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FRIDAY, APRIL 13, 1877.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
April 10, 1877.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty's Birthday will be kept on Saturday, the 2nd of June, instead of on Saturday, the 26th of May, as previously announced.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
March 23, 1877.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that The Queen will hold Drawing Rooms at Buckingham Palace, on Tuesday, the 1st of May, and on Thursday, the 3rd of May, at three o'clock.

N.B. The Knights of the several Orders are to appear in their Collars at the Drawing Room on the 1st of May, it being a Collar-Day.

REGULATIONS

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

By Her Majesty's Command.

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

PRESENTATIONS.

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

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

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

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

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

HERTFORD,
Lord Chamberlain.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
March 23, 1877.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold Levees at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Monday, the 7th of May, and on Saturday, the 2nd of June, at two o'clock.

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

REGULATIONS

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

By Her Majesty's Command,

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

PRESENTATIONS

Any Nobleman or Gentleman who proposes to be presented, must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, *before twelve*

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

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

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

HERTFORD,
Lord Chamberlain.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, April 11, 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be closed on and after Saturday next, the 14th instant, until further orders.

AT the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 12th day of April, 1877.

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

PRESENT :

Lord President.
Viscount Sandon.

THE Lords and others of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act, 1869, (in this Order referred to as the Act of 1869,) and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :

1. This Order shall take effect from and immediately after the fifteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven ; and words in this Order have the same meaning as in The Animals Order of 1875.

2. This Order extends to the City of London and the Metropolitan Police District only.

3. Every person having in his possession or under his charge an animal affected with cattle-plague, or with disease suspected to be cattle-plague, shall observe the following rules :—

(1.) He shall, as far as practicable, keep that animal separate from animals not so affected ;

(2.) He shall, with all practicable speed, give notice of the fact of the animal being so affected to a constable of the police establishment for the place where the animal is.

The constable shall forthwith give notice thereof to the Clerk of the Council at the Veterinary Department.

4. No animal (including a dog) shall be moved alive out of a building or inclosed space in which

cattle-plague exists or has existed within seven days.

5. Where an Inspector of the Privy Council affixes at or near the entrance to a building or inclosed place in or on which cattle are kept, and wherein cattle-plague exists or has existed within seven days, a notice forbidding persons to enter into or on that building or place without his permission, then, if any person not having a right of entry or way into, on, or over that building or place, enters into, on, or over the same, or any part thereof, in contravention of the notice, he shall be deemed guilty of an offence against this Order, and shall, for every such offence, be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds.

6. Every person having been in a building or enclosed place in which cattle-plague exists or has existed within seven days shall, before leaving that building or enclosed place, disinfect his clothes to the satisfaction of the Inspector of the Privy Council or other officer acting on his behalf.

7. The carcase of an animal that has died of cattle-plague, or has been slaughtered in consequence of being effected with cattle-plague, shall not be moved out of a building or enclosed place in which it has so died or been slaughtered, except in a van exclusively set apart and used for the purpose of conveying such carcases ; and every such van shall immediately after each occasion of use be cleansed and disinfected in manner provided by Article 18 of The Animals Order of 1875.

8. All milk-cans, churns, pails, tools, and appliances, and other apparatus, used for or about animals in a building or inclosed place in which cattle-plague exists or has existed within seven days, shall be cleansed and disinfected as often, and in such manner, as an Inspector of the Privy Council directs or approves.

9. Every building or enclosed place in which an animal affected with cattle-plague has been kept while so affected, or has died of cattle-plague or been slaughtered in consequence of being affected with cattle-plague, shall be thoroughly cleansed and disinfected under the direction of an Inspector of the Privy Council.

10. The provisions of this Order apply to all places being infected places at the time when this Order takes effect.

11. Nothing in this Order shall relieve any Local Authority affected by this Order or any of their officers, from the obligation to carry into effect the provisions of the Act of 1869, and the Orders of Council thereunder with respect to diseases other than cattle-plague.

12. Article 7 of The Animals Order of 1875, shall be deemed to be omitted from that Order, and that Order shall be read and have effect as if the following article was therein substituted :

Any dung, and any hay, straw, litter, or other thing commonly used for food of animals, or otherwise for or about animals, may be moved out of an infected place, with a licence, signed by an Inspector of the Privy Council, certifying that the thing moved has been disinfected, but not otherwise; and shall only be so moved, in any case, for the purpose of being buried or destroyed.

13. If any person fails to give, produce, do, or observe any notice, licence, thing, or rule, which he is by this Order required to give, produce, do, or observe, he shall be deemed guilty of an offence against this Order.

14. If any animal (including a dog) or any thing is moved or dealt with in contravention of

this Order, the owner thereof and the person directing or permitting the moving thereof, or dealing therewith, and the person or company having charge of or removing or conveying the same, shall each be deemed guilty of an offence against this Order.

C. L. Peel.

(H. 3179.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, April 13, 1877.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Constantinople, stating that plague is increasing at Bagdad, and that quarantine will be established at the same stations as last year.

Admiralty, 11th April, 1877.

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

Chief Engineer Robert Charles Reynolds has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 5th instant.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Leicester.*

George John Moore, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 7th April, 1877.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Oxford.*

Edward Hermon, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th April, 1877.

THE MERCHANT SHIPPING ACT, 1876.

FURTHER List of Assessors for Formal Investigations into Shipping Casualties, approved by Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, under Section 30 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1876:—

Captain Aplin, R.N.

Captain Curling.

Captain H. Jones.

Captain Nicolas.

John Anderson, Esq., LL.D.

F. J. Bramwell, Esq., F.R.S.

W. Froude, Esq., M.A., F.R.S.

R. C. May, Esq.

J. R. Ravenhill, Esq.

Professor Odling.

Colonel C. W. Younghusband, R.A.

Civil Service Commission,

April 12, 1877.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for 40 situations as Assistant of Excise in the Inland Revenue Department, will be held on Thursday and Friday, the 31st of May and 1st of June, 1877, in London, Edinburgh, Dublin, Liverpool, Bristol, Plymouth, Leeds, Birmingham, Norwich, Glasgow, Dundee, Aberdeen, Cork, Galway, Belfast, Omagh, and Limerick under the Regula-

tions, dated 26th April, 1875, and published in the London Gazette of the 30th April, 1875.

No person will be admitted to compete from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received on or before the 11th of May, an "application" on a prescribed form which may be obtained from him at once.

Civil Service Commission,

April 12, 1877.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the following Regulations have been approved by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury:—

SPECIAL REGULATIONS (Supplementary to the General Regulations issued 8th April, 1872, and amended by subsequent Notices in the London Gazette), respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the situation of Book-keeper in the India Office.

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

1. The limits of age for these situations are 16 and 20, and Candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of the Competitive Examination.

2. The Examination will be in the following subjects, viz.:—

Handwriting.

Orthography.

Arithmetic.

Copying M.S. (to test accuracy).

Indexing or Docketing.

Digesting Returns into Summaries.

English Composition.

Geography.

English History.

Book-keeping.

Candidates will be at liberty to offer themselves for examination in any or all of these subjects. No subjects are obligatory.

