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AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the 6th of September, 1876, in the words following, viz. :—

“Whereas we have had under consideration the arrangements which have hitherto existed in regard to the duties of the Chaplain of Greenwich Hospital we are humbly of opinion that, upon the present occasion of the retirement of the officer holding that appointment, the duties connected with the hospital and school should be separated.

“And we would most humbly submit for the approval of your Majesty that the officer selected for the appointment of Chaplain of Greenwich Hospital, being relieved from all duty at the school, should, in addition to his clerical duties at Greenwich Hospital, have the responsibility of advising us as to the selection, &c., of candidates to fill the position of Chaplain in your Majesty's Fleet, and that he should be styled “Chaplain of the Fleet” and be granted a salary of £650 per annum, inclusive of his half-pay, with £2 2s. per week for lodging allowance.

“The Lords Commissioners of your Majesty's Treasury have signified their concurrence in this proposal and we would humbly beg that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to authorize us to carry out this arrangement from the 11th August.”

Her Majesty having taken the said Memorial into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to approve of what is therein proposed. And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly,

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the first session of Parliament holden in the first and second years of the reign of Her present

Majesty, intituled “An Act to abridge the holding of benefices in plurality, and to make better provision for the residence of the clergy,” it is, amongst other things, enacted, “That whenever it shall appear to the Archbishop of the Province, with respect to his own diocese, and whenever it shall be represented to him by the bishop of any diocese, or by the bishops of any two dioceses, that two or more benefices, or that one or more benefice or benefices; and one or more spiritual sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages, in his or their diocese or dioceses, being either in the same parish or contiguous to each other, and of which the aggregate population shall not exceed one thousand five hundred persons, and the aggregate yearly value shall not exceed five hundred pounds, may, with advantage to the interests of religion, be united into one benefice, the said Archbishop of the Province shall inquire into the circumstances of the case; and if on such inquiry it shall appear to him that such union may be usefully made, and will not be of inconvenient extent, and that the patron or patrons of the said benefices, sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages respectively, is or are consenting thereto, such consent being signified in writing under the hands of such patron or patrons, the said Archbishop shall, six weeks before certifying such inquiry and consent to Her Majesty, as herein after directed, cause, with respect to his own diocese, a statement in writing of the facts, and in other cases a copy in writing of the aforesaid representation to be affixed on or near the principal outer door of the church, or in some public and conspicuous place in each of such benefices, sinecure rectories, or vicarages, with notice to any person or persons interested, that he, she, or they, may, within such six weeks, show cause in writing under his, her, or their hand or hands, to the said Archbishop, against such union; and if no sufficient cause be shown within such time, the said Archbishop shall certify the inquiry and consent aforesaid to Her Majesty in Council, and thereupon it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to make and issue an Order or Orders for uniting such benefices, sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages, into one benefice, with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes only; and it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to give directions for regulating the course and succession in which the patrons, if there be more than one patron, shall present or nominate to

“such united benefice, from time to time, as the same shall become vacant.”

And whereas the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury pursuant to the provisions of the said Act, hath duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a certificate in writing, bearing date the twenty-fourth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, in the words and figures following, that is to say :—

“To the QUEEN’s Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

“We the undersigned Archibald Campbell Lord Archbishop of the Province of Canterbury Primate of all England and Metropolitan do hereby certify to your Majesty in Council :—

“That the Right Reverend Christopher Lord Bishop of Lincoln as Bishop of the diocese within which are situate the rectory of Heapham in the county of Lincoln and the vicarage of Upton in the same county having represented unto us that the said benefices being contiguous to each other and of which the aggregate population does not exceed 684 persons might with advantage to the interests of religion be united into one benefice We inquired into the circumstances of the case.

“That on such inquiry it appeared to us that such union might be usefully made and would not be of inconvenient extent and that Weston Cracroft Amcotts of Hackthorne in the same county of Lincoln Esquire being the patron or person entitled to present to the same benefice of Heapham the same being now vacant and also to the benefice of Upton if the same were now vacant has signified his consent in writing to the union of the said benefices into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes.

“That six weeks and upwards before certifying such inquiry and consent to your Majesty in Council we caused copies in writing of the aforesaid representation of the said Lord Bishop to be affixed on the principal outer door of the parish church of each of the said benefices with notice to any person or persons interested that he she or they might within such six weeks show cause in writing under his her or their hand or hands to the said Archbishop against such union and no such cause has been shown.

“The representation of the said Lord Bishop of Lincoln our inquiry into the circumstances of the case, the statement of circumstances in reply thereto, the consent in writing of the patron and the copies of the representation and notice before mentioned are hereunto annexed.

“And we do hereby certify the inquiry and consent aforesaid to your Majesty in Council to the intent that your Majesty in Council may in case your Majesty in Council shall think fit so to do make and issue an Order for uniting the said benefices into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes only.

“As witness our hands this twenty-fourth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

“A. C. Cantuar.”

Now therefore Her Majesty in Council is pleased to order and doth hereby order that the said rectory of Heapham in the county of Lincoln and diocese of Lincoln and the vicarage of Upton in the county and diocese of Lincoln shall be united into one benefice for the cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes only.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN’s Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the first session of the Parliament holden in the first and second years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled “An Act to abridge the holding of benefices in plurality, and to make better provision for the residence of the clergy,” after reciting that “Whereas, in some instances, tithings, hamlets, chapelries, and other places or districts may be separated from the parishes or mother churches to which they belong, with great advantage, and places altogether extra-parochial may in some instances with advantage be annexed to parishes or districts to which they are contiguous, or be constituted separate parishes for ecclesiastical purposes,” it is, amongst other things, enacted “That when, with respect to his own diocese, it shall appear to the Archbishop of the Province, or when the bishop of any diocese shall represent to the said archbishop that any such tithing, hamlet, chapelry, place, or district within the diocese of such archbishop, or the diocese of such bishop, as the case may be, may be advantageously separated from any parish or mother church, and either be constituted a separate benefice by itself or be united to any other parish to which it may be more conveniently annexed, or to any other adjoining tithing, hamlet, chapelry, place, or district, parochial or extra-parochial, so as to form a separate parish or benefice, or that any extra-parochial place may with advantage be annexed to any parish to which it is contiguous, or be constituted a separate parish for ecclesiastical purposes; and the said archbishop or bishop shall draw up a scheme in writing (the scheme of such bishop to be transmitted to the said archbishop for his consideration); describing the mode in which it appears to him that the alteration may best be effected, and how the changes consequent on such alteration in respect to ecclesiastical jurisdiction, glebe lands, tithes, rent-charges, and other ecclesiastical dues, rates, and payments, and in respect to patronage and rights to pews, may be made with justice to all parties interested; and if the patron or patrons of the benefice or benefices to be affected by such alteration shall consent in writing under his or their hands to such scheme, or to such modification thereof as the said archbishop may approve, and the said archbishop shall, on full consideration and inquiry, be satisfied with any such scheme, or modification thereof, and shall certify the same and such consent as aforesaid, by his report to Her Majesty in Council, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to make an Order for carrying such scheme, or modification thereof, as the case may be, into effect.”

And whereas by another Act of Parliament, passed in the second and third years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled “An Act to make better provision for the assignment of ecclesiastical districts to churches or chapels augmented by the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne, and for other purposes,” it is, amongst other things, further enacted “That when, by any Order of Her Majesty in Council as aforesaid, a separate parish for ecclesiastical purposes is constituted, the same shall, on registration thereof, and with the consent in writing of the incumbent or incumbents of the benefice

"or benefices to be thereby affected, become a perpetual curacy and benefice, and the minister thereof, duly nominated and licensed thereto, and his successors, shall be a body politic and corporate, with perpetual succession, and may receive and take to himself and his successors all such lands, tenements, tithes, rent-charges, and hereditaments as shall be granted unto him or them, and such perpetual curate shall thenceforth have, within the limits of the district parish formed under the Church Building Acts, for the church of such perpetual curacy, sole and exclusive cure of souls, and shall not in anywise be subject to the control or interference of the incumbent or incumbents of the benefice or benefices to be affected by such Order, if he or they shall have consented to such Order as aforesaid; but if such incumbent or incumbents shall not have so consented thereto, this last-mentioned provision shall not come into operation until the next avoidance of the benefice by the incumbent objecting thereto, or by the surviving incumbent objecting, if more than one shall object thereto, and in such case the last-mentioned provision shall forthwith after such avoidance come into operation, and shall be binding on all persons whatsoever."

And whereas the Lord Bishop of Llandaff hath made a representation in writing to his Grace the Archbishop of Canterbury in the words and figures following:—

"To the Right Honourable and Most Reverend Archibald Campbell Lord Archbishop of the Province of Canterbury.

"I the Right Reverend Alfred Lord Bishop of Llandaff do hereby represent to your Grace:—

"1. That within the county of Monmouth and my diocese of Llandaff are the vicarage and parish church of Llanarth with the ancient parochial chapelry of Bettws Newydd annexed.

"2. That the limits and boundaries of the said chapelry are well known and defined and the said chapelry has its own churchwardens overseers and other parish officers and is in no way connected with the said parish of Llanarth in respect to rates of any kind.

"3. That the population of the parish of Llanarth is six hundred and sixteen persons and that of Bettws Newydd is ninety-nine.

"4. That the parish church of Llanarth affords accommodation for two hundred and twenty-two persons or thereabouts and the church or chapel of Bettws Newydd affords accommodation for one hundred and five persons or thereabouts.

"5. That the net annual income of the said vicarage of Llanarth amounts to three hundred and sixty-one pounds or thereabouts of which the sum of eighty-six pounds or thereabouts is in respect of the said chapelry of Bettws Newydd and arises from vicarial tithe commutation rent-charges and the rent of glebe land and a farm called the Springett near the coal pit in the parish of Llantilio Pertholey in the said county of Monmouth.

"6. That within the said county and my diocese aforesaid are the vicarage or perpetual curacy and parish church of Trostrey the parish whereof lies contiguous to the said chapelry of Bettws Newydd.

"7. That the church or chapel of Bettws Newydd lies at a distance of three and three quarter miles from the parish church of Llanarth whilst it is less than one mile distant from the parish church of Trostrey.

"8. That the parish of Trostrey contains a population of one hundred and forty-three persons and the church of the said parish affords accommo-

ation for one hundred and twenty-three persons or thereabouts.

"9. That the net annual value of the said vicarage or perpetual curacy of Trostrey is one hundred and ten pounds or thereabouts.

"10. That there is at present no parsonage house either at Bettws Newydd or Trostrey.

"11. That the patronage of the said vicarage and parish church of Llanarth with the said chapelry of Bettws Newydd annexed belongs to the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Llandaff and the patronage of the said vicarage or perpetual curacy of Trostrey belongs to the Reverend Sir John Henry Fludyer of Ayston in the county of Rutland Baronet and Clerk in Holy Orders.

"12. That the Reverend William Price Clerk in Holy Orders is the vicar of the said vicarage and parish church of Llanarth with the said chapelry of Bettws Newydd annexed and the Reverend Adam Rowland, Clerk in Holy Orders is the vicar or perpetual curate of the said vicarage or perpetual curacy and parish church of Trostrey.

"13. That it appears to me that under the provisions of the Act of Parliament passed in the session holden in the first and second years of the reign of Her present Majesty cap. 106, intituled "An Act to abridge the holding of Benefices in plurality and make better provision for the residence of the Clergy" the said chapelry of Bettws Newydd may be advantageously separated from the said vicarage and parish of Llanarth and be united to the said vicarage or perpetual curacy and parish of Trostrey for ecclesiastical purposes.

"14. That pursuant to the directions contained in the 26th section of the said Act of Parliament I have drawn up a scheme in writing appended to this representation describing the mode in which it appears to me that the alteration above proposed may best be effected and I do submit the same to your Grace together with the consents in writing of the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Llandaff the patrons of the said vicarage and parish church of Llanarth with the said chapelry of Bettws Newydd annexed and of the Reverend Sir John Henry Fludyer the patron of the said vicarage or perpetual curacy of Trostrey and of the Reverend Adam Rowland the vicar or perpetual curate of the said vicarage or perpetual curacy and parish church of Trostrey (the Reverend William Price vicar of Llanarth withholding his consent thereto) to the intent that your Grace may if on full consideration and enquiry you shall be satisfied with the said scheme certify the same and such consent by your report to Her Majesty in Council.

"Given under my hand this first day of September, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

"A. Llandaff."

And whereas the scheme and consents in the said representation are in the words and figures following:—

"The SCHEME above referred to.

"1. That the said chapelry of Bettws Newydd shall be separated from the vicarage and parish of Llanarth and be united to and be and be deemed part and parcel of the said vicarage or perpetual curacy and parish of Trostrey aforesaid for ecclesiastical purposes and the said chapel at Bettws Newydd shall be a chapel of ease to the said parish church of Trostrey.

"2. That the said chapelry of Bettws Newydd shall be subject to the same ecclesiastical jurisdic-

tion as the said vicarage or perpetual curacy of Trostrey and that the vicar or perpetual curate of Trostrey shall have exclusive cure of souls within the limits of the said chapelry.

"3. That all fees and other ecclesiastical dues and payments for marriages churchings burials and other ecclesiastical offices solemnized and performed within the said chapelry of Bettws Newydd shall henceforth belong to the vicar or perpetual curate of the said parish of Trostrey.

"4. That all the vicarial tithes or tithe rent-charges in lieu of vicarial tithes at present belonging to the said vicarage of Llanarth arising or which shall from time to time arise or become payable for or in respect of lands or hereditaments in the said chapelry of Bettws Newydd and the glebe lands within the said chapelry and also the said farm called the Springett shall henceforth respectively belong to and be attached to the said vicarage or perpetual curacy of Trostrey aforesaid for ever and be held received and enjoyed by the incumbent thereof for the time being accordingly subject nevertheless to all such rates and taxes as are or may be assessed or charged upon the same tithe rent-charge glebe lands and farm respectively.

"5. That the patronage of the said vicarage or perpetual curacy of Trostrey with the chapelry of Bettws Newydd annexed shall be vested in and belong to the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Llandaff and their successors and the said Sir John Henry Fludyer his heirs and assigns jointly and shall be exercised by them and him respectively in the order and manner following that is to say upon the first avoidance which shall happen of the said vicarage or perpetual curacy of Trostrey next after the separation of the said chapelry of Bettws Newydd from the said vicarage and parish of Llanarth and its union with the said vicarage or perpetual curacy and parish of Trostrey shall have taken effect the said Dean and Chapter shall exercise the right of presentation or nomination and upon the then next avoidance the said Sir John Henry Fludyer his heirs or assigns shall exercise the right of presentation or nomination and from thenceforth for ever thereafter the said Dean and Chapter shall have and exercise the first two out of every three rights or turns of presentation or nomination and the said Sir John Henry Fludyer his heirs or assigns shall have and exercise the third out of every such three rights or turns of presentation or nomination.

"A. Llandaff.

"Consents.

"We the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Llandaff the patrons or body corporate entitled to present or nominate to the vicarage and parish church of Llanarth with the chapelry of Bettws Newydd annexed if the same were now vacant the Reverend Sir John Henry Fludyer of Ayston in the county of Rutland Baronet and Clerk in Holy Orders the patron or person entitled to present or nominate to the vicarage or perpetual curacy of Trostrey if the same were now vacant and the Reverend Adam Rowland Clerk in Holy Orders the vicar or perpetual curate of the said vicarage or perpetual curacy of Trostrey, do hereby respectively signify our consent to the scheme above proposed and set forth and to every matter and thing therein contained.

"In witness whereof we the said Dean and Chapter have caused our common seal to be hereto affixed and we the said Sir John Henry Fludyer and Adam Rowland have respectively

hereto set our hands this first day of September one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

"J. Henry Fludyer.

"Adam Rowland.



"Sealed by order of Chapter,
"J. Huckwell, Chapter Clerk."

And whereas the said Lord Bishop hath transmitted the said scheme to the said Lord Archbishop together with the said consents.

And whereas the said Lord Archbishop being on full consideration and enquiry satisfied with such scheme hath certified the same and such consents as aforesaid by his report to Her Majesty in Council dated the twenty-third day of September one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six which report is in the words and figures following:—

"To the QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty
in Council.

"We the undersigned Archibald Campbell Lord Archbishop of the Province of Canterbury do hereby report to your Majesty in Council that the Right Reverend Lord Bishop of Llandaff has represented unto us (amongst other things)—

"That within the county of Monmouth and diocese of Llandaff are the vicarage and parish church of Llanarth with the ancient parochial chapelry of Bettws Newydd annexed and that the limits and boundaries of the said chapelry are well known and defined.

"That within the said county and diocese aforesaid are the vicarage or perpetual curacy and parish church of Trostrey the parish whereof lies contiguous to the said chapelry of Bettws Newydd.

"That the church or chapel of Bettws Newydd lies at a distance of three and three-quarter miles from the parish church of Llanarth whilst it is less than 1 mile distant from the parish church of Trostrey.

"That it appears to the said Lord Bishop that the said chapelry of Bettws Newydd may be advantageously separated from the said vicarage and parish of Llanarth and be united for ecclesiastical purposes to the said vicarage or perpetual curacy and parish of Trostrey.

"That the said Lord Bishop has drawn up a scheme in writing describing the mode in which it appears to him the proposed alterations may best be effected and how the changes consequent upon such alterations in respect to ecclesiastical jurisdiction dues rates and payments and in respect to patronage and rights to pews may be made with justice to all parties interested which scheme together with the consents thereto of the patrons of the said benefices of Llanarth and Trostrey and of the incumbent of the said benefice of Trostrey (the incumbent of the said benefice of Llanarth withholding his consent) has been transmitted by the said Lord Bishop to us for our consideration.

"The representation and scheme of the said Lord Bishop and the consents before referred to are hereunto annexed and we the said Archbishop being on full consideration and enquiry satisfied with the said scheme do hereby pursuant to the Act of the first and second years of your Majesty's reign chapter 106 certify the same and such consents as aforesaid to your Majesty in Council to the intent that your Majesty in Council may in case your Majesty in Council shall think fit so to do make and issue an Order for carrying the said scheme into effect.

"As witness our hand this twenty-third day

of September one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

"A. C. Cantuar."

Now therefore Her Majesty in Council by and with the advice of Her said Council is pleased to order and it is hereby ordered that the said scheme of the said Lord Bishop of Llandaff be carried into effect.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of *October*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the first session of the Parliament holden in the first and second years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to abridge the holding of benefices in plurality, and to make better provision for the residence of the clergy," after reciting that "Whereas in some instances tithings, hamlets, chapelries, and other places or districts may be separated from the parishes or mother churches to which they belong with great advantage, and places altogether extra-parochial may in some instances with advantage be annexed to parishes or districts to which they are contiguous, or be constituted separate parishes for ecclesiastical purposes," it is, amongst other things, enacted "That when, with respect to his own diocese, it shall appear to the Archbishop of the Province, or when the bishop of any diocese shall represent to the said archbishop that any such tithing, hamlet, chapelry, place or district within the diocese of such archbishop, or the diocese of such bishop, as the case may be, may be advantageously separated from any parish or mother church, and either be constituted a separate benefice by itself or be united to any other parish to which it may be more conveniently annexed, or to any other adjoining tithing, hamlet, chapelry, place, or district, parochial or extra-parochial, so as to form a separate parish or benefice, or that any extra-parochial place may with advantage be annexed to any parish to which it is contiguous, or be constituted a separate parish for ecclesiastical purposes; and the said archbishop or bishop shall draw up a scheme in writing (the scheme of such bishop to be transmitted to the said archbishop for his consideration), describing the mode in which it appears to him that the alteration may best be effected, and how the changes consequent on such alteration in respect to ecclesiastical jurisdiction, glebe lands, tithes, rent-charges, and other ecclesiastical dues, rates, and payments, and in respect to patronage and rights to pews, may be made with justice to all parties interested; and if the patron or patrons of the benefice or benefices to be affected by such alteration shall consent in writing under his or their hands to such scheme, or to such modification thereof as the said archbishop may approve, and the said archbishop shall, on full consideration and inquiry, be satisfied with any such scheme, or modification thereof, and shall certify the same and such consent as aforesaid, by his report to Her Majesty in Council, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to make an Order for carrying such scheme, or modification thereof, as the case may be, into effect."

And whereas William Lord Archbishop of York Primate of England and Metropolitan hath in pur-

suance of 26th section of hereinbefore said Act made a report to Her Majesty in Council in the words and figures following:—

"That there is in the county and diocese of York the parish of Lastingham which comprises the township of Rosedale West-side the boundaries whereof are well known and defined.

"That there is also in the said county and diocese of York the township of Rosedale East-side which is a perpetual curacy and titular vicarage and benefice and parish for all ecclesiastical purposes in the said county and diocese of York.

"That the boundaries of the said township are well known and defined and the said two townships of Rosedale West-side and Rosedale East-side are immediately contiguous and adjoin.

"That the said perpetual curacy of Rosedale East-side is now vacant by the resignation of the Reverend Robert Skelton the last incumbent there who resigned the said benefice on the first day of November one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three under the provisions of the 'Incumbents Resignation Act, 1871,' since which date the said perpetual curacy of Rosedale East-side has remained vacant and the said Robert Skelton is in receipt of a pension of thirty-six pounds a year from the income of the said perpetual curacy.

"That there is within the boundaries of the said township and ecclesiastical parish of Rosedale East-side a church suitable for the accommodation of the inhabitants of the said two townships of Rosedale East-side and Rosedale West-side and the inhabitants of the said last-mentioned township attend such church as well as the inhabitants of the said first-mentioned township.

"That the said church is conveniently situated and easily accessible to the inhabitants of the township of Rosedale West-side and is distant from the said township of Rosedale West-side not exceeding one mile whilst the church of the parish of Lastingham is most inconveniently situated to a large majority of the inhabitants of Rosedale West-side the roads thereto being over the moors and in the winter they are often impassable.

"That according to the last census the population of the said parish of Lastingham inclusive of the said township of Rosedale West-side was one thousand four hundred and eighty-eight and that of the said township of Rosedale West-side was seven hundred and ninety.

"That according to the last census the population of the said township or perpetual curacy of Rosedale East-side was two thousand and forty-one.

"That the net annual value of the said benefice of Lastingham is three hundred and sixty pounds and that of the said benefice of Rosedale East-side is one hundred and seven pounds.

"That the patronage of the said benefice of Lastingham is vested in the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain for the time being and the Reverend Richard Dalby Esterby is the incumbent of the same benefice and both have consented to the said scheme and their respective consents in writing are hereto annexed.

"That the patronage or right to present to the said perpetual curacy of Rosedale which is a parish for all ecclesiastical purposes (the same being now vacant) is vested in the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain for the time being by reason of lapse and the Right Honourable Hugh MacCallmont Baron Cairns now Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain consents to the said scheme and his consent in writing is hereto annexed.

"That it appears to the said Archbishop that

under the provisions of the Acts of Parliament passed in the Session held in the first and second years of your Majesty's reign chapter 106, and of the second and third years of your Majesty's reign chapter 49, the said township of Rosedale West-side may be advantageously separated from the said parish of Lastingham and be united to the said perpetual curacy and township of Rosedale East-side for ecclesiastical purposes.

"That pursuant to the directions contained in the twenty-sixth section of the aforesaid first-mentioned Act the said Archbishop has prepared a scheme in writing appended to this report describing the mode in which it appears to him the alteration above proposed may be best effected and how the changes consequent upon such alteration in respect of ecclesiastical jurisdiction glebe lands tithes rent-charges and other ecclesiastical dues rates and payments and in respect of patronage and rights to pews may be made with justice to all parties interested and the said Archbishop being on full consideration and enquiry satisfied with such scheme he doth by this report to your Majesty in Council certify the same to your Majesty together with the consent in writing of the patron of the benefices to be affected and also the consent in writing of the vicar of Lastingham (the benefice of Rosedale being as aforesaid now vacant) to the intent that your Majesty in Council in case it shall be thought expedient and proper so to do may make an Order for carrying the same into effect.

"Given under the hand of the said Archbishop the eleventh day of August one thousand eight-hundred and seventy-six.

"*W. Ebor.*"

And whereas the aforesaid scheme and consents mentioned in the said report are in the words following:—

"The SCHEME referred to in the foregoing Report.

"That the township of Rosedale West-side in the parish of Lastingham in the county and diocese of York shall be severed from the said parish of Lastingham and be united to the perpetual curacy of Rosedale East-side for ecclesiastical purposes.

"That the inhabitants of the said township of Rosedale West-side shall be entitled in future to be seated in the church belonging to the said perpetual curacy of Rosedale East-side and to parochial rights or privileges of baptism, marriage, churching, burial, and other offices of the church at the church of the said chapelry of Rosedale and all fees chargeable in respect of such offices as aforesaid shall belong and be payable to the minister of such church but the said inhabitants of the said township of Rosedale West-side shall cease to have any parochial rights or privileges in respect of any of the offices of the church from the minister of Lastingham or any rights in respect of seats in the said church at Lastingham.

"That the patronage or right of nomination of a minister or incumbent to serve such church of Rosedale shall in case this scheme be carried into effect be vested in the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain for the time being.

"Given under the hand of the said Archbishop the eleventh day of August one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

"*W. Ebor.*"

"*Consents.*"

"We the Right Honourable Hugh MacCalmont Baron Cairns Lord High Chancellor of Great

Britain the patron or person entitled to present to the benefice of Lastingham were the same now vacant and also the person entitled to present to the said benefice of Rosedale the same being now vacant and the Reverend Richard Dalby Easterby the present Incumbent of the said vicarage of Lastingham do hereby give our consents to the foregoing report and scheme.

"Given under our hands this ninth day of August one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

"*Cairns, C.*"

"*Richd. D. Easterby.*"

Now therefore Her Majesty in Council by and with the advice of Her said Council is pleased to order and it is hereby ordered that the said scheme of the said Lord Archbishop of York be carried into effect.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Balmoral, the 23rd day of October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the first session of Parliament holden in the first and second years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to abridge the holding of benefices in plurality, and to make better provision for the residence of the clergy," it is, amongst other things enacted, "That whenever it shall appear to the Archbishop of the Province, with respect to his own diocese, and whenever it shall be represented to him by the bishop of any diocese, or by the bishops of any two dioceses, that two or more benefices, or that one or more benefice or benefices, and one or more spiritual sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages, in his or their diocese or dioceses, being either in the same parish or contiguous to each other, and of which the aggregate population shall not exceed one thousand five hundred persons, and the aggregate yearly value shall not exceed five hundred pounds, may, with advantage to the interests of religion, be united into one benefice, the said Archbishop of the Province shall inquire into the circumstances of the case; and if on such inquiry it shall appear to him that such union may be usefully made, and will not be of inconvenient extent, and that the patron or patrons of the said benefices, sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages respectively, is or are consenting thereto, such consent being signified in writing under the hands of such patron or patrons, the said Archbishop shall, six weeks before certifying such inquiry and consent to Her Majesty, as herein after directed, cause, with respect to his own diocese, a statement in writing of the facts and in other cases a copy in writing of the aforesaid representation, to be affixed on or near the principal outer door of the church, or in some public and conspicuous place in each of such benefices, sinecure rectories or vicarages with notice to any person or persons interested, that he, she, or they, may, within such six weeks show cause in writing under his, her, or their hand or hands, to the said Archbishop, against such union; and if no sufficient cause be shown within such time, the said Archbishop shall certify the inquiry and consent aforesaid to Her Majesty in Council, and thereupon it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to

"make and issue an Order or Orders for uniting such benefices, sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages, into one benefice, with cure of souls, for ecclesiastical purposes only: and it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to give directions for regulating the course and succession in which the patrons, if there be more than one patron, shall present or nominate to such united benefice, from time to time, as the same shall become vacant."

And whereas the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury pursuant to the provisions of the said Act, hath duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a certificate in writing, bearing date the twenty-fourth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, in the words and figures following that is to say:—

"To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

"We Archibald Campbell by Divine Providence Lord Archbishop of Canterbury do hereby in pursuance of the Act of Parliament made and passed in the 1st and 2nd years of your Majesty's reign chapter 106 certify to your Majesty in Council that it having appeared to us that the benefice (being a rectory) of Betteshanger and the benefice (being a rectory) of Ham, both in the county of Kent and in our diocese of Canterbury might with advantage to the interests of religion be united into one benefice for ecclesiastical purposes we enquired into the circumstances of the case and on such enquiry they appeared as follows (that is to say)

"That the benefices are contiguous and when united will not be of inconvenient extent.

"That the aggregate population of the parishes of Betteshanger and Ham according to the latest returns of population made under the authority of Parliament does not exceed 110 persons the population of the said parish of Betteshanger being 57 and the population of the said parish of Ham being 53.

"That there is a church belonging to each of the said benefices sufficient for the accommodation of the parishioners.

"That there is a house of residence belonging to the benefice of Betteshanger but there is no house of residence belonging to the benefice of Ham.

"That the net yearly value of the said benefice of Betteshanger is £168 or thereabouts and the net yearly value of the said benefice of Ham is £201 or thereabouts.

"That the patronage of each of the said benefices belongs to Sir Walter Charles James Baronet his heirs and assigns for ever and he the said Sir Walter Charles James consents to the union of the said benefices.

"That six weeks before certifying such enquiry and consent to your Majesty in Council we caused a statement in writing of the aforesaid facts to be affixed on the principal outer door of the parish church of each of the aforesaid benefices with notice to any person or persons interested in the union of the said benefices that he she or they might within such six weeks show cause in writing under his her or their hand or hands to us the said Archbishop against such union and no such cause has been shown.

"The consent in writing of the said Sir Walter Charles James as patron as aforesaid and the aforesaid copies of the statement of facts and notice are hereto annexed.

"And we do hereby certify the enquiry consent and matters aforesaid to your Majesty in Council

to the intent that your Majesty in Council may in case your Majesty in Council shall think fit so to do make and issue an Order for uniting the aforesaid benefice of Betteshanger and the aforesaid benefice of Ham into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes only.

"As witness our hands this twenty-fourth day of August one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

"A. C. Cantuar."

Now therefore Her Majesty in Council by and with the advice of Her said Council is pleased to order and doth hereby order that the said rectories of Betteshanger and Ham mentioned in the said certificate and consent shall be united into one benefice for the cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes only.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of *October*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the first session of the Parliament holden in the first and second years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to abridge the holding of benefices in plurality, and to make better provision for the residence of the clergy," after reciting that "Whereas, in some instances, tithings, hamlets, chapeltries, and other places or districts may be separated from the parishes or mother churches to which they belong with great advantage, and places altogether extra-parochial may in some instances with advantage be annexed to parishes or districts to which they are contiguous, or be constituted separate parishes for ecclesiastical purposes," it is, amongst other things, enacted, "That when, with respect to his own diocese, it shall appear to the Archbishop of the Province, or when the bishop of any diocese shall represent to the said archbishop that any such tithing, hamlet, chapelry, place, or district within the diocese of such archbishop, or the diocese of such bishop, as the case may be, may be advantageously separated from any parish or mother church, and either be constituted a separate benefice by itself or be united to any other parish to which it may be more conveniently annexed, or to any other adjoining tithing, hamlet, chapelry, place, or district, parochial or extra-parochial, so as to form a separate parish or benefice, or that any extra-parochial place may with advantage be annexed to any parish to which it is contiguous, or be constituted a separate parish for ecclesiastical purposes; and the said archbishop or bishop shall draw up a scheme, in writing (the scheme of such bishop to be transmitted to the said archbishop for his consideration), describing the mode in which it appears to him that the alteration may best be effected, and how the changes consequent on such alteration in respect to ecclesiastical jurisdiction, glebe lands, tithes, rent-charges, and other ecclesiastical dues, rates, and payments, and in respect to patronage and rights to pews, may be made with justice to all parties interested; and if the patron or patrons of the benefice or benefices to be affected by such alteration shall consent, in writing, under his or their hands to such scheme, or to such modification thereof as the said Archbishop may approve, and the said Archbishop shall, on full

“consideration and inquiry, be satisfied with any such scheme, or modification thereof, and shall certify the same and such consent as aforesaid, by his report to Her Majesty in Council, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to make an Order for carrying such scheme, or modification thereof, as the case may be, into effect.”

And whereas by another Act of Parliament, passed in the second and third years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled “An Act to make better provision for the assignment of ecclesiastical districts to churches or chapels augmented by the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne, and for other purposes,” it is, amongst other things, further enacted “That when, by any Order of Her Majesty in Council as aforesaid, a separate parish for ecclesiastical purposes is constituted, the same shall, on registration thereof, and with the consent in writing of the incumbent or incumbents of the benefice or benefices to be thereby affected, become a perpetual curacy and benefice, and the minister thereof, duly nominated and licensed thereto, and his successors, shall be a body politic and corporate, with perpetual succession, and may receive and take to himself and his successors all such lands, tenements, tithes, rent-charges, and hereditaments as shall be granted unto him or them, and such perpetual curate shall thenceforth have, within the limits of the district parish formed, under the Church Building Acts, for the church of such perpetual curacy, sole and exclusive cure of souls, and shall not in anywise be subject to the control or interference of the incumbent or incumbents of the benefice or benefices to be affected by such Order, if he or they shall have consented to such Order as aforesaid; but if such incumbent or incumbents shall not have so consented thereto, this last-mentioned provision shall not come into operation until the next avoidance of the benefice by the incumbent objecting thereto, or by the surviving incumbent objecting, if more than one shall object thereto, and in such case the last-mentioned provision shall forthwith after such avoidance come into operation, and shall be binding on all persons whatsoever.”

And whereas the Lord Bishop of Worcester hath made a representation in writing to his Grace the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury in the words and figures following:—

“To the Most Reverend Archibald Campbell
Lord Archbishop of Canterbury.

“I the Right Reverend Henry Lord Bishop of Worcester do hereby represent to your Grace that there is in the county of Worcester within my diocese the vicarage of Grimley to which belongs the ancient parochial chapelry of Hallow in the same county the limits and boundaries whereof are well known and defined.

“That according to the last census the population of the parish of Grimley exclusive of the said chapelry is seven hundred and forty-six and the population of the said chapelry is one thousand seven hundred and eighty-eight.

“That there is within the said chapelry a church or chapel affording sufficient accommodation for the inhabitants of the said chapelry and distant two miles or thereabouts from the parish church of Grimley and the inhabitants of the said chapelry have from time immemorial resorted to the said church or chapel of Hallow.

“That the said chapelry appears to have been from time immemorial treated as a distinct and

a separate parish for all civil purposes and baptisms churchings marriages and burials have been from time immemorial solemnized and performed in the church or chapel of the said chapelry and the burial ground thereto belonging.

“That the annual income of the said vicarage of Grimley with the said chapelry of Hallow arising from tithe rent-charges glebe surplice fees and other sources is six hundred and ninety-seven pounds or thereabouts of which two hundred and seven pounds or thereabouts is derived in respect of the said parish of Grimley and four hundred and ninety pounds or thereabouts in respect of the said chapelry of Hallow.

“That there is a good and sufficient house of residence belonging to the said chapelry of Hallow but there is no house of residence belonging to the said vicarage of Grimley.

“That the patronage of the said vicarage of Grimley with the said chapelry of Hallow belongs to me in right of my bishoprick and the present vicar of the said benefice is the Reverend Herbert George Pepys.

“That it appears to me that the said chapelry of Hallow may be advantageously separated from the said parish of Grimley and be constituted a separate parish for ecclesiastical purposes and a perpetual curacy and benefice.

“That the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have signified to me that in the event of the separation of the said chapelry of Hallow with its endowments from the said vicarage of Grimley and its formation into a distinct and independent cure they will be prepared to raise the income of the vicarage of Grimley to three hundred pounds per annum and to co-operate in providing a parsonage house.

“That pursuant to the direction contained in the Act of Parliament of the first and second years of Her Majesty's reign chapter 106 I have drawn up a scheme in writing describing the mode in which it appears to me that the alteration above proposed may be best effected and how the changes consequent on such alteration in respect to ecclesiastical jurisdiction glebe lands tithe rent-charges and other ecclesiastical dues rates and payments and in respect to patronage and rights to pews may be made with justice to all parties interested and I do submit the same to your Grace together with the consents in writing of myself as such patron as aforesaid and of the said Reverend Herbert George Pepys as such vicar as aforesaid to the intent that your Grace may if on full consideration and enquiry you shall be satisfied with the said scheme certify the same and such consents as aforesaid to Her Majesty in Council.”

And whereas the scheme and consents in the said representation mentioned are in the words following:—

“Scheme.

“That the said chapelry of Hallow shall be separated from the said vicarage and parish church of Grimley and be constituted a separate parish for ecclesiastical purposes and a perpetual curacy and benefice by the name of the perpetual curacy of Hallow of which the church or chapel belonging to the said chapelry shall be the parish church.

“That the said proposed separate parish and benefice shall be subject to the same ecclesiastical jurisdiction as the said vicarage and parish of Grimley and the incumbent of such proposed separate benefice shall have exclusive cure of souls within the limits of the same.

“That the house of residence and all other buildings and all glebe lands tithe rent-charges and

other profits of and belonging to the said vicarage of Grimley with the said chapelry of Hallow situate in or arising or accruing or payable for or in respect of the said chapelry of Hallow shall be assigned and attached to the said proposed separate benefice and shall belong to and be held received and enjoyed by the incumbent for the time being of the said proposed separate benefice for ever.

"That all ecclesiastical offices shall be performed in the church of the said separate parish and benefice of Hallow and the burial ground belonging thereto and that all fees and payments for such offices performed within the limits of the said separate parish and benefice and all such other ecclesiastical dues offerings and emoluments usually payable to the incumbent of a parish or benefice as shall arise within the said separate parish and benefice of Hallow shall henceforth belong to and be received by the incumbent for the time being of the said proposed separate parish and benefice.

"That the patronage of the said proposed separate benefice of Hallow shall be vested in and belong to me the said Lord Bishop in right of my bishoprick my successors and assigns for ever.

"That the inhabitants of the said proposed separate parish of Hallow shall be exclusively entitled to accommodation in the church or chapel of that proposed parish and they shall not be entitled to any accommodation in the parish church of Grimley or in any other church or chapel situate elsewhere than within the limits of the said proposed parish and benefice of Hallow saving nevertheless the right of any persons possessing a right by faculty or otherwise to the exclusive use of any pews or sittings either in the parish church of Grimley or in the church of the proposed parish of Hallow and who may not be willing to relinquish the same.

"Given under my hand this first day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

"H. Worcester.

"Consents.

"I the Right Reverend Henry Lord Bishop of Worcester the patron in right of my bishoprick of the above-mentioned vicarage of Grimley with the chapelry of Hallow and the person entitled to collate thereto in case the same were now vacant and I the Reverend Herbert George Pepys Clerk the vicar of the said vicarage do hereby respectively signify our consent to the scheme above proposed for the separation of the said chapelry from the said vicarage of Grimley and constituting the the same a separate benefice.

"Given under our respective hands this first day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy six.

"H. Worcester.

"Herbert G. Pepys."

And whereas the said Lord Bishop hath transmitted the said scheme to the said Lord Archbishop together with the said consents.

And whereas the said Lord Archbishop being on full consideration and enquiry satisfied with the said scheme hath certified the same and such consents as aforesaid by his report to Her Majesty in Council dated the second day of September one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six in the words and figures following:—

"To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

"We the undersigned Archibald Campbell Lord Archbishop of the Province of Canterbury

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do hereby report to your Majesty in Council that the Right Reverend Henry Lord Bishop of Worcester has represented unto us (amongst other things)—

"That there is in the county of Worcester within his Lordship's diocese the vicarage of Grimley to which belongs the ancient parochial chapelry of Hallow in the same county the limits and boundaries whereof are well known and defined.

"That there is in the said chapelry a church or chapel affording sufficient accommodation for the inhabitants of the said chapelry and distant two miles or thereabouts from the parish church of Grimley.

"That it appears to the said Lord Bishop that the said chapelry of Hallow may be advantageously separated from the said parish of Grimley and be constituted a separate parish for ecclesiastical purposes and a perpetual curacy and benefice.

"That the said Lord Bishop has drawn up a scheme in writing describing the mode in which it appears to him the proposed alterations may best be effected and how the changes consequent on such alterations in respect to ecclesiastical jurisdiction glebe lands tithe rent-charges and other ecclesiastical dues rates and payments and in respect to patronage and rights to pews may be made with justice to all parties interested which scheme together with the consents thereto in writing of the patron and incumbent of the said vicarage and parish church of Grimley has been transmitted by the said Lord Bishop to us for our consideration.

"The representation and scheme of the said Lord Bishop and the consents before referred to are hereunto annexed.

"And we the said Archbishop being on full consideration and enquiry satisfied with the said scheme do hereby pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 1st and 2nd years of your Majesty's reign certify the same and such consents as aforesaid to the intent that your Majesty in Council may in case your Majesty in Council shall think fit so to do make and issue an Order for carrying the said scheme into effect.

"As witness our hand this second day of September one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

"A. C. Cantuar."

Now therefore Her Majesty in Council by and with the advice of Her said Council is pleased to Order and it is hereby ordered that the said scheme of the said Lord Bishop of Worcester be carried into effect.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of Her Majesty, chapter seventy; of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her Majesty, chapter ninety-seven; of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five; and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of Her Majesty, chapter eighty-two; duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the thirteenth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and

seventy-six, in the words and figures following ; that is to say :—

“ We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of your Majesty, chapter seventy, of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of your Majesty, chapter ninety-seven, of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of your Majesty, chapter fifty-five, and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of your Majesty, chapter eighty-two, have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a consolidated chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint Nathanael situate at Cotham within the limits of the consolidated chapelry of Saint Matthew Kingsdown in the city and county of the city of Bristol and in the diocese of Gloucester and Bristol.

“ Whereas at certain extremities of the said consolidated chapelry of Saint Matthew, Kingsdown, and of the parish or parochial chapelry of Westbury-upon-Trym, in the said city and county of the city of Bristol and in the diocese of Gloucester and Bristol aforesaid which said extremities lie contiguous one to another, and are described in the schedule hereunder written, there is collected together a population which is situate at a distance from the several churches of such consolidated chapelry and parish or parochial chapelry respectively.

“ And whereas it appears to us to be expedient that such contiguous portions of the said consolidated chapelry of Saint Matthew, Kingsdown, and of the said parish or parochial chapelry of Westbury-upon-Trym, should be formed into a consolidated chapelry for all ecclesiastical purposes, and that the same should be assigned to the said church of Saint Nathanael situate at Cotham as aforesaid.

“ Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend Charles John, Bishop of the said diocese of Gloucester and Bristol, with the consent of the Reverend William Knight, of the said city of Bristol, Clerk in Holy Orders, of George Cooke of the same city, Solicitor, of William Jerdone Braikenridge, of Clevedon, in the county of Somerset, Esquire, and of the Reverend John Bryant Clifford, of Kingsdown, in the said city of Bristol, Clerk in Holy Orders, the patrons of the perpetual curacy of the said consolidated chapelry of Saint Matthew, Kingsdown, and with the consent of Thomas Todd Walton, of Mortimer House, Clifton near Bristol Esquire and of William Henry Warton of Devonshire-square, Bishopsgate in the city of London, Solicitor the patrons of the vicarage of the said parish or parochial chapelry of Westbury-upon-Trym (in testimony whereof they the said consenting parties have respectively signed and sealed this representation) we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, humbly represent, that it would, in our opinion, be expedient that all those contiguous portions of the said consolidated chapelry of Saint Matthew, Kingsdown and of the said parish or parochial chapelry of Westbury-upon-Trym, which are described in the Schedule hereunder written, all which portions, together with the boundaries thereof, are delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be united and formed into one consolidated chapelry for the said church of Saint Nathanael situate at Cotham as aforesaid, and that the same should be named ‘The Consolidated Chapelry of Saint Nathanael, Kingsdown.’

“ We, therefore, humbly pray that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into your Royal consideration, and to make such

Order in respect thereto as to your Majesty in your Royal wisdom shall seem meet.

“ The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

“ The Consolidated Chapelry of Saint Nathanael, Kingsdown, being :—

“ All that portion of the consolidated chapelry of Saint Matthew Kingsdown in the city and county of the city of Bristol, and in the diocese of Gloucester and Bristol and also all that contiguous portion of the parish or parochial chapelry of Westbury-upon-Trym situate in the said city and county of the city of Bristol and in the diocese aforesaid, which said portions are comprised within and are bounded by an imaginary line commencing at the point at the junction of the roads called or known respectively as Cotham Grove, Cotham Park, and Redland Grove where the boundary dividing the said consolidated chapelry of Saint Matthew Kingsdown from the parish or parochial chapelry of Westbury-upon-Trym aforesaid joins the boundary which divides the last-named cure from the new parish of Saint Mary the Virgin Tyndall's Park situate in the said city and county of the city of Bristol and in the diocese of Gloucester and Bristol aforesaid, and extending thence north-westward along the last-mentioned boundary thereby following the course of the said road called or known as Redland Grove to the point where the same road is joined by Zetland-road and extending thence that is from the said boundary north-eastward along the middle of the last-named road to a point at the junction of the same road with the road called or known as Redland Bank upon the boundary which divides the said parish or parochial chapelry of Westbury-upon-Trym from the new parish of Saint Andrew Montpelier situate partly in the said city and county of the city of Bristol and partly in the county of Gloucester and wholly in the diocese of Gloucester and Bristol aforesaid, and extending thence first south-eastward along the last-mentioned boundary, thereby following the course of the road called or known as Redland Bank as aforesaid, and then south-westward along the same boundary, thereby following the course of the road called or known as Cotham Brow to the point at the junction of the last-named road with Lower Redland-road where the said last-mentioned boundary joins the boundary which divides the said consolidated chapelry of Saint Matthew Kingsdown from the new parish of Saint Andrew Montpelier aforesaid, and continuing thence still south-westward along the last-mentioned boundary thereby following the course of the road called or known as Cotham Brow aforesaid to the point opposite to a boundary-stone inscribed ‘K. St. M. C. C. 1870 No. 2’ and placed on the south-eastern side of the same road, at which point the said last-mentioned boundary diverges towards the south-east from the said road, and continuing thence that is from the said boundary still south-westward for a distance of two and a half chains or thereabouts along the middle of the same road to its junction with the road called or known as Southfield-road and extending thence north-westward along the middle of the last-named road to its junction with the road called or known as Cotham Grove aforesaid and continuing thence still north-westward along the middle of the last-named road to the first-described point at the junction of Cotham Grove aforesaid with the roads called or known respectively as Cotham Park and Redland Grove as aforesaid where the boundary dividing the said consolidated chapelry of Saint Matthew Kingsdown from the parish or parochial chapelry of

Westbury-upon-Trym aforesaid, joins the boundary which divides the last-named cure from the new parish of Saint Mary the Virgin Tyndall's Park as aforesaid at which point the said imaginary line commenced."

And whereas the said representation has been approved by Her Majesty in Council; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said representation, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the respective Registrars of the said diocese of Gloucester and Bristol in the registries at Bristol and at Gloucester respectively.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of *October*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of Her Majesty, chapter seventy; of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her Majesty, chapter ninety-seven; of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five; and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of Her Majesty, chapter eighty-two; duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council, a representation bearing date the twentieth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six in the words and figures following; that is to say,

"We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of your Majesty chapter seventy, of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of your Majesty chapter ninety-seven; of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of your Majesty chapter fifty-five, and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of your Majesty, chapter eighty-two; have prepared and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council the following representation as to the assignment of a consolidated chapelry to the consecrated church called Christ Church situate in the township of Cloughton-cum-Grange within the parish or chapelry of Bidston in the county of Chester and in the diocese of Chester.

"Whereas at certain extremities of the said parish or chapelry of Bidston, of the particular district of Saint John Birkenhead in the said county of Chester, and in the said diocese of Chester; of the particular district of Saint Saviour Oxton in the same county and diocese, and of the new parish of Tranmere also in the same county and diocese which said extremities lie contiguous one to another and are described in the schedule hereunder written, there is collected together a population which is situate at a distance from the several churches of such respective cures.

"And whereas it appears to us to be expedient that such contiguous portions of the said parish or chapelry of Bidston, of the said particular district of Saint John Birkenhead of the said particular district of Saint Saviour, Oxton and of the said new parish of Tranmere should be

formed into a consolidated chapelry for all ecclesiastical purposes and that the same should be assigned to the said church called Christ Church situate in the said township of Cloughton-cum-Grange.

"Now therefore with the consent of the Right Reverend William Bishop of the said diocese of Chester, as such Bishop and also as the patron in right of his see of the vicarage of the said parish or chapelry of Bidston, with the consent of the Honourable and Right Reverend John Thomas Pelham, now Bishop of the diocese of Norwich, of the Reverend Edmund Hollond, of Benhall Lodge, Saxmundham, in the county of Suffolk, Clerk in Holy Orders, of the Reverend Henry Wright, of Heath House, Hampstead, in the county of Middlesex, Clerk in Holy Orders, of Francis Augustus Bevan, of No. 72, Prince's-gate, Hyde Park, in the said county of Middlesex, Esquire, and of John George Sheppard of Campsey Ashe, in the said county of Suffolk Esquire, the patrons of the perpetual curacy of the said particular district of Saint John, Birkenhead, with the consent of the Reverend Philip Raulin Robin, Clerk in Holy Orders, rector or incumbent of the rectory of the parish of Woodchurch, in the said diocese of Chester, the patron (in right of his incumbency) of the perpetual curacy of the said particular district of Saint Saviour Oxton, and with the consent of the Reverend George Ramsey Feilden, Clerk in Holy Orders the rector or incumbent of the rectory of the parish of Bebington, in the said diocese of Chester, the patron (in right of his incumbency) of the vicarage of the said new parish of Tranmere (in testimony whereof they the said consenting parties have respectively signed and sealed this representation) we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, humbly represent that it would in our opinion, be expedient that all those contiguous portions of the said parish or chapelry of Bidston, of the said particular district of Saint John Birkenhead, of the said particular district of Saint Saviour Oxton and of the said new parish of Tranmere which are described in the schedule hereunder written, all which portions together with the boundaries thereof are delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed should be united and formed into one consolidated chapelry for the said church called Christ Church situate in the township of Cloughton-cum-Grange as aforesaid and that the same should be named 'The Consolidated Chapelry of Christ Church, Cloughton-cum-Grange.'

"We therefore humbly pray that your Majesty will be pleased to take the premises into your Royal consideration, and to make such order in respect thereto as to your Majesty in your Royal wisdom shall seem meet."

"THE SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The Consolidated Chapelry of Christ Church Cloughton-cum-Grange, being:—

"All those several contiguous portions of the parish or chapelry of Bidston; of the particular district of Saint John, Birkenhead; of the particular district of Saint Saviour, Oxton, and of the new parish of Tranmere all in the county of Chester, and in the diocese of Chester, which are comprised within and are bounded by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said particular district of Saint Saviour Oxton from the parish or chapelry of Bidston aforesaid at the point where Egerton-road is intersected by the road called or known as Manor-hill

and extending thence eastward along the middle of the first-named road and along the middle of Park-road South to the junction of the last-named road with Slatey-road and extending thence southward along the eastern side of the last-named road thereby following in part the boundary which divides the said parish or chapelry of Bidston from the particular district of Saint John Birkenhead aforesaid to the point where the last-named road is joined by the road called or known as Reedville and extending thence eastward along the middle of the last-named road to its junction with the streets or roads called or known respectively as Euston-grove and as Euston-place and continuing thence still eastward along the middle of the last-named street or road to its junction with Alfred-road and with Upper Westbourne-road and extending thence north-eastward for a distance of four chains or thereabouts along the middle of the last-named road to its junction with Clarendon-street and extending thence south-eastward along the middle of the last-named street to its junction with Oxton-road and with the road called or known as Tranmere-vale and extending thence eastward along the middle of the last-named road to the boundary at or near to the junction of the same road with Borough-road otherwise called or known as Happy Valley which boundary divides the said particular district of Saint John Birkenhead from the new parish of Tranmere aforesaid and extending thence generally southward for a distance of one thousand five hundred feet or thereabouts along the last-mentioned boundary thereby following generally the course of Borough-road otherwise called or known as Happy Valley as aforesaid to the point a little to the north of Carlton-road where the same boundary bends sharply to the west and extending thence that is from the said last-mentioned boundary southward for a distance of fifty feet or thereabouts along the middle of Borough-road or Happy Valley aforesaid to its junction with Carlton-road aforesaid and extending thence westward along the middle of the last-named road to its junction with Woodchurch-road and extending thence southward for a distance of one hundred and twenty feet or thereabouts along the middle of the last-named road to a point at the junction of the said last-named road with Heathfield-road upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of Tranmere from the particular district of Saint Saviour Oxton as aforesaid and extending thence north-westward along the last-mentioned boundary (thereby following the course of the last-named road) to the point at the junction of the same road with the road called or known as Bennet's-hill where the said last-mentioned boundary joins the boundary dividing the said particular district of Saint Saviour Oxton from the particular district of Saint John Birkenhead aforesaid and extending thence westward along the last-mentioned boundary thereby following the course of the last-named road to the point at the junction of the same road with the occupation road leading to Christ Church where the said last-mentioned boundary is joined by the boundary which divides the said parish or chapelry of Bidston from the particular district of Saint Saviour Oxton aforesaid and extending thence first westward and then north-westward along the last-mentioned boundary to the point at or near to the junction of the street or road called or known as Cloughton Firs with Village-road where the same boundary bends sharply to the north and extending thence that is from the said last-mentioned boundary westward for a distance of nine and a half chains or thereabouts along the middle of the last-named road to its junction

with Columbia-road and extending thence northward along the middle of the last-named road to its junction with Shrewsbury-road South and extending thence westward for a distance of six chains or thereabouts along the middle of the last-named road to its intersection by Alton-road and extending thence northward along the middle of the last-named road to its junction with the road called or known as Devonshire-place, and extending thence first westward and then northward along the middle of the last-named road to its junction with Shrewsbury-road otherwise called or known as Grosvenor-place and with the road called or known as Manor-hill aforesaid and extending thence north-eastward for a distance of thirteen and a half chains or thereabouts along the middle of the last-named road to the first-described point where the same road is intersected by Egerton-road as aforesaid upon the boundary dividing the said particular district of Saint Saviour Oxton from the parish or chapelry of Bidston aforesaid at which point the said imaginary line commenced."

And whereas the said representation has been approved by Her Majesty in Council : now therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said representation, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts ; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Chester.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of *October*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of Her Majesty, chapter seventy ; of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her Majesty, chapter ninety-seven ; of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five ; and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of Her Majesty, chapter eighty-two ; duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the ninth day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, in the words following ; that is to say :

" We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of your Majesty, chapter seventy, of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of your Majesty, chapter ninety-seven, of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of your Majesty, chapter fifty-five, and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of your Majesty, chapter eighty-two, have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a consolidated chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint Luke situate within the limits of the new parish of Saint Peter, Halliwell in the county of Lancaster, and in the diocese of Manchester.

" Whereas at certain extremities of the said new parish of Saint Peter, Halliwell, and of the

chapelry district of Saint George Bolton-le-Moors in the said county of Lancaster and in the said diocese of Manchester which said extremities lie contiguous one to another, and are described in the schedule hereunder written, there is collected together a population which is situate at a distance from the several churches of such new parish and chapelry district respectively.

"And whereas it appears to us to be expedient that such contiguous portions of the said new parish of Saint Peter Halliwell and of the said chapelry district of Saint George, Bolton-le-Moors should be formed into a consolidated chapelry for all ecclesiastical purposes, and that the same should be assigned to the said church of Saint Luke situate within the limits of the said new parish of Saint Peter, Halliwell.

"Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend James, Bishop of the said diocese of Manchester, with the consent of James Cross Ormrod, of East Bank, Halliwell aforesaid, Esquire, of Richard Henry Ainsworth, of Smithills Hall, Bolton-le-Moors aforesaid Esquire, of Richard Rainshaw Rothwell, of Sharples Hall, Bolton-le-Moors aforesaid, Esquire, commonly called the Marquis de Rothwell, of Joseph Cannon, of Lytham, in the said county of Lancaster, Esquire, and of John Stanning, of Leyland, in the said county of Lancaster, Esquire, the patrons of the vicarage of the said new parish of Saint Peter, Halliwell, and with the consent of the Reverend Henry Powell, Vicar or Incumbent of the vicarage of the parish of Bolton-le-Moors in the said county of Lancaster and in the said diocese of Manchester, the patron (in right of his incumbency) of the perpetual curacy of the said chapelry district of Saint George Bolton-le-Moors, (in testimony whereof they the said consenting parties have respectively signed and sealed this representation) we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, humbly represent, that it would, in our opinion, be expedient that all those contiguous portions of the said new parish of Saint Peter Halliwell, and of the said chapelry district of Saint George Bolton-le-Moors which are described in the schedule hereunder written, all which portions, together with the boundaries thereof, are delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be united and formed into one consolidated chapelry for the said church of Saint Luke situate within the limits of the new parish of Saint Peter Halliwell as aforesaid, and that the same should be named 'The Consolidated Chapelry of Saint Luke, Halliwell.'

"We, therefore, humbly pray that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into your Royal consideration, and to make such order in respect thereto as to your Majesty in your Royal wisdom shall seem meet.

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The Consolidated Chapelry of Saint Luke Halliwell, being:—

"All that portion of the new parish of Saint Peter Halliwell in the county of Lancaster and in the diocese of Manchester and also all that contiguous portion of the chapelry district of Saint George Bolton-le-Moors in the same county and diocese which said portions are comprised within and are bounded by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Peter Halliwell from the parish of Dean in the said county and diocese at a point due south of the house called or known as Doffcocker Brow where Chorley Old-road is joined by

the footpath leading from New Hall to the house called or known as Doffcocker Brow as aforesaid and extending thence for a distance of half a mile or thereabouts first eastward and then south-eastward along the middle of the said Chorley Old-road to its junction with Pilkington-street and extending thence for a distance of eleven and a half chains or thereabouts first northward and then north-eastward along the middle of the said street to a point at or near to the house called or known as Vallets at the centre of the bridge which carries the same street over the stream flowing from Doffcocker past the northern side of the house called or known as Vallets aforesaid into the reservoir called or known as Frying Pan Lodge and extending thence for a distance of thirty-seven chains or thereabouts first eastward and then south-eastward along the middle of the said stream to a point near to the south-eastern end of the said reservoir at the northern end of the pipe or conduit which connects the same reservoir with the reservoir called or known as Flat Lodge and extending thence southward along the middle of the said pipe or conduit to its junction with the reservoir called or known as Flat Lodge as aforesaid and continuing thence still southward and in a direct line across the last-named reservoir to a point at or near to the southern corner of the same reservoir upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Peter Halliwell from the chapelry district of Saint George Bolton-le-Moors aforesaid and extending thence for a distance of eleven chains or thereabouts first south-westward and then south-eastward along the last-mentioned boundary (thereby following in the last-named direction in part the course of the stream flowing from the Mortfield Bleach Works into the river Croal) to the point where the same boundary crosses the middle of the footway leading from Mortfield-lane past the northern side of the buildings called or known as Park Mills into Gaskell-street and continuing thence that is from the said boundary still south-eastward for a distance of three chains or thereabouts along the middle of the last-described footway (thereby passing to the east of the last-named buildings) to the point where the said last-described footway joins Gaskell-street aforesaid and extending thence south-westward for a distance of eleven chains or thereabouts along the middle of the last-named street to its junction with Chorley Old-road aforesaid and extending thence north-westward for a distance of three chains or thereabouts along the middle of the last-named road to its junction with Park-street and extending thence first south-westward and then southward along the middle of the last-named street to its junction with Chorley New-road and extending thence south-westward for a distance of thirty-one chains or thereabouts along the middle of the last-named road to a point a little to the west of the junction of the same road with Cullen's-lane upon the boundary which divides the said chapelry district of Saint George Bolton-le-Moors from the new parish of Saint Peter Halliwell as aforesaid and extending thence still south-westward along the last-mentioned boundary thereby continuing to follow the course of Chorley New-road aforesaid to the point at Gilnow Brook where the said last-mentioned boundary joins the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Peter Halliwell from the parish of Dean aforesaid and extending thence first north-westward then northward then westward and then again northward along the last-mentioned boundary thereby following in the last-mentioned direction the course of the footpath leading from New Hall

to the house called or known as Doffcocker Brow as aforesaid to the first-described point due south of the house called or known as Doffcocker Brow as aforesaid at the junction of the same footpath with Chorley Old-road as aforesaid at which point the said imaginary line commenced."

And whereas the said representation has been approved by Her Majesty in Council; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said representation, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Manchester.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the laws concerning the burial of the dead in England, beyond the limits of the Metropolis, and to amend the Act concerning the burial of the dead in the Metropolis," it is enacted that, in case it appears to Her Majesty in Council, upon the representation of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, that for the protection of the public health, the opening of any new burial-ground in any city or town, or within any other limits, save with the previous approval of one of such Secretaries of State, should be prohibited, or that burials in any city or town, or within any other limits, or in any burial-ground or places of burial should be wholly discontinued, or should be discontinued subject to any exception or qualification, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order that no new burial-ground shall be opened in any city or town, or within such limits, without such previous approval, or (as the case may require), that, after a time mentioned in the Order, burials in such city or town, or within such limits, or in such burial-grounds or places of burial, shall be discontinued wholly, or subject to any exceptions or qualifications mentioned in such Order, and so from time to time as circumstances may require; provided always, that notice of such representation, and of the time when it shall please Her Majesty to order that the same be taken into consideration by the Privy Council, shall be published in the London Gazette, and shall be affixed on the doors of the churches or chapels of, or on some other conspicuous places within, the parishes affected by such representation, one month before such representation is so considered; provided also, that no such representation shall be made in relation to the burial-ground of any parish until ten days' previous notice of the intention to make such representation shall have been given to the Incumbent and the Vestry Clerk or Churchwardens of such parish:

And whereas the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, after giving to the Incumbents and the Churchwardens of the parishes hereinafter

mentioned ten days' previous notice of his intention to make such representation, has made a representation stating that, for the protection of the public health, no new burial-ground should be opened in the undermentioned parishes without the previous consent of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials should be discontinued therein, with the modifications hereinafter specified:

And whereas Her Majesty was pleased, by Her Order in Council of the twelfth day of August last, to give notice of such representation, and to order that the same should be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the twenty-seventh day of September, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, and such Order has been published in the London Gazette, and copies thereof have been affixed, as required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that no new burial-ground shall be opened in any of the undermentioned parishes without the previous approval of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials in the said parishes shall be discontinued (except as herein otherwise directed), as follows; viz. :—

SAINT PETER'S, THANET.—Forthwith wholly beneath the school room of the Baptist Chapel at Saint Peter's, Thanet.

BISHOPSTOKE.—Forthwith wholly in the parish church of Bishopstoke; and in the churchyard except in vaults and walled graves, in which each coffin shall be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented, and except in earthen graves not less than four feet deep which can be opened without exposing other coffins or disturbing entire bones.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, after giving to the Incumbents and the Churchwardens of the parishes hereinafter mentioned ten days' previous notice of his intention to make such representation, has, under the provisions of an Act passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the laws concerning the burial of the dead in England beyond the limits of the Metropolis, and to amend the Act concerning the burial of the dead in the Metropolis," made a representation stating that, for the protection of the public health, no new burial-ground should be opened in the undermentioned parishes without the previous consent of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials should be discontinued therein, with the following modifications, viz. :—

SUTCOMBE.—Forthwith wholly in the church of Sutcombe; and in the churchyard, except in graves which can be opened without the exposure of coffins or the disturbance of entire bones.

HOLSWORTHY.—Forthwith wholly in the church of Holsworthy; and in the churchyard, except in graves which are free from water, and can be opened without the exposure of coffins or the disturbance of entire bones: also, that interment be wholly discontinued within twelve yards of the well so long as the water of it continues to be used.

NORTH TAMERTON.—Forthwith wholly in the church of North Tamerton; and in the churchyard, except in graves which are free from water, and can be opened without the exposure of coffins or the disturbance of entire bones.

PUDSEY, CALVERLEY.—Forthwith wholly in the burial-ground of the Old Chapel, Pudsey, Calverley; and that in the churchyard interment be forthwith discontinued except in vaults and walled graves existing on the first of August, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, every coffin buried in which shall be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented; and except also in earthen graves, not less than five feet deep, which are free from water and can be opened without the exposure of coffins. No vaults or graves to be opened except to bury a member of the family of those already buried therein.

PRESTON, SUSSEX.—Forthwith wholly in the church of Preston, Sussex; and also in the churchyard, except in vaults and walled graves which can be opened without disturbing soil that has been buried in, every coffin buried in which shall be separately enclosed by stonework properly cemented; and except in earthen graves, which can be opened to the depth of not less than five feet without exposing coffins, for the interment, at their decease, of the following persons, viz.:—John Jupp, Jane Herriott, Harriet Constable the elder, Harriet Constable the younger, Zilpa Stevens, Lydia Stedman, John Rogers, Robert Ayling, Edward and Ann Loughton, and John Wood.

WEYBRIDGE.—Forthwith wholly in the church of Weybridge; and in the churchyard, except in now existing vaults and walled graves in which each coffin shall be separately entombed, and except also in earthen graves for the burial only of the widowers or widows of those already buried therein.

TAMWORTH.—In the new burial-ground, or additional churchyard of Tamworth, except for the burial of members of the families of those already buried therein, and also, that the regulations for new burial-grounds be observed.

ST. UNY LELANT.—Forthwith wholly in the parish church of St. Uny Leland; and in the churchyard after the thirty-first March, one thousand eight-hundred and seventy-seven, except in now existing vaults and walled graves, each coffin buried in which shall be separately enclosed by stonework properly cemented.

ASTBURY.—Forthwith wholly in the parish church of Astbury; and also in the old part of the churchyard, except in vaults and walled graves in which each coffin shall be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented, and except also, in family graves which can be opened to the depth of five feet without the exposure of coffins or the disturbance of entire bones; and that, after the thirty-first December, one thousand eight-hundred and seventy-seven, interment be discontinued in the new

part of the churchyard, with the like exceptions, and except also, for the burial of those who have no right of burial elsewhere, in graves or vaults used on the same conditions.

BRACKNELL, WARFIELD.—Forthwith wholly in the church of Holy Trinity, Bracknell, and in the Congregational Chapel, Bracknell; and in the burial-grounds attached to the said church and chapel, respectively, except in walled graves in which each coffin shall be separately entombed by stonework properly cemented, and which can be opened without exposing coffins or remains, and except in earthen graves, not less than five feet deep, which can be used with the same precautions.

UPHILL, SOMERSET.—Forthwith wholly in the new church of Uphill, Somerset; and in the new churchyard, except in graves or vaults to be used only for the burial of members of the same family, no coffin to be covered with less than four feet of soil or buried in any grave which is not always free from water.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty in Council is pleased hereby to give notice of such representation, and to order that the same be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the fourth day of December next:

And Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order be forthwith published in the London Gazette; and that copies thereof be affixed on the doors of the churches or chapels of, or on some conspicuous places within, the parishes affected by such representation, one month before the fourth day of December.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Marston Montgomery, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the twelfth of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 691:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-Laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCLXCI.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT, 1870.

BYE-LAWS OF THE MARSTON MONTGOMERY SCHOOL BOARD, IN THE COUNTY OF DERBY.

(Under the 74th Section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870.)

Election of School Board.

WHEREAS, in pursuance of a requisition sent by the Education Department to the Clerk of the

Uttoxeter Union, in the counties of Derby and Stafford, a School Board for the parish of Marston Montgomery was duly elected on the 9th day of March, 1876.

Now, at a Meeting of the School Board of the said parish of Marston Montgomery, held in their school, in the said parish, on Wednesday, the 12th day of July, 1876, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of such Board are present, the said Board do hereby make and ordain the following Bye-laws, subject to the approval of the Education Department.

Definition of Terms.

1. The terms "Parish," "Education Department," "Her Majesty's Inspectors," "Parent," "Elementary School," and "Public Elementary School," mean the same as defined in the sections 3 and 7 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

Requiring Parents to cause Children to attend School.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of every child of not less than five years of age, or more than thirteen years of age, and residing within the said parish, shall cause such child to attend an Elementary School, unless there is some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

Determining Time during which Children shall attend School.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child during the time or times in which any religious observance is practised, or instruction in religious subjects is given; and that no child shall be required under these Bye-laws—

- (a.) To attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his or her parent belongs.
- (b.) To attend school on Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving, or on Saturday.
- (c.) To attend school on any day fixed for the inspection of the school, or the examination of the scholars therein, in respect of religious subjects.

Total or Partial Exemption from Attendance, if Child has reached certain Standard.

4. In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child between ten and thirteen years of age has reached the fifth standard of education mentioned in the New Code of Regulations of the Education Department, made on the 7th day of February, 1871, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school, under these Bye-laws; and any such child who has been so certified to have reached the fourth standard of education mentioned in the said Code, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school, under these Bye-laws, more than five meetings in any one week.

Reasonable Excuses for non-Attendance.

5. A child shall not be required, under these Bye-laws, to attend an Elementary School—

- (a.) If such child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (b.) If such child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.

(c.) If there is no Public Elementary School which such child can attend within two miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

6. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Remission or Payment of School Fees in case of Poverty.

7. If the parent of any child residing in the district of the School Board satisfies the School Board that he or she is unable from poverty to pay the school fees of such child, the School Board, in case of a school provided by the Board, will remit, and in the case of any other Public Elementary School will pay the whole or such part of the fees as, in the opinion of the Board, the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months; provided that the amount of fees hereby undertaken to be remitted or paid shall not exceed what would be the ordinary fees for such children at a school of the Board.

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

8. Any person committing a breach of these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall be subject to a penalty, which with the costs, shall not exceed five shillings.

Date on which Bye-laws shall come into operation.

9. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Her Majesty by Order in Council.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the Marston Montgomery School Board, this 12th day of July, 1876.



C. Hunfrey, Chairman.

George Prince, jun., Clerk.

AT the Court at Balmoral, the 23rd day of October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Modbury, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the third of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 692:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCXCII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

BYE-LAWS OF THE MODBURY SCHOOL BOARD.

WHEREAS, in pursuance of a requisition sent by the Education Department to the Returning Officer of the Kingsbridge Union, in the county of Devon, a School Board for the district of the parish of Modbury was duly elected on the 29th day of September, 1875.

Now, at a Meeting of the School Board of the said district, held at the Board Room, in the parish of Modbury, on Friday, the 3rd day of March, 1876, at which Meeting all the Members of such Board are present, the said Board do hereby in pursuance of their powers under this Act, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Interpretation.

1. The term "Education Department" means the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council on Education.

The term "Her Majesty's Inspectors" means the Inspectors of Schools appointed by Her Majesty on the recommendation of the Education Department.

The term "School Board" or "Board" means the School Board of the Modbury District.

The term "School" means a Public Elementary School in the said district.

The term "Parent" includes a guardian and every person who is liable to maintain, or has the actual custody of any child, but does not include the mother of a child when the father is living, and is resident in the school district.

Attendance.

2. The parent of every child of not less than five years nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the school district, shall cause such child to attend school, unless there be a reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

Any of the following reasons shall be deemed to be a reasonable excuse:—

- (a.) That the child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (b.) That the child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or by any unavoidable cause.
- (c.) That there is no Public Elementary School open which the child can attend within three miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

Time of Attendance.

3. Every child shall attend school during the whole time the school selected by the parent is open for the instruction of children, provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects, or shall require any child to attend school on any Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, Saturday, or on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the body to which the parent of such child belongs.

Proviso.

4. A child of not less than ten years of age who has obtained from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors a certificate that he has reached the fourth standard of the Government Code, shall be altogether exempt from obligation to attend school.

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5. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

6. Every parent committing a breach of these Bye-laws, or of any of them, shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding, with costs, five shillings, for each offence; provided that all breaches of these Bye-laws by a parent in one and the same week shall be deemed to be one offence.

Remission of Fees.

7. If any parent whose child is or has been attending any school, or who has been served with a notice requiring him to cause his child to attend school, shall satisfy the Board that he is unable from poverty to pay the whole or some part of the school fees of such child, the Board shall remit the whole of the fees, or such part thereof as, in the opinion of the Board, the parent is really unable to pay, for such renewable period, not exceeding six calendar months, as shall be from time to time fixed by the Board.

As witness the Common Seal of the Board, and the signatures of the Chairman and of the Clerk of the Board, this 3rd day of March, 1876.



Richard Andrews, Chairman.

John W. Harris, Clerk.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of *October*, 1876.

PRESENT.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Gwytherin, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the second of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 693:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Feal.

Bye-Laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCXCIII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

Parish of Gwytherin.

BYE-LAWS OF THE GWYTHERIN SCHOOL BOARD.

WHEREAS, in pursuance of an order sent by the Education Department, a School Board for the parish of Gwytherin was duly elected on the 5th day of August, 1875.

Now, at a Meeting of the School Board of the said parish, held at the Board Room, on Friday, the 2nd day of June, 1876, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of the Board are present,

the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers to them given by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

1. In these Bye-laws the term "Parent" includes guardians, and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of any child, but does not include the mother of the child when the father is living and residing within the parish of Gwytherin.

The term "School" means either a Public Elementary School, or any other school at which efficient elementary instruction is given.

The term "Board" or "School Board" means the School Board for the parish of Gwytherin.

2. The parent of any child of not less than five years nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the said parish, is required to cause such child to attend school, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

3. The time during which every such child is required to attend school is the whole time for which the school shall be opened for the instruction of children, not being less than twenty-five hours a week. No child shall be required to school on Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving, or on Saturday.

4. Nothing in the present Bye-laws—(1.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects;—(2.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs; or—(3.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

5. A child of not less than ten years of age, who has obtained from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors a certificate that he has reached a standard equivalent to the fifth standard of the Government New Code of 1876, shall be altogether exempt from obligation to attend school.

6. A child shall not be required to attend school—(a.) If such child is under efficient instruction in some other manner; or—(b.) If such child has been prevented from attending school from sickness or any unavoidable cause; or—(c.) If there is no Public Elementary School open which the child can attend within three miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

7. If the parent of any child satisfies the School Board that the reason his or her child does not attend school is that he is unable, from poverty, to pay the school fees of such child, the School Board, in the case of a school provided by the Board, will remit the whole or such part of the fees as, in the opinion of the Board, the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months.

8. Every parent who shall not observe or shall neglect or violate these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding five shillings, including costs, for each offence.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the School Board of the parish of Gwytherin, this 2nd day of June, 1876.



D. Davies, Chairman.

William Jones, Clerk.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of *October*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Norton-in-the-Moors appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the fifteenth of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 694:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCXCIV.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

Parish of Norton-in-the-Moors, in the county of Stafford.

BYE-LAWS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD FOR
NORTON-IN-THE-MOORS.

WHEREAS in pursuance of a requisition sent by the Education Department to the Clerk of the Board of Guardians for the parish of Norton-in-the-Moors, in the county of Stafford, a School Board for the said district was duly elected on the 11th day of February, 1876.

Now, at a Meeting of the School Board of the said parish, duly convened and held on the 15th day of May, 1876, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of such Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers given to them by the Elementary Education Acts, 1870, 1873, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make the following Bye-laws, to come into effect forthwith, after the same shall have received the sanction of Her Majesty in Council:—

1. In these Bye-laws—

The term "Education Department" means the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education.

The term "Her Majesty's Inspectors" means the Inspectors of Schools appointed by Her Majesty on the recommendation of the Education Department.

The term "School Board District" means the parish of Norton-in-the-Moors.

The terms importing males under these Bye-laws include females.

The term "School Board" or "Board" means the School Board of the district comprising the parish of Norton-in-the-Moors.

The term "School" or "Public Elementary School" means a Public Elementary School as defined by the "Elementary Education Act, 1870."

The term "Parent" includes a guardian and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of any child.

The term "Child" means a child residing within the School Board District as above defined.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Acts, 1870, 1873, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of every child of not less than five nor more than thirteen years of age, shall cause such child to attend a Public Elementary School, unless there be a reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

Any of the following excuses shall be deemed to be a reasonable excuse:—

- (1.) That the child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (2.) That the child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any other unavoidable cause.
- (3.) That there is no Public Elementary School open which the child can attend within the distance of two miles, measured according to the nearest road from the residence of such child.

3. Any child of the age of ten years at least, who has been certified by one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools as having reached the fourth standard of education of the Government Code of April, 1875, shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school; and any child of the like age who has been in like manner certified as having reached the third standard of education of the same Code, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school more than one-half of the meetings of the school in any one week.

4. Subject as last aforesaid, the time during which any child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, provided that nothing contained in the present Bye-laws shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects, or shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which the parent of such child belongs, or shall be of any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

5. Every parent committing a breach of these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding, with the costs, five shillings for each offence.

6. Where the parent of any child not attending any school is, in the opinion of the School Board, unable from poverty to pay the whole or part of the school fees payable by such child, the Board shall, at any school provided by the Board, remit, or at any other Public Elementary School, pay for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months, the whole or such part of the fees, as in their opinion the parent is unable from poverty to pay.



Thomas Mayer Oulsnam, Chairman.

George Wood, Clerk.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Huntspill, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers

conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the seventeenth of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 695;

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCXCV.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT, 1870.

BYE-LAWS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD FOR THE PARISH OF HUNTSPELL.

KNOW all men by these presents, that at a Meeting of the School Board for Huntspill, duly convened and held at the Highbridge Inn, Huntspill, Somerset, on Friday, the 16th day of June, 1876, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of the Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers to them given by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

1. In these Bye-laws the term "Parish" means the parish of Huntspill.

The term "Education Department" means the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education.

The term "Her Majesty's Inspectors" means the Inspectors of Schools appointed by Her Majesty on the recommendation of the Education Department.

The term "School Board" or "Board," means the Huntspill School Board.

Terms importing "Males" includes females.

The term "School" means a Public Elementary School as defined by the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

The term "Parent" includes guardian, and every person who is liable to maintain, or has the actual custody of any child, but does not include the mother of a child when the father is living and is residing within the parish.

2. The parent of every child not less than five years nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the parish, shall cause such child to attend school, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

Any of the following reasons shall be a reasonable excuse, viz.:—

- (1.) That the child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (2.) That the child has been prevented from attending school by sickness, or any unavoidable cause.
- (3.) That there is no Public Elementary School open which the child can attend within three miles (measured according to the nearest road) from the residence of such child.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age; provided that nothing

herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child during the time or times in which any religious observance is practised, or instruction in religious subjects is given, and that no child shall be required—

- (a.) To attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observances by the religious body to which his parent belongs.
 (b.) To attend school on Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart as a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving.

4. In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child between ten and thirteen years of age has reached the fifth standard of education mentioned in the new Code of Regulations of the Education Department, made on the 7th day of February, 1871, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school, and any child who has been so certified to have reached the fourth standard of education mentioned in the said Code, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school more than ten hours in any one week.

Any child of not less than eleven years of age who shall have passed the second standard of the said Code may be exempted, at the discretion of the Board, from attending school more than ten hours in any one week.

5. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

6. Any person convicted of a breach of these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five shillings, inclusive of costs, for each offence.

7. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Her Majesty's Order in Council.



James Lonsdale, Chairman.

Paul O. H. Reed, Clerk.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of *October*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of the United District of Brindley and Faddiley, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the twenty-fourth of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 696 :

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

DCXCVI.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,
1870 AND 1873.

BYE-LAWS OF THE BRINDLEY AND FADDILEY
(U.D.) SCHOOL BOARD.

At a Meeting of the School Board for the United District of Brindley and Faddiley, in the county of Chester, held at the School, in Faddiley, on Monday, the 21st day of February, 1876, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of the Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers to them given by the Elementary Education Acts, 1870 and 1873, and subject to the approval of the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

1. In these Bye-laws the term "School" means either a Public Elementary School, or any other school at which efficient elementary instruction is given. The term "Public Elementary School" means a school or department of a school at which elementary education is the principal part of the education given, at which the ordinary payments in respect of instruction do not exceed nine pence a week, and which is conducted in accordance with the regulations contained in the 7th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

The term "Board" or "School Board" means the School Board for the United District of Brindley and Faddiley.

The term "Parent" includes guardian and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of any child.

2. The parent of every child residing in the district of the School Board, and not less than six years nor more than thirteen years of age, is required to cause such child to attend school, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

3. The time during which every child is required to attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children, provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects, and that no child shall be required—

- (a.) To attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his or her parent belongs.
 (b.) To attend school on Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a Public Fast or Thanksgiving.
 (c.) To attend school on any day fixed for the inspection of the school, or the examination of the scholars therein in respect of religious subjects.

4. In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child between ten and thirteen years of age has reached the fourth standard of education mentioned in the Code of the Education Department in force at the date of such certificate, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school.

5. A child shall not be required to attend school—
 (a) If such child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
 (b) If such child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.
 (c) If there is no Public Elementary School open which such child can attend within two miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

6. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

7. If the parent of any child residing in the district of the School Board satisfies the School Board that the reason his or her child does not attend school is, that he or she is unable from poverty to pay the school fees of such child, the School Board will, in the case of a school provided by the Board, remit, or in the case of any other Public Elementary School selected by the parent, pay the whole or such part of the school fees as, in the opinion of the Board, the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months, provided that the amount of fees hereby undertaken to be remitted or paid shall not exceed the ordinary fee payable at the schools provided by the Board.

8. Every person who shall not observe, or shall neglect or violate, these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding five shillings, including costs, for each offence.

In witness whereof we, the said School Board, have hereunto set our Common Seal, this 24th day of July, 1876.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the said School Board.

Thomas Dutton,
Chairman to the said Board.

H. Claud Lisle,
Clerk to the said Board.



At the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Reading, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the twelfth of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 697:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCXC VII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

BYE-LAWS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF THE
BOROUGH OF READING.

Bye-laws.

AT a Meeting of the School Board of the borough of Reading, holden at the Athenæum, Friar-street, Reading, on Wednesday, the 12th

day of April, 1876, the said Board, in pursuance of the powers given to them by section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, hereby make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

I. The parent of every child not less than five years of age, nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the district of the said parish of Earley, shall cause such child to attend school.

II. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age; provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child during the time or times in which any religious observance is practised, or instruction in religious subjects is given, and that no child shall be required—

- (a.) To attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his or her parent belongs.
- (b.) To attend school on Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a Public Fast or Thanksgiving, or on Saturday after twelve o'clock at noon.
- (c.) To attend school on any day fixed for the inspection of the school, or the examination of the scholars therein, in respect of religious subjects.

III. In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child between ten and thirteen years of age has reached the fifth standard of education mentioned in the New Code of Regulations of the Education Department, with respect to the Parliamentary Grant in force at the date of such certificate, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school, and any such child who has been so certified to have reached the fourth standard of education mentioned in the said Code, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school more than five attendances in each week, each attendance being for the whole time the school shall be open either in the morning or the afternoon.

IV. A child shall not be required to attend school—

- (a.) If such child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (b.) If such child has been prevented from attending school by sickness, or any unavoidable cause.
- (c.) If there is no Public Elementary School which such child can attend within two miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

V. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

VI. If the parent of any child residing within the district of the School Board satisfies the School Board that the reason that his or her child does not attend school is that he or she is unable, from poverty, to pay the school fees of such child, the School Board will remit at their own schools, or pay at any other Public Elementary School, the whole, or such part of the school fees as, in the opinion of the Board, the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months, provided that the amount of fees to be remitted or paid shall not exceed the ordinary payment at the school selected by the parent.

VII. Any person committing a breach of these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall be subject to a

penalty not exceeding two shillings and sixpence for each offence; but no penalty imposed for the breach of any Bye-law shall exceed such a sum as with the costs will amount to five shillings for each offence.

VIII. All Bye-laws heretofore made by the School Board in pursuance of the aforesaid powers are hereby wholly revoked as from the day hereinafter specified in Bye-law IX.

IX. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Order of Her Majesty in Council.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the School Board of the borough of Reading, the 12th day of April, 1876.

J. Henry Wilson, Chairman of the said Board.

Saml. Preston, Clerk to the said Board.



At the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Combs, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the sixth of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 698.

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

DCXCVIII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

Combs, Suffolk.

BYE-LAWS OF THE COMBS SCHOOL BOARD.

Recital of Election of School Board.

WHEREAS, in pursuance of a requisition sent by the Education Department to the Clerk of the Stow Union, a School Board for the district of Combs, in the county of Suffolk, was duly elected on the 15th day of June, 1874.

Now, at a Meeting of the School Board of the said district of Combs, on Wednesday, the 21st day of June, 1876, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of such Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers given to them by the 74th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Definitions in these Bye-laws.

1. The term "Education Department" means the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education.

The term "Her Majesty's Inspectors" means the Inspectors of Schools appointed by Her Majesty on the recommendation of the Education Department.

The term "School Board" or "Board," means the School Board for the district of Combs.

The term "School," means a Public Elementary School as defined by the said Act.

The term "Parent" includes guardian and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of any child.

Terms importing males includes females.

2. It is required that the parent of every child of not less than five years, and not more than thirteen years of age, and residing in the district of the School Board, shall cause such child (unless there is some reasonable excuse) to attend school.

Any of the following reasons shall be a reasonable excuse, viz. :—

- (1.) That the child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (2.) That the child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any other unavoidable cause.
- (3.) That there is no Public Elementary School open which the child can attend within three miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

3. Subject to the provisions contained in these Bye-laws, the time during which every such child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age.

4. (1.) Any child who may be under thirteen years of age, but who is certified by one of Her Majesty's Inspectors to have reached such a standard of education as would enable it to pass in standard 4, as prescribed in the last issue, previous to such certificate, of the Code of Regulations, by the Education Department, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school.

(2.) Any child over ten years of age who is so certified to have reached the third standard of the just-mentioned Code shall be required to make no more than 150 school attendances during the year.

5. Nothing in the present Bye-laws—

(1.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects.

(2.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs, or on Saturday, Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or on any day set apart for a day of Public Feast, Thanksgiving, or Holiday; or

(3.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

6. If the parent of any child satisfies the School Board that the reason that his or her child does not attend school is that he or she is unable from poverty to pay the whole or any part of the school fees of such child, the Board will, at any school provided by the Board, remit the whole or such part of the school fees, as in the opinion of the Board the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period, to be from time to time fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months.

7. Any person committing a breach of these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall be subject to a

penalty not exceeding such a sum as, with costs, will amount to five shillings for each offence.

8. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Her Majesty by Order in Council.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the School Board for Combs, this 6th day of July, 1876.

John Richard Heawood,
Chairman and Clerk.



AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of *October*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Mendham, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the thirtieth of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 699:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is herunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCXCIX.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,
1870 AND 1873.

DISTRICT OF MENDHAM, WITH WITHERSDALE
(CONTRIBUTORY).

BYE-LAWS.

At a Meeting of the School Board for the District of Mendham, with Withersdale (Contributory), on Friday, the 30th June, 1876, at which meeting a quorum of the Members of such Board are present, the said School Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers to them given by the Elementary Education Acts, 1870 and 1873, and subject to the approval of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

I. The parent of every child, as to whom the Board are empowered to make the following Bye-laws, is required to cause such child, being not less than five years nor more than twelve years old, to attend a Public Elementary School, unless there be a reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

II. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects, and that no child shall be required—

(1.) To attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the

religious body to which his or her parent belongs.

(2.) To attend school on Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a Public Fast or National Thanksgiving, or on Saturday.

Any of the following reasons shall be a reasonable excuse for non-attendance; namely:—

(1.) That the child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.

(2.) That the child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.

(3.) That there is no Public Elementary School open which the child can attend, within the distance of three miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

III. Provided always that a child between ten and twelve years old shall not be required to attend school, if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools, that it has reached such a standard of education as would enable it to pass in the fourth standard, as prescribed by the minutes of the Education Department with respect to the Parliamentary Grant in force at the date of such certificate.

IV. Any child of not less than ten years of age, who shows to the satisfaction of the School Board that he or she is beneficially and necessarily at work, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school during the continuance of such work and no longer, provided that such child makes at least 150 attendances in each year between the age of ten and twelve years.

V. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

VI. Every parent who shall not observe, or shall neglect or violate these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall upon conviction be liable to a penalty not exceeding five shillings, including costs, for each offence. Provided that all breaches of these Bye-laws by a parent in one and the same week shall be deemed one offence.

VII. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Order of Her Majesty in Council.



A. H. Brereton, Chairman.

J. Read, Clerk to the Board.

30th June, 1876.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of *October*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Irthington, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the thirty-first of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 700:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of

Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-Laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCC.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

Parish of Irthington, Cumberland.

BYE-LAWS OF THE IRTHINGTON SCHOOL BOARD.

AT a Meeting of the School Board for the parish of Irthington, in the county of Cumberland, duly convened and held at the Board Room, in Irthington, on Friday, the 31st day of March, 1876, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of the Board are present, the said Board, in pursuance of the powers given to them by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Lords of the Privy Council on Education, do hereby make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

1. In these Bye-laws the term "Parent," includes guardian and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of any child. The term "School," means either a Public Elementary School, or any school at which efficient elementary education is given. The term "Board" or "School Board," means the School Board for the parish of Irthington.

2. The parent of every child of not less than five years nor more than thirteen years of age, and residing within the district of the Board, is required to cause such child to attend school, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

3. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Acts, 1870, 1873, and of these Bye-laws, the time during which every such child is required to attend school is the whole time for which the school selected shall be opened for the instruction of children, not being less than twenty-five hours a week, except on Sundays, and except also that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects, or shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which the parent belongs.

4. A child not less than ten years of age, who has obtained from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools, a certificate that he or she has reached a standard equivalent to the fourth standard of the New Code of the Education Department, 1871, and who shows to the satisfaction of the Board that he or she is beneficially and necessarily at work, shall be altogether exempt from obligation to attend school. And any child not less than ten years of age, who has been so certified to have reached the third standard of education mentioned in the said Code, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school more than ten hours in any week.

5. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

6. A child shall not be required to attend school—

I. If such child is under efficient instruction in some other manner;

II. If such child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause;

III. If there be no Public Elementary School which such child can attend within three miles (or in the case of children under seven years of age within two miles), measured according to the nearest road from the residence of such child, the Board still further reserving to itself the power to grant leave of absence on account of distance in the case of young or delicate children upon a request being addressed to the Board by the parent to that effect.

7. Every parent who shall not observe, or shall neglect, or violate, these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall upon conviction be liable to a penalty not exceeding 5s., including costs, for each offence.

In witness whereof we, the School Board for the parish of Irthington, have hereunto set our Common Seal, this 31st day of March, 1876.

Sealed in the presence of



William Dacre, Chairman.

James B. Lee, Clerk of the Board.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of
October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of the United District of Troedyraur, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the eighteenth of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 701:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

*Parishes of Troedyraur, Llangunllo, Bettws Evan,
and Llanfairtreghelgen.*

BYE-LAWS OF THE UNITED DISTRICT OF TROEDYRAUR
SCHOOL BOARD.

BYE-LAWS.

WHEREAS in pursuance of a requisition sent by the Education Department to the Returning Officer of the United District of Troedyraur, in the county of Cardigan, a School Board was duly elected on the 21st day of December, 1874:—

Now at a Meeting of the School Board of the said District, held at the Office of the School Board at Penrhiwpal, in the parish of Troedyraur, on the 18th day of April, 1876, at which meeting a quorum of the members of such Board are

present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the aforesaid powers, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Interpretation of Terms.

1. The term "Education Department" means the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education.

The term "Her Majesty's Inspectors," means the Inspectors of Schools appointed by Her Majesty, on the recommendation of the Education Department.

The term "School Board" means the School Board of the United District of Troedyraur.

The term "School" or "Public Elementary School," means a Public Elementary School as defined by the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

The term "Parent" includes guardian and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of any child; but does not include the mother of a child, when the father is living and residing within the district.

Requiring Parents to Cause Children to attend School.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of every child not less than five years of age, nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the United District of Troedyraur, shall cause such child to attend school.

Determining Time which Children shall attend School. See Sec. 7 (Sub. Sec. 2).

3. The time during which every child shall attend school, shall be the whole time for which the school shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, and no child shall be required:—

- (a) To attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his or her parent belongs.
- (b) To attend school on Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving, or on Saturday after twelve o'clock at noon.
- (c) If the child is ten years of age, and employed in herding cattle or sheep, such child shall be exempted during the five following months of the year, viz.:—May, June, July, August, and September, from the obligation to attend school.

Proviso for Total or Partial Exemption from Attendance, if a Child has reached a certain Standard.

4. In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child between ten and thirteen years of age has reached the fourth standard of education, mentioned in the New Code of Regulations of the Education Department, made on the 7th day of February, 1871, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school.

Specifying Reasonable Excuses for non-Attendance.

5. A child shall not be required to attend school:—

- (a) If such child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (b) If such child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.
- (c) If there is no Public Elementary School which such child can attend within two miles and a half, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

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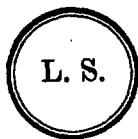
Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

6. Any person committing a breach of these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall be subject to a penalty not exceeding two shillings and sixpence, provided that all breaches of these Bye-laws by a parent in one and the same week, shall be deemed one offence, and that no penalty imposed for the breach of any Bye-laws shall exceed such a sum as, with costs, will amount to five shillings for each offence.

Date on which Bye-laws shall come into operation.

7. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Order in Council.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the School Board of the United District of Troedyraur, the 18th day of April, 1876.



Thomas Davies Lloyd, Chairman.

At the Court at Balmoral, the 23rd day of October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS, the School Board of Southworth-with-Croft, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the fourth of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 702:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

BYE-LAWS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD FOR SOUTHWORTH-WITH-CROFT.

Know all men by these presents, that, at a Meeting of the School Board for Southworth-with-Croft, duly convened and held in their Board Room, on Tuesday, the 4th day of July, 1876, at which meeting a quorum of the members of the Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers to them given by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education; make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Interpretation of Terms.

I. In these Bye-laws, all "terms" used and adopted are to be taken and understood as inter-

preted by the Elementary Education Acts, 1870 and 1873.

Requiring Parents to cause Children to attend School.

II. The parent of every child of not less than five years, nor more than thirteen years of age, and residing in the district of the School Board, is required to cause such child to attend school unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance. The following shall be deemed reasonable excuses:—

Defining reasonable Excuses for non-Attendance.

- (a) That the child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (b) That the child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.
- (c) That there is no Public Elementary School open which the child can attend within the distance of two miles from its residence, measured according to the nearest road from the residence of such child.

Determining Time during which Children shall attend School.

III. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Act and of these Bye-laws, the time during which every such child is required to attend school is the whole time for which the school selected shall be opened for the instruction of children, except on Sundays, and except also that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects, or shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs.

Proviso for total Exemption of Children from attendance, if Child has reached certain Standard.

IV. (1) A child of not less than ten years of age, who has obtained from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools a certificate that he has reached the fifth standard of education as prescribed by the minutes of the Education Department with respect to the Parliamentary grant in force at the date of such certificate, shall be altogether exempt from obligation to attend school; and—

Partial Exemption of Children from Attendance at the discretion of the Board, if over ten.

(2) A child of not less than ten years of age, who shows, to the satisfaction of the Board, that he is beneficially and necessarily at work, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school during the whole time for which the school shall be opened as aforesaid, but every such child is required to attend school for at least ten hours in every week in which the school is opened as aforesaid, and in computing for the purpose of this section the time during which a child has attended any school, there shall not be included any time during which such child has attended either—

- (a) In excess of three hours at any one time, or in excess of five hours on any one day, or—
- (b) On Sundays.

As to Acts for Regulating the Education of Children employed in Labour.

V. Nothing in the present Bye-Laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Providing for the Remission or Payment of School Fees in case of poverty.

VI. If the parent of any child residing in the district of the School Board satisfies the School Board that the reason why his or her child does not attend school is, that he or she is unable, from poverty, to pay the whole or part of the school fees of such child, the School Board, in the case of a school provided by the Board, will remit, and in the case of any other Public Elementary School will pay, the whole or such part of the fees as, in the opinion of the Board, the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months, provided that the amount of fees hereby undertaken to be remitted or paid shall not exceed the ordinary payment at the school selected by the parent for children of similar age; but in no case shall the amount hereby undertaken so to be paid or remitted exceed threepence per week for any one child.

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

VII. Every parent who shall neglect or not observe these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding five shillings, including costs, for each offence; provided always that no person shall be liable to be convicted more than once in respect of acts of such negligence or non-observance occurring in one and the same week.

In witness whereof, we, the School Board for Southworth-with-Croft, have hereunto set our Common Seal this 4th day of July, 1876.

Sealed in the presence of



Archibald Crawford, Chairman.

T. P. Kirkman, Clerk of the Board.

AT the Court at Balmoral, the 23rd day of October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Southwick, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the sixteenth of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 703:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCIII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

BYE-LAWS OF THE SOUTHWICK SCHOOL BOARD.

WHEREAS in pursuance of a requisition sent by the Education Department to the Clerk to the

Guardians of Steyning Union, in the county of Sussex, a School Board for the parish of Southwick was duly elected on the 3rd day of July, 1874.

Now, at a Meeting of the Southwick School Board, held at the Board Room, Southwick, on Friday, the 16th day of June, 1876, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers given to them by the Elementary Education Act, 1870 (and subject to the approval of the Education Department) make the following Bye-Laws.

PRELIMINARY.

In these Bye-laws the terms defined in the 3rd section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, have the same meaning as in the Act itself.

BYE-LAWS.

1. The parent of any child of not less than five years nor more than thirteen years of age, and residing in the district of the School Board, shall cause such child (unless there is some reasonable excuse) to attend school.

Any of the following reasons shall be a reasonable excuse, namely:—

- (1) That the child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (2) That the child has been prevented from attending school by sickness, or any unavoidable cause, or any cause which the Board shall deem satisfactory.
- (3) That there is no Public Elementary School open which the child can attend, within two miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

2. Provided always that any child between ten and thirteen years of age, concerning whom one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools certifies that such child has reached the fifth standard as prescribed by the Minutes of the Education Department in force at the date of such certificate with respect to the Parliamentary grant, shall be wholly exempted from the obligation to attend school. And any such child between the said ages who is so certified as having reached the third standard so prescribed shall be exempted for one-half of the school time in each week.

3. The time during which the children are so to attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be opened as a day-school for the instruction of children. Provided that these Bye-laws shall not prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects, or shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs, or shall be of any force or effect in so far as they may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

4. The penalty on any parent for every breach of these Bye-laws, shall be a sum not exceeding, with the costs, five shillings, but no person shall be liable to a conviction oftener than once a week.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the Board this 16th day of June, 1876.

Hugh Gorringe, Chairman of the
Southwick School Board.
Thos. Hardy, Clerk of the said
Board.



At the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of the United District of Longtown, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the second of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 704:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

DCCIV.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870

BYE-LAWS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD FOR THE UNITED
DISTRICT OF LONGTOWN.

At a Meeting of the School Board for the United District of Longtown, held in Longtown School Room, on Friday, the 2nd day of June, 1876, the said Board, in pursuance of the powers given to them by section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education, hereby make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

1. The parent of every child of not less than five years nor more than thirteen years of age, and residing within the district of the School Board, is required to cause such child to attend school, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

2. Any of the following causes shall be a reasonable excuse, viz.:—

- (a.) That the child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (b.) That the child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.
- (c.) That there is no Public Elementary School open which the child can attend within three miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.
- (d.) That the child, being not less than ten years of age, has obtained from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools a certificate that he or she has reached a standard equivalent to the third standard of the Government New Code of 1875.

3. A child of not less than ten years of age who shows to the satisfaction of the said School Board, that he or she is beneficially and necessarily at work, shall be exempt from obligation to attend school during the whole time for which the school selected shall be opened, but every such child shall be required to attend school for at least 150 days in one year.

4. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age; provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child during the time or times in which any religious observance is practised, or instruction in religious subjects is given, and that no child shall be required—

- (a.) To attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his or her parent belongs.
- (b.) To attend school on Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving.
- (c.) To attend school on any day fixed for the inspection of the school or the examination of the scholars therein in respect of religious subjects.

5. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

6. When the parent of any child satisfies the said School Board that he or she is unable, from poverty, to pay the whole or any part of the school fees of such child, the Board will, at any school provided by the Board, remit the whole or such part of the fees as, in the opinion of the Board, the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months.

7. Every parent who shall not observe or shall neglect or violate these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding five shillings, including costs, for each offence.

8. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Her Majesty by Order in Council.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the said School Board for the United District of Longtown.



H. H. Wood, Chairman.

Thomas Llanwarne, Clerk.

2nd June, 1876.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of *October*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of the United District of Wrenbury-with-Frith, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the eighteenth of August, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 705:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCV.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,
1870 AND 1873.

BYE-LAWS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF THE UNITED DISTRICT OF WRENBURY-WITH-FRITH, WITH NEWHALL (CONTRIBUTORY.)

At a Meeting of the School Board for the United District of Wrenbury-with-Frith, with Newhall (Contributory), in the county of Chester, held at the Salamanca Hotel, in Wrenbury, on Friday, the 26th day of May, 1876; at which Meeting, a quorum of the Members of the Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers to them given by the Elementary Education Acts, 1870 and 1873, and subject to the approval of the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

1. In these Bye-laws the term "School" means either a Public Elementary School, or any other school at which efficient elementary instruction is given. The term "Public Elementary School," means a school or department of a school at which elementary education is the principal part of the education given, and at which the ordinary payments in respect of instruction do not exceed ninepence a week, and which is conducted in accordance with the regulations contained in the 7th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

The term "Board" or "School Board" means the School Board for the United District of Wrenbury-with-Frith, with Newhall (Contributory).

The term "Parent," includes guardian, and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of any child.

The term "District" means the entire district of the School Board for which the said Board are empowered to make Bye-laws under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

2. The parent of every child residing in the district, and not less than five years, nor more than thirteen years of age, is required to cause such child to attend school, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

3. The time during which every child is required to attend school, shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance, or instruction in religious subjects, and that no child shall be required—

- (a.) To attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his or her parent belongs.
- (b.) To attend school on Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a Public Fast or Thanksgiving.
- (c.) To attend school on any day fixed for the inspection of the school, or the examination of the scholars therein in respect of religious subjects.

4. In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child between ten and thirteen years of age has reached the fourth standard of education mentioned in the Code of the Education Department in force at the date of such certificate, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school.

5. A child shall not be required to attend school—

- (a.) If such child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
 (b.) If such child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.
 (c.) If there is no Public Elementary School open which such child can attend within two miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

6. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

7. If the parent of any child residing in the district has been required by the Board, by notice, to cause his or her child to attend school under these Bye-laws, and satisfies the School Board that the reason his or her child does not attend school is that he or she is unable from poverty to pay the school fees of such child, the School Board will, in the case of a school provided by the Board, remit, or in the case of any other Public Elementary School selected by the parent, pay the whole or such part of the school fees as, in the opinion of the Board, the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months, provided that the amount of fees hereby undertaken to be remitted or paid shall not exceed the ordinary fee payable at the schools provided by the Board.

8. Every person who shall not observe, or shall neglect or violate these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding five shillings, including costs, for each offence.

In witness whereof we, the said School Board have hereunto set our Common Seal this 18th day of August, 1876.

Henry Manley, Chairman of the said Board.

H. Claud Lisle, Clerk to the said Board.

L. S.

At the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of the United District of Cheriton Fitzpaine and Stockleigh English, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the second of August, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 706:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-Laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCVI.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

BYE-LAWS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD FOR THE UNITED SCHOOL DISTRICT OF CHERITON FITZPAINE AND STOCKLEIGH ENGLISH, IN THE COUNTY OF DEVON.

At a Meeting of the School Board for the United School District of Cheriton Fitzpaine and Stockleigh English, in the county of Devon, duly convened and held at the Board Room, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of August, 1876, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of the Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers to them given by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

First.—The parent or guardian of every child not less than five years of age, nor more than thirteen years of age, and residing in the district of the School Board, is required to cause such child to attend school, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance. Any of the following shall be held a reasonable excuse:—

- (a.) If such child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
 (b.) If such child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.
 (c.) If there be no Public Elementary School which such child can attend, within three miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of the child.

Second.—Any child between ten and thirteen years of age, who has been certified by one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools to have reached a standard of education equivalent to the third standard, as prescribed by the Minutes of the Education Department, with respect to the Parliamentary Grant in force at the date of such certificate, shall be altogether exempt from the obligation under these Bye-laws to attend School.

Third.—Any child of not less than ten years of age, who shows to the satisfaction of the Board that he or she is beneficially and necessarily at work, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school upon producing to the Board a certificate from the master of any Public Elementary School, that such child has completed one hundred attendances at such school since the 1st day of November or the 1st day of May, whichever day shall last have happened previous to the date of such certificate, and such exemption shall continue until the 1st day of May or the 1st day of November, which shall first follow the date of such certificate, and no longer.

Fourth.—Every child shall attend school during the whole of the time the school, selected by the parent or guardian of such child, is open for the instruction of children; provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance, or instruction in religious subjects, or require any child to attend school on any Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or Saturday, or on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which the parent or guardian of such child belongs.

Fifth.—Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for

regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Sixth.—Any person convicted of a breach of these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five Shillings, inclusive of cost, for each offence.

Seventh.—These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Her Majesty by Order in Council.

W. H. Arundell, Chairman.

John Wotton, Clerk.

L. S.

Dated August 2nd, 1876.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of *October*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of the United District of Whitley and Eggborough, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the thirty-first of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 707 :

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. I. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCVII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,
1870-73.

Townships of Whitley and Eggborough.

BYE-LAWS OF THE WHITLEY AND EGGBOROUGH
UNITED DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD.

Recital of Election of School Board.

WHEREAS, in pursuance of a precept sent by the Education Department to the Clerk of the Pontefract Union, which comprises the townships of Whitley and Eggborough, in the county of York, a School Board for the said townships was duly elected on the 31st day of December, 1874.

Now, at a Meeting of the School Board for the United District of Whitley and Eggborough, held at the chairman's office, in the township of Eggborough aforesaid, on Wednesday, the 31st day of May, 1876, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of such Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers given to them by section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws.

Interpretation of Terms.

I. The term "Education Department" means the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council

on Education. The term "Her Majesty's Inspectors," means the Inspectors of Schools appointed by Her Majesty on the recommendation of the Education Department. The term "Townships of Whitley and Eggborough," means the districts comprising the said townships of Whitley and Eggborough. The term "School Board," or "Board," means the School Board of the townships of Whitley and Eggborough. The term "School," or "Public Elementary School," means a Public Elementary School, as defined by the said Act of 1870, and includes a Free School, but not an Industrial School. The term "Parent," includes guardian and every person who is liable to maintain, or has the actual custody of any child.

II. The parent of every child of not less than five years of age nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the said townships of Whitley and Eggborough, shall cause such child to attend school, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

III. The time during which every child shall attend school, shall be the whole time for which the school shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child during the time or times in which any religious observance is practised, or instruction in religious subjects is given, and that no child shall be required—

- (a.) To attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his or her parent belongs.
- (b.) To attend school on Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving, or on Saturday after twelve o'clock at noon.
- (c.) To attend school on any day fixed for the inspection of the school, or the examination of the scholars therein, in respect of religious subjects.

Reasonable Excuses for non-Attendance.

IV. A child shall not be required to attend school—

- (a.) If such child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (b.) If such child be prevented from attending school by sickness, or any unavoidable cause.
- (c.) If there be no Public Elementary School which such child can attend within two miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

V. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Proviso for Total or Partial Exemption from Attendance if Child has reached a certain Standard.

VI. In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child between ten and thirteen years of age, has reached the fifth standard of the Code of the Education Department in force at the date of such certificate, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school, and any child who has been so certified to have passed the fourth standard of education mentioned in the Code of the Education Department in force at the date of such certificate, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school more than fifteen hours in any one week.

Providing for Remission or Payment of School Fees in case of Poverty.

VII. If the parent of any child residing in the district of the Board satisfies the School Board that the reason his or her child does not attend school, is that he or she is unable from poverty to pay the school fees of such child, the School Board, in case of a school provided by the Board, will remit, and in case of any other Public Elementary School, the Board will pay, the whole or such part of the fees as, in the opinion of the Board, the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months.

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

VIII. Any person committing a breach of these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall be subject to a penalty of not exceeding two shillings and sixpence, and no penalty imposed for the breach of any Bye-law shall exceed such a sum as, with the costs, will amount to five shillings for each offence.

Date on which Bye-laws shall come into operation.

IX. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Her Majesty by Order in Council.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the School Board for the United District of Whitley and Eggborough, this 31st day of May, 1876.



Sealed in the presence of—

John Croysdale, Chairman of the Board.
Edwin Lawson, Clerk of the Board.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of *October*, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Mitcham, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the fifth of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 708 :

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCVIII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT
1870.

BYE-LAWS OF THE MITCHAM SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHOOL BOARD.

Made in pursuance of Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870,

Preliminary.

In these Bye-laws:—

The term "Education Department" means "The

Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education."

The term "Her Majesty's Inspectors" means The Inspectors of Schools appointed by Her Majesty on the recommendation of the Education Department.

The term "Mitcham School District" means the Parish of Mitcham.

The terms importing males in these Bye-laws include females.

The term "School Board" or "Board" means the School Board of the Mitcham School District.

The term "School" or "Public Elementary School" means a Public Elementary School as defined by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and includes a Free School, but not an Industrial School.

The term "Parent" includes Guardian, and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of any child, but does not include the mother of a child when the father is living, and is residing within the parish.

BYE-LAWS.

I. The parent of every child residing within the Mitcham School District shall cause such child, being not less than five nor more than thirteen years old, to attend a Public Elementary School, unless there be a reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

The following shall be deemed reasonable excuses:—

- (a.) That such child is otherwise under efficient instruction.
- (b.) That such child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or some unavoidable cause.
- (c.) That there is no Public Elementary School which such child can attend within two miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.
- (d.) That such child, having attained the age of ten years, has reached such a standard of education as would enable it to pass a public examination according to the fifth standard of the Code of the Education Department in force at the time, and has obtained a certificate to that effect from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools.

II. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children; provided that nothing contained in these Bye-laws shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects, or shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs, or shall be of any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

III. If the parent of any child residing in the district of the Board satisfies the School Board that the reason that his or her child does not attend school, is that he or she is unable, from poverty, to pay the school fees of such child, the School Board, in the case of a school provided by the Board, will remit, and in the case of any other school will pay, the whole or such part of the fees as, in the opinion of the Board, the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months, provided that the amount of fees hereby undertaken to be remitted or paid shall not exceed

either the ordinary payment at the school selected by the parent, or the following scale :—

Boys' Schools	... ..	3d. per week.
Girls' Schools	... ..	3d. "
Mixed Schools	... ..	3d. "
Infants' Schools, and all Children under six years of age		2d. "

IV. Every parent who shall neglect, or not observe, these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding five shillings, including costs, for each offence; provided always, that no person shall be liable to be convicted more than once in respect of acts of such negligence or non-observance occurring in one and the same week.

V. All Bye-laws heretofore made by the School Board in pursuance of Sec. 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, are hereby wholly revoked as from the day upon which the present Bye-laws shall come into operation.

Sealed with the Corporate Seal of the School Board of the parish of Mitcham, this 5th day of June, 1876.



James Bridger, Chairman.
Wm. R. Harwood, Clerk.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Newport (Essex), appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the thirtieth of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 709:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCIX.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,
1870 AND 1873.

BYE-LAWS OF THE NEWPORT (ESSEX) SCHOOL BOARD.

At a Meeting of the Members of the Newport (Essex) School Board, held at the office of the said Board, in the parish of Newport (Essex), on the 30th day of June, 1876, at which meeting a quorum of the Members of the Board is present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers given to them by the Elementary Education Acts of 1870 and 1873, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

1. The parent of every child not less than five years of age nor more than thirteen years of age,

and residing within the district of the School Board, shall cause such child to attend school, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

Any of the following reasons shall be a reasonable excuse, namely:—

- (1.) That the child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (2.) That the child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.
- (3.) That there is no Public Elementary School open which the child can attend within $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

2. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age; provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child during the time or times in which any religious observance is practised or instruction in religious subjects is given, and that no child shall be required

- (a.) To attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his or her parent belongs.
- (b.) To attend school on Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a Public Fast or Thanksgiving, or on Saturday.
- (c.) To attend school on any day fixed for the inspection of the school or the examination of the scholars therein, in respect of religious subjects.

3. In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child between ten and thirteen years of age has reached the fourth standard of education mentioned in the New Code of Regulations of the Education Department, dated the 7th day of March, 1876, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school.

4. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

5. Every parent who shall not observe, or shall neglect or violate these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five shillings, including costs, for each offence.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the School Board for the parish of Newport (Essex), this 30th day of June, 1876.

Chas. K. Probert, Chairman.

W. H. Wells, Clerk.



AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Earley, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the twenty-fourth of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 710:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCX.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

BYE-LAWS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF THE PARISH
OF EARLEY.

At a Meeting of the School Board of the parish of Earley, in the county of Berks, holden at the Athenæum, Friar-street, Reading, on Wednesday, the 24th day of May, 1876, the said Board, in pursuance of the powers given to them by section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, hereby make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

I. The parent of every child not less than five years of age, nor more than thirteen years of age residing within the district of the said parish of Earley, shall cause such child to attend school.

II. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child during the time or times in which any religious observance is practised, or instruction in religious subjects is given, and that no child shall be required—

- (a.) To attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his or her parent belongs.
- (b.) To attend school on Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a Public Fast or Thanksgiving, or on Saturday after twelve o'clock at noon.
- (c.) To attend school on any day fixed for the inspection of the school, or the examination of the scholars therein, in respect of religious subjects.

III. In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child between ten and thirteen years of age has reached the fifth standard of education mentioned in the New Code of Regulations of the Education Department, with respect to the Parliamentary Grant in force at the date of such certificate, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school, and any such child who has been so certified to have reached the fourth standard of education mentioned in the said Code, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school more than five attendances in each week, each attendance being for the whole time the school shall be open either in the morning or the afternoon.

IV. A child shall not be required to attend school—

- (a.) If such child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (b.) If such child has been prevented from attending school by sickness, or any unavoidable cause,

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(c.) If there is no Public Elementary School which such child can attend within two miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

V. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

VI. If the parent of any child residing within the district of the School Board satisfies the School Board that the reason that his or her child does not attend school is that he or she is unable, from poverty, to pay the school fees of such child, the School Board will remit at their own schools, or pay at any other Public Elementary School, the whole, or such part of the school fees as, in the opinion of the Board, the parent is unable to pay for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Boards not exceeding six calendar months, provided that the amount of fees to be remitted or paid shall not exceed the ordinary payment at the school selected by the parent.

VII. Any person committing a breach of these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall be subject to a penalty not exceeding two shillings and sixpence for each offence; but no penalty imposed for the breach of any Bye-law shall exceed such a sum as with the costs will amount to five shillings for each offence.

VIII. All Bye-laws heretofore made by the School Board in pursuance of the aforesaid powers are hereby wholly revoked as from the day hereinafter specified in Bye-law IX.

IX. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Order of Her Majesty in Council.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the School Board of the parish of Earley, the 24th day of May, 1876.

Thos. Porter, Chairman of
the said Board.

Sam. Preston, Clerk to the
said Board.



At the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of
October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Hundon, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the twenty-seventh of June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 711:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCXI.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

Parish of Hundon.

BYE-LAWS OF THE HUNDON SCHOOL BOARD.

Preamble.

At a Meeting of the School Board for Hundon, duly convened and held at the Clerk's Office, Hundon, on the 27th June, 1876, at which Meeting a quorum of the Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers to them given by "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," and subject to the approval of the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Interpretation of Terms.

1. In these Bye-laws—The term "School," or "Public Elementary School," means a Public Elementary School as defined by the said Act, and includes a Free School, but not an Industrial School. The term "Parent" includes guardian and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of a child. The term "Board," or "School Board," means the School Board for Hundon.

2. The parent of every child, not less than five years of age, nor more than twelve years of age, residing within the district of the said Board, shall cause such child to attend school unless there is some reasonable excuse for non-attendance. Any of the following reasons shall be a reasonable excuse, namely:—

- (1.) That the child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (2.) That the child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.
- (3.) That there is no Public Elementary School open which the child can attend within three miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

3. *Determining Time during which Children shall attend School.*

The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child during the time or times in which any religious observance is practised, or instruction in religious subjects is given, and that no child shall be required—

- (a.) To attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his or her parent belongs.
- (b.) To attend school on Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving.
- (c.) To attend school on any day fixed for the inspection of the school or the examination of the scholars therein, in respect of religious subjects.

4. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

5. *Proviso for Total or Partial Exemption of a Child from attending School.*

- (1.) A child of not less than ten years of age, who has obtained from one of Her Majesty's

Inspectors of Schools a certificate that he or she has reached a standard of education equivalent to the fifth standard, as prescribed by the Minutes of the Education Department, with respect to the Parliamentary Grant in force at the date of such certificate, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school.

- (2.) A child of not less than ten years of age who shows to the satisfaction of the Board that he or she is beneficially and necessarily at work, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school during the whole time for which the school shall be opened as aforesaid; but every such child is required to attend for at least 150 times in twelve consecutive months.

6. Every person who shall commit a breach of these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding five shillings, including costs, for each offence.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the School Board for the parish of Hundon, this 27th day of June, 1876.



Sealed in the presence of
Charles Deeks, Chairman.
Robert Gibbons, Secretary.

At the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of October, 1876.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Lampeter-Pont-Stephen, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, bearing date the nineteenth of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, numbered 712:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Act have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty having taken the said Bye-laws (copy whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCXII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

BYE-LAWS OF THE LAMPETER-PONT-STEPHEN
SCHOOL BOARD.

Recital of Election of School Board.

WHEREAS, in pursuance of a requisition sent by the Education Department to the Clerk to the Guardians of the Lampeter Union, in the counties of Cardigan and Carmarthen, a School Board for the district of the parish of Lampeter-Pont-Stephen, in the county of Cardigan, was duly elected on the 28th day of June, 1875.

Now, at a Meeting of the School Board of the said parish of Lampeter-Pont-Stephen, held at Lampeter, in the said parish of Lampeter-Pont-Stephen, on Wednesday, the 19th day of July, 1876, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of the Board are present, the said Board do hereby in pursuance of the powers given to them by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Interpretation of Terms.

1. In these Bye-laws:—

The term "Education Department" means the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education.

The term "Her Majesty's Inspectors" means the Inspectors of Schools appointed by Her Majesty on the recommendation of the Education Department.

1. The term "School Board," or "Board," means the School Board of the parish of Lampeter-Pont-Stephen.

The term "School," means either a Public Elementary School, or any other school at which elementary education is the principal part of the education there given, and does not include any school, or department of a school, at which the ordinary payments, in respect of the instruction from each scholar, exceeds nine pence a week.

The term "Parent" includes guardian, and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of any child, but does not include the mother of a child when the father is living and is residing within the said parish.

Requiring Parents to cause Children to attend School.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of every child not less than five years of age, nor more than thirteen years of age, and residing within the parish of Lampeter-Pont-Stephen, shall cause such child to attend school, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

Defining Reasonable Excuse for non-Attendance.

3. Any of the following reasons shall be deemed a reasonable excuse for non-attendance:—

- (a.) That the child is under efficient instruction in some other manner.
- (b.) That the child has been prevented from attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.
- (c.) That there is no Public Elementary School open which such child can attend within the following distances, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child, viz.:—One mile if the child is between five and six years of age: one and a half mile if the child is between six and seven years of age: two miles if the child is between seven and nine years of age: and three miles if the child is over nine years of age.

Determining Time during which Children shall Attend School.

4. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age; provided that nothing herein contained, shall prevent the withdrawal of any child during the time or times in which any religious observance is practised, or

instruction in religious subjects is given, and that no child shall be required—

- (a.) To attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his or her parent belongs.
- (b.) To attend school on Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving, or on Saturday after twelve o'clock at noon.
- (c.) To attend school on any day fixed for the inspection of the school, or the examination of the scholars therein, in respect of religious subjects.

Providing for Total or Partial Exemption from Attendance if Child has reached certain Standard.

5. A child between ten and thirteen years of age, who has been certified by one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools, to have reached the fifth standard of education, as prescribed by the Minutes of the Education Department, with respect to the Parliamentary Grant in force at the date of such certificate, shall be wholly exempt from the obligation to attend school; and any such child who has been so certified to have reached the fourth standard of education, as prescribed by the said Minutes, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school more than fifteen hours in any one week.

6. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Providing for remission of School Fees in case of Poverty.

7. When the parent of any child not attending school proves to the satisfaction of the School Board that he or she is unable from poverty to pay the whole or some part of the school fees of such child, the School Board, in case of a school provided by the Board, will remit the whole or such part of the fees as in the opinion of the Board the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months.

Penalty for Breach of the Bye-laws.

8. Any parent committing a breach of these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall be subject upon conviction to a penalty not exceeding two shillings and sixpence, provided that all breaches of these Bye-laws by a parent in one and the same week shall be deemed one offence, and that no penalty imposed for the breach of any Bye-laws shall exceed such sum as, with the costs, will amount to five shillings for each offence.

Date on which the Bye-laws shall come into operation.

9. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Her Majesty by Order in Council.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the School Board of the parish of Lampeter-Pont-Stephen, on the 19th day of July, 1876, in the presence of—



Lle. Llewellyn, Chairman.

Thomas Lloyd, Clerk.

Foreign Office, October 26, 1876.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Gerard Francis Gould, Esq., now Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Stockholm, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Lisbon.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Robert Grant Watson, Esq., now Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Lisbon, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Stockholm.

(H. 7548.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, October 27, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Notice issued by the Portuguese Government declaring the ports of French Guiana free from yellow fever since the 7th August last.

(H. 7508.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, October 30, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs copies of Notices issued by the Spanish Government declaring the port of Pernambuco free from yellow fever since the 1st of August last; and the ports of New York and New Orleans infected with the same disease since the 10th September last.

(H. 7590.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, October 30, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at the Hague stating that in consequence of the prevalence of yellow fever at Charlestown and Savannah, all arrivals from thence will be subjected to quarantine.

(S. & C. 1909.)

*Board of Trade, 1, Whitehall,
October 30, 1876.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs the following translation of the Amended Spanish Customs Regulations concerning tobacco in transit:—

Appendix No. 20 of the Customs Ordinances.

ART. VI. The transit of tobacco of all classes coming from abroad and from the Spanish Colonial Provinces and destined for foreign ports, shall solely be permitted under the following conditions:—

1st. That it be carried in steamers, without restriction as to flag.

2nd. That they must measure at least 300 tons.

3rd. That the masters shall have the packages of tobacco inserted in their manifests countersigned by the Spanish Consul at the port of lading, or by the Administrator of Customs in the Spanish Colonial Provinces.

4th. That therein shall be specified the number of packages, their description, marks, numeration, gross weight and class of the tobacco, name of the shipper and place of destination; and bond shall be given at the first Custom-house touched at, to prove the landing of the same at the port of destination by a certificate from the Spanish Consul.

5th. That the bond shall be at the rate of 14 pesetas (11s. 8d.) for each kilogramme of tobacco, whatever may be the description and effective value thereof (5s. 3½d. per English pound.)

6th. That the port of her destination must not be that from which the ship comes, nor any one of those she may have touched at during the voyage.

7th. That on the outer coverings there shall be marked the gross weight of each package, which in no instance shall be less than 46 kilogrammes (101·42 English lbs.,) and the port of destination.

8th. That all the packages shall be placed in the ship's hold with the requisite separation, so that they can be easily examined by the Custom-house Officers at the ports of transit, in order to satisfy themselves of their existence on board.

9th. All tobacco which may be presented as in transit at a qualified port, in sailing vessels of any burthen whatsoever, or in steamers measuring less than 300 metrical tons, shall be confiscated, even though it may be found entered on the manifests; and besides, a fine of from double to quadruple the amount of the tariff duty shall be exacted from the masters.

For failure to comply with the requirements prescribed by the 4th, 6th, 7th, and 8th conditions of this article, a fine of from 100 to 5000 pesetas (£4 3s. 4d. to £208 6s. 8d.) will be exacted from them. This penalty is not to exempt them from the obligation of presenting the packages for examination by the Custom-house, for, in default thereof, they shall be treated as defrauders.

For omitting to report the tobacco in transit, or for not having it inserted in the countersigned manifests, the shipmasters shall be visited with the penalties imposable under Article the 9th and the general legislation, as the case may be.

ART. IX. Tobacco of every description whatsoever shall be confiscated, and the master, consignee, or owner of the ship shall furthermore pay a fine of from one to four times the amount of the tariff duties, in the following cases:—

1st. When tobacco is found on board which has not been entered in the manifest and in the note of ship's stores.

2nd. When the extra quantity of tobacco belonging to the ship's stores has been re-embarked in accordance with the second paragraph of Article the 5th, and is not found to be on board at the time of the vessel's departure.

3rd. When tobacco manifested in transit is not to be found on board.

4th. When tobacco is seized on board of coasting, fishing, or other vessels moored in port.

5th. When tobacco seized in lighters on the water, or in any other place within the port, is proved to have come from a specific ship.

The duties which shall be exacted as a fine or penalty in these cases or in any other in which part of the penalty shall consist of the exaction of the duties, shall be fixed by applying the corresponding article of the tariff under this type.

1st. The specification to be made of the class of the tobacco.

2nd. In conformity with this classification the duty corresponding to a direct or indirect importation shall be applied, according to the place from whence the vessel came on board of which the seizure may have been effected.

ART. V. The master of a ship may carry for his consumption on board, 3 kilogrammes (6·61 English lbs.,) of any description of manufactured tobacco, and one kilogramme (2·2 lbs.,) for the use of each individual of his crew, which quantities should be included in the note or list of the ship's stores, according to Article 47 of the Ordinances, and shall be kept on board until the departure of the vessel. Upon the quantity which may then be found to be short, he shall pay the tariff duties.

If the master carries as much as 3 kilogrammes (or 6.61 English lbs.) of tobacco per individual, reporting the same as extra stores, the whole shall be deposited in the Custom-house, to be returned to him at the time of his departure, against a receipt to be signed by the said master or his chief officer on board, upon which document the revenue guards must attest the fact of the re-shipment, in order to annex it to the respective manifest.

If the master carries manufactured tobacco in greater quantity than at the rate of 3 kilogrammes (6.61 English lbs.) per individual, no matter under what head he may have reported it, a Custom-house entry must be passed for it, and the tariff duties must be paid thereon at the first port if qualified for this commerce, and if not, at the nearest one so qualified, unless it has been manifested in transit, fulfilling the requirements prescribed in the 127th Article of the Ordinances and the 6th of this Appendix.

If the master should touch at various Spanish ports, he is bound to present the tobacco in all of them, in order to have it compared with the certified store list furnished to him at the first port, and to pay the tariff duties upon the quantities which in each of them may be found deficient.

The following is a translation of Art. 127 of the Spanish Customs Ordinances referred to above:—

The transit of merchandise touching at Spanish ports without entering into Spanish territory, shall be permitted under the following conditions:—

1st. That the vessel carrying the transit goods shall measure at least one hundred and twenty metrical tons.

2nd. That the master shall report in his manifest the goods he carries in transit in the same form as those destined for immediate local discharge.

3rd. That the port to which the transit goods are bound, must not be the same one where they were shipped, nor any of those at which the vessel may have previously touched.

Goods of the class termed prohibited shall not be carried in transit.

Neither shall the transit of woven goods or clothes be permitted except in steamers which measure at least 300 metrical tons, and in sailing vessels, which, measuring the same tonnage, may arrive at Spanish ports to complete their loading bound to America or Asia. The master shall report in his manifest the packages of woven goods and clothes which he is conveying in transit, and if in the Custom-house of the last Spanish port at which he may touch, or within the fiscal maritime zone, it may be proved that any of the said packages are wanting, he shall suffer the penalties prescribed against defrauders.

Admiralty, 28th October, 1876.

Navigating Lieutenant Edward Leah has been transferred to the list of Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of the 13th instant.

War Office, Pall Mall,
31st October, 1876.

MEMORANDUM.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of the following Regiments being permitted to bear the word "Ashantee" on their

Colours in commemoration of their Services during the Ashantee Expedition of 1873-74:—

- 23rd (Royal Welsh Fusiliers) Regiment,
- 42nd (Royal Highland—The Black Watch) Regiment,
- 1st West India Regiment,
- 2nd West India Regiment, and of
- The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own) being permitted to bear this distinction on the plates of their Pouch Belts.

STAFF.

Lieutenant-General Sir Charles Henry Ellice, K.C.B., to be Adjutant-General to the Forces, vice General Sir Richard Airey, G.C.B., whose period of Service in that appointment has expired. Dated 1st November, 1876.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Wesleyan Reform Chapel, situate at Southgate-in-Elland, in the parish of Halifax, in the county of York, in the district of Halifax, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 29th day of September last, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 10th day of October, 1876.

Chas. Barstow, Superintendent Registrar.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the General Sewage and Manure Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Master of the Rolls has fixed Thursday, the 9th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon, at his chambers, in the Roll's-yard, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, as the time and place for the appointment of an Official Liquidator of the above-named Company.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

COTTON STATISTICS' ACT, 1868.

RETURN of the Quantities of COTTON Imported and Exported at the various Ports of the United Kingdom during the Week ended 26th October, 1876.

	Imports.	Exports.
	Bales.	Bales.
American	15,849	3,878
Brazilian	2,438	...
East Indian	19,315	9,016
Egyptian	9,212	303
Miscellaneous	892	89
Total	47,706	13,286

Dated 27th October, 1876.

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

THE CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1869.

RETURN of the NUMBER of PLACES in GREAT BRITAIN upon which Contagious or Infectious Disease (except Sheep-Scab) has been reported to have existed during the Week ended October 21st, 1876, with particulars relating thereto.

I. CATTLE-PLAGUE.

NIL.

II. PLEURO-PNEUMONIA.

	Farms or other Places.			Healthy Cattle on infected Premises.		Cattle Attacked.		Diseased Cattle.				Cases which existed in previous Weeks not reported until this Week.	
	Number reported upon this Week which have been previously reported upon.	Number upon which Fresh Outbreaks have been reported to have taken place during the Week.	Total Number reported upon during the Week.	Slaughtered.	Removed.	Remaining diseased from the previous Week.	Attacked during the Week.	Killed.	Died.	Recovered.	Remaining.	Fresh Outbreaks.	Cattle Attacked.
ENGLAND.													
COUNTY.*													
Cambridge (ex. Liberty of Isle of Ely)	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Chester	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cumberland	3	...	3	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Derby	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Durham ... ..	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Essex	16	8	24	...	...	3	19	21	1	...	...	...	...
Hants	1	...	1	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
Huntingdon ... ..	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Kent (ex. Metropolis)	5	...	5	...	...	...	6	6	...	...	...	...	...
Lancaster	1	2	3	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...
Leicester	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Middlesex (ex. Metropolis)	3	...	3	...	...	...	11	11	...	...	...	...	...
Norfolk	10	2	12	...	...	...	18	18	...	...	...	...	...
Northampton (ex. Soke of Peterboro')	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Northumberland	1	...	1	...	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Salop	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Suffolk	...	...	4	...	4	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...
Surrey (ex. Metropolis)	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...
Sussex	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1
York, North Riding	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
" West "	...	...	2	3	5	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...
Soke of Peterborough	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
The Metropolis	...	...	4	2	6	...	...	1	7	8	...	...	...	1	1
WALES.															
COUNTY.*															
Denbigh	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Flint	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
SCOTLAND.															
COUNTY.*															
Aberdeen	...	...	5	1	6	3	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Ayr	...	...	1	...	1	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Berwick	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Edinburgh	...	...	9	4	13	1	...	2	8	10	...	...	...	...	...
Fife	...	...	5	2	7	1	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...
Forfar	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Haddington	...	...	1	...	1	14	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...
Kincardine	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...
Kinross	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lanark	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...
Perth	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...
Renfrew	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	2	3	3	...	...	2	...	...
TOTAL	...	...	92	33	125	19	13	12	103	112	1	...	2	2	3

III. SHEEP-POX.

NIL.

IV. SHEEP-SCAB.

Returns of Sheep-Scab are only published monthly.

V. GLANDERS.

	Farms or other Places.			Healthy Horses on infected Premises.		Horses Attacked.		Diseased Horses.				Cases which existed in previous Weeks not reported until this Week.	
	Number reported upon this Week which have been previously reported upon.	Number upon which Fresh Outbreaks have been reported to have taken place during the Week.	Total Number reported upon during the Week.	Slaughtered.	Removed.	Remaining diseased from the previous Week.	Attacked during the Week.	Killed.	Died.	Recovered.	Remaining.	Fresh Outbreaks.	Horses Attacked.
ENGLAND.													
COUNTY.*													
Berks.	1	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...
Essex ... ..	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Hants	2	1	3	...	1	3	3	6	...	...	...	2	3
Hertford ... ..	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Kent (ex. Metropolis) ... ..	...	2	2	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	1	...	...
Lincoln, Parts of Lindsey ... ..	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Middlesex (ex. Metropolis)	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Monmouth	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Northampton (ex. Soke of Peterboro')	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Somerset	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
York, West Riding ... ..	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
The Metropolis	5	7	12	...	...	...	16	16	...	...	...	...	...
SCOTLAND.													
COUNTY.*													
Lanark ... ..	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	14	15	29	...	1	8	26	31	...	...	3	2	3

VI. FARCY.

	Farms or other Places.			Healthy Horses on infected Premises.		Horses Attacked.		Diseased Horses.				Cases which existed in previous Weeks not reported until this Week.	
	Number reported upon this Week which have been previously reported upon.	Number upon which Fresh Outbreaks have been reported to have taken place during the Week.	Total Number reported upon during the Week.	Slaughtered.	Removed.	Remaining diseased from the previous Week.	Attacked during the Week.	Killed.	Died.	Recovered.	Remaining.	Fresh Outbreaks.	Horses Attacked.
ENGLAND.													
COUNTY.*													
Sussex	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Warwick	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	1
The Metropolis ... ..	...	3	3	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...
SCOTLAND.													
COUNTY.*													
Lanark ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
TOTAL	2	3	5	...	...	2	3	4	...	...	1	1	2

* Counties include such Boroughs and Burghs as are locally situated within the limits of the Counties, or, if surrounded by two or more Counties, then they are included in the County with which they have the longest common boundary. Berwick-upon-Tweed is included in Northumberland.

ALEXANDER WILLIAMS, Secretary.

Veterinary Department, Privy Council Office, 31st October, 1876.

RECEIPTS into and PAYMENTS out of the EXCHEQUER, between the 1st April, 1876, and the 28th October, 1876.

REVENUE AND OTHER RECEIPTS.	Budget Estimate for 1876-7.	Total Receipts into the Exchequer from		EXPENDITURE AND OTHER PAYMENTS.	Estimate for 1876-7.	Total Issues out of Exchequer to meet payments from	
		1st April, 1876, to 28th October, 1876.	1st April, 1875, to 30th October, 1875.			1st April, 1876, to 28th October, 1876.	1st April, 1875, to 30th October, 1875.
Balance on 1st April, 1876 :—	£	£	£	EXPENDITURE.	£	£	£
Bank of England	—	3,826,896	4,662,261	Permanent Charge of Debt	*27,700,000	18,544,939	18,323,585
Bank of Ireland	—	1,292,691	1,603,061	Interest on Local and Temporary Loans	*160,000	60,375	17,500
		5,119,587	6,265,322	Interest, &c., on Exchequer Bonds (Suez)	*150,000	75,000	—
REVENUE.				Other charges on Consolidated Fund	*1,590,000	1,102,429	1,060,254
Customs	20,250,000	11,224,000	11,273,000	Supply Services	†48,557,000	26,120,838	26,449,290
Excise	27,624,000	14,679,000	14,919,000	Estimate ...	£78,157,000		
Stamps	11,000,000	6,107,000	6,120,000	Expenditure ...		45,903,581	45,850,629
Land Tax and House Duty	2,500,000	571,000	572,000	OTHER PAYMENTS.			
Property and Income Tax	5,268,000	1,100,000	1,143,000	Advances, under various Acts, issued from the Exchequer		2,431,620	2,589,367
Post Office	5,950,000	3,517,000	3,532,000	Expenses of Fortifications and Military Barracks		500,000	250,000
Telegraph Service	1,325,000	730,000	730,000	Exchequer Bills paid off		81,400	17,500
Crown Lands	395,000	215,000	210,000	Surplus Income applied to reduce Debt		—	331,867
Miscellaneous	4,100,000	2,487,974	2,491,597			48,916,601	49,039,363
Revenue	£78,412,000	40,630,974	40,990,597	Balances on 28th October, 1876:—			
Total including Balance ...		45,750,561	47,255,919	{ Bank of England		821,289	1,170,606
OTHER RECEIPTS.				{ Bank of Ireland...		361,305	575,105
Money raised for Purchase of Shares in the Suez Canal (balance of £4,000,000)		700,000	—	Totals		£50,099,195	50,785,074
Advances, under various Acts, repaid to the Exchequer		798,634	1,029,155				
Money raised for Fortifications and Military Barracks ...		500,000	250,000				
Ditto, for Local Loans, by Exchequer Bonds		1,000,000	750,000				
Temporary Advances, not repaid		1,350,000	1,500,000				
Totals		£50,099,195	50,785,074				

Treasury, 31st October, 1876.

* As stated in the Budget.

† As granted by the Appropriation Act.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act seventh and eighth Victoria, cap. 32, of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES, of the several Banks of Issue in ENGLAND and WALES, in Circulation during the Week, ending Saturday, the 21st day of October, 1876.

PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£
Ashford Bank	Ashford	Pomfret and Co.	10550
Aylesbury Old Bank	Aylesbury	Cobb and Co.	20851
Baldock Bank and Baldock and Biggleswade Bank	Biggleswade	Wells, Hogge, and Co.	18695
Barnstaple Bank	Barnstaple	Marshall and Co.	4760
Bedford Bank	Bedford	Barnard and Co.	29630
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank and Oxford Bank	Bicester	Tubb and Co.	15322
Boston Bank	Boston	Garfit and Co.	54360
Bristol Bank	Bristol	Miles, Miles, and Co.	20295
Broseley and Bridgnorth and Bridg- north and Broseley Bank	Broseley	Pritchard and Co.	13435
Buckingham Bank	Buckingham	Bartlett, Parrott, and Co.	19853
Bury and Suffolk Bank, Sudbury Bank, and Stowmarket Bank	Bury St. Edmunds	Oakes, Bevan, and Co.	36744
Banbury Bank	Banbury	J. C. and A. Gillett	20405
Banbury Old Bank	Banbury	Cobb and Son	18203
Bedfordshire Leighton Buzzard Bank	Leighton Buzzard	Bassett, Son, and Co.	33025
Brecon Old Bank	Brecon	Wilkins and Co.	36470
Brighton Union Bank	Brighton	Hall and Co.	21410
Burlington and Driffield Bank	Burlington	Harding, Mortlock, and Co.	12554
Bury Saint Edmunds Bank	Bury St. Edmunds	Huddleston and Co.	2380
Cambridge Bank	Cambridge	Mortlock and Co.	12859
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank	Cambridge	Messrs. Fosters	47832
Canterbury Bank	Canterbury	Hammond and Co.	22720
Colchester Bank	Colchester	Round, Green, and Co.	10822
Colchester and Essex Bank, and Witham and Essex Bank, and Hadleigh Suffolk Bank	Colchester	Mills and Co.	24645
Cornish Bank, Truro	Truro	Tweedy and Co.	28409
City Bank, Exeter	Exeter	Milford and Co.	11063
Craven Bank	Settle	Birkbeck, Robinson, and Co.	76305
Derby Bank	Derby	W. and S. Evans and Co.	11890
Derby Bank	Derby	Samuel Smith and Co.	31185
Derby Old Bank and Scarsdale and High Peak Bank	Derby	Crompton, Newton, and Co.	26000
Devizes and Wiltshire Bank	Devizes	Locke and Co.	4746
Darlington Bank, Durham Bank, and Stockton-on-Tees Bank	Darlington	Backhouse and Co.	85263
Devonport Bank	Devonport	Hodge and Co.	4763
Dorchester Old Bank and Dorset- shire Bank	Dorchester	Williams and Co.	35145
East Cornwall Bank	Liskeard	Robins, Foster, and Co.	83316
East Riding Bank	Beverley	Beckett and Co.	52689
Essex Bank and Bishop's Stortford Bank	Chelmsford	Sparrow, Tufnell, and Co.	36822
Exeter Bank	Exeter	Sanders and Co.	17398
Farnham Bank	Farnham	Knight and Sons	6282
Faversham Bank	Faversham	Hilton and Co.	6425

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£
Godalming Bank	Godalming	Mellersh and Co.	5653
Guildford Bank	Guildford	Haydon and Co.	11438
Grantham Bank	Grantham	Hardy and Co.	18093
Hull Bank and Kingston-upon-Hull } Bank	Hull	Smith, Brothers, and Co.	20057
Huntingdon Town and County Bank	Huntingdon	Veasey and Co.	25294
Harwich Bank	Harwich	Cox, Cobbold, and Co.	4243
Hertfordshire, Hitchin Bank	Hitchin	Sharples and Co.	30209
Ipswich Bank	Ipswich	Bacon and Co.	17174
Ipswich and Needham Market Bank, } Suffolk, Hadleigh Bank, Man- } ningtree and Mistley Bank, and } Woodbridge Bank... ..	Ipswich	Alexanders and Co.	49801
Kentish Bank	Maidstone	Wigan, Mercers, and Co.	19059
Kington and Radnorshire Bank	Kington	Davies and Co.	22102
Knareborough Old Bank and Ripon } Old Bank	Knareborough	Harrison and Co.	19628
Kendal Bank... ..	Kendal	Wakefield, Crewdson, & Co.	43105
Leeds Bank	Leeds	Beckett and Co.	129263
Leeds Union Bank	Leeds	W. Williams Brown and Co.	37474
Leicester Bank	Leicester... ..	T. and T. T. Paget	26414
Lewes Old Bank	Lewes	Molineux and Co.	23598
Lincoln Bank	Lincoln	Smith, Ellison, and Co.	96706
Llandovery Bank, Lampeter Bank, } and Llandilo Bank	Llandovery	D. Jones and Co.	22393
Loughborough Bank... ..	Loughborough	Middleton, Cradock, and Co.	6157
Lymington Bank	Lymington	St. Barbe and Co.	1897
Lynn Regis and Lincolnshire Bank... ..	Lynn Regis	Gurneys and Co.	30511
Lynn Regis and Norfolk Bank	Lynn Regis	Jarvis and Co.	9477
Macclesfield Bank	Macclesfield	Brocklehurst and Co.	9938
Miners' Bank	Truro	Willyams and Co.	17135
Monmouth Old Bank	Monmouth	Bromage and Co.	1875
Newark Bank	Newark	Godfrey and Riddell	8535
Newark and Sleaford Bank, and } Sleaford and Newark Bank	Sleaford	Handley, Peacock, and Co.	42186
Newbury Bank	Newbury	Sloccock, Bunny, and Co.	11420
Newmarket Bank	Newmarket	Hammond and Co.	14299
Norwich and Norfolk and Fakenham } Banks	Norwich	Gurneys, Birkbecks, and Co.	87943
Naval Bank, Plymouth	Plymouth	Harris, Bulteel, and Co	23244
New Sarum Bank	Sarum	Pinckney Brothers	4258
Nottingham Bank	Nottingham	Samuel Smith and Co.	30744
Oswestry Bank and Oswestry Old Bank	Oswestry	Croxon and Co.	7491
Oxford Old Bank	Oxford	Parsons and Co.	29395
Old Bank, Tonbridge, Tonbridge and } Tonbridge Wells Old Bank, Ton- } bridge and Tonbridge Wells and } Sevenoaks Bank	Tonbridge	Beechings and Co.	12636
Oxfordshire Witney Bank	Witney	J. W. Clinch and Sons	4919
Pease's Old Bank, Hull, the Hull } Old Bank and Beverley Bank	Hull	Peases and Co.	47457
Penzance Bank	Penzance	Batten and Co.	7865
Reading Bank	Reading	Simonds and Co.	20245
Reading Bank	Reading	Stephens, Blandy, and Co.	28011
Richmond Bank	Richmond	Roper and Co.	6654
Royston Bank	Royston	Fordham and Co.	7939
Rye Bank	Rye	Curteis, Pomfret, and Co.	7648

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.				Average Amount.
Saffron Walden and North Essex Bank	Saffron Walden ...	Gibson, Tuke, and Co. ...	£	20497
Salop Bank	Shrewsbury ...	Burton, Lloyd, and Co. ...		4508
Scarborough Old Bank	Scarborough ...	Woodall and Co. ...		24725
Shrewsbury Old Bank and Shrewsbury and Ludlow Bank ... }	Shrewsbury ...	Rocke, Eyton, and Co. ...		24470
Sittingbourne and Milton Bank ...	Sittingbourne ...	Vallance and Co. ...		2240
Southampton Town and County Bank	Southampton ...	Maddison, Atherley, & Co. ...		8780
Stamford and Rutland Bank ...	Stamford ...	Eaton, Cayley, and Co. ...		11369
Shrewsbury and Welsh Pool Bank ...	Shrewsbury ...	Beck, Beck, and Co. ...		20201
Tavistock Bank	Tavistock ...	Gill, Morshead, and Co. ...		12533
Thornbury Bank	Thornbury ...	Harwood and Co. ...		5519
Tiverton and Devonshire Bank ...	Tiverton ...	Dunsford and Co. ...		5757
Thrapston and Kettering Bank, } Northamptonshire	Thrapston ...	Eland and Eland ...		11665
Tring Bank and Chesham Bank ...	Tring ...	Butcher and Sons ...		13116
Towcester Old Bank	Towcester ...	Whitworth and Co. ...		5664
Union Bank, Cornwall	Helston ...	Vivian and Co. ...		10058
Uxbridge Old Bank	Uxbridge ...	Hull, Smith, and Co. ...		5615
Wallingford Bank	Wallingford ...	Hedges, Wells, and Co. ...		4048
Warwick and Warwickshire Bank ...	Warwick ...	Greenway and Co. ...		23698
Wellington Somerset Bank	Wellington ...	Fox, Brothers, and Co. ...		4188
West Riding Bank, Wakefield, and } Pontefract Bank	Wakefield ...	Leatham, Tew, and Co. ...		45033
Whitby Old Bank	Whitby ...	Simpson, Chapman, and Co. ...		13485
Winchester, Alresford, and Alton Bank	Winchester ...	Bulpett and Co. ...		9877
Weymouth Old Bank and Dorchester Bank	Weymouth ...	Eliot, Pearce, and Co. ...		11996
Wisbech and Lincolnshire Bank ...	Wisbech ...	Gurney and Co. ...		40471
Wiveliscombe Bank	Wiveliscombe ...	W. Hancock ...		1906
Worcester Old Bank and Tewkesbury Old Bank	Worcester ...	Berwick, Lechmere, and Co. ...		47405
Yarmouth and Suffolk Bank, and } Halesworth and Suffolk Bank }	Yarmouth ...	Gurneys, Birkbeck, and Co. ...		44415
Yarmouth, Norfolk, and Suffolk Bank	Great Yarmouth ...	Sir E. H. K. Lacon, Bt., and Co. ...		9744
York Bank	York ...	Swann, Clough, and Co. ...		35137

JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.				Average Amount.
Bank of Westmorland	Kendal ...		£	11002
Barnsley Banking Company	Barnsley ...			9168
Bradford Banking Company	Bradford ...			50177
Bank of Whitehaven Limited	Whitehaven ...			26860
Bradford Commercial Banking Company ...	Bradford ...			20229
Burton, Uttoxeter, and Ashbourne Union Bank ...	Burton-upon-Trent ...			47509
Chesterfield and North Derbyshire Banking Company ...	Chesterfield ...			9757
Cumberland Union Banking Company Limited ...	Carlisle ...			34254
Coventry and Warwickshire Banking Company ...	Coventry ...			13676
Coventry Union Banking Company	Coventry ...			15220
County of Gloucester Banking Company	Cheltenham ...			92005

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.		Average Amount.
		£
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company	Carlisle	24470
Carlisle City and District Bank	Carlisle	19707
County of Stafford Bank, late Bilston District Banking Company... ..	Wolverhampton... ..	8699
Derby and Derbyshire Banking Company	Derby	20211
Darlington District Joint Stock Banking Company	Darlington	25714
Gloucestershire Banking Company	Gloucester	141702
Halifax Joint Stock Bank	Halifax	18126
Huddersfield Banking Company	Huddersfield	35640
Hull Banking Company	Hull	28026
Halifax Commercial Banking Company Limited	Halifax	9873
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company	Halifax	33817
Helston Banking Company	Helston	1491
Knarborough and Claro Banking Company	Knarborough	26023
Lancaster Banking Company	Lancaster	63846
Leicestershire Banking Company	Leicester... ..	63660
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company	Lincoln	50123
Leamington Priors and Warwickshire Banking Company	Leamington Priors	11115
Ludlow and Tenbury Bank	Ludlow	9169
Moore and Robinson's Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited	Nottingham	34094
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company	Nottingham	26987
North Wilts Banking Company	Melksham	42474
Northamptonshire Union Bank	Northampton	59709
Northamptonshire Banking Company	Northampton	16089
North and South Wales Bank	Liverpool	56830
Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company... ..	Leicester... ..	55525
Sheffield Banking Company	Sheffield	23295
Stamford, Spalding, and Boston Banking Company	Stamford	51138
Stuckey's Banking Company, Bristol Somersetshire Bank, and Somersetshire Bank	Langport	322773
Stourbridge and Kidderminster Banking Company	Stourbridge	49325
Sheffield and Hallamshire Banking Company	Sheffield	22896
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company	Sheffield	52181
Swaledale and Wensleydale Banking Company	Richmond	52011
Wolverhampton and Staffordshire Banking Company	Wolverhampton... ..	18699
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank	Wakefield	14418
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company	Whitehaven	28833
West of England and South Wales District Bank	Bristol	75617
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company	Salisbury	73385
West Riding Union Banking Company	Huddersfield	34127
Whitchurch and Ellesmere Banking Company	Whitchurch	4668
Worcester City and County Banking Company Limited... ..	Worcester	1300
York Union Banking Company	York	71034
York City and County Banking Company	York	95643
Yorkshire Banking Company	Leeds	118875

W. H. COUSINS, Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue Office, October 28, 1876.

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, Imperial Measure, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise, conformably to the Act of the 27th and 28th Victoria, cap. 87, in the Week ended 28th October, 1876.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	51,067	5	47	1
Barley	68,331	1	38	9
Oats	2,584	3	25	2

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1872 to 1875.

Corresponding Week in	QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICES.					
	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1872	53,667	5	68,650	2	4,361	7	57	4	44	1	23	6
1873	53,648	2	77,021	6	4,832	5	59	10	43	1	25	0
1874	54,414	7	87,790	0	3,524	7	44	1	42	11	27	11
1875	52,392	6	61,459	1	2,952	6	47	4	38	1	24	6

Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade,
October 28, 1876.

R. GIFFEN,
Comptroller of Corn Returns.

CORN IMPORTED AND EXPORTED.

AN ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of the several kinds of Corn and Meal Imported into each division of the United Kingdom; and the Quantities of British and Foreign Corn and Meal, of the same kinds, Exported from the United Kingdom, in the Week ended the 28th October, 1876.

	QUANTITIES IMPORTED INTO—				QUANTITIES EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM.		
	England.	Scotland.	Ireland.	The United Kingdom.	British.	Colonial and Foreign.	Total Exported.
Wheat	275,287	110,283	129,489	515,059	13,353	9,665	23,018
Barley	219,260	40,901	35,675	295,836	223	188	411
Oats	286,900	1,838	...	288,738	11,194	578	11,772
Rye ... ..	...	...	...	...	138	...	138
Pease	28,665	9,363	...	38,028	538	960	1,498
Beans	45,021	3,190	...	48,211	246	698	944
Indian Corn	384,646	50,958	235,927	671,531	...	9,344	9,344
Buckwheat	15	...	15
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Total of Corn (exclusive of Malt) ... }	1,239,779	216,548	401,091	1,857,418	25,692	21,433	47,125
Wheatmeal or Flour ...	67,493	35,548	3,367	106,408	164	147	311
Barley Meal ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oat Meal	388	90	...	478	450	...	450
Rye Meal ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pea Meal ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bean Meal ... ..	...	...	...	...	14	...	14
Indian Corn Meal ...	200	...	...	200	...	...	...
Buckwheat Meal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total of Meal ...	68,081	35,638	3,367	107,086	628	147	775
Total of Corn and Meal (exclusive of Malt) ... }	1,307,860	252,186	404,458	1,964,504	26,320	21,580	47,900
Malt (entered by the Quarter) ... }	Quarters. ...	Quarters. ...	Quarters. ...	Quarters. ...	Quarters. 613	Quarters. ...	Quarters. 613

Statistical Office, Custom House, London,
October 30, 1876.

S. SELDON,
Principal.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that—

1856. Colonel Horace Francis Stephens d'Esplaviz, of Goree Villa, Hounslow, county of Middlesex, has given notice at the Office of the Commissioners of his intention to proceed with his application for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in the preparation or manufacture of artificial manure."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 3rd day of May, 1876.

2461. And Felix Marie de Lastelle, of St. Malo, in the Department of Ille & Vilaine, and Republic of France, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of candles, and improved apparatus connected therewith."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 14th day of June, 1876.

2501. And Frederick William Colls, of Erith, in the county of Kent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of gas for heating and lighting, and in the apparatus to be employed therein."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 16th day of June, 1876.

2515. And Alexander Browne, of the firm of Browne and Company, Patent Agents, of 5, Southampton-buildings, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved process for the extraction of a special essential oil, and obtaining varnish from that operation or process."—A communication to him from abroad by Désiré Hyacinthe Lepereq D'halluin, of Paris, in the French Republic.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 17th day of June, 1876.

2548. And Marshall Henry Pearson, of Leeds, in the county of York, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in sewing machines, and in the means and apparatus employed for transmitting motion to the same."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 20th day of June, 1876.

2571. And Harvey Fisk Snow, of Aldermanbury, in the city of London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in braces or suspenders, stocking supporters, and fasteners connected therewith."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on 21st day of June, 1876.

2575. And Pryce Jones, of Newtown, in the county of Montgomery, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in blankets."

2579. And Joseph Stubbs, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Machine Maker, and John Corrigan, of the same place, Mechanic, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for gassing and winding yarns or threads of cotton and other fibrous materials."

2581. And John Wallace Duncan, of Southampton-chambers, Chancery-lane, London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in fire arms."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of June, 1876.

2589. And William de Normanville, of No. 79, Bridge-road, Hammersmith, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in ships' logs or speed indicators."

2590. And John Combe, of 11, Trinity-crescent, Trinity, in the county of Edinburgh, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for winding cops."

2592. And Harry Pearce, of 163 and 165, Euston-road, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in locks."

2598. And William Henry Andrew, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of spades, shovels, garden and hay forks, and other articles having elongated handles."

2600. And Ferdinand Tilgmann, Lithographer, of Helsingfors, Finland, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved press for book and wall paper printing."

2601. And Frank Wirth, of the firm of Wirth and Company, Patent Agency, of Frankfort on the Main, in the Empire of Germany, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus and process for manufacturing clear artificial ice."—A communication from Ferdinand Wicker, Director of the Barmer Roheis Fabrik (Barmen Artificial Ice Factory), a person resident at Barmen, the Empire of Germany.

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 23rd day of June, 1876.

2609. And Jean Marie Drouyer, of No. 13, Arundel-street, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved mincing machine."

2611. And Edward Sumner Morris, of Penclawdd, in the county of Glamorgan, Tin Plate Manufacturer, and Ebenezer Edgar Morgan, of Briton Ferry, in the said county, Gentleman, and David Richards, of Briton Ferry aforesaid, Roller-man, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved mode of tempering or annealing sheet iron plates and apparatus for that purpose."

2612. And John Henry Kenyon and James Kenyon, both of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Spinners, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in carding engines."

2614. And John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of manure, and in the apparatus employed therein."—A communication to him from abroad by Henri Prosper Ollivier Lissagaray, of Pantin, near Paris, in the Republic of France.

2623. And Edward Ernest Knox, C.E., of Forest Hill, in the county of Kent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved knife or opener for preserved food tins."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 24th day of June, 1876.

2629. And Edward Collins, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in infants' feeding bottles."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 26th day of June, 1876.

2646. And William McGee, of Paisley, in the county of Refrew, North Britain, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention "improvements in semi-automatic spooling or thread winding machines."
2650. And Emile Gaspard Guérin, of 60, Rue de Rome, Paris, in France, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved dipping cup for inkstands and other recipients."
2655. And George Davies, of Cheslyn Hay, near Walsall, in the county of Stafford, Manager of Brick and Tile Works, has given the like notice in respect of invention of "improvements in dies or moulds, and apparatus used in the manufacture of roofing, flooring, and other tiles, paving, bricks, and quarries."
- As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 27th day of June, 1876.
2661. And Richard Dixon, of 79, Redcliffe-gardens, Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, Fur Merchant, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture, dressing, dyeing, and colouring of furs, skins, and animal and vegetable fibres of all kinds."
2664. And Job Tibbs, of Tipton, in the county of Stafford, Mill Manager, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in mill furnaces used in the manufacture of iron."
- As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 28th day of June, 1876.
2678. And Richard Locke Johnson, of No. 2, Bury-place, Bloomsbury square, London, in the county of Middlesex, Physician, has given notice in respect of the invention of "an improved door knocker."
2683. And Thomas Johnston, of No. 6, Nelson-street, Edinburgh, North Britain, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in golf clubs."
2684. And John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in cocks."—A communication to him from Charles Juron, of Lyons, in the Republic of France, Engineer.
- As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 29th day of June, 1876.
2696. And William O'Hanlon, of the firm of Wanklyn, O'Hanlon, and Co., of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturers, has given the like notice in the respect of the invention of "improvements in counterpanes or quilts, and in the manner of weaving the same."
- As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 30th day of June, 1876.
2714. And Thomas Rule, of Gilesgate, in the city of Durham, in the county of Durham, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for stoppering bottles for containing gaseous and aerated liquids."
- As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 1st day of July, 1876.
2731. And William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in harvesting machines."—A communication to him from abroad by William Edward Kelly, of New Brunswick, New Jersey, United States of America.
- As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 3rd day of July, 1876.
2786. And John Coulson, of Stamford, in the county of Lincoln, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in traction engines."
2797. And Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in keyless repeating watches."—A communication to him from abroad by Ami Louis Junod-Pattus, of Paris, France.
- As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 8th day of July, 1876.
2804. And Richard Bennett the younger, of Redditch, in the county of Worcester, Foreman of Works, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for scouring needles and knitting pins, and for other like purposes."
- As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 10th day of July, 1876.
2829. And Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in ornamenting match boxes."—A communication to him from abroad by Joseph Bandier, of Marseilles, France.
2831. And Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in water meters."—A communication to him from abroad by François Larmaraud, of Paris, France.
- As set forth in his respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 11th day of July, 1876.
2844. And John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new or improved process of refining and condensing iron or of condensing steel, and new or improved means or apparatus for carrying out such process."—A communication to him from abroad by William Sellers, of the city and county of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, United States of America.
- As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 12th day of July, 1876.
2960. And John Garrett Tongue, of the firm of Tongue and Birkbeck, Patent Agents and Engineers, of 34, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for raising fallen crops."—A communication to him from abroad by Louis François Silvestre Truffart, of Paris, France.
- As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 20th day of July, 1876.
3019. And William Conquest, of Tudor-street, in the city of London, Mechanical Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for folding paper."—A communication to him from abroad by Stephen Davis Tucker, of the city and State of New York, United States of America.

3020. And Henry Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of portable railways, and in the rolling stock and other appliances to be used therewith."—A communication to him from abroad by Paul Decauville, of Paris, in the Republic of France.
As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 26th day of July, 1876.
3114. And Wilhelm Noll, of Minden, in Prussia, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus or appliances for 'tapping' casks or other vessels, and drawing off fluids from same."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 4th day of August, 1876.
3247. And Bertie Charles Scott, of Parklands, Hassocks Gate, in the county of Sussex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in flasks as regards the stoppering and stoppers for same."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 18th day of August, 1876.
3319. And Joseph Daniel Duckett, of 29, Douglas-street, Mansfield-road, Rotherham, in the county of York, Sanitary Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved cistern and self acting water waste preventer (superseding the ball float)."
3334. And William Young, of Queen-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in means or apparatus employed in supplying furnaces and fire places with fuel."
As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 24th day of August, 1876.
3368. And Robert Parker, of Stranraer, in the county of Wigton, North Britain, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in distributing manures and in the machinery or apparatus employed therefor."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 28th day of August, 1876.
3540. And Charles Aubréy Day, of 5, Serle-street, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Draughtsman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the method of and machinery or apparatus for printing in various colors."—A communication to him from abroad by François Appel and Félix Hippolyte Monmon, both of Paris, France.
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 8th day of September, 1876.
3606. And William H. Murphy, of the city of Syracuse, in the State of New York, United States of America, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of paper barrels or packages, and in apparatus therefor."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 14th day of September, 1876.
3672. And William H. Murphy, of the city of Syracuse, in the State of New York, United States of America, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved head for paper barrels."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 19th day of September, 1876.
3745. And Henry Collet and Jean Baptiste Denans, both of Paris, in the Republic of France, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for distributing, purifying, and regulating the flow of liquids."
As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 25th day of September, 1876.
3797. And Carl Spannagel, of the firm of Carl Karthaus & Co., of Barmen, Prussia, and 3, Fell-street, in the city of London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in hats, bonnets, and coverings for the head."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 29th day of September, 1876.
3855. And Richard Hugh Hughes, of Hatton-garden, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in means or apparatus employed to indicate the waste or overflow of water from cisterns and other receptacles."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 5th day of October, 1876.
3871. And James Humphrey Singleton Hooper, of Sunny Croft, Croxted-road, Dulwich, in the county of Surrey, R.N., has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in rockets for saving life and other useful purposes, and in the apparatus used in connection therewith."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 6th day of October, 1876.
3961. And William Brewer, of Newbury-street, in the parish of Whitechurch, in the county of Southampton, and Richard Turner Brewer, of Whelm Field House, in the parish of New or Chipping Barnet, in the county of Herts, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for impressing, ornamenting, and otherwise marking and polishing leather, leatherette, cloth, and any substance, skin, material, fabric, and surface."
As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 13th day of October, 1876.
3999. And Charles Fox, of Old Change, in the city of London, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved alloy to be used for various purposes in the arts, in place of brass or other alloys of copper."—A communication to him from abroad, by William A. Hopkins, of Paris, in the Republic of France.
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 16th day of October, 1876.
4005. And Julius Baur, of the city of Brooklyn, in the county of Kings, and State of New York, in the United States of America, at present of 23, Southampton-buildings, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of steel."
As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 17th day of October, 1876.
4013. And William Taylor, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in modes of ventilating iron, steel, wood, composite, or other decked vessels or floating bodies, and in the construction thereof."
4029. And William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in breech loading fire-arms."—A com-

munication to him from abroad by William Lewis Headley, of Brooklyn, New York, United States of America.

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 18th day of October, 1876.

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

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
Master of the Rolls.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Liverpool and Continental Steamship Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice was, on the 26th day of October, 1876, presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, by Stephen Hart Jackson, of Ulverston, in the county of Lancaster, Solicitor, a creditor of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Master of the Rolls, on the 11th day of November, 1876; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding up of the said Company under the said Acts, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

G. R. F. H. Tocque, 70A, Aldermanbury, London, Solicitor for the Petitioner.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, was, on the 28th day of October, 1876, presented to the High Court of Justice by Louis Charles Alexander, of No. 46, Lombard-street, in the city of London, a shareholder of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Malins, on the 10th day of November, 1876; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Acts, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

E. Tillyard, 11, King-street, Cheapside, E.C., Solicitor for the said Petitioner.

In the Matter of G. and J. Brown and Company Limited, and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, was, on the 30th day of October, 1876, presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Thomas Cooper, of Park Gate, near Rother-

ham, in the county of York, Colliery Proprietor, a creditor of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, on the 10th day of November, 1876; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Acts, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charges for the same.

J. and R. Gole, 49, Lime-street, Leadenhall-street, London; Agents for *Oxley and Pashley*, of Rotherham, Yorkshire, Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the British Colonial Trust Corporation Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Master of the Rolls has fixed the 8th day of November, 1876, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at his chambers, in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, as the time and place for the appointment of an Official Liquidator of the above-named Company.—Dated this 30th day of October, 1876.

TENDERS FOR GOVERNMENT PRINTING.

WAR OFFICE AND CUSTOMS FORMS.

WANTED 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.

NORWAY SPARS.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, October 28, 1876.

TENDERS will be received until two o'clock, on Monday, the 4th December, for the supply to Her Majesty's Dockyards of

10,580 NORWAY SPARS,

for forward delivery within stated periods.

Net prices should be given; all trade discounts being allowed in the quotations.

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.

London Chartered Bank of Australia.
(Incorporated by Royal Charter, 1852.)

No. 88, Cannon-Street, London, E.C.,
October 31, 1876.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Proprietors of the London Chartered Bank of Australia will be held at the City Terminus Hotel, Cannon-

street, London, E. C., on Friday, the 17th day of November next, for the declaration of a Dividend.

The chair will be taken at two o'clock precisely.

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 10th to the 17th proximo, both days inclusive.

By order of the Court,

W. M. Young, Secretary.

The Kippax Gas Consumers' Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the said Company, duly convened and held at Commercial Inn, Kippax, in the county of York, on the 2nd day of October, 1876, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed, namely:—

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

Geo. Morley, Chairman.

The Melincrythan Co-operative Society Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Society Limited, duly convened and held at the Cambriau Inn, Melincrythan, near Neath, in the county of Glamorgan, on the 4th day of October, 1876, the following Special Resolution was unanimously and duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Society, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 19th day of October, 1876, the Special Resolution was duly confirmed, viz:—

"That the Melincrythan Co-operative Society Limited be forthwith wound up voluntarily.

"That Mr. William Thomas Lewis, of Neath aforesaid, Accountant, be, and he is hereby, appointed Liquidator of the Society."

James Hern, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Birmingham Brewery Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at a General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the Company's offices, St. Peter's-place, Broad-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 12th day of September, 1876, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 10th day of October, 1876, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed, viz:—

"That the Birmingham Brewery Company be wound up voluntarily."

James Neale, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Industrial Bank Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, duly convened and held at the Mechanics' Institute, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 21st day of October, 1876, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed:—

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

"That Mr. Alexander Hannay, of 3, Adelaide-terrace, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Accountant, and Mr. Thomas Burt, of Lovaine-crescent, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Member of Parliament, be, and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purposes of winding up the affairs of the Company and distributing the property."

Dated this 23rd day of October, 1876.

John Hunter Rutherford, Chairman.

The Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

In the Matter of the Voluntary Winding-up of the Glandore Mining Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of the Glandore Mining Company Limited will be held at the offices of Messrs. Chadwicks, Adamson, Collier, and Co., No. 64, Cross-street, Manchester, on Monday, the 4th day of December, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of receiving and considering the account of the Liquidator, showing the manner in which the winding up of the said Company has been conducted, and the property thereof disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator in relation to the affairs and winding up of the said Company. And notice is hereby also given, that at such Meeting it is intended to propose and pass an Extraordinary Resolution, authorising the disposal of the books and documents of the said Company.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

Brett and Craven, No. 3, Kennedy-street, Manchester, Solicitors to the Liquidator.

The Pentresaeson Colliery Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of the Pentresaeson Colliery Company Limited will (pursuant to Section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862,) be held at the office of the undersigned, No. 16, Corn Exchange-chambers, in the city of Chester, on Tuesday, the 5th day of December, 1876, at two 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 Liquidator, shall be disposed of.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

James Wakefield, Liquidator.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Charles Lee, Thomas Siddall, and William Rhodes, in the trades or businesses of Joiners and Builders, carried on by them, in Temple-street, Castleford, in the county of York, or elsewhere, under the style or firm of Lee, Siddall, and Rhodes, has this day been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the date hereof. The business will in future be carried on by the said Charles Lee on his own account, and he will pay and be entitled to receive all debts and sums of money due from or owing to the said late firm.—As witness the hands of the said parties this 25th day of October, 1876.

Charles Lee.

Thomas Siddall.

William Rhodes.

WE, the undersigned, John Robbins and Charles Robbins, of 146, Aldersgate-street, London, Opticians, trading as J. and C. Robbins, hereby dissolve our said partnership, by mutual consent, as from the 21st day of October instant. The business will henceforth be carried on by the said John Robbins, who will receive and pay all partnership accounts.—As witness our hands this 25th day of October, 1876.

John Robbins.

Charles Robbins.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, John Harnett and William Harnett, in the trade or business of Corn Brokers, at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of J. and M. Harnett, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. In future the business will be carried on by the said William Harnett on his separate account, and he will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership in the regular course of business.—Witness our hands the 30th day of September, 1876.

Jno. Harnett.

William Harnett.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Wood and Thomas Clark, carrying on the business of Wood Turners, in Woodhouse-street, Hedon-road, in the borough of Kington-upon-Hull, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts and liabilities of the said partnership will be received and paid by the said John Wood.—As witness our hands this 23rd day of October, 1876.

*John Wood.
Thomas Clark.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel Cooper and Theophilus Aston Wedge, at Wolverhampton, or elsewhere, as Oil and Grease Merchants, under the style or firm of Cooper and Wedge, was, on the 26th day of October, 1876, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to and from the late firm will be received and paid by the said Theophilus Aston Wedge, by whom, in future, the said business will be carried on.—Dated 26th day of October, 1876.

*Theoph. Aston Wedge.
Samuel Cooper.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Joseph Kenton Schofield, of Windsor-road, Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Manufacturer, Joseph Wrigley, of Bury, in the said county, Cotton Manufacturer, James Wrigley, of Bury aforesaid, Cotton Manufacturer, and George Wrigley, of Bury aforesaid, Cotton Manufacturer, in the trade or business of Cotton Manufacturers, trading under the firm of Schofield and Wrigleys, at Hudear, in Bury aforesaid, was dissolved, on the 18th day of October now instant, by mutual consent. All debts due and owing to or by the said late partnership will be received and paid by the said Joseph Wrigley, James Wrigley, and George Wrigley, who will in future carry on the business, on their own account, under the firm of Wrigley Brothers.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

*J. K. Schofield.
Joseph Wrigley.
James Wrigley.
George Wrigley.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Cornelius Robinson and William Hawkins, lately carrying on business at Hartley-street, in Stayley, in the county of Chester, as Machine Brokers, under the style or firm of Robinson and Hawkins, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent; all debts owing by and to the said partnership will be paid and received by the said Cornelius Robinson, who will continue to carry on the said business on his own account.—Dated this 21st day of October, 1876.

*Cornelius Robinson.
William Hawkins.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Isaac Barnes, and George Evans, in the trade or business of Chandelier and Lamp and Cut Glass Manufacturers, carried on by us, at No. 311, Broad-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, under the style or firm of Barnes and Evans, has this day been dissolved as from the 23rd day of October instant. The said trade will henceforth be continued by the said Isaac Barnes alone, under the style of Isaac Barnes and Co., who will receive and pay all debts due to and from the late partnership.—As witness our hands this 24th day of October, 1876.

*Isaac Barnes.
George Evans.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Stephen Sims, Alfred Dupont, and Arthur Dupont, of 133, Ball's Pond-road, in the county of Middlesex, and 130, Wood-street, in the city of London, as Costume Manufacturers, under the firm of S. Sims, Dupont, and Co., has been this day dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Alfred Dupont.—Dated this 25th October, 1876.

*Stephen Sims.
Alf. Dupont.
Arthur Dupont.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting and carried on by William Millar and Miles Henry Bennett, under the firm of Millar and Bennett, at 23 and 25, New Kent-road, in the county of Surrey, in the trade or business of Chocolate Crème Manufacturers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent, the said Miles Henry Bennett retiring from the said business, but the same will be carried on as heretofore by the said William Millar alone, who will receive all debts owing to and pay all liabilities owing by the said partnership.—Dated this 24th day of October, 1876.

*William Millar.
Miles Henry Bennett.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Walter Rowe and Arthur Alwen, under the firm of Rowe and Alwen, at No. 3, Preston-road, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, and Cuckfield, in the said county, in the trade or business of Butchers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 24th day of October, 1876.

*Walter Rowe.
Arthur Alwen.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between us the undersigned, in the profession of Attorneys and Solicitors, carried on by us, at No. 13, Bedford-row, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, under the firm of Elcum and Hoccombe, was, on the 21st day of October instant, dissolved by mutual consent.—Witness our hands this 24th day of October, 1876.

*Hugh W. Elcum.
James B. Hoccombe.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Frederick Hainsworth and Philip Thomas Screech, as Lithographers, and Advertizing and General Agents, at George-street-chambers, and the Oriental Hall, Martin-street, both in Plymouth, in the county of Devon, under the style or firm of Hainsworth and Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due from or to our late firm will be paid and received by the undersigned, Philip Thomas Screech, by whom the said business will in future be carried on under the style of Screech and Co.—Dated this 26th October, 1876.

*Fred. Hainsworth.
P. T. Screech.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Alexander Elphinstone and William George Elphinstone, carrying on business as Restaurant Keepers, at No. 118, Regent-street, and No. 58, King-street, both in the county of Middlesex, under the firm or style of Elphinstone Brothers, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 30th day of October instant; and that all debts due and owing to or by the aforesaid late firm will be received and paid by the said Alexander Elphinstone, and that in future such business will be carried on by the said Alexander Elphinstone alone.—As witness our hands this 30th day of October, 1876.

*Alexander Elphinstone.
William Geo. Elphinstone.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, George Cavigan and John Moore, in the trade or business of Engineers and Stove and Grate Fitters, at Burton-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, under the style or firm of Cavigan and Moore, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 23rd day of October, 1876; and that the said business will in future be carried on by the said George Cavigan alone. The outstanding accounts due to and from the said firm will be received and paid by the said George Cavigan.—As witness our hands this 26th day of October, 1876.

*George Cavigan.
John Moore.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Margrave, William Margrave, and Robert Harrison Groves, carrying on business as Coal and Coke Exporters and Ship and Insurance Brokers and General Commission Agents, at Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, under the style or firm of Margrave, Groves, and Co., was, so far as the said John Margrave is concerned, dissolved on the 11th day of August instant by mutual consent.—Dated the 11th day of August, 1875.

*John Margrave.
William Margrave.
R. H. Groves.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Isaac Sykes and Isaac Duce, carrying on business as Fire Brick Makers, at Dore Moore, in the county of Derby, has been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

*Isaac Sykes.
Isaac Duce.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore carried on by us the undersigned, Gabriel Lindo, Arthur Lindo, and Julius Octavius Jacobs, as 12, King's Arms-yard, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, under the style of G. and A. Lindo and Jacobs, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 14th day of September, 1876, so far as concerns the said Julius Octavius Jacobs. Dated this 16th day of October, 1876.

*Gabriel Lindo.
A. Lindo.
Julius O. Jacobs.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, William Frederick Boff and Francis Charles Boff, trading under the firm of W. F. and F. C. Boff, at the Northampton Park Nursery, Douglas-road North, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, in the trade or business of Nurserymen, Gardeners, and Florists, was, on the date hereof, dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 26th day of October, 1876.

W. F. Boff.
Francis C. Boff.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John William Holmes and Joseph Samuel Holmes, at Limehouse-causeway, in the county of Middlesex, in the trade or business of Ironmongers and Tin Plate Workers, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due to or from our late partnership will be received and paid by John Longmore Holmes, by whom the business will henceforth be carried on at the above address.—As witness our hands this 23rd day of October, 1876.

J. W. Holmes.
J. S. Holmes.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert Hastings, Robert Harry Hastings, and Frederick Henry England, carrying on business as Woollen Cloth Manufacturers at the Vatch Mills, near Stroud, in the county of Gloucester, under the style or firm of Robert Hastings, Son, and Co., has been this day dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Frederick Henry England. All debts due or owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Robert Hastings and Robert Harry Hastings, who will in future carry on the business under the same style or firm.—Dated this 30th day of September, 1876.

Robert Hastings.
Robert Harry Hastings.
Frederick Henry England.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Coffey, of No. 90, Vauxhall-road, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Pawnbroker, and James Coe, of Rock Ferry, Cheshire, Pawnbroker, as Pawnbrokers, at Liverpool aforesaid, under the firm of Coffey and Coe, was, on the 16th day of October instant, 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 Joseph Coffey.—As witness our hands this 16th day of October, 1876.

Joseph Coffey.
James Coe.

JOSEPH HOWELL BLOOD, Deceased.
Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vict., chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any debt, claim, or demand upon or affecting the estate of Joseph Howell Blood, of Witham, in the county of Essex, Gentleman (who died on the 5th day of August, 1876, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 7th day of September, 1876, by the Reverend Howell Pattison Lewis Blood and William Bindon Blood, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to the undersigned, the Solicitor of the said executors, at the office of the undersigned, at Witham, in the county of Essex, on or before the 1st day of January, 1877, after which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debts, claims, or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

WM. BINDON BLOOD, Witham, Essex, Solicitor to the said Executors.

SARAH HATCHARD TAYLOR SUGG, Spinster, Deceased.
Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 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 Sarah Hatchard Taylor Sugg, formerly of Shirley-villas, Balham, but late of No. 3, Leighton Court-road West, Streatham, both in the county of Surrey, deceased (who died on the 2nd day of October, 1876, intestate, and letters of administration of whose estate and effects were, on the 17th day of October, 1876, granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate, Divorce, and Admiralty Division of the High Court of Justice to Henry Hatchard Taylor Sugg,

the natural and lawful brother and one of the next-of-kin (deceased), are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to me, the undersigned, Edward Willson Crosse, the Solicitor of the said Henry Hatchard Taylor Sugg, on or before the 30th day of December next, after which date the said Henry Hatchard Taylor Sugg 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 he shall then have had notice; and the said Henry Hatchard Taylor Sugg will not afterwards be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of October, 1876.

EDWD. W. CROSSE, 7, Lancaster-place, Strand, London, Solicitor for the said Henry Hatchard Taylor Sugg.

HENRY PAGE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against or affecting the estate of Henry Page, late of No. 26, Norfolk-square, Paddington, in the county of Middlesex, and of No. 2, Market-buildings, Mincing-lane, in the city of London, Merchant, deceased, and also interested in the business of C. Herveux and Co., Tanners, at Shere, near Guildford, in the county of Surrey (who died on the 25th day of September, 1874, and whose will and codicil were proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 6th day of October, 1874, by Georgiana Page and Charles Lindsey Page, the executrix and executor therein named, are required to send in particulars of their debts, claims, or demands to the undersigned Charles Octavius Humphreys, the Solicitor to the said executrix and executor, at his offices, Giltspur-chambers, Holborn Viaduct, in the city of London, on or before the 30th day of November next, after which time the said executrix and executor will proceed to apply and distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executrix and executor will not be liable for such assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

CHARLES O. HUMPHREYS, Giltspur-chambers, Holborn Viaduct, London, Solicitor for the said Executrix and Executor.

THOMAS CURSHAM, Deceased.

Pursuant to Act of Parliament of the 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 debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of Thomas Cursham, late of 9, Saint Peter's-square, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Fruit Dealer (who died on the 13th day of May, 1876, at Wolverhampton, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Lichfield of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, Probate Division, on the 25th day of July, 1876, by Samuel Meriden, Gentleman, and John Riley, Solicitor, both of Wolverhampton, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their respective debts, claims, or demands to the undersigned, John Riley, of Wolverhampton, Solicitor, on or before the 30th day of December, 1876. And notice is hereby also given, that after the expiration of the last-mentioned day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Thomas Cursham amongst 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 deceased so distributed to any person of whose debts or claims they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

SAMUEL MERIDEN,
JNO. RILEY, 32, Queen-street, Wolverhampton,
Solicitor to the Executors.

MARMADUKE CHARLES WILSON, Esq., 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 debt or claim upon or affecting the estate of Marmaduke Charles Wilson, late of Castle Hill, Ealing, in the county of Middlesex, Esq. (who died on the 29th day of May, 1876, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, Probate Division, on the 9th day of August, 1876, by Francis Hornblow Rundall, of Knowle House, Budleigh Salterton, in the county of Devon, Colonel in the Royal Engineers, Benjamin Gray, of 93,

Edgware-road, in the said county of Middlesex, Gentleman, and Vernon Bell, of 17, William-street, Lowndes-square, in the said county of Middlesex, Doctor of Medicine, the executors thereof, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims to me, the undersigned, their Solicitor, on or before the 11th day of December, 1876, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Marmaduke Charles Wilson among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the debts and claims only of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

DAVID ASTON, 93, Edgware-road, London, Solicitor to the said Executors.

ROBERT HENRY VAN WART KELL, Deceased.
Pursuant to the Act 22 and 23 Victoria, cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having claims against the estate of Robert Henry Van Wart Kell, late of Avondale, in New Zealand, Sheep Farmer, deceased (who died intestate, on the 6th day of May, 1876, and of whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 14th day of October, 1876, to Washington Van Wart Kell, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Merchant's Clerk), are requested to send, in writing, particulars of their claims to me, the undersigned, on or before the 27th day of November next, after which date the administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated the 26th day of October, 1876.

ALBERT VAN WART, Argyle chambers, Colmore-row, Birmingham, Solicitor to the said Administrator.

MORDAUNT JULIAN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Mordaunt Julian, late of No. 34, St. Luke's-road-villas, Westbourne Park, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., deceased (who died on the 5th day of October, 1876, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 24th day of October, 1876, by Frances Julian, of Down House, Tamerton Foliot, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Widow, and Francis Allnut Dodd, of No. 11, Moor-gate-street, in the city of London, Stock and Share Broker the executrix and executor therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to me, the undersigned, John McClellan, the Solicitor to the said executrix and executor, on or before the 25th day of November, 1876, after which date the said executrix and executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and that the said executrix and executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

JOHN McCLELLAN, 50, Bedford-row, London, W.C., Solicitor to the said Executrix and Executor.

Re MARY ROBERTSON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands upon or against the estate of Mary Robertson, late of the Harrow Hotel, in the parish of Hokington, in the county of Sussex, Widow, deceased (who died at the Harrow Hotel aforesaid, on the 16th day of September, 1876, and whose will was proved by Henry Robertson and Charles West, 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 October, 1876), are hereby requested to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned, the Solicitor of the said executors, on or before the 5th day of December next. And notice is hereby given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that they will be not 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 25th day of October, 1876.

C. DAVENPORT JONES, 1, Harold-place, Hastings, Solicitor for the said Executors.

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 George Binns, late of Hanover-street, in Sheffield, in the county of York, Grocer, deceased (who died on or about the 28th day of August, 1876, and whose will was proved by John Tasker, of Sheffield aforesaid, Gentleman, and George Binns, of No. 1, Moorhead, and of Broomhall Park, both in Sheffield aforesaid, Clothier, the executors therein named, on the 26th day of September, 1876, in the District Registry at Wakefield of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, Probate Division) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to the said George Binns, at his place of business No. 1, Moorhead, in Sheffield aforesaid, on or before the 10th day of December next; and notice is hereby also given; that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and 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 23rd day of October, 1876.

GEO. J. SIMPSON, Wharfedale-chambers, Bank-street, Sheffield.

WILLIAM BOSTOCK, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands upon or against the estate of William Bostock, late of Bold-place, Liverpool, in the County Palatine of Lancaster, Seaman, deceased (who died at sea a Bachelor and intestate on or since the 11th day of October, 1874, and to whose estate letters of administration were, on the 21st day of October, 1876, granted by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at the Principal Registry of the Probate Division thereof to me, the undersigned, Francis Whitaker, the Solicitor for the affairs of the Duchy of Lancaster, for the use of Her Majesty in right of Her said Duchy), are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their respective debts, claims, or demands to me, the said Francis Whitaker, at the Duchy of Lancaster Office, Lancaster place, Strand, London, on or before the 25th day of January, 1877, after the expiration of which time the assets of the said deceased will be paid over or otherwise distributed or appropriated, having regard to the debts, claims, and demands only of which I shall then have had notice; and that I will not be liable to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand I shall not then have had notice for such assets, or any part thereof, so paid over, distributed or appropriated.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

FRA. WHITAKER, Duchy of Lancaster Office, London, W.C., Administrator.

AARON FLETCHER, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Aaron Fletcher, late of Brimington, in the county of Derby, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 13th day of February, 1874, and whose will was proved in the Derby District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 26th day of February, 1874, by John Ison and Samuel Rollinson, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor of the said executors, on or before the 23rd day of December, 1876, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for any part of such assets to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

RICHARD THOMAS GRATTON, 5, Knife-smith-gate, Chesterfield, Solicitor for the said Executors.

RICHARD BURDON SANDERSON, Esq., Deceased.
Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, section 29.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims upon the estate of Richard Burdon Sanderson, formerly of Jesmond, but late of Budle House, both in the county of Northumberland, Esq., deceased (who died on the 30th day of April, 1876, and whose will

was proved in the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 28th day of July, 1876 by Isabella Mitchelson Burdon Sanderson, Richard Burdon Sanderson, James Haldane, and John Scott Burdon Sanderson, the executors therein named), are requested to send to us, the undersigned, particulars of their claims, on or before the 12th day of December, 1876, at the expiration of which time the executors will distribute the assets of the said testator amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

J. R. and S. WATSON, 101, Pilgrim-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitors for the said Executor.

HENRY BURY, Esq., Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Henry Bury, late of Branksome Tower, near Poole, in the county of Dorset, Esq., deceased (who died on the 23rd day of September, 1876, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate, &c., Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 23rd day of October, 1876, by Janet Anne Bury, of Branksome Tower aforesaid, Widow, Edward Bury, of No. 6, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., and Colonel Henry Andrew Sarel, C.B., the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in to us, the undersigned, Solicitors to the said executors, the particulars of their claims or demands, on or before the 31st day of December, 1876, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims as the said executors shall then have had notice of; 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 26th day of October, 1876.

SWINBURNE and PARKER, 28, Bedford-row, London.

GEORGIANA SMITH GREY, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Georgiana Smith Grey, late of Kbandallah, Blackheath, in the county of Kent, and formerly of Malcolm Peth, St. Leonard's-on-Sea, in the county of Sussex, Widow (who died on the 9th day of October, 1876, intestate, and letters of administration to whose personal estate and effects were, on the 24th day of October, 1876, duly granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, to John Alexander Russell, of 32, Pembridge-gardens, in the county of Middlesex, Esq.), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands, to the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said administrator, on or before the 30th day of December, 1876; and notice is hereby also given, that at the expiration of the last-mentioned day the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said administrator may then have had notice; and that he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

BURN and GALLOWAY, 16, Gresham-street, E.C., Solicitors to the Administrator.

MARGARET FLEURY, Deceased.

Pursuant to an 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 persons having any claims on the estate of Margaret Fleury, late of 47, York-terrace, Everton, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Widow, deceased (who died on the 29th day of September, 1876, and whose will was proved in the District Registry, at Liverpool, of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 13th day of October, 1876, by William Foden Dodge, of Liverpool aforesaid, Solicitor, the sole executor thereof), are hereby required to send in their claims to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 27th day of November next, at the expiration of which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

T. and W. DODGE and PHIPPS, 15, Lord-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the Executor.

JOHN CLARK, 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 or demand upon or against the estate of John Clark, late of 4, High Swinburne-place, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Boot and Shoe Maker (who died on the 14th day of September, 1876, and whose will was proved by Edward Clark and George Finlay Robinson, the executors therein named, on the 17th day of October, 1876, in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, situate at Newcastle-upon-Tyne, of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in to me, the undersigned, Solicitor to the said executors, the full particulars of their claims or demands in writing, and the nature of their securities, if any, held by them, on or before the 27th day of December next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims as the said executors shall then have had notice of, and they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

EDWARD CLARK, 32, Grainger-street West, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor to the said Executors.

THOMAS ARTHUR BERTIE MOSTYN, Esq., Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of Thomas Arthur Bertie Mostyn, late of 41, St. James's-place, St. James's, in the county of Middlesex, deceased (who died on the 3rd day of October, 1876, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 16th day of October, 1876, by Thomas Harvey Hill, Esq., and William Brown, Gentleman, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send to the undersigned, Alexander Balderston, the Solicitor for the said executors, the particulars of their debts or claims, on or before the 25th day of December next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts or claims of which they shall have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

ALEX. BALDERSTON, 32, Bedford-row, W.C.

FRANCES ANNE JOHNSTON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of Frances Anne Johnston, late of No. 140, Queen's-road, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, deceased (who died on the 13th day of January, 1874, intestate, and of whose estate and effects letters of administration were granted on the 6th day of February, 1874, to Jane Clift, an aunt of the deceased), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to us, the undersigned, on behalf of the said administratrix, on or before the 1st day of December next, at the expiration of which time the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been received; and the said administratrix will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim the said administratrix shall not then have received notice.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

E. and E. L. WAUGH, Cockermonth, Solicitors to the said Administratrix.

WILLIAM PHILIPSON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Philipson, late of Fell Foot-cottages, near Staveley, in the county of Westmorland, Bobbin Manufacturer, deceased (who died on the 2nd day of March, 1876, and whose will was proved by Benjamin Turton, of Staveley aforesaid, Gentleman, and Thomas Philipson, of Fell Foot, near Staveley, Bobbin Manufacturer, two of the executors therein named, on the 25th day

of March, 1876, in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Carlisle), are hereby required to send in the particulars of such claims or demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 12th day of December next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

C. G. THOMSON and WILSON, Finkle-street, Kendal, Solicitors to the said Executors.

JOHN MORRELL, Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having claims or demands upon or against, or claiming any interest in, the estate of John Morrell, late of 5, Alpha-villas, Upper Holloway, in Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, and formerly of 255, Upper-street, in Islington aforesaid, Hairdresser and Stationer (who died on 10th May, 1875, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on 12th June, 1876, by William Turner Morrell, of 17, Frith-street, Soho, Middlesex, Bookbinder, Richard Bryham, of 314, Holloway-road, in Islington aforesaid, Draper, and Enoch Grafton Grattan, of Clyde-road, Croydon, Surrey, Solicitor, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send written particulars of the claims or demands to one of the said executors, on or before 30th November, 1876, after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated 30th October, 1876.

E. G. GRATTAN, Clyde-road, Croydon, S.E., Solicitor to the said Executors.

Re ALLAN SPOWERS, 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 Allan Spowers, late of No. 33, Queensborough-terrace, Baywater, in the county of Middlesex, and of the city of Melbourne, in the Colony of Victoria, Esq., deceased (who died on the 27th day of September, 1876, and whose will was proved by Samuel Hawkes Gabriel, of Northdown Bassett, in the county of Hants, Gentleman, the executor for England named in the said will, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 19th day of October, 1876), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to me, the undersigned, as Solicitor to the said executor, on or before the 1st day of December, 1876. And notice is hereby given, that at the expiration of that time the said executor 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 he shall then have had notice; and that he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

W. W. GABRIEL, 43, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, Solicitor to the said Executor.

WILLIAM BUTCHER, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of William Butcher, late of 9, Waverley-place, Saint John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 4th day of September, 1876, and whose will was proved by Charles Robert Butcher, of 9, Waverley-place aforesaid, Builder, the sole executor therein named, on the 11th day of October, 1876, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to the said Charles Robert Butcher, or to the undersigned, his Solicitor, on or before the 1st day of December, 1876. And notice is hereby also given, that after such 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 of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and that he will not be liable for the assets, or any

part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of October, 1876.

N. BENNETT, 4, Furnival's-inn, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Executor.

GEORGE BECKETT, 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 George Beckett, late of Halton, in the parish of Runcorn, in the county of Chester, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 31st day of March, 1876, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved by Johnson Fletcher, of Marston, in the said county of Chester, Salt Proprietor, one of the surviving executors named in the said will, and the Reverend James Richard Starey, Vicar of Saint Thomas', Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, the executor named in the said codicil, in the District Registry at Chester attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 6th day of June, 1876), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to me, the undersigned, as Solicitor to the said executor, on or before the 30th 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 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 27th day of October, 1876.

ALGERNON FLETCHER, Northwich, Cheshire, Solicitor to the said Executors.

Lady AUGUSTA FITZCLARENCE, 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 the Lady Augusta Fitzclarence, late of Etal Manor House, in the parish of Ford, and county of Northumberland, Widow (who died on the 28th day of July, 1876, and whose will was duly proved by the Right Honourable George Frederick, Earl of Glasgow, and Theodore Williams, Esq., the executors therein named, in the District Registry at Newcastle-upon-Tyne of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Stephen Sanderson, on or before the 30th day of November next. And notice is hereby further given, that after the said 30th day of November next the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Lady Augusta Fitzclarence amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not have had notice at the time of the distribution.—Dated this 24th day of October, 1876.

STEPH. SANDERSON, Berwick-upon-Tweed, Solicitor to the said Executors.

EDWIN MAJOR MORRIS, otherwise EDWIN MAJOR, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having claims against the estate of Edwin Major Morris, otherwise Edwin Major, late of Great Witcombe, Gloucestershire, Publican and Wheelwright, deceased (who died on the 28th of July, 1876, and whose will was proved in the Gloucester District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 3rd of October, 1876, by Allan Hannis, of Great Witcombe aforesaid, the executor thereof), are requested to send, in writing, particulars of their claims to us, the undersigned, on or before the 18th 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 the 17th of October, 1876.

MULLINGS, ELLETT, and CO., Cirencester, Solicitors to the said Executor.

SARAH THORNTON, 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 other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Sarah Thornton, late of Yardley, in the county of Worcester, Widow, deceased (who died on or about the 23rd day of January, 1875, and whose will

was proved by George Muscott, of Yardley aforesaid Tanner, one of the executors thereof, on the 11th day of March, 1876, in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Worcester, are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims and demands to the said George Muscott, or to the undersigned, his Solicitors, on or before the 4th day of December, 1876; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have notice; and that he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

BEALE, MARIGOLD, and BEALE, 30, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Executors.

CAROLINE CHAMBERS, otherwise CAROLINE FELTON, 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 other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Caroline Chambers, otherwise Caroline Felton, formerly of No. 6, Bramley-terrace, South Bridge-road, in the county of Surrey, and late of No. 31, Hanover-street, Pimlico, in the county of Middlesex, Spinster, deceased (who died on or about the 13th day of September, 1876, and whose will was proved by James Marigold and Charles Gabriel Beale, both of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Gentlemen, the executors thereof, on the 16th of October, 1876, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned, on or before the 4th day of December, 1876; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

BEALE, MARIGOLD, and BEALE, 30, Waterloo street, Birmingham, Solicitors for the Executors.

JANE FIRBANK, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons claiming debts and liabilities affecting the estate of Jane Firbank, late of Canney Hill, near Bishop Auckland, in the county of Durham, Widow (who died on the 4th day of September, 1876, and whose will was duly proved in the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Durham, on the 25th day of September, 1876, by George Firbank Bryan, of Canney Hill aforesaid, Tailor, and Thomas Sowerby the younger, of Mount Pleasant, near Cockerton, in the county of Durham, Farmer, the executors named in her said will), are hereby required to send in Messrs. Trotter, Bruce, and Trotter, the Solicitors for the said executors, at Bishop Auckland, in the county of Durham, the particulars of their debts and claims against the estate of the said testatrix, on or before the 30th day of November next; and notice is hereby given, that after the said 30th day of November next the said executors will distribute the assets of the said testatrix among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts and claims of which the said executors shall have had notice, and the said executors will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 18th day of October, 1876.

TROTTER, BRUCE, and TROTTER, Bishop Auckland, Solicitors for the said Executors.

Mrs. HARRIET SCOTT, 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 Harriet Scott, late of No. 39, Lorrimore-road, Walworth, in the county of Surrey, Widow, deceased (who died on the 16th day of August, 1876, and whose will was on the 31st day of August, 1876, proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by William Dollond, of

Danbury House, Pilgrim's Hatch, near Brentwood, in the county of Essex, Esq., the sole executor named in the said will), are hereby required to send in their claims to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 1st day of December next, after which day the said executor will proceed to apply the assets of the testatrix in accordance with her said will, and for the estate so applied he will not be liable to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

DAWES and SONS, 9, Angel-court, Throgmorton-street, London, Solicitors for the said Executor.

WILLIAM JONES, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 25.

ALL creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of William Jones, formerly of Fir Cottage, Canton, near Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, but late of Park Villa, Treceynon, in Aberdare, in the same county, Plasterer (who died on the 21st day of July, 1876, and whose will was proved by Charles Rees, of Shakespeare-street, Roath, in Cardiff aforesaid, Joiner, one of the executors therein named, on the 29th day of August, 1876, in the District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice at Llandaff), are hereby required to send in the particulars thereof to the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of December next, after which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor may then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

H. HEARD, 24, Trinity-street, Cardiff, Solicitor to the said Executor.

Derbyshire.

In the Parishes of Matlock, Darley, Ashover, and Hope, MR EVAN VAUGHAN, of the firm of Harde, Vaughan, and Jenkinson, is instructed by Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall to sell by auction.

As to the property situate in Matlock, Darley, and Ashover:—

At the Market Hall, Matlock Bridge, in the county of Derby, on Wednesday, the 6th day of December, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

And as to the property at Hope:—

At the Castle Hotel, Castleton, in the county of Derby, on Thursday, the 7th day of December, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon, pursuant to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in the cause of Nuttall v. Jackson, 1871, N. 53, valuable freehold and copyhold properties consisting of

A valuable freehold (small part copyhold) dairy or cheese farm, distinguished as Megdale Farm, situate in the parishes of Matlock and Darley, with substantial stone built farm-house, out-buildings, two cottages, orchard, and numerous enclosures of valuable meadow and small part arable land, in all about 116A. 3R. 24P., together with the valuable reversion to a lime stone quarry.

Also a substantially built freehold family residence, with stabling and coach-house, known as Riversdale.

A copyhold messuage and butcher's shop, with stabling adjacent, several enclosures of valuable freehold and copyhold building land, comprising in all about 24A. 0R. 2P., some affording sites for the erection of villa residences or houses of a superior character, and the remainder offering admirable sites for the erection of dwelling-houses with shops and cottages; also small stone built cottage, small shop, and numerous enclosures of valuable freehold and copyhold meadow and garden ground comprising about 102A. 1R. situate in the parish of Matlock; three enclosures of freehold meadow and small part garden land, situate in the parish of Darley, containing about 4A. 2R. 26P.; also a valuable freehold farm at Brockhurst, in the parish of Ashover, containing 16A. 0R. 38P. of excellent arable and meadow land, with small farm-house and homestead, the whole containing about 265 acres, and let to respectable tenants (with the exception of Riversdale House, which is in hand), and producing rentals, included the estimated value of the residence in hand, amounting to £644 6s. per annum.

Also situate in the parish of Hope:—

A freehold corner house, known as the Durham Ox, together with 1A. 1R. of meadow land and small yard with out-buildings, five copyhold tenements and gardens, and numerous enclosures of valuable freehold arable and meadow land, comprising in all 31A. 2R. 28P., and let to a respectable yearly tenant at a rental of £85 per annum.

Printed particulars and conditions of sale may be had of Messrs. Wilkinson and Drew, Solicitors, 151, Bernonday-street, London, S.E.; at the Auction Mart, Tokenhouse-yard, London, S.E.; at the places of sale; at the principal

Inns at Matlock, Ashover, Darley, Hope, and Castleton; and of the Auctioneers, Messrs. Hards, Vaughan, and Jenkinson, 6, Moorgate-street, London, E.C., and Greenwich, Kent.

TO be sold by Auction, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in a cause of Rhodes v. Crawshaw, 1875, R. 70, with the approbation of Vice-Chancellor Malins, by William Frederick Fox, at the Royal Hotel, in Dewsbury, in the county of York, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of November, 1876, at seven o'clock in the evening, in one lot:—

The new mills at Batley Carr Top, in the boroughs of Batley and Dewsbury, consisting of the old mill, three stories high, and the new mill, four stories high, with the warehouse, press shop, west room, two power loom, sheds, tentering machine, place, wiley house, dwelling-house and office, two horse stable and hay chamber over watchhouse, paved yard, reservoir, conveniences, and appurtenances to the said mills, together with the steam engine of 40-horse power, and 2 boilers, 27 feet by 7 diameter, and one 12-horse horizontal steam engine and cylinder, by Horsfield, together also with one oil cistern, weighing machine, 5 stone cisterns, one steam box, 3 water cisterns and iron drying floor and platform, weighing machine in the boiler house, and all the main shafting and cross and upright shafting driven by wheels from the main shafting. Steam and gas pipes for warming and lighting throughout the said mills and premises. The said mills and buildings are freehold and contain an area (including the site of the buildings) of 4790 square yards or thereabouts. They were lately in the possession or occupation of Messrs. George Crawshaw and Company.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had on application to Messrs. Layton and Jaques, Solicitors, 8, Ely-place, London; to Mr. Charles Henry Marriott, Surveyor, Dewsbury; to the Auctioneer, or to Messrs. Scholefield and Son, Solicitors, Dewsbury, where a plan of the estate may be seen.

The undermentioned machinery will be offered on the premises for sale by public auction by William Frederick Fox, in lots, on the 22nd day of November, 1876, and following days until the whole is disposed of, subject to conditions to be then produced namely:—

7 sets of carders and scribblers, 56 power looms, 2 hand-loom, fulling stocks, milling and finishing machinery, and other requisite machinery to follow. Tentering machine, complete counter shafting and drums and straps and steam pipes (other than for warming the mills), and other articles of a personal estate. Catalogues will be ready ten days previous to the sale on application to the Auctioneer.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of Thomas Cockle, deceased, and in an action wherein John Read Cockle is plaintiff, against John Aaron Browne, defendant, 1876, C. 229, the creditors and incumbancers on the real estate of Thomas Cockle, late of Hillbrow, Haddenham, in the Isle of Ely, and county of Cambridge, Farmer, who died in or about the month of April, 1875, are, on or before the 27th day of November, 1876, to send by post, prepaid, to Ebrahim Wayman, of Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge, the Solicitor of John Read Cockle and John Aaron Browne, the executors of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims or incumbrances, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor and incumbancer holding any security is to produce the same before the Master of the Rolls, at his chambers, situated in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Monday, the 11th day of December, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

In the Chancery of the Duchy and County Palatine of Lancaster.—Manchester District.

In the Matter of the 19th and 20th Vict., chap. 120, intituled "An Act to facilitate Leases and Sales of Settled Estates;" and of the Act 21st and 22nd Vict., chap. 77, intituled "An Act to amend and extend the Settled Estates Act, 1856;" and of the Act 27th and 28th Vict., chap. 45, intituled "An Act to further amend the Settled Estates Act of 1856;" and of the Act 37th and 38th Vict., chap. 33, intituled "An Act to extend the powers of the Leases and Sales of Settled Estates Act; and of the Court of Chancery of Lancashire Acts, 1850 and 1854; and in the Matter of certain Freehold and Leasehold Lands and Hereditaments, containing 10A. 2R. 24F. statute measure, or thereabouts, situate at Cow Hill, in the township of Chadderton, in the parish of Oldham-cum-Prestwich, in the county of Lancaster, and

of the Mines and Minerals under certain adjoining Lands, devised by the Will of James Barton, deceased.

PURSUANT to the above-mentioned Acts of Parliament, and the Consolidated General Order of this Court in that behalf, notice is hereby given, that a Petition in the above matters was, on the 23rd day of October, 1876, presented to the Chancellor of the Duchy and County Palatine of Lancaster by the Reverend James Barton, of Hadley, in the parish of Wellington, in the county of Salop, Clerk, Thomas Higson, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Gentleman, and Samuel Millner Barton, of the city of Manchester, Gentleman, William Bellhouse the younger, of the same place, Cotton Spinner, and Frederic Stanley Higson, of the same place, Gentleman, praying that a certain conditional contract entered into by the petitioner, Thomas Higson, for the sale of the said estate at Cow Hill, devised by the Will of the said James Barton, may be approved and carried into effect by this Honourable Court, or that the said estate may be sold under the direction of this Honourable Court, and that all proper enquiries may be made and directions given for effecting such purpose, and that the costs of and incident to this Petition, and of and incident to the said conditional contract, and the carrying the same into effect may be provided for, or that such further or other order may be made in the premises as to his Honour shall seem meet; and that such Petition will be heard before the Vice-Chancellor, at the Assize Courts, Strangeways, Manchester, in the month of November next. And, notice is hereby further given, that the petitioners may be served with any Order of the Court, or of the District Registrar, or with any notice relating to the subject of the said Petition, at the office of the undersigned, their Solicitors.—Dated this 24th day of October, 1876.

HIGSON and SON, 46, Brown-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

JOSIAH HANSON, Deceased.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster, made on the 26th day of October, 1876, in a cause Hanson versus Hanson, the creditors of Josiah Hanson, late of Albert-street, within Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Timber Merchant, deceased, who died on or about the 23rd day of March, 1876, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 25th day of November, 1876, to come in and prove their debts or claims at the office of the District Registrar for the said Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster, situate at Cross-street-chambers, 78, Cross-street, in the city of Manchester, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Thursday, the 14th day of December next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

COUNTY COURTS' JURISDICTION.

PURSUANT to an Order of the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds, made in a suit Charles Thornton against Sarah Ann Ellis, the creditors of, or claimants against, the estate of George Ellis, late of the Claremont Inn, Cobourg-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Publican, who died in or about the month of March, 1876, are, on or before the 15th day of November, 1876, to send by post, prepaid, to the Registrar of the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them. In default thereof they may be excluded from any benefit in the estate. Every creditor holding any security is to produce or transmit the same to the Registrar aforesaid, on or before the said 15th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

THOMAS MARSHALL, Registrar.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors, executed on the 20th day of July, 1876, by Lydia Ann Davis, of 5, Dundas-street, Saltburn-by-the-Sea, in the county of York, Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Trustees are about to declare a Final Dividend under the above deed. All creditors who have not sent in particulars of their claims must, before the 8th day of November next, send the same to Messrs. J. Priestley and Co., of 118 and 119, Cheapside, in the city of London, Accountants, and be prepared to prove them, otherwise they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

GEO. LUCAS, 10, Clifford's-lane, London, E.C. Solicitor to the Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A THIRD Dividend of 9d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of William Barker, of No. 164, New Bond-street, in the county of Middlesex, Goldsmith, Jeweller, and Silversmith, and will be paid by us, at the offices of Howard Haughton Ashworth, No. 3, Salter's Hall-court, Cannon-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, on and after Monday, the 6th day of November, 1876, between the hours of eleven A.M. and four P.M.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

W. PARKER,
HOWARD H. ASHWORTH,
GEORGE E. TOLHURST, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 4s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by James John Cooper, of No. 90, Cecil-street, Birmingham, Retail Brewer and Pearl Button Manufacturer, and will be paid by me, at the office of Mr. Charles Hugh Edwards, 27, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on and after the 9th day of November, 1876.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

W. H. BAGNALL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 8s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Emma Harwood, of No. 39, Bridge-street, Eresham, in the county of Worcester, Berlin Wool and Fancy Work Dealer, and will be paid by me, at my office, Pierpoint-street, in the city of Worcester, on and after the 30th day of October, 1876, between the hours of ten and four.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

DAVID SHAW, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bath.

A DIVIDEND of 3s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Edmund Willcox, of No. 34, Milson-street, in the city of Bath, Ironmonger, and will be paid by me, at No. 5, Westgate-buildings, Bath, on and after the 1st day of November, 1876.—Dated this 30th day of October, 1876.

THOMAS WILTON, Solicitor for the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Gloucester, by transfer from the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.

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 John Winnall, of the parish of Berrow, in the county of Worcester, Farmer, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Burrup and Coren, situate at 3, Berkeley-street, in the city of Gloucester, on and after Thursday, the 9th day of November, 1876, between the hours of ten and four.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

HENRY BRUTON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 2s. 7d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by George Wright, of Masborough, in the parish of Rotherham, in the county of York, Engineer and Machinist, and will be paid by me, at 14, College-street, Rotherham, between the hours of nine A.M. and six P.M., on and after the 7th day of November, 1876.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

CHAS. H. MOSS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. 3d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Patrick Francis Brennan and Hannah, his wife, and Mary Ann Royston, all of 111, Manchester-road, Bradford, in the county of York, Milliners and Drapers, trading in copartnership under the style or firm of H. and M. A. Royston, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Glossop and Gray, Public Accountants, No. 35, Kirkgate, Bradford, on and after Friday, the 3rd day of November, 1876.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

WILLIAM GLOSSOP, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Huddersfield.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 8d. in the pound has been declared on the separate estate of Richard Henry Roberts, in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Richard Henry Roberts, of Waterroyd Mill, Turnbridge, Huddersfield, in the county of York, Angola Yarn Spinner, and of Fox-street, Huddersfield, aforesaid, Cotton Waste Dealer, and Samuel Roberts, of Waterroyd Mill aforesaid, Angola Yarn Spinner, and carrying on business together as Angola Yarn Spinners, at Waterroyd Mill aforesaid, under the firm of Roberts Brothers, and will be paid at the offices of Messrs. Tinker and Yeatman, 22, Ramsden-street, Huddersfield, on and after the 31st day of October, 1876.—Dated this 20th day of October, 1876.

FREDERICK SAMUEL YEATMAN, 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 Charles Benoit, of 25, Archer-street, Westbourne-grove, Bayswater, Middlesex, Upholsterer.

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. Vallancey Lewis, Solicitor, 19, Moorgate-street, City, on the 9th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of October, 1876.

C. VALLANCEY LEWIS, 19, Moorgate-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 Edwin Dormer, of 18, Gresham-street West, in the city of London, trading as C. E. Dormer and Company, Baby Linen Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Robert Minton and Co., 2, Carey-lane, General Post Office, in the city of London, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

WILLM. THOS. REEVE, 39, Noble-street, Gresham-street, West, London, Solicitor for the said Charles Edward Dormer.

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 Wray Morgan, of No. 67, Barbican, in the city of London, Printer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 37, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, on the 11th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

BELL, CROWDER, and GREENFIELD, 37, Queen Victoria-street, 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 Thomas Motley Odell, of 92, Southampton-street, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, Grocer and Cheesemonger.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Fenner, Hilton, and Gifford, No. 2, Gresham-buildings, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, Public Accountants, on the 11th day of November, 1876, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

W. STOPHER, 24, Coleman-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 Alfred Davis, of No. 239, High-street, Camden Town, and late of No. 53, High-street, Notting Hill, and No. 220, High-street, Camden Town aforesaid, all in the county of Middlesex, Glass and Hardware 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. Henry W. Banks,

28, Coleman-street, in the city of London, on the 16th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of October, 1876.

W. STOPHER, 24, Coleman-street, E.C., Solicitor for the said Alfred Davis.

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 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.

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 Algernon Edward Sydney, 46, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London, Solicitor, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th 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 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 New First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. George Presswell, No. 8, Old Jewry, in the city of London, Solicitor, on the 15th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 28th 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 Abraham Robinson, late of No. 38, Duke-street, Aldgate, in the city of London, but now of No. 34, Middlesex-street, Aldgate, in the said city, Furrier.

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 London Warehousemen's Association, No. 111, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 16th day of November, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

FREDERIC CLIFT, 111, Cheapside, London, Solicitor for the said Abraham Robinson.

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 Sheen, formerly of No. 88A, Packer-street, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, then of No. 66, Ockenden-road and No. 94, Ockenden-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, then of No. 156, Church-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Horse Dealer and Cab Proprietor, now of No. 66, Ockenden-road, in the county of Middlesex, Assistant to a Horse Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. W. T. Ricketts, No. 19, Frederick-street, Gray's-inn-road, in the county of Middlesex, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

W. T. RICKETTS, Solicitor for the said William Sheen.

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 French, of 185, Barnet-grove, Bethnal Green-road, in the county of Middlesex, Wholesale Boot and Shoe Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 18, Lansdown-terrace, Grove-road, Victoria Park, in the county of Middlesex, on the 8th day of November, 1876, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of October, 1876.

WILLIAM HICKS, 18, Lansdown-terrace, Grove-road, Victoria Park, 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 Alexander Samuel Pyke, of 26, Ely-place, Holborn, Manufacturing Jeweller and Wine Importer, residing at 75, Guildford-street, Russell-square, both in 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. Lewis and Lewis, 10, Ely-place, Holborn, Middlesex, on the 27th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

LEWIS and LEWIS, 10, Ely-place, Holborn, Solicitors for the said Alexander Samuel Pyke.

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 Houghton, of No. 76, Holly-street, Dalston, in the county of Middlesex, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 5, Salter's Hall-court, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on the 7th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of October, 1876.

FREDK. C. WILDASH, 5, Salter's Hall-court, Cannon-street, Solicitor for the said John William Houghton.

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 Clarkson, of 9, Weymouth-terrace, Hackney-road, in the county of Middlesex, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Parke, No. 23, Colebrooke-row, Islington, Middlesex, on the 8th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of October, 1876.

C. PARKE, 23, Colebrooke-row, N., Solicitor for the said William Clarkson.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry William Oliphant, of No. 18, Saint Edmund's-terrace, Saint John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex, of no occupation.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Thomas Robert Apps, No. 7, South-square, Gray's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, on the 11th day of November, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of October, 1876.

T. R. APPS, 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 Bennett, of No. 2, Lambeth-square, Surrey, formerly of No. 28, North-street, Portsea, Hampshire, 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 Masons' Hall Tavern, Masons'-avenue, in the city of London, on the 9th day of November, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

W. W. KING, 42, Fish-street-hill, 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 John Read Bloomfield, of No. 146, Stamford-street, Blackfriars, in the county of Surrey, Greengrocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. J. Seymour Kisch, Argyll chambers, No. 7, Argyll-place, Regent-street, in the county of Middlesex, on the 9th day of November, 1876, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of October, 1876.

J. SEYMOUR KISCH, Argyll-chambers, 7, Argyll-place, Regent-street, 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 Alfred Phoenix Miller, of Westbury Villa, Station road, and Furze-hill Cottage, Warwick-road, Redhill, in the county of Surrey, House Decorator.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at London Joint Stock Bank-chambers, Charterhouse-street, in the county of Middlesex, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of October, 1876.

H. SEYMOUR HUBBARD, London Joint Stock Bank-chambers, Charterhouse-street, E.C., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Kingston.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Pemier Willis, of West Moulsey, in the county of Surrey, Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Law Institution, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

WM. STOLLARD, 29, South Molton-street, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Kingston.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Cumby, of Chobham, in the county of Surrey, Gas 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 No. 37, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, on the 25th day of November, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

E. F. MARSHALL, Solicitor for the said Thomas Cumby.

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 Frederick Smale, of the Ordnance Arms, Military-road, Hythe, Kent, 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 the Ordnance Arms, Hythe, Kent, on the 15th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

J. MINTER, Folkestone, Kent, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

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 Henry Hazlewood, of Woodbridge, in the county of Suffolk, Watchmaker.

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. Nichols and Leatherdale, 6, Jewry-chambers, Old Jewry, London, E.C., on the 14th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

COOPER C. BROOKE, Solicitor for the said Henry Hazlewood.

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 Lancelot Steele Dixon, of 136, Bedford-road, Rock Ferry, and Frederick Lowry Richardson, of Dee Bank, West Kirby, both in the county of Chester, and carrying on business in copartnership at 53 and 55, Cable-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Dixon, Richardson, and Co., as Wholesale Stationers.

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 Law Association Rooms, Cook-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

J. P. HARRIS, 7, Union-court, Castle-street, Liverpool, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

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

Lancelot Steele Dixon, of 136, Bedford-road, Rock Ferry, and Frederick Lowry Richardson, of Dee Bank, West Kirby, both in the county of Chester, and carrying on business in copartnership at 53 and 55, Cable-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Dixon, Richardson, and Co., as Wholesale Stationers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Lancelot Steele Dixon has been summoned to be held at the Law Association Rooms, Cook street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of October, 1876.

J. P. HARRIS, 7, Union-court, Castle-street, 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 Lancelot Steele Dixon, of 136, Bedford-road, Rock Ferry, and Frederick Lowry Richardson, of Dee Bank, West Kirby, both in the county of Chester, and carrying on business in copartnership at 53 and 55, Cable-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Dixon, Richardson, and Co., as Wholesale Stationers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Frederick Lowry Richardson has been summoned to be held at the Law Association Rooms, Cook-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

J. P. HARRIS, 7, Union-court, Castle-street, 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 George Edward Lewis, of No. 134, Brownlow-hill, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster.

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 rooms of the Liverpool Incorporated Law Society, 14, Cook-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 15th day of November, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

J. F. H. ATKINSON, 22, North John-street, 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 Garrett O'Connor, of No. 12, Bath-street, Waterloo, in the county of Lancaster, Boot and Shoe Maker and Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Joseph Johnston Ritson, Imperial-chambers, 62, Dale-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on the 16th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

JOS. J. RITSON, Imperial-chambers, 62, Dale-street, 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 Thomas Atherton, of Prescot, in the county of Lancaster, Plumber and Painter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. William Tyrer, 13, Vicarage-place, Prescot aforesaid, on the 16th day of November, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

WM. TYRER, 13, Vicarage-place, Prescot, 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 Benjamin Brierley, of the Market Hall, Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, Greengrocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Commercial Hotel, Brown-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 15th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

F. BAKER ASHWORTH, Yorkshire-street, Rochdale, 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 Second 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 2nd day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th 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 Blackburn. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Enoch Haworth, of No. 77, Whalley-road, Accrington, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Crown Hotel, Blackburn-road, Accrington aforesaid, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

J. BALLARD, Accrington, Solicitor for the said Enoch Haworth.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Blackburn. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Nicholas Bourn, of the Black Bull Inn, Billington, near Whalley, in the county of Lancaster, Innkeeper and Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. William Tew Holland, Solicitor, No. 77, Northgate, within Blackburn, in the said county, on the 3rd day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

W. T. HOLLAND, 77, Northgate, Blackburn, Solicitor for the said Nicholas Bourn.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ashton-under-Lyne. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Buckley, of 81, High-street, Lees, near Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Joseph Sampson, Solicitor, 38, South King-street, Manchester, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

JOSEPH SAMPSON, 38, South King-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ulverston and at Barrow-in-Furness. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Fuller, of Furnace-place, Askam-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, 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 Sharp's Hotel, 17, Strand, Barrow-in-Furness, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

FRANK TAYLOR, 16, Strand, Barrow-in-Furness, Solicitor for the said Charles Fuller.

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 William Heawood Wood, of Ordsall Hill Ironworks, Regent-road, and residing at West Ashton-street, Eccles New-road, both in Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer and Contractor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Mire Hotel, Cathedral Gates, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

JNO. K. McOWEN, 44, Lloyd-street, Manchester, Solicitor 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 William Richardson, of Market-place, Streetford, in the county of Lancaster, Practical Watch and Clock Maker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Joseph Arthur Horner, Solicitor, 3, Clarence-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 22nd day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

JOE. A. HORNER, 3, Clarence-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Pollitt, of 17, Mayes-street, Dantzic-street, Manchester, and of No. 1, Hampshire-street, Johnson-street, Smedley-lane, Cheetham, Manchester, Shirt and Clothing Manufacturer and Warehouseman.

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 Wheat Sheaf Hotel, Fennel-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 3rd day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

JNO. STANDRING, King-street, South-parade, Rochdale, Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Samuels, of 66, Faulkner-street, in the city of Manchester, Fustian Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Grundy and Kershaw, Solicitors, 31, Booth-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 3rd day of November, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

GRUNDY and KERSHAW, 31, Booth-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Henry Samuels.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Yarlo Holden, of 61, Princess-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Paper 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. Joseph Sampson, Solicitor, 38, South King-street, Manchester, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

JOSEPH SAMPSON, 38, South King-street, Manchester, Solicitor 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 Patrick Armstrong, of Charles-street, Lower Byrom-street, in the city of Manchester, Slate Merchant, trading under the style or firm of P. Armstrong 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 Mr. A. Credland, Solicitor, No. 41, John Dalton-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 20th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

A. CREDLAND, 41, John Dalton-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Davies, of No. 19, Great Ducie-street, Strangeways, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engine Fitter and Beer Retailer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. George Bernard Horner, of No. 12, St. Mary's-street, Deansgate, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Solicitor, on the 15th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

G. B. HORNER, 12, St. Mary's-street, Deansgate, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Edward Davies.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Dill, of Gordon Villa, Chorlton-road, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Doctor of Medicine.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Samuel Simpson, of South Gate, Lower King-street, in the city of Manchester, Solicitor, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

SAML. SIMPSON, South Gate, Lower King-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Wigan. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Dowse, of Hart Common, Westhoughton, in the county of Lancaster, and formerly of Withington-lane, Aspull, in the said county, 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 my office, situate No. 4, King-street, Wigan, in the said county of Lancaster, on the 11th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

ROBT. STUART, 4, King-street, Wigan, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Boyce Douglas, of 51, Church-street, Little Lever, and 23, Nelson-square, Bolton-le-Moors, both in the county of Lancaster, Doctor of Medicine.

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 Whitt, Accountant, No. 8, King-street, Manchester, on the 20th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

W. K. WHITEHEAD, 30, Brazennose-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said George Boyce Douglas.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Ashworth, of No. 88, High-street, Little Lever, near Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Joseph Green, of No. 30, Brazennose-street, Manchester, Public Accountant, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

JNO. H. BOWDEN, 26, King-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Michael McNicholas, of No. 41, Bow-street, Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of the undersigned, No. 20, Acresfield, Bolton, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

JOHN HALL, 20, Acresfield, Bolton, Solicitor for the said Michael McNicholas.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Ellis Partington, of 40, Moncrieffe-street, Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Rutter, Solicitor, No. 9, Mawdsley-street, Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, on the 6th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

J. MARTIN RUTTER, 9, Mawdsley-street, Bolton, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Isaac Howarth, of Hesp Bridge, within Bury, in the county of Lancaster, Butcher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 6, Garden-street, Bury aforesaid, on the 6th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

FRED. ANDERTON, 6, Garden-street, Bury, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Benjamin Waring, of 24, Joseph Lee-street, Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Clerk.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Walter Scowcroft, of No. 25, Townhall-square, Bolton, on the 6th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

WALTER SCOWCROFT, 25, Townhall-square, Bolton, 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 Thomas Edgar, of King-street, Blackpool, in the county of Lancaster, Journeyman Joiner.

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. Morgan, Solicitor, 9, Church-street, Blackpool aforesaid, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

ALFRED T. MORGAN, 9, Church-street, Blackpool, Solicitor for the said Thomas Edgar.

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 James Bottomley Walsh, of Halifax and Bradford, both in the county of York, Plumber and Contractor, trading under the style of George Walsh and Son.

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. 26, George-street, Halifax aforesaid, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

WAVELL, FOSTER, and WAVELL, 26, George-street, Halifax, Solicitor for the said James Bottomley Walsh.

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 Erskine Ince, of Melbourne-place, Lowfields, in Sheffield, in the county of York, formerly Secretary, but now out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. W. J. Clegg and Sons, 57, Bank-street, Sheffield in the county of York, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

WM. J. CLEGG and SONS, 57, Bank-street, Sheffield, Solicitors for the said George Erskine Ince.

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 Thomas Kay, of Intake, in the parish of Handsworth, in the county of York, Joiner and Builder, and also carrying on the business of an Auctioneer and Valuer.

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. Burdekin, Smith, and Pye-Smith, Solicitors, 41, Norfolk-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, on the 10th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of October, 1876.

BURDEKIN and CO., Solicitors for the said Thomas Kay.

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 Robert Henry Sharp, formerly of Rotherham, but now of No. 84, Brunswick-street and Midland-yard, Sheffield, both in the county of York, 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. Macredie and Evans, the Alliance-chambers, George-street, Sheffield, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

F. PARKER RHODES, 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 John Horsfall, of Bradford Moor, Bradford, in the county of York, recently trading under the style of Jowett and Horsfall, as a Contractor and Stone Mason, but now out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Francis Brooke Wilkinson, No. 15, Kirkgate, Bradford aforesaid, Solicitor, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

F. B. WILKINSON, 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 George Wilson, of Saltaire-road, Shipley, in the parish of Bradford, in the county of York, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Francis Brooke Wilkinson, No. 15, Kirkgate, Bradford aforesaid, Solicitor, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

F. B. WILKINSON, 15, Kirkgate, Bradford, 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 Thomas Hardcastle, of Undercliffe, Bradford, in the county of York, formerly Grocer, but now Woollorter.

NOTICE 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 11th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

TERRY and ROBINSON, Solicitors for the said Thomas Hardcastle.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Barnsley.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Sarah Ann Costar, of Barnsley, in the county of York, formerly Shopkeeper, 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 office of Mr. John Brooke Freeman, on the 23rd day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

JOHN I. FREEMAN, Church-street, Barnsley, Solicitor for the said Sarah Ann Costar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Smith Cussons, of No. 26, Paragon-street, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Fancy Stationer.

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. Bell, Brodriek, and Gray, Solicitors, 9, Bow Churchyard, Cheapside, London, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of October, 1876.

W. J. and P. REED, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

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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 Grover, of Beverley, in the county of York, Gentleman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Robinson and Son, North Bar within, in Beverley aforesaid, Solicitors, on the 10th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of October, 1876.

ELDRIDGE and STEPHENSON, Solicitors 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 Thomas Hewson, of No. 6, Derringham-street, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Dealer in Granite, Marble, and Stone, and Marble and Stone Mason.

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. Francis Summers, No. 2, Manor-street, Kingston-upon-Hull, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th 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 Huddersfield.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Watkinson, of New-street, in Huddersfield, in the county of York, Berlin Wool and Fancy Goods Dealer, and Auctioneer and Valuer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Charles Mills, Solicitor, Byram-buildings, Westgate, Huddersfield, on the 15th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

CHA. MILLS, Byram buildings, Westgate, Huddersfield, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Peach, of Burton-road and Queen-street, in the borough of Derby, 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 offices of Mr. Samuel Leech, Solicitor, St. James's-street, in the borough of Derby, on the 20th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of October, 1876.

SAMUEL LEECH, St. James's-street, Derby, Solicitor for the said William Peach.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Mary Fleming, of Utroxteter Old-road and of the Market Hall, both in the borough of Derby, Smallware 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 Arthur Gretton, Solicitor, Victoria-chambers, 7½, Corn-market, Derby, on the 15th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

WM. ARTHUR GRETTON, 7½, Corn-market, Derby, Solicitor for the said Mary Fleming.

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 Ann Powell, of Broad Blunsdon, in the county of Wilts, Widow, late of No. 20, Westcott-place, New Swindon, in the said county, Beer Retailer and Shop Keeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Great Western Hotel, New Swindon, in the county of Wilts, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

JOSEPH SADLER LOVETT, Cricklade, Wilts, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Bedford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Gell, of Bedford, in the county of Bedford, Moulder.

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. Conquest and Clare, Duke-street, Bedford, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

CONQUEST and CLARE, Bedford, Solicitors for the said John Gell.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Cockermouth.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Lawson, of Maryport, in the county of Cumberland, Schoolmaster.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 27A, Kirkby-street, Maryport, on the 11th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of October, 1876.

P. DE E. COLLIN, of 37, John-street, Maryport, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Herefordshire, holden at Hereford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Martin, formerly of Marsh House, in the parish of Eaton Bishop, in the county of Hereford, Farmer, but now of No. 16, King-street, in the city of Hereford, 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 No. 5, St. Peter-street, Hereford, on the 11th day of November, 1876, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

JAMES and BODENHAM, 5, St. Peter-street, Hereford, Solicitors for the said Henry Martin.

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 John Richard Gay, of No. 79, Ivy-street, Southsea, in the parish of Portsea, in the county of Hants, Builder and Beer Retailer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Wainsect, No. 9, Union-street, Portsea, in the county of Hants, on the 11th day of November, 1876, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th 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 Southampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Bullen, of No. 101, Bevois-street, in the town and county of Southampton, Oil 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. E. R. V. Shutte, 23, Portland-street, in the town and county of Southampton, on the 8th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of October, 1876.

E. R. V. SHUTTE, 23, Portland-street, Southampton, Solicitor 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 Alfred Fiddis Vogt, of No. 8, Marefair, in the town of Northampton, 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 office of Mr. Thomas Ashdowne, No. 17, the Drapery, Northampton, on the 10th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of October, 1876.

THOMAS ASHDOWNE, of 17, the Drapery, Northampton, 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 Edward Child, Joseph Robert Child, and Nathaniel Dean, of No. 29, Monmouth-street, in the city of Bath, trading under the style or firm of Child, Son, and Dean, Wine Merchants.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at No. 1, Queen-square, in the city of Bath, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

J. HORTON DYER, 1, Queen-square, Bath, Solicitor for the said Edward Child, Joseph Robert Child, and Nathaniel Dean.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bath. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Child, Joseph Robert Child, and Nathaniel Dean, of No. 29, Monmouth-street, in the city of Bath, trading under the style or firm of Child, Son, and Dean.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the separate estate of the above-named Edward Child has been summoned to be held at No. 1, Queen-square, in the city of Bath, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

J. HORTON DYER, 1, Queen-square, Bath, Solicitor for the said Edward Child.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bath. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Child, Joseph Robert Child, and Nathaniel Dean, of No. 29, Monmouth-street, in the city of Bath, trading under the style or firm of Child, Son, and Dean, Wine and Spirit Merchants.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the separate estate of the above-named Joseph Robert Child has been summoned to be held at No. 1, Queen-square, in the city of Bath, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

J. HORTON DYER, 1, Queen-square, Bath, Solicitor for the said Joseph Robert Child.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bath. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Child, Joseph Robert Child, and Nathaniel Dean, of No. 29, Monmouth-street, in the city of Bath, trading under the style or firm of Child, Son, and Dean, Wine and Spirit Merchants.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the separate estate of the above-named Nathaniel Dean has been summoned to be held at No. 1, Queen-square, Bath, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at half-past one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

J. HORTON DYER, 1, Queen-square, Bath, Solicitor for the said Nathaniel Dean.

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 Frederick Ranger, of Chippenham, in the county of Wilts, Innkeeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the King's Head Inn, Chippenham, in the county of Wilts, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

RICHD. B. WOOD, Chippenham, Wilts, Solicitor for the said Frederick Ranger.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Wells. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Steeds, of Clapton Farm, Clapton, in the county of Somerset, Yeoman.

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. Marly and Sons, Old Post Office-chambers, Corn-street, in the city of Bristol, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

MARLY and SONS, Solicitors for the said Debtor,

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Yeovil. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Rodberd, of Preston Plucknett, in the county of Somerset, late Innkeeper, 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 Half Moon Inn, in King-street, Melcombe Regis, Weymouth, in the county of Dorset, on the 15th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of October, 1876.

WM. GLYDE, Wyndham House, Yeovil, Somerset, Solicitor for the said John Rodberd.

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 William Talbot, of No. 2, Linden-villas, Garendon-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicestershire, Commercial Traveller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, situate No. 5, Belvoir-street, Leicester, on the 6th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

THOMAS WRIGHT, 5, 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 Alfred Thornton Mowbray, of 27, Albion-hill, Leicester, in the county of Leicestershire, 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. Fowler, Smith, and Warwick, Solicitors, Grey Friars-chambers, Friar-lane, Leicester, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

FOWLER, SMITH, and WARWICK, Friar-lane, Leicester, Solicitors for the said Alfred Thornton Mowbray.

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 William Allen, of 4, Framland-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicestershire, Joiner and Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Joseph Harvey, Selborne-buildings, Millstone-lane, Leicester, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

JOSEPH HARVEY, Selborne-buildings, Millstone-lane, Leicester, Solicitor for the said William Allen.

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 Thomas Sherwin, of Upper Bond-street, Hinckley, in the county of Leicestershire, Manufacturer of Cotton Hosiery.

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 Craven Arms Hotel, Coventry, on the 11th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

JOS. HOMER, 27, West Orchard, Coventry, 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 Frederick Towell, of No. 18, Saint Martin's-place, Broad-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, formerly of No. 4, King Alfred-place, Birmingham aforesaid, Carpenter and Joiner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of John Edward Smith, Solicitor, 20, Temple-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 11th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

JOHN EDWARD SMITH, 20, Temple-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 Gilderdale John Parkinson, of 307, Moseley-road, near Birmingham, in the parish of King's Norton, in the county of Worcester, 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 Messrs. Saunders and Bradbury, No. 20, Temple-row, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Solicitors, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

SAUNDERS and BRADBURY, 20, Temple-row, Birmingham, Solicitors for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles William Hughes, of 42, Carver-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Grocer and Baker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Hawkes and Weekes, of No. 14, Temple-street, Birmingham aforesaid, Solicitors, on the 15th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 28th 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 John Gilbert, of No. 41, Cattell-road, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Baker, Grocer, and Corn Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Buller and Bickley, Solicitors, No. 30, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

BULLER and BICKLEY, 30, Bennett's-hill, 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 Hunter, of the Lamb and Flag Inn, John-street, Dale End, Birmingham, Licensed Victualer.

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. Maber and Poncia, 41, Temple-street, Birmingham, on the 10th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

MAHER and PONCIA, Solicitors 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 Thomas Arkell, of the Town Farm, Ufton, in the county of Warwick, Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of the undersigned, situate at Lower Bedford-street, Leamington, in the county of Warwick, on the 17th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

H. C. PASSMAN, Solicitor for the said Thomas Arkell.

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 Samuel Young Lovell, of Richmond House, No. 18, Willes-road, Leamington, in the county of Warwick, Commission Agent and Dressmaker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Charles James Abbott, No. 10, Spencer-street, Leamington aforesaid, on the 22nd day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

C. J. ABBOTT, Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Bonnor Soley, of Ombersley, in the county of Worcester, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Frederick and Henry Corbett, Solicitors, Avenue House, the Cross, in the city of Worcester, on the 8th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of October, 1876.

F. and H. CORBETT, Avenue House, the Cross, Worcester, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Edwards, of No. 25. Friar-street, in the city of Worcester, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Richard Joseph Williams Pitt, Solicitor, the Avenue, Cross, in the city of Worcester, on the 16th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

R. J. W. PITT, the Avenue, Cross, Worcester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Dudley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Scattergood, of the Old Buffery Boiler Works, Dudley, and of Netherton, both in the county of Worcester, Boiler Manufacturer, trading as Scattergood and Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Frederick Marshall Burton, No. 53, Union-passage, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

F. M. BURTON, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Kidderminster.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Hartopp, of No. 16, Coventry-street, Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, Coal Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Miller Corbet and Co., Solicitors, situate at Baxter-chambers, Church-street, Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, on the 10th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

MILLER CORBET and CO., of Kidderminster, Solicitors for the said Richard Hartopp.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Kidderminster.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Martin Gerard, of the Duke William Inn, Bewdley, in the county of Worcester, 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 the office of Mr. William Henry Talbot, Solicitor, 35, Church-street, Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, on the 10th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

W. H. TALBOT, of Kidderminster, Worcester, shire, Solicitor for the said Henry Martin Gerard.

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 William James Davis, of Newport, in the county of Salop, Saddler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Brooke Hector Smallwood, Solicitor, Newport, Salop, on the 15th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

B. H. SMALLWOOD, Newport, Salop, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Stafford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Harding, of Stone, in the county of Stafford, Manager to a Shoemaker.

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 Robin Hood, Church-street, Stone, in the county of Stafford, on the 8th day of November, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of October, 1876.

JAMES JOHN HUTCHINSON, of 18, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, 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 William Dawes, of the Three Swans Inn, Holyhead-road, Wednesbury, in the county of Stafford, 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 the offices of Messrs. Slater and Marshall, Solicitors, Buteroft, Darlaston, in the county of Stafford, on the 11th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

SLATER and MARSHALL, Solicitors 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 George Emery Millington, of Bilston, in the county of Stafford, Taylor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, No. 34, Lichfield-street, Bilston aforesaid, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

JOHN WILLIAM HALL, Lichfield-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 Thomas Gough, of No. 4, Stringer-lane, Willenhall, in the county of Stafford, Painter and Glazier.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. George Baker, Solicitor, 63, Walsall-street, Willenhall aforesaid, on the 7th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

GEO. BAKER, 63, Walsall-street, Willenhall, Solicitor for the said Thomas Gough.

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 Charles Clark, trading as Rudge and Clark, of North-road, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, File Cutter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Thomas Dallow, Solicitor, 15, Queen-square, Wolverhampton, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

THOS. DALLOW, 15, Queen-square, Wolverhampton, Solicitor for the said Charles Clark.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Bennett, known as W. A. B. Thompson, of St. John-street, Hanley, in the county of Stafford, Medical Botanist.

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 Copeland Arms Inn, Stoke-upon-Trent, on the 10th day of November, 1876, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

WILLIAM BENNETT, the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Birkenhead. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Glazebrook, of No. 88, St. Paul's-road, Tranmere, in the county of Chester, Mariner and Provision Dealer. **NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Zacheus Roberts Killey, situate at No. 23, Lord-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Solicitor, on the 11th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

Z. R. KILLEY, 22, Lord-street, Liverpool, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Birkenhead. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Hirst, of 56, Oxton-road, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, Grocer, Earthenware Dealer, and Plasterer. **NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of J. G. B. Mawson, Public Accountant, 8, Duncan-street, Birkenhead, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

ROBT. ANDERSON, 108, Conway-street, Birkenhead, Solicitor for the said John Hirst.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Birkenhead. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Clarkson, of No. 66, Market-street and No. 34, Argyle-street, both in Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, Confectioner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Thomas Morris Downham, Solicitor, No. 7, Market-street, Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

T. M. DOWNHAM, 7, Market-street, Birkenhead, Solicitor for the said William Clarkson.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Birkenhead. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alfred Wood, of No. 383, New Chester-road, Tranmere, in the county of Chester, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Thompson and Simm, Accountants, 47, Hamilton-square, Birkenhead, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

ROBT. ANDERSON, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Mulford, of the Clifton Down Station Coal Depot, and also of 77, Philip-street, Redmiser, both in the city and county of Bristol, 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. Solomon Hare, Accountant, No. 4, Exchange-buildings East, in the said city and county of Bristol, on the 9th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of October, 1876.

EDWARD ERNEST BARNARD, 19, Clare-street, Bristol, Solicitor 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 Sophia Louisa Tuckett, now of No. 13, Brighton-terrace, Woolcot Park, Redland, in the city and county of Bristol, formerly of No. 12, Westbourne-place, Clifton, in the said city and county, and prior thereto of No. 13, Aberdeen-terrace West, Clifton, in the said city and county, Lodging-house Keeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Francis George Sherrard, 21, Baldwin-street, in the said city and county of Bristol, on the 11th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

FRANCIS GEORGE SHERRARD, 21, Baldwin-street, Bristol, 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 William Arthur Lowther, of Old Basford, in the county of Nottingham, Tailor and Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. George Belk, No. 7, Middle-pavement, Nottingham, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

GEORGE BELK, No. 7, Middle-pavement, 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 John McGuinn, residing and carrying on business at Hope Tavern, 50, Wellington-street, South Shields, in the county of Durham, 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 the offices of William Emiley Octavius Scott, of 32, King-street, South Shields, in the county of Durham, Solicitor, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

W. E. O. SCOTT, 32, King-street, South Shields, Solicitor for the said John McGuinn.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Cossey, of Rackheath, in the county of Norfolk, Bricklayer and Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Joseph Stanley, Solicitor, Bank-plain, in the city of Norwich, on the 9th day of November, 1876, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of October, 1876.

JOSEPH STANLEY, Bank-plain, Norwich, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Ellis, of Infirmary-road, in the county of the city of Norwich, Shoemaker and Publican.

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. J. O. Taylor and Sons, Solicitors, Old Bank-buildings, Upper King-street, in the city of Norwich, on the 7th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

J. O. TAYLOR and SONS, Old Bank-buildings, Norwich, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Peterborough.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Seward Ruston, of Charteris, in the Isle of Ely, in the county of Cambridge, Coal 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 Messrs. Wallingford, Day, and Wallingford, Solicitors, in Saint Ives, in the county of Huntingdon, on the 15th day of November, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

G. N. DAY, Saint Ives, Hunts, 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 Tonkin Young and James Young, of Saint Ives, in the county of Cornwall, Merchants and Shipowners.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Rodd and Cornish, Solicitors, Parade-street, Penzance, on the 10th day of November, 1876, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

JOHN R. PAULL, Truro, Solicitor for the said James Young.

RODD and CORNISH, Penzance, Solicitors for the said Tonkin Young.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton, In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Smith, of 83, Western-road, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Chemist.

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. Clennell and Fraser, 6, Great James-street, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, on the 11th day of November, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of October, 1876.

J. K. NYE, 9, North-street, Brighton, Solicitor for the said William Smith.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Hastings. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Jesse Page, of No 11, Shepherd-street, Saint Leonard's-on-Sea, in the county of Sussex, 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 1, Harold-place, Hastings, in the county of Sussex, on the 10th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

C. DAVENPORT JONES, 1, Harold-place, Hastings, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at East Stonehouse. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Francis Thorne, of Broad-street, Launceston, in the county of Cornwall, Ironmonger.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 44, George-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, on the 10th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

ELLIOT SQUARE, of 44, George-street, Plymouth, Solicitor for the said Francis Thorne.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carnarvonshire, holden at Bangor. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Ellis Hughes, of Clynog Fawr, in the county of Carnarvon, Flour 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 Alexandra Hotel, Dale-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on the 15th day of November, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

JOHN B. ALLANSON, Church-street, Carnarvon, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Tredegar. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Gaut, of the Riflemen's Arms Inn, Blaenavon, in the parish of Llanover Upper, in the county of Monmouth, Innkeeper, Contractor, and Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Thomas Watkins, Solicitor, Pontypool, in the county of Monmouth on the 13th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

T. WATKINS, Pontypool, Solicitor 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 Alfred Warr, of Stow-hill, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Undertaker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Tribe, Clarke, and Co., Accountants, 50, High-street, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, on the 13th day of November, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of October, 1876.

WILLIAMS and CO., 16, Dock-street, Newport, Mon., Solicitors for the said Alfred Warr.

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 Richard Harris, of Wind-street, in the town of Neath, in the county of Glamorgan, Boot and Shoe Maker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Martin Seale, Solicitor, situate in the London-road, in the town of Neath, in the county of Glamorgan, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

MARTIN SCALE, Neath, Glamorganshire, Solicitor for the said Richard Harris.

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 Charles Powell, of Pwll-y- domen, in the parish of Llangyfelach, in the county of Glamorgan, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 4, Rutland-street, at Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan on the 20th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th 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 Swansea. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Davies, of 223, High-street, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Fruiterer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Donague, 7, Worcester-place, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, on the 10th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

JOHN DONAGUE, 7, Worcester-place, Swansea, 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 William Fishwick, of Guisbrough and Boosbeck, both in the county of York, Builder and Contractor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Mr. Griffiths', Temperance Hotel, 85, Linthorpe-road, Middlesborough, on the 15th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

GEO. BAINBRIDGE, 24, Albert-road, Middlesborough, 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 George Thompson, of 28, Aldam-street, Darlington, in the county of Durham, Wood 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 Robinson, Houndgate, Darlington, in the county of Durham, on the 9th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 19th day of October, 1876.

WILL. ROBINSON, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Jackson, of No. 5, Silver-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Pawnbroker and Outfitter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Henry Lucas Turner, Solicitor, No. 5, Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 3rd day of November, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

H. LUCAS TURNER, 5, Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said Joseph Jackson.

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 Thomas Garbutt, of West Hartlepool, in the county of Durham, formerly Salt Merchant, but now Commercial Traveller.

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 Raglan Hotel, West Hartlepool, on the 4th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

THOMAS GARBUTT, the above-named 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 Thomas Carr, of Langley Moor, in the county of Durham, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Charles Chapman, Saint Nicholas-court, Market-place, in the city of Durham, on the 14th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

CHARLES CHAPMAN, Saint Nicholas - court, Market-place, in the city of Durham, Solicitor for the said Thomas Carr.

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 Cathbert Brunton, of Clyde-terrace, Spennymoor, in the county of Durham, Carter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at High Bondgate, Bishop Auckland, on the 15th day of November, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

GEO. MAW, Jun., High Bondgate, Bishop Auckland, Solicitor for the said Cathbert Brunton.

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 Robert Bayley, of Glasgow House, Commercial-road, Bournemouth, in the county of Hants, Ironmonger, trading under the style or firm of H. Bayley.

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, 269, High Holborn, London, W.C., on the 11th day of November, 1876, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

H. T. TREVANION, Poole, Dorset, Solicitor for the said Robert Bayley.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Lincoln.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Davison Newbold, of St. Benedict's-square, in the city of Lincoln, and of Carholme-road, in the same city, Rag Merchant, Marine and General Store Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Joseph Durance, Solicitor, No. 25, Mint-lane, Lincoln, on the 15th day of November, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

JOSH. DURANCE, 25, Mint-lane, Lincoln, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

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 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, trading under the firm of O'Hara, Lees, and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named persons will be held at the office of Mr. John William Longbottom, Solicitor, Northgate-chambers, Halifax, on Tuesday, the 7th day of November next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to consider an offer made by Mr. Thomas Lees for the purchase of the estate of the debtors at a sum which shall be equal to the full amount of the creditors' claims; the purchase money to be paid by four equal instalments at six, nine, twelve, and fifteen months, the last instalment to be secured and the estate to remain vested in the

Trustee until the first three instalments have been paid, which offer the Committee of Inspection recommend (in the event of no better offer being made) should be accepted by the creditors; and to pass such resolutions in respect to such offer or as to the disposal of the debtors' property as the creditors may deem fit.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

WILLIAM ROBERTS, 31, Silver-street, Halifax, Trustee.

J. W. LONGBOTTOM, Northgate, Halifax, Solicitor acting in the proceedings.

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 Sylvester Emil Sichel and John Groves, both of Leeds-road, Bradford, in the county York, Stuff Merchants and Copartners, trading under the firm of S. E. Sichel and Co.

A MEETING of the Joint Creditors of the said debtors will be held at the offices of Messrs. Wood and Killick, Commercial Bank-buildings, Bradford aforesaid, on Wednesday, the 8th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of granting to the debtors their order of discharge, and for the purpose of giving such directions to the Trustee of the property of the debtors as the creditors may consider necessary respecting the disposal of the surplus (if any) from the separate estates of each of the debtors, or the relinquishment in favour of the debtors respectively of any such surplus.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

HENRY DICKIN, 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 Sylvester Emil Sichel and John Groves, both of Leeds-road, Bradford, in the county of York, Stuff Merchants and Copartners, trading under the firm of S. E. Sichel and Co.

A MEETING of the Separate Creditors of the said Sylvester Emil Sichel will be held at the offices of Messrs. Wood and Killick, Commercial Bank-buildings, Bradford aforesaid, on Wednesday, the 8th day of November, 1876, at four o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of granting to the said Sylvester Emil Sichel his order of discharge.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

HENRY DICKIN, 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 Sylvester Emil Sichel and John Groves, both of Leeds-road, Bradford, in the county of York, Stuff Merchants and Copartners, trading under the firm of S. E. Sichel and Co.

A MEETING of the Separate Creditors of the said John Groves will be held at the offices of Messrs. Wood and Killick, Commercial Bank-buildings, Bradford, aforesaid, on Wednesday, the 8th day of November, 1876, at four o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of granting to the said John Groves his order of discharge.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

HENRY DICKIN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Raistrick Collins, of Holme Top Mills, Horton, near Bradford, in the county of York, Stuff Manufacturer, trading as J. R. Collins and Co.

A MEETING of the Creditors of the above-named debtor is hereby summoned to be held at the offices of the Trustee, in Market-street, Bradford aforesaid, on Wednesday, the 8th day of November next, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the following purposes:—To close the estate, and transact any business to effect the same or connected therewith, release the Trustee, and consider the granting the debtor his discharge, and the requisite majority in number and value of the creditors of the said John Raistrick Collins may transact all or any business the consideration of which is the object of the said meeting.—Dated the 27th day of October, 1876.

HENRY DICKIN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Edward Bagot, of the Upper Forest Tin Plate Works, Morriston, near Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Tin Plate Manufacturer.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the said Edward Bagot is hereby summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Strick and Bellingham, Solicitors, Fisher-street, Swansea aforesaid, on Wednesday, the 8th

day of November, 1876, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, and the General Rules made in pursuance thereof. The object of the Meeting and the business proposed to be transacted thereat will be:—To receive the report and accounts of the Trustee and Committee who have carried on the works for the past six months, in pursuance of the instructions to that effect appended to the resolutions of the General Meeting of Creditors held on the 6th day of April last, to decide on future proceedings, and for general business. Also to consider an application made by the debtor for the granting of his discharge.—Dated the 28th day of October, 1876.

R. G. CAWKER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court, transferred from the County Court of Kent, holden at Canterbury.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Ling Brewer, of No. 66, High-street and the Elms, Ramsgate, in the Isle of Thanet, in the county of Kent, Cement and Drain Pipe Merchant, residing at No. 1, Vasconia-villas, High-street, Ramsgate aforesaid.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Ling Brewer who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 7th day of November, 1876, to send their names, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Henry Brown, of No. 7, Westminster-chambers, Victoria-street, in the city of Westminster, Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 30th day of October, 1876.

H. BROWN, 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 Robert Ottewell, Anthony Bruce, and John Frederick Angus Bruce, of 197, Bermondsey-street, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, and 14, Belvoir-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Leather Merchants, trading under the style or firm of Ottewell, Bruce, and Bruce.

THE creditors of the above-named Robert Ottewell, Anthony Bruce, and John Frederick Angus Bruce who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Benjamin Nicholson, of Nos. 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 30th day of October, 1876.

BENJAMIN NICHOLSON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Wilde, of No. 143, Saint John-street, Clerkenwell, in the county of Middlesex, trading as George Maurice Wilde, Corn Chandler.

THE creditors of the above-named George Wilde who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Joseph Andrews, of the firm of Andrews and Mason, Nos. 7 and 8, Ironmonger-lane, 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 28th day of October, 1876.

JOSEPH ANDREWS, 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 Henry Botting, of 73, George-street, Portman-square, in the county of Middlesex, Builder.

THE creditors of the above-named Henry Botting who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Flaxman Haydon, of 29, New City-chambers, 121, Bishopsgate-street Within, 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 28th day of October, 1876.

FLAXMAN HAYDON, Trustee.

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 Frederick Hadlow, of Lynsted, in the county of Kent, Baker and Pork Butcher.

THE creditors of the above-named Frederick Hadlow who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Alexander Solomon, of Tonge Mills, Tonge, Kent, Miller, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

ALEX. SOLOMON, Trustee.

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 Samuel Stark, of No. 136, High-street, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, Draper.

THE creditors of the above-named Samuel Stark who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 10th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Robert Pittman, of 1, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, 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 30th day of October, 1876.

ROBERT PITTMAN, 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 Peter Boschi, of Leeds, in the county of York, Looking Glass Manufacturer.

THE creditors of the above-named Peter Boschi who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 11th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Robert Murray Burgess, of 49, Albion-street, Leeds, in the county of York, 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 27th day of October, 1876.

ROBT. M. BURGESS, 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 Hugh Claughton, of Guiseley, in the county of York, Shoe Manufacturer and Draper.

THE creditors of the above-named Hugh Claughton who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 11th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Robert Murray Burgess, of No. 49, Albion-street, Leeds, in the county of York, 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 27th day of October, 1876.

ROBT. M. BURGESS, 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 Robert Ethell, of 125, York-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named Robert Ethell who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 11th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Robert Murray Burgess, of 49, Albion-street, Leeds, in the county of York, 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 27th day of October, 1876.

ROBT. M. BURGESS, 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 Middleton Binner, of Fearn's Island, East-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Dyer.

THE creditors of the above-named Middleton Binner who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 15th day of November, 1876, to

send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Gordon, of 1, Bond-street, Leeds 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 27th day of October, 1876.

JOHN GORDON, 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 John Robertshaw, of Halifax, in the county of York, Wool Comber.

THE creditors of the above-named John Robertshaw who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 11th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Roberts, of the firm of Foster, Roberts, and Co., Public Accountants, 31, Silver-street, Halifax 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 23rd day of October, 1876.

WILLIAM ROBERTS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at York: In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Gowland, of Ogleforth and Saint Sampson's-square, in the city of York Painter and Innkeeper.

THE creditors of the above-named James Gowland who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 7th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Richard Mills, of Blake-street, in the city of York, Auctioneer (addressed to me at the offices of Mr. William Henry Cobb, Solicitor, Blake-street 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 25th day of October, 1876.

RICH. MILLS, 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 Charles Walker, of Bridge-street, in Bradford, in the county of York, Worsted Spinner and Manufacturer, trading under the style of Walkers and Co.

THE creditors of the above-named Charles Walker who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Henry Webster Blackburn, of Commercial Bank-buildings, Bradford, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

HENRY W. 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 Zaccheus Akeroyd, of No. 21, Elizabeth-street, Horton-lane, and of Hammerton-street, Leeds-road, both in Bradford, in the county of York, Builder and Contractor.

THE creditors of the above-named Zaccheus Akeroyd who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 16th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John William Tempest, of Market-street, Bradford, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

J. W. TEMPEST, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Peterborough. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Maile, of Huntingdon, in the county of Huntingdon, Builder and Stonemason.

THE creditors of the above-named George Maile who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 14th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Charles Veasey, of Huntingdon aforesaid, 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 26th day of October, 1876.

CHARLES VEASEY Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Roger Rees, of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Spirit, Beer, and Porter Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named John Roger Rees who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Thomas Canton, of No. 30, Wind-street, Swansea, Brewers' Agent, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

W. T. CANTON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Rew, of 4, William-street, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Potato Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named John Rew who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Henry Jones, of No. 41, Wind-street, Swansea, 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 October, 1876.

J. H. JONES, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester, by transfer from the County Court of Carnarvonshire, holden at Bangor.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Septimus Alfred Clarke, of Wallbottle Cottage, Denbigh, in the county of Denbigh, Builder and Contractor.

THE creditors of the above-named Septimus Alfred Clarke who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 7th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Henry Grosvenor Nicholson, of King-street, in the city of Manchester, Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

H. G. NICHOLSON, 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 Thomas Lloyd Bowen, of North John-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Tea Merchant, trading under the style of Bentham, Bowen, and Co.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Lloyd Bowen who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 14th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Messrs. Roose and Price, of 26, North John-street, Liverpool, Accountants, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

JOHN PRICE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Great Yarmouth. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Robert Nelson Warnes, of Great Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, Furniture Broker.

THE creditors of the above-named Robert Nelson Warnes who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Lovewell Blake, of Great Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

LOVEWELL BLAKE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Great Yarmouth. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Critten, of Southtown, in the county of Suffolk, Boatbuilder.

THE creditors of the above-named James Critten who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 11th day of November, 1876, to send their

names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Etheridge, of No. 26, King-street, Great Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, 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 28th day of October, 1876.

JNO. ETHERIDGE,
LOVEWELL BLAKE, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcesterhire, holden at Worcester. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Prosser, of High-street, Bromyard, in the county of Hereford, Grocer.

THE creditors of the above-named James Prosser who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, William Lloyd Whatmore, of the Avenue, Cross, Worcester, 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 October, 1876.

WM. LLOYD WHATMORE, 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 Alfred Broad, of 1, Crescent-place, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Herbert Broad, of 6, Laira-bridge-terrace, Plymouth aforesaid, and Alfred Broad the younger, of 5, Hill Park-crescent, Plymouth aforesaid, carrying on business at George-street-chambers, George-street, Plymouth aforesaid, as Wine and Spirit Merchants, under the style or firm of A. Broad and Sons.

THE creditors of the above-named Alfred Broad, Herbert Broad, and Alfred Broad the younger who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to us, the undersigned, James Edwin Edward Dawe and Ward West Arliss, the Trustees under the liquidation, at No. 8, Union-terrace, Union-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

JAMES EDWIN EDWARD DAWE,
WARD WEST ARLISS, Trustees.

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 Alfred Broad, of 1, Crescent-place, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Herbert Broad, of 6, Laira-bridge-terrace, Plymouth aforesaid, and Alfred Broad the younger, of 5, Hill Park-crescent, Plymouth aforesaid, carrying on business at George-street-chambers, George-street, Plymouth aforesaid, as Wine and Spirit Merchants, under the style or firm of A. Broad and Sons.

THE creditors of the separate estate of the above-named Alfred Broad the younger who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to us, the undersigned, James Edwin Edward Dawe and Ward West Arliss, the Trustees under the liquidation, at No. 8, Union-terrace, Union-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

JAMES EDWIN EDWARD DAWE,
WARD WEST ARLISS, Trustees.

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 Elizabeth Adelaide Elliott, of No. 5, Parade, Millbrooke, in the county of Cornwall, Widow and Butcher.

THE creditors of the above-named Elizabeth Adelaide Elliott who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Edwin Edward Dawe, of No. 8, Union-terrace, Union-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

JAMES EDWIN EDWARD DAWE, 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 Jabez Rundle Coath, of No. 1, William-street, Morice Town, in the parish of Stoke Damerel, in the county of Devon, Grocer, trading as Coath and Company.

THE creditors of the above-named Jabez Rundle Coath who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Edwin Edward Dawe, of No. 8, Union-terrace, Union-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

JAMES EDWIN EDWARD DAWE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Edwin Standfield, of No. 7, Lower Summerlands, Exeter, in the county of Devon, and John Hill Crosse, of Exmouth, in the said county of Devon, both carrying on business at London Inn-square, Longbrook-street, and Saint Sidwell's, in Exeter aforesaid, as Coach Builders and Saddle and Harness Makers, under the style or firm of Standfield and Crosse, and lately carrying on business at Plymouth, in the said county, under the same style or firm.

THE creditors of the above-named John Edwin Standfield and John Hill Crosse who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 9th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to the undersigned, James Edwin Edward Dawe, of 8, Union-terrace, Union-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, 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 26th day of October, 1876.

R. C. COLE,
J. E. E. DAWE,
ERNEST FOREMAN, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Edwin Standfield, of No. 7, Lower Summerlands, Exeter, in the county of Devon, Coachbuilder and Saddle and Harness Maker.

THE creditors of the above-named John Edwin Standfield who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 9th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to the undersigned, James Edwin Edward Dawe, of 8, Union-terrace, Union-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, 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 26th day of October, 1876.

R. C. COLE,
J. E. E. DAWE,
ERNEST FOREMAN, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Hill Crosse, of Exmouth, in the county of Devon, Coachbuilder and Saddle and Harness Maker.

THE creditors of the above-named John Hill Crosse who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 9th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to the undersigned, James Edwin Edward Dawe, of 8, Union-terrace, Union-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, 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 26th day of October, 1876.

R. C. COLE,
J. E. E. DAWE,
ERNEST FOREMAN, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Huddersfield.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Richard Plücker, of 62, West-parade, Huddersfield, in the county of York, and Samuel Stead, of 18, Prospect-street, in Huddersfield aforesaid, carrying on business in copartnership together, at 16, Northumber-

land-street, in Huddersfield aforesaid, under the style or firm of Samuel Binns and Co., as Woolen and General Merchants.

THE creditors of the above-named Charles Richard Plücker and Samuel Stead who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 10th day of November, 1876, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to the undersigned, George Pritchard Cotton, of the Estate-buildings, Huddersfield aforesaid, Accountant, or to Thomas George Sharpe, of Market-place, Huddersfield aforesaid, Accountant, the joint Trustees of the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Composition or Dividend proposed to be made and declared.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

GEORGE P. COTTON.
THO. GEO. SHARPE.

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 Ollier, of No. 29, Great St. Helen's, in the city of London, and of Beauchamp Lodge, Enfield, in the county of Middlesex, and of Riding Mill, in the county of Northumberland, and William Lambert Manley, of No. 29, Great St. Helen's aforesaid, and Hoddesdon, in the county of Hertford, which said John Ollier and William Lambert Manley carry on business in partnership as Merchants and Ship and Insurance Brokers at No. 29, Great St. Helen's aforesaid, under the style or firm of Ollier and Company, and which said John Ollier alone carries on business at Newcastle-on-Tyne, in the borough and county of Newcastle-on-Tyne, under the style or firm of Charles Clementson and Company, and which said John Ollier and William Lambert Manley also carry on business with John Cockram Walker (not a Petitioner), in partnership at Carthagens, in Spain, under the title of the San Jorge Association.

ARTHUR COOPER, of No. 14, George-street, Mansion House, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtors must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th 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 John Ollier, of No. 29, Great St. Helen's, in the city of London, and of Beauchamp Lodge, Enfield, in the county of Middlesex, and of Riding Mill, in the county of Northumberland, and William Lambert Manley, of No. 29, Great St. Helen's aforesaid, and Hoddesdon, in the county of Hertford, which said John Ollier and William Lambert Manley carry on business in partnership as Merchants and Ship and Insurance Brokers at No. 29, Great St. Helen's aforesaid, under the style or firm of Ollier and Company, and which said John Ollier alone carries on business at Newcastle-on-Tyne, in the borough and county of Newcastle-on-Tyne, under the style or firm of Charles Clementson and Company, and which said John Ollier and William Lambert Manley also carry on business with John Cockram Walker (not a Petitioner), in partnership at Carthagens, in Spain, under the title of the San Jorge Association.

ARTHUR COOPER, of No. 14, George-street, Mansion House, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the separate property of the debtor John Ollier. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th day of 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 John Ollier, of No. 29, Great St. Helen's, in the city of London, and of Beauchamp Lodge, Enfield, in the county of Middlesex, and of Riding Mill, in the county of Northumberland, and William Lambert Manley, of No. 29, Great St. Helen's aforesaid, and Hoddesdon, in the county of Hertford, which said John Ollier and William Lambert Manley carry on business in partnership as Merchants and Ship and Insurance Brokers at No. 29,

Great St. Helen's aforesaid, under the style or firm of Ollier and Company, and which said John Ollier alone carries on business at Newcastle-on-Tyne, in the borough and county of Newcastle-on-Tyne, under the style or firm of Charles Clementson and Company, and which said John Ollier and William Lambert Manley also carrying on business with John Cockram Walker (not a Petitioner), in partnership at Carthagens, in Spain, under the title of the San Jorge Association.

ARTHUR COOPER, of No. 14, George-street, Mansion House, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the separate property of the debtor William Lambert Manley. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th day of 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 John William Cook, lately of Nos. 1 and 2, Thayer-street, Manchester-square, in the county of Middlesex, Grocer and Wine Merchant, trading there and at No. 87, Dalling-road, formerly No. 1, Albion-road, Hammersmith, in the same county, in copartnership with Horace Haward, under the style or firm of Haward and Cook, as Grocers and Wine Merchants, but now of Nos. 87 and 120, Dalling-road aforesaid, Grocer and Wine Merchant.

GEORGE HERBERT LADBURY, of 99, Cheapside, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th 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 Joseph Rivolta and John Septimo Rivolta, lately of 19, Change-alley, Cornhill, but now of 9, Cloak-lane, Cannon-street, in the city of London, carrying on business under the style or firm of Rivolta Brothers, Financial Agents.

JOSEPH ANDREWS, of 7 and 8, Ironmonger-lane, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the joint estate 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 18th day of September, 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 Joseph Rivolta and John Septimo Rivolta, lately of 19, Change-alley, Cornhill, but now of 9, Cloak-lane, Cannon-street, in the city of London, carrying on business under the style or firm of Rivolta Brothers, Financial Agents.

JOSEPH ANDREWS, of 7 and 8, Ironmonger-lane, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the separate estate of Joseph Rivolta. 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 18th day of September, 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 Joseph Rivolta and John Septimo Rivolta, lately of 19, Change-alley, Cornhill, but now of 9, Cloak-lane, Cannon-street, in the city of London, carrying on business under the style or firm of Rivolta Brothers, Financial Agents.

JOSEPH ANDREWS, of 7 and 8, Ironmonger-lane, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the separate estate of John Septimo Rivolta. 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 18th day of September, 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 William Thompson White, of No. 78, Watling-street, in the city of London, trading there under the name, style, or firm of White, Son, and Company, Carpet Warehouseman, and residing at Cumberland House, Redbourne, in the county of Hertford.

JOHN AUGUSTUS JOSOLYNE, of No. 28, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor, in the place and stead of Silas William Baggs, deceased. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 23rd day of October, 1876.

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 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.

WILLIAM ROBERTS, of Halifax aforesaid, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the joint estate 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 26th day of October, 1876.

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 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., and in the Matter of the Separate Estate of the said Thomas O'Hara.

WILLIAM ROBERTS, of Halifax aforesaid, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the separate estate of the debtor, Thomas O'Hara. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

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 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., and in the Matter of the Separate Estate of the said Thomas Henry Kenyon Lees.

WILLIAM ROBERTS, of Halifax aforesaid, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the separate estate of the debtor, Thomas Henry Kenyon Lees. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor, must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

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 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., and in the Matter of the Separate Estate of the said Wilkinson Jackson.

WILLIAM ROBERTS, of Halifax aforesaid, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the separate estate of the debtor, Wilkinson Jackson. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proof of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

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 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., and in the Matter of the Separate Estate of the said Thomas Lees.

WILLIAM ROBERTS, of Halifax aforesaid, Accountant, has been appointed the Trustee of the property of the separate estate of the debtor, Thomas Lees. 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 debt to the trustee.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Cardwell and William Crowther, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Steel Manufacturers, trading under the style or firm of William Cardwell and Company.

JOHN EDEY, of Sheffield, in the county of York, 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 19th day of October, 1876.

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 Zaccheus Akeroyd, of 21, Elizabeth-street, Horton-lane, and of Hammerton-street, Leeds-road, both in Bradford, in the county of York, Builder and Contractor.

JOHN WILLIAM TEMPEST, of Bradford, in the county of York, 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 26th day of October, 1876.

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 Leicester, Printer, trading as J. Fox and Co.

PATRICK MACKENNAL, of 12, Horsefair-street, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 23rd day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Colchester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Frederick Lugar, of Colchester, in the county of Essex, Wine and Spirit Merchant.

EDMUND JAMES CRASKE, of Colchester, in the county of Essex, Auctioneer and Valuer, 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 October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Doyle, of No. 1, Higher Temple-street, Rusholme-road, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, trading as T. and J. Doyle, Painter and Paper Hanger.

HERBERT KIDSON, of 5, St. James's-square, 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 26th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Siegesmund Loewenthal and John William Magee, of Jersey-street Mills, Jersey-street, and of 96, Mosley-street, both in the city of Manchester, Manufacturers and Cloth and Yarn Agents, trading together in copartnership at Jersey-street Mills, under the style of Loewenthal and Co., and at 96, Mosley-street, as Loewenthal and Magee.

JOHN KERR, of Faulkner-street, in the city of Manchester, 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 25th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Timothy William Wormald, carrying on business, at No. 21, Holland-street, Butler-street, off Oldham-road, Newton, near Manchester, and residing at No. 8, Reaiber-street, Oldham-road, Manchester, both in the county of Lancaster, Soda Water, Lemonade, and Ginger Beer Manufacturer.

THOMAS SUTTON, of Brown-street, in the city of Manchester, 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 debt to the trustee.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Reed, of No. 323, Scotland-road, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Clothier.

JOHN PARSONS, of Nicholas-street, in the city and county of Bristol, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 19th day of October, 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 Benjamin Edmund Taylor, now residing in furnished lodgings at the house of George Mellor, No. 4, Thorp-road, Royton, in the county of Lancaster, formerly of No. 7, Thorp-road aforesaid, and previously thereto of Saint Paul's-street, Royton aforesaid, Undertaker and Engraver.

MARSHALL PRESTON, of the city of Manchester, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

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.

JOHN HOWARD FOLEY, of Trowbridge, in the county of Wilts, Auctioneer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of 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 George Roe, of Calstock House, North-street, Wareham, in the county of Dorset, Commission and Insurance Agent.

EDGAR ASHWORTH HARVEY, of 8, Old Jewry, in the city of London, Secretary of the London Company Limited, 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 14th day of October, 1876.

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 Edwin Tom Lister, of Elm-avenue, New Basford, in the county of Nottingham, and Albert William Lake, of Gibb-street, Long Eaton, in the county of Derby, carrying on business at 41, Pilcher-gate, in the town of Nottingham, and at Austin's Factory, Long Eaton aforesaid, as Lace Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Lister and Lake.

HENRY EDWARD HUBBART, of the town of Nottingham, 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 26th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Hughes, of the Barley Mow Inn, London-road, in the city of Worcester, Licensed Victualler.

HARRY DAY, of the city of Worcester, 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 their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Tolley Grubb, of Bromyard, in the county of Hereford, Agricultural Implement Dealer and Agent.

DAVID SHAW, of Pierpoint-street, in the city of Worcester, 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 20th 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 John Flynn, of Albion-street, Jarrow, in the county of Durham, Builder, formerly Grocer and Provision Dealer.

HENRY CHAPMAN, of King-street, South Shields, in the county of Durham, 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 28th day of October, 1876.

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 George Welford, of Langley Park, Witton Gilbert, in the county of Durham, Joiner and General Dealer.

WILLIAM DODDS LAMB, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 28th day of October, 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 William Lea Winsor, of Wellingborough, in the county of Northampton, Ironmonger and Tinman and Brazier.

THOMAS PENDERED, of Wellingborough aforesaid, Auctioneer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their posses-

sion any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Peterborough.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Aquila Peasgood, of Langtoft, in the county of Lincoln, Baker, Grocer, Draper, and General-shop Keeper.

WILLIAM LANGLEY, of Stamford, 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 proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Peterborough.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Charles Frederick Walker, of Saint John's-street, Peterborough, in the county of Northampton, Builder.

BENJAMIN TAYLOR, of Peterborough aforesaid, High Bailiff of County Court, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Peterborough.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Cotterill, of Eye, in the county of Northampton, Farmer.

WILLIAM MANN, of Marholm, in the county 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 26th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Coventry. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Argyle, of Nuneaton, in the county of Warwick, Grocer and Provision Dealer, Ale and Porter Dealer, Dealer in British Wines, and Auctioneer,

HENRY SUFFOLK, of 35, Smithford-street, in the city of Coventry, Accountant and Valuer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of October, 1876.

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 Richard Couchman, of Brighton-terrace, Moseley-road, Moseley, in the county of Worcester, and carrying on business at Cobden Works, Charles Henry-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, as a Vulcanite Ornament Manufacturer.

CHARLES TIMOTHY STARKEY, of Cannon-street, Birmingham, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 23rd day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Henry Pym, of Belper, in the county of Derby, Wine and Spirit Merchant.

EDWIN BELFIELD, of Belper, in the county of Derby, Auctioneer and Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the

debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at King's Lynn. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Wilson Devonshire, of Norfolk-street, King's Lynn, in the county of Norfolk, Fish Merchant and Manure Manufacturer.

WILLIAM JOHN FREEMAN, of King's Lynn, in the county of Norfolk, 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 26th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Chester. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Chamberlain, of Dunham-o'-th'-Hill, in the county of Chester, Hay and Cattle Dealer and Farmer.

WILLIAM JAMES NELSON, of 1, South John-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancashire, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Wiltshire, holden at Swindon. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Albert Iles, of Moorwood, in the parish of Bagendon, in the county of Gloucester, Farmer.

CHARLES FREDERICK MOORE, of Cirencester, in the county of Gloucester, 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 25th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Wiltshire, holden at Swindon. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Giles Iles, of Dunsbourn Rouse, in the county of Gloucester, Farmer.

CHARLES FREDERICK MOORE, of Cirencester, in the county of Gloucester, 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 25th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A DIVIDEND is intended to be declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by William Charles Hansford, of No. 17, Saint Thomas'-road, Finsbury Park, in the county of Middlesex, out of business, lately carrying on business at Nos. 252 and 254, Seven Sisters'-road, Finsbury Park aforesaid, as a Grocer and Provision Dealer and Dealer in Wines and Spirits. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 10th day of November, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

DANIEL NORTON, Jun., Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of William Edward Neeve Marriott, of Swaffham, in the county of Norfolk, Tailor, adjudicated bankrupt on 31st July, 1873.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named William Edward Neeve Marriott is convened to be held at the offices of Mr. John Folland Lovering, the Trustee, No. 35, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 14th day of November next, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of considering the advisability of closing the bankruptcy; determining the remuneration to be paid the trustee; and passing such resolutions as the creditors assembled at such meeting may deem fit and proper.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

JNO. F. LOVERING, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A SECOND Dividend of 1s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Thomas Stranding, of 3, Cophthall-chambers, Cophthall-court, Throgmorton-street, in the city of London, adjudicated bankrupt on the 1st day of October, 1875, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Marreco and Gilbert, No. 16, Clement's-inn, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, on and after the 8th day of November, 1876.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.
THOMAS WILLIAM GILBERT, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FIRST Dividend of 1s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of J. E. Brudenell Bruce, of 5, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Barrister-at-Law, adjudicated bankrupt on the 30th day of September, 1873, and will be paid by me, at my offices, at 65, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on and after the 16th day of October, 1876.—Dated this 5th day of October, 1876.

SYDNEY SMITH, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A THIRD Dividend of 2s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Alexander Ramsay, of No. 63, Pall Mall and No. 225, Maida Vale, both in the county of Middlesex, Tailor, trading under the style or firm of Watts and Co., adjudicated bankrupt on the 27th day of May, 1875, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Mr. Oliver Richards, situate No. 16, Warwick-street, Regent-street, in the county of Middlesex, my Solicitor, on and after the 15th day of November, 1876.—Dated this 28th day of October, 1876.

FRED. BIDGOOD, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 4s. 10d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of John Wilson, of 35, New-road, Commercial-road East, in the county of Middlesex, Draper, adjudicated bankrupt on the 29th day of March, 1876, and will be paid by me, at my offices, No. 21A, Watling-street, in the city of London, on and after the 8th day of November, 1876.—Dated this 30th day of October, 1876.

ANDREW McDOWALL, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 4s. 10d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Ingram Eskdale Most, of the Barnsley-road, Pitsmoor, in Sheffield, in the county of York, Oil and Colour Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 28th day of April, 1876, and will be paid by me, at my office, 17, 19, and 21, George-street, in Sheffield aforesaid, between the hours of ten in the forenoon and four in the afternoon, on and after Saturday, the 22nd day of July instant.—Dated this 13th day of July, 1876.

F. E. LEGGOE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against George Joseph Lyons, formerly of 3, Victoria-square, Pimlico, in the county of Middlesex, but now residing out of England, at No. 11, Rue du Nord, Ostend, in the Kingdom of Belgium.

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 George Joseph Lyons having been given, it is ordered that the said George Joseph Lyons be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 27th day of October, 1876.

By the Court,

W. C. Spring-Rice, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said George Joseph Lyons is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 15th day of November, 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 Thomas Warr Buckler, of No. 137, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, but now of No. 14, Queen Victoria-street, in the said city of London, Solicitor.

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 Thomas Warr Buckler having been given, it is ordered that the said Thomas Warr Buckler be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 27th day of October, 1876.

By the Court,

W. C. Spring-Rice, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Thomas Warr Buckler, is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 13th day of November, 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 Richard Throckmorton, of 3, Saville-row, Burlington-gardens, in the county of Middlesex.

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 Richard Throckmorton having been given, it is ordered that the said Richard Throckmorton be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 26th day of October, 1876.

By the Court.

James R. Brougham, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Richard Throckmorton is hereby summoned to be held 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, 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 J. W. Terry, of No. 3, Salters' Hall-court, Cannon-street, in the city of London, Coal Merchant, trading as J. W. Terry and Co., and residing at No. 1, Brockley-terrace, Brockley-road, Forest Hill, in the county of Surrey.

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 J. W. Terry having been given, it is ordered that the said J. W. Terry be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 27th day of October, 1876.

By the Court,

W. C. Spring-Rice, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said J. W. Terry is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 15th day of November, 1876, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

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

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Griffith Owen, of Ysgybor Wen, in the parish of Llanfairmathia-farnethaf, in the county of Anglesey, 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 Griffith Owen having been given, it is ordered that the said Griffith Owen be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 26th day of October, 1876.

By the Court,

Henry Lloyd Jones, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Griffith Owen is hereby summoned to be held at the Office of this Court, 29, Victoria-place, Bangor aforesaid, on the 13th day of November, 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 Surrey, holden at Kingston-on-Thames.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against H McLean Graham, of Ivy House, Hampton Court, in the county of Middlesex.

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 H McLean Graham having been given, it is ordered that the said H McLean Graham be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 10th day of October, 1876.

By the Court,

James Bell, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said H McLean Graham is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court Office, Kingston-on-Thames, on the 16th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hertfordshire, holden at St. Albans. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Henry Boff and George Boff, both of Park-street, near St. Albans, in the county of Hertford, trading as H. and G. Boff, builders.

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 Henry Boff and George Boff having been given, it is ordered that the said Henry Boff and George Boff be, and they are hereby, adjudged bankrupts.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 27th day of October, 1876.

By the Court,

J. N. Edwards, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Henry Boff and George Boff is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court, St. Albans, in the county of Hertford, on the 15th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court, has ordered the bankrupts to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of their affairs, as required by the statute.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against James Dawson, of the town of Kingston-upon-Hull, in the county of the same town, Coal 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 or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said James Dawson having been given, it is ordered that the said James Dawson be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 24th day of October, 1876.

By the Court,

A. K. Rollit, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said James Dawson is hereby summoned to be held at the Court-house, Townhall, Hull, on the 15th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon, and that

the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of George Henry Yonge, otherwise Montaign, late of the Langham Hotel, in the county of Middlesex, of no occupation, a Bankrupt.

John Macdonald Henderson, of 2, Moorgate-street-buildings, 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, on the 24th 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 18th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of John Elphick Leyland, of Poultry-chambers, No. 24, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, Accountant, a Bankrupt.

John Slater, of the firm of Slater and Pannell, 1, Guildhall-chambers, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 14th 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 30th day of August, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Patrick Pirie Gordon, of 5, Talbot-road, Westbourne Park, in the county of Middlesex, and of Ryde, in the Isle of Wight, and of Middleton, in the Presidency of Madras, Coffee Planter, a Bankrupt.

Charles Fitch Kemp, of 8, Walbrook, 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, on the 28th 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 30th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Greenwich.

In the Matter of David Lawrence, of No. 20, Windmill-lane, Lower-road, Deptford, in the county of Kent, Dealer in Firewood, a Bankrupt.

Joseph Palmer, of Nos. 13 and 14, Lewis-place, Lewisham, 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 Court-house, Burney-street, Greenwich, on the 14th day of November, 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 24th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Colchester.

In the Matter of Daniel Nice Orpen, of Acton, in the county of Suffolk, Farmer, a Bankrupt.

Edmund James Craske, of Colchester, in the county of Essex, 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, Colchester aforesaid, on the 15th day of November, 1876, at three o'clock in the afternoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 21st day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Poole.
In the Matter of William George, of Fish-street, Poole, in the county of Dorset, Leather Dealer, a Bankrupt.
Benjamin Nicholson, of Nos. 7 and 8, London Bridge-approach, London, S.E. 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 Guildhall, Poole, on the 20th day of November, 1876, at twelve o'clock at noon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby.
In the Matter of Robert Stokes, of No. 100, Leonard-street, Derby, and of the Depot Mill, Normanton-road, Derby aforesaid, Gimp Trimming and Boot Lace Manufacturer, a Bankrupt.

John Louth Wyles, of Little Eaton, in the county of Derby, Gentleman, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the County-hall, St. Mary's-gate, Derby, on the 7th day of December, 1876, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston.
In the Matter of Thomas Park, of No. 28, Lark-hill, Blackpool, in the county of Lancaster, Slater, a Bankrupt.

Federic Campbell Hulton, Esq., the Registrar of the Court, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Sessions Hall, Preston, on the 21st day of November, 1876, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
In the Matter of Ambrose Taylor, of St. Peter's-street, Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Seed Crusher and Merchant, a Bankrupt.

Henry Bolland, of 10, South John-street, Liverpool, 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 17th 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 October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds.
In the Matter of Joseph Tindall, of No. 9, South Accommodation-road, Hunslet, in the parish of Leeds, in the county of York, Builder, a Bankrupt.

Robert Wood, of No. 170A, Briggate, in 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 County Court-house, Albion-place, in Leeds aforesaid, 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 25th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds.
In the Matter of Samuel Johnson Beswick and John Charles Johnson, of Leeds, in the county of York, Accountants, Debt Collectors, Scriveners, and Professional Trustees, trading under the style of Beswick and Co. and Johnson and Co., Bankrupts.

John Routh, of Leeds, 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 County Court-house, Albion-place, in Leeds, 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 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 25th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Huddersfield.
In the Matter of George Henry Longley, of Wells Mill, in Huddersfield, in the county of York, and of Reap Hirst, near Huddersfield aforesaid, Yarn Spinner, formerly carrying on business in copartnership with Edward Watson, at Hull Mills, Delph, in Saddleworth, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Watson and Longley, as Yarn Spinners, a Bankrupt.

Fred Carter, of Huddersfield 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 County Court-house, in Queen-street, in Huddersfield aforesaid, on the 17th day of November, 1876, at o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 5th day of October, 1876.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax.
In the Matter of Jonathan Dawson, late of the Friendly Inn, Kew Hill, Lindley Moor, in the parish of Halifax, in the county of York, Innkeeper, a Bankrupt.

Samuel Friesley, of Lightcliffe and Bradford, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the County Court-house, Halifax aforesaid, on the 21st day of November, 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 26th day of October, 1876.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

On the 11th day of December, 1876, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, James Powell Treadgold, of Middlesborough, in the county of York, Auctioneer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 17th day of June, 1876, will apply for an Order of Discharge at the County Court of Middlesborough.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Fitz James Stuart Maegregor, of No. 11, York-street, Covent Garden, in the county of Middlesex, and of No. 51, New Cross-road, in the county of Surrey, Retired Commander in Her Majesty's Royal Navy, adjudicated bankrupt on the 26th day of January, 1875. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 11th day of November, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

W. Haslitt, Registrar-Trustee.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of John Manttan, of Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Japanner and Ironmonger, adjudicated bankrupt on the 24th day of March, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 9th day of November, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

Benjamin Smith, Trustee.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
A First and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Richard Steele and Frederick Feilden Hornby, both of No. 5, Tithebarn-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Brokers and Copartners, trading under

the firm of Steele and Hornby, adjudicated bankrupts on the 9th day of May, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 8th day of November, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

T. W. Read, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ulverston and at Barrow-in-Furness.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of John Kellett, of Scales Park, near Ulverston, in the county of Lancaster, Farmer and Agent for the sale of Patent Manure, adjudicated bankrupt on the 10th day of November, 1875. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 11th day of November, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

W. M. Fuller, Trustee.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Nathaniel Bearing Walsford, of Saltburn-by-the-Sea, in the county of York, Builder, adjudicated bankrupt on the 24th day of April, 1875. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 17th day of November, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 25th day of October, 1876.

Jno. Gibson, Trustee.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Poole.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of William George, of Fish-street, Poole, in the county of Dorset, Leather Dealer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 9th day of October, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 8th day of November, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 27th day of October, 1876.

Benjamin Nicholson, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of John Holroyd, of Broad-lane, Sheffield, in the county of York, Steel Manufacturer, carrying on business under the style of J. Holroyd and Co., adjudicated bankrupt on the 26th day of September, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 18th day of November, 1876, will be excluded.—Dated this 26th day of October, 1876.

F. E. Leggoe, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

Notice of Dividend Meeting.

A Meeting of the Creditors of the Bankrupt hereinafter named will be held, pursuant to the 174th section of the said Act, at the time and place hereinafter mentioned; that is to say:—

At the Court of Bankruptcy, Lincoln's-in-fields, in the county of Middlesex, before a Registrar:

John Easthope, late of the Dockyard, Deptford, in the county of Kent, and of No. 4, Alpha-road, New Cross, in the county aforesaid, and of Alma Villa, New Cross, in the county of Kent, Superannuated Inspector of Stores at the Dockyard aforesaid, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 23rd day of August, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 13th day of November next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the said Meeting the Assignee will, in pursuance of the 174th section of the said Act, submit statements of the Bankrupt's estate recovered and outstanding, and of all receipts and of all payments made or to be made thereout; and the creditors at the said meeting will, in pursuance of the said section, declare whether any and what allowance shall be paid to the said bankrupt. Proofs of Debts will be received, and creditors who have not proved, or do not then prove, will be excluded the benefit of the Dividend. And all claims not proved will be disallowed.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of John Thorp, of 10, Lloyd-street and 51, Carruthers-street, both in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Wood Turner, a Bankrupt.

An Order of Discharge was granted to John Thorp, of 10, Lloyd-street and 57, Carruthers-street, both in the

city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Wood Turner, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 31st day of August, 1871.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of William Armstrong of the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Grocer, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 26th day of September, 1876 reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realised for the benefit of his creditors, and a dividend to the amount of four pence in the pound has been paid, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property has been realised for the benefit of creditors, and a dividend of (4d.) four pence in the pound has been paid to the creditors, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said William Armstrong has been closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 26th day of September, 1876.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of an adjudication of Bankruptcy, made on the 18th day of August, 1862, against Charles William Pallis, formerly of Dean, in the county of Bedford, Clerk in Holy Orders, then of Cleveland House, Barnes, in the county of Surrey, Clerk in Holy Orders and Schoolmaster, and lodging at No. 32A, Fitzroy-square, in the county of Middlesex, did, on the 20th day of November, 1862, grant the discharge of the said bankrupt; and that such discharge will be delivered to the bankrupt unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of the Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of an adjudication of Bankruptcy, made on the 2nd day of March, 1866, against John Garland and Alfred Thomas Soper, of No. 85, East-street, Walworth, in the county of Surrey, Builders and Copartners, and of the said John Garland, of the same place, Stonemason, did, on the 21st day of May, 1866, grant the discharge of the said bankrupts; and that such discharge will be delivered to the bankrupts unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of the Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

THE estates of Alexander Maitland, Parveyor, No. 498, Paisley-road, Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 25th day of October, 1876, by the Sheriff of Lanark.

The first deliverance is dated the 25th day of October, 1876.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Monday, the 6th day of November, 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 26th day of February, 1877.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the said Alexander Maitland till the meeting for election of trustee.

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

THOS. HART, Writer, Glasgow, Agent.

THE estates of Robert Williamson, Sheep and Cattle Dealer, residing at Friars Carse Mains, Dunscore, were sequestrated on 28th October, 1876, by the Sheriff of Dumfries and Galloway, in the Sheriff Court of Dumfriesshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 28th October, 1876.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Thursday, the 9th day of November, 1876, within the Commercial Hotel, Dumfries.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 28th day of February, 1877.

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

WILL. GUN, 21, Castle-street, Dumfries, Agent.

THE estates of Mitchell Carmichael, Bleacher, Haugh Bleachfield, Windygates, were sequestrated on 26th October, 1876, by the Sheriff-Substitute of Fife.

The first deliverance is dated the 26th day of October, 1876.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, on Tuesday, the 7th day of November, 1876, within the Tontine Hotel, Cnpar, Fife.

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 27th day of February, 1877.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt.

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

WILKIE and YODEN, Leven,
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