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*Whitehall, October 5, 1876.*

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, appointing Sir Colin Blackburn, Knt., one of the Judges of the Queen's Bench Division of the High Court of Justice, to be a Lord of Appeal in Ordinary, under the provisions of "The Appellate Jurisdiction Act, 1876," and granting him the dignity of a Baron for life, by the style and title of Baron Blackburn, of Killearn, in the county of Stirling.

*Whitehall, October 6, 1876.*

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, appointing the Right Honourable Edward Strathearn Gordon, one of Her Majesty's Counsel, and Her Majesty's Advocate for Scotland, to be a Lord of Appeal in Ordinary, under the provisions of "The Appellate Jurisdiction Act, 1876," and granting him the dignity of a Baron for life, by the style and title of Baron Gordon, of Drumearn, in the county of Stirling.

*Treasury Chambers, October 5, 1876.*

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury have been pleased to appoint Alexander Baillie Cochrane, Esq., to be a Trustee of the National Portrait Gallery, in the room of William Smith, Esq., deceased.

*Education Department, Whitehall,  
October 4, 1876.*

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued an order this day for the formation of a School Board in the undermentioned United District:—

Haversham (comprising the parishes of Haversham and Little Linford ... .. Buckingham

(H. 7106.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, October 5, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs information to the effect that the Portuguese Government have declared the port of Bahia free from yellow fever since the 25th August last, and the ports of the province of Pernambuco free from the same disease since the 12th August last.

*Admiralty, 3rd October, 1876.*

The following promotions in Her Majesty's Fleet have this day been made for services rendered during the recent operations in the River Niger:—

Lieutenant Thomas Peere Williams Nesham to be Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet.  
Sub-Lieutenants:

Francis John Oldfield Thomas,  
John Casement,  
to be Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Fleet.

The Reverend Frank Cole Stebbing has been appointed Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 25th September, 1876.

*Admiralty, 4th October, 1876.*

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, and 5th August, 1875—

Captain James Edward Bickford has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 16th ultimo.

*Admiralty, 5th October, 1876.*

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

Lieutenant Stuart Bankes Roupell has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

*Royal Marines.*

Lieutenant Edward Hugh Rowley Hibbert has been permitted, 3rd instant, to resign his Commission in the Royal Marine Light Infantry.

*Whitehall, September 29, 1876.*

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Henry Cadogan Rothery, Esq., to be a Wreck Commissioner for the United Kingdom, in pursuance of the provisions of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1876."

## THE MERCHANT SHIPPING ACT, 1876.

### GENERAL RULES FOR COURTS OF SURVEY IN THE UNITED KINGDOM, 1876.

WHEREAS, by the Merchant Shipping Act, 1876, it is provided that the owner or master of a ship, that has been provisionally detained, may appeal to the Court of Survey for the port or district where the ship is detained :

And whereas it is further provided that every Court of Survey shall consist of a Judge sitting with two Assessors ; and that the Judge of the Court shall be summoned from a list of persons from time to time approved for the port or district by one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State :

And whereas it is provided that the Lord Chancellor of Great Britain, may from time to time (with the consent of the Treasury so far as relates to fees) make general rules to carry into effect the provisions of the said Act with respect to Courts of Survey :

Now, therefore, I, the Right Honourable Hugh MacCalmont, Baron Cairns, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, with the consent so far as may be necessary of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and of the Treasury so far as relates to fees, do order as follows :

#### *Short Title.*

1. These Rules may be cited as "The Rules of the Court of Survey, 1876."

#### *Commencement.*

2. These Rules shall come into operation on the 1st day of October, 1876.

#### *Interpretation.*

3. In the construction of these Rules, words importing the singular number shall include the plural, and words importing the plural number shall include the singular number.

#### *Courts of Survey, their Districts and Officers.*

4. The Courts of Survey, with the districts assigned to each, and the persons authorized to act as Judges and Registrars thereof, and which have been approved by one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, as set forth in Appendix A, shall be the Courts of Survey, and the Districts, Judges, and Registrars of such Courts, for the purposes of the Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1876.

#### *Publication of Rules.*

5. These Rules shall be published by Her Majesty's Stationery Office through its agents, and a copy shall be kept at the office of the Registrar of every Court of Survey and at every Custom-house and Mercantile Marine Office in the United Kingdom, and may be perused thereat by the

master or owner of any ship which may be provisionally detained under the Merchant Shipping Act, 1876, and by any one deputed by him.

#### *Publication of the Name of Registrar and of his Office.*

6. A notice shall be put up in some conspicuous place in every Custom-house and Mercantile Marine Office in the United Kingdom, containing the name of the Registrar of the Court of Survey for that district, and the name of the street or place in which such Registrars's office is situated.

#### *Notice of Appeal.*

7. Where the owner or master of a ship, hereinafter called the Appellant, desires to appeal to a Court of Survey, he shall file at the office of the Registrar of the Court of Survey for the London District, or for the district in which the ship is, hereinafter called the Court, a notice in the Form No. 1 in Appendix B.

#### *Summoning of Court.*

8. Immediately upon the filing of the notice of appeal, the Registrar shall communicate the fact, by telegraph and letter, to the Board of Trade, who shall thereupon inform him whether they intend to have the appeal heard by a Wreck Commissioner, and, if so, on what day.

9. If the Board of Trade inform him that they do not intend to have the appeal heard by a Wreck Commissioner, the Registrar shall forthwith ascertain which of the other Judges of the Court will hear the appeal, and on what day.

10. On ascertaining when the hearing will take place, the Registrar shall, if there is a list of Assessors for the Court, select therefrom the person who is, in his opinion, the best qualified to act as Assessor on the appeal ; or if there is no such list, he will take the instructions of the Judge as to the Assessor to be appointed.

11. The Board of Trade shall appoint the other Assessor, and shall forthwith send the name and address of such Assessor to the Registrar.

12. If the ship is a foreign ship, the Registrar shall give notice to the Consular Officer for the State to which the ship belongs, residing at or nearest to the place where the ship is detained, that, at the request of the Appellant, some competent person will be selected by the Consular Officer to act as Assessor.

13. As soon as the Registrar has ascertained by whom the appeal will be heard, he shall summon the Court in the Form No. 2 in Appendix B. He shall at the same time send notice thereof to the Board of Trade and to the Appellant, in the Form No. 3 in Appendix B.

14. If the survey has been made on the complaint of any person, hereinafter called the Complainant, the Board of Trade shall send to him notice of the time and place appointed for the hearing.

15. Previous to the hearing the Board of Trade shall forward to the Registrar, to be produced as evidence at the hearing, an official copy of the report of the surveyor.

16. The Court shall, if practicable, be summoned to hear the appeal on a day not later than fourteen days from the filing of the notice of appeal.

*Parties.*

17. The Board of Trade and the Appellant shall be parties to the proceedings.

18. Any other person, on entering an appearance, may, by permission of the Judge, be made a party to the proceedings.

*Notice to produce.*

19. Either party may give to the other a notice in writing to produce such documents (saving all just exceptions) as relate to any matters in difference, and which are in the possession or control of such other party; and if such notice be not complied with, secondary evidence of the contents of the said documents may be given by or on behalf of the party who gave such notice.

*Notice to admit.*

20. Either party may give to the other party a notice in writing to admit any documents (saving all just exceptions); and in case of neglect or refusal to admit after such notice, the party so neglecting or refusing shall be liable for all the costs of proving such documents, whatever the result may be, unless the Court is of opinion that the refusal to admit was reasonable; and no costs of proving any document shall be allowed unless such notice be given, except where the omission to give the notice is, in the opinion of the officer by whom the costs are taxed, a saving of expense.

*Witnesses.*

21. The Wreck Commissioner shall have power to issue subpoenas as nearly as may be in the form used in the High Court of Justice, and such subpoenas shall have effect, and may be served in any part of the United Kingdom.

*Affidavits.*

22. Affidavits may, by permission of the Judge, be used at the hearing, when sworn to in any of the following ways, viz.,

In the United Kingdom, before any Judge or Registrar of a Court of Survey, or before a person authorised to administer oaths in the Supreme Court of Judicature, or before a Commissioner empowered to take or receive affidavits, or before a Justice of the Peace for the county or place where it is sworn or made.

In any place in the British dominions out of the United Kingdom, before any Court, Judge, or Justice of the Peace, or any person authorised to administer oaths there in any Court.

In any place out of the British dominions, before a British Minister, Consul, Vice Consul, or Notary Public, or before a Judge or Magistrate, his signature being authenticated by the official seal of the Court to which such Judge or Magistrate is attached.

*Proceedings in Court.*

23. At the hearing, the Board of Trade shall first call their witnesses, and having done so shall state in writing, what order they require the Court to make.

24. The Complainant, if he has appeared, shall then call his witnesses, and having done so shall state in writing, what order he requires the Court to make.

25. The Appellant shall then call his witnesses, and having done so shall state in writing, what order he requires the Court to make.

26. After the Appellant has examined all his witnesses, the Board of Trade and the Complainant may, on cause shown to the satisfaction of the Judge, call further witnesses in reply.

27. After all the witnesses have been examined, the Court shall first hear the Appellant; then the Complainant (if any), and afterwards the Board of Trade.

28. The Judge may adjourn the Court from time to time and from place to place, as may be most convenient.

29. The Judge may deliver the decision of the Court either *vivâ voce* or in writing; and, if in writing, it may be sent or delivered to the respective parties, and it shall not be necessary to hold a Court merely for the purpose of giving the decision.

30. As soon as possible after the Court has come to its decision, the Judge shall issue an order for the release or detention (either finally or on condition) of the vessel in the Form No. 4 in Appendix B.

31. The Judge shall report to the Board of Trade in the Form No. 5 in Appendix B.

*Costs and Damages.*

32. The Court may, if the parties consent thereto in writing, decide, whether costs or costs and damages are due, and to and from whom, and may assess the amount thereof; or the parties may, by consent in writing, refer the question to the Wreck Commissioner.

33. The order for the payment of costs, or of costs and damages, shall be in the Form No. 6 in Appendix B.

*Computation of Time.*

34. In computing the number of days within which any act is to be done, the same shall be reckoned exclusive of the first day and inclusive of the last day, unless the last day shall happen to fall on a Sunday, Christmas Day, or Good Friday, or on a day appointed for a Public Fast or Thanksgiving, in which case the time shall be reckoned exclusive of that day also.

35. The days between Thursday next before and the Wednesday next after Easter Day and Christmas Day, and the three following days, shall not be reckoned or included in the computation.

*Service of Notices, &c.*

36. Any notice, summons, or other document issuing out of the Court may be served by post.

37. The service of any notice, summons, or other document may be proved by the oath or affidavit of the person by whom it was served.

*Table of Fees.*

38. The Fees, a table whereof is in Appendix C, shall be demanded and taken in any proceedings before a Court of Survey.

Dated this 23th day of September, 1876.

Cairns, C.

## APPENDIX A.

LISTS of the COURTS OF SURVEY, with the Districts assigned to each, and the persons authorised to act as Judges and Registrars thereof, approved by one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

In the following Lists, Column No. 1 contains the names of all the Courts of Survey in the United Kingdom.

*Districts.*

The district of the Court of Survey for London shall include the City of London, and the districts of all the Metropolitan County Courts, the districts of the County Court of Kent holden at Gravesend, Dartford, Greenwich, and Woolwich, the districts of the County Court of Essex holden at Brentwood and Romford, and the district of the County Court of Surrey holden at Wandsworth.

The district of any other Court of Survey in England shall be the district of the County Court of the place, at which the Court of Survey is held.

The district of a Court of Survey in Scotland and in Ireland shall be the district of the Port of Customs of the place, at which the Court is held.

The Courts shall be held at the places, whose names they bear, or at any place within their respective districts, and may, by the permission of the Judge, be adjourned to any place out of such districts.

*Judges.*

The Wreck Commissioner shall be a Judge of every Court of Survey in the United Kingdom.

The persons whose official titles are set out in Column No. 2, shall be the other Judges of the Courts of Survey at the places opposite to which their names occur.

*Registrars.*

The Registrar of the Court of Survey for London shall be Mr. William Edward Stanley Thomson and his office shall be at Somerset House, Strand, in the county of Middlesex.

The Registrar of any other Court of Survey in England shall be the Registrar of the County Court of the place at which the Court of Survey is held, and his office shall be the office of the Registrar of the said County Court.

The Registrar of a Court of Survey in Scotland shall be the Sheriff Clerk of the County in which the Court is held, and his office shall be the office of the said Sheriff Clerk.

The Registrar of a Court of Survey in Ireland shall be the Clerk of the Peace, or Registrar or other person discharging the duties of Registrar of the Court of the Chairman of the county, in which the Court is held, and his office shall be the office of the Clerk of the Peace, Registrar, or other person aforesaid.

## LIST No. 1.

## COURTS OF SURVEY IN ENGLAND.

Column No. 1.	Column No. 2.
Court of Survey for	Judges of the Courts of Survey at the places opposite to which their Names occur.
Berwick ... ..	The Judges of the County Courts in Circuits 1 and 2. The Recorder of Berwick.
Belford ... ..	
Alnwick ... ..	
Morpeth ... ..	
North Shields ... ..	
Newcastle ... ..	The Judges of the County Courts in Circuits 1 and 2. The Stipendiary Magistrate at South-Shields. The Recorders of Durham and Newcastle.
Gateshead ... ..	
South Shields ... ..	
Sunderland ... ..	
Seaham Harbour... ..	
Hartlepool ... ..	The Judges of the County Courts in Circuits 2 and 15. The Stipendiary Magistrate at Middlesborough. The Recorder of Hartlepool.
Stockton ... ..	
Stokesley ... ..	
Whitby ... ..	The Judge of the County Court in Circuit 16. The Stipendiary Magistrate at Hull. The Recorders of Hull and Scarborough.
Scarborough ... ..	
Bridlington ... ..	
Beverley ... ..	
Hedon ... ..	
Hull ... ..	
Goole ... ..	The Judges of the County Courts in Circuits 16 and 18.
Barton-on-Humber ... ..	
Great Grimsby ... ..	The Judge of the County Courts in Circuit 17.
Louth ... ..	
Spilsby ... ..	
Boston ... ..	
Spalding ... ..	
Holbeach... ..	
Wisbeach... ..	The Judge of the County Courts in Circuits 17, 32, and 35.

Column No. 2.

Column No. 2.

Court of Survey for	Judges of the Courts of Survey at the places opposite to which their Names occur.
King's Lynn ...	The Judge of the County Courts in Circuit 32. The Recorder of King's Lynn.
Little Walsingham ...	
Holt ...	
North Walsham ...	The Judge of the County Courts in Circuits 32 and 33. The Recorders of Oxford, Norwich, and Yarmouth.
Yarmouth ...	
Lowestoft ...	
Halesworth ...	The Judge of the County Courts in Circuit 33. The Recorders of Aldborough and Oxford.
Framlingham ...	
Woodbridge ...	
Ipswich ...	The Judge of the County Courts in Circuits 33 and 38. The Recorder of Ipswich.
Harwich ...	
Colchester ...	The Judge of the County Courts in Circuit 38. The Recorders of Colchester and Maldon.
Maldon ...	
Rochford ...	
London ...	The Magistrates of the Metropolitan Police Courts.
Rochester ...	The Judge of the County Courts in Circuit 48. The Stipendiary Magistrate at Sheerness. The Recorders of Faversham and Rochester.
Sheerness ...	
Sittingbourne ...	
Faversham ...	The Judges of the County Courts in Circuits 48 and 49. The Judge of the Admiralty Court of the Cinque Ports. The Recorders of Canterbury, Deal, Dover, Folkestone, Hythe, Margate, Sandwich, and Tenterden.
Canterbury ...	
Margate ...	
Ramsgate ...	
Sandwich ...	
Deal ...	
Dover ...	
Folkestone ...	
Hythe ...	
Romney ...	
Rye ...	The Judge of the County Courts in Circuit 50. The Judge of the Admiralty Court of the Cinque Ports. The Recorder of Rye.
Hastings ...	
Lewes ...	The Judges of the County Courts in Circuits 50 and 51. The Stipendiary Magistrate at Brighton. The Recorders of Brighton and Seaford.
Brighton ...	
Worthing ...	
Arundel ...	The Judge of the County Courts in Circuits 50 and 51. The Recorders of Chichester, Portsmouth, and Winchester.
Chichester ...	
Portsmouth ...	
Southampton ...	
Newport, Isle of Wight ...	
Christchurch ...	The Judges of the County Courts in Circuits 51 and 55. The Recorders of Poole, Southampton, Wareham, and Winchester.
Poole ...	
Wareham ...	
Weymouth ...	The Judge of the County Courts in Circuit 55.
Bridport ...	
Axminster ...	The Judge of the County Courts in Circuits 57 and 58. The Recorder of Exeter.
Honiton ...	
Exeter ...	The Judge of the County Courts in Circuit 58. The Recorder of Dartmouth. The Judges of the County Courts in Circuits 58 and 59. The Recorders of Devonport, Plymouth, and Tiverton.
Newton Abbott ...	
Totnes ...	
Kingsbridge ...	
East Stonehouse ...	
Liskeard ...	
Saint Austell ...	
Truro ...	The Judge of the County Courts in Circuit 59. The Recorders of Falmouth, Helston, and Penzance.
Falmouth ...	
Helston ...	
Penzance ...	
Redruth ...	
Bodmin ...	The Judge of the County Courts in Circuit 57. The Recorders of Barnstaple and Bideford.
Camelford ...	
Holsworthy ...	
Bideford ...	
Barnstaple ...	
Williton ...	
Bridgewater ...	
Weston-super-Mare ...	
Wells ...	
Bristol ...	The Judges of the County Courts in Circuits 53 and 54.
Thornbury ...	
Dursley ...	

Column No. 1.

Column No. 2.

Court of Survey for	Judges of the Courts of Survey at the places opposite to which their Names occur.
Gloucester ... ..	The Judges of the County Courts in Circuits 24 and 54. The Recorder of Gloucester.
Newnham ... ..	
Chepstow... ..	
Newport (Monmouth) ... ..	The Judges of the County Courts in Circuits 24, 30, and 31. The Stipendiary Magistrates at Cardiff and Swansea.
Cardiff ... ..	
Bridgend ... ..	
Neath ... ..	
Swansea ... ..	
Llanelly ... ..	
Carmarthen ... ..	
Narberth ... ..	The Judge of the County Courts in Circuit 31. The Recorder of Carmarthen.
Pembroke ... ..	
Haverfordwest ... ..	The Judge of the County Courts in Circuit 28.
Cardigan ... ..	
Aberayron ... ..	
Aberystwith ... ..	
Machynlleth ... ..	
Dolgelly .. ...	
Portmadoc ... ..	
Pwllheli ... ..	
Carnarvon ... ..	
Llangefni ... ..	
Bangor ... ..	The Judges of the County Courts in Circuit 29. The Recorder of Chester.
Conway ... ..	
St. Asaph ... ..	
Holywell ... ..	
Chester ... ..	
Runcorn ... ..	The Judges of the County Courts in Circuits 6 and 7. The Stipendiary Magistrate at Liverpool. The Stipendiary Magistrate at Birkenhead. Judge of Court of Passage. The Recorder of Liverpool.
Birkenhead ... ..	
Liverpool ... ..	
Ormskirk... ..	
Preston ... ..	The Judge of the County Courts in Circuit 4. The Recorder of Preston.
Kirkham ... ..	
Paulton-le-Fylde... ..	
Lancaster... ..	
Ulverston ... ..	
Whitehaven ... ..	The Judge of the County Courts in Circuit 3. The Recorder of Carlisle.
Cockermouth .. ...	
Wigton ... ..	
Carlisle ... ..	

## LIST NO. 2.

## COURTS OF SURVEY IN SCOTLAND.

Column No. 1.

Column No. 2.

Court of Survey for	Judges of the Courts of Survey at the places opposite to which their Names occur.
Leith ... ..	Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Midlothian, Haddington, and Linlithgow. Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Midlothian, Haddington, and Linlithgow. Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Linlithgow and Stirling. Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Linlithgow and Stirling. Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Stirling, Clackmannan, and Perthshire. Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Fifeshire and Perthshire. Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Perthshire, Forfarshire, and Kincardine. Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Perthshire, Forfarshire, and Kincardine. Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Perthshire, Forfarshire, and Kincardine. Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Aberdeenshire and Kincardine. Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Kincardine, Banffshire, and Aberdeenshire. Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Aberdeenshire, Banffshire, and Elgin. Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Nairn, Inverness-shire, and Ross. Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Caithness and Sutherland.
Granton ... ..	
Borrowstoness ... ..	
Grangemouth ... ..	
Alloa ... ..	
Kirkcaldy ... ..	
Dundee ... ..	
Arbroath ... ..	
Montrose ... ..	
Aberdeen ... ..	
Peterhead ... ..	
Banff ... ..	
Inverness ... ..	
Wick ... ..	

Column No. 1.

Column No. 2.

Courts of Survey for	Judges of the Courts of Survey at the places opposite to which their Names occur.
Campbelton ... ..	Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Argyleshire.
Glasgow ... ..	Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Lanarkshire, Renfrewshire, and Dum-barton.
Greenock ... ..	Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Lanarkshire, Renfrewshire, and Ayrshire.
Ardrossan ... ..	Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Renfrew and Ayrshire.
Ayr ... ..	Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Ayrshire, Renfrewshire, and Wigtonshire.
Stranraer ... ..	Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Ayrshire, Wigton, and Kircudbright.
Wigtown ... ..	Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Ayrshire, Wigton, and Kircudbright.
Dumfries ... ..	Sheriff and Sheriff Substitutes of Dumfries and Kircudbright.

LIST No. 3.

COURTS OF SURVEY IN IRELAND.

Column No. 1.

Column No. 2.

Court of Survey for	Judges of the Courts of Survey at the places opposite to which their Names occur.
Dublin ... ..	The Recorder of Dublin. Resident Magistrates and Chairman of Quarter Session for co. Dublin.
Drogheda... ..	Resident Magistrates and Chairmen of the cos. of Louth and Meath.
Dundalk ... ..	Resident Magistrates and Chairman of co. of Louth.
Newry ... ..	Resident Magistrates and Chairmen of cos. of Armagh and Down.
Belfast ... ..	The Recorder of Belfast. Resident Magistrates and Chairman of Quarter Sessions for co. of Antrim.
Coleraine... ..	Resident Magistrates and Chairman of co. of Londonderry.
Londonderry ... ..	{ The Recorder of Londonderry. Resident Magistrates and Chairman of Quarter Sessions for co. of Londonderry.
Sligo ... ..	{ Resident Magistrates and Chairman of co. of Sligo. Chairman of Quarter Sessions of co. Mayo.
Ballina ... ..	{ Resident Magistrate. Chairman of co. Mayo.
Westport... ..	The Recorder of Galway, Resident Magistrates and Chairman of co. Galway.
Galway ... ..	Resident Magistrates, Chairman of cos. Clare and Limerick.
Limerick ... ..	Chairman of co. Kerry.
Tralee ... ..	Chairman of co. Cork.
Skibbereen ... ..	The Recorder of Cork, Resident Magistrates and Chairman of Quarter Sessions.
Cork ... ..	Chairman of co. Cork.
Youghal ... ..	Resident Magistrates, Chairman of co. Waterford.
Waterford ... ..	Chairman of cos. Wexford and Kilkenny.
New Ross ... ..	Resident Magistrate, Chairman of co. Wexford.
Wexford ... ..	

APPENDIX B.

The following forms shall be employed, as far as possible, with such alterations as circumstances may require, but no deviation from the prescribed forms shall invalidate the proceedings, unless the Judge shall be of opinion that the deviation was material.

No. 1. Notice of Appeal.

The Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1876.

In the matter of the ship "Marian."

To the Registrar of the Court of Survey for

Take notice that I [name and address] the master [or managing owner or owner of shares] of the ship of the port of do appeal

(1) from the report of *L.M.*, the Surveyor appointed by the Board of Trade to survey the said ship.

or (2) from a declaration given by a shipwright surveyor or engineer, (or from the refusal of a shipwright surveyor or engineer to give a declaration,) under the provisions of section 309 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1854.

or (3) from the refusal of an emigration officer (or as the case may be) to give a certificate of clearance under sections 11 and 50 of the Passengers Act, 1855.

*or* (4) from the refusal of \_\_\_\_\_ appointed by the Board of Trade under the provisions of section 30 of the Merchant Shipping Act Amendment Act, 1862, to give a certificate that the said ship is properly provided with lights and with the means of making fog signals.

The address at which all notices and documents may be served by post or otherwise on me is \_\_\_\_\_

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

(To be signed by the appellant.)

*No. 2. Summons to Court.*

The Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1876.

The Court of Survey for \_\_\_\_\_

In the matter of an Appeal by \_\_\_\_\_ from the report of *L.M.*, the Surveyor appointed by the Board to survey the "*Marian*" [*or as the case may be*].

In pursuance of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1876, I hereby summon you to attend as Judge [*or Assessor*] on this appeal, at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ at the hour of \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ noon.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 187 .

\_\_\_\_\_  
Registrar.

I will attend as summoned.

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature of person summoned.*

*No. 3. Notice of Sitting of Court of Survey.*

The Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1876.

The Court of Survey for \_\_\_\_\_

In the matter of an Appeal by \_\_\_\_\_ from the report of *L.M.*, the Surveyor appointed by the Board of Trade to survey the "*Marian*" [*or as the case may be*].

To *A.B.*, the master [*or managing owner, or owner of* \_\_\_\_\_ shares] of the ship the appellant [*or the Board of Trade*].

Take notice that the Court of Survey will meet at \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 187 at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock in the \_\_\_\_\_ noon to hear the appeal in the above matter.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 187 .

\_\_\_\_\_  
Registrar.

*No. 4. Order of Court for Release or Detention of Ship.*

The Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1876.

The Court of Survey for \_\_\_\_\_

In the matter of an Appeal by \_\_\_\_\_ from the report of *L.M.*, the Surveyor appointed by the Board of Trade to survey the "*Marian*" [*or as the case may be*].

I do, with the concurrence of \_\_\_\_\_, order the said ship to be released *or* detained [finally *or* conditionally upon \_\_\_\_\_].

Given under my hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18 .

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge.

We [*or I*] concur in the above report.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Assessor.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Assessor.

*No. 5. Report of Judge of Court of Survey.*

The Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1876.

The Court of Survey for \_\_\_\_\_

In the matter of an Appeal by \_\_\_\_\_ from the Report of *L.M.*, the Surveyor appointed by the Board of Trade to survey the "*Marian*" [*or as the case may be*].

I do report that, having heard this appeal, I did, with the concurrence of \_\_\_\_\_ order the said ship to be released *or* detained [finally *or* conditionally upon \_\_\_\_\_] for the reasons set forth in the annexed statement.

I am also of opinion that the costs of this appeal should be paid by *A.B.* to the Solicitor of the Board of Trade [*or by the Solicitor to the Board of Trade to A.B.; or that all parties shall pay their own costs*].

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18 .

\_\_\_\_\_  
Judge.

We [*or I*] concur in the above report,

\_\_\_\_\_  
Assessor.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Assessor.



No. 6. Order for Payment of Costs, or of Costs and Damages.

The Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1876.

The Court of Survey for

In the matter of an Appeal by \_\_\_\_\_ from \_\_\_\_\_

[The parties to this appeal having, by agreement in writing, consented to refer the question whether any costs or costs and damages are due, and to and from whom, to me or us, with liberty to assess the amount thereof], I order

- (1) That the Board of Trade do pay to the appellant the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ for the costs [or the costs and damages] incurred by reason of such detention and survey.
- or (2) that the appellant do pay to the Solicitor of the Board of Trade the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ for the costs incurred by reason of the detention and survey of the said ship.
- or (3) that each party pays his own costs.

Given under my hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18 . \_\_\_\_\_ Judge.

We [or I] concur in the above order,

\_\_\_\_\_  
Assessor.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Assessor.

APPENDIX C.

	£	s.	d.
On filing notice of appeal, for every 50 tons of the gross registered tonnage of the ship ...	0	10	0
On filing every affidavit ... ..	0	2	6
On entering appearance ... ..	0	10	0
On every subpoena ... ..	0	2	6
On every statement of the order required to be made by the Court ... ..	0	10	0
On the production and swearing of every witness ... ..	0	2	6
On every consent by the parties to refer the question of costs, or of costs and damages, to the Court or Judge, to be paid by each party ... ..	0	10	0
On every hearing, for each day, to be paid by each party, the amount thereof to be at the discretion of the Judge ... ..	1	0	0
On every order whether for the release or detention of the ship or for payment of costs, or costs and damages, to be paid by the party taking out the order... ..	5	0	0
On every office copy of the Judge's judgment or report, of the shorthand writer's notes of the evidence, or of any of the proceedings in the appeal, per folio of 72 words ...	1	0	0
	0	0	6

THE MERCHANT SHIPPING ACTS, 1854 TO 1876.

GENERAL RULES FOR FORMAL INVESTIGATIONS INTO SHIPPING CASUALTIES, 1876.

WHEREAS by the Merchant Shipping Act, 1876, it is provided that the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain may from time to time make general rules for carrying into effect the enactments relating to formal investigations into shipping casualties :

Now, therefore, I, the Right Honourable Hugh MacCalmont, Baron Cairns, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, do order as follows :

*Short Title.*

1. These Rules may be cited as "The Shipping Casualties Rules, 1876."

*Commencement.*

2. These Rules shall come into operation on the 1st day of October, 1876.

*Interpretation.*

3. In the construction of these Rules words importing the singular number shall include the plural, and words importing the plural number

shall include the singular number ; and the words "shipping casualty" shall have and include the meaning given to them in the Merchant Shipping Act, 1876 ; and the word "Judge" shall mean the authority by whom any formal investigation into a shipping casualty is held.

*Publication of Rules.*

4. These Rules shall be published by Her Majesty's Stationery Office through its agents, and a copy shall be kept at every Custom-house and Mercantile Marine Office in the United Kingdom, and may be perused thereat by the master or owner of any ship, and by any person deputed by him.

*Notice of holding Investigation.*

5. When the Board of Trade has directed that a formal investigation into a shipping casualty shall take place, they shall cause a notice to be served upon the master and upon the certificated officers of the ship who were on board at the time of the happening of the casualty, in the Form No. 1 in the Appendix.

6. The Board of Trade may, if they think fit, cause a notice of the investigation to be served upon the owner, and also upon any other person who appears to have been in any way responsible for the casualty.

*Parties.*

7. The Board of Trade, and the Defendant, hereinafter referred to, shall be parties to the proceedings.

8. Any person, having any interest in the investigation, shall, on filing an affidavit showing the nature of his interest, have a right to appear, and shall thereupon become a party to the proceedings.

9. Any other person may, by permission of the Judge, appear, and shall thereupon become a party to the proceedings.

*Notice to Produce.*

10. Either party may give to the other a notice in writing to produce such documents (saving all just exceptions) as relate to any matters in difference, and which are in the possession or control of such other party; and if such notice be not complied with, secondary evidence of the contents of the said documents may be given by or on behalf of the party who gave such notice.

*Notice to Admit.*

11. Either party may give to the other party a notice in writing to admit any documents (saving all just exceptions); and in case of neglect or refusal to admit after such notice, the party so neglecting or refusing shall be liable for all the costs of proving such documents, whatever the result may be, unless the Court is of opinion that the refusal to admit was reasonable; and no costs of proving any document shall be allowed unless such notice be given, except where the omission to give the notice is, in the opinion of the officer by whom the costs are taxed, a saving of expense.

*Witnesses.*

12. The Wreck Commissioner shall have power to issue subpoenas as nearly as may be in the form used in the High Court of Justice, and such subpoenas shall have effect, and may be served in any part of the United Kingdom.

*Affidavits.*

13. Affidavits may, by permission of the Judge, be used as evidence at the hearing, when sworn to in any of the following ways; viz.:-

In the United Kingdom, before the Judge, or before a person authorized to administer oaths in the Supreme Court of Judicature, or before a Justice of the Peace for the county or place where it is sworn or made.

In any place in the British dominions out of the United Kingdom, before any Court, Judge, or Justice of the Peace, or any person authorized to administer oaths there in any Court.

In any place out of the British dominions, before a British Minister, Consul, Vice-Consul, or Notary Public, or before a Judge or Magistrate, his signature being authenticated by the official seal of the Court to which such Judge or Magistrate is attached.

*Proceedings in Court.*

14. The proceedings shall commence with the examination of the master, officers, and any other person who was on board at the happening of the casualty, and who can give material evidence in regard thereto.

15. On the completion of their examination, the Board of Trade shall state, in writing, whether they have any, and if so, what charge to make against any person, and against whom.

16. Where the person against whom a charge is made, in these Rules called the Defendant, is in Court, or before the Court, the Board of Trade may make him a party to the proceedings by handing to him a copy of the charge.

17. Where the Defendant is not in Court, or before the Court, the Judge may, on the application of the Board of Trade, cause a summons to be served upon him in the Form No. 2 in the Appendix.

18. When the Defendant has become a party to the proceedings, or when the time allowed for his appearance has expired, and he has not appeared, the Board of Trade shall produce any further witnesses whom they may wish to examine.

19. The Defendant shall then produce any witnesses whom he may wish to examine.

20. The Judge may then allow any further witnesses to be examined before him.

21. When the evidence is concluded, the Defendant, and any parties who may have appeared, shall first be heard, and afterwards the Board of Trade.

22. The Judge may adjourn the Court from time to time and from place to place, as may be most convenient.

23. The Judge may deliver the decision of the Court either *vis à voce* or in writing; and, if in writing, it may be sent or delivered to the respective parties, and it shall not be necessary to hold a Court merely for the purpose of giving the decision.

24. If, however, the Judge decides that the certificate of any officer is to be cancelled or suspended, he shall give his decision in open Court.

25. The Judge may, if he thinks fit, order the costs and expenses of the proceedings, or any part thereof, to be paid by the Board of Trade, or by the parties to the proceedings, or by any one or more of them, in the Form No. 3 in the Appendix.

26. The Judge shall report to the Board of Trade in the Form No. 4 in the Appendix.

*Computation of Time.*

27. In computing the number of days within which any act is to be done, the same shall be reckoned exclusive of the first day and inclusive of the last day, unless the last day shall happen to fall on a Sunday, Christmas Day, or Good Friday, or on a day appointed for a Public Fast or Thanksgiving, in which case the time shall be reckoned exclusive of that day also.

28. The days between Thursday next before and the Wednesday next after Easter Day and Christmas Day, and the three following days, shall not be reckoned or included in the computation.

*Service of Notices, &c.*

29. Any notice, summons, or other document issuing out of the Court may be served by post.

30. The service of any notice, summons, or other document may be proved by the oath or affidavit of the person by whom it was served.

Dated this 29th day of September, 1876.

Cairns, C.

## APPENDIX.

The following forms shall be employed, as far as possible, with such alterations as circumstances may require, but no deviation from the prescribed forms shall invalidate the proceedings, unless the Judge shall be of opinion that the deviation was material.

*No. 1.—Notice of holding a formal Investigation.*

The Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1876.

To \_\_\_\_\_ Master, Mate, Engineer, or Owner of the British steam [or sailing] ship \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_  
In pursuance of the provisions of section 23 of the Merchant Shipping Act Amendment Act, 1862, I hereby give you notice that the Board of Trade have ordered a formal investigation to be held into the circumstances attending the \_\_\_\_\_

and that subjoined hereto is a copy of the report [or statement of the case], upon which the said investigation has been ordered.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18 .  
\_\_\_\_\_ Solicitor, Board of Trade.

*Copy report (or statement of case).*

*No. 2.—Summons to Person against whom a charge is made.*

The Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1876.

To \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_  
Whereas, under and by virtue of the above Acts, the Board of Trade has ordered a formal investigation to be held into the circumstances attending the \_\_\_\_\_ of the British ship \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_; and it hath been made to appear to me, the undersigned, that you are a person interested in the said investigation, inasmuch as you are charged with (*here set out the charge*).

These are therefore to require you to be and to appear before me on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18 , at the hour \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ noon at \_\_\_\_\_, to attend the said investigation.

Given under my hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18 .  
\_\_\_\_\_ Judge.

*No. 3.—Order on a party for Payment of Costs of Investigation.*

The Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1876.

In the matter of a formal investigation into (*here state the casualty*) held by (*here set out the authority which held the investigation*).

The Court, having inquired into the circumstances of this shipping casualty, orders (1) that *A.B.* of \_\_\_\_\_ do pay to the Solicitor to the Board of Trade the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ pounds on account of the expenses of this investigation, on or before the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18 ; or (2) that the Board of Trade do pay to *A.B.* of \_\_\_\_\_ the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ pounds, on account of the expenses of this investigation, on or before the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18 .

Given under my hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 18 .  
\_\_\_\_\_ Judge.

*No. 4.—Report of Court.*

The Merchant Shipping Acts, 1854 to 1876.

In the matter of a formal investigation into (*here state the casualty*), held by (*here set out the authority which held the investigation*).

I do report that having carefully inquired into the circumstances of the above-mentioned shipping casualty I have \_\_\_\_\_

I am also of opinion that the costs of this investigation should be paid by *A.B.* to the Solicitor to the Board of Trade [or by the Solicitor to the Board of Trade to *A.B.*; or that all parties shall pay their own costs]

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18 .  
\_\_\_\_\_ Judge.

We [or I] concur in the above report.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Assessor.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Assessor.

LIST of NAUTICAL ASSESSORS for Formal Investigations into Shipping Casualties, approved by Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, under the authority of the 30th section of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1876:—

*Royal Navy.*

Commander H. D. Burney, R.N.  
Commander G. H. Forster, R.N.  
Captain J. F. G. Grant, R.N.  
Captain G. T. Holt, I.N.  
Commander H. Knox, R.N.  
Staff Commander Perry, R.N.  
Captain B. S. Pickard, R.N.  
Rear-Admiral R. A. Powell, C.B.  
Commander G. Visconti, R.N.

*Mercantile Navy.*

Captain T. Beasley.  
Captain G. Burnett.  
Captain J. S. Cast'le.  
Captain H. Harris.  
Captain E. Hight.  
Captain W. Parfitt.  
Captain A. Ronaldson.  
Captain J. Sceales.  
Captain G. Y. Ward.  
Captain R. Wilson.

NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

*Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, September 30, 1876.*

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the tonnage bounty awarded for the slave dhow "Mambosasa," captured on the 20th of February, 1876, by Her Majesty's ship "London."

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

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

NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

*Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, October 2, 1876.*

NOTICE is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines, and to all persons interested therein, that the distribution of the tonnage bounty and proceeds awarded for a slave dhow, name unknown, captured on the 7th September, 1875, by Her Majesty's ship "London," will commence on Friday, the 13th instant, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the "Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, New-street, Spring-gardens, S.W."

Agents and other persons holding powers of attorney, prize orders, assignments, or other instruments, by virtue of which they may be

legally entitled to claim the share of any captor serving in the above-named ship, are requested to present the same at this office.

Any Officer, Seaman, Marine, or other person, who may desire to receive his share from the Collector of Customs or of Inland Revenue within the United Kingdom, is required to intimate the same by letter to be addressed "On Prize Business, to the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, London, S.W." (enclosing his certificate of service, or an attested copy thereof, excepting in the case of Commissioned Officers),—in which letter his own place of residence is to be precisely stated, as well as the place of the nearest Collector of Customs, or of Inland Revenue, from whom it would be convenient to receive such share of prize money.

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

	£	s.	d.
Flag . . . . .	17	0	5
Captain . . . . .	49	7	3
Second class . . . . .	8	9	8
Third class . . . . .	7	5	6
Fourth class . . . . .	4	16	11
Fifth class . . . . .	2	18	2
Sixth class . . . . .	2	8	7
Seventh class . . . . .	1	14	1
Eighth class . . . . .	0	19	4
Ninth class . . . . .	0	9	8
Tenth class . . . . .	0	4	10

INCOME TAX.

WHEREAS it has become necessary to renew the list of persons to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners appointed to act in the division of Lower South Aylesford, in the county of Kent, as Commissioners for the general purposes of the Acts of Parliament for granting to Her Majesty duties on profits arising from property, professions, trades, and offices: Now we, two of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, in pursuance of the powers vested in us in that behalf, do hereby convene a meeting of the Land Tax Commissioners for the county aforesaid, being respectively qualified to act as such Commissioners, to be holden at the Camden Arms Inn, Pembury, on Wednesday, the 18th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of choosing fit and proper persons to be Commissioners to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners for the general purposes of the Income Tax Acts for the division of Lower South Aylesford aforesaid.

*W. H. Stephenson.  
Alfred Montgomery.*

Inland Revenue, Somerset House,  
London, October 4, 1876.

Axbridge Union.—Parish of Wedmore.

To the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Wedmore, in the County of Somerset:—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the population of the parish of Wedmore, in the county of Somerset, according to the last census, exceeds two thousand persons:

And whereas at a Meeting of the Vestry of the said parish, held pursuant to public notice in

that behalf, on Saturday, the 25th day of March, 1876, it was resolved,—

“That a Room be hired for Vestry Meetings in the Assembly Rooms, under a recent Act of Parliament.”

And whereas application has been made in writing to the Local Government Board, pursuant to the above resolution :

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

ARTICLE I.—So much of the Act passed in the fourteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty, intituled “An Act to prevent the holding of Vestry or other Meetings in Churches, and for

“regulating the Appointment of Vestry Clerks,” as relates to the providing of a room or suitable buildings for the purpose of holding Vestry or other Meetings, shall forthwith be applied to and be put in force within the said parish of Wedmore.

ARTICLE II.—A copy of this Order shall be published in the London Gazette.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this twentieth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

G. Sclater-Booth, President.

Danby P. Fry, Assistant-Secretary.

THE Inclosure Commissioners for England and Wales hereby give notice, that applications have been made by the undermentioned persons for the advance of the undermentioned Sums, by way of Loan, under the provisions of the Public Money Drainage Acts, for the drainage of the lands hereinafter specified :—

Name of Applicant.	Estate.	Parish.	County.	Sums applied for by way of Loan.
The Governors of Tucker's Charity, Beaminster, in the county of Dorset	Broadenham ...	Netherbury ..	Dorset ...	£ 200
The Reverend William Pitcairn Alexander Campbell, of Almeley, in the county of Hereford, Clerk	Glebe Lands ...	Almeley ...	Hereford ...	50
The Reverend Richard Walker Marriott, of Aldborough, in the county of York, Clerk	Glebe Lands ...	Dunsforth ...	York ...	140
The Reverend Brooke Lambert, of Tamworth Vicarage, in the county of Stafford, Clerk	Glebe Lands ...	Baddosley-Ensor ...	Warwick ...	90

Witness my hand this 2nd day of October, in the year of our Lord 1876

E. TATTERSHALL,  
By order of the Board.

RETURN of the Aggregate Average Amount of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK of AUSTRALASIA, as well in England as in the Australasian Colonies, from the 12th day of October, 1875, to the 10th day of April, 1876.

(Published pursuant to the Royal Charter of Incorporation).

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Bills in Circulation not bearing Interest ... ..	864,103	17	5	Coin and Bullion ... ..	716,347	16	3
Notes in Circulation not bearing Interest ... ..	329,110	0	1	Landed property of the Corporation ... ..	201,494	5	10
Bills and Notes in Circulation bearing Interest ... ..	—			Bills of other Banks ... ..	36,687	16	3
Balances due to other Banks ... ..	—			Balances due from other Banks	—		
Cash deposited not bearing Interest ... ..	1,375,958	15	7	Debts due to the Corporation, including Notes, Bills, and Government Securities ...	5,867,497	19	4
Cash deposited bearing Interest	2,551,544	7	8				
Total Liabilities of the Corporation ... ..	£5,120,717	0	9	Total Assets of the Corporation	£6,822,527	17	8

J. Badcock, Secretary.  
London, October 2, 1876.

Rich. Philpott, Chairman.

## 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 23rd day of September, 1876.

*The undermentioned Parties having omitted to transmit their Accounts in proper time to be inserted in the Gazette of Tuesday, the 3rd day of October, 1876.*

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£
Yarmouth and Suffolk Bank, and Halesworth and Suffolk Bank ... ..	Yarmouth ...	Gurneys, Birkbeck, and Co.	34,217
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company ...	Carlisle ...	... ..	22,965

W. H. COUSINS, Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House, October 5, 1876.

AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered in the Week ending 4th October, 1876.

Countries from which Imported.	Imported into the United Kingdom.					
	GOLD.			SILVER.		
	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Germany ... ..	250	...	250	213,333	424,880	638,213
France ... ..	2,041	...	2,041	39,041	...	39,041
British India ... ..	11,340	7,930	19,270	...	35	35
Australia ... ..	160,625	50,954	211,579	...	...	...
South America (except Brazil)	3,352	1,563	4,915	48,437	111,454	159,891
Brazil ... ..	11,514	857	12,371	46,000	6,868	52,868
United States ... ..	1,580	...	1,580	263,922	102,327	366,249
Other Countries ... ..	5,550	2,260	7,810	3,260	9,128	12,388
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aggregate of the Importations } registered in the Week ... }	196,252	63,564	259,816	613,993	654,692	1,268,685
Declared Value of the said } Importations ... .. }	£ 784,867	£ 254,169	£ 1,039,036	£ 142,292	£ 148,865	£ 291,157

  

Countries to which Exported.	Exported from the United Kingdom.							
	GOLD.			SILVER.				
	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.
	British.	Foreign.	Ounces.	Ounces.	British.	Foreign.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Denmark ... ..	...	...	10,324	10,324	...	...	...	
France ... ..	7,800	361	...	8,161	...	2,980	68,821	71,801
Egypt ... ..	18,606	...	...	18,606	...	...	...	
British India ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	565,840	565,840	
United States ... ..	12,850	7,590	17,700	38,140	...	...	...	
Other Countries ... ..	1,054	...	31	1,085	927	602	...	1,529
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Aggregate of the Exportations } registered in the Week ... }	40,310	7,951	28,055	76,316	927	3,582	634,661	639,170
Declared Value of the said } Exportations ... .. }	£ 156,500	£ 31,401	£ 110,120	£ 298,021	£ 255	£ 885	£ 147,950	£ 149,090

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 4th day of October, 1876.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

£				£			
Notes issued	...	...	49,127,760	Government Debt	...	...	11,015,100
				Other Securities	...	...	3,984,900
				Gold Coin and Bullion	...	...	34,127,760
				Silver Bullion	...	...	—
			£49,127,760				£49,127,760

Dated the 5th day of October, 1876.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

£				£			
Proprietors' Capital	...	...	14,553,000	Government Securities	...	...	15,712,817
Rest	...	...	3,680,381	Other Securities	...	...	15,906,720
Public Deposits (including Ex- chequer, Savings Banks, Com- missioners of National Debt, and Dividend Accounts)	...	...	6,383,517	Notes	...	...	19,878,015
Other Deposits	...	...	27,196,160	Gold and Silver Coin	...	...	688,657
Seven Day and other Bills	...	...	373,151				
			£52,186,209				£52,186,209

Dated the 5th day of October, 1876.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Thorne Memorial Bible Christian Chapel, situate at Bear-street, in the parish of Barnstaple, in the county of Devon, in the district of Barnstaple, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 18th day of September, 1876, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85, being substituted for the building known as Bible Christian Chapel, now disused.

Witness my hand this 21st day of September, 1876.

William Henry Toller, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Primitive Methodist Chapel, situate at Parchment-street, Winchester, in the parish of St. Mary Kaleudar, in the county of Southampton, in the district of Winchester, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 19th day of September, 1876, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 22nd day of September, 1876.

Edwd. Wms. Faithfull, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Southwark Park Wesleyan Methodist Chapel, situate at Lower-road, in the parish of Rotherhithe, in the county of Surrey, in the district of St. Olave, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 3rd day of September, 1876,

duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 3rd day of October, 1876.

Wm. Benjn. Hurst, Superintendent Registrar.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to Thomas Culpin, of No. 77, Upper Thames-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in reaping and mowing machines," bearing date the 17th day of June, 1873. No. 2131.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Walter Abbott Wood, of No. 36, Worship-street, in the county of Middlesex, Manufacturer, in whom the said Letters Patent are vested by virtue of an assignment, dated 1st May, 1874, has applied by petition to the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions for leave to file a Disclaimer and Memorandum of Alteration of certain parts of the specification filed in pursuance of the said Letters Patent; and any person intending to oppose such application must give notice thereof at the chambers of the Attorney-General, 6, Crown Office-row, Temple, within ten days from the date hereof.—Dated this 6th day of October, 1876.

Robertson, Brooman, and Co., 166, Fleet-street, E.C., Agents for the Petitioner.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of George Thomas Blundell and James Walter Blundell, of Limehouse, in the county of Mid-

Essex, Engineers and Coppersmiths, and Frederick Holmes, of Victoria Park, in the said county, Engineer, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in pumps," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 27th day of September, 1876, 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  
3766. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of James Mackenzie, of Edinburgh, in the county of Mid Lothian, North Britain, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in weighing machines," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 27th day of September, 1876, 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  
3773. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Henry Potts Scott and Benton Hart Zerbe, both of Westoe Villa, Burdett-road, Bow, in the county of Middlesex, Commission Agents, praying for letters patent for the invention of "an improvement in lubricants and packings for steam engines, steam chests, journals, bearings, stuffing boxes, also safes, and as a covering for steam boilers, steam & hot air pipes & roofs, and in general such parts of machinery as are liable to friction or the effects of heat," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 28th day of September, 1876, 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  
3828. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Thomas Haynes, of Kansas City, in the county of Jackson, and State of Missouri, one of the United States of America, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in lubricators," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 3rd day of October, 1876, 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—

2329. To Edward Jordan Hough, of Saint Helen's-place, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in obtaining and applying motive power for submarine operations."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 2nd day of June, 1876.

2936. To Frederic Augustus Lockwood, of Fall River, in the county of Bristol, in the State of Massachusetts, in the United States of America,

for the invention of "improvements in machinery for scouring, setting, or glassing leather or beaming hides."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 21st day of July, 1876.

2999. To Thomas Bradford, of High Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, and of the city of Manchester, Laundry Engineer, for the invention of "an improved machine or apparatus for washing and peeling potatoes or other vegetables or roots."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners, on the 25th day of July, 1876.

3091. To Bristow Hunt, of Serle-street, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of steam boilers and in apparatus to be used in the manufacture thereof."—A communication to him from abroad by Alvan Dinsmore Brock, Engineer, of Washington, District of Columbia, in the United States of America.

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 2nd day of August, 1876.

3181. To Sydney Pitt, of Sutton, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of articles from copper and in apparatus employed therein."—A communication to him from abroad by Count Stanislas de Plater-Syberg, of Paris, in the Republic of France.

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 11th day of August, 1876.

3376. To Peter Sieh and Theodore Schwarz, Engineers, in the city of Hamburg, Germany, for the invention of "improvements in gas regulating and saving apparatus."

3377. To George Lowry, of Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "the improvement of turnstiles and apparatus connected therewith."

3390. And to Walter Weldon, of Abbey Lodge, Merton, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "an improved combination of processes and apparatus for the manufacture of soda and potash, and the recovery of the sulphur employed therein."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 28th day of August, 1876.

3409. To Thomas Coltman, of Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Mechanist, for the invention of "improvements in automatic thread layers combined with thread carriers, applicable to the machines employed in manufacturing ribbed, looped, or knitted fabrics."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 30th day of August, 1876.

3436. To Frederick Weintraud and Richard James Secundus Joyce, of No. 18, Aldermanbury, in the city of London, Manufacturers, for the invention of "improvements in solitaires or sleeve and collar studs."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 31st day of August, 1876.

3477. To Charles Dawbarn, 8, Bury-court, St. Mary Axe, London, for the invention of "an improved method of raising and lowering window-blinds and apparatus therefor."—A communication to him from abroad by Louis H. Gano, of New York City, United States of America.

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 4th day of September, 1876.



3519. To Bristow Hunt, of Serle-street, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for weaving looped and piled fabrics."—A communication to him from abroad by Octave Alexandre Gallet, of Paris, France.

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 7th day of September, 1876.

3530. To James Gillman, of Leeds, in the county of York, Scale Manufacturer, for the invention of "a new or improved grave tablet for perpetuating the memory of the dead."

3538. And to Howard Pratt Garland, of San Francisco, California, United States of America, now of Dundee, Scotland, for the invention of "improvements in sewing machinery."

On both their petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 8th day of September, 1876.

3549. To Robert Griffiths, of Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in discharging water from steam ships and other vessels, and in the apparatus employed for this purpose."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 9th day of September, 1876.

3558. To Frederick Young, of No. 197, Dalston-lane, Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, and Charles Frederick Deacon, of Southampton, in the county of Southampton, Solicitor, for the invention of "improvements in roller or wheel skates."

3560. To Adam Carlisle Banlett, of Thirsk, in the county of York, Agricultural Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in reaping and mowing machines."

3562. And to Alexander Jardine Alderman, of No. 6, Copenhagen-street, Cloudesley-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for use in stopping and controlling the motion of ships' cables."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 11th day of September, 1876.

3566. To John Robertson, of Lanemark, New Cumnock, in the county of Ayr, North Britain, Colliery Manager, for the invention of "a new or improved apparatus for stopping pumping engines."

3572. To William Coor Parker, Chairman, and James Stabler, Manager of the North of England School Furnishing Company Limited, of Darlington, in the county of Durham, for the invention of "improvements in school-furniture."

3574. To Henry Lister, of Ashbrow Mills, near Huddersfield, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in cooling woven or felted fabrics after the process of steaming or 'blowing' or boiling in water."

3576. To William White, of 28, London-road, Newcastle-under-Lyme, in the county of Stafford, for the invention of "improvements in purifying or disinfecting sewage and other foul waters, and in the preparation of disinfectants."

3578. To Bernhard Samuelson and William George Manwaring, of Banbury, in the county of Oxford, Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in harvesting machines."

3580. And to Howgate Greaves Warburton, of Leicester, in the county of Leicester, for the invention of "improvements in the method of

winding hosiery yarn, and in apparatus employed therefor."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 12th day of September, 1876.

3582. To Peter Joel Livsey, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Consulting Engineer and Patent Agent, for the invention of "certain improvements in machines for printing or embossing spools."—A communication to him from abroad by Ira Dimock, of Hartford, in the State of Connecticut, in the United States of America.

3586. To Henry James Cole, of 76, Wandsworth-road, in the county of Surrey, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus connected with cleansing the bottoms of ships and other submerged structures."

3587. To Philip Haughton Whittaker, of Parr-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in signalling apparatus."

3588. To Edgar Hum, of Stoke Newington, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in rim, mortise, and other latch locks."

3592. And to William Clark, of 232, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "certain improvements in the construction of instruments for shearing sheep or other animals."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 13th day of September, 1876.

3596. To Frederick Richard Wheeldon, of Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Engineer, for the invention of "certain improvements in machinery for finishing the ends of rolls for metal rolling."

3598. To Henry Horton, of 7, Finsbury-street, in the city of London, & county of Middlesex, Gasfitter, for the invention of "improvements in globe holders suitable for gas and other lamps."

3600. To Thomas Bernard Ward, of Holt Town, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Dyer, for the invention of "improvements in frames employed in the stretching and finishing of skirts."

3602. To James Vernon, of the firm of James Vernon and Brother, of Newton Stewart, in the county of Wigton, Scotland, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of decanters, water bottles, tumblers, and other vessels or articles made of glass, china, stone-ware, or other brittle or hard materials."

3604. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "an improved printing, paper-cutting, and tag-making machine."—A communication to him from abroad by William Heckert, of Providence, Rhode Island, United States of America.

3608. And to William Alexander Brice, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "an improved fountain pen-holder."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 14th day of September, 1876.

3610. To Francis Adkins, of the Brodes Works, Oldbury, nr. Birmingham, in the county of Worcester, for the invention of "improvements in tanged spades and shovels."

3614. To Denis Bury, of Oswaldtwistle, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of crank arms used in looms for weaving."

3615. To Thaddens Hyatt, of No. 66, Gloucester-gardens, Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex, London, Manufacturer of Patent Lights, and Thomas Rickett, of No. 3, Devonshire-place, Pershore-road, near Birmingham, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in wood screws, and in machinery for making the same, and in means, methods, and processes connected therewith."

3616. To William Henry Douglas, of Stourbridge, in the county of Worcester, Jeweller, for the invention of "improvements in studs or clasps."

3618. To Robert Henry Armit, of No. 8, Victoria-chambers, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, a Retired Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Navy, for the invention of "improvements in screw propellers, for propelling vessels through the water."

3620. And to Matthew Piers Watt Boulton, of Tew Park, Oxfordshire, Esquire, for the invention of "improvements in engines worked by the combustion and expansive force of an inflammable fluid mixture."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 15th day of September, 1876.

3622. To William Cowper Pellatt, of Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in means or apparatus for folding wrappers or covers around cakes of blacking or other material."

3626. To Frank Wirth, of the firm of Wirth and Company, Patent Agency, of Frankfort on the Maine, in the Empire of Germany, for the invention of "improvements in packing rings and in the method of and apparatus for manufacturing the same."—A communication from Theodor Remus, a person resident at Lodz, in the Empire of Russia.

3628. To John Garlick, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Builder, for the invention of "improvements in kilns."

3632. To Charles Robertson Mitchell, of Aberdeen, North Britain, Iron Founder and Engineer, for the invention of "a new or improved fishing-gear-winch, or arrangement of mechanism for heaving in herring or other fishing nets, trawl ropes, and deep sea fishing or other lines."

3633. To Edward Alfred Cowper, of No. 6, Great George-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in centrifugal machines."

3634. To William Walton, of Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Card Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for grinding wire cards."

3636. To William Lowe, of Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, Gentleman, for the invention of "an improvement or improvements in lamps for burning kerosine and other light or volatile oils."—A communication to him from abroad by William Henry Dalton, of Emerald Hill, near Melbourne, in the Colony of Victoria, Gentleman.

3638. And to Carl Hermann Wetzel, of Aldermanbury, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in locks or fastenings for boxes, the same being specially applicable in improved boxes for cigar lighters and matches."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 16th day of September, 1876.

3641. To Charles Edward Heron Rogers, of East Retford, in the county of Nottingham, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for disinfecting clothing and other similar articles."

3644. To George Nesbitt, of Bournemouth, in the county of Hampshire, Photographer, for the invention of "an improved photograph tinting apparatus."

3646. To Charles Denton Abel, of No. 20, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in steam boilers."—A communication to him from abroad by Lebrecht Steinmüller and Carl Steinmüller, both of Gummersbach, in the German Empire.

3648. To Henry Brittain, of the firm of S. Brittain and Son, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in windows for carriages, and in fastenings for the same."

3650. And to Henry John Distin, of No. 14, Tavistock-street, Bedford-square, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanician, for the invention of "a machine for manufacturing the improved apparatus to produce sound as a substitute for a castanet, for which letters patent dated the 23rd day of February, 1876, were granted to him."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 18th day of September, 1876.

3653. To John Farran, Spinning Master, and James Walsh, Cotton Spinner, both of Over Darwen, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in self-acting mules used for spinning cotton, flax, wool, and other fibrous materials."

3654. To William Ford Smith, and Arthur Coventry, of Gresley Iron Works, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Engineers and Tool Makers, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of carriers, pedestals, pulleys, and couplings for shafting and mechanism for counter-shafting, and in lathes or machinery for making shafts."

3655. To William Foulis, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "a new or improved gas governor."

3656. To Samuel Benjamin Wilkins, of Edinburgh, in the county of Midlothian, North Britain, Firemaster, for the invention of "improvements in ball-cock hydrants."

3658. To William Alexander Brice, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improved self detaching apparatus for disengaging ships' boats, and other purposes."

3659. To William Morgan-Brown, of the firm of Brandon and Morgan-Brown, Engineers and Patent Agents, of 38, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in looms for pleating and diapering all kinds of cloth and tissues."—A communication to him from abroad by Hyacinthe Marie Fouillet, of 49, Chaussée d'Antin, Paris.

3660. To Gustav Ernst Adolph Hoermann, of Berlin, in the Kingdom of Prussia, but at present of No. 4, Great Tower-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "improved means and apparatus for regulating reciprocating motion in motor engines and other machinery."

3661. To John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in steam boilers."—A communication to him from abroad by Charles Ten Briuk, of Paris, in the Republic of France, Engineer.

3662. To Thomas Frederick Hunt, of Banbury, in the county of Oxford, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for marking lawn tennis courts and other surfaces."

3663. To George Bray, of Keighley, in the county of York, Shuttle Maker, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for cutting, turning, or shaping wood."
3665. To Ralph Hart Tweddell, James Platt, and John Fielding, of the Atlas Works, Gloucester, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus and means for the transmission of pressure to hydraulic machine tools to facilitate their application to the work on which they are to be applied."
3666. To Samuel Hill, of Southwark, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "an improved sash-fastener for windows, which is also applicable for securing casements, cupboards, or doors, or for other similar purposes."
3667. To Charles Frederick Grimmett, of Edgbaston, in the county of Warwick, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of skelps and tubes."
3668. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements relating to the combination of articles of confectionery and the like with musical instruments."—A communication to him from abroad by Johann Kluge and Johann Bernmueller, of the firm of Joh. Kluge & Co., of Prague, Bohemia.
3669. To Charles Henry Everett, of No. 37, Douglas-place, Queen's-road, Bayswater, Builder and Decorator, for the invention of "an improved seat."
3670. And to Camille Alphonse Faure, of Faversham, in the county of Kent, Engineer, for the invention of "an improvement or improvements in thermo-electric generators and in electro motors."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 19th day of September, 1876.
3674. To Robert Harris, of Bow, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the purification of gas."
3675. To Ernest Cuyer, of Honfleur (Calvados), France, Contractor, for the invention of "an improved apparatus for raising by the means of compressed air submerged ships or other vessels."
3676. To Noble Seward, of Riversdale Templeogue, in the county of Dublin, Ireland, M.D., for the invention of "a new mode of and apparatus for breathing warm air."
3677. To John Keighley, of Ormskirk, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in fog signalling on railways or tramways, and in apparatus therefor."
3678. To Eustace Ernest Wigzell, and Claude Halsey, both of 82, Mark-lane, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in engines for propelling steam launches and yachts, and for other purposes."
3679. To William Bryer Nation, of 36, Charles-street, Old Kent-road, in the county of Surry, and Walter Symington, of 837, Old Kent-road, in the county of Surry, for the invention of "improvements in treating paraffin."
3682. To Samuel Hancock and William Soar, both of the town and county of the town of Nottingham, for the invention of "improvements in the furnaces and flues of steam boilers."
3683. To Henry Brooks, of the firm of H. Brooks and Company, of No. 31, Cumberland Market, Regent's Park, in the county of Middlesex, Pianoforte Action and Key Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in the action of upright piano-fortes."
3684. To Frederic Barnes, of Sulham, near Reading, in the county of Berks, Farmer, for the invention of "improved means or apparatus to be employed in connecting and disconnecting railway or tramway rolling stock."
3685. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in fans for protecting food from insects and for similar purposes."—A communication to him from abroad by Samuel William Lambeth and William Raymond Lafourcade, both of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, United States of America.
3686. To Louis Abraham Brode, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of artificial marble or stone."
3688. To William Smith, Consulting Engineer, and Richard Robert Harper, Electric Telegraph Engineer, both of 19, Salisbury-street, Strand, London, for the invention of "improvements in the mode or method of arranging and disposing the connections of electro magnetic signalling instruments."
3689. To John Field Swinburn, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Gun Manufacturer, for the invention of "an improvement or improvements in breech loading small arms."
3690. To Hunter Henry Murdoch, of No. 7, Staple-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in steam boilers."—A communication to him from abroad by Emile Bède, of Vervier, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Engineer.
3691. And to William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in railway sleepers."—A communication to him from abroad by Jules Leonard Lenoir, of Paris, in the Republic of France.
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 20th day of September, 1876.
3692. To Samuel Godfrey, Engineer, and Richard Howson, Engineer, both of Middlesbrough-on-Tees, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements applicable to gas furnaces, and in the utilization of gas furnaces."
3693. To William Renny Watson, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of sugar, and in the means employed therefor."—A communication to him from abroad by David McColley Weston, of Boston, in the State of Massachusetts, one of the United States of America.
3694. To William Walton, of Denton, in the county of Lancaster, Card Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for grinding wire cards."
3695. To Robert Hird, of Shipley, in the county of York, Ironfounder, and Alfred Calvert, of Leeds, in the county of York, Patentees' Agent, for the invention of "improvements in the method of and apparatus for securing glass in metallic window frames."
3697. To James Haydock, of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Heald Manufacturer, and Thomas Blackburn, of the same place, Mechanic, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for knitting healds."
3698. To David Sowden and Reuben Calvert-Stephenson, of Bradford, in the county of York, Machine Makers and Ironfounders, for the invention of "improvements in looms."

369. To William Bywater, of the Sweet-street Foundry, Holbeck, Leeds, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in means or apparatus for effecting the twisting of flax, tow, woollen, silk, cotton, or other yarns."
3700. To Thomas Browett, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, and William Harrison, of 128, Portland-street, Manchester aforesaid, Sewing Machine Factor, for the invention of "improvements in bicycles and bicycle stands."
3701. To John Brierley and Walter Wright Brierley, of Kilburn, in the county of Middlesex, Railway Signal Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for working and locking the points and signals of railways."—The result partly of a communication to them from abroad by Frederick Wade Brierley, of Philadelphia, in the United States of America, and partly of invention and discovery made by themselves.
3702. 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 sewing machines and in attachments for the same."—A communication to him from abroad by Robert Whitehill, of the city and State of New York, United States of America.
3705. To James Abercrombie Curling, of Leeds, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in the means or apparatus employed in the manufacture of wrought iron or steel discs or wheels."
3706. To John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for the treatment of iron and steel."—A communication to him from abroad by Charles Dion, of Chambly Basin, in the county of Chambly, and James Baylis, of Montreal, in the county of Hochelaga, both in the Province of Quebec, and Dominion of Canada.
3707. And to Joseph Brunt, of Derby, in the county of Derby, for the invention of "improvements applicable to driving small machines."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 21st day of September, 1876.
3710. To Saint John Vincent Day, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in telegraphic instruments."—A communication to him from Georges Dubern, of Allipore, near Calcutta, in the Empire of British India.
3711. To Alfred Mason, of Bradford, in the county of York, Secretary of the Saint George's Hall Company Limited, Bradford, and Advertising, General, and Insurance Agent, for the invention of "improvements in the method of and apparatus for warming railway carriages with exhaust or waste steam from the engine."
3712. To William Dobson, of Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Engineer, and Thomas Henry Rushton, and Benjamin Alfred Dobson, both of the firm of Dobson and Barlow, of Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Machine Makers, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for carding cotton and other fibrous substances."
3713. To William Lawrence, of Saint Mary Axe, in the city of London, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the method of, and apparatus for, refrigerating (and for heating) liquids."
3714. To Charles William Siemens, of No. 12, Queen Anne's-gate, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in processes for the production of iron and steel, and in the construction of furnaces for that purpose."
3715. To Richard Scully, of No. 8, Banner-street, Saint Luke's, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for making composition ornaments, and for applying the same to mouldings."
3716. To William Lancaster, James Henry Pilkington, and William Peel, all of Accrington, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of looms for weaving."
3717. To Ludwig Haarmann, Engineer, in the city of Hanover, Kingdom of Prussia, Empire of Germany, for the invention of "an improved arrangement of a regenerative Siemens furnace."
3718. To Charles Ambrose McEvoy, of 4, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in inhaling apparatus, applicable also for diffusing perfumed and other vapours."
3719. And to George Dryden Mease, of the Lake Chemical Works, South Shields, in the county of Northumberland, for the invention of "improvements in steam power furnaces for the manufacture of sulphate of soda and potash, and the calcination of alkalis and other materials."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners, on the 22nd day of September, 1876.
3720. To Robert Scott, of 8, Cromwell-street, in the town and county of Nottingham, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of edgings in twist lace machines."
3722. To Henry Johnson the younger, of Dudley, in the county of Worcester, Mining Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in colliery tubs."
3724. To Frank Wirth, of the firm of Wirth and Company, Patent Agency, of Frankfort on the Maine, in the Empire of Germany, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for mashing and grinding materials for distilleries, and for similar purposes."—A communication from Gustav Ellenberger, a person resident at Darmstadt, in the Empire of Germany.
3726. And to Charles Joseph de Meyer, Alphonse Ruidant, and Pierre Joseph Mulders, all of Brussels, Belgium, for the invention of "a new or improved composition or varnish."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 23rd day of September, 1876.
3730. To William John Coe, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Consulting Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in safety alarm apparatus for steam boilers and other structures where gaseous matters are liable to accumulate to an abnormal pressure."
3732. To James Shaw, of Galashiels, in the county of Selkirk, North Britain, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in rollers for expressing liquid from textile materials, yarns, and fabrics."
3736. To Abram Charles Herts, of Bloomsbury, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in abdominal supports."—A communication to him from abroad by John Herts, of New York City, in the United States of America.

3740. To George Hunter, of No. 18, Queen's-road, Battersea Park, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in stone working apparatus."

3742. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in sewing machinery."—A communication to him from abroad by Jesse Folk, of Brooklyn, New York, United States of America, Gentleman.

3744. To Benjamin Mountain and James Mountain, both of Hunslet, near Leeds, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus employed in the manufacture of heading clasp clout, or other nails and t.c.s.s."

3746. And to James Dalziel Dougall the younger, of Saint James's-street, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in cartridges."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 25th day of September, 1876.

3748. To Charles Denton Abel, of Southampton-buildings, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improved means or apparatus for extinguishing sparks in the chimnies, flues, or uptakes of locomotive, marine, and other steam boilers."—A communication to him from abroad by Albert Petzold and Otto Sanden, both of Berlin, in the German Empire.

3750. To William Edward Gedge, of No. 11, Wellington-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in seats for vehicles."—A communication to him from abroad by Jean Louis Honoré Vincent, of St. Etienne (Loire), France, Avoué.

3752. To William Brookes, of 62, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent and Registration Agent, for the invention of "improvements in padlocks."—A communication to him from abroad by Gustave Vandepoel, of Schaerbeek, near Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Gentleman.

3754. To Robert Donaldson and James Taylor, both of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineers, for the invention of "a new or improved winch or windlass for hauling in fishing nets, ropes, or lines, and heaving weights on board of fishing boats or other vessels."

3756. To Frank Wirth, of the firm of Wirth and Co., Patent Agency, of Frankfort on the Maine, in the Empire of Germany, for the invention of "an improved method of treating spent materials from the gasworks by recovery of sulphur."—A communication from Gustav Theodor Gerlach, Doctor of Philosophy, a person resident at Kalk, near Cologne (Germany).

3758. And to George Oswald Murry, of Gunnersbury, in the county of Middlesex, and James Moss, of Witham, in the county of Essex, for the invention of "improvements in fire escapes and ladders."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 26th day of September, 1876.

3760. To Richard James Hodges, of Amherst-road, West Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in drill cramps."

3762. To Charles Forster Waldo, of Southampton-buildings, London, Consulting Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for supplying paper to printing and other machinery, and for similar purposes."

3764. To Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "an improved manufacture of block paper or fabric for paper-hangings and other decorative purposes."—A communication to him from abroad by Félix Philippe Follot, of Paris, France.

3768. To John Algernon Clarke, of Ladbrooke-grove-road, Notting Hill, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for tilling land."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 27th day of September, 1876.

#### 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 Vict., c. 5, sec. 2, for the week ending the 30th day of September, 1876.

3120. William Edgar Simonds and William Henry Dyer; of Hartford, Connecticut, United States of America, for an invention of "improvements in railway carriage wheels, in the manufacture thereof, and in molds therefor."—The said invention is a communication from John Kennard Sax, a person resident at Pittston, Pennsylvania, United States aforesaid.—Dated 24th September, 1873.

3121. William Whiston, of Langley, near Macclesfield, in the county of Chester, for an invention of "improvements in dyeing and printing silk and other woven fabrics."—Dated 24th September, 1873.

3129. George Mackay, of Edinburgh, in the county of Mid Lothian, North Britain, for an invention of "improvements in extracting and recovering the oils, resins, and colouring matters of manufactured or waste fabrics, or from the raw materials of cotton, linen, wool, silk, or other similar substances, and in utilizing the same."—Dated 25th September, 1873.

3135. William Foyster Ford, of Norwich, in the county of Norfolk, Shoe Manufacturer, for an invention of "an improved machine for making the heels of boots and shoes."—Dated 25th September, 1873.

3136. Frédéric Weil, Engineer, and Farnham Maxwell-Lyte, Chemist, both of Paris (France), for an invention of "certain modifications and improvements in coating iron and steel with certain metals with special application to coppering or covering iron ships with an adherent and protective coating of a less oxydable metal, and in general coating large or small pieces of iron and steel, and particularly iron ships with copper, and in apparatus for that purpose."—Dated 25th September, 1873.

3137. Jean François Chevalier, of Lyons, France, for an invention of "a new liquid polish for cleansing and brightening painted, varnished, glazed, and metallic surfaces."—Dated 26th September, 1873.

3138. John Beale, of East Greenwich, in the county of Kent, Engineer, for an invention of "an improved engine to be used for pumping gases, air, or fluids."—Dated 26th September, 1873.

3139. Julius Liebert, of the city of London, Gentleman, for the invention of "improved means of an apparatus for treating acorns and beech nuts."—Dated 26th September, 1873.

3143. Robert Stone, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for an invention of "improvements in preparing peat for the manufacture of fuel, and in machinery and apparatus employed therefor."—Dated 26th September, 1873.
3144. Jesse Ascough, of Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of brooms and brushes."—Dated 26th September, 1873.
3147. James Alfred Turner, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of water-proof fabrics."—Dated 26th September, 1873.
3148. Stephen Alley, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, for an invention of "improved apparatus to be used in connection with bearings or parts of machinery requiring lubrication."—Dated 25th September, 1873.
3149. George Ritchie, of Honnslow, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in portable summer houses or marquees."—Dated 26th September, 1873.
3151. Jean Marie Onésime Tamin, of the city, county, and State of New York, United States of America, and at present of Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Doctor of Medicine, for an invention of "improvements in the purification of sugar, molasses, and saccharine juices, and in the regeneration of part of the substances employed, and also in the preparation of manure from the residues thereof."—Dated 26th September, 1873.
3152. Edward Otto Woerteler, of Castle-street, Falcon-square, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "an improved process of silvering mica for use in the construction of reflectors and reflecting shades."—Communicated to him from abroad by William Marot Marshall, of the city of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, United States of America.—Dated 27th September, 1873.
3153. Thomas Richard Devereux Bingham, of the Glen, Bournemouth, in the county of Dorset, late a Captain in Her Majesty's Service, Bengal Cavalry, for an invention of "an improved mode of covering up hatchways and other openings in ships and boats."—Dated 27th September, 1873.
3156. John Young, of Bonnyrigg, in the county of Mid Lothian, North Britain, Consulting Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in the preparation of esparto grass, straw, 'diss,' or other similar materials for the manufacture of paper, and in the apparatus employed therein."—Dated 27th September, 1873.
3161. Thomas Baldwin, of Bury, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in steam engines and in apparatus for applying the motive power of elastic fluids."—Dated 29th September, 1873.
3162. James Forbes and John Hamilton, both of Handsworth, near Birmingham, in the county of Stafford, Engineers, for an invention of "an improved rotary engine and pump to be driven by water or steam power."—Dated 29th September, 1873.
3164. James Adams, of Great Sutton-street, Clerkenwell, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in wind engines or mills."—Dated 29th September, 1873.
3167. Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improved apparatus for taking the shape or profile of the head and other parts of the human frame, and for reproducing other curved or irregular outlines."—Communicated to him from abroad by André Drogue, of Lyons, France.—Dated 29th September, 1873.
3172. Isaiah Riley, of 62, Grange-street, Hoxton, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of links or shackles for connecting chain cables and other chains."—Dated 30th September, 1873.
3173. George Alonzo Everett, of the city, county, and State of New York, in the United States of America, but at present of 35, Southampton-buildings, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in pressure-gauges."—Dated 30th September, 1873.
3175. Joseph Fischer, of Ulm, in the Kingdom of Wurtemberg, and of Albert-buildings, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, for an invention of "an improved construction of meter for measuring water and other liquid bodies."—Dated 30th September, 1873.
3176. Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, for an invention of "improvements in the preparation of coloring matters, and in the application of the same to the dyeing, printing, and marking of textile and other fabrics."—Communicated to him from abroad by Adolphe Teyssonnière, of Paris, in the Republic of France.—Dated 30th September, 1873.
3177. Henry Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 63, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "improved machinery for folding or pleating paper."—From abroad by Eugene Claude, of Paris, in the Republic of France.—Dated 30th September, 1873.
3178. Henry Bramhall, of New Britain, Connecticut, United States of America, at present residing at Sheffield, in the county of York, Cutler, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of knives and forks, and in the adaptation of handles thereto."—Dated 30th September, 1873.

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**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 30th day of September, 1876.

2784. John Walter Morgan, of No. 20, Edmund-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in ships' and mooring anchors."—Dated 24th September, 1869.

2787. William Harper, of the firm of Messrs. Eden and Thwaites, of Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Bleachers and Finishers, for an invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for suspending fabrics in drying stoves."—Dated 25th September, 1869.

2813. Frank Armstrong, of Paris, in the Empire of France, now of No. 8, Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "improvements in knitting machines and in the production of selvages thereby."—Communicated to him from abroad by Henry A. House, of Bridgeport, Connecticut, United States of America.—Dated 27th September, 1869.

2820. John Bullough, of Accrington, in the county of Lancaster, Machinist, for an invention of

"improvements in looms for weaving."—Communicated to him from abroad by Jean Dollfus, Frederic Engel, Emile Burnat, Jules Kœchlin, and Gustave Dollfus, all of Mulhouse, France, Cotton Spinners and Manufacturers.—Dated 28th September, 1869.

2823. Henry Young Darracott Scott, of Ealing, in the county of Middlesex, Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Engineers, for an invention of "improvements in pottery, lime, and other kilns."—Dated 28th September, 1869.

2829. John Williams, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Lifting Jack Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in lifting jacks."—Dated 29th September, 1869.

2834. William Kempe and Arthur Kempe, both of Holbeck Mills, Leeds, in the county of York, for an invention of "improvements in scrays or tables applicable to gig mills, brushing mills, and other like machinery."—Dated 29th September, 1869.

2837. James Anderson, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Starch Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in treating and separating the constituents of maize, and in obtaining oil, starch, spirit, and other products."—Dated 30th September, 1869.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division. In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Kosher Meat Supply Association Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Honourable Mr. Baron Huddleston, acting for and on behalf of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, has fixed Tuesday, the 17th day of October, 1876, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, as the time and place for the appointment of an Official Liquidator of the above-named Company.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

#### TENDERS FOR GOVERNMENT PRINTING.

WAR OFFICE AND CUSTOMS FORMS.

**W**ANTED by the Controller of Her Majesty's Stationery Office, tenders for Providing certain Printed Forms, including Paper, for the War Office and Customs Departments.

*Samples of the Paper and Printing, with relative particulars of Contract and descriptive Schedules of Forms, &c., may be seen, and forms of tender obtained at Her Majesty's Stationery Office, Princes-street, Storey's Gate, between the hours of ten and four, down to Wednesday, the 1st of November, and on the following day (the 2nd of November, 1876), by twelve o'clock noon, tenders must be delivered at this address.*

Stationery Office, Princes-Street, Storey's Gate, Westminster, October 3, 1876.

#### TENDERS FOR BUNTING.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, October 2, 1876.

**T**ENDERS will be received until two o'clock on Wednesday, the 18th October, for the supply of

32,000 yards of BUNTING, to Her Majesty's Dockyard, Deptford.

*Their Lordships do not bind themselves to accept*

*the lowest or any tender, and they reserve to themselves the power of accepting any part of a tender.*

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

#### ITALIAN HEMP.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, September 21, 1876.

**T**ENDERS will be received until two o'clock on Wednesday, the 1st November next, for 300 Tons of ITALIAN HEMP for Chatham, and 150 Tons for Devonport.

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

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

Marine Society's Office.

54½, Bishopsgate-Street Within, London, E.C., October, 1876.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Quarterly General Court of the Governors of the Marine Society will be held at their offices, in Bishopsgate-street, London, on Saturday, the 21st day of October, at half-past one o'clock.

By order,

S. W. Sadler, Secretary.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the London Coal Trading Company Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the offices of Henry Arthur Dubois, No. 2, Gresham-buildings, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 13th day of September, 1876, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 29th day of September, 1876, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That the Company be forthwith wound up voluntarily.

2. "That Mr. Henry Arthur Dubois, of No. 115, Chancery-lane, in the city of London, Public Accountant, be and he hereby is appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company, and distributing the property."

W. Bellairs, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862, and of the Norton Cannock Colliery Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at No. 7, Bridge-street, Burton-on-Trent, in the county of Stafford, on the 11th day of September, 1876, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 26th day of September, 1876, the said Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That the Norton Cannock Colliery Company Limited be wound up voluntarily.

2. "That Mr. Howard Samuel Smith, of Colmore-row, Birmingham, Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator to the said Company for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company, and distributing the property."

C. J. Clay, Chairman.

Simpson's Patent Cattle Cake Company Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and holden at the Registered Offices of the Company, No. 60, Mark-lane, in the city of London, on Monday, the 2nd day of October, 1876, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed:—

"1. That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Company that the Extraordinary Resolution for winding up the Company, passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Company, on Friday, 4th August, 1876, is invalid.

"2. That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that 'Simpson's Patent Cattle Cake Company Limited,' cannot, by reason of its liabilities continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same.

"3. That the Company be wound up voluntarily.

"4. That John Grove Johnson, Esq., of 23, Cross-street, Finsbury, London, and Frederick Elgar, Esq., of St. Margarets, Rochester, be appointed Liquidators for the purpose of such winding up."

John Grove Johnson, *Chairman.*

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Anquilla Phosphate Company Limited, duly convened and held at No. 62, Cornhill, in the city of London, on the 25th day of September, 1876, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed:—

1st. "That it having been proved to the satisfaction of the Company that it cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, therefore the Company be wound up voluntarily under section 129 of the Companies Act, 1862, sub-section 3.

2nd. That Mr. James Ford, of No. 76, Cheap-side, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company and distributing its property."

R. Towne, *Chairman.*

In the Matter of the Birmingham Gas Light and Coke Company Limited, under which Title the Birmingham Gas Light and Coke Company, acting under the Birmingham Gas Act, 1855, is registered under the Companies Act, 1862.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the affairs of the Birmingham Gas Light and Coke Company Limited having been fully wound up, a General Meeting of the Company will be held at the offices of Messrs. Johnson, Barclay, and Johnson, 36, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on Thursday, the 9th day of November, 1876 (and not on Thursday, the 26th day of October, 1876, as previously advertized), at one o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having laid before them an account showing the manner in which the winding up of the said Company has been conducted, and the property of the said Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators, in accordance with the Companies Act, 1862, section 142.—Dated the 2nd day of October, 1876.

J. T. Collins,  
Thomas Bullock, jun.,  
for selves and co-Liquidators.

The Llangynog United Mining Company Limited.  
Notice of Final Winding up Meeting.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of the Llangynog United Mining Company Limited, will, pursuant to section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, be held at No. 84, Foregate-street, in the city of Chester, on Wednesday, the 15th day of November, 1876,

at four o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up of the said Company has been conducted, and the property of the said Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and of passing a Resolution directing how the books, accounts, and documents of the said Company, and of the said Liquidator, shall be disposed of.—Dated this 19th day of September, 1876.

Rob. Woodford, *Liquidator.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Richard Herbert Brewer and Samuel Huxham, carrying on business as Linen Drapers, Haberdashers, Silk Mercers, Linemen, and Hosiery, at 45, Church-street, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, has been dissolved, as from the 1st day of September instant, by mutual consent; and that all debts owing to and by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Samuel Huxham, who will in future carry on the said business on his own account.—As witness our hands this 1st day of September, 1876.

R. H. Brewer.  
S. Huxham.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Hahn and Henry Ferdinand Richardson, of 27, Lombard-street, in the city of London, and Chiswick, in the county of Middlesex, Merchants and Soap Manufacturers, trading as Hahn, Richardson, and Co. is dissolved, as and from the 31st day of March, 1876, by mutual consent. All debts due to and from the partnership will be received and paid by the said Henry Hahn.—Dated this 1st day of October, 1876.

Henry Hahn.  
H. F. Richardson.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert Varty and William Varty, as Drapers, at 98, Clayton-street, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, under the firm of R. and W. Varty, is this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Robert Varty.—As witness our hands this 2nd day of October, 1876.

Robert Varty.  
William Varty.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, William Cook, John Coward, and James Quinn, carrying on business at Yeathouse, in the township of Frizington, in the county of Cumberland, as Engineers and Millwrights, under the style or firm of Cook and Coward, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. The debts due to and owing by the partnership will be received and paid by the said John Coward and James Quinn, by whom the said business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

William Cook.  
John Coward.  
James Quinn.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edward Robson and William Stewart Taylor, as Engineers and Ironfounders, at Middlesborough, in the North Riding of the county of York, under the firm of Robson and Taylor, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent; and all debts owing from and due to the said late copartnership will be paid and received by the said Edward Robson.—As witness our hands this 19th day of September, 1876.

Edward Robson.  
William Stewart Taylor.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, William Prowse and William Bryan Jones, as Music Publishers, &c., of Cheapside, London, trading under the style or firm of Keith, Prowse, and Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 4th August, 1876.

William Prowse.  
Wm. Bryan Jones.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Langley and Alfred Hugh Langley, trading under the style or firm of Langley and Son, Wholesale Rag and Metal Merchants, at Ashford, in the county of Kent, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 23rd day of September, 1876.

Geo. Langley.  
Alfred H. Langley.



**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between Benjamin Challen Bridger and Esther Miles, carrying on business as General Drapers and Ladies' Outfitters, at Nos. 9 and 10, Prospect-place, Burgess Hill, in the parish of Keymer, in the county of Sussex, under the style of Bridger and Miles, has been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or by the firm will be received and paid by Miss Esther Miles.—Dated this 30th day of September, 1876.

*B. C. Bridger.  
Esther Miles.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, John Newnham and Edward Barnard, in the trade or business of Butchers, at Nos. 1 and 2, Steyne, Begnor, in the county of Sussex, under the firm of Newnham and Barnard, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and in future the business will be carried on by the said Edward Barnard, on his own separate account, and who will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership in the regular course of trade.—Witness our hands this 29th day of September, 1876.

*John Newnham.  
Edward Barnard.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Mary Ann Willey and Henry Wrench Rounce, in the trade or business of Stationers, carried on by us at Union-passage, Birmingham, under the style of Willey and Rounce, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that the said business will henceforth be carried on by the said Henry Wrench Rounce alone.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

*Mary Ann Willey.  
H. W. Rounce.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between us the undersigned, in the trade or business of Horse Dealers and Breakers, carried on by us at Bushey, in the county of Hertford, under the firm of Kirby and Rooke, was, on the 25th day of September last, dissolved by mutual consent.—Witness our hands this 3rd day of October, 1876.

*Charles Forsell Kirby.  
Arthur William Rooke.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Sigismund Diespeker and Henry Fromm, as Cigar Importers, at No. 2, Pancras-lane, in the city of London, under the firm of S. Diespeker and Company, was, on the 4th day of August last, dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Sigismund Diespeker.—As witness our hands this 3rd day of October, 1876.

*S. Diespeker.  
H. Fromm.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Whateley, senior, James Whateley, junior, Lawrence Willmore Pennington, and Arthur Willmore Pennington, trading as Whateley and Pennington, of Warstone-parade, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Goldsmiths and Jewellers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, so far as relates to the said James Whateley, senior. All debts due and owing to and from the said firm will be received and paid by the said James Whateley, junior, Lawrence Willmore Pennington, and Arthur Willmore Pennington, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 19th day of September, 1876.

*James Whateley, senior.  
James Whateley, junior.  
Lawrence Willmore Pennington.  
Arthur Willmore Pennington.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Benjamin Shepherd and Peter Armstrong, under the firm of Shepherd and Armstrong, at 23, Newgate-street, Bishop Auckland, in the county of Durham, in the trade or business of General Drapers, was, this 20th day of September, dissolved by mutual consent. And notice is hereby further given, that all debts owing to or by the said firm will be paid and received by the said Benjamin Shepherd, at No. 12, South Church-lane, Bishop Auckland aforesaid.—As witness our hands this 20th day of September, 1876.

*Benjn. Shepherd.  
Peter Armstrong.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Richard Isaac Strong and Harry Baden Neame, at Redruth, in the county of Cornwall, as Brewers and Malsters, under the style or firm of Strong and Neame, was, on the 1st day of October, 1875, dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands.

*R. I. Strong.  
Harry B. Neame.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Cooke and Henry Holden, carrying on business under the style or firm of Cooke and Holden, as Grocers and Pork Butchers, at 107, High-street, Guildford, Surrey, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, on the 11th day of September last; the business will in future be carried on by the undersigned Henry Holden, who will receive and pay all debts to and from the firm.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

*John Cooke.  
Henry Holden.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Francis Fawcett Welsh, Edward Harley, and Albert Frederick Field, as Surgeons and General Medical Practitioners, at Saffron Walden, in the county of Essex, under the firm of Welsh, Harley, and Field, was, on the 1st day of January, 1876, dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Albert Frederick Field, who on that day retired from the concern. And notice is hereby further given, that all debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Francis Fawcett Welsh and Edward Harley.—As witness our hands this 30th day of September, 1876.

*F. F. Welsh.  
Edward Harley.  
Albert F. Field.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Ely Sutcliffe and Edward Sutcliffe, carrying on business as Cotton Spinners, at Barkisland Mill, in the parish of Halifax, in the county of York, under the style or firm of E. and E. Sutcliffe, was dissolved on the 1st day of August last. All debts due to or from the said copartnership will be received and paid by the said Ely Sutcliffe, who will continue the business on his separate account.—Dated the 30th day of September, 1876.

*Ely Sutcliffe.  
Edward Sutcliffe.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by William Morris and David Evans, under the firm of Morris and Evans, at No. 8, Market-terrace, Holloway, in the county of Middlesex, in the trade or business of Drapers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and the said business will in future be carried on at the aforesaid address, by the said David Evans, in his own name.—As witness our hands this 29th day of September, 1876.

*William Morris.  
David Evans.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, under the style of Urwick and Emson, as Cigar Merchants, at No. 34, Great Tower street, E.C., has this day, by mutual consent, been dissolved. All outstanding debts will be paid and received by Mr. T. A. Urwick, by whom the business at the above-mentioned address will be continued.—Dated this 29th day of September, 1876.

*Thos. A. Urwick.  
G. A. Emson.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership previously subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Profumo and Henry Franklin, carrying on business at 45, Kennington Park-road, in the county of Surrey, and also at No. 39, Lombard-street, in the city of London, as Commission and Financial Agents, under the style of Franklin and Co., was dissolved, on the 20th day of July, 1876, by mutual consent. All debts due or owing to and by the said firm will be received and paid respectively by the said Joseph Profumo.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

*Joseph Profumo.  
Henry Franklin.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Hinchliffe Holdsworth, Thomas Holdsworth, John Levick, and George Holdsworth, in the trade or business of Boiler Makers, carried on by us at Croft-street Boiler Works, in Bradford, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Holdsworth and Sons, has, so far as relates to the said George Holdsworth, been this day dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the day of the date hereof; the business will in future be carried on by the said John Hinchliffe Holdsworth, Thomas Holdsworth, and John Levick, on their own account, under the said style or firm of Holdsworth and Sons, and they will receive and pay all debts and sums of money respectively due to and owing by the said late partnership.—As witness the hands of the parties, this 28th day of September, 1876.

*J. H. Holdsworth. John Levick.  
Thomas Holdsworth. The Mark  
George X Holdsworth.  
of*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, David Smart and Henry Charles Gerard, both of the Castle Brewery, Chaucer-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Brewers and Copartners in Trade, trading under the firm of Smart, Gerard, and Co., has this day been dissolved, as from the 1st day of January last, by mutual consent, the said Henry Charles Gerard retires. And the said business will be continued by the said David Smart alone, who will receive and pay all debts owing to or by the said firm.—Dated the 30th day of September, 1876.

*David Smart.  
H. C. Gerard.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Frederick Wilcockson and Matthew William Lane, carrying on business as Costume Manufacturers and Lacemen, at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of M. W. Lane and Co., has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 16th day of September instant. All debts owing by or to the said firm will be paid and received by the said Frederick Wilcockson, by whom the said business will in future be carried on.—Witness our hands this 28th day of September, 1876.

*Frederick Wilcockson.  
Matthew William Lane.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Halliday Hutchinson and Martin Henry Wilson, in the trade or business of Dealers in Acids, lately carried on by us in Beehive-lane, in the parish of Sunderland-near-the-Sea, in the county of Durham, under the style or firm of Hutchinson and Wilson, was, on the 21st day of September now last, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said copartnership will be received and paid by the said Halliday Hutchinson.—As witness our hands this 4th day of October, in the year of our Lord 1876.

*Halliday Hutchinson.  
Martin Henry Wilson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Joah Megson, Simon Megson, and Alfred Ben Megson, as Leather Curriers, carrying on business at Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, under the firm of Megson Brothers, was dissolved, as from the 31st day of December, 1874, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Alfred Ben Megson. All debts due and owing by the late partnership concern will be received and paid by the said Joah Megson and Simon Megson.—Dated the 2nd day of October, 1876.

*Joah Megson.  
Simon Megson.  
Alfred Ben Megson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Mercer and William Shaw, in the business of Silk and Cotton Manufacturers, formerly carried on by us, at No. 15, Fountain-street, and afterwards at No. 21, Rook street, both in the city of Manchester, under the style or firm of Mercer and Shaw, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and the said business will in future be carried on by the said William Shaw, by whom all debts owing to or due from the said partnership will be received and paid.—Dated this 29th day of September, 1876.

*Thomas Mercer.  
William Shaw.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership formerly subsisting between us the undersigned, George Menmuir, of Leeds, in the county of York, Innkeeper, and James Broadbent Foxcroft Brook, of Huddersfield, in the said county, Outfitter, carrying on business at the Smiths' Arms, Marsh-lane, Leeds aforesaid, and elsewhere, as Common Brewers, Lunkeepers, and Wine and Spirit Merchants, under the style or firm of Menmuir and Company, was dissolved on the 28th day of September last.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

*George Menmuir.  
James B. F. Brook.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, as Wine Merchants, and carried on at 17, Crosby Hall-chambers, London, under the style of Best and Mitchell, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 29th day of September last. All debts due to or by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Charles Best, who will continue to carry on the said business.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

*Chas. Best.  
Jas. Mitchell.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Elizabeth Daw and Mary Hookway, carrying on business as Milliners and Dressmakers, at No. 223, High-street, in the city of Exeter, under the style or firm of Daw and Hookway, was dissolved on this day by mutual consent.—Dated the 29th day of September, 1876.

*Elizabeth Daw.  
Mary Hookway.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Edward Rogers, Frederick Price, and Samuel James Ainge, carrying on business at the Imperial Works, Smethwick, in the county of Stafford, under the style or firm of J. E. Rogers and Co., as Steam Pump Makers and Engineers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. And that the business will henceforth be carried on by the said Frederick Price and Samuel James Ainge, by whom all debts will be received and paid.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

*John Edward Rogers.  
Fredk. Price.  
Samuel J. Ainge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Hitchin and Westermann Ogden, carrying on business under the style of Hitchin and Ogden, at 15, Park-street, Cheetham, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Domestic and Horticultural Machine Makers, was this day dissolved as and from the 10th day of August last. All debts owing by or due to the said late partnership concern will be paid and received by the said Thomas Hitchin, by whom alone the said business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 28th day of September, 1876.

*Thomas Hitchin.  
Westermann Ogden.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Peter Brentini and Clemente Diviani, carrying on business together as Confectioners, at Nos. 426 and 428, Euston-road, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Diviani and Brentini, was, on the 29th day of September instant, dissolved by mutual consent, and that the business will be carried on by Clemente Diviani alone.—Dated this 29th day of September, 1876.

*Clemente Diviani.  
Peter Brentini.*

THE Partnership heretofore existing between Francis Davis Ward, John Ward, and William Augustus Hardcastle Ward, trading and carrying on business at the Royal Ulster Works, Bankmore, Belfast, and at No. 67, Chandos-street, London, as Stationers, Booksellers, Bookbinders, Engravers, General Printers, Picture Dealers, Frame Makers, and Print Sellers, under the style and firm of Marcus Ward and Company, has been dissolved by the retirement of the said John Ward from the said firm (by mutual consent), as on and from the 31st day of January, 1876.—Dated this 4th day of August, 1876.

*John Ward.  
Francis D. Ward.  
William A. H. Ward.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Roberts and Charles James Roberts, carrying on business as Solicitors, at Rochdale, Manchester, and Heywood, all in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of W. Roberts and Son, has been dissolved, as from the 30th of June last, so far as regards the said William Roberts, who has retired therefrom. All debts due to and owing from the said partnership will be received and paid Charles James Roberts, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 30th of September, 1876.

*W. Roberts.  
Charles J. Roberts.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership formerly subsisting between the undersigned, William Henry Davies, Evan William Davies, and William Sprang, as Grocers and Provision Dealers, in Lower Bridge-street, in the city of Chester, trading there under the name, style, or firm of Davies, Sprang, and Co., was, on the 12th day of July last, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or from the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Evan William Davies and William Sprang, by whom the said business will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 3rd day of October, 1876.

*W. H. Davies.  
E. W. Davies.  
Wm. Sprang.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between the undersigned, Edward Guy Wilson and Jeremiah Driver the younger, both of Settle, in the county of York, as Common Brewers, at Settle aforesaid, under the style or firm of Wilson and Driver, has been dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due and owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Edward Guy Wilson.—As witness our hands this 2nd day of October, 1876.

*Edward Guy Wilson.  
Jeremiah Driver, jun.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, George Luther Wood and Joseph Fayram Platts, as Merchants and Manufacturers of Cutlery, Mitchell Works, Mitchell-street, in Sheffield, in the county of York, under the name or firm of J. F. Platts and Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and from the said firm will be received and paid by the said Joseph Fayram Platts.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

*Joseph F. Platts.  
George Luther Wood.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Alfred Layland and Jonas Hancock (trading under the firm of Layland and Hancock), as Builders and Contractors, at Bolton-road, Small Heath, near Birmingham, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The said business will henceforth be carried on by the said Jonas Hancock alone, who will receive and pay all debts.—Dated this 27th day of September, 1876.

*Alfred Layland.  
Jonas Hancock.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Onions and George Onions, carrying on business at Dudley Port, in the parish of Tipton, in the county of Stafford, as Ironmasters, under the style or firm of J. and G. Onions, 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 James Onions, who will in future carry on the said business alone.—As witness our hands this 16th day of September, 1876.

*James Onions.  
George Onions.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Laura Fisher Warren (executrix of the last will and testament of Joseph Kirkland Warren, deceased), Joseph Henry Warren, and William Hugh Warren, as Upholsterers, Cabinet Makers, House Agents, and Undertakers, at Nos. 89 and 90, Queen-street and Magdalen-road, in the city of Exeter, under the style or firm of J. K. Warren and Sons, was dissolved, by mutual consent, on the 29th day of September, 1876. The said business will in future be carried on by the said Joseph Henry Warren and William Hugh Warren alone, under the firm of Warren Brothers, who will receive and pay all debts due to or owing by the firm.—As witness our hands the 2nd day of October, 1876.

*Laura Fisher Warren.  
Joseph Henry Warren.  
William Hugh Warren.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, George Hollingbery, Charles Hollingbery, and William Knowles, carrying on business in partnership at No. 2, Cambridge-circus, Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, as Wholesale Boot and Shoe Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Hollingbery and Knowles, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent; and the business will in future be carried on by the said William Knowles, by whom all debts owing to and from the partnership concern will be received and paid.—Dated this 30th day of September, 1876.

*George X Hollingbery,  
Mark.  
Charles Hollingbery.  
Wm. Knowles.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, David Bryce and Benjamin Wood, as Nut and Bolt Manufacturers, and carried on by us at Pensnett, in the parish of Kingswinford, in the county of Stafford, under the style or firm of the Pensnett Nut and Bolt Company, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing from the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Benjamin Wood, by whom the said business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 30th day of September, 1876.

*David Bryce.  
B. Wood.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Watkin Lewis Faire and George Robert Faire, as Manufacturers, at Leicester, under the style or firm of Faire Brother and Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

*Watkin Lewis Faire.  
George Robert Faire.*

[Extract from the Edinburgh Gazette of October 3, 1876.]

NOTICE.

THE firm of Niven, Gallaway, and Company, Merchants and Commission Agents, Glasgow, of which the Subscribers, John Niven and James Sharp Gallaway, were sole Partners, was dissolved, of mutual consent, on the 30th day of September, 1876; and of the same date the Subscriber, James Sharp Gallaway, retired from the concern of John Niven and Company, Merchants and Commission Agents, at Alexandria and Cairo, Egypt.

*John Niven.  
Jas. S. Gallaway.  
John Niven and Co.*

DAVID JOHNSTON, Writer, Glasgow,  
Witness.

R. S. McCUBBING, Law-Clerk, Glas-  
gow, Witness.

Re WILLIAM LAMPORT, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim, debt, or demands against the estate and effects of William Lamport, late of Rumboldswyke, in the county of Sussex, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 15th day of July, 1876, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 28th day of July, 1876, by Charles Lamport and Robert George Raper, the executors therein named), are hereby required to deliver and send in to Messrs. Raper and Freeland, of Chichester, Sussex, Solicitors to the said executors, written particulars of such debts, claims, and demands, on or before the 4th day of November next, at the expiration of which time the executors will distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to those debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have notice; and the said executors will not be liable or accountable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person in respect of any debt, claim, or demand whatsoever of which due notice shall not then have been delivered and sent in as aforesaid.—Dated the 3rd day of October, 1876.

RAPER and FREELAND, Chichester, Solicitors  
to the said Executors.

Lieutenant-Colonel ALFRED FRANCIS, Deceased, late  
of the Bengal Army.

Pursuant to the Act 22 and 23 Victoria, chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having claims against the estate of Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred Francis, late of Waltham Abbey, in the county of Essex, a Lieutenant-Colonel on the Retired List of the Bengal Army, deceased (who died on the 27th day of March, 1876, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 22nd day of September, 1876, by the Reverend James Francis, the surviving executor thereof), are to send in writing, particulars of their claims to the undersigned Solicitors, on or before the 11th day of December next, after which date the executor will distribute the assets of the deceased, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

M. and F. DAVIDSON, 35, Spring-gardens,  
London, S.W., Solicitors for the Executor.

HENRY HANDLEY, Deceased.  
Statutory Notice to Creditors.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Henry Handley, late of the borough of Warwick, Master, deceased (who died at Warwick aforesaid on the 2nd day of February, 1876, and whose will was proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Birmingham by Joseph Jaggard and Caleb Christmas, the executors

named in the said will, on the 28th day of February, 1876), are hereby required to send, in writing, full particulars of their claims and demands to the said Caleb Christmas, at No. 4, Church-street, Warwick aforesaid, on or before the 4th day of November next. And notice is hereby also given, that at the expiration of the last-mentioned day the said Joseph Jaggard and Caleb Christmas will proceed to pay and distribute the assets of the said Henry Handley, deceased, amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, or demands of which they shall then have had notice; and that they 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. And all persons indebted to the said Henry Handley, deceased, are requested immediately to pay such debts to the said Caleb Christmas, at No. 4, Church-street, Warwick aforesaid.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

SNAPÉ and GOULE, Warwick, Solicitors to the said Executors.

JOHN ROBLIN WOLFE, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, "To further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees," for all creditors and others, persons having any debts, claim or demands against the estate of John Roblin Wolfe, late of Micheldever, in the county of Hants, Merchant (who died on the 7th day of July last, and whose will was proved on the 18th day of August last in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice by us, the undersigned, George Cottman, of Eaton Villa, South Fields, Wandsworth, Surrey, Gentleman, and Frederick Wolfe, of 13, Suffolk-street, Pall Mall East, Middlesex, Gentleman, the executors thereof), to send in to the said Frederick Wolfe, on behalf of the said executors, at 13, Suffolk-street, Pall Mall East aforesaid, by or before the 1st day of December next, full particulars of such debts, claims, or demands, as on and after that day we shall proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands (if any) of which we shall then have notice; and will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim we shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

G. COTTMAN,  
FREDK. WOLFE, Solicitor, Executors.

STEPHEN SPRANGER, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35. ALL persons having any debt or claim against the estate of Stephen Spranger, formerly of Bath, in the county of Somerset, but late of Silwood, near Rondebosch, in the Colony of the Cape of Good Hope, Doctor of Medicine (who died on the 1st day of December, 1875, and whose will, as contained in paper writings marked A and B, was proved on the 23rd day of September, 1876, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice by William Rees-Mogg, one of the general executors therein named), are required to send in particulars of such debt or claim to the said executor, at the offices of the undersigned, at Cholwell, Temple Cloud, near Bristol, on or before the 11th day of November next, after which day the said executor will distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts or claims of which he shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not be liable for the said assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of September, 1876.

REES-MOGG, SON, and DAVY, Cholwell, Temple Cloud, Bristol, Solicitors for the said Executor.

ALEXANDER HOYES, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Alexander Hoyes, late of Rittersne Grove, in the parish of South Stoneham, in the county of Hants, deceased (who died on the 15th day of May, 1875, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 3rd day of June, 1875, by James Nairne Scott, the executor therein named), are hereby required to send in their claims to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the executor, on or before the 1st day of November, 1876, after which date the said executor 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 we shall then have had notice, and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands we shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of September, 1876.

A. F. and R. W. TWEEDIE, 5, Lincoln's-inn-fields, W.C., Solicitors for the said James Nairne Scott.

HENRY RICHARDSON, 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 debt or claim against or upon the estate of Henry Richardson, late of Tonbridge, in the county of Kent, Butcher (who died on the 15th day of January, 1875, and whose will was proved in Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 24th day of June, 1875, by Charles Tuff, of Rochester, in the said county of Kent, Farmer, and Edward Punnett, of Tonbridge aforesaid, Builder, the executors therein named), are required to send particulars of their debts or claims, on or before the 1st day of January, 1877, to the said executors, at the office of the undersigned, George Stenning, situate at Tonbridge, in the county of Kent, the Solicitor to the said executors; and notice is hereby given, that after the said 1st day of January, 1877, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Henry Richardson among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said executors may then have had notice, and they will not be answerable or liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

GEORGE STENNING, Solicitor to the said Executors.

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 John Hewitson, late of Wigton, in the county of Cumberland, Spirit Merchant and General Dealer, deceased (who died on the 24th day of September, 1875, and whose will was proved by Henry Bewes and John Tickell, both of Wigton, the executors therein named, on the 2nd day of November, 1875, in the District Registry, at Carlisle, of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned, James McKeever, of Wigton, Solicitor to the said executors, on or before the 9th day of November, 1876; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of September, 1876.

JAMES McKEEVER, Solicitor, Wigton.

THOMAS HEYWORTH, 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 all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Thomas Heyworth, late of Woodhouse, in Langfield, in the parish of Halifax, in the county of York, Relieving Officer, deceased (who died on the 19th day of September, 1875, and whose will, bearing date the 15th day of January, 1874, was duly proved in the District Registry at Wakefield in Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, Probate Division, on the 14th day of August, 1876, by Robert Barker, of Millwood, in Stansfield, in the parish of Halifax aforesaid, one of the executors in the said will named, the other executor therein named having renounced the probate and execution of the said will), are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims and demands, in writing, to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor to the executor, on or before the 1st day of November next, and in default thereof, the said executor at the expiration of which time 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 notice; and the said executor will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person or persons of whose debts or claims he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

WM. GOULD, Todmorden, Solicitor.

JOSEPH PETRUS HENDRIK CROWE, 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."

ALL creditors and other persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of Joseph Petrus Hendrik Crowe, late of Penrose, Belvedere-road, Penge in the county of Surrey, Lieutenant-Colonel in Her Majesty's Army, deceased (who died intestate, on the 12th day of April, 1876, and of whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were granted at the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the

25th day of September, 1876, to Frederick Foulger Rutherford, of Mcwbray, near Cape Town, in the Colony of the Cape of Good Hope, Esq., the lawful Attorney of Maria Margaret Lister, wife of Joseph Storr Lister, Classina Catherine Crowe, Spinster, Aletta Jane Lovemore wife of Robert Lovemore, and Dorothy Susanna Lovemore, wife of Henry Lovemore, the natural and lawful sisters and only next-of-kin of the said deceased, all now respectively residing in the said Colony, for their use and benefit), are hereby required, on or before the 30th day of November, 1876, to send, in writing, the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned, the Solicitors to the said administrator, after which time the administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said intestate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which he shall then have notice; and that the said administrator will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims he shall not then have notice.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

**BROOKS, JENKINS, and CO., 7, Godliman-street, Doctors'-commons, London, Solicitors to the said Administrator.**

**JOHN HOLROYD, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon the estate of John Holroyd, late of Great Horton, in the parish of Bradford, in the county of York, Dyer, deceased (who died on the 14th day of July, 1874, and probate of whose will, with three codicils thereto, was, on the 10th day of August, 1874, duly granted by and out of the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's then Court of Probate, in Lydia Holroyd, of Great Horton aforesaid, Widow, and Richard Buckle, of Great Horton aforesaid, Worsted Stuff Manufacturer, two of the executors named in and appointed by the said will, and which said Lydia Holroyd has since died), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said surviving executor, on or before the 25th day of January, 1877. And notice is hereby given, that after the said 25th day of January, 1877, the said surviving executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John Holroyd, deceased, among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

**PEEL and GAUNT, Chapel-lane, Bradford, Solicitors to the said Executor.**

**FRANK VAN WART, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands upon or against the estate of Frank Van Wart, late of 23, Monument-lane, Edgbaston, near Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Merchant's Clerk (who died intestate on the 19th day of July, 1876, and of whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were granted by the Birmingham District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 19th day of September, 1876, to Albert Van Wart, of 9, York-road, Edgbaston aforesaid, Gentleman, the natural and lawful brother and one of the next of kin of the said deceased), are hereby required to send in writing, the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned, the said Albert Van Wart, on or before the 2nd day of November, 1876, after which day the said Albert Van Wart will proceed to distribute the assets of the said intestate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to claims or demands of which he shall then have notice, and that the said Albert Van Wart will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims he shall not then have notice.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

**ALBERT VAN WART, Argyle-chambers, Colmore-row, Birmingham, Solicitor.**

**THOMAS WILMOT the Elder, Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees, 22 and 23 Vict., c. 35.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Wilmot the elder, late of Hartsay, in the parish of Pentrich, in the county of Derby, Farmer and Colliery Agent, deceased (who died on the 28th day of August, 1876, and probate of whose will was, on the

13th day of September following, granted by or out of the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Derby, to the executors thereof), are hereby requested to send the particulars in writing, of such claims or demands to us, the undersigned, Burton, Son, and Eking, of St. James'-street, Nottingham, Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 30th day of November next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice, and that the said executors will not be liable to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

**BURTON, SON, and EKING, St. James'-street, Nottingham, Solicitors.**

**ISAAC LEEMING, 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 claims or demands against the estate of Isaac Leeming, late of Bradford, in the county of York, Stuff Merchant, deceased (who died on the 8th day of September, 1875, and whose will was proved by John Wilcock and William Bottomley, the executors therein named, in the District Registry at Wakefield of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 22nd day of September, 1876), are hereby required to send in writing, the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned, the Solicitors to the executors, on or before the 1st day of November next, and notice is hereby further given, that after the last-mentioned day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator 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, to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of September, 1876.

**TERRY and ROBINSON, 9, Market-street, Bradford, Solicitors for the Executors.**

**JOHN EDWARDS, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all persons having any debt or claim against or affecting the estate of John Edwards, late of the Warminster-road, Westbury, in the county of Wilts, Farmer, deceased (who died on or about the 5th day of August last, leaving a will whereof he appointed Charles William Edwards, of Holt, in the parish of Bradford, in the county of Wilts, Fellmonger, executor), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their respective debts or claims to us, the undersigned, on behalf of the said C. W. Edwards, on or before the 30th day of November next, at the expiration of which time the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John Edwards among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

**RODWAY and MANN, Union-street, Trowbridge, Solicitors to the said Executor.**

**JOHN BRIGHT, Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vict., cap. 35.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Bright, of No. 1, Braddon-villas, in the parish of St. George's, Edgbaston, in the county of Warwick, Land Agent and Surveyor, deceased (who died on the 4th day of August, 1876, and whose will was proved in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Birmingham, on the 4th day of September, 1876; by Maria Bright, of Edgbaston aforesaid, Spinster, and John Webb, of Cooper's Lodge, Cannock Chase Colliery, in the parish of Cannock, and county of Stafford, the executrix and executor named in the said will), are hereby required to send to me, the undersigned, Solicitor, at my office, in Bridge-street, Walsall, in the county of Stafford; on or before the 29th day of November, 1876, particulars, in writing, of their respective claims or demands. And notice is hereby also given, that after the said last-mentioned day the said executrix and executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John Bright among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to debts or claims of which they shall then have had notice as aforesaid; and the said executrix and executor will not be answerable or liable to pay any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice as aforesaid, for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof.—Dated this 29th day of September, 1876.

**G. COTTERELLI, Bridge-street, Walsall, Solicitor for the said Executors.**

**LAWRENCE FORT, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Lawrence Fort, formerly of Wollen Hall, in the county of Berks, but late of 32, Sussex-gardens, Paddington, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., deceased (who died on the 7th day of August, 1876, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved on the 30th day of August, 1876, by James Fort, the brother of the said deceased, the executor named in the will, and Maria Fort, Widow, the relict of the deceased, the executrix named in the said codicil), are requested to send particulars of their claims, in writing, against the deceased, to the said James Fort and Maria Fort, at the offices of the undersigned, Messrs. Young, Jones, Roberts, and Hale, the Solicitors to the said executor and executrix, at 12, Saint Mildred's-court, Poultry, in the city of London, on or before the 1st day of November next, after which day the said executor and executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice; and that they will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 2nd day of October, 1876.

**YOUNG, JONES, ROBERTS, and HALE, 2, St. Mildred's court, Poultry, Solicitors to the said Executor and Executrix.**

**Re JAMES AGNEW, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of James Agnew, late of No. 243, Boundary-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Chemist and Druggist (who died on the 21st day of August, 1876), are required to send in their claims to Emma Agnew and Charles Turton, the executors of the deceased, at the office of their Solicitor, Mr. Edward Williams, No. 22, Lord-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on or before the 3rd day of November next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said James Agnew amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts and claims of which the said executors shall then have notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

**EDWD. WILLIAMS, 22, Lord-street, Liverpool.**

**Mrs. MARY CROSS, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Mary Cross, late of No. 11, Portland-square, in the city of Bristol, Widow, deceased (who died on the 4th day of August, 1876, and administration to whose effects was granted by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, at the District Registry attached to the Probate Division thereof, at Bristol, on the 16th day of September, 1876, to Mary Ann Prideaux, of Vittoria Lodge, Whitesladies-road, in the said city of Bristol, Widow, the lawful cousin-german and only next-of-kin of the said deceased), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of such claims or demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 30th day of November, 1876, after which day the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Mary Cross, deceased, among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice, and she will not, after that time, be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

**FRY, ABBOT, POPE, and BROWN, Shannon-court, Bristol, Solicitors for the said Administratrix.**

**RALPH ANDERSON BARKAS, 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 debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of Ralph Anderson Barkas, late of No. 76, Quay-side, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Eating-house Keeper (who died on the 4th day of January, 1876, and whose will was proved and registered in the District Registry, at Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 14th day of January, 1876, by John Barkas, of Oak House, Rothbury, in the county of Northumberland, and Michael James Barkas, of No. 7, Nixon-place, Percy-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, the executors therein named), are

required to send in the particulars, in writing, of their respective debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors of the said executors, on or before the 13th day of November, 1876, after the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets of the said testator to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

**HOYLE, SHIPLEY, and HOYLE, 20, Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitors for the said Executors.**

**WILLIAM TANNER TURNER, Deceased.**

Pursuant to an 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 debt, claim, or demand against the estate of William Tanner Turner, late of Chardstock, in the county of Dorset, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 22nd day of July, 1876, and of whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were granted by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, at the District Registry at Blandford attached to the Probate Division of the said Court, on the 21st day of August, 1876, to Phebe Turner, of Chardstock aforesaid, the lawful widow and relict), are hereby required to send the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands, in writing, to the undersigned, on or before the 11th day of November next, after which day the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice; and that the said administratrix will not be liable for any part of the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand she shall not have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 30th day of September, 1876.

**W. FORWARD, Axminster, Solicitor for the said Administratrix.**

**THOMAS KIBBY, Deceased.**

Pursuant to an 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 debt, claim, or demand upon or against the estate of Thomas Kibby, late of Axminster, in the county of Devon, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 26th day of July, 1876, and whose will was proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, at Exeter, on the 12th day of August, 1876, by Henry Badcock, of Axminster aforesaid, Baker, and James Smyth, of the same place, Grocer, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands in writing, to me, the undersigned, on or before the 11th day of November next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets 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 any part of the assets, so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated his 30th day of September, 1876.

**W. FORWARD, Axminster, Solicitor for the said Executors.**

**MARGARET BARNES, Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, cap. 35.

**THE** creditors of Margaret Barnes, late of the Goat, Peter's-lane, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Widow, deceased (who died on the 18th day of October, 1875), are required to send particulars of their debts to John Evans, 12, College-lane, Liverpool aforesaid, one of the executors, on or before the 1st day of November next, and notice is hereby given, that the executors of the said Margaret Barnes will, after the said 1st day of November next, proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice.—Dated the 3rd day of October, 1876.

**THO. GOFFEY, 15, Lord-street, Liverpool, Solicitor to the said Executors.**

**HENRY TURBERVILLE otherwise HENRY JOHN BLACKMORE, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Henry Turberville, otherwise Henry John Blackmore, formerly of Filton, near Barnstaple, in the county of

Devon, but late of Yeovil, in the county of Somerset, Gentleman, deceased (who died at Yeovil aforesaid, on the 17th day of August, 1875, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 14th day of September, 1876, by Thomas Charles Maggs, of Yeovil aforesaid, Dentist, the executor therein named), are hereby required, on or before the 30th day of November next, to send in particulars of such claims or demands to the said executor, at the offices of his Solicitors, Messrs. Henry Shorland Watts and Sidney Watts, in Yeovil, in the county of Somerset, after which 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 or demands of which he shall then have had notice, and will not be liable for such assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand he shall not then have had due notice.—Dated this 23rd day of September, 1876.

H. S. and S. WATTS, Yeovil, Somerset, Solicitors to the said Executor.

JOHN WILLIAM GREEN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of John William Green, late of No. 54, Paternoster-row, in the city of London, Advertising Agent, (who died on the 1st day of May, 1876, intestate, and of whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were on the 31st day of August, 1876, granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, to John William Green, of No. 90, Lorimer-road, Wulworth, in the county of Surrey, Advertising Agent, son of the said deceased), are hereby required, on or before the 30th day of November, 1876, to send in writing, the particulars of such claims or demands to the said administrator, at the offices of Messrs. Wild, Barber, and Browne, No. 10½, Ironmonger-lane, Cheapside, in the city of London, the Solicitors to the estate, after which time the said administrator will distribute the assets of the said intestate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, or demands of which the said administrator shall then have had notice, and 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 notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 30th day of September, 1876.

WILD, BARBER, and BROWNE, 10½, Ironmonger-lane, E.C., Solicitors to the said John William Green, the Administrator.

LOUISA ELIZA BOURKE HARFORD, Widow, 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 all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Louisa Eliza Bourke Harford, late of Down-place, Windsor, in the county of Berks, Widow (who died on the 28th day of July, 1876, and whose will was proved by Gerald Surman and Edward Francis Henley, Esquires, both of 35, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 18th day of August, 1876, are hereby required to send particulars in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 8th day of November, 1876; and notice is hereby given, that at the expiration of that time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testatrix among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

SURMAN, HENLEY, and CO., 35, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.O., Solicitors to the said Executors.

CHARLES LAMBERT, 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 all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Charles Lambert, late of No. 3, Queen-street-place, Upper Thames-street, in the city of London, Merchant, deceased (who died on the 4th day of August, 1876, and whose will was proved by Charles Joseph Lambert,

Esq., the son, and Edward Bath, Esq., son-in-law of the testator, the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 15th day of August, 1876), are hereby required to send particulars in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 4th day of December, 1876, and notice is hereby given, that at the expiration of that time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

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

CHARLES RIVINGTON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having claims against the estate of Charles Rivington, late of Fenchurch-buildings, in the city of London, and Denmark Hill, in the county of Surrey, Esq., deceased (who died on the 4th day of August, 1876, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 25th day of August, 1876, by Emily Rivington, of Denmark Hill aforesaid, Widow and relict of the deceased, Charles Robert Rivington, of Fenchurch-buildings aforesaid, Gentleman, and the Reverend Theodore Rivington, of Maidenhead, Berks, Clerk in Holy Orders, the executors therein named), are required to send in the particulars of their claims to the said executors at the office of their Solicitors, Messrs. Rivington and Son, No. 1, Fenchurch-buildings, London, E.C., on or before the 3rd day of November, 1876, 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 further, that they will not be liable for any part of such assets to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of September, 1876.

RIVINGTON and SON, 1, Fenchurch-buildings, E.C., Solicitors to the said Executors.

EDWARD HILL, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, 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," that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Edward Hill, late of No. 1, Ebenezer-terrace, New Hampton-road, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Brewer's Clerk, deceased (who died on the 28th day of May, 1876, and whose will was proved on the 10th day of June, 1876, in the District Registry at Lichfield of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, by John Allen, the sole executor named in the said will), are hereby required to send, in writing, particulars of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executor, at our offices, No. 60, Darlington-street, Wolverhampton aforesaid, on or before the 15th day of November next, after which day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Edward Hill, deceased, amongst 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 liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

THORNE, SMITH, and THORNE, 60, Darlington-street, Wolverhampton, Solicitors to the said Executor.

Mr. THOMAS MATTINGLEY, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and all other persons having any claim or demand against or upon the estate of Thomas Mattingley, late of Aston-le-Walls, in the county of Northampton, Farmer, deceased (who died on the 13th day of December, 1875, and whose will was proved in the Northampton District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 22nd day of January, 1876, by Maria Mattingley, since deceased, William Potter Fessey, since deceased, and George Douglas, of Trafford, in the county of Northampton, Farmer, the executors therein named), are required to send particulars of their claims or demands, on or before the 31st day of December, 1876, to me, the undersigned, Daniel Parker Pellatt, Solicitor to the said George Douglas,

the surviving executor, at my offices, No. 35, High-street, Banbury, Oxon. And notice is hereby given, that after the said 31st day of December, 1876, the said surviving executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Thomas Mattingley, deceased, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and he will not be answerable or liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of September, 1876.

D. P. PELLATT, Solicitor for the surviving Executor.

MARY MICKLETHWAIT, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons claiming debts or liabilities against the estate of Mary Micklethwait, late of Gomersal, in the parish of Birstal, in the county of York, Widow, deceased (whose will was proved in the District Registry at Wakefield of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, by Richard Hale Braithwaite, of Leeds, in the said county, Solicitor, Edwin William Barton, of Gomersal aforesaid, Surgeon, and William Wailes, of Leeds aforesaid, Sharebroker, the executors named in the said will, on the 24th day of December, 1875), are hereby required to send to Messrs. Dibb, Atkinson, and Braithwaite, of No. 6, Butts-court, Leeds, particulars of their claims against the estate of the said testatrix, on or before the 10th day of November, 1876, at the expiration of which time the said executors will distribute the estate of the said testatrix among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of September, 1876.

DIBB, ATKINSON, and BRAITHWAITE, Leeds, Solicitors for the said Executors.

EDWARD DANIEL, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35. NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims upon the estate of Edward Daniel, late of Morriston, near Swansea, in the county of Glamorgin, Mining Engineer, deceased (who died on the 31st day of August, 1875, and probate of whose will was, on the 1st day of November, 1875, granted by the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Carmarthen to David Davies and Edward Rice Daniel, the executors), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims to me, the undersigned, on or before the 18th day of November next, after which day the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of September, 1876.

D. DAVID, 13, Castle-street, Swansea, Solicitor for the said Executors.

JANE JEFFERSON, Widow, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, cap. 35. NOTICE is hereby given, that creditors and others having any claims or demands upon the estate of Jane Jefferson, late of the Rose and Crown Inn, Market-place, in the town of South Shields, in the county of Durham, Widow, deceased (who died on the 20th day of March, 1876, and whose will was, on the 1st day of June, 1876, proved by me, Joseph Simpson Arnison, the sole executor, in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Durham), are required to send the particulars of their respective claims or demands to me, the sole executor, on or before the 30th day of November next. And notice is hereby further given, that after the said 30th day of November next I will distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have had notice.—Dated this 18th day of July, 1876.

JOSEPH SIMPSON ARNISON, Sandyford, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, sole Executor.

JOHN MARSHALL, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of John Marshall, formerly of Dale-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Surgeon, but now of Wray House, in the parish of Mellington, in the said county of Lancaster, Gentleman (who died on the 17th day of January, 1875, at Wray House aforesaid, and whose will was proved by Eliza Josine Hardacre, of Wray House aforesaid, Widow, the executrix therein named, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court

of Probate, on the 23rd day of February, 1875), are hereby required to send in the particulars thereof to the representatives of the late John Marshall, deceased, at the office of Messrs. Sharp and Son, Solicitors, Lancaster, on or before the 30th day of December, 1876, after which day the said representatives will proceed to administer the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they will then have had notice; and that the said representatives will not after that time be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of September, 1876.

SHARP and SON, of Lancaster, Solicitors to the Representatives of the late John Marshall, deceased.

ELIZA JOSINE HARDACRE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claim against the estate of Eliza Josine Hardacre, of Wray House, in the parish of Mellington, in the county of Lancaster, Widow (who died on the 8th day of July, 1876, at Wray House aforesaid, and whose will was proved by Joseph Smith, formerly of Gamblesholme, in Wray, in the county of Lancaster, but now of 101, Woodville-terrace, Whitefield-road, Everton, in Liverpool, in the said county, Gentleman, and Thomas Townson, of Wray aforesaid, Butcher, the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry, Probate Division, of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 30th day of August, 1876), are hereby required to send in the particulars thereof to the said executors, at the office of Messrs. Sharp and Son, Solicitors, Lancaster, on or before the 30th day of December, 1876, after which day the said executors will proceed to administer the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they will then have had notice; and that the said executors will not after that time be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of September, 1876.

SHARP and SON, of Lancaster, Solicitors to the said Executors.

Re JAMES WATERLOW, 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 James Waterlow, late of Huntington Lodge, Peckham-road, in the county of Surrey (who died on the 11th day of July, 1876, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 20th day of July, 1876, by Alfred James Waterlow and Walter Blanford Waterlow, of Birch-in-lane, in the city of London, Stationers, and George Hickson, of No. 20, West Smithfield, in the city of London, Merchant, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to the said executors, at the office of their Solicitors, Messrs. Beale and Groves, at No. 28, Great George-street, in the city of Westminster, on or before the 1st day of December, 1876, after the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

BEALE and GROVES, 28, Great George-street, Westminster, Solicitors to the said Executors.

PATRICK WILLIAM BYRNE, 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 against the estate of Patrick William Byrne, formerly of Bradford, Yorkshire, Ironmonger, but late of Clayton-square, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Gentleman (who died on the 30th day of August, 1876, and letters of administration to whose personal estate and effects were granted to Thomas Byrne and Dominick Byrne, both of Ballycol, Castlebar, in the county of Mayo, Farmers, two of the next-of-kin of the said intestate, on the 20th day of September, 1876, by the District Registry at Liverpool of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in particulars of their debts or claims to Mr. Richard Yates,



Accountant, of No. 20, The Temple, Dale-street, Liverpool, the Accountant to the said administrators, on or before the 6th day of November, 1876. And notice is hereby further given, that after the said 6th day of November next the said administrators will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Patrick William Byrne amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and that the said administrators will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not have had notice at the time of the distribution.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

YATES, SON, and STANANOUGH, 10, Water-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Administrators.

JOSEPH WILLIAMS, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 85, 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 against the estate of Joseph Williams, formerly of the city and county of Bristol, but late of No. 10, Norfolk-terrace, Westbourne-grove, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 5th day of August, 1876, and whose will, with two codicils thereto, was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 1st day of September, 1876, by Henry Edward Parnell, of No. 28, Baldwin-street, in the city and county of Bristol, Solicitor, and John Wickham Barnes the younger, of Stanwell Moor, in the county of Middlesex, Surgeon, the executors therein named), are hereby required, on or before the 21st day of November next, to send in their claims to the said executors, at the office of their Solicitors, Messrs. Salt and Parnell, of No. 28, Baldwin-street, in the city and county of Bristol aforesaid; 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 the said executors shall then have had notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice at the time of the distribution of the said assets.—Dated this 29th day of September, 1876.

SALT and PARNELL, 28, Baldwin-street, Bristol, Solicitors to the said Executors.

[Extract from the Edinburgh Gazette of September 29, 1876.]

IVIE MACKIE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Ivie Mackie, late of Auchencairn, in the parish of Reswick, in the stewartry of Kirkcudbright, North Britain, Esquire, deceased, who died on the 23rd day of February, 1873, and whose Trust Disposition and Settlement (the acting Trustees whereof are Thomas Gladstone, of Birmingham, Wine Merchant, James Henry Whittal Davidson, of the city of Carlisle, Banker, and William Halliday Liddendale, of Castle Douglas, North Britain, Banker), was recorded in the Books of Council and Session in Scotland, on the 6th day of March, 1873, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to us, on or before the 5th day of October, 1876; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said Trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and that they will not be liable to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of September, 1876.

WRIGHT and BROWN, 4, Bank-street, Carlisle, Solicitors for the Trustees of the said Ivie Mackie, Deceased.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In Her Britannic Majesty's Supreme Court for China and Japan, at Shanghai.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Rothwell and Joseph Love the younger, both of Shanghai, in the Empire of China, Merchants, carrying on business together at Shanghai aforesaid, under the style or firm of Rothwell, Love, and Company.

JOSEPH BEATTIE, of No. 12, Foochow-road, Shanghai aforesaid, Gentleman, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their

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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 11th day of August, 1876.

R. A. MOWAT, Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Henry Willis, of Rothwell, in the county of Northampton, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer, trading T. Willis, and will be paid by me, at my office, situate at [No. 3, Cambridge-street, Wellingborough aforesaid, on and after the 10th day of October, 1876.—Dated the 30th day of September, 1876.

JNO. GEO. HAM, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.

A THIRD and Final Dividend of 1s. 2d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of John Greenwood, of the Steam Corn Mills, in Heywood, in the county of Lancaster, Corn Miller and Factor, and will be paid by me, at my office, No. 1, Cambridge-chambers, 77, Lord-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on and after the 6th day of October, 1876.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

HUGH CARMICHAEL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 5s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Christopher Duffield and James Emmott, of Mill-lane Works, Manchester-road, Bradford, in the county of York, Commission Wool-combers and Top Makers, trading in copartnership under the style or firm of Duffield and Emmott, the said James Emmott also carrying on business in Manningham-lane, in Bradford aforesaid, as a Boot and Shoe Maker, and will be paid by me, at my office, in Well-street, in Bradford aforesaid, on and after the 11th day of October, 1876.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

JOSEPH FOSTER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at York.

A DIVIDEND of 6s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Luke Blackburn, of Knaresborough, in the county of York, Innkeeper and Painter, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Kirby and Son, Solicitors, Knaresborough aforesaid, on and after the 9th day of October, 1876.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

GEO. RENTON, Jun., Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Canterbury.

A FIRST Dividend of 2s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Fairman Wotton, of High-street, Minster, in the Isle of Thanet, in the county of Kent, Draper and Grocer, and will be paid by me, at my offices, No. 2, Carey-lane, in the city of London, on and after Monday, the 13th day of November, 1876, between the hours of ten and one o'clock.

ROBERT MINTON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. 2d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Edward Dean, of Walworth-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Yeast Importer, and will be paid by me, at my office, No. 17, Fawcett-street, Sunderland aforesaid, on and after the 16th day of October, 1876.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

ROBT. BUCK, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Berkshire, holden at Newbury.

A FIRST Dividend of 7s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Llewellyn Adolphus Pike, of Chapel Farm, Leekhampshead, in the parish of Chieveley, in the county of Berks, Farmer, and will be paid by me, at my offices, at Thatcham, Berks, on and after the 7th day of October, 1876.—Dated this 5th day of October, 1876.

J. W. MECEY, Solicitor to the Trustee.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Nantwich and Crewe.

**A** SECOND and Final Dividend of 3s. 4d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of William Joynton, of Hartford and Castle Northwich, in the county of Chester, Joiner, Builder, and Timber Merchant, and will be paid by me, at my office, Townhall-chambers, Northwich, in the county of Chester, on Friday, the 13th day of October, 1876, and following Fridays, between the hours of ten and one.—Dated this 29th day of September, 1876.

GEO. J. KNIGHT, Trustee.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.

**A** THIRD Dividend of 2s. in the pound on the Old Proofs, and 8s. in the pound on the New Proofs, has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of John Dennis Phillipps and Hugh Hart, both of 35, Church-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Sellers of Music and Musical Instruments, trading under the firm of Phillipps, Hart, and Co., and the said J. D. Phillipps also carrying on business at Knowsley-buildings, Tithebarn-street, Liverpool aforesaid, as a Cotton Broker, under the style of J. D. Phillipps and Co., and will be paid by us as follows:—To the London-creditors at the offices of Mr. Frederick Lucas, 20, Great Marlborough-street, London, W., on Thursday, the 12th day of October, 1876, or any following Thursday, between the hours of eleven and three o'clock, and to all creditors at the offices of Mr. John Stanley Blease, of 15, Lord-street, Liverpool, on and after Thursday, the 12th day of October, 1876, to all creditors who have proved their debts.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

FREDERICK LUCAS,  
JOHN S. BLEASE, 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 Robert Eagleton and William Lovelock, both of No. 25, Baxendale-street, Barnett-grove, Hackney-road, in the county of Middlesex, trading in copartnership as Boot and Shoe Manufacturers.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at No. 31, Worship-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, on the 18th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of September, 1876.

EDWD. VANN, 31, Worship-street, Finsbury, E.C.,  
Solicitor 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 John William Marshall, of No. 214, High-street, Camden Town, in the county of Middlesex, Hawley-mews, Camden Town aforesaid, and of No. 4, Desborough-place, Harrow-road, in the said county of Middlesex, Greengrocer, Fruiterer, and Fishmonger.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 35, Old Jewry, in the city of London, on the 26th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

KEARSEY, SON, and HAWES, 35, Old Jewry,  
London, Solicitors 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 Lawrence Percy Greig, of 1, Verulam-buildings, Gray's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, out of business, formerly of Vienna, Austria, Stock and Share Broker, then of Brussels, Belgium (trading there in partnership with other persons under the firm of Van Wint and Co.), Ship Broker, then of Antwerp, Belgium, Clerk to a Ship Broker.

**N**OTICE 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 Algernon Edward Sydney, 46, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London, Solicitor, on the 19th day of October, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

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

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Vaughan and George Neesham, both of Middlesborough, in the county of York, Iron Masters, Iron Manufacturers, and Ironstone and Coal Mine Owners, and Bolt and Nut Manufacturers, carrying on business as Thomas Vaughan and Company, at Middlesborough aforesaid, and at Clay-lane, South Bank, and South Skelton, all in the said county of York, and at Bishop Auckland, Whessoe, Woodhouse Close, and South Medomsley, all in the county of Durham, and also carrying on business as the Cleveland Bolt and Nut Company at No. 30, Bush-lane, Cannon-street, in the city of London, and at Middlesborough aforesaid.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Thomas Vaughan has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs Robert Fletcher and Company, No. 3, Lothbury, in the city of London, on the 19th day of October, 1876, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

DODDS and CO., Stockton-on-Tees, Solicitors for  
the said Thomas Vaughan.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Lewis James Fraser and George John Fraser, carrying on business in partnership as J. and L. Fraser and Co., at No. 3, White Lion-court, Cornhill, in the city of London, East India Merchants, and at Singapore, in partnership with Charles Dunlop and Alexander Gentle, as MacLaine, Fraser, and Co., and at Penang, in partnership with the same persons as Fraser and Co., Merchants and Commission Agents.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the Cannon-street Hotel, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on the 12th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

DAWES and SONS, 9, Angel-court, Throgmorton-street, London, Solicitors 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 George Augustus Elliott, of 30, Saint Paul's-road, Camden Town, in the county of Middlesex, Architect and Surveyor.

**N**OTICE 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. Haydon and Vivian, of 29, New City-chambers, 121, Bishopsgate-street, in the city of London, Accountants, on the 19th day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of September, 1876.

EDMUND KIMBER, of 22, Queen-street, London,  
E.C., Solicitor 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 Ebenezer James Harvell, of 173, Queen's-road, Dalston, late of 332, Mare-street, Hackney, both in the county of Middlesex, Grocer and Oilman.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Mr. Bellgrove's, 15, Somersford-grove, Stoke Newington, on the 13th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of September, 1876.

EBENEZER JAMES HARVELL, Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Stephen Pigram, of No. 2, Whiskin-street, Clerkenwell, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Engineer, formerly of the same place, trading in copartnership with John Cecil Hart the younger, as Hart and Pigram, Mechanical Engineers and Machinists.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 9, Lucey-road, Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, on the 14th day of October, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of September, 1876.

THOS. WM. BILTON, 94, Vassall-road, Camberwell New-road, Solicitor for the said Edward Stephen Pigram.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Elizabeth McCarthy, trading as J. McCarthy and Co., of Nos. 39 and 41, Compton-street, Goswell-road, in the county of Middlesex, Billiard and Bagatelle Table Manufacturers.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Swann and Co., of No. 38, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

SWANN and CO., Solicitors 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 Hermann Humbert, of 30, Barbican, in the city of London, and Norfolk House, Wood End, Walthamstow, in the county of Essex, Fancy Bonnet-Shape 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 Guildhall Tavern, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 25th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

JOHN FROST, 138, Leadenhall-street, E.C., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Reichfeld, of No. 68, Drury-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Tailor and Hatter.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. George Ward Challis and Co., No. 12, Clement's-lane, Lombard-street, in the city of London, on the 25th day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

J. WILTON FEW, 79, Borough High-street, Solicitor 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 Edgar Harry Woodroffe, of No. 6, Wyndham-place, Bryanstone-square, in the county of Middlesex.

**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. Courtenay and Croome, Solicitors, of 9, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, on the 19th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

COURTENAY and CROOME, 9, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, Solicitors 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 John Bennett Clements, of Nos. 16 and 17, Poultry, in the city of London, Hairdresser and Perfumer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Jacobs and Vincent, Solicitors, No. 20, Budge-row, in the city of London, on the 18th day of October, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

JACOBS and VINCENT, Solicitors for the said John Bennett Clements.

**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 Edwin Davey, of No. 75, Kentish Town-road, in the county of Middlesex, Tobacconist and Dealer in Cigars.

**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, Nos. 13 and 14, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 25th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

WM. SMITH, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Matthewman, of No. 9, Lower John-street, Golden-square, in the county of Middlesex, Decorator, Builder, and Plumber.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Elcum and Hoccombe, situate at No. 13, Bedford-row, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, on the 12th day of October, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of September, 1876.

ELCUM and HOCOMBE, 13, Bedford-row, Holborn, Solicitors 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 Thomas James Comber, of No. 132, Fleet-street, in the city of London, and of No. 52, King's-road, Peckham, in the county of Surrey, Jeweller.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. George Presswell, Solicitor, No. 8, Old Jewry, in the city of London, on the 18th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

GEORGE PRESSWELL, Solicitor for the said Thomas James Comber.

**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 Ferrall, of 17, Eardley-crescent, West Brompton, in the county of Middlesex, Auctioneers' Clerk.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, 37, Essex-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

ALFRED E. COPP, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Alexander Millington, of No. 87, Bishopsgate-street Without, in the city of London, Lead and Glass Merchant, trading as T. Millington and Co.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of the London Warehousemen's Association, No. 111, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 26th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

EDWARD MAITLAND, Solicitor for the said Thomas Alexander Millington.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Andrew Perriman, of Archer-street, Vauxhall, in the county of Surrey, Stone Sawyer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of James Charles Campbell, situate at 151, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on the 21st day of October, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

J. C. CAMPBELL, 151, Cannon-street, E.C., Solicitor 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 Charles Benjamin Abraham, of 97, New Kent-road, in the county of Surrey, Manufacturer of Lace Goods.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. William Haigh, Jun., Solicitor, 13 and 14, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 19th day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

WILLIAM HAIGH, Jun., 13 and 14, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Middlesex, holden at Edmonton.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Thomas Hyde, of Olive Branch House, Page Green, Tottenham, in the county of Middlesex, Grocer and Cheesemonger.

**N**OTICE 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. Montagu Scott, Solicitor, 10, Gray's-inn-square, Middlesex, on the 18th day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

MONTAGU SCOTT, 10, Gray's-inn-square, Middlesex, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick William Wisdom and William Thomas Gardner, of No. 25A, North End, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, Wine and Spirit Merchants, trading as F. Wisdom and Company.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Tavern, in Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 18th day of October, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

GEO. CECIL WINKWORTH, 326, Oxford-street, Regent-circus, London, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Berkshire, holden at Windsor.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Henry Ferry, of High-street, Eton, in the county of Bucks, Hairdresser, and of William-street, New Windsor, in the county of Berks, Hairdresser.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Thomas Durant, Solicitor, 5, Guildhall-chambers, in the city of London, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of September, 1876.

B. C. DURANT, Solicitor for the said George Henry Ferry.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Canterbury.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Thomas Kingston, of 13, High-street, Ramsgate, in the county of Kent, Watchmaker and Jeweller.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 27, Finsbury-pavement, London, on the 14th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of September, 1876.

HENRY ARNOLD, 27, Finsbury-pavement, E.C., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Cornwall, holden at Truro.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Mitchell Dennis, of Penzance, in the county of Cornwall, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer, trading under the firm or style of Joseph Dennis and Son.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Royal Hotel, College Green, Bristol, on the 21st day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

WM. TRYTHALL, No. 5, Clarence-street, Penzance, Solicitor for the said John Mitchell Dennis.

**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 James Holloway, of Lyneham, in the county of Wilts, Dealer and Chapman.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Angel Inn, Wootton Bassett, on the 17th day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of September, 1876.

JAMES HOLLOWAY, the above-named Debtor.

**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 Henry Terry, of No. 34, Wright-street, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

**N**OTICE 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 Summers, No. 2, Manor-street, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, on the 18th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

FRAS. SUMMERS, 2, Manor-street, Hull, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**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 Stephenson Gair, of Paragon-street, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Tailor.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Garniss Hearfield, No. 6, Bowl-alley-lane, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Solicitor, on the 18th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of September, 1876.

JNO. G. HEARFIELD, 6, Bowl-alley-lane, Hull, Solicitor for the said John Stephenson Gair.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Blackburn, of No. 68, Otley-road, Bradford, in the county of York, Butcher.

**N**OTICE 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 Francis Brooke Wilkinson, No. 15, Kirkgate, Bradford aforesaid, on the 17th day of October, 1876, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of September, 1876.

F. B. WILKINSON, Solicitor for the said John Blackburn.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Coupe, of 27, Manchester-road, Bradford, in the county of York, Tailor and Outfitter.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, No. 29, Tyrrel-street, in Bradford aforesaid, on the 16th day of October, 1876, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of September, 1876.

CHAS. L. ATKINSON, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Sampson, of No. 4, Thornhill-terrace, Bradford Moor, Bradford, in the county of York, Commission Agent.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at our offices, Market-street-chambers, Market-street, Bradford aforesaid, on the 14th day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of September, 1876.

HARRIS and LAST, Market-street-chambers, Market-street, Bradford, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Tolson, of Crampton-street Works, Little Horton-lane, Bradford, in the county of York, General Worsted Machine Maker.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at our offices, No. 9, Market-street, in Bradford aforesaid, on the 17th day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

TERRY and ROBINSON, Solicitors for the said Richard Tolson.

**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 Thomas O'Hara, Thomas Henry Kenyon Lees, Wilkinson Jackson, and Thomas Lees, all of Booth Town Mills, Halifax, in the county of York, Silk Combers and Spinners and Copartners, trading under the firm of O'Hara, Lees, and Co.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the White Swan Hotel, in Princess-street, Halifax aforesaid, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

**J. W. LONGBOTTOM**, Northgate-chambers, Halifax, Solicitor for the said Thomas O'Hara, Thomas Henry Kenyon Lees, Wilkinson Jackson, and Thomas Lees.

**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 Thomas O'Hara, Thomas Henry Kenyon Lees, Wilkinson Jackson, and Thomas Lees, all of Booth Town Mills, Halifax, in the county of York, Silk Combers and Spinners and Copartners, trading under the firm of O'Hara, Lees, and Co.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the separate estate of the above-named Thomas O'Hara has been summoned to be held at the White Swan Hotel, in Princess-street, Halifax aforesaid, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

**J. W. LONGBOTTOM**, Northgate-chambers, Halifax, Solicitor for the said Thomas O'Hara.

**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 Thomas O'Hara, Thomas Henry Kenyon Lees, Wilkinson Jackson, and Thomas Lees, all of Booth Town Mills, Halifax, in the county of York, Silk Combers and Spinners and Copartners, trading under the firm of O'Hara, Lees, and Co.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the separate estate of the above-named Thomas Henry Kenyon Lees has been summoned to be held at the White Swan Hotel, in Princess-street, Halifax aforesaid, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

**J. W. LONGBOTTOM**, Northgate-chambers, Halifax, Solicitor for the said Thomas Henry Kenyon Lees.

**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 Thomas O'Hara, Thomas Henry Kenyon Lees, Wilkinson Jackson, and Thomas Lees, all of Booth Town Mills, Halifax, in the county of York, Silk Combers and Spinners and Copartners, trading under the firm of O'Hara, Lees, and Co.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the separate estate of the above-named Wilkinson Jackson has been summoned to be held at the White Swan Hotel, in Princess-street, Halifax aforesaid, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

**J. W. LONGBOTTOM**, Northgate-chambers, Halifax, Solicitor for the said Wilkinson Jackson.

**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 Thomas O'Hara, Thomas Henry Kenyon Lees, Wilkinson Jackson, and Thomas Lees, all of Booth Town Mills, Halifax, in the county of York, Silk Combers and Spinners, and Copartners, trading under the firm of O'Hara, Lees, and Co.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the separate estate of the above-named Thomas Lees has been summoned to be held at the White Swan Hotel, in Princess-street, Halifax aforesaid, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at half-past one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

**J. W. LONGBOTTOM**, Northgate-chambers, Halifax, Solicitor for the said Thomas Lees.

**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 Robert Meek Carter, of Dean-street Mill, Kirkstall-road, Leeds, in the county of York, and Bean Ing Mills, Wellington-street, in Leeds aforesaid, Cloth Finisher, and of the Calls, in Leeds aforesaid, Coal Merchant.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Cooper Malcolm, Solicitor, No. 20, Park-row, in Leeds aforesaid, on the 19th day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

**JNO. C. MALCOLM**, Solicitor for the said Robert Meek Carter.

**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 Williamson, of Burley-street, Leeds, in the county of York, 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 my offices, 24, Bank-street, Leeds aforesaid, on the 19th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

**F. FERNS**, Solicitor for the said 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 William Jameson Scott, of Harrogate and Leeds, in the county of York, Picture Dealer, also carrying on business at Bradford, in the said county, under the style or firm of F. A. Chadwick and Co., as a Coal Merchant.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Markland and Davy, Solicitors, 67, Albion-street, in Leeds, in the county of York, on the 19th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

**MARKLAND and DAVY**, 67, Albion-street, Leeds, Solicitors 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 Powdrill Wightman, of College-street and 46, Clifton-place, Rotherham, in the county of York, Clothier and General 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 offices of Mr. Frederick Edwin Leggoe, situate and being No. 17, George-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, on the 17th day of October, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

**CHAS. GODFREY ESAM**, 15, George-street, Sheffield, Solicitor 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 George Perry, of Vicar-lane, Sheffield, in the county of York, trading as George Perry and Son, Ale and Porter Merchant.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Cutlers' Hall, in Sheffield, in the county of York, on the 16th day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of September, 1876.

**THOMAS PIERSON**, Solicitor for the said George Perry.

**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 Day Dixon, of No. 26, Spital-hill, Sheffield, in the county of York, Hosiery 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 Messrs. Auty and Son, of 66, Queen-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, Solicitors, on the 13th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

**AUTY and SON**, 66, Queen-street, Sheffield, Solicitors 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 Timothy William Wormald, carrying on business at No. 21, Holland-street, Butler-street, off Oldham-road, Newton, near Manchester, and residing at No. 8, Reather-street, Oldham-road, Manchester, both in the county of Lancaster. Soda Water, Lemonade, and Ginger Beer Manufacturer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Marriot and Woodall, No. 12, Norfolk-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 24th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

**MARRIOTT and WOODALL, 12, Norfolk-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Debtor.**

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Evan Wynn, of No. 112, Medlock-street, Hulme, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, 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 Post Office Hotel, No. 86, Embden-street, Hulme, in the said city of Manchester, on the 18th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

**CHAS. MARSHALL, 86, Embden-street, Hulme, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.**

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Hardy, of 86, Henshaw-street, in Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Builder.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Ascroft and Sons, 16, Clegg-street, Oldham, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

**ASCROFT and SONS, 16, Clegg-street, Oldham, Solicitors for the said Debtor.**

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Wigan. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Mark Pearson, of Herbert-street, Miry-lane, Wallgate, Wigan, and No. 49A, Millgate-street, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, Hat and Cap Manufacturer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 4, King-street, Wigan, on the 21st day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

**ROBERT STUART, No. 4, King-street, Wigan, Solicitor 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 Thomas Cobb, of 55, John-street, St. Domingo-road, Everton, in the county of Lancaster, Contractor and Quarry Proprietor.

**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. Richardson, Oliver Jones, and Billson, of 10, Cook-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on the 31st day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

**THOMAS COBB.**

**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 Edward Spiers, of 19, Queen's-square, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Fruiterer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Joseph Carruthers, Solicitor, 14, Clayton-square, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 19th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

**JOSEPH CARRUTHERS, 14, Clayton-square, Liverpool, Solicitor 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 Edward St. Clair Battersby, of No. 39, Dennison-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Master Mariner.

**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. Peter Vine, Public Accountant, Imperial-chambers, 62, Dale-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 27th day of October, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

**ROBERT CROOK RUMSEY, of Vernon-chambers, Vernon-street, Liverpool, Solicitor for the said Debtor.**

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Wagstaff, of 16, Westby-street, Lytham, in the county of Lancaster, Auctioneer and Fancy Dealer.

**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 Shelley's Arms Hotel, 31, Fishergate, Preston, in the county of Lancaster, on the 11th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

**CHARLES G. SPENCER, 2, Winckley-street, Preston, Solicitor for the said James Wagstaff.**

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Taylor, of Tenterfield-street, Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Lath 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 9, Cannon-street, Preston, on the 18th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

**JOHN FORSHAW, 9, Cannon-street, Preston, Solicitor for the said John Taylor.**

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Whitfield Greaves, No. 102, Penny-street, in Lancaster, 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 office of Johnson and Tilly, Solicitors, Sun-street, Lancaster, on the 18th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

**JOHNSON and TILLY, Sun-street, Lancaster, Solicitors for the said James Whitfield Greaves.**

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Burnley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Stansfield, of 6, Pavement, in Todmorden, in the county of Lancaster, Boot and Shoe Dealer and Clogger.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the White Hart Hotel, in Todmorden aforesaid, on the 13th day of October, 1876, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

**A. G. and T. W. EASTWOOD, Todmorden, Solicitors for the said William Stansfield.**

**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 Daniel Stephens, of Mina-street, Llanelly, in the county of Carmarthen, Colliery Proprietor, Brick Manufacturer, and Commission Agent, trading under the name or style of Daniel Stephens, and also under the name or style of Stephens 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 31, Stepney-street, Llanelly, on the 23rd day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

**W. HOWELL, 31, Stepney-street, Llanelly, Solicitor 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 George Goodfellow, of Lower Forster-street, Walsall, in the county of Stafford, Currier.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Robert Radnall Rhodes, 17, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Solicitor, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

ROBERT R. RHODES, 17, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Matthias Dimmack, of Bilston, in the county of Stafford, Horse Dealer and Metal 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. William Bowen, Solicitor, Mount-pleasant, Bilston, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

WM. BOWEN, Bilston, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Harper, of King-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Hairdresser.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Alfred James Langman, Solicitor, 14, Church-street, Bilston, in the county of Stafford, on the 21st day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

ALFRED J. LANGMAN, 14, Church-street, Bilston, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Smith, of Oxford-street, Bilston, in the county of Stafford, formerly of Donnington, in the county of Salop, a Grocer, but now out of business.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Robert Radnall Rhodes, 17, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, in the said county of Stafford, Solicitor, on the 19th day of October, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

ROBERT R. RHODES, 17, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Nurse, of New-road, Willenhall, in the county of Stafford, late of Market-place, Willenhall, then a Beer-house Keeper, and now out of business.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. W. T. Travis, Church-lane, Tipton, Solicitor, on the 23rd day of October, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

W. T. TRAVIS, Church-lane, Tipton, Solicitor for the said William Nurse.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Reynolds Murray, of Newcastle-street, Burslem, in the county of Stafford, Ironmonger and Tin Plate Worker.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. William Turner, Bagnall-street, Newcastle-under-Lyme, on the 16th day of October, 1876, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of September, 1876.

WM. TURNER, Bagnall-street, Newcastle-under-Lyme, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Walters, of Abergele-row, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Tailor.

**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. R. T. Leyson, Solicitor, No. 31, Fisher-street, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, on the 19th day of October, 1876, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

R. T. LEYSON, 31, Fisher-street, Swansea, Solicitor for the said John Walters.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Hayden, of Maesteg, near Bridgend, in the county of Glamorgan, Accountant.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Joseph Gibbs, 10, Tredegar-place, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, on the 19th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

JOSEPH GIBBS, Newport, Mon., Solicitor for the said Henry Haden.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Ells, of Cavendish House, Crockherbtown, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Draper.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Barnard, Thomas, Tribe, and Co., Albion-chambers, Bristol, Public Accountants, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of September, 1876.

HENRY BRITTAN, PRESS, and INSKIP, 12, Small-street, Bristol, Solicitors for the said George Ells.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Neath. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Havard, of London-road, in the borough of Neath, in the county of Glamorgan, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 4, Rutland-street, at Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, on the 17th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

J. AERON THOMAS, 4, Rutland-street, Swansea, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Neath. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Evan Thomas, of Aberavon, in the county of Glamorgan, 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 the undersigned, at Aberavon, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

TENNANT and JONES, of Aberavon, Solicitors for the said Evan Thomas.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Job Edmunds and Lucy Edmunds, both of Sunny Bank Farm, in the hamlet of Graig, in the parish of Bassaleg, in the county of Monmouth, carrying on business in copartnership as Farmers.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Lucy Edmunds has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. J. D. Pain and Son, 26, Dock-street, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, on the 18th day of October, 1876, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

J. D. PAIN and SON, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Job Edmunds and Lucy Edmunds, both of Sunny Bank Farm, in the hamlet of Graig, in the parish of Bassalleg, in the county of Monmouth, carrying on business in copartnership as Farmers.

**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. J. D. Pain and Son, 26, Dock-street, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, on the 18th day of October, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

J. D. PAIN and SON, Solicitors for the said Debtors

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Jackson, of 97, Hockley-hill, in the borough of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, 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 Ernest Augustus Ward, Solicitor, No. 156, Moor-street, Birmingham, on the 17th day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of September, 1876.

ERNEST AUGUSTUS WARD, 156, Moor-street, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Jarrett, of No. 108, Gooch-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Grocer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Hawkes and Weekes, Solicitors, No. 14, Temple-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 18th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

HAWKES and WEEKES, 14, Temple-street, Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Golby, of Malvern-street, Clifton-road, Moseley-road, in the parish of King's Norton, and county of Worcester, Nurseryman and Florist.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Francis Quelch, Solicitor, No. 8, Cannon-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 18th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of September, 1876.

FRANCIS QUELCH, 8, Cannon-street, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Sydney Smith, of No. 34, Water-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, but formerly of Park-road, Birmingham aforesaid, Barman.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Robert Duke, Solicitor, No. 11, Temple-row, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 19th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

ROBERT DUKE, 11, Temple-row, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Warwick. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Smith William Jester, of Priorsmarston, in the county of Warwick, Innkeeper and Common Carrier.

**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, at Southam, in the county of Warwick, on the 16th day of October, 1876, at

three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of September, 1876.

WILLIAM WOOD, Southam, Warwickshire, Solicitor for the said Smith William Jester.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Poole. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Honour, of Bournemouth, in the county of Southampton, 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, in Wimborne Minster, in the county of Dorset, on the 18th day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

H. MOORE, Wimborne Minster, Dorset, Solicitor for the said Frederick Honour.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bath. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors; instituted by John Ricketts, of the Plough Inn, Trowbridge-road, Bradford-on-Avon, in the county of Wilts, Licensed Victualler.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Messrs. Foley and Son's Auction Mart, Manvers-street, Trowbridge, in the county of Wilts, on the 16th day of October, 1876, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of September, 1876.

W. A. GREY, Bradford-on-Avon, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bath. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Eli Gingell, of Trowbridge, in the county of Wilts, Cloth Merchant.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. George Barrell Rodway, Solicitor, Fore-street, Trowbridge, Wilts, on the 23rd day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of September, 1876.

GEO. B. RODWAY, Fore-street, Trowbridge, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bath. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Gore, of Trowbridge, in the county of Wilts, Woolen Cloth Merchant.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Inns of Court Hotel, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

CHAS. ATKINS COLLINS, Solicitor for the said Joseph Gore.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bath. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Ellen, of No. 8, the Market-place, Devizes, in the county of Wilts, Furniture Dealer and House and Insurance Agent.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Ashley Randell, situate in Exchange-place, Devizes aforesaid, on the 21st day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

DAY and MARSHALL, 35, St. John-street, Devizes, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Shropshire, holden at Madeley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Davies, of Roughton, in the parish of Worfield, near Bridgnorth, in the county of Salop, Farmer and Cattle and Sheep Salesman.

**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 Swan Hotel, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, on the 18th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

RICHARD FREE, 15, Temple-row, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.



**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Westmorland, holden at Kendal. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alexander Orchardton and John Orchardton, of Highgate, Kendal, in the county of Westmorland, Leather Merchants, carrying on business in copartnership under the firm of A. Orchardton and Son.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the Board Room, Market-place, Kendal, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

C. G. THOMSON and WILSON, Finkle-street, Kendal, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Westmorland, holden at Kendal. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alexander Orchardton and John Orchardton, both of Highgate, Kendal, in the county of Westmorland, Leather Merchants, carrying on business in copartnership under the firm of A. Orchardton and Son.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Alexander Orchardton has been summoned to be held at the Board Room, Market-place, Kendal aforesaid, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

C. G. THOMSON and WILSON, Finkle-street, Kendal, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Herefordshire, holden at Leominster.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William James Donne, of the Rose and Crown Inn, Ludlow, in the county of Salop, Junkeeper.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 2, Mill-street, Ludlow aforesaid, the 19th day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

C. J. ROWLES, Ludlow, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Graves, of No. 87, Arkwright-street, in the town of Nottingham, General Draper.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Edward Henry Fraser, Solicitor, Wheeler-gate, Nottingham, on the 11th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of September, 1876.

EDWARD H. FRASER, Wheeler-gate, Nottingham, Solicitor 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 James Blakey, of 2, King-street and 47, Fowler-street, South Shields, in the county of Durham, Boot and Shoe Dealer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of William Emiley Octavius Scott, 32, King-street, South Shields, in the county of Durham, on the 19th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

W. E. O. SCOTT, 32, King street, South Shields, Solicitor for the said James Blakey.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Bew, of No. 53, Derwentwater-road, Gateshead, in the county of Durham, Commission Agent, formerly carrying on business at No. 7, Granger-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, as an Agent.

**N**OTICE 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. Harry Alderton

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Bush, of No. 5, Wellington-street, Gateshead, in the county of Durham, Solicitor, on the 18th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

H. ALDERTON BUSH, Solicitor for the said Thomas Bew.

**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 Alfred William Boodle, of No. 2, Bedford-buildings, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, Solicitor.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Frederick L. Pruett, Solicitor, No. 11, Regent-street, Cheltenham, on the 16th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of September, 1876.

FREDERICK L. PRUETT, No. 11, Regent-street, Cheltenham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Cheltenham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Rotherham, of the Nythe, Tewkesbury, in the county of Gloucester, Gentleman.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Swan Hotel, Tewkesbury, on the 18th day of October, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

TAYNTON and SON, Clarence-chambers, Gloucester, Solicitors 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 Edwin Jacob White, of Broadmead, in the city and county of Bristol, Furniture Broker.

**N**OTICE 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 Messrs. J. and S. B. Parsons, Public Accountants, Nicholas-street, Bristol, on the 10th day of October, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

BURGESS, LAWRENCE, and ROBERTS, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**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 James Fox, of Granby-yard, Rutland-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicestershire, Printer, trading as J. Fox and Co.

**N**OTICE 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 Barber Haxby, Solicitor, 11, Belvoir-street, Leicester, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

JOS. B. HAXBY, 11, Belvoir-street, Leicester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**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 John Crowson Aspell, of 48, Oxendon-street and of Lower Guttlaxton-street, both in Leicester, in the county of Leicestershire, Joiner and Builder.

**N**OTICE 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, situate No. 5, Belvoir-street, Leicester, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

THOMAS WRIGHT, 5, Belvoir-street, Leicester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Cade, of Wyke Farm, Shobrooke, in the county of Devon, Farmer.

**N**OTICE 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. Edwin Fewings, Public Accountant, 16, Queen-street, in the city of Exeter, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

SPARKS and POPE, of Crediton, Devon, Solicitors for the said Henry Cade.

**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 Charles Hart, of the Granby Cellars, Devonport, in the county of Devon, Wine, Spirit, Ale, and Porter Merchant, trading under the style or firm of Davey and Company.

**N**OTICE 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. Sole and Gill, Solicitors, No. 3, St. Aubyn-street, Devonport, in the county of Devon, on the 19th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

SOLE and GILL, of No. 3, St. Aubyn-street, Devonport, Solicitors for the said George Charles Hart.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Cocker-moath. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Jackson Coverdale, of Workington, in the county of Cumberland, Music and Musical Instrument Dealer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Station Hotel, Workington, on the 12th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

P. DE E. COLLIN, 37, John-street, Maryport, Solicitor for the said John Jackson Coverdale.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Whitehaven. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Hodgson, of Frizington, in the parish of Arlecdon, in the county of Cumberland, Stationer and General Dealer.

**N**OTICE 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 McKelvie, being No. 13, Sandhill's-lane, in Whitehaven, in the said county of Cumberland, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

JNO. MCKELVIE, Solicitor, for the said John Hodgson.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Lea Winsor, of Wellingborough, in the county of Northampton, Ironmonger and Tinman and Brazier.

**N**OTICE 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. Burnham and Heary, High-street, in Wellingborough aforesaid, on the 16th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of September, 1876.

BURNHAM and HENRY, of Wellingborough, Solicitors for the said William Lea Winsor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Peterborough.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Cotterill, of Eye, in the county of Northampton Farmer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Wentworth Hotel, in the city of Peterborough, on the 18th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

DEACON and WILKINS, Peterborough, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas George West, of Silverstone, in the county of Northampton, Timber Dealer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Mr. F. J. Sheppard's office, in Towcester, in the said county, on the 17th day of October, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

F. J. SHEPPARD, of Towcester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Robson, of the Masham Inn, East Hartburn, in the county of Durham, Beerhouse Keeper.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. James Thompson, Accountant, 33, High-street, Stockton-on-Tees, on the 24th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

JOHN TROTTER, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Gibb, of No. 3, Cecil-street, Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, Builder.

**N**OTICE 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. Dodds and Company, Finkle-street, Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, Solicitors, on the 19th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

DODDS and CO., Finkle-street, Stockton-on-Tees, Solicitors for the said John Gibb.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Watson, of Middlesborough, in the county of York, Cabinet Maker.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Wellington Hotel, Albert-road, Middlesborough, on the 18th day of October, 1876, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

JNO. WM. TEALE, Middlesborough, Solicitor for the said James Watson.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Neill, of Liuthorpe, near Middlesborough, in the county of York, Commission Merchant.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Thomas Addenbrooke, Solicitor, No. 1, Zetland-road, Middlesborough aforesaid, on the 14th day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of September, 1876.

THOMAS ADDENBROOKE, 1, Zetland-road, Middlesborough, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry John Thorp, late of Gateshead, in the county of Durham, but now of West Auckland, in the said county of Durham, Boot and Shoe Maker.

**N**OTICE 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 Messrs. Lewnis, Elliott, and Co., 76, Grey-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 9th day of October, 1876, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of September, 1876.

GEO. MAW, Jun., High Bondgate, Bishop Auckland, Solicitor for the said Henry John Thorp.

**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 William Henry Watkins, of No. 3, Osborne-road, Southsea, in the parish of Portsea, in the county of Hants, Wine and Spirit Merchant.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Chamber of Commerce, 145, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

GEOE. HALL KING, 43, North-street, Portsea, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Newport and at Ryde.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Steward, of No. 121, High-street, Ryde, in the Isle of Wight, in the county of Hants, Baker.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of William John Richards, No. 150, High-street, Newport, in the Isle of Wight, in the county of Hants, on the 21st day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

T. HAMILTON URRY, Ventnor, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Newport and at Ryde.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Stratton, of Warburton's Hotel, Quay-street, Newport, in the Isle of Wight, Hotel Keeper.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Warburton's Hotel, Quay-street, Newport, in the Isle of Wight, on the 27th day of October, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

H. R. HOOPER, Solicitor for the said Robert Stratton.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John George Tate, of Sunderland-street, Houghton-le-Spring, in the county of Durham, Tailor and Draper.

**U**PON sufficient cause this day shown to the satisfaction of the Court, the General Meeting of Creditors in this matter summoned for the 13th day of October, 1876, is hereby directed to be held at the offices of Robert Wallace, Solicitor, Hutton-chambers, Pilgrim-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in lieu of the place originally named. And hereof let notice be given forthwith.—Dated this 30th day of September, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Poole.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Honour, of Bournemouth, in the county of Southampton, Builder.

**U**PON sufficient cause this day shown to the satisfaction of the Court, the General Meeting of Creditors in this matter summoned for the 18th day of October, 1876, is hereby directed to be held at the London Hotel, Poole, Dorset, at the same time, in lieu of the place originally named. And hereof let notice be given forthwith.—Dated this 5th day of October, 1876.

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 Scarf, of No. 62, East-road, City-road, in the county of Middlesex, Coach Builder.

**A** MEETING of the Creditors of the above-named Samuel Scarf will be holden at the offices of Mr. George Brown, 21, Finsbury-place, Finsbury-square, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 10th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of assenting to a scheme of settlement of the affairs of the said Samuel Scarf, that is to say, the acceptance by the Trustee of an offer made to him on behalf of the said Samuel Scarf to purchase the whole of the assets of the estate of the said Samuel Scarf at a sum equal to ten shillings in the pound, and to authorise the Trustee to accept payment of the said amount in four promissory notes at three, six, nine, and twelve months; the two first promissory notes being made by the said Samuel Scarf, the two last promissory notes being made jointly by the said Samuel Scarf and by one Samuel Chambers; and that upon the Trustee certifying to the Registrar of this Honourable Court the payment of the said promissory notes, the debtor be discharged and the Trustee be released; and further to transact such other business as may be incidental to these premises.—Dated this 28th day of September, 1876.

ERNEST FOREMAN, Trustee.

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 Edwards Clark and John Clark, both of Great Bentley, in the county of Essex, Builders, trading under the style or firm of Clark and Son.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the separate creditors of Edwards Clark, one of the above-named debtors, will be held at the offices of Edmund James Craske, Head-street, Colchester, in the said county of Essex, on Saturday, the 28th day of October, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely; for the following purposes, viz.:—1st. To audit and pass the accounts of the Trustee; 2nd. To grant the release of the Trustee; 3rd. To close the liquidation.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

EDMD. J. CRASKE, Trustee.

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 Edwards Clark and John Clark, both of Great Bentley, in the county of Essex, Builders, trading under the style or firm of Clark and Son, the said John Clark also carrying on the businesses of Licensed Victualler and Blacksmith, at Great Bentley aforesaid.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the separate creditors of John Clark, one of the above-named debtors, will be held at the offices of Edmund James Craske, Head street, Colchester, in the said county of Essex, on Saturday, the 28th day of October, 1876, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the following purposes, viz.:—1st. To audit and pass the accounts of the Trustee; 2nd. To grant the release of the Trustee; 3rd. To close the liquidation.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

EDMD. J. CRASKE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Alfred Backhouse, Charles Foster, George Cuff Travis, and James Edward Foster, of Halifax and Leeds, in the county of York, Stock and Share Brokers, trading there in copartnership as Backhouse, Foster, and Travis.

**A** MEETING of the Creditors of the above-named debtors will be held at the London Warehousemen's Rooms, No. 111, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 16th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustees of a composition offered by the debtors in addition to the property now vested in the Trustees, and of granting to the debtors their discharge upon their executing a deed severally covenanting to pay the said composition to the Trustees, and also, (if necessary) considering and transacting any other business brought before the meeting relating to the debtors and their affairs.—Dated this 30th day of September, 1876.

JAS. P. LYTHGOE, Accountant, King William-street, London, E.C.,  
WM. GLOSSOP, Accountant, 35, Kirkgate, Bradford, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Dunn, of Lorne Cottage, Tenby-street North and No. 73, Northwood-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Brass Founder.

**A** GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named debtor will be held at the offices of William Henry Brown, Accountant, 17, Ann-street, Birmingham, on Thursday, the 12th day of October, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the following purposes:—Auditing the accounts of the Trustee previous to declaring Dividend; fixing the remuneration of the Trustees; releasing the Trustee; discharging the debtor; closing the liquidation.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

WILLIAM H. BROWN, 17, Ann-street, Birmingham, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.

In the Matter of an Extraordinary Resolution for Composition by Arrangement with the Creditors of Nicholas George Andronicos, of No. 22, Ridgefield, in the city of Manchester, Shipper and Merchant.

**A** SECOND General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named person is hereby summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Boote and Edgar, Solicitors, 45,

George-street, in the city of Manchester, on Friday, the 13th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, in pursuance of the provisions in that behalf contained in the Bankruptcy Act, 1869, whereby a majority in number and value of the creditors then assembled may confirm or reject the resolution come to at the first general meeting held under the provisions of the said Act on the 29th day of September, 1876.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

BOOTE and EDGAR, 45, George-street, Manchester. Solicitors for the said Nicholas George Andronicos.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester, transferred to Birmingham.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition of the affairs of William Henry Oswin, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Wholesale Jeweller.

**A** GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named person is hereby summoned to be held at my offices, No. 46, Jordan-well, in the city of Coventry, on Friday, the 13th day of October next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely. The objects of such meeting, and the business proposed to be transacted thereat, being by special resolution of the creditors:—To pass the Trustees' accounts; to fix the remuneration to be paid to the Trustees; to declare First and Final Dividend; to fix the time for the close of the liquidation; to resolve as to the granting the release of the Trustees; to consider the grant of the discharge of the debtor; and any other matter connected with this estate.—Dated the 30th day of September, 1876.

EDWD. THOS. PEIRSON,  
E. S. CROASDELL, 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 Joshua Jackson, of No. 3, Little College-street, Upper Thames-street, in the city of London, and of No. 29, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Ink and Rain Water Purifier Manufacturer.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Joshua Jackson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 16th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Benjamin Smith, of No. 19, Darlington-street, Wolverhampton, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

BENJN. SMITH, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Watson Peck, trading under the style or firm of James and Samuel Peck, of Basnet-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Iraper and Silk Mercer.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named William Watson Peck who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Daniel Viney, of No. 99, Cheapside, in the city of London, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

J. D. VINEY, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Morison, of No. 27, Goodman's-yard, Minories, and of Hackney Wick, both in the county of Middlesex, also of No. 21, Billiter-street, in the city of London, Merchant and Manufacturer, Ship Owner, and Ship and Insurance Broker, trading at the last-mentioned place as John Morison and Company.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named John Morison who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Robert Fletcher, of No. 3, Lothbury, in the city of London, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 4th day of October 1876.

ROBERT FLETCHER, 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 Scarf, of 62, East-road, City-road, in the county of Middlesex, Coach Builder.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Samuel Scarf who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 10th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Ernest Foreman, of No. 7, Gresham-street, in the city of London, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

ERNEST FOREMAN, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Paul Peters, of Cereal-chambers, Brunswick-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and Hanging Ditch, Manchester, in the same county, Iron Merchant, trading at both places under the style of Peters Brothers.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named William Paul Peters who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 14th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Sutherland Harwood Banner, of 24, North John-street, Liverpool, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

J. S. HARWOOD BANNER, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Warrington.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Pearson, of Church-street, Runcorn, in the county of Cheshire, Haberdasher.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named John Pearson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 1st day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, George Jepson Knight, of 24, Bridge-street, Runcorn, in the county of Cheshire, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 26th day of September, 1876.

GEO. J. KNIGHT, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Winterbottom, of 30, Manchester-street, in Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Jeweller and Watchmaker.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named James Winterbottom who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Whittaker Newton, of Saint Peter-street, Oldham aforesaid, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

WHITTAKER NEWTON, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Winterbottom, of 64, Yorkshire-street, in Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Stationer and Newsgent.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named John Winterbottom who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Whittaker Newton, of Saint Peter-street, Oldham, aforesaid, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

WHITTAKER NEWTON, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Whittaker, of 291, Featherstall-road and Victoria Market, both in Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Jeweller and Toy Dealer.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named John Whittaker who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Whittaker Newton, of Saint Peter-

street, Oldham aforesaid, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

WHITTAKER NEWTON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester, transferred to Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Henry Oswin, of No. 7, Thomas-street, Shudehill, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Wholesale Jeweller, trading as W. H. Oswin and Co.

THE creditors of the above-named William Henry Oswin, who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 12th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Edward Thomas Peirson, of No. 46, Jordan-well, Coventry, Public Accountant, one of the Trustees under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 29th day of September, 1876.

EDWD. THOS. PEIRSON,  
E. S. CROASDELL, Trustees.

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 James Harrison, of Toller-lane, Bradford, in the county of York, Grocer.

THE creditors of the above-named James Harrison who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 14th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Isaac Smith, Assisut at Messrs. D. E. and R. Tuke's, Wholesale Grocers, Bradford 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 4th day of October, 1876.

ISAAC SMITH, 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 Thomas Alexander Sloane, of Garzby-lane, Windhill, in the township of Idle, in the parish of Calverley, and of 72, New-market, in the borough of Bradford, all in the county of York, Butcher.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Alexander Sloane who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Henry France, of 1, East-parade, Bradford aforesaid, Estate Agent and 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 5th day of October, 1876.

W. H. FRANCE, Trustee.

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 Mary Louisa Whitley, of Westgate, in Bradford, in the county of York, Boot and Shoe Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named Mary Louisa Whitley who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 14th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Arthur Singleton, of No. 1, New Booth-street, Bradford, in the county of York, Solicitor to the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

ARTHUR SINGLETON, Solicitor to the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors instituted by John Luty and George Luty, of Littlemoor, Pudsey, near Bradford, in the county of York, Bobbin Makers, trading under the style of J. and G. Luty.

THE creditors of the above-named John Luty and George Luty who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 14th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Hartley Blackburn, of Bradford, 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 3rd day of October, 1876.

J. HARTLEY BLACKBURN, 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 Thomas Spence, formerly of Longside-lane, Bradford, in the county of York, Grocer, but now of 159, Kensington-street, Gillington, in Bradford aforesaid, and out of business.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Spence who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Alfred Bray Hooper, of Bradford aforesaid, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

A. B. HOOPER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Edwin Robertshaw, of Ovenden, near to Halifax, in the county of York, Machine Maker, trading here as Edwin Robertshaw and Co.

THE creditors of the above-named Edwin Robertshaw who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 23rd day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Jonas Dearnley Taylor, of Halifax aforesaid, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

J. D. TAYLOR, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Matthew Mitchell Cowan, of Leeds, in the county of York, Boot Manufacturer and Leather Merchant, trading under the style of Cowan and Braine.

THE creditors of the above-named Matthew Mitchell Cowan who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Routh, of Royal Insurance-buildings, Park-row, Leeds, 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 September, 1876.

JOHN ROUTH, 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 Ann Austin and William Austin, carrying on business as Shoe Manufacturers, at Browning-street, Stafford, in the county of Stafford, trading under the style or firm of E. Austin and Sons, as executors of the will of Ephraim Austin, late of Stafford aforesaid, Shoe Manufacturer, deceased.

THE creditors of the above-named Ann Austin and William Austin who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 18th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Benjamin Nicholson, of 7 and 8, London Bridge Railway-approach, London, S.E., Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

BENJAMIN NICHOLSON, 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 Ann Austin and William Austin, carrying on business as Shoe Manufacturers, at Browning-street, Stafford, in the county of Stafford, trading as E. Austin and Sons, as executors of the will of Ephraim Austin, late of Stafford aforesaid, Shoe Manufacturer, deceased.

THE creditors of the above-named William Austin who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 18th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Benjamin Nicholson, of 7 and 8, London Bridge Railway-approach, London, S.E., Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

BENJAMIN NICHOLSON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.  
In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Edwards, Henry Edwards, and James Edwards, of the High Pavement, in the town of Nottingham, and of New Basford, in the county of Nottingham, Lace Manufacturers and Co-partners, trading under the style of Thomas Edwards and Co.

THE creditors of the above-named John Edwards, Henry Edwards, and James Edwards who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 14th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Robert Mellors, of Nottingham, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

ROBT. MELLORES, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.  
In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Lewes.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Horace Noakes, late of Ore, in the county of Sussex, Miller, but now of Friars'-walk, Lewes, in the said county of Sussex, out of business.

THE creditors of the above-named Horace Noakes who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 9th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, J. G. Langham and Son, of 44A, Robertson-street, Hastings, the Solicitors 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 29th day of September, 1876.

J. G. LANGHAM and SON, Solicitors for the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.  
In the County Court of Kent, holden at Rochester.  
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Radcliffe Cobham, trading as George R. and Charles Cobham, of No. 1, Edwin-street, and No. 4, Milton-road, both in Gravesend, in the county of Kent, Builder and Contractor.

THE creditors of the above-named George Radcliffe Cobham who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 14th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Charles Middleton, of No. 110, Peacock-street, Gravesend, one of the Trustees under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 30th day of September, 1876.

W. C. MIDDLETON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.  
In the County Court of Kent, holden at Greenwich.  
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Read, of No. 5, Clarence-street, Greenwich, in the county of Kent, Farmer.

THE creditors of the above-named George Read who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 16th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Joshua Yardley, of Limesgrove, Lewisham, in the county of Kent, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 5th day of October, 1876.

JOSHUA YARDLEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.  
In the County Court of Herefordshire, holden at Leominster.  
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Henry Moore, of Leominster, in the county of Hereford, Solicitor, lately a copartner in the firm of Moore and Wadron, carrying on business as Varnish Manufacturers, at Catherine-street, Aston, in the county of Warwick.

THE creditors of the above-named Henry Moore who have not already proved their debts, are required on or before the 17th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Edward Gunnell, of the borough of Leominster, Wine Merchant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

EDWARD GUNNELL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.  
In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Broel, of No. 144, Oakfield-road, Penge, in the county of Surrey, Foreign Correspondent.

THE creditors of the above-named Joseph Broel who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Charles Barrett, of 15, Finsbury-place South, in the city of London, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

CHARLES BARRETT, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.  
In the County Court of Suffolk, holden at Ipswich.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John James Stalker, of Westgate-street, Ipswich, in the county of Suffolk, Toy Dealer and Stationer.

THE creditors of the above-named John James Stalker who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 12th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Frederic Pearce, of 11, Tavern-street, Ipswich, in the county of Suffolk, 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 3rd day of October, 1876.

FREDERIC PEARCE, Trustee.

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 James Stephenson, of the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Timber Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named James Stephenson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 14th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Robert Buck, of No. 17, Fawcett-street, Sunderland 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 2nd day of October, 1876.

ROBT. BUCK, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.  
In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at East Stonehouse.  
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Frederick de Veulle Sanders, of Paignton, in the county of Devon, Commander in the Royal Navy.

THE creditors of the above-named Frederick de Veulle Sanders who have not already proved their debts are required, on or before the 17th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, George Hirtzel, of 19, Queen-street, Exeter, Gentleman, 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 September, 1876.

GEORGE HIRTZEL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.  
In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bath.  
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Edmund Wilcox, of No. 34, Milsom-street, in the city of Bath, Ironmonger.

THE creditors of the above-named Edmund Wilcox who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Frederick William Purchase, at No. 5, Westgate-buildings, in the city of Bath, 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 September, 1876.

FREDK. WM. PURCHASE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.  
In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter.  
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Charles Pope, of Stag Mill, in the parish of Uplowman, in the county of Devon, Miller.

THE creditors of the above-named Charles Pope who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 14th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, William Webster, of

Tiverton, in the county of Devon, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

WM. WEBSTER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Whitehaven. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Turnbull Scott, of Holborn Hill, in the parish of Millom, in the county of Cumberland, Draper and Postmaster.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named James Turnbull Scott who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Thomas Lawrence, of Holborn Hill 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 2nd day of October, 1876.

WM. THOS. LAWRENCE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Carlisle. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Jonathan Walton, of Bruntleysyke, Alston, in the county of Cumberland, Butcher, Farmer, and Catle Dealer.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Jonathan Walton who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Reddish, of No. 25, Fisher-street, in the city of Carlisle, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 2nd day of September, 1876.

JAMES REDDISH, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Davies, of Broad-street, in the city of Bristol, Manufacturing Confectioner, lately carrying on business there with John Miller, as Manufacturing Confectioners, and trading under the style or firm of Miller and Davies, but now carrying on business alone, and trading under the style of John Davies and Co.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named John Davies who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 14th day of October, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Collins the younger, of 39, Broad-street, in the city of Bristol, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

JAMES COLLINS, Jun., Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Stockport. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Francis Baker, of Eldon Cottage, Cheadle, in the county of Chester, out of business, formerly carrying on business at No. 5, Lower Hillgate, Stockport aforesaid, and 19, Market-place, in the city of Manchester, as a Tobacco, Cigar, and Snuff Manufacturer and Retailer.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Francis Baker who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 4th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, of 8, Warren-street, Stockport 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 4th day of October, 1876.

WALTER HYDE, 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 Ching Moore, of No. 7, Watling-street, in the city of London, and of No. 2, Acacia-road, St. John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex, Coloured Paper Merchant.

**H**ENRY GROSVENOR, of No. 1, Bridgewater-square, Barbican, in the city of London, Stationer, 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 September, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Lincoln. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Reynolds, of Nocton, in the county of Lincoln, Builder.

**G**EORGE JAY, of the city of Lincoln, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Lincoln. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Shearman, of the city of Lincoln, Shopkeeper and Fitter.

**G**EORGE JAY, of the city of Lincoln, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Poole. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Shervell, of Christchurch, in the county of Southampton, Baker and Confectioner.

**E**LIAS LANE, of Christchurch, in the county of Southampton, Grocer, 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 September, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Sears, of No. 28, St. Andrew's-square, in the town of Northampton, formerly of Adelaide-street, in the same town, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer, trading as G. Sears and Company.

**C**HARLES DAWSON KING, of the town of Northampton, 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 30th day of September, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Pearson, of Bugbrooke, in the county of Northampton, Carpenter and Wheelwright.

**H**ENRY WALKER, of the town of Northampton, 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 27th day of September, 1876.

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 George Plunkett, of Broomfields, Baschurch, in the county of Salop, a Captain in Her Majesty's Army.

**H**ENRY JOHN OLDROYD, of Shrewsbury, Nurseryman, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

## 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 Armstrong, of Westmoreland-street, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Butcher.

**THOMAS BOWDEN**, of No. 42, Mosley-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Accountant, and Thomas Walker, of No. 38, Blackett-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Accountant, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustees. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustees.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

## 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 Luke Blacklock, No. 52, Pilgrim-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Brush Manufacturer.

**DUNCAN LIVINGSTONE McCALLUM**, of 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 2nd day of October, 1876.

## 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 Joseph Brown, of Irury-lane, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Milliner and Draper.

**THOMAS YOUNG STRACHAN**, of the borough and county of 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 2nd day of October, 1876.

## 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 William Charles Bampton, of 117, Fratton-street, Landport, in the county of Hants, Fruiterer.

**THOMAS FLEMING**, of Church-road, Kingston, Landport aforesaid, Fruiterer, 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 30th day of September, 1876.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Henry Cunliffe and Abel Cunliffe, of Waterfoot, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Woolstaplers, trading in copartnership under the style or firm of H. and A. Cunliffe, as Woolstaplers, and also trading at Waterfoot aforesaid, under the style or firm of George Bridge and Co., as Flock and Felt Carpet Manufacturers.

**A DAM MURRAY**, of 104, King-street, in the city of Manchester, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtors must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Stevens Stower, of 46, Harrington-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Oilman, trading under the style or firm of John S. Stower and Co.

**HENRY HOLLAND**, of 10, South John-street, Liverpool, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to

the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 30th day of October, 1875.

## 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 James Wilson, of Alport Town, in the city of Manchester, Joiner and Builder.

**HENRY GROSVENOR NICHOLSON**, of 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 3rd day of October, 1876.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Speck, of No. 294, Queen's-road, Miles Platting, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Contentioner.

**GEORGE PUCKERING MIDDLEWOOD**, of No. 36, South King-street, Manchester aforesaid, Auctioneer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the said debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Macclesfield.

**A FINAL** Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of James Mellor, of 16, Dale-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, and of Chester-gate, in Macclesfield, in the county of Chester, Silk Tie Manufacturer. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 13th day of October, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

FRAS. LOOSE, Trustee.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Great Yarmouth. To Bennett Barnes, of Great Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, Merchant, Broker, and General Commission Agent, trading under the style of Barnes and Co.

In the Matter of a Debtor's Summons issued against you by William Ritson, Henry Ritson, and Utrick Alexander Ritson, of No. 6, Queen-street, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Coalowners and Copartners, and carrying on business under the style or firm of Owners of South Pontop Colliery.

**TAKE** notice, that a Debtor's Summons having been granted against you by this Court, the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette shall be deemed to be service of such summons on you, on the seventh day after such publication. The summons can be inspected by you on application to this Court.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

## In the London Bankruptcy Court.

**A MEETING** of the Creditors of Richard Samuel Hall, of 154, Lambeth-walk, in the county of Surrey, Oil and Colour Man, adjudicated bankrupt on the 13th day of July, 1876, will be held at Messrs. Izard and Betts' Offices, 46, Eastcheap, London, E.C., on the 18th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the assent by the Trustee to a scheme of settlement of the affairs of the bankrupt, and for the annulling thereafter of the order of adjudication made against the bankrupt.—Dated 30th September, 1876.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

## In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of John Davenport, of 14, Little Tower-street, in the city of London, and of 18, the Gardens, Peckham Rye, in the county of Surrey, Tea Merchant, trading under the style or firm of Davenport Brothers, adjudicated bankrupt on the 17th September, 1872.

**TAKE** notice, that a Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named bankrupt will be held at the offices of Messrs. Nicholls and Leatherdale, 14, Old Jewry-chambers,



in the city of London, on Thursday, the 12th day of October next, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the following purposes, viz.:—To consider an application to be made by the Trustee to the Court for his discharge; to consider an application to be made by the above-named bankrupt to the Court for his discharge, and to pass a resolution thereon.—Dated this 29th day of September, 1876.

FRANCIS NICHOLLS, Trustee.

§ The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Thomas Edwards and John Edwards, of 101, Regent's Park-road, in the county of Middlesex, trading in copartnership under the style or firm of Edwards and Company, as Grocers and Wine, Spirit, and Ale Merchants, adjudicated Bankrupts on the 8th day of February, 1876.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named bankrupts is convened by the Trustee to be held at the office of Mr. George Mitchell, 6, Argyle-street, Regent-street, London, on Wednesday, the 18th day of October instant, at three o'clock in afternoon precisely:—To consider an application made by the bankrupts to the Trustee, that they may have granted by the Court their order of discharge (under section 48 of the above Act), and for the purpose of obtaining the assent of the creditors thereto, and passing a special resolution to that effect.—Dated this 5th day of October, 1876.

ALFRED KINNEY TAYLOR, Hildrop House, 43, Haversstock-hill, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle

In the Matter of John Hobson, of the Hawthorn Inn, Benwell, in the county of Northumberland, Innkeeper, a Bankrupt.

A MEETING of the Creditors of the above-named John Hobson, who was adjudicated a bankrupt on the 15th day of August, 1876, will be held at the office of Mr. William Mark Pybus, Solicitor, 40, Dean-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 17th day of October, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustee of a proposal for payment of the debts of the bankrupt, and also to take into consideration the annulling of the adjudication, and for the passing of all such resolutions, and doing all such acts, as the creditors may deem advantageous or proper, and also to take into consideration the release of the Trustee.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

J. H. ISITT, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Jacob Abrahams, of 12, Commutation-row, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and 10, Church-street, West Hartlepool, in the county of Durham, Clothier and Outfitter, who was adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 3rd day of March, 1876.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors in the above matter is hereby summoned to be held at 10, North John-street, Liverpool, on Friday, the 20th instant, at three o'clock in the afternoon, to consider the propriety of granting the debtor his discharge.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

THOMAS H. SHEEN, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A SECOND and Final Dividend of 1s. 5½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Alfred Warren and William Lenton, of Luton, in the county of Bedford, Straw and Felt Hat Manufacturers, adjudicated bankrupts on the 5th day of February, 1875, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Ladbury, Collison, and Viney, No. 99, Cheapside, in the city of London, on and after the 6th day of October, 1876.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

G. H. LADBURY, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A THIRD and Final Dividend of 1s. 7d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Alfred Warren, of Dunstable, in the county of Bedford, Straw Hat Manufacturer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 1st day of February, 1875, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Ladbury, Collison, and Viney, No. 99, Cheapside, in the city of London, on and after the 6th day of October, 1876.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

G. H. LADBURY, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A DIVIDEND of 0½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Nathaniel Edwin Coombs, of 46, Lime-street, in the city of London, Oil and Tar Broker,

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adjudicated bankrupt on the 14th day of May, 1874, and will be paid by me, at 2, Moorgate-street-buildings, in the city of London, on and after the 9th day of October, 1876.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

J. M. HENDERSON, Trustee.

In the County Court of Middlesex, holden at Edmonton.

A DIVIDEND of 1d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Lewis King, of North Weald, otherwise North Weald Bassett in the county of Essex, Hay and Straw Dealer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 3rd day of December, 1874, and will be paid by me, at 2, Moorgate-street-buildings, in the city of London, on and after the 9th day of October, 1876.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

J. M. HENDERSON, Trustee.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Stafford.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 2s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of James Houghton, of Eccleshall, in the county of Stafford, Joiner and Builder, adjudicated bankrupt on the 20th day of September, 1875, and will be paid by me, at my office, at the King's Arms Inn, Eccleshall, in the county of Stafford, on and after the 10th day of October, 1876.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

G. T. PRITCHARD, Trustee.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at King's Lynn.

A DIVIDEND of 2s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Robert Thomas Pridgeon, of Werrington, in the county of Norfolk, adjudicated bankrupt on the 19th day of April 1876, and will be paid by John James Coulton, Solicitor, at his office, in the Athenæum, King's Lynn, on and after Tuesday, the 10th day of October, 1876.—Dated the 30th day of September, 1876.

EDWD. BANHAM, Trustee.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Dorchester.

A FINAL Dividend of 2s. 5½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Joseph Davis, of Spetisbury, in the county of Dorset, Miller, adjudicated bankrupt on the 13th day of March, 1876, and will be paid by me, at my office, in East-street, Blandford, on and after this day.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

WM. E. BRENNAND, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Dudley. In the Matter of James Fellows, of Duke-street, Upper Ettingshall, in the parish of Sedgley, in the county of Stafford, formerly of the Bird in Hand, Upper Ettingshall aforesaid, and of the Breen Ridding Colliery, Licensed Vicualler and Charter Master, but now of no occupation, a Bankrupt.

WHEREAS at a Meeting of Creditors held under this bankruptcy, on the 22nd day of September, 1876, pursuant to notice given in the Gazette, and by adjournment to the 29th September instant, and no Trustee having been appointed by reason of the prescribed quorum of creditors not having been present, the Registrar having so reported to the Court, Mr. Warmington, the Solicitor for the petitioning creditor, made application that the adjudication of bankruptcy made against the said James Fellows might be annulled, and that all the property of the said James Fellows both real and personal, might revert to the said James Fellows for all his estate or interest therein, it is hereby ordered that the adjudication made against the said James Fellows be, and the same is hereby, annulled; and that all property of the said James Fellows, both real and personal, do and shall forthwith revert to the said James Fellows for all his estate and interest therein, freed from and without being subject to any terms or conditions whatever.—Given under the Seal of the Court, this 29th day of September, 1876.

By the Court,  
THOS. WALKER, Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Max Reuter, of 26, Martin's-lane, Cannon-street, in the city of London.

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 Max Reuter having been given, it is ordered that the said Max Reuter be, and he

is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 5th day of October, 1876.

By the Court,

*James R. Brougham*, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Max Reuter is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 25th day of October, 1876, 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, Lincoln's-inn-fields. 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 John Robert Hirschberg, of No. 40, Great Tower-street, in the city of London, Corn and Grain 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 Robert Hirschberg having been given, it is ordered that the said John Robert Hirschberg be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 3rd day of October, 1876.

By the Court,

*W. C. Spring-Rice*, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said John Robert Hirschberg is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 18th day of October, 1876, 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 Hazlitt Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. 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 A H Lindgren, of No. 18, Finch-lane, in the city of London.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said A H Lindgren having been given, it is ordered that the said A H Lindgren be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of October, 1876.

By the Court,

*W. C. Spring-Rice*, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said A H Lindgren is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to William Powell Murray, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. 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 John Thomas Meek, of the World's End Tavern, Newington-causeway, in the county of Surrey, and of No. 3, Fairlop-terrace, Leytonstone, in the county of Essex, Licensed Victualler.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said John Thomas Meek having been given, it is ordered that the said John Thomas Meek be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given

under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of October 1876.

By the Court,

*W. C. Spring-Rice*, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said John Thomas Meek is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 19th day of October, 1876, 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 James Rigg Brougham, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. 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 H P Newton, of 8, Hollywood-road, West Brompton, in the county of Middlesex, late a 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 act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said H P Newton having been given, it is ordered that the said H P Newton be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 4th day of October, 1876.

By the Court,

*W. C. Spring-Rice*, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said H P Newton is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 19th day of October, 1876, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Honourable William Cecil Spring-Rice, one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Arthur Titterton, of Axminster, in the county of Devon, Gentleman.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Arthur Titterton having been given, it is ordered that the said Arthur Titterton be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 4th day of October, 1876.

By the Court,

*R. R. M. Daw*, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Arthur Titterton is hereby summoned to be held at the Castle of Exeter, at Exeter, on the 19th day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Peterborough.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Henry Ford, of Werrington, in the county of Northampton, Blacksmith.

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 Henry Ford having been given, it is ordered that the said Henry Ford be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of October, 1876.

By the Court,

*W. D. Gaches*, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Henry Ford is hereby summoned to be held at the County

Court, in the New Hall, in Peterborough aforesaid, on the 21st day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

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

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Colchester. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Daniel Nice Orpen, of Acton, in the county of Suffolk, Farmer.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Daniel Nice Orpen having been given, it is ordered that the said Daniel Nice Orpen be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of October, 1876.

By the Court,

*J. S. Barnes, Registrar.*

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Daniel Nice Orpen is hereby summoned to be held at the Townhall, Colchester, on the 21st day of October, 1876, 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 the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against John Coulson, of St. Peter's and No. 6, Regent-terrace, both in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Iron Shipbuilder, trading under the style or firm of John Coulson and Co.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said John Coulson having been given, it is ordered that the said John Coulson be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 4th day of October, 1876.

By the Court,

*Wm. Brook Mortimer, Registrar.*

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said John Coulson is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, on the 18th day of October, 1876, 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 Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Thomas Brown, of the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, House Builder.

UPON the hearing of the Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Thomas Brown having been given, it is ordered that the said Thomas Brown be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 2nd day of October, 1876.

By the Court,

*Robt. K. A. Ellis, Registrar.*

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Thomas Brown is hereby summoned to be held at the Office of this Court, at the foot of Union-street, Sunderland aforesaid, on the 17th day of October, 1876, 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 the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Milbourne, of Spennymoor, in the county of Durham, Plumber.

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 Milbourne having been given, it is ordered that the said William Milbourne be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 26th day of September, 1876.

By the Court,

*William Marshall, Registrar.*

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Milbourne is hereby summoned to be held at the Office of the said County Court, on the 21st day of October, 1876, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

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

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Charles Assinder, residing at Franklin House, 340, Pershore-road, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and carrying on business at Victoria-buildings, Temple-row, Birmingham aforesaid, as an Architect and Surveyor.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Charles Assinder having been given, it is ordered that the said Charles Assinder be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court, this 2nd day of October, 1876.

By the Court,

*Edwin Parry, Registrar.*

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Charles Assinder is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, on the 20th day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

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

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against George Lowe, of the Queen's Hotel, Whitefield-lane, Everton, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Inkeeper and Estate 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 the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said George Lowe having been given, it is ordered that the said George Lowe be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 3rd day of October, 1876.

By the Court,

*Tho. Belringer, Registrar.*

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said George Lowe is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, on the 19th day of October, 1876, 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 Salford. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Nathan Howarth, of 307, Bolton-road, Pendlebury, in the county of Lancaster, Beerseller.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of the bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Nathan Howarth having been given, it is ordered that the said Nathan

Howarth be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 3rd day of October, 1876.

By the Court,  
*Fredk. C. Hulton, Registrar.*

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Nathan Howarth is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, situate at Encombe-place, Salford, on the 25th day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

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

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against George Virgo, of No. 7, Frog-lane, in the city of Bristol, Baker.

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 George Virgo having been given, it is ordered that the said George Virgo be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 4th day of October, 1876.

By the Court,  
*Edward Harley, Registrar.*

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said George Virgo is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court Office, Saint Werburgh's-chambers, Small-street, Bristol, on the 19th day of October, 1876, 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 London Bankruptcy Court. In the Matter of Coward and Hart, of No. 111, Fore-street, in the city of London, trading under the style or firm of Coward and Hart, Costume Manufacturers, Bankrupts.

John Roland Lovering, of No. 35, Gresham-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupts. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupts to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 15th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupts must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupts 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 September, 1876.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court. In the Matter of Charles Henry Harvey, of No. 61, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, Colliery Proprietor, a Bankrupt.

James Thomas Snell, of 85, Cheapside, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on the 10th day of November, 1876, 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 20th day of September, 1876.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court, transferred from the County Court of Hertfordshire, holden at St. Albans. In the Matter of Thomas Holland, of Rickmansworth, in the county of Hertford, Builder, a Bankrupt.

John Kemp, of 46, Cannon-street, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 22nd day of November, 1876, 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 3rd day of October, 1876.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court. In the Matter of Herbert Percy Reece, of 33, Queen's-road, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, Tobacconist and Fancy Goods Dealer, Bankrupt.

Edward Parker Wilson, of 11d Jewry-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-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 18th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 26th day of September, 1876.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Poole. In the Matter of James Symes, of Wimborne Minister, in the county of Dorset, Corn and Seed Factor and Coal Merchant, a Bankrupt.

Jesse T. Curtis, of the town and county of the town of Poole, 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 Townhall, Poole, on the 30th day of October, 1876, 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 29th day of September, 1876.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Daniel Davies, of 30, Heyworth-street, Everton, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Linen Draper, a Bankrupt.

John Horrocks, of 39, York-street, in the city of Manchester, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, on the 3rd day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds. In the Matter of William Thomas Walker Shay, of No. 5, Duncan-street, of Saddle-yard, Briggate, and of Nassau-place, Leopold-street, New Leeds, all in the parish of Leeds, in the county of York, Provision Dealer, a Bankrupt.

William Robert Burton, of Leeds aforesaid, Accountant, and John Brittle Edwardes, of Huddersfield, in the said county, Commission Agent, have been appointed joint Trustees of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the County Court-house, Albion-place, in Leeds aforesaid, on the 25th day of October, 1876, 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 trustees, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustees. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustees.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds. In the Matter of Thomas Cross, of Leeds aforesaid, trading under the style or firm of Cross and Co., Japanners and Brass Founders, a Bankrupt.

William Robert Burton, of Leeds 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 said Court, Albion-place, Leeds aforesaid, on the 25th day of October, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of October, 1876.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Northallerton. In the Matter of William Burton and Henry Wedd, both of Richmond, in the county of York, Millers, Bankrupts.

Thomas Wilde, of Richmond, in the county of York, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupts. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupts to take place at the Court-house, in Northallerton, on the 14th day of October, 1876, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupts must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupts 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 October, 1876.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of Albert Rhodes and William Rhodes, both of Littlemoor, Pudsey, in the parish of Catverley, in the county of York, Engineers and Millwrights, formerly carrying on business in copartnership under the style or firm of A. and W. Rhodes, Bankrupts.

John Routh, of Leeds, in the said county of York, Accountant, and William Gilyard, of Bradford aforesaid, Accountant, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the bankrupts. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupts to take place at the said Court on the 7th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupts must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the bankrupts must be paid to the trustees. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustees.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of Joe Firth Beaumont, of Back-lane, Bowling, near Bradford, in the county of York, Grocer and Berseller, a Bankrupt.

Joseph Orake, of Bradford, in the county of York, Provision Merchant, 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 said Court, on the 17th day of October, 1876, 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 September, 1876.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of Robert Fitzsimmons, of Lidget Green, in the parish of Bradford, in the county of York, Joiner and Builder, a Bankrupt.

William Martello Gray, of Bradford, in the county of York, 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 said Court, on the 17th day of October, 1876, 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 3rd day of October, 1876.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham, by transfer from the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax.

In the Matter of Ralph Helliwell and Elizabeth Horsfall, of Swine Market, Halifax, in the county of York, Ironmongers, trading under the style or firm of R. Horsfall and Co., Bankrupts.

The Court has appointed the adjourned Public Examination of the bankrupts to take place at the Court-house, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on the 26th day of October, 1876, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Newport and at Ryde.

In the Matter of Henry John Loe, of Ryde, in the Isle of Wight, Builder, a Bankrupt.

ON the 30th day of October, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon, Henry John Loe, of Ryde, Isle of Wight, Builder, adjudicated bankrupt on the 26th day of January, 1870, will apply for an Order of Discharge.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Carlisle.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Ralph Pickering, of Alston, in the county of Cumberland, Draper, adjudicated bankrupt on the 14th day of June, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 17th day of October, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 2nd day of October, 1876.

James Reddish, Trustee.

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

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Thomas Walter Symonds, of Hamilton-street, in the parish of Clee, in the county of Lincoln, Joiner, Builder, and Contractor, adjudicated bankrupt on the 18th day of January, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 17th day of November, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 3rd day of October, 1876.

D. Brooklesby, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.****Notice of Dividend Meeting.**

A Meeting of the Creditors of the Bankrupt hereinafter named will be held, pursuant to the 17th section of the said Act, at the time and place hereinafter mentioned; that is to say:—

At the Court of Bankruptcy, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex:

Frederick Thomas Platts (commonly called and known by the name of Fred-rick Platts), formerly of No. 4, Southampton-row, Bloomsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Engraver and Lithographic Printer, then of No. 5, Fleet-street, in the city of London, and also of No. 30, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Engraver and Lithographic Printer, then of No. 369, New Cross-road, Deptford, in the county of Kent, and also of No. 185, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Engraver and Lithographic Printer, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 23rd day of December, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 6th day of November next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the said Meeting the Assignee will, in pursuance of the 17th section of the said Act, submit statements of the Bankrupt's estate recovered and outstanding, and of all receipts and of all payments made or to be made thereout; and the creditors at the said meeting will, in pursuance of the said section, declare whether any and what allowance shall be paid to the said bankrupt. Proofs of Debts will be received, and creditors who have not proved, or do not then prove, will be excluded the benefit of the Dividend. And all claims not proved will be disallowed.

In the County Court of Hertfordshire, holden at Saint Albans.

In the Matter of Levi Smith, of Saint Peter-street, Saint Albans, in the county of Hertford, Butcher, a Bankrupt.

AN Order of Discharge was granted on the 27th day of September, 1876, to Levi Smith, of Saint Peter-street, Saint Albans, in the county of Hertford, Butcher, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 23rd day of June, 1876.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton.

In the Matter of Almeric Walter Seymour, of No. 53, Montpellier-road, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Doctor of Medicine, a Bankrupt.

AN Order of Discharge was granted to Almeric Walter Seymour, of No. 53, Montpellier-road, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Doctor of Medicine, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 17th day of October, 1871.—Dated this 22nd day of September, 1876.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Newport and at Ryde.

In the Matter of Henry John Loe, of Ryde, in the Isle of Wight, Builder, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 11th day of December, 1875, reporting that the whole of the property had been realized

for the benefit of his creditors, but sufficient money was not realized to pay any dividend to the creditors nor to pay the costs of the proceedings in the bankruptcy, the Court being satisfied that sufficient money was not realized to pay any dividend to the creditors, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said John Henry Loe has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 22nd day of December, 1875.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Maidstone. In the Matter of William Sextus Holding, late of Yalding, in the county of Kent, Farmer, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustees of the bankrupt, dated the 16th day of September, 1876, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and that a dividend to the amount of fourteen shillings and eight pence in the pound has been paid, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property has been realized for the benefit of the creditors, and that a dividend of fourteen shillings and eight pence in the pound has been paid, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said William Sextus Holding has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 29th day of September, 1876.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of Thomas Hurst, of Stand-lane, within Pilkington, in the county of Lancaster, Boot and Shoe Maker, Dealer and Chapman, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 2nd day of October, 1876, 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 five shillings in the pound has been paid, as shown in the statement thereunto annexed, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and a dividend of five shillings in the pound has been paid, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Thomas Hurst has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court, this 2nd day of October, 1876.

**T**HE estates of Henry Scott Dixon and Company, Builders, Govan, near Glasgow, and of Harry Dixon, Builder, residing sometime at No. 9, Park-street, Kelvin-

haugh, Glasgow, and latterly at Copeland-road, Govan, and Andrew Watson, Joiner, residing in Govan, as two of the Partners of said Company, and as Individuals, were sequestrated by the Sheriff of the county of Lanark, on the 3rd day of October, 1876.

The first deliverance is dated the 8th day of September, 1876.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Wednesday, the 11th day of October, 1876, within the Faculty of Procurators' Hall, St. 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 3rd day of February, 1877.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt, the said Harry Dixon and Andrew Watson.

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

**BROWN, DUNLOP, and LINDSAY, Writers,  
Glasgow, Agents.**

Glasgow, 3rd October, 1876.

**T**HE estates of Peter Roy, Baker, 84, Main-street, Anderston, Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 3rd day of October, 1876, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 3rd day of October, 1876.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Monday, the 16th day of October, 1876, 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 3rd day of February, 1877.

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

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