3. No Candidate can be admitted to the competition who has not previously satisfied the Civil Service Commissioners that he possesses the requisite amount of proficiency in the following subjects:

1. Handwriting.

2. Orthography.

3. Arithmetic (to Vulgar and Decimal Fractions).

With this view, Preliminary Examinations in these subjects will be held at such times and places as the Commissioners may appoint.

4. Application for permission to attend a Preliminary Examination must be made in the writing of the Candidate, at such times and in such manner as may be fixed by the Commissioners.

5. A fee of 10s. will be required from every Candidate attending a Preliminary Examination, and a further fee of £1 from every Candidate who may be admitted to the Competition.

The Civil Service Commissioners further give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for three situations as Book-keeper in the Stores Branch of the India Office will be held in London, under the above Regulations, on Tuesday, the 5th of June, 1877, and following days.

A Preliminary Examination will be held in London, Edinburgh, and Dublin on Tuesday, the 22nd of May, 1877.

No person will be admitted to the Preliminary Examination from whom the Secretary of the

Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 14th of May, an "application" on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from him at once.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Brearley Baptist Chapel, situate at Brearley-in-Sowerby, 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 14th day of March, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 23rd day of March, 1877.

Chas. Barstow, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Knowle Wesleyan Methodist Chapel, situate at Bushy Park, Tottenham, in the parish of Bedminster, in the county of Somerset, in the district of Bedminster, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 24th March, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 28th day of March, 1877.

Henry O'B. O'Donoghue, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Calvinistic Methodist Chapel, situate at Fynnon Groew, in the parish of

Llanasa, in the county of Flint, in the district of Holywell, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 29th day of March, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 31st day of March, 1877.

E. J. Davies, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Methodist Free Church, situate at Bruce-road, in the parish of Bromley Saint Leonard, in the county of Middlesex, in the district of Poplar, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 7th day of April, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 9th day of April, 1877.

James Ripley Collins, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Wesleyan Methodist Chapel, situate at the junction of the Silchester, Walmer, and Lancaster Roads, Notting Hill, in the parish of Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, in the district of Kensington, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 9th day of April, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 10th day of April, 1877.

Samuel Cornell, Superintendent Registrar.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 11th day of April, 1877.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

	£		£
Notes issued	40,081,145	Government Debt	11,015,100
		Other Securities	3,984,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion	25,081,145
		Silver Bullion	—
	<u>£40,081,145</u>		<u>£40,081,145</u>

Dated the 12th day of April, 1877.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

	£		£
Proprietors' Capital	14,553,000	Government Securities	15,319,338
Rest	3,065,857	Other Securities	19,514,925
Public Deposits (including Ex-		Notes	11,514,800
chequer, Savings Banks, Com-		Gold and Silver Coin	903,514
missioners of National Debt, and			
Dividend Accounts)	6,835,131		
Other Deposits	22,430,616		
Seven Day and other Bills	367,973		
	<u>£47,252,577</u>		<u>£47,252,577</u>

Dated the 12th day of April, 1877.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

SUPPLEMENT TO

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act seventh and eighth Victoria, cap. 32, of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES, of the several Banks of Issue in ENGLAND and WALES, in Circulation during the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of March, 1877.

The undermentioned Parties having omitted to transmit their Accounts in proper time to be inserted in the Gazette of Tuesday, the 10th day of April, 1877.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.						Average Amount.
						£
Barnstaple Bank	...	...	...	Barnstaple ...	Marshall and Co. ...	3,044
Faversham Bank	...	...	...	Faversham ...	Hilton and Co. ...	4,266

W. H. COUSINS, Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House, April 12, 1877.

AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered in the Week ending 11th April, 1877.

Countries from which Imported.	Imported into the United Kingdom.					
	GOLD.			SILVER.		
	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Germany	...	...	...	...	397,701	397,701
France	1,700	...	1,700	22,535	...	22,535
British India	...	...	...	36,973	...	36,973
South America (except Brazil)	969	...	969	4,628	216,081	220,709
Brazil	40	...	40	38,157	2,009	40,166
United States	...	...	...	66,368	...	66,368
Other Countries	1,852	2,032	3,884	5,524	1,678	7,202
	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	...	...	...	...	...
	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aggregate of the Importations } registered in the Week ... }	4,561	2,032	6,593	174,185	617,469	791,654
Declared Value of the said } Importations }	£ 18,086	£ 8,128	£ 26,214	£ 40,197	£ 141,058	£ 181,255

Countries to which Exported.	Exported from the United Kingdom.							
	GOLD.			SILVER.				
	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.
	British.	Foreign.			British.	Foreign.		
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Holland	...	...	2,320	2,320	...	30,000	...	30,000
France	...	1,652	7,712	9,364	...	56,900	71,236	128,136
Spain	...	...	...	...	...	...	102,550	102,550
Malta	7,710	...	...	7,710	...	...	...	...
Egypt	...	...	...	...	...	9,324	...	9,324
British India	10,289	...	...	10,289	...	499,000	41,550	540,550
China	...	...	...	...	...	585,292	...	585,292
United States of America ...	...	...	...	...	...	79,655	...	72,655
Other Countries	6	...	200	206	3,090	...	604	3,694
Aggregate of the Exportations } registered in the Week ... }	18,005	1,652	10,232	29,889	3,090	1260171	215,940	1479201
Declared Value of the said } Exportations }	£ 70,130	£ 6,435	£ 40,396	£ 116,961	£ 850	£ 282,678	£ 51,808	£ 335,336

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Glasbury Friendly Society, Register No. 1, held at the Lamb Inn, Glasbury, in the county of Radnor, is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 7th day of April, 1877, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears, proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Society to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

J. M. Ludlow, Chief Registrar of Friendly Societies.

28, Abingdon-street, Westminster,
the 7th day of April, 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Male and Female Burial Society, Register No. 3333, held at Lowton Common School, in the county of Lancaster, is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 7th day of April, 1877, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears, proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Society to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

J. M. Ludlow, Chief Registrar of Friendly Societies.

28, Abingdon-street, Westminster,
the 7th day of April, 1877.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
1309. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Henri Adrien Bonneville, of the British and Foreign Patent Offices, 18, Rue de la Chaussée d'Antin, Paris, France, and 6, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, praying for letters patent for the invention of "a new or improved hydraulic press, for separating the water and other liquids from solid matters in suspension therein,"—a communication from Jules Sébastien Boulouvard, a person resident at Marseilles, France aforesaid,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 4th day of April, 1877, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
1338. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Franz Otto Matthiessen, of Irvington, State of New York, United States of America, Sugar Refiner, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in refining sugar,"—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 5th day of April, 1877, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
1347. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Dexter Harrington Chamberlain, of Boston, in the county of Suffolk, and State of Massachusetts, one of the United States of America, Engineer, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in loom shuttles,"—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the

Commissioners, on the 6th day of April, 1877, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
1348. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of William Strobbridge Soule and John Sheriff, of the State of Massachusetts, of the United States of America, praying for letters patent for the invention of "a new and useful improvement in trunks or packing cases, or other articles of like character," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 6th day of April, 1877, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
1350. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Sydney Pitt, of Sutton, in the county of Surrey, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in roving-twisters,"—a communication to him from abroad by John Samuel Kirks, of the city of Chester, in the county of Delaware, in the State of Pennsylvania, United States of America,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 6th day of April, 1877, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
1354. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in stench-traps,"—a communication to him from abroad by John H. Mackie, of Oakland, California, United States of America,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 6th day of April, 1877, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
1387. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of François Ferdinand Auguste Achard, of Paris, France, Engineer, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in electric apparatus for actuating railway breaks, which improvements are applicable to other automatic breaks, actuated by steam, compressed air, vacuum, or other power," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 9th day of April, 1877, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
1388. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Charles Denton Abel, of Southampton-buildings, in the county of Middlesex, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements

in the means and apparatus for raising and lowering objects in mines and other localities,"—a communication to him from abroad by Zulma Blanchet, of Epinac, Saône-et-Loire, France,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 9th day of April, 1877, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

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

4997. To Henri Adrien Bonneville, of the British and Foreign Patent Offices, 18, Rue de la Chaussée d'Antin, Paris, France, and 6, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "a new or improved varnish."—A communication from Jean François Lorthioir, a person resident at Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium.

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 27th day of December, 1876.

258. To Gerard Wenzeslaus von Nawrocki, of the firm of J. Brandt and G. W. v. Nawrocki, of Berlin, in the German Empire, Engineers and Patent Agents, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for raising fluids."—A communication to him from the firm of Papperitz and Averkamp, of Berlin aforesaid.

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 19th day of January, 1877.

380. To Courtenay Spencer Foster, of Burton Overy, Glenn, in the county of Leicester, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of artificial fuel."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 29th day of January, 1877.

673. To Horace Henry Charles Sintzenich, of the city of Toronto, in the county of York, and Dominion of Canada, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in railway rails and appliances connected therewith."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 19th day of February, 1877.

720. To George Horatio Jones, Surgeon Dentist, of 57, Gt. Russell-street, Bloomsbury, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "an improved method of, and apparatus for, cooking eggs."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 22nd day of February, 1877.

762. To Edward Thomas Hughes, of the firm of Hughes and Son, Patent Agents, 123, Chancery-lane, London, for the invention of "attaching display cards to boxes, and for other purposes."—A communication to him from abroad by Henry Hull Snow, of New Haven and State of Connecticut, United States of America, Confectioner.

764. And to Edward Wood, of the firm of J. and E. Wood, of the Victoria Foundry, Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "certain improvements in steam-engines."

On both their petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 24th day of February, 1877.

780. To Henri Adrien Bonneville, of the British and Foreign Patent Offices, 18, Rue de la Chaussée d'Antin, Paris, France, and 6, Picca-

dilly, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "a new or improved apparatus for diminishing the friction work of axle-trees and other such moving parts of machinery."—A communication from Jacques Belou, of the firm of J. Belou and Company, Civil Engineer, a person resident at 28, Rue St. Lazare, Paris, France aforesaid.

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 26th day of February, 1877.

790. To John Boyd and Thomas Alexander Boyd, of Shettleston, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for winding yarn or thread."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 27th day of February, 1877.

818. To James Hargreaves, of Widnes, in the county of Lancaster, Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of sulphates of soda and potassa, and in the apparatus employed therein."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 28th day of February, 1877.

835. To Gustave Alsing, of Bradford, in the county of York, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the treatment of sewage and other polluted waters and their deposits, and apparatus therefor."

851. And to Ferdinando Tommasi, of Paris, in the Department of the Seine, and Republic of France, for the invention of "improvements in electric telegraph apparatus, particularly applicable to submarine cables of great length."

On both their petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 2nd day of March, 1877.

872. To Henry Faulder, of Stockport, in the county of Chester, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus especially designed for the purpose of cleaning and dressing gooseberries, and removing the 'tops and tails' therefrom."

878. And to John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in the preparation of beverages having milk as their basis."—A communication to him from abroad by Edward Kokosinski, Pharmaceutical Chemist, Edouard Landowski, Doctor of Medicine, and Pawel Landowski, Chemist, all of Paris, in the Republic of France.

On both their petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 5th day of March, 1877.

895. To Josiah Pumphrey, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in autographic printing."

896. To Richard Peyton, of Colwall, near Malvern, in the county of Worcester, Newspaper Proprietor, for the invention of "improvements in or additions to locomotive engines for common roads and street tramways."

897. And to George Tangye, of the firm of Tangye Brothers, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturers, and Henry Guy, of Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, Machinist, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for cutting off lengths of metallic and other rods, and in cutting and boring tools and tool holders."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 6th day of March, 1877.

946. To Theophile Bresson, of Junas-Canton, Sommieres, Gard, in the Republic of France, for the invention of "improvements in stoppers for bottles and in the means of securing them." On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 9th day of March, 1877.
965. To William Parker Fox, of No. 19, Scotland-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, Millwright, for the invention of "an improvement in spanners or wrenches." On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 10th day of March, 1877.
985. To Josiah Latimer Clark and John Standfield, both of 6, Westminster-chambers, Victoria-street, in the city of Westminster, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for examining and raising sunken ships." On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 12th day of March, 1877.
1017. To Thomas Murdoch, of the firm of William Lindsay, Boase, and Company, of Dundee, in the county of Forfar, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of sacking canvas or other fabrics, and in the apparatus to be used therefor."
1022. And to George Gould, of Linfield, in the county of Sussex, for the invention of "an improved liquid composition to be used for embalming, deodorizing, and disinfecting purposes."—A communication to him from abroad by John Welsford Drake, of Windsor, Ontario, in the Dominion of Canada.
- On both their petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 14th day of March, 1877.
1028. To Konrad Wilhelm Jurisch, of Widnes, in the county of Lancaster, Doctor of Philosophy, and John Henry Lewis, of the same place, Manager of Chemical Works, for the invention of "improvements in steam engines with the object of economizing fuel."
1030. To James Picken, of Mochrum, in the county of Wigton, North Britain, for the invention of "a new or improved machine for hoeing and thinning turnips, and for cleaning drills."
1034. To Henry Bell, James Bell, and Joseph James Coleman, all of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in refrigerative processes, and apparatus for preserving meat or other food or beverages."
1035. To Henry Bernoulli Barlow, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for signalling in mines and shafts."—A communication to him from abroad by Emil Henrich, of Kupferdreh, in Germany.
1036. To Richard Norfolk, of Beverley, in the county of York, Managing Director, of the Beverley Iron and Waggon Company Limited, and Isaac Griffith Lloyd, of the same place, Engineer, for the invention of "an improved governor for steam and other engines."
1038. To William Holme Davis, of 202, Lewisham, High-road, in the county of Kent, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for cleaning ships' bottoms, and like submerged structures while afloat."
1042. To Emile de Fauconnet, of Gélus, in the Department of the Basses Pyrénées, and Republic of France, for the invention of "a new or improved safety apparatus for stopping runaway horses."
1044. To Carl Pieper, of Dresden, Saxony, for the invention of "an improved beer-cooler."—A communication from Johann Philipp Lippe, a person resident at Dresden, Saxony.
1046. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in steam boilers, furnaces, and in apparatus connected therewith."—A communication to him from abroad by Benjamin Hershey, of Erie, Pennsylvania, United States of America.
1048. And to Joseph Scholes, Mechanic, Thomas Chadwick, Mechanic, and Henry McCraith, Gentleman, all of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in bottles, particularly applicable for stoppering, filling, and drawing off the contents of the same, and in stoppers to be used therewith."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 15th day of March, 1877.
1050. To Joseph Theodore Dann, of 126, Stockwell Park-road, in the county of Surrey, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of the permanent way of railways."—A communication to him from abroad by Edmund Heusinger von Waldegg, of Hanover, in the Empire of Germany.
1054. To Walter Black, of Mousemill, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Wright, for the invention of "improvements in churns."
1056. To William Jackson, of Urmston, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Print Buyer, for the invention of "improvements in treating fabrics printed with aniline colours."
1058. To Frank Wirth, of the firm of Wirth and Company, Patent Agency, of Frankfort on the Main, in the Empire of Germany, for the invention of "improvements in washing substances."—A communication from Charles Funk, Chemist, and Adolf Eltze, Master at the Agricultural School, "Marienberg," persons resident at Helmstedt, in the Empire of Germany.
1060. To Richard Taylor, of the Limes, Rush Green, Romford, in the county of Essex, for the invention of "improved construction of asphaltic roofing for sheds, houses, and the like."
1062. To Edward Wilson, of Exeter, in the county of Devon, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for polishing, glazing, and brushing leather, and for other like purposes."
1064. And William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, for the invention of "an improved method of treating sewage for separating the liquid from the solid portions thereof, and deodorizing and purifying the same."—A communication to him from abroad by Placide Charles Lebé, of Paris, France.
1066. To Samuel Milne Smith, Charles Telford Smith, and William Binns, of the firm of Samuel Smith and Company, of Bradford, in the county of York, Dyers and Finishers, for the invention of "improvements in finishing 'Moreens' and corded fabrics."
1070. To Richard Brown Evered, of Drury-lane, in the county of Middlesex, and Edward John Read, of Smethwick, in the county of Stafford, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for grinding, cleaning, and polishing tubes, bars, rods, or strips of brass or other metal."

1072. To Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in tramway cars."—A communication to him from abroad by John Stephenson, of New York City, in the county and State of New York, United States of America.
1074. And to Gerard Wenzeslaus von Nawrocki, of the firm of J. Brandt and G. W. v. Nawrocki, of Berlin, in Prussia, Engineers and Patent Agents, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for accelerating the formation of cream in fresh milk."—A communication to him from the firm of W. Lefeldt and Lentsch, of Schöningen, in Brunswick.
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 16th day of March, 1877.
1076. To John Osmond, of Breakspear-road, New Cross, in the county of Kent, for the invention of "improvements in two wheeled vehicles."
1077. To Herbert John Haddan, of the firm of Herbert and Company, Patent Agents, of 67, Strand, in the city of Westminster, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in fish plates and in joints for railway rails."—A communication to him from abroad by Joseph Eno, of Council Bluffs, State of Iowa, United States of America.
1078. And John Lowe, of Hollinwood, in the county of Lancaster, Gas Manager, and Joseph Standring Drousfeld, of Oldham, in the same county, Machinist, for the invention of "improvements in wrenches or spanners for gripping and turning pipes and other bodies."
1080. To Arnold Budenberg, of the city of Manchester, for the invention of "improvements in brakes for railway wagon wheels and other revolving surfaces."—A communication to him from abroad by Julius Fölsche, of Magdeburg, and Bruno Lange, of Neustadt Magdeburg, both in the Empire of Germany.
1081. To John William Hartley, of Stoke-upon-Trent, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of encaustic and other tiles, and in the machinery and apparatus employed therein, parts of which improved machinery are also applicable to other purposes."
1082. To Albert Edward Seaton, of the town and county of the town of Kingston-upon-Hull, Engineer, and John George Cameron, of the same place, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in spring loaded safety valves."
1084. To Benjamin Fullwood, of Torquay, in the county of Devon, and of Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Whitesmith, for the invention of "improvements in roller blind furniture."
1086. To Robert Sharland, of Marwood House, Sydenham, in the county of Kent, for the invention of "improved means and apparatus for effecting reduction or enlargements of drawings or plans."
1088. To Thomas Llewellyn, of Lancaster, in the county of Lancaster, Machinist, for the invention of "new or improved machinery or apparatus for turning, thurming, and shaping wood."
1089. To Robert Hadfield, of Sheffield, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of buffer boxes."
1090. To James Clifford Morgan, of Baths Works, Rotherham, in the county of York, Stove Grate Manufacturer and Ironfounder, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of hot water cylinders and hot water cisterns for hot water baths and domestic purposes."
1091. And to Thomas Robert Brailsford, of City-chambers, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in couplings for railway carriages and trucks."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 17th day of March, 1877.
1094. To Arthur Charles Henderson, of 6, Southampton-buildings, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in the application of alarms to watches."—A communication to him from abroad by Frederick Dessert, Watchmaker, a person resident at Besançon, in the Department of Doubs, in the Republic of France.
1096. To Exley Woodcock, of Elland, in the county of York, and John William Woodcock, of Dewsbury, in the same county, for the invention of "improvements in 'hawking machines' for indigo dyeing."
1098. And to William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "an improved manufacture of pulp from animal substances to form a new material for the production of articles shaped by moulding or pressure and the like."—A communication to him from abroad by Lemuel Coburn, of Worcester, Massachusetts, United States of America.
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 19th day of March, 1877.
1104. To William Firmin, of Teesdale-street, Hackney-road, in the county of Middlesex, Brass Founder, for the invention of "improvements in ball valves or ball cocks."
1106. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in the smelting or reduction of metallic ores, and in furnaces therefor."—A communication to him from abroad by George Henry Moller, of Plainfield, New Jersey, Manufacturer, William Moller, of the city and State of New York, Merchant, and William Alexander Stephens, of Drakesville, New Jersey, Smelter, all in the United States of America.
1108. To Robert Lewis Jones, of Garston, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in expansion gear or cut-off mechanism of steam engines, and in governors for controlling the same, and for regulating the speed of steam engines and other prime movers."—A communication to him from abroad by Louis Reil, Mechanician, of Paris, France, and partly his own invention.
1109. To Thomas Galloway Dawson and Jeremiah Dawson, of Otley, in the county of York, Printing Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in printing machinery."
1110. And to Thomas Robertson, junior, and Alexander Henderson, both of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in steam cars or carriages and similar vehicles for tramways or common roads."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 20th day of March, 1877.
1112. To Francis Wentworth Brewster, of Greenstead Hall, Halstead, in the county of Essex, for the invention of "improvements in warships or vessels, and in applying armour plating thereto, or to other ships, or to forts."

1114. To James Coulthred Thompson, of Ealing, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for indicating and registering the number of revolutions performed and distances traversed."

1116. To William Blanch Brain, of Cinderford, in the county of Gloucester, for the invention of "improvements in electric batteries, together with the mode of, and apparatus for, separating iron and other metals from their ores, and in generating electricity and thermo-electricity by or during the electro deposition of such ores."

1118. To Alexander Morton, of Darvel, in the county of Ayr, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of imitation tapestry cloth."

1120. To Joseph Waddington and Benjamin Longbottom, both of Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in condensers."

1124. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of steel."—A communication to him from abroad by Stephen Barker, of Knoxville, Tennessee, United States of America.

1128. And to John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in furniture for bed-rooms."—A communication to him from abroad by William Cooper, of the city of Montreal, in the county of Hochelaga, and Province of Quebec, Canada.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 21st day of March, 1877.

1130. To Gray Denison Edmeston, Assistant Manager for De Bergue & Company Limited, Strangeways Iron Works, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in rivetting machines."

1132. To Rufus Herbert Rose, of 14, Southampton-buildings, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in modes of and apparatus for opening preserved meat or other tins, cans, or like receptacles."

1135. To David Cochrane, of Whiteabbey, in the county of Antrim, Ireland, for the invention of "improvements in refuting wood pressing rollers for spinning frames."

1136. To Samuel Chatwood, of No. 120, Cannon-street, in the city of London, Safe and Lock Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in locks, safes, and receiving boxes."

1138. To Joseph Beverley Fenby, of Yardley, in the county of Worcester, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in camp or folding stools, chairs, tables, and beds."

1139. To James Bragg, of Buckfastleigh, in the county of Devon, Foreman in a Woollen Factory, for the invention of "improvements in condenser carding-engines."

1140. To Adrian John Verkouteren, of Amsterdam, in the Kingdom of Holland, but at present of Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in central draft-flues for furnaces or kilns for the calcining of lime, the roasting of ores, and the burning of cement and plaster, and other materials."—A communication to him from abroad by William Smith Sampson, of the city and State of New York, in the United States of America.

1142. And to Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex,

Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in machines for sewing gloves and other articles."—A communication to him from abroad by François Socrate Perrare-Michal and Emile Boucirot, both of Paris, France.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 22nd day of March, 1877.

1144. To John Robinson, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in bearings."

1147. To Sir Frederic Henry Sykes, Baronet, of Seaton, in the county of Devon, for the invention of "improvements in vessels for storing compressed air for motive purposes."

1148. To Thomas Robert Rossiter, of Bristol, in the county of Gloucester, for the invention of "improvements in shaping or finishing stays or corsets, and in processes and apparatus or means connected therewith."

1150. To Eugene Carless, of Hackney Wick, in the county of Middlesex, Chemist, for the invention of "a new or improved method of, and apparatus for, filling casks and other vessels with liquids."

1151. And to Thomas Richard Devereux Bingham, of 2, Alma-square, Saint John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex, (late) Captain, Indian Army, for the invention of "a new radiating elastic cellular defence belt for iron-clads and other similar vessels."

1152. To John Cotton, of Bowling, in the parish of Bradford, in the county of York, Engineer, for the invention of "an improvement in the construction of taps and cocks."

1154. And to John Alexander Lloyd, Alfred Lloyd, and Frederick Oliver, all of Cannon-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in the method of producing impressions upon tin plates, terne plates, and other flat surfaces, and in finishing plates or flat surfaces which have received such impressions."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 23rd day of March, 1877.

1155. To Joseph Grey Penman, of 5, South Crescent-chambers, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in incubators and artificial mothers, and in the regulation of heat for these and other purposes."

1157. To George Evatt Acklom, of No. 43, Montpelier-terrace, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, late Captain H. M. 16th Regiment of Foot, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for use in preserving animal and vegetable matters during transit or storage."

1159. To William Bruce Thompson, of Dundee, in the county of Forfar, North Britain, for the invention of "new or improved steering-gear for ships."

1160. To William Purves Wilson, of Asylum-road, Peckham, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus used in the manufacture of gas."

1161. To William Lloyd Wise, of Chandos-chambers, Adelphi, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improved method of and apparatus for making."—A communication to him from abroad by Mr. Jules Alphonse Saladin, of Paris, France.

1162. To Edward Bayzand Ellington, of No. 14, Delahay-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in hydraulic winches."

1163. To William Froude, of Chelston Cross, Torquay, in the county of Devon, for the invention of "new or improved means and apparatus for producing rapid movement of fluid, applicable for the measurement of motive power and other purposes."
1164. To Samuel Partridge, of Darlaston, in the county of Stafford, Surgeon, for the invention of "improvements in couplings for coupling and uncoupling railway carriages and vehicles and locomotives."
1166. To Joseph Reade, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of wardrobes and cabinets."
1167. To Thomas Morgan, Secretary of the Inventors' Patentright Association Limited, 21, Cockspur-street, Charing Cross, London, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in engines and pumps actuated by steam or other power."—A communication to him from abroad by John Gustave Adolphe Donneley, a person resident at Hamburg, Germany.
1168. To William Wrest, of Leeds, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in the means or apparatus employed for staking, setting out, and boarding or softening leather."
1169. To William Clegg, of Todmorden, in the county of York, Shuttle Maker, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for cutting and shaping wood."
1170. And to Henry Studdy, of Waddeton Court, in the county of Devon, Gentleman, Commodore, Royal Dart Yacht Club, for the invention of "an improved apparatus for cleaning the bottoms and sides of ships."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 24th day of March, 1877.
1171. To Jacques Coquillion, Professor of Chemistry, of 82, Boulevard Sébastopol, Paris, in the Republic of France, for the invention of "an improved carburometer for making quantitative analyses of fire damp in mines, and for regulating combustion in industrial furnaces."
1172. To George Washington Strong, of Brixton, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements applicable to pianofortes for increasing the power or altering the tone or sound thereof at will."
1173. To Thomas Sheppard and Walter Sheppard, both of Dudley, in the county of Worcester, Engineers, for the invention of "a new or improved apparatus for heating water by steam."
1174. To Thomas Sheppard, of Dudley, in the county of Worcester, Engineer, and Walter Sheppard, of the same place, Engineer, for the invention of "an improved steam generator."
1175. To Martin Benson, of No. 9, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in screw lifting jacks."—A communication to him from abroad by Jacob O. Joyce, of Dayton, in the State of Ohio, United States of North America.
1178. To David Caddick, of Middlesborough, in the county of York, and Joseph Maybery, of Llanelli, in the county of Carmarthen, for the invention of "improvements in puddling, heating, melting, and other furnaces."
1179. To Hugo Wippermann, of Leeds, in the county of York, and Gilbert Lewis, of Moss Side, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineers, for the invention of "improvements

- in the method of and in apparatus for supplying air to the vessels of pumps and machinery."
1180. To Arthur William Singer, of Coventry, in the county of Warwick, for the invention of "improvements in shifting spanners."
1182. To James Nicoll, of Dundee, in the county of Forfar, North Britain, Manager of Jute Spinning Mills, for the invention of "improvements in bearings and lubricating apparatus for the upright spindles of spinning and winding machinery."
1183. To Philip Embury Lockwood, of 24, Holborn-viaduct, in the city of London, for the invention of "an improved method of treating beer, ale, porter, and other beverages of a like nature."
1184. To James Paris, of Stratford, in the county of Essex, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in flat irons to be heated by gas and air, and in burners for the same."
1186. And John Imray, of Southampton-buildings, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the cases of locks for trunks, portmanteaus, and such like receptacles."—A communication to him from abroad by Ernest Hofmann, of Carlsbad, in the Empire of Austria.
1187. And to Charles Neale May, of the firm of Brown and May, of Devizes, in the county of Wilts, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in or applicable to portable engines."
1188. To Henry Crouch Batchelor, of 110, Cannon-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in coating or impregnating the interior of casks, and in protecting timber, stone, metals and earthenware."
1189. To George Kent, of High Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in ice safes and refrigerators."
1190. To William Spence, of 8, Quality-court, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in wheels for wheeled vehicles."—A communication to him from abroad by John B. Sammis and George W. Hayes, both of the city of New York, United States.
1193. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in wheel or roller skates."—A communication to him from abroad by Cyrus W. Saladee, of Walcottville, Connecticut, United States of America.
1194. To William Lloyd Wise, of Chandos-chambers, Adelphi, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "an improvement in the manufacture of horse-shoes by machinery."—A communication to him from abroad by James A. Burden, of the city of Troy, in the county of Rensselaer, and State of New York, United States of America.
1196. And to Henry Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in lamps."—A communication to him from abroad by Leverett Homer Olmsted, of Brooklyn, in the State of New York, United States of America.
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 26th day of March, 1877.
1197. To David Sherrit, of the city and county of Aberdeen, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for hoisting or hauling."

1199. To Edwin Brownson, of Ashton-under-Lyne, in the county of Lancaster, Sewing Machine Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in, and in connection with, sewing machines."
1200. To William Samuel Robert Catt, of Geestreet, Goswell-road, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for supporting the windows of doors of landaus and other carriages of similar construction."
1202. To Edward Peyton and Thomas Bourne, both of Bordesley, in the county of Warwick, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for the manufacture of welded and other wrought iron, steel, and other metal tubes."
1204. To William Hannaford, of Regent-street, in the county of Middlesex, Dressing-case Maker, for the invention of "improvements in pipes and tubes for smoking."
1205. To Samuel Robinson, of Westland-row, Dublin, in the county of Dublin, Ireland, Builder and Contractor, for the invention of "improvements in the construction and laying of wood pavement, which improvements embrace a new method of constructing and laying tram rails."
1206. To Henry Faija, of Great Queen-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for mixing dry powdered substances."
1207. To John James Hall, of Datchet, in the county of Buckingham, Fellow of the Meteorological Society, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus or means for communicating between the passengers and the guards and engine drivers of railway trains."
1209. To Theodore Verstraeten, of Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in joining together the ends of pipes and tubes."
1210. To William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for stretching fabrics."—A communication to him from abroad by Alfred François Lacassaigne, of Paris, in the Republic of France.
1211. To Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in envelopes or bags for postal and other uses."—A communication to him from abroad by Roderick Chrysler Carter, of the city of Kingston, county of Frontenac, Province of Ontario, Canada.
1212. To Emmanuel Joseph Albo de Bernalés, of Brixton, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in the running gear of traction engines."
1213. To James Henderson, of Truro, in the county of Cornwall, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of ice and snow into blocks, slabs, and other forms, and in machinery employed therein."
1214. To George Henry Taylor, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in shears and scissors."
1215. To Joseph William Froud, of the firm of Benham and Froud, of Chandos-street, Strand; in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in refrigerators or portable ice safes."
1216. To Clement Sims, of 98, St. Martin's-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Manager to Messieurs Benham and Froud, for the invention of "improvements in coal boxes."
1217. To James Cowan Morton, of Govan, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Foreman Joiner, for the invention of "an improved mode and means of preventing draughts or the ingress of dust or rain underneath doors."
1218. And to Hector Aylesbury, of the city and county of Gloucester, for the invention of "improvements in bottles for containing aerated, fermented, and other liquids."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 27th day of March, 1877.
1219. To John Heath Bald, of Hebburn-on-Tyne, in the county of Durham, Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in utilizing residual and other oxides of iron."
1223. To Charles Amédée Sirié, of Paris (France), Gentleman, for the invention of "an improved apparatus for carburetting lighting gas."
1225. To William Morgan-Brown, of the firm of Brandon and Morgan-Brown, Engineers and Patent Agents, of 38, Southampton-buildings, London, and 13, Rue Gailon, Paris, for the invention of "improvements in animal traps."—A communication to him from abroad by Josiah Martin, of Palestine, Texas, United States of America.
1227. To Herbert John Haddan, of the firm of Herbert and Company, Patent Agents, of 67, Strand, in the city of Westminster, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for cleaning casks."—A communication to him from abroad by Carl Pohl, of Dresden, in the Empire of Germany.
1229. To John Clayton Mewburn, of 169, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agent and Consulting Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of friction couplings."—A communication to him from abroad by Thomas Aldridge Weston, of Stamford, Connecticut, in the United States of America.
1235. To Thomas Waller, of Fish-street-hill, in the city of London, Engineer, for the invention of "improved washing and cleansing compound or soap."
1237. To William Dundas Scott-Moncrieff, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in locomotive carriages for tramways or common roads."
1239. To Elias Leak, of Longton, in the county of Stafford, Potters' Machinist, and John Edwards, of Fenton, in the same county, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for supporting pottery ware in kilns and ovens, and in the means whereby the same are produced or formed."
1241. And to Frank Wirth, of the firm of Wirth and Company, Patent Agency, of Frankfort-on-the-Maine, in the Empire of Germany, for the invention of "improvements in tyres for railway-wheels, and in the method of applying the said improvements."—A communication from Wilhelm Schmidt, Engineer, a person resident at Heidelberg, in the Empire of Germany, and François Gittens, Shipbroker, a person resident at Antwerp, in the Kingdom of Belgium.
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 28th day of March, 1877.

1243. To William Dent Priestman and Samuel Priestman, both of Kingston-upon-Hull, in the county of York, Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in and appertaining to winches, cranes, and other like hoisting mechanism."

1245. To Thomas Wardle Asquith and Richard Donald Bain, both of Seaton Delaval, in the county of Northumberland, Mining Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in boring machinery for mining purposes."

1247. To John Tweedy, of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in drilling machines."

1249. To John Charles Walker, John Stevenson, and Jonathan Stephenson, all of Shipley, near Bradford, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in the means or apparatus employed in combing wool and other fibres."

1251. And to John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in fire arms."—A communication to him from abroad by Eugène Gabriel Lefauchaux, of Paris, in the Republic of France, Gun Maker.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 29th day of March, 1877.

1261. To Charles Robinson, of 19, Salisbury-street, Strand, London, and Hull, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in threshing machines and such like agricultural implements or machinery."

1263. To John Joseph Sheehan, of Gray's-inn-road, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improved means and apparatus for the manufacture of wafer breads."—A communication to him from abroad by Timothy Feely, of Boston, United States, America.

1269. To Francis George Fleury, 27, Gt. George-st., Westminster, Mechanical Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in ventilators."

1271. And to John McConnell, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in leak-stoppers for boiler tubes."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 31st day of March, 1877.

PATENTS WHICH HAVE BECOME VOID.

A LIST of the Letters Patent for Inventions which have become void by reason of the non-payment of the additional Stamp Duty of £50, before the expiration of the third year from the date of such Patents, pursuant to the Act of the 16th Vict., c. 5, sec. 2, for the week ending the 7th day of April, 1877.

1141. Alfred Swingle, Frank Atwood Huntington, and Washington Jay Miller, of San Francisco, California, in the United States of America, for an invention of "improvements in breech-loading magazine fire arms."—Dated 1st April, 1874.

1144. Jean Sebastian Anacharsis Ménier, Civil Engineer, of 19, College-avenue, county of Middlesex, Homerton, for an invention of "war and commercial aerostatic hot air balloons."—Dated 2nd April, 1874.

1146. Charles Topham, of Coleman-street, Bunhill-row, St. Luke's, in the county of Middlesex,

Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in machines for washing and peeling potatoes, and peeling, reducing, or pulping other roots."—Dated 2nd April, 1874.

1147. Arthur Lee Sparkes, of Burslem, in the county of Stafford, and Clement Marsh, of Wolstanton, in the same county, for an invention of "an instrument for ascertaining and indicating any extraordinary temperature in buildings and apartments of every kind."—Dated 2nd April, 1874.

1150. William Morton Halbert, of the city of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in the color printing of books and newspapers."—Dated 2nd April, 1874.

1153. Somerville Dear, of Leeds, in the county of York, Machinist, for an invention of "improvements in drawing and spinning machinery for flax, hemp, jute, wool, or other fibrous material."—Dated 2nd April, 1874.

1155. Joseph Taylor Martin, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of corks, and in apparatus employed therefor."—Dated 2nd April, 1874.

1157. Robert William Peregrine Birch, of 5, Westminster-chambers, Victoria-street, in the city of Westminster, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for flushing sewers, drains, reservoirs, and other water-ways, applicable also for discharging measures, quantities of water, or other fluids."—Dated 2nd April, 1874.

1158. Oliver Cullis, of 9, Cranbrook-street, New Town, Deptford, in the county of Kent, for an invention of "improvements in railway fog signal apparatus."—Dated 2nd April, 1874.

1159. William Munton Bullivant, of 59, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, for an invention of "improvements in telegraph cables."—Dated 2nd April, 1874.

1160. Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in culinary apparatus."—From abroad by John Samuel Kidd, of Brooklyn, County of Kings, and State of New York, United States of America.—Dated 2nd April, 1874.

1163. William Henry James Grout, of Watson-street, Stoke Newington Green, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer and Bicycle Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in bicycles and wheels, such wheels being applicable to bicycles, carriages, and other vehicles."—Dated 4th April, 1874.

1164. John Walker, of James-street, Saint Luke's, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for an invention of "new or improved carriages or vehicles for the conveyance of goods and passengers on railways, and for the easy and safe transit of such carriages from any one gauge of railway to another and different gauge without points or stopping such carriages."—Dated 4th April, 1874.

1168. Edwin Russ, of Winchester, in the county of Hants, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of taps or cocks for liquids, and in ferrules for inserting taps in casks or other receptacles."—Dated 4th April, 1874.

1169. Jean Alexis Voison and Pierre Dronier, both of No. 41, Rue Saint Fargeau, Paris, in the Republic of France, Civil Engineers, for an invention of "an improved method of and apparatus for producing a light."—Dated 4th April, 1874.

1170. Henri Adrien Bonneville, of the British and Foreign Patent Offices, 18, Rue de la Chaussée d'Antin, Paris, France, and 6, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "certain improvements in brakes and coupling for railroad cars."—The said invention is a communication from Henry Emil Marchand, a person resident at Pittsburgh, county of Alleghany, State of Pennsylvania, United States of America, Engineer.—Dated 4th April, 1874.
1171. Thomas Short, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Portioner, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for purifying sewage."—Dated 4th April, 1874.
1172. George Bourne, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Tube Manufacturer, for an invention of "improved machinery for making metal tubes."—Dated 4th April, 1874.
1176. Edward Pearson, of No. 745, Old Kent-road, in the county of Surrey, Carpenter, for an invention of "improvements in taps, cocks, or valves for adjusting or regulating the flow of liquids and gaseous fluids."—Dated 4th April, 1874.
1177. Robert Ballingal, of Eallabus House, Islay, North Britain, for an invention of "a new or improved instrument for measuring and registering the force or pressure of the wind."—Dated 4th April, 1874.
1180. Aaron Mosley, of Southey-street, in the town and county of the town of Nottingham, Mechanic, for an invention of "improved arrangement and combination of appliances connected with lace machines."—Dated 4th April, 1874.
1181. George Warsop and Henry Walker Hill, both of Deering-street, Nottingham, Engineers, for an invention of "improvements in rock drill apparatus, applicable also to apparatus for dressing stone, driving piles, rivetting, and such like."—Dated 4th April, 1874.
1182. Joseph Betts Bradshaw, of Clough Hill House, Rotherham, in the county of York, for an invention of "improvements in hoops for securing bales."—Dated 4th April, 1874.
1184. Charles Walter Vosper, of Stoke Devonport, in the county of Devon, Agent, for an invention of "improvements in sewing machines."—Dated 4th April, 1874.
1187. Archibald Turner, of Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Elastic Web Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in the mode of and apparatus for the manufacture of elastic and non-elastic fabrics and fringes."—Dated 4th April, 1874.
1189. John Pattison, of Naples, Italy, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in automatic hydraulic apparatus for working pumps and compressing air."—Dated 4th April, 1874.
1193. William Edward Gedge, of No. 11, Wellington-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "an improved apparatus or boiler with lateral receivers for heating all kinds of liquids by continuous circulation, and which may be used as a washing machine."—From abroad by Octave Marie Fabas, Juge de Paix, Tarbes, Hautes Pyrénées, France.—Dated 4th April, 1874.
1194. William Heginbotham, of Chorley, in the county of Lancaster, Fitter, for an invention of "improved door fastener specially applicable to railway wagons."—Dated 6th April, 1874.
1198. Fred Broughton, of Hanover House, Hanover-cottages, Regent's Park, and Robert Stephens, of 18, Green-street, Paddington Green, both in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "a new or improved continuous action steam break."—Dated 6th April, 1874.
1202. William Frederick Bateman, of Low Moor, in the county of York, Card Maker, for an invention of "improvements in the method of and apparatus for making spaces in condenser doffers."—Dated 7th April, 1874.
1203. David Morris, or Monifieth, in the county of Forfar, North Britain, for an invention of "improvements in the preservation of potatoes, and in the apparatus connected therewith."—Dated 7th April, 1874.
1208. George Kearsley, of Ripon, in the county of York, Agricultural Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in or connected with reaping and mowing machines."—Dated 7th April, 1874.
1212. Hiram Washington Hayden, of Waterbury, in the State of Connecticut, United States of America, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for rolling metal tubes or rods."—Dated 7th April, 1874.

A LIST of the Letters Patent for Inventions which have become void by reason of the non-payment of the additional Stamp Duty of £100 before the expiration of the seventh year from the date of such Patents, pursuant to the Act of the 16th Vict., c. 5, sec. 2, for the week ending the 7th day of April, 1877.

955. Frederic Arthur Harrison, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Jeweller, and Charles Priestland, also of Birmingham aforesaid, Manager of Works, for an invention of "certain improvements in metallic adjusters, applicable for adjusting braces, garters, and other articles of dress, and which said improvements are also applicable for suspending curtains or other drapery."—Dated 1st April, 1870.
960. Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, for an invention of "an improvement in sewing machines."—Communicated to him from abroad by Nathaniel Wheeler, of the city and State of New York, United States of America.—Dated 1st April, 1870.
966. Henry Jackson, of Park-square, Leeds, in the county of York, Consulting Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for drying grain, malt, roots, spent malt or hops, megass or spent sugar cane, wool, and other substances."—Dated 2nd April, 1870.
967. Henry Jackson, of Park-square, Leeds, in the county of York, Consulting Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in mills for crushing and grinding."—Partly communicated to him from abroad by Charles Ross and John Ross, both of New York, in the United States of America and is partly his own invention.—Dated 2nd April, 1870.
968. Alexander Barlow and John Taylor, both of Bury, in the county of Lancaster, for an invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus to be employed in preparing cotton or other fibrous substances for spinning."—Dated 2nd April, 1870.
970. Israel Summersfield and John Glasgow Sanderson, both of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for an invention of "an improved pressing machine for the use of tailors and others."—Dated 2nd April, 1870.
976. Joseph Shackleton, of Bradford, in the county of York, Engineer and Machinist, for an invention of "improvements in utilizing exhaust steam."—Dated 2nd April, 1870.

980. William Johnson, of the Wynd's Point, Little Malvern, in the county of Worcester, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in sheet metal saddle trees."—Dated 4th April, 1870.

981. George Deadman, of Hatfield Peverel, in the county of Essex, Farmer, for an invention of "improvements in horse hoes."—Dated 4th April, 1870.

997. Thomas Rose, of Oxton, in the county of Chester, Ironfounder, and Robert Emerson Gibson, of New Brighton, in the same county, Merchant, for an invention of "improvements in the utilization of a certain material obtained in treating cotton seed, and in machinery employed therein."—Dated 5th April, 1870.

1000. John Parker, of Woodstock, Oxfordshire, Builder and Cabinet Maker, for an invention of "improvements in dry earth closets."—Dated 5th April, 1870.

1014. William Young, Manager of the Chemical Works, Magdalen Bridge, in the county of Mid Lothian, and Peter Brash, of Leith, in the same county, Soap, Candle, and Oil Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of illuminating gas."—Dated 6th April, 1870.

1027. Joseph Shackleton, of Bradford, in the county of York, Engineer and Machinist, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for heating or warming rooms."—Dated 7th April, 1870.

1080. Emile Daniel, of Bapeaume Town, near Rouen (Seine Inférieure), France, for an invention of "an improved apparatus for indicating the water-level in steam boilers."—Dated 7th April, 1870.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and of the Vronheulog Slate Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court was, on the 10th day of April, 1877, presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, by the Honourable Emily Noel Hill, a creditor of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, on Friday, the 27th day of April, 1877; 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.

Paine, Layton, and Cooper, 47, Gresham-house, Old Broad-street, London, Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Middlesex Fire Office Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Master of the Rolls has fixed Monday, the 23rd day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, 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 11th day of April, 1877.

In the Court of the Vice-Warden of the Stannaries.
Stannaries of Cornwall.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and of the New Chiverton Mining Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court was, on the 7th day of April instant, presented to the Vice-Warden of the Stannaries by William Harvey, Henry Whitford, William West, William John Rawlings, William Husband, Francis Harvey, and Nicholas James West, carrying on business at Hayle, within the said Stannaries, as General Merchants, under the style or firm of Harvey and Co., claiming to be creditors of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Warden, at the Law Institution, Chancery-lane, London, on Monday, the 23rd day of April instant, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon. Any contributory or creditor of the Company may appear at the hearing and oppose the same, provided he has given at least two clear days' notice to the petitioners, their Solicitors, or their Agents, of his intention to do so, such notice to be forthwith forwarded to P. P. Smith, Esq., Secretary of the Vice-Warden, Truro. Every such contributory or creditor is entitled to a copy of the petition and affidavit verifying the same from the petitioners, their Solicitors, or their Agents, within twenty-four hours after requiring the same, on payment of the regulated charge per folio. Affidavits intended to be used at the hearing, in opposition to the petition, must be filed at the Registrar's Office, Truro, on or before the 19th day of April instant, and notice thereof must at the same time be given to the petitioners, their Solicitors, or their Agents.—Dated Truro, 11th day of April, 1877.

Hodge, Hockin, and Marrack, Truro, Cornwall, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

Gregory, Roweliffes, and Rawle, 1, Bedford-row, London, Agents of the said Solicitors.

In the Court of the Vice-Warden of the Stannaries.
Stannaries of Cornwall.

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862, and of the East Wheal Basset Mining Company.

BY an Order made by his Honour the Vice-Warden of the Stannaries in the said matter, dated the 10th day of April instant, on the petition of George Stoughton Arnall, of Redruth, within the said Stannaries, Timber Merchant, a shareholder, and claiming to be also a creditor of the said Company, it was ordered that the said East Wheal Basset Mining Company should be wound up by this Court, under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1862.—Dated Truro, April 11, 1877.

Hodge, Hockin, and Marrack, Truro, Solicitors for the said Petitioner.

TENDERS FOR GOVERNMENT PRINTING IN EDINBURGH.

(PRINTED BOOKS, PAMPHLETS, "COMMAND PAPERS," &c.)

WANTED by the Controller of Her Majesty's Stationery Office, Tenders for Printing (including Paper) certain Reports for Presentation to Parliament, and Books and Pamphlets, for the Public Service in Scotland.

Samples of the Paper and Printing, with relative particulars of Contract and descriptive Schedules, may be seen, and forms of tender

obtained at the Stationery Office, Princes-street, Storey's Gate, between the hours of ten and four, down to the 14th of May next, and on the following day (the 15th of May, 1877), by twelve o'clock noon, tenders must be delivered at this address.

H. M. Stationery Office, Princes-Street, Storey's Gate, Westminster, March 17, 1877.

COLZA, LINSEED, NEATSFOOT, AND TRAIN OILS.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, April 3, 1877.

TENDERS will be received until two o'clock, on Thursday, the 19th instant, for about
40,000 gals. Colza Oil.
40,000 gals. Raw Linseed Oil.
1,800 gals. Neatsfoot Oil.
2,700 gals. Train Oil.

Tenders must remain firm till the 26th instant, to allow time for testing samples.

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 on personal application at this Office, or by letter addressed "The Director of Navy Contracts, Admiralty, Whitehall, S.W."

UPHOLSTERY, COCOA MATTING, &c.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, April 3, 1877.

TENDERS will be received until two o'clock, on Thursday, the 19th instant, for
14,450 yards Silