph Kannreuther and Frederick Martin Frauer, and by virtue of which we now carry on business as Merchants, at 66, Parade, Birmingham, and have heretofore carried on such business at 9, Weaman-street, and 43, Great Charles-street, Birmingham respectively, under the style or firm of Kannreuther, Frauer, and Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Joseph Kannreuther will continue the business and pay and receive all moneys due to or from the partnership.—Dated 31st December, 1874.

*J. Kannreuther.
F. M. Frauer.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned, Thomas Lilley, George Biggs, and William Walton, in the trade or business of Elastic Web Manufacturers, at Attleborough, in the parish of Nuneaton, in the county of Warwick, under the style or firm of George Biggs and Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and in future the said business will be carried on by the said George Biggs and William Walton on their separate account, who will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said late firm in the regular course of trade.—Witness our hands this 26th day of December, 1874.

*George Biggs.
Thomas Lilley.
William Walton.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Angus Stewart Macdiarmid and George Henry Barker, carrying on the business of Wool Brokers, Merchants, and Fellmongers, at Batavia-buildings, Hackin's Hey, and No. 48, Nash-grove, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and No. 3, Mildred-court, in Bradford, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Macdiarmid and Barker, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due to or owing by the said late partnership firm will be received and paid by the undersigned George Henry Barker, at his office, 26, Batavia-buildings, Hackin's Hey, Liverpool.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

*A. S. Macdiarmid.
George H. Barker.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned Joseph Hilton and John Reeves, as Estate Agents, in Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, under the style of Hilton and Reeves, was dissolved, on the 31st day of December instant, by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Joseph Hilton. The business carried on by the said Joseph Hilton prior to the said partnership will henceforth be carried on by him in his own name at No. 3, Swan-street, Manchester, and the business carried on by the said John Reeves prior to the said partnership will henceforth be carried on by him in his own name at No. 14, Fountain-street, Manchester.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

*Joseph Hilton.
John Reeves.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has subsisted between and been carried on by us the undersigned, Richard Hamby Shaw, Peter Maxton, Richard William Shaw, and Edwin Williams, at No. 2, Royal Exchange-buildings, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Shaw, Maxton, and Co., as Ship and Insurance Brokers, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Richard William Shaw and Edwin Williams, who will in future carry on the said business in copartnership with William Shaw, at No. 2, Royal Exchange-buildings aforesaid.—As witness our hands this 31st day of December, 1874.

*R. H. Shaw.
P. Maxton.
R. W. Shaw.
E. Williams.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, Francis John Hyatt, Joseph Hyatt, and Rebecca Hyatt, carrying on business at 127 and 128, Upper-street, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Francis and John Hyatt, as Berlin Wool Dealers and Fancy Jewellers, has been dissolved by mutual consent; and the said Joseph Hyatt and Rebecca Hyatt, will continue to carry on the said business at the same address and will pay all debts owing by, and receive all moneys owing to, the said partnership.—As witness the hands of the parties the 29th day of December, 1874.

*Joseph Hyatt.
Rebecca Hyatt.
F. J. Hyatt.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership existing between Robert Seldon and William Wordsworth Lyndall, carrying on business under the firm of Seldon, Lyndall, and Co., as Ship and Insurance Brokers, at 27, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, is this day mutually dissolved from this date.—Witness our hands this 31st day of December, 1874.

*Robert Seldon.
Wm. W. Lyndall.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Louigi Apolinari (usually called Louigi Rolandi), and Samuel James Longmore, under the firm of Rolandi and Longmore, at No. 77, Pershore-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, in the trade or business of Looking Glass Manufacturers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent, as on and from the 17th day of April, 1874.—As witness our hands this 12th day of December, 1874.

*The
Louigi X Apolinari,
Mark of.
Saml. J. Longmore.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, John Eddowes and Henry Eddowes, carrying on business at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, as Ship and Insurance Brokers, Commission Agents, and Provision Merchants, under the style or firm of Eddowes Brothers and Company, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

*John Eddowes.
Henry Eddowes.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, Edward Robinson and Frederick Napton, in the trades or businesses of Timber Sawyers and General Manufacturers, carried on by us at Thomas-street, Burdett-road, Limehouse, in the county of Middlesex, under the name or firm of Robinson and Napton, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Witness our hands this 31st day of December, 1874.

*Edwd. Robinson.
Fredk. Napton.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, Edmund William Pyle Taunton and George Edward Johnson, in the trade or business of Electroplaters, carried on by us at No. 46, Broad-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, in copartnership, under the style or firm of Taunton and Johnson, has been this day dissolved by us by mutual consent. The business will be henceforth carried on at the same place and under the same style or firm, by the said George Edward Johnson, in copartnership with his brother, the undersigned William Hickman Johnson, and all debts and sums of money due and owing to the late copartnership of the said Edmund William Pyle Taunton and George Edward Johnson are to be paid to the new copartnership of the said George Edward Johnson and William Hickman Johnson, who will also pay and discharge all the debts and liabilities of the said late copartnership.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

*E. W. P. Taunton.
G. Edwd. Johnson.
William H. Johnson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by the undersigned, Henry Aste, John Aste, Alfred Aste, and William Aste, in the trade or business of Corn Merchants, at Old Barge House-wharf, Upper Ground-street, Blackfriars, and the New Corn Exchange, Mark-lane, in the city of London, under the firm of Aste and Sons, and also at No. 6, Trinity-square, Tower-hill, and the Old Corn Exchange, Mark-lane, in the same city, under the firm of Aste, Son, and Kerchevall, was this day dissolved by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Henry Aste; and that in future the said business will be carried on by the said John Aste, Alfred Aste, and William Aste alone, who will pay all debts owing by, and receive all moneys owing to, the late copartnership.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1875.

*Henry Aste.
John Aste.*

*Alfred Aste.
William Aste.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George von Heyder and Theodore von Heyder, at Liverpool and London-chambers, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, General Merchants, trading under the style or firm of Heyder and Co., is dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 31st day of December instant. The business will be carried on by the said George von Heyder, by whom all debts due to and from the said firm will be received and paid.—Dated the 18th day of December, 1874.

*George von Heyder.
Theodore von Heyder.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between Sir William John Walter Baynes, Baronet, and Alfred Daniel Chapman, Esquire, carrying on business as Merchants, under the style of Gregson, and Co., at No. 14, Austin Friars, in the city of London, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 30th day of June last, so far as concerns the said Sir William John Walter Baynes, Baronet.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

*Wm. J. W. Baynes.
Alf. D. Chapman.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Avison and Francis Cecil Boulton, in the profession of Attorneys and Solicitors, at Liverpool, in the county of Lancashire, under the style or firm of Avison and Boulton, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due from or to the said firm will be paid and received by the said Thomas Avison.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

*Thos. Avison.
F. Cecil Boulton.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Henry Wakefield and William Clibborn, carrying on business at Liverpool, in the county of Lancashire, as Merchants, under the style or firm of G. H. Wakefield and Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

*Geo. H. Wakefield.
William Clibborn.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Brown, John Brown, and Edward Wyld, carrying on business as Merchants and Agents, at No. 62, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, and at Sydney, in the Colony of New South Wales, under the style or firm of Brown and Co., has been this day dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Thomas Brown, who retires therefrom. All debts due by or owing to the said partnership will be paid and received by the said John Brown and Edward Wyld, who continue to carry on the said business on their own account.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

*Thos. Brown.
Jn. Brown.
E. Wyld.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned, Richard Cattarns the elder, Richard Jehu, and Richard Cattarns the younger, as Attorneys and Solicitors, at No. 33, Mark-lane, in the city of London, under the firm of Cattarns, Jehu, and Cattarns, was, on the 30th day of November last, dissolved by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Richard Cattarns the younger, who on that day retired from the firm; and that all debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Richard Cattarns the elder and Richard Jehu.—As witness our hands this 24th day of December, 1874.

*Richd. Cattarns.
Richd. Jehu.
Richd. Cattarns, jr.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Francis Phillip Fisher and Artemus Thomas Aglen, in the trades or businesses of Lithographers, Die Sinkers, Engravers, Embossers, and General Printers, carried on by us at No. 9, Charterhouse-buildings, Goswell-street, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Fisher and Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and in future the business will be carried on by the said Francis Phillip Fisher on his own separate account, and who will pay and receive all debts due by or to the said copartnership.—As witness our hands this 24th day of December, 1874.

*Francis P. Fisher.
A. T. Aglen.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership now subsisting between the undersigned, Charles Edwards, Richard John Edwards, George Frederick Batten, and François León Jules Vasse, as Shipbrokers, at No. 66, Lower Thames-street, under the firm of Batten and Edwards, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as respects the undersigned François León Jules Vasse, as from the 1st day of January, 1875; and that the business will, as from that date be carried on by the said Charles Edwards, Richard John Edwards, and George Frederick Batten, under the said firm of Batten and Edwards, who will receive all debts due to and discharge all liabilities of the present firm.—Dated this 24th day of December, in the year of our Lord 1874.

*Chas. Edwards. G. F. Batten.
R. J. Edwards. F. L. J. Vasse.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership business heretofore carried on by the undersigned, Leonidas Pandeli Argenti, Coco George Scaramanga, Theodore Emmanuel Schilizzi, Michel George Schilizzi, Leoni Ambrose Argenti, and George Ambrose Argenti, as Merchants, at No. 43, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London, at Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, at Marseilles, in the Empire of France, and at Calcutta, in the East Indies, under the firm of Argenti, Schilizzi, and Co., was this day dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the undersigned Leoni Ambrose Argenti.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

*Las. P. Argenti. Ml. G. Schilizzi.
C. G. Scaramanga. L. A. Argenti.
T. E. Schilizzi. G. A. Argenti.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Dennis Hallott and Walter Henry Hallott, in the trade or business of Bristle, Bass, Fibre, and Draft Merchants, in the city of Manchester, under the style or firm of D. Hallott and Son, was this day dissolved, as from the 31st day of December instant, by mutual consent. All debts owing by and to the said late firm will be paid and received by the said Walter Henry Hallott, by whom alone the trade or business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

*Dennis Hallott.
Walter Henry Hallott.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Moses Sharp, Joseph Charnock, Thomas Lund, Samuel Kershaw, and Henry Kershaw, in the trade or business of Worsted Stuff Manufacturers, or in any other trade or business carried on by them at Bowling and Bradford, in the county of York, or elsewhere, under the style or firm of Moses Sharp and Co., or under any other style or firm, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Samuel Kershaw and Henry Kershaw. The business will in future be carried on by the said Moses Sharp, Joseph Charnock, and Thomas Lund, under the said style of Moses Sharp and Co., on their own account, and they will pay and be entitled to receive all debts and sums of money due from or owing to the said late firm.—As witness the hands of the parties this 2nd day of January, 1875.

*Samuel Kershaw. Joseph Charnock.
Henry Kershaw. Thomas Lund.
Moses Sharp.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Spoor and James Lockhart Spoor, carrying on business in copartnership as Tailors and Outfitters, at Abingdon-street, Northampton, in the county of Northampton, and lately at No. 49, Maddox-street, Regent-street, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Spoor and Son, has been this day dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 31st day of December, 1874. And that all debts owing to or by the said firm are to be received and paid by the said James Spoor, at Abingdon-street, Northampton aforesaid.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1874.

*James Spoor.
James Lockhart Spoor.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Jack and Hugh McQueen, carrying on business as Plasterers, Painters, and Paper Hangers, at No. 29, Renshaw-street, Chorlton-upon-Medlock, in the city of Manchester, under the style or firm of McQueen and Jack, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as on and from the 22nd day of October, 1874.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1874.

Hugh McQueen.
Jas. Jack.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Charles Nutter and Walter Nutter, carrying on business under the firm of C. and W. Nutter, as Flour Factors, at St. Jude-street, Millmay Park, and Jack's Subscription Room, Mark-lane, London, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as on and from the 31st day of December, 1874; and that the said business will thenceforth be carried on by the said Charles Nutter alone, who will receive all debts due to and pay all the liabilities of the said partnership.—Dated this 31st December, 1874.

Charles Nutter.
Walter Nutter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Mary Ann Clayton (the wife of James Clayton), and Louisa Collier, Spinster, in the trade and business of Haberdashers, Hosiers, Drapers, and Milliners, at 78, Brixton-road, in the county of Surrey, under the firm of Clayton and Collier, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and in future the business will be carried on by the said Mary Ann Clayton, on her separate account, and who will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership.—As witness our hands this 28th day of November, 1874.

Louisa Collier.
Mary Ann Clayton.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Albin Munn and Jonathan Darwin Cobb, carrying on business as Importers and Agents for America Manufactures, at 129, Aldersgate-street, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Munn and Cobb, is dissolved from the 1st of January, 1875, by mutual consent. And that the business will be carried in by Jonathan Darwin Cobb, who will pay and receive all debts due or owing from the firm.—Dated the 29th day of December, 1874.

Joseph A. Munn.
Jonathan Darwin Cobb.

CAROLINE PATTENDEN, Deceased.

ALL persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Caroline Pattenden (Widow of the late Joseph Medley Pattenden), formerly of Newby-place, Poplar, in the county of Middlesex, and late of No. 15, Margaretta-terrace, Chelsea, in the county of Middlesex, deceased, are hereby requested to send particulars of the same to us, the undersigned, the executors under the will of the said Caroline Pattenden, deceased, on or before the 1st day of February, 1875.—Dated this 26th day of December, 1874.

J. POULTER, 23, Canton-street, Poplar, E.;
J. TOWNSEND, Lingfield-road, Wimbledon, S.W.;
Executors.

ANNE DOUGLAS, Widow, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against or affecting the estate of the said Anne Douglas (formerly the wife of William Henry Oram, deceased, and late the wife of the Reverend Philip Douglas, deceased), formerly of Weston-super-Mare, in the county of Somerset, but late of No. 1, Kensington-place, Clifton, in the city of Bristol, Widow, deceased (who died on the 1st day of October, 1874, and probate of whose will, with five codicils, save and except so far as relates to all the personal estate and effects in the city of Bristol, or in the counties of Gloucester or Somerset, was granted by the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 9th day of December, 1874, to Julius Talbot Airey, of Froggnall Hall, Hampstead, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., one of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned, the Solicitors acting for the said executors, at our offices, at 20, Whitehall-place, in the city of Westminster, on or before the 18th day of February, 1875, after which last-mentioned day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not be

answerable or liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 11th day of December, 1874.

G. A. CRAWLEY and J. ARNOLD, Solicitors to the said Executor.

Mrs. ANNE MARSH-CALDWELL, Deceased.

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

ALL creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of Mrs. Ann Marsh-Caldwell, formerly of Eastbury, in the county of Hertford, afterwards of Deacons, in the county of Surrey, but late of Linley Wood, in the county of Stafford, and of Lowndes-street, in the county of Middlesex, Widow, deceased, heretofore Anne Marsh, Widow (who died on the 5th day of October, 1874), are requested to send in their claims to her executrices, at the offices of Messrs. Wynne and Son, Solicitors, 46, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, on or before the 6th day of February, 1875; or in default thereof the executrices will distribute the assets of the said Anne Marsh-Caldwell amongst the parties entitled thereto; and will not be liable for any part of such assets to any person of whose claim the executrices shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1874.

WYNNE and SON, 46, Lincoln's-inn-fields.

Mr. JOHN MILTON, Deceased.

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

ALL creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of John Milton, formerly of No. 10, Great Marylebone-street, in the county of Middlesex, Grocer and Teadecaler, but late of Tavistock-crescent, Westbourne Park, in the same county, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 1st day of November, 1874), are requested to send in their claims to his executrix, at the offices of Messrs. Wynne and Son, 46, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, on or before the 30th day of January, 1875; or in default thereof the executrix will distribute the assets of the said John Milton amongst the parties entitled thereto; and will not be liable for any part of such assets to any person of whose claim the executrix shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 16th day of December, 1874.

WYNNE and SON, 46, Lincoln's-inn-fields.

JAMES ROLPH, Deceased.

Pursuant to Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claim against the estate of James Rolph, late of Thorpe-le-Soken, in the county of Essex, Farmer (who died on the 4th day of December, 1874, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Ipswich of the Court of Probate, on the 24th day of December, 1874, by John Amis Hempson and Amis Hempson, the executors named in the said will), are required to send in the particulars thereof, on or before the 27th day of February, 1875, to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors; or in default thereof they will be excluded from any distribution of assets.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1874.

TURNER, DEANE, and ELWES, Colchester, Essex, Solicitors for the Executors.

JAMES HOWES, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty, Queen Victoria, chapter 35, intitled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and 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 James Howes, late of Wymondham, in the county of Norfolk, Farmer, deceased (who died on or about the 22nd day of January, 1864, and whose will was duly proved in the District Registry at Norwich attached to Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 16th day of July, 1864, by Robert John Wright, then and now of the city of Norwich, Land Agent, William Goodwin Fryer, then and now of Wymondham aforesaid, Farmer, and Matthew Green, then of Carleton Forehoe, in the said county of Norfolk, Farmer, but since deceased, 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 surviving executors, at our office at Wymondham, in the said county of Norfolk, on or before the 1st day of March, 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 29th day of December, 1874.

WHITES, RENARD, and POMEROY, Wymondham, Norfolk, Solicitors to the said Executors.

JOSEPH HUGHES, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that creditors and other persons having any claim or demand upon the estate of Joseph Hughes, formerly of Sutton Coldfield, in the county of Warwick, but late of Langharne, in the county of Carmarthen, Gentleman (who died on the 17th day of September, 1874, and whose will was on the 16th day of October, 1874, proved in the Carmarthen District Registry of the Court of Probate, by Catherine Hughes and John Nelson, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars of their respective claims or demands to me, the undersigned, on or before the 28th day of February next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to apply the assets in accordance with the provisions of the testator's will, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1874.

JOHN H. BARKER, No. 29, Quay-street, Carmarthen, Solicitor to the said Executors.

ANNE ELIZABETH BUTTERWORTH, Spinster.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic., c. 35, sec. 29.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and others having any claims against the estate of Anne Elizabeth Butterworth, formerly of Chelsea, in the county of Middlesex, afterwards of No. 36, Gloucester-street, Warwick-square, Pimlico, in the said county, but late of No. 32, Albany-villas, Cliftonville, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Spinster (who died on the 10th day of November, 1874), are to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to Mrs. Charlotte Penelope Butterworth, Widow, and Major-General Charles John Cooke, the executrix and executor of the deceased, under cover, to Messrs. Cooper and Williams, of No. 17, Middle-street, Brighton, Sussex, their Solicitors, on or before the 1st day of February, 1875, after which time the said executrix and executor will distribute the assets of the testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which they shall then have notice.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

COOPER and WILLIAMS.

GEORGE TAYLOR, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Victoria, c. 35, entitled "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 affecting the estate of George Taylor, late of Huntingfield, in the county of Suffolk, Retired Farmer, deceased (who died on the 24th day of September, 1874, and whose will, with two codicils thereto, were duly proved on the 24th day of November, 1874, in the Ipswich District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate by Charles Taylor, of Linstead Parva, in the said county of Suffolk, Farmer, and George Taylor, of Southwold, in the said county of Suffolk, Plumber and Glazier, the executors thereof), are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims and demands upon or against the estate of the said deceased to the said Charles Taylor or the said George Taylor, or to the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 16th day of February now next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said George Taylor, deceased, amongst 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 answerable or liable for the assets so distributed or any part thereof.—Dated this 23th day of December, 1874.

CROSS and RAM, Halesworth, Suffolk, Solicitors to the said Executors.

Brigadier-General RICHARD SMITH, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Richard Smith, late of Park-place, in the parish of Saint George, Hanover-square, in the county of Middlesex, a Brigadier-General in the service of the Honourable the East India Company, deceased (who died on the 2nd day of July, 1803, and letters of administration, with the will annexed, of whose personal estate and effects, left unadministered by John Maunsell Smith, Esq., deceased, were, on the 28th day of December, 1874, granted to Sir Walter Rockliff Farquhar, Bart., one of the executors of one of the residuary legatees of the said John Maunsell Smith), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to the said executor, at the office of his Solicitors, Messrs. Walters, Young, Walters, and Deverell, at No. 9, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, on or before the 31st day of January,

1875, after the expiration of which time the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said administrator shall then have had notice; and that the said administrator will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

WALTERS, YOUNG, WALTERS, and DEVERELL, Solicitors to the Administrator.

Mr. THOMAS ROBSON, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament 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 persons having any debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of Thomas Robson, of Bishop Auckland, in the county of Durham, Innkeeper (who died on the 14th day of October, 1874, and whose will was proved in the Durham District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 12th day of December, 1874, by William Gregg, of Bishop Auckland aforesaid, Chinn Dealer, and Jeremiah Robson, of the same place, Builder, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of such debts, claims, or demands to Mr. Thomas Thornton, 61, North Bondgate, Bishop Auckland aforesaid, the Solicitor of the said executors, on or before the 30th day of January, 1875, 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 debts or claims of which the said executors shall then have notice; and will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1874.

THOMAS THORNTON, Bishop Auckland, Solicitor.

JAMES LEGGETT, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 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 the creditors of James Leggett, formerly of Gray's-inn-road, in the county of Middlesex, Cab Proprietor, and late of Barnet, in the county of Herts (who died on the 1st day of October, 1874, at Barnet aforesaid, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 17th day of December, 1874, by Elizabeth Leggett and Thomas Gaze, the executors therein named), and all other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of the said James Leggett, are hereby required to send the particulars of their respective debts or claims to the said executors at the office of their Solicitors, Messrs. Taylor and Jaquet, 15, South-street, Finsbury-square, in the county of Middlesex, on or before the 12th day of February, 1875, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said James Leggett among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts or claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debts or claim they shall not have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

TAYLOR and JAQUET, 15, South-street, Finsbury-square, Solicitors for the said Executors.

SAMUEL WARD, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Samuel Ward, late of the Ship Hotel, Margate, in the Isle of Thanet, in the county of Kent (who died on the 30th day of September, 1874, and of whose personal estate and effects letters of administration with the will annexed were on the 19th day of December, 1874, granted by the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Canterbury, to William Read, of the George Hotel, Margate aforesaid, Licensed Victualler), are hereby required to send, in writing, full particulars of their claims or demands to the under-mentioned, the Solicitors of the said administrator, on or before the 30th day of March, 1875, after which time the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which the said administrator shall then have had notice; and that the said administrator will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of December, 1874.

SANKEY and CO., 11, Cecil-square, Margate, Solicitors to the said Administrator.

ANN BRANT, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic., 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 any claim or demand upon or against the estate of Ann Brant, late of Trescott, in the county of Stafford, Widow (who died on the 20th day of January, 1874, and whose will, with a codicil, was proved in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Lichfield on the 25th day of February, 1874, by John Allen, of Ebstree, in the parish of Wombourne, in the county of Stafford, and John Clemons, of Trescott aforesaid, the executors thereof), are hereby required to send the particulars of their claims to us, the undersigned, Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 1st day of February, 1875, after which 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 they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not afterwards be liable for the said assets so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

MANBY and SON, Wolverhampton, Solicitors.

RICHARD PERROTT, 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 upon or against the estate of Richard Perrott, late of Tenter-street, Moorfields, in the city of London, and Tollington Park, Hornsey-road, Middlesex, Packer, Calenderer, and Clothworker, deceased, and carrying on business under the firm or style of Perrott and Perrott, in Tenter-street aforesaid (who died on the 12th day of January, 1870, at Tollington Park aforesaid, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 1st day of February, 1870, by Matilda Syddall Perrott, George Henry Cole, and John Perrott Artindale, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts and claims to the said executors, at the office of the said George Henry Cole, Solicitor, 1, Church-court, Clement's-lane, in the city of London, on or before the 1st day of March next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

GEORGE H. COLE, 1, Church-court, Clement's-lane, E.C., Solicitor and one of the Executors.

ELIZA JOHANNA BLANSHARD, 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 persons having any claims or demands against or affecting the estate of Eliza Johanna Blanshard, late of Grove House, Hampton, in the county of Middlesex, Widow, deceased (who died on the 13th day of August, 1874, and whose will was proved on the 11th day of December, 1874, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate by Hester Johanna Wilson and Arabella Sarah Wilson, both of No. 21, South Audley-street, in the county of Middlesex, Spinster, and William Dawes Freshfield, of No. 5, Bank-buildings, in the city of London, Esq., the executors named in the said will), are required to send in their debts, claims, or demands to the executors, at the offices of their Solicitors, Messrs. Freshfields and Williams, of 5, Bank-buildings, London, on or before the 1st day of March, 1875, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said testatrix among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and for the assets, or any part thereof, so administered or distributed the said executors will not be liable to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice. And all persons indebted to the estate of the said deceased are requested forthwith to pay the amount of their debts respectively to the said executors.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

FRESHFIELDS and WILLIAMS, 5, Bank-buildings, E.C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

The Honourable FREDERICK PEPYS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of the Honourable Frederick Pepys, late of Sydney, in the Colony of New South Wales, deceased, are

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hereby required to send in particulars of their respective claims or demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of February, 1875, at the expiration of which time the administrator of the personal estate and effects of the deceased will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which the said administrator shall then have had notice; and the said administrator will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

LEMAN, GROVES, and LEMAN, 51, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, Solicitors for the Right Honourable William John, Earl of Cottenham, the Administrator of the personal estate and effects of the Deceased.

GEORGE PAYNE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of George Payne, late of Hunalet, in the parish of Leeds, in the county of York, Glass Merchant, deceased (who died on the 5th day of June, 1874, and of whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were granted by the District Registry at Wakefield of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 9th day of July, 1874, to John Wilson, a creditor of the said deceased), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands, with the nature of their securities (if any) to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said administrator, on or before the 1st day of February, 1875, after which day the said administrator 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 he shall then have had notice; and that he 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 29th day of December, 1874.

ROOKE and MIDGLEY, Boar-lane, Leeds.

JOHN MACFARLANE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of John Macfarlane, formerly of the city of Monte Video, Merchant, but late of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster (who died on the 6th day of December, 1874, and whose will was proved at the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, by John McDougall, one of the executors therein named, on the 23rd day of December, 1874), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their respective debts, claims, or demands to the said executor, or to us, the undersigned, his Solicitors, on or before the 1st day of February next, at the expiration of which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the debts, claims, and demands only of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not be liable or responsible for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

HINDE, MILNE, and SUDLOW, 7, Mount-street, Albert-square, Manchester, Solicitors to the said Executor.

Re MARY APPLEBY, 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 the creditors of Mary Appleby, late of Hanley, in the county of Stafford, Widow, deceased (who died on the 25th day of September, 1874, and whose will was proved by William Hans Ringland and John Lowe, the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 8th day of December, 1874), and all other persons having any claim or demand against the estate of the said Mary Appleby are required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 1st day of February, 1875, after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the said Mary Appleby among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim the said executors shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of December, 1874.

E. and A. TENNANT, Hanley, Staffordshire, Solicitors to the said Executors.

HENRY BIRD, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against or affecting the estate of the said Henry Bird, formerly of Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, but late of Battle Farm, Reading, in the county of Berks, Esq., deceased (who died on the 15th day of November, 1874, at Battle Farm aforesaid, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 21st day of December, 1874, by Caroline Bird, Widow, the relict of the said deceased, Edward Bird, and Henry Bird, the son of the said deceased, the executors therein named), are required to send, in writing, the particulars of their debts, claims, or demands to the executors, at the office of their Solicitors, Messrs. Mackeson, Taylor, and Arnould, 59, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, on or before the 6th day of February, 1875, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only of which they shall then have had notice, and will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand the said executors shall not then have had due notice.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

MACKESON, TAYLOR, and ARNOULD, 59, Lincoln's-inn-fields Middlesex, Solicitors for the said Executors.

JOHN AGARS, 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 John Agars, late of No. 5, Elizabeth-villas, Bickley, in the county of Kent, Esq., deceased (who died on the 8th day of July, 1874, and whose will and codicils were proved by Frederick Willmott and Robert Shaffo Hawks, both of No. 101, Borough High-street, Southwark, the executors therein named, on the 17th day of July, 1874, in Her Majesty's Court of Probate, the Principal Registry), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said executors, on or before the 1st day of March, 1875; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only 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 30th day of December, 1874.

HAWKS, WILLMOTT, and STOKES, 101, Borough High-street, Southwark, Solicitors for the said Executors.

JOHN RICHARDSON, 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 creditors and other persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of John Richardson, late of No. 47, Talfourd-road, Peckham, in the county of Surrey, and formerly of No. 30, Bishopsgate-street Without, in the city of London, Soap Maker, deceased (who died intestate on the 7th day of December, 1874, and of whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were granted to Alice Marian Fitz-Gibbon, wife of Gerald Fitz-Gibbon, the natural and lawful daughter, and one of the next-of-kin of the said intestate, by the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 22nd day of December, 1874), are hereby required to send, in writing, particulars of their respective claims and demands upon or against the estate of the said John Richardson, with the nature of their securities (if any), to the undersigned William Joseph Foster, at No. 44, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Solicitor for the said administratrix, on or before the 1st day of February, 1875, after which day the said administratrix will proceed to apply and distribute the assets of the said intestate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts or claims of which she shall then have had notice, and the said administratrix will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice, and all debts and moneys due from any person or persons to the said

intestate must be paid to the said William Joseph Foster before the said 1st day of February, 1875, and the receipt of the said William Joseph Foster will be a sufficient discharge for the same.—Dated the 30th day of December, 1874.

WM. J. FOSTER, 44, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, Solicitor for the said Administratrix.

ROBERT SMITH, 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 creditors and others having claims or demands upon or affecting the estate of Robert Smith, late of Storr's Farm, Windermere, in the county of Westmorland, Farm Bailiff (who died on the 9th day of November, 1874, and to whose estate and effects letters of administration were granted by the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 8th day of December, 1874, to Thomas Smith, of No. 6, Cannon-street, in the city of London, Merchant's Clerk), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the administrator, at the offices of his Solicitors, Messrs. Fisher and Gatey, of Grove House, Windermere aforesaid, on or before the 1st day of March next, after the expiration of which time the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said administrator shall then have had notice, and that the said administrator will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim and demand he shall not then have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1874.

FISHER and GATEY, Grove House, Windermere, Solicitors to the said Administrator.

EDWARD RAINSFORD, Deceased.

Pursuant to the 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 or other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Edward Rainsford, late of Belle Vue, New Hincsey, near Oxford, in the county of Berks, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 25th day of November, 1874, and of whose estate and effects letters of administration were granted to Annie Rainsford, the lawful Widow and relict of the said Edward Rainsford, deceased, by the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 19th day of December, 1874), are hereby required to send particulars of their debts and claims to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said Annie Rainsford, on or before the 27th day of February, 1875, after which day the said Annie Rainsford will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have notice, and that she will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any persons of whose debt or claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

GEO. BESWICK, 10, Bedford-row, London, Solicitor for the Administratrix.

DANIEL BUSHNELL MAJOR, 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 or against the estate of Daniel Bushnell Major, late of No. 32, Cambridge-terrace, Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex (who died on the 21st day of November, 1874, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 19th day of December, 1874, by Thomas Oakley, of No. 1, Lombard-street, in the city of London, and John Cole Syms, of 41, Pentonville-road, in the county of Middlesex, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of claims or demands to us, the undersigned Solicitors, for the said executors, on or before the 15th day of February next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, or demands of which they, the said executors, shall then have had notice, and the said executors will not afterwards be liable for such assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have received notice.—Dated this 24th day of December, 1874.

CHAS. C. ELLIS and CO., 19, St. Swithin's-lane, E.C., London, Solicitors to the said Executors.

In Chancery.—*Drake v. Burgoyne*, 1871, D., 96.

M. R. FREDERICK JAMES CLARK, of the firm of Messrs. Farebrother, Clark, and Co., has been appointed by the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, to sell by auction, at the Auction Mart, Tokenhouse-yard, Lothbury, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 2nd day of February, 1875, at one for two o'clock in the afternoon, in five lots, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery made in the above cause:—

The valuable leasehold improved rents amounting to £358 per annum, amply secured upon the following properties:—

Regent-street.—Nos. 33, 35, 37, 39, and 41, Glasshouse-street, and Nos. 2 and 3, Great Vine-street, held under the Crown for 19 years unexpired, at moderate rents.

Paddington.—Nos. 135 and 136, Praed-street, and workshops and stables in Market-street, held from the Grand Junction Canal Company, for 46 years unexpired, at a nominal ground-rent. Nos. 13 and 14, North Wharf-road, and No. 8, Kent-place, let to yearly tenants. Held for 4½ years unexpired, under the Grand Junction Canal Company, at very low ground-rents.

To be viewed by permission of the tenants, and particulars may be had of Willoughby Rackham, Esq., Solicitor, 46, Lincoln's-inn-fields, W.C.; Messrs. Burgoyne and Co., Solicitors, 160, Oxford-street, W.; Messrs. Farrer and Co., Solicitors, 66, Lincoln's-inn-fields, W.C.; Messrs. Fearon and Co., Solicitors, 21, Great George-street, S.W.; Messrs. Lowe, Solicitors, 2, Tanfield-court, Temple, E.C.; E. L. Walker, Esq., Solicitor, 8, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, W.C.; Messrs. Bothamley and Co., Solicitors, 13, Queen-street, Cheapside, E.C.; Messrs. Ashurst and Co., Solicitors, 6, Old Jewry, E.C.; James Cooper, Esq., Solicitor, 5, Billiter-street, E.C.; Messrs. Vallance and Co., Solicitors, 21, Essex-street, Strand, W.C.; at the Mart, E.C.; and at the office of Messrs. Farebrother, Clark, and Co., 5, Lancaster-place, Strand, W.C.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause *Early against Early*, 1874, E., 82, and in a cause *Williams against Early*, 1874, W., 239, the creditors of Richard Early, late of Wood Green, Witney, in the county of Oxford, Woollen Manufacturer, who died in or about the month of July, 1874, are, on or before the 5th day of February, 1875, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. William Holmes, of the firm of Messrs. Ingle, Cooper, and Holmes, of No. 20, Threadneedle-street, in the city of London, the Solicitors of the plaintiff in the first suit, who is the administratrix of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be preemptorily 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 No. 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Monday, the 22nd day of February, 1875, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 23rd day of December, 1874.

To James Poynton, formerly of Coningsby, in the county of Lincoln, and afterwards of Leeds, in the county of York, and Jane Elizabeth Poynton, formerly of Coningsby aforesaid, both children of Thomas Poynton, formerly of Coningsby, and afterwards of Boston, in the county of Lincoln, deceased.

THOMAS CLARK, late of Tattershall, in the said county of Lincoln, Gentleman, deceased, who died on or about the 7th day of January, 1870, by his will bequeathed to each of the children of the said Thomas Poynton, by his late wife, Susan, a legacy of £100. The said James Poynton and Jane Elizabeth Poynton, are to send in their claims to the said legacies to Thomas Petchell, of Potterhamworth, in the county of Lincoln, Farmer, and Parkin Wiglesworth, of Boston, in the same county, Gentleman, the executors of the said Thomas Clark; and pursuant to the directions in that behalf, given by the will and first codicil of the said testator, and pursuant to an Order, dated 18th April, 1873, made in the matter of *Thomas Clark's estate, Petchell v. Petchell*, 1873, C., 84, notice is hereby given, that if the said James Poynton and Jane Elizabeth Poynton neglect to claim their legacies by the 7th day of January, 1877, being seven years from the death of the said Thomas Clark, the said legacies will be forfeited, and will sink into and become part of the residuary trust fund under the will of the said Thomas Clark.—Dated the 23rd day of November, 1874.

COUNTY COURTS' EQUITABLE JURISDICTION.

PURSUANT to an Order of the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle, made in a suit, *Edward Taylor Foster against Daniel Heaney and*

William Henry Grant, the creditors of or claimants against the firm of Heaney, Foster, and Co., of Phillipson's-buildings, Neville-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne. Ale and Porter Merchants, are, on or before the 15th day of January, 1875, to send by post, prepaid, to the Registrar of the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle, 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 20th day of January, 1875, at two o'clock in the afternoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating upon the claims.

WM. BROOK MORTIMER, Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court, transferred from the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Bedford.

A FIRST Dividend of 4s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Henry Christopher Cooper, of Bedford, in the county of Bedford, Music Seller, and will be paid by me, at my offices, 26, Maddox-street, Regent-street, in the county of Middlesex, on Thursday, the 14th day of January, 1875, or the three following Thursdays, between the hours of eleven and three o'clock.—Dated this 21st day of December, 1874.

FRED. LUCAS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. 9d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Henry George Leah, of 51, Great Marylebone-street, in the county of Middlesex, Brush Maker, trading as Charles and Elizabeth Nixon, and will be paid by me, at my offices, Weavers' Hall, 22, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 13th day of January, 1875, and three following Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

MICHAEL BANES, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A SECOND Dividend of 6s. 4d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Thomas Arkell White, of 16 and 17, Russell-street, Covent Garden, in the county of Middlesex, Wine and Spirit Merchant and Grocer, and will be paid by me, at my offices, No. 3, Crosby-square, in the city of London, on Wednesday next, the 6th day of January, and three following Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two.

EDWARD MOORE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 2s. 3d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Edward Turner, of 22, 23, and 24, German-place, and 18, Marine-parade, known as German House Hotel, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Licensed Victualler Boarding-house Keeper, and Wine Merchant, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Edmonds, Davis, and Clark, No. 7, Union-street, Ship-street, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, on and after the 6th day of January, 1875.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1874.

WM. EDMONDS,
J. MAY, Jr., Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Warrington.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 2s. 10d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Edward Rothwell, of Winwick, near Warrington, in the county of Lancaster, Surveyor, and will be paid by me, at the office of Messrs. Joseph Davies and Co., in Bewsey-street, Warrington, Accountants, on and after the 28th day of December, 1874.—Dated this 24th day of December, 1874.

LOUIS VOISEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 7s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Andrew Rodger, of Cross-street, Ashton-upon-Mersey, in the county of Chester, Plumber and Gas Fitter, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Samuel Gratrix, Junr., and Brother, situate at Alport Town, Deansgate, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on and after the 29th day of December instant.—Dated this 24th day of December, 1874.

W. H. DANIELS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Oxfordshire, holden at Oxford.

A FIRST Dividend of 6s. 8d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Charles Henry Carter, of Ipsden, in the county of Oxford, Farmer, and will be paid at the offices of Morse Goulter, Solicitor, Hungerford, Berks, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of December instant, and three following Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven a.m. and four p.m.—Dated this 16th day of December, 1874.

FREDERICK LEWIS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of William Haigh, of Mexborough, near Rotherham, in the county of York, Furniture Dealer, and will be paid by the undersigned, William Fisher Tasker, at No. 15, North Church-street, Sheffield, in the said county of York, on and after the 5th day of January, 1875, between the hours of ten a.m., and two p.m.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

WM. FISHER TASKER,
HARRY BAILEY, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 2s. 2½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Samuel Osborn, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Steel File and Tool Manufacturer and Merchant, carrying on business in partnership with John Edward Fawcett, as Steel File and Tool Manufacturers and Merchants, at Clyde Steel Works, in Brook Hill, in Sheffield aforesaid, at Clyde Steel Works, in the Wicker, in Sheffield aforesaid, and at Pea Croft Works, in Pea Croft, in Sheffield aforesaid, under the style or firm of Samuel Osborn and Co., and which said Samuel Osborn some time since carried on business with one William Henry Fawcett, deceased, at the said respective places in Sheffield aforesaid, in partnership, as Steel File and Tool Manufacturers, under the said style or firm of Samuel Osborn and Co., and will be paid by me, at 11, St. James'-row, Sheffield aforesaid, on and after Saturday, the 2nd day of January, 1875, between the hours of eleven and one.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

EDWD. S. FOSTER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

A FIRST Dividend of 5s. 9½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of John Edward Fawcett, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Steel File and Tool Manufacturer and Merchant, carrying on partnership with Samuel Osborn, as Steel File and Tool Manufacturers and Merchants, at Clyde Steel Works, in Brook Hill, in Sheffield aforesaid, at Clyde Steel Works, in the Wicker, in Sheffield aforesaid, and at Pea Croft Works, in Pea Croft, in Sheffield aforesaid, under the style or firm of Samuel Osborn and Co., and which said Samuel Osborn, sometime since carried on business with one William Henry Fawcett, deceased, at the said respective places, in Sheffield aforesaid, in partnership, as Steel File and Tool Manufacturers, under the said style or firm of Samuel Osborn and Co., and will be paid by me, at 11, St. James'-row, Sheffield, on and after Saturday, the 2nd day of January, 1875, between the hours of eleven and one.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

EDWD. S. FOSTER, 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 Theophilus Huber, of 18, Temple-street, Whitefriars, in the city of London, Hair Dresser and Cigar 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 Mr. Pittman's offices, 17, Stamford-street, Blackfriars, on the 5th day of January, 1875, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of December, 1874.

THOS. PITTMAN, Attorney for the said Theophilus Huber.

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 Thomas Frewer, of 131, Waterloo-road, 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 my offices, 37, Gutter-lane, in

the city of London, on the 29th day of January, 1875, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

W. A. PLUNKETT, 37, Gutter-lane, 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 Longley, late of No. 60, Prince's-gate, in the county of Middlesex, then of Devonshire Lodge, Maidenhead, in the county of Berks, then of 45, St. James's-place, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, and now of No. 32, St. James's-place, Piccadilly, in the said county of Middlesex, Gentleman, Lieutenant-Colonel in the Royal Engineers on half-pay.

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. Francis Picard, Public Accountant, 39, St. James's-street, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, on the 12th day of January, 1875, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1874.

F. H. AMYOT BROWNE, 39, St. James's-street,
Piccadilly, Attorney 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 Alfred Thomas Wood and George Downs Joyce, carrying on business in copartnership under the style or firm of A. Wood and Company, at 38a, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, Hatters.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Alfred Thomas Wood has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Mintrø, Boys, and Child, No. 2, Carey-lane, General Post Office, in the city of London, on the 19th day of January, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of December, 1874.

G. J. VANDERPUMP, 13, Gray's-inn-square, At-
torney 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 Phillips, of Archduke Iron Works, White Hart-street, Kennington, and of No. 14, De Laune-street, Kennington Park, both in the county of Surrey, Engineer, before then of 84, Borough-road, Southwark, in the said county, 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 1, Trinity-square, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, on the 11th day of January, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of December, 1874.

HICKLIN and WASHINGTON, 1, Trinity-square,
Southwark, S.E., Attorneys for the said John
Phillips.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Harley Hunting, of 47, Theobald's-road, Red Lion-square, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, late of Plummer's-court, Holborn, Plumber and Glazier.

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 J. J. Kent, Accountant, 3, Borough High-street, London Bridge, in the county of Surrey, on the 11th day of January, 1875, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1874.

JOSEPH WILLIAM PERRY, 2, Guildhall-
chambers, Basinghall-street, Attorney for the
said Robert Harley Hunting.

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 Frederick Ribbands, of No. 45, Central-street, St. Luke's, in the county of Middlesex, Wood Turner and Fret Cutter.

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. W. R. Buchanan, 10, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 20th day of January, 1875, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1874.

W. R. BUCHANAN, 10, Basinghall-street, London,
Attorney for the said George Frederick Ribbands.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alfred Thomas Wood and George Downs Joyce, carrying on business in copartnership under the style or firm of A. Wood and Company, at 39A, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, Hatters.

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. Minton, Boyes, and Child, No. 2, Carey-lane, General Post Office, in the city of London, on the 19th day of January, 1875, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of December, 1874.

G. J. VANDERPUMP, 13, Gray's-inn-square,
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 Michael Harris, of 1, Weir's-passage, Somers Town, and 25, Argyle-street, King's Cross, both in the county of Middlesex, Furniture 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. 22, Stanley-road, Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, on the 4th day of January, 1875, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 19th day of December, 1874.

MICHAEL HARRIS.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Nathaniel Kettle, of No. 91, Fulham-road, Brompton, in the county of Middlesex, 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 Albert Davidson Michael, situate 3 and 4, Great Winchester-street, in the city of London, on the 20th day of January, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

ALBERT D. MICHAEL, Attorney for the said
Nathaniel Kettle.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Christopher Coulthard, of 168, High-street, Camden Town, in the county of Middlesex, Chemist's Assistant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Samuel John Debenham, situate 36, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 19th day of January, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

S. J. DEBENHAM, Attorney for the above-named Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Greenwich.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Bussell, of High-street, Forest Hill, Kent, and No. 11, Brunswick-parade, Anerley, in the county of Surrey, 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 offices of Mr. J. M. Green, No. 82, Queen-street, in the city of London, on the 13th day of January, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of December, 1874.

J. M. GREEN, 82, Queen-street, E.C., Attorney for Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Rochester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Summers, of London-road, Strood, in the county of Kent, Greengrocer, Market Gardener, and Potato Dealer (late of Covent-garden, in the county of Middlesex), Fruit and Potato Salesman, and also late of 345, High-street, Chatham, in the county of Kent, 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 office of Mr. James Basset, High-street, Rochester, in the county of Kent, on the 19th day of January, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

JAMES BASSET, High-street, Rochester, Attorney for the said James Summers.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Rochester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Draycon, of Station-road, Sittingbourne, and Sheerness, both in the county of Kent, Wine and Spirit Merchant, Music Seller, and Teacher of Music.

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. Lewis, Munns, and Longden, No. 8, Old Jewry-chambers, in the city of London, Solicitors, on the 20th day of January, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1874.

LEWIS, MUNNS, and LONGDEN, 8, Old Jewry,
London, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Rochester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Amos Penney, of 90, Lowfield-street, Dartford, in the county of Kent, Grocer and 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 offices of Mr. H. W. Banks, 23, Coleman-street, in the city of London, on the 21st day of January, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

W. STOPHER, 24, Coleman-street, E.C., 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 William John McLean, of Princetown, Dartmoor, in the county of Devon, Baker and Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my office, 44, George-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon; on the 16th day of January, 1875, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

ELLIOT SQUARE, of 44, George-street, Plymouth,
Attorney for the said William John McLean.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at East Stonehouse.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Richard Child, of 46, Frankfort-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Watchmaker and 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 my office, 44, George-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, on the 14th day of January, 1875, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

ELLIOT SQUARE, of 44, George-street, Plymouth,
Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at East Stonehouse.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Kittow Edwards, of Saint Clear, in the county of Cornwall, Grocer 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 offices of Messrs. J. E. Elworthy, Curtis, and Dawe, No. 6, Courtenay-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, on the 18th day of January, 1875, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

RICHD. H. DAWE (of the firm of J. E. Elworthy,
Curtis, and Dawe), No. 6, Courtenay-street, Plymouth, 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 James Couldwell, late of Deepcar, in the parish of Ecclesfield, in the county of York, and now of Grove Cottage, Pye-bank, Sheffield, in the same county, Joiner and 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 office of Frank England Machen, 37, Bank-street, Sheffield, on the 11th day of January, 1875, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

FRANK E. MACHEN, Attorney for the said
James Couldwell.

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 John Edward Brodhurst, of Beverley, in the county of York, Esquire.

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. Field, Roscoe, and Co., No. 36, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 13th day of January, 1875, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

HOLDEN, SONS, and HODGSON, 2, Parliament-street, Hull, Attorneys for the said John Edward Brodhurst.

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 Thomas Kerry, of Heckmondwike, in the parish of Birstal, in the county of York, late Cigar Dealer, but now Traveller.

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 me, the undersigned, Joseph Ibberson, in Dewsbury, in the said county, on the 13th day of January, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

JO. IBBERSON, Dewsbury, Attorney for the said Debtor.

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 John Scott, of Ossett, in the county of York, Cloth Fuller.

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. Burton and Moulding, Solicitors, 2, King-street, Wakefield, in the county of York, on the 19th day of January, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

BURTON and MOULDING, 2, King-street, Wakefield, Attorneys for the said John Scott.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alexander Blackwood Boal, of Halifax, in the county of York, 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 John William Longbottom, Solicitor, Northgate-chambers, Halifax, on the 9th day of January, 1875, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

JNO. WM. LONGBOTTOM, Northgate-chambers, Halifax, Attorney for the said Alexander Blackwood Boal.

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 Alfred Tattersall, of Westgate, in Bradford, in the county of York, Draper and Plasterer.

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. W. Berry and Samuel Robinson, Solicitors, 1, Charles-street, in Bradford aforesaid, on the 16th day of January, 1875, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1874.

J. W. BERRY and SAML. ROBINSON, Attorneys for the said Alfred Tattersall.

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 James Hartley, of Cookridge-street, in Leeds, in the county of York, Coach Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Benjamin Collett Pullan, Bank-chambers, Park-row, in Leeds aforesaid, on the 13th day of January, 1875, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

BENJ. C. FULLAN, Attorney for the said James Hartley.

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 John Bunting, of No. 27, Vicar-lane, in Leeds aforesaid, 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 Benjamin Collett Pullan, Bank-chambers, Park-row, in Leeds aforesaid, on the 7th day of January, 1875, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of December, 1874.

BENJ. C. PULLAN, Attorney for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Walter William McLauchlan, of the Lister's Arms Hotel, Ilkley, in the county of York, Innkeeper and Common Brewer.

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 Thomas Alfred Spirett, Solicitor, 1, East-parade, Leeds, on the 14th day of January, 1875, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

THOS. ALF. SPIRETT, Attorney for the said Walter William McLauchlan.

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 John Hope, of Wray-lane, in Scarborough, in the county of York, Butcher and Cattle 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 Edward Williamson, No. 58, Newborough-street, Scarborough aforesaid, on the 20th day of January, 1875, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

EDWARD WILLIAMSON, 58, Newborough-street, Scarborough, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Wakefield. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Buxton, of Woodhouse-green, Normanton, in the county of York, Shopkeeper and Greengrocer.

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. Burton and Moulding, Solicitors, 2, King-street, in Wakefield, on the 14th day of January, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

BURTON and MOULDING, 2, King-street, Wakefield, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at York. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Walker, of No. 29, High Petergate, in the city of York, Plumber and Glazier.

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, Solicitor, No. 46, Stonegate, in the said city of York, on the 15th day of January, 1875, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

GEO. CRUMBIE, 46, Stonegate, York, Attorney for the said Richard Walker.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Oxfordshire, holden at Oxford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Jones, of Leasfield, in the county of Oxford, Servant.

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 the debtor's Solicitor, situate in Church-street, in Charlbury, in the county of Oxford, on the 9th day of January, 1875, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

THOS. MACE, Church-street, Charlbury, Attorney for the said William Jones.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Bedford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Hockhife, of the town of Bedford, 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. Whyley and

Piper, Dame Alice-street, Bedford, on the 15th day of January, 1875, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

WHYLEY and PIPER, Dame Alice-street, Bedford, 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 Alfred Woods, of Cowfold, near Horsham, in the county of Sussex, 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 us, the undersigned, Medwin, Davis, and Sadler, at Horsham aforesaid, on the 15th day of January, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1874.

MEDWIN, DAVIS, and SADLER, Horsham, Sussex, Attorneys for the said Alfred Woods.

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 James Entwistle, of 50, Market-place, and 9, Dieconson-street, both within Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, 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 rooms of the Home Trade Association, 8, York-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 7th day of January, 1875, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

WILLIAM S. FRANCE, 1, Church gate, 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 John Tomlinson, of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, 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 Old Bull Hotel, in Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, on the 14th day of January, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

JOHN H. TATTERSALL, 7, Frances-street, Blackburn, Attorney for the said John Tomlinson.

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 Mark Edge, of 70, Blackburn-street, Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Dog and Partridge Inn, Moorlane, Bolton, on the 15th day of January, 1875, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

WM. BENNEL, 12, Bloom-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 William Hunt, of No. 54, Lamb Brow, Astley Bridge, Sharples, in the county of Lancaster, 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 office of Messrs. Robert and Thomas Hall Winder, Bowker's-row, Bolton aforesaid, on the 13th day of January, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1874.

R. and T. H. WINDER, Attorneys for the said William Hunt.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Tatley, of Ormskirk-road, Blowick, North Meols, in the county of Lancaster, 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 office of Messrs. Leigh and Ellis, Solicitors, the Arcade, King-street, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, on the 14th day of January, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

LEIGH and ELLIS, the Arcade, King-street, Wigan, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Parrott, of No. 20, Brunswick-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Corn Factor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. H. Carmichael, Accountant, No. 1, Cambridge-chambers, 77A, Lord-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 15th day of January, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

M. NORDON, of No. 5, Cook-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Hadwin, of No. 17, Kirkdale-road, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Glass and China 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. H. Carmichael, Accountant, No. 1, Cambridge-chambers, 77A, Lord-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 15th day of January, 1875, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 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 Griffith Jones, of 64, Mill-street, Toxteth Park, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Draper and Outfitter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Downham, Solicitor, No. 7, Market-street, Birkenhead, on the 14th day of January, 1875, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

THOMAS MORRIS DOWNHAM, 7, Market-street, Birkenhead, 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 Henry Tyrer, of Everton Village, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Accountant, also carrying on business as a Tobacconist and Cigar Dealer, at Breck-road and Brunswick-road, both in Liverpool aforesaid, and also carrying on business as a Licensed Victualler, in the name of Robert Sudlow Kearton, at Menzies-street, Liverpool aforesaid.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Joseph Carruthers, Solicitor, 14, Clayton-square, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 14th day of January, 1875, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

JOSEPH CARRUTHERS, 14, Clayton-square, Liverpool, 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 Gordon Smart, Andrew Merson Lyall, and Thomas Smith, late of 49A, Great Mount-street, in the city of Manchester, carrying on business under the style of Smart, Lyall, and Company, as Joiners and Builders.

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 Mr. James Gardner, Solicitor, 52, Brown-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 19th day of January, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

JAMES GARDNER, Attorney for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at King's Lynn. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Bowen the elder, of Shouldham Thorpe, in the county of Norfolk, Bootmaker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Edward Milligen Beloe, of King's Lynn, in the county of Norfolk, Solicitor, on the 19th day of January, 1875, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of December, 1874.

EDWARD M. BELOE, King's Lynn, Norfolk, Attorney for the said Debtor.

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 George, of Winterton, in the county of Norfolk, Fishing Boat Owner.

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. Chamberlin and Diver, Solicitors, 23, King-street, Great Yarmouth, on the 21st day of January, 1875, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

CHAS. DIVER, 23, King-street, Great Yarmouth, Attorney for the said Robert George.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Bennett, of Cowgate-street, in the city of Norwich, Carpenter, Builder, 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 Messrs. Miller, Son, and Stevens, Solicitors, Bank-chambers, Norwich, on the 14th day of January, 1875, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

MILLER, SON, and STEVENS, Bank-chambers, Norwich, 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 Arthur Overton, at Nos. 5 and 6, Market-passage, in the town of Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge, Currier and Leather Merchant, trading under the style of Overton 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 offices of Messrs. Edmond Foster and Son, 28, Green-street, Cambridge, on the 13th day of January, 1875, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

EDMOND FOSTER and SON, 28, Green-street, Cambridge, Attorneys for the said Arthur Overton.

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 Samuel Beech, formerly of 13, Oozell-street North, and now of 9, Oozell-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, General Pattern 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 Messrs. Rowlands and Bagnall, 25, Colmore-row, Birmingham, on the 13th day of January, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

ROWLANDS and BAGNALL, 25, Colmore-row, Birmingham, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Macclesfield. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Martin, of Wheelock, in Sandbach, in the county of Chester, 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 Messrs. Jatham and Bygott's office, Hope-street, Sandbach, in the county of Chester, on the 14th day of January, 1875, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

ROBT. BYGOTT, Sandbach, Cheshire, Attorney for the said 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 Henderson and William Potts, both carrying on business at Tyne Docks, in the county of Durham, as Merchants, under the style or firm of William Henderson and Company, the said William Henderson formerly residing at No. 4, Eldon-place, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and the said William Potts residing in furnished lodgings at No. 21, Nixon-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

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 Mr. Henry Summers Sewell, Solicitor, No. 6, Grey-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne,

on the 13th day of January, 1875, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of December, 1874.

HENRY S. SEWELL, No. 6, Grey-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Attorney for the said Debtors.

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 Henderson and William Potts, both carrying on business at Tyne Docks, in the county of Durham, as Merchants, under the style or firm of William Henderson and Company, the said William Henderson formerly residing at No. 4, Eldon-place, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and the said William Potts residing in furnished lodgings at No. 21, Nixon-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid.

In the Separate Estate of William Henderson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of William Henderson has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Henry Summers Sewell, Solicitor, No. 6, Grey-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 13th day of January, 1875, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of December, 1874.

HENRY S. SEWELL, No. 6, Grey-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Attorney for the said 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 Henderson and William Potts, both carrying on business at Tyne Docks, in the county of Durham, as Merchants, under the style or firm of William Henderson and Company, the said William Henderson formerly residing at No. 4, Eldon-place, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and the said William Potts residing in furnished lodgings at No. 21, Nixon-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid.

In the Separate Estate of William Potts.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of William Potts has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Henry Summers Sewell, Solicitor, No. 6, Grey-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 13th day of January, 1875, at half-past four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of December, 1874.

HENRY S. SEWELL, No. 6, Grey-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Attorney for the said 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 Morris Harris, of No. 5, New Market-street, Consett, in the county of Durham, Dealer in Watches, Jewellery, and Hardware, and Licensed Hawker.

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 14th day of January, 1875, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

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

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 Stephen Keene, of Stowe-street, in the city of Lichfield, Miller, Baker, and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Barnes and Russell, Solicitors, St. John-street, in the city of Lichfield, on the 15th day of January, 1875, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

BARNES and RUSSELL, Lichfield, Attorneys 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 William Morgan, of No. 52, Stafford-street, Walsall, in the county of Stafford, Poulterer and Game Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. John Glover, No. 66, Park-street, Walsall aforesaid, Attorney-at-Law, on the 22nd day of January, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

JOHN GLOVER, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Stafford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Jump, late of the Cock Hotel, Stafford, in the county of Stafford, Licensed Victualler, but now of Stafford aforesaid, out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Frederick Crabb, 43, Horse-fair, Rugeley, in the county of Stafford, Attorney-at-Law, on the 13th day of January, 1875, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of December, 1874.

FREDERICK CRABB, 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 William Maxwell the younger, of Claxton, in the county of Durham, Farmer and Hay and Corn Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Ralph Bell, Solicitor, 64, Church-street, West Hartlepool, on the 5th day of January, 1875, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of December, 1874.

RALPH BELL, 64, Church-street, West Hartlepool, Attorney for the said Debtor.

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 Smart, of the Causeway, Buriton, in the county of Hants, late of Harting, in the county of Sussex, Butcher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Joseph Soames, the Square, Petersfield, in the county of Hants, on the 21st day of January, 1875, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

JOSEPH SOAMES, Petersfield, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Dewfall, of North-street, Bedminster, in the city and county of Bristol, Baker and General-shop Keeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Albert Essery, Solicitor, in the Guildhall, Broad-street, Bristol, on the 9th day of January, 1875, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

ALBERT ESSERY, Guildhall, Broad-street, Bristol, 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 Friend Long, of No. 5, High-street, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, Greengrocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 1, Church-street, Cheltenham aforesaid, on the 4th day of January, 1875, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

CHAS. H. JESSOP, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Gloucester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Holder, of Great Netherton Farm, in the parish of Dymock, in the county of Gloucester, 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 office of Mr. W. E. Smith, Solicitor, at 6, Regent-street, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, on the 13th day of January, 1875, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of December, 1874.

W. EDW. SMITH, 6, Regent-street, Cheltenham, Attorney for the said Debtor.

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 Walker, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named person will be held at the offices of Messrs. Joshua Crowther and Company, Bath-chambers, York-street, in the city of Manchester, on Wednesday, the 6th day of January next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, and that the object of the meeting, and the business to be transacted thereat, are as follows:—1. To consider the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustees of an offer made by the debtor for the purchase of the whole of his estate for a sum equal to a composition of four shillings in the pound on the amount of the respective debts owing by him to his creditors, payable at three, six, and nine months respectively, from the 11th day of December instant; the instalments of such composition to be secured to the satisfaction of the Trustees and Committee of Inspection, the debtor paying all costs, charges, and expenses already incurred, or which may be incurred up to the registration of any resolution accepting such proposition; 2. To pass any other resolution or resolutions authorising the Trustees and Committee of Inspection to assent to a scheme of settlement of the affairs of the said debtor; 3. To pass a resolution fixing the close of the liquidation; 4. To pass a resolution granting the Trustees' release; 5. To consider the debtor's discharge; 6. To pass any other resolution or resolutions incidental to the business and competent for the creditors to pass.—Dated this 24th day of December, 1874.

JOSHUA CROWTHER, Bath-chambers, York-street, Manchester;
GEORGE THOMAS EARLE, Sheffield, Accountant;
Joint Trustees.

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 Maltman Hunt and John Elkington, of Wellesley-road, Sparesbook, in the county of Essex, Builders.

THE creditors of the above-named Joseph Maltman Hunt and John Elkington who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 16th day of January, 1875, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Pratt, of 37, Queen-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, 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 this 29th day of December, 1874.

W. PRATT, 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 Samuel Hill, of No. 127, Blackfriars-road, in the county of Surrey, late of 63, St. George's-road, Southwark, in the said county of Surrey, Cabinet, Bar, and Shop Fitter.

THE creditors of the above-named Samuel Hill who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 15th day of January, 1875, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Charles Keddle, of No. 3, Garden-row, London-road, Southwark, 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 30th day of December, 1874.

CHARLES KEDDLE, 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 Samuel Osborn and John Edward Fawcett, both of Sheffield, in the county of York, Steel File and Tool Manufacturers and Merchants, carrying on business as Steel File and Tool Manufacturers and Merchants, at Clyde Steel Works, in Brook Hill, in Sheffield aforesaid, at Clyde Steel Works, in the Wicker, in Sheffield aforesaid, and at Pea Croft Works, in Pea Croft, in Sheffield aforesaid, as partners, under the style or firm of Samuel Osborn and Co., and which said Samuel Osborn some time since carried on business with or for William Henry Fawcett, deceased, at the said respective places, in Sheffield aforesaid, in partnership as Steel File and Tool Manufacturers, under the said style or firm of Samuel Osborn and Co.

THE creditors of the above-named Samuel Osborn and John Edward Fawcett who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 9th day of January,

1875, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to us, the undersigned, Edward Saville Foster, of 11, St. James-row, Sheffield aforesaid, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

EDWD. S. FOSTER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Garbutt, of Myrshay House, in Bradford, in the county of York, Dyer and Finisher, trading at Garnett-street and Charles-street, in Bradford aforesaid, under the style or firm of John Garbutt and Sons, and also carrying on business in Charles-street, in Bradford aforesaid, in copartnership with John Henderson Garbutt, and Frederick William Garbutt, as an Insurance Agent.

THE creditors of the above-named John Garbutt who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 9th day of January, 1875, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to the undersigned, Charles Joseph Buckley, No. 43, Market-street, Bradford 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 30th day of December, 1874.

CHARLES JOSEPH BUCKLEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Bland, of Windhill, in the parish of Calverley, in the county of York, Worsted Spinner and Stuff Manufacturer, carrying on business at Baildon Bridge Mills, near Shipley, in the said county.

THE creditors of the above-named George Bland who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 9th day of January, 1875, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to the undersigned, Charles Joseph Buckley, No. 43, Market-street, Bradford 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 30th day of December, 1874.

CHARLES JOSEPH BUCKLEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Stafford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alfred Tildesley, of County-road, Stafford, in the county of Stafford, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer.

THE creditors of the above-named Alfred Tildesley who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of January, 1875, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Edward Dickenson, of Old Bank, Stafford, 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 30th day of December, 1874.

EDWARD DICKENSON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carmarthenshire, holden at Carmarthen.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Llewellyn, of High-street, in the town and county of Haverfordwest, Draper.

THE creditors of the above-named William Llewellyn who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 6th day of January, 1875, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John James, of the town and county of Haverfordwest aforesaid, Land Agent, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 23rd day of December, 1874.

JNO. JAMES, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Canterbury. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Brickman, of No. 20, Upper Sandgate-road, and Rendezvous-street, Folkestone, in the county of Kent, Dealer in Musical Instruments and Auctioneer.

THE creditors of the above-named George Brickman who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 31st day of January, 1875, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Edward Thomas Barrett, of No. 8, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London, 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.

EDWARD T. BARRETT, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester, by transfer from 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 Lancashire, Linen and Cotton Manufacturers, trading in copartnership together under the firm of Bray and Smith.

THE creditors of the above-named Hugh Bray who have not already proved their debts are required, on or before the 7th day of January, 1875, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Thomas Peel, of 52, Portland-street, in the city of Manchester, 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 23rd day of December, 1874.

THOS. PEEL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Peterborough.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Cornelius Aubrey Markham, of Peterborough, in the county of Northampton, Carrier.

THE creditors of the above-named Cornelius Aubrey Markham who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 9th day of January, 1875, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, James Gibney, of the town of Nottingham, Leather Merchant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

JAMES GIBNEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Henry Durrant, of Ber-street, in the city of Norwich, Grocer and General-shop Keeper.

THE creditors of the above-named Henry Durrant who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 21st day of January, 1875, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to Alfred Kent, of Saint Andrew's Hall-plain, in the city of Norwich, Solicitor for the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

JAMES FREEMAN, Trustee.

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 Joseph Taylor, of Stoney-street, in the town and county of the town of Nottingham, Lace Manufacturer.

THE creditors of the above-named Joseph Taylor who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 10th day of January, 1875, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Samuel Sims, of Fitchergate, in the town of Nottingham, Lace 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 29th day of December, 1874.

SAML. SIMS, 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 Thomas Edgley, of No. 12, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, and of No. 57, Tottenham-court-road, in the county of Middlesex, Commission Agent.

JOHAN FOLLAND LOVERING, of No. 35, Gresham-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 10th day of December, 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 Ellis Reynolds, of 202, Bishopsgate-street Without, London, Silversmith.

HENRY HOLLAND, of Jewin-crescent, in the city of London, Manufacturing Silversmith, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 23rd day of December, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Charles Friedrich, of 50, Frith-street, Soho, in the county of Middlesex, Meerscham Pipe Manufacturer.

JULIEN DAVIS SOLOMON, of 303, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Auctioneer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 4th 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 Knott, of No. 17, Charlotte-street, Gateshead, in the county of Durham, Joiner and Builder.

JOHN MARTIN WINTER, of 56, Westgate-road, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 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 24th day of December, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Wiltshire, holden at Swindon.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Blanchett, of Swindon, in the county of Wilts, Grocer.

ABRAHAM COLEMAN, of Swindon, in the county of Wilts, 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 29th day of December, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Great Grimsby.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Clark, of Brigg, in the county of Lincoln, Butcher.

JONATHAN SPRING the younger, of Brigg, in the county of Lincoln, Auctioneer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 15th day of December, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Walker, of and residing at No. 34, Rock-street, Bury, in the county of Lancashire, and carrying on the businesses there, and at Scott's-yard adjoining thereto, of a Cabinet Maker, Broker, and Hardware Dealer.

THOMAS ANDREW, of No. 15, Cooper-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancashire, 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 29th day of December, 1874.

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 John Butterworth, of Baxenden, in the county of Lancashire, Cotton Manufacturer.

WILLIAM MILNE, of 100, King-street, in the city of Manchester, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 23rd day of December, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Blackburn. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Jim George Turner, of No. 68, Darwen-street, Blackburn, in the county of Lancashire, Watchmaker and Jeweller.

EDWARD MEREDITH EVANS, of No. 64, Northampton-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturing Jeweller, 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 28th day of December, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Colchester. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Maskell, of Little Bentley, in the county of Essex, Cattle Dealer.

EDMUND JAMES CRASKE, of Colchester, in the county of Essex, Auctioneer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of December, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Boston. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Frederick Taylor, of Boston, in the county of Lincoln, Innkeeper.

WILLIAM AUGUSTUS ROBINSON, of Keighley, in the county of York, 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 29th day of December, 1874.

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 William Bromley, of the parish of Stapleton, in the county of Salop, Farmer.

WILLIAM HALL, of Shrewsbury, in the county of Salop, Auctioneer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Wilks, of 51, Butler-street, Otley-road, in Bradford, in the county of York, Grocer.

CHARLES JOSEPH BUCKLEY, of Bradford aforesaid, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

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 George Marlow, of No. 72, Church gate, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Jeweller.

WILLIAM HENRY DIXON, of 14, Greenhill-street, Greenhays, Manchester, Solicitor's Clerk, 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 21st day of December, 1874.

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 George Freer and Henry Freer, of Causeway-lane, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, and of East Bond-street, Leicester aforesaid, Builders.

HENRY TARRATT, of Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtors must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 23rd day of December, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Wiltshire, holden at Salisbury. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Henry Bedwell Child, the Elder, of Chilbolton, in the county of Southampton, Builder, Baker, and Grocer.

WILLIAM HENRY DAVIS, of 29, High-street, in the town and county of the town of Southampton, 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 the 28th day of December, 1874.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. **A MEETING** of the Creditors of Donald Taylor, of Lydiate, near Maghull, in the county of Lancaster, Mining Captain, adjudicated a bankrupt on the 8th day of June, 1874, will be held at the office of Mr. Peter Vine, Public Accountant, Imperial-chambers, 62, Dale-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 14th day of January, 1875, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustee of a composition offered by the bankrupt of three pence in the pound on and in discharge of all debts and liabilities proveable against his estate, and also the sum of thirty-five pounds in discharge of the petitioning creditors' costs, and five pounds in discharge of the Receiver's costs, such composition to be paid within one month from the registration of this resolution, and the said thirty-five pounds for costs before the registration of the resolution, and on payment of such composition and costs, the bankrupt to have his discharge, such payments being certified to the Court by the Trustee for and on behalf of the creditors, and for the annulling thereafter of the order of adjudication made against the bankrupt.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. **A MEETING** of the Creditors of John Mayor, of 55, Byrom-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Provision Dealer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 13th day of October, 1874, will be held at the offices of Messrs. Gibson and Bolland, 10, South John-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Accountants, on the 14th day of January, 1875, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustee of a composition offered by the bankrupt of two shillings and six pence in the pound, and for the annulling thereafter of the order of adjudication made against the bankrupt.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Denbighshire, holden at Wrexham. In the Matter of Thomas Gouldin, George Howe, and and J. W. Newbold, trading in copartnership, under the style, firm, or description of the Trimley Hall Lime and Stone Company, at Llanfynydd Quarries, in the county of Flint, as Lime and Stone Dealers and Chapman, adjudicated Bankrupts, on the 30th day of April, 1874.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Joint and Separate creditors of the above estate will be held at the Queen Railway Hotel, Chester, on Monday, the 11th day of January, 1875, at half-past twelve o'clock at noon precisely, for the following purposes:—1st. To vote the remuneration and expenses of Trustees and Committee of Inspection, and to receive and pass the Trustees' accounts; 2nd. To approve the declaration and immediate payment of a First and Final Dividend; 3rd. To assent or withhold approval of bankrupts' application for discharge;

4th. To fix date for close of bankruptcy, and release of Trustees.—Dated this 11th day of December, 1874.

JOHN HOLDEN, Mine Agent, Mold;
RICHARD RICHARDS, Colliery Proprietor,
Rhyd-y-Galed, near Mold;
ALEXANDER J. BARRAT, Colliery Manager,
Pen-y-fordd, Hope, Mold;
Trustees.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 3s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Charles Bristow, of the Cooperage, Dockhead, in the county of Surrey, Cooper, adjudicated bankrupt on the 21st day of April, 1874, and will be paid by me, at my offices, No. 40A, King William-street, in the city of London, on Wednesdays, from ten to four o'clock, and on Saturdays, from ten to two o'clock, on and after the 2nd day of January, 1875.

—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.
JOHN BATH, Trustee.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Isaac Williams, of Raglan, in the county of Monmouth, Saddler and Harness Maker, adjudicated bankrupt on the 14th day of August, 1871, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Hancock, Triggs, and Co., the Guildhall, in the city of Bristol, Public Accountants, on and after the 31st day of December, 1874.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

WILLIAM H. LLOYD, Trustee.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

A FIRST Dividend of 2d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of William Summers, of 157, Spring-hill, and 65, Snow-hill, both in the borough of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Pork Butcher, adjudicated bankrupt on the 10th day of July, 1873, and will be paid by me, at my offices, Argyle-chambers, Colmore-row, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on and after the 24th day of December, 1874.—Dated this 24th day of December, 1874.

LUKE J. SHARP, Trustee.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 17s. 1½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Andrew Cotterell, of 16, Frederick-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturing Jeweller, adjudicated bankrupt on the 30th day of June, 1874, and will be paid by me, at my offices, 37, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on and after the 18th day of December, 1874.—Dated this 16th day of December, 1874.

CHARLES MARRIS, Trustee.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

A DIVIDEND of 4½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of David Bransby, of 9, Mincing-lane, in the city of London, and Corn Exchange-passage, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Tea Dealer and Commission Agent, trading under the style or firm of D. Bransby and Co, adjudicated bankrupt on the 5th day of September, 1873, and will be paid by me, at my offices, 37, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on and after the 30th day of December, 1874.—Dated this 21st day of December, 1874.

CHARLES MARRIS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against John Henry Downs, of Cambridge House, Fulham, in the county of Middlesex, Corn Merchant.

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 Henry Downs having been given, it is ordered that the said John Henry Downs be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 30th day of December, 1874.

By the Court.

W. C. Spring-Rice, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said John Henry Downs is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 20th day of January, 1875, 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 Hazlitt, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee, in the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against James Whitehead, of No. 10, Coborn-terrace, Bow, 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 James Whitehead having been given, it is ordered that the said James Whitehead be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 30th day of December, 1874.

By the Court,

W. C. Spring-Rice, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said James Whitehead is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 14th day of January, 1875, 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 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 Charles Sheddon Cary, of 150, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, Auctioneer.

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 Charles Sheddon Cary having been given, it is ordered that the said Charles Sheddon Cary be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 30th day of December, 1874.

By the Court,

W. C. Spring-Rice, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Charles Sheddon Cary is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 14th day of January, 1875, 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 William Chavasse, of No. 505, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, Ice Safe Manufacturer, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman.

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 acts of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said William Chavasse having been given, it is ordered that the said William Chavasse be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 28th day of December, 1874.

By the Court,

Wm. P. Murray, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Chavasse is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 19th day of January, 1875, at twelve o'clock at noon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce

thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to 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 Northamptonshire, holden at Peterborough.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against John Powell, of Chatteris, in the county of Cambridge, Shoemaker and Dealer in Shoes.

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 John Powell having been given, it is ordered that the said John Powell be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 29th day of December, 1874.

By the Court,

W. D. Guches, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said John Powell is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court, in the New Hall, Peterborough aforesaid, on the 15th day of January, 1875, at one o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Rochester.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against James Henry Tillyer, of West Lodge, Northfleet, and Green-street-green, in the parish of Darenth, both in the county of Kent, Malster.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said James Henry Tillyer having been given, it is ordered that the said James Henry Tillyer be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 30th day of December, 1874.

By the Court,

G. Brindley Acworth, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said James Henry Tillyer is hereby summoned to be held at the Guildhall Tavern, Greatham-street, in the city of London, on the 14th day of January, 1875, at two o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Frederick Myers, of 118 and 119, Fishergate, in Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Frederick Myers having been given, it is ordered that the said Frederick Myers be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 29th day of December, 1874.

By the Court,

Frederic Campbell Hulton, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Frederick Myers is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court Office, Preston, in the county of Lancaster, on the 14th day of January, 1875, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of John Dalrymple Edington, of the Alliance, Summer-road, Peckham, in the county of Surrey, Licensed Victualler, a Bankrupt.

William Powell Murray, Esq., one of the Registrars of this 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 London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on the 19th day of January, 1875, 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, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to Mr. Peter Paget, for the trustee, at the said office.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Alexander Joseph Young, of 24, Austin-friars, in the city of London, Stock and Share Broker, a Bankrupt.

John Slater, of 1, Guildhall-chambers, 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, on the 19th day of January, 1875, 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 17th day of December, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Joseph Featherstone, of Bulman's Village, in the county of Northumberland, and of No. 6, Sandhill, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Merchant and Shipowner, trading under the style or firm of J. Featherstone and Co., and also carrying on business at Gare de l'Ouest Batignolles, Paris, France, as a Coal Merchant, under the style or firm of J. Featherstone and Co., a Bankrupt.

Richard Henry Holmes, of the Royal-arcade, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 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 County Court Offices, Westgate-road, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 22nd day of January, 1875, 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 29th day of December, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Edward Lindsay, of the Mushroom and Saint Peter's Quay, both in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Iron Ship Builder, a Bankrupt.

Joseph Greener, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 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 Offices, Westgate-road, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 22nd day of January, 1875, at 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 29th day of December, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carmarthenshire, holden at Carmarthen.

In the Matter of William Randall, of Kidwelly, in the county of Carmarthen, Builder, a Bankrupt.

Frederick George Gough, of Llanelly, Auctioneer, 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 Guildhall, Carmarthen, on the 18th day of January, 1875, 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 14th day of December, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Caleb William Stower, of Tower-buildings, Water-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Commission Agent, a Bankrupt.

John Sutherland Banner, of North John-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house, 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, on the 29th day of January, 1875, 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 30th day of December, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Henry Dickson, of 13, Lime-street, in the city of London, Commission Agent, formerly in copartnership with Walter Benjamin Williams, since deceased, at Melbourne, in Australia, trading there as Merchants, under the style or firm of Dickson, Williams, and Co., adjudicated a bankrupt 19th September, 1873.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Court has appointed Thursday, the 29th day of April, 1875, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, to hear the bankrupt's application for an order of discharge, pursuant to the provisions of the said Act, section 48.—Dated this 17th day of December, 1874.

GEO. N. READ, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Dividend is intended to be 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. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 18th day of January, 1875, will be excluded.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1874.

Edward Moore, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Arthur Evershed, of No. 8, Belle Vue, Hampstead, in the county of Middlesex, a Licentiate of the College of Physicians, adjudicated bankrupt on the 5th day of August, 1874. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 8th day of January, 1875, will be excluded.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1874.

John Sawyer, Trustee.

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Whitehaven.

A Second and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Joseph Fee, of Whitehaven, in the county of Cumberland, Grocer and Provision Dealer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 1st day of August, 1870. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 15th day of January, 1875, will be excluded.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1874.

John Mason, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Bevers Chadwick, of Batley Carr, in the parish of Dewsbury, Shoddy Merchant, adjudicated a bankrupt on the 8th day of July, 1874. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 16th day of January, 1875, will be excluded.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1874.

Joseph D. Good, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Joseph Blackshaw, of Copeland-street, Stoke-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, Parian and China Manufacturer, trading under the style of J. Blackshaw and Co.

UPON reading a report of the Trustees of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 26th day of October, 1874 (reporting in the terms set out at length in an accompanying paper writing which purported to be such report), the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and that the creditors present at the General Meeting held at the Copeland Arms Hotel, in Stoke-upon-Trent aforesaid, on the 14th day of August, 1874 (and the minutes of which have also been read), had sufficient grounds for directing the trustees to bring these bankruptcy proceedings to a close, in consequence of a deficiency in the estate, doth

order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Joseph Blackshaw has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court, this 2nd day of December, 1874.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Thomas Walter Athorn, of 75, Brook-street, Chorlton-upon-Medlock, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Plumber and Glazier, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 24th day of December, 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 three shillings and a penny 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 to the amount of three shillings and a penny in the pound has been paid, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Thomas Walter Athorn has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 29th day of December, 1874.

THE estates of Henry Jacobsen, sometime Grain and Commission Merchant, Hope-street, Glasgow, and previously residing at Holyrood Lodge, Edinburgh, were sequestrated by the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills in the Court of Session, on 26th December, 1874.

The first deliverance is dated 26th December, 1874.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Tuesday, 5th January, 1875, within Dowell's-rooms, George-street, Edinburgh.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the counties of Midlothian and Haddington.

To entitle creditors to participate in the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before 26th April, 1875.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted till the meeting for election of Trustee.

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

JOHN WRIGHT, Solicitor,
Edinburgh and Glasgow, Agent.

THE estates of David McNaughton, Restaurateur and Confectioner, Nos. 200 and 202, New City-road, Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 28th day of December, 1874, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated 28th December, 1874.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Thursday, the 7th day of January, 1875, within the Faculty-hall, Saint George's-place, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 28th day of April, 1875.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt till the meeting for election of Trustee.

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

DAVID MANN, Writer,
150, Regent-street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE estates of William Morrison, late Grocer, Portobello, now residing in Leith, were sequestrated on the 26th day of December, 1874, by the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington.

The first deliverance is dated the 26th day of December, 1874.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock, afternoon, on Tuesday, the 5th day of January, 1875, within Adair's Temperance Hotel, High-street, Edinburgh.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and

grounds of debt must be lodged on or before 26th day of April, 1875.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt.

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

WILLIAM MORRISON, Petitioner.

THE estates of J. and A. MacDonald, Bottlers, in Melrose, as a Company, and James MacDonald, residing in Melrose, and Alexander MacDonald, residing in Hawick, the Individual Partners of said Company, as such, and as Individuals, were sequestrated on the 29th day of December, 1874, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the 29th December, 1874.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Thursday, the 7th day of January, 1875, within the King's Arms Hotel, in Melrose.

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 30th day of April, 1875.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt; and the Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of Roxburgh, Berwick, and Selkirk.

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

LEES and STEWART, Solicitors, Galashiels,
Agents.

THE estates of Kelly, Hill, and Company, Merchants and Colonial Agents, Saint Vincent-street, Glasgow, and James Kelly and Charles Edward Hill, Merchants and Colonial Agents there, the Individual Partners of that Company, as Partners of that Company and as Individuals, were sequestrated on the 30th day of December, 1874, by the Sheriff of the county of Lanark.

The first deliverance is dated the 30th day of December, 1874.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Friday, the 8th day of January, 1875, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's-place, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 30th day of April, 1875.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted in favour of the said James Kelly and Charles Edward Hill, until the meeting of the creditors for election of Trustee.

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

DAV. T. ALEXANDER, Agent,
107, St. Vincent-street, Glasgow.

THE estates of William Fraser, Jeweller, High-street, Inverness, were sequestrated on the 30th day of December, 1874, by the Sheriff of the county of Inverness.

The first deliverance is dated 30th December, 1874.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held on Saturday, the 9th day of January, 1875, at eleven o'clock, forenoon, within the Procurators' Rooms, the Castle, Inverness.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 30th day of April, 1875.

The Sheriff has granted a Warrant of Protection to the said William Fraser until the meeting of Creditors for the election of Trustee.

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

ANDERSON and MACDONALD, Solicitors,
Inverness, Agents.

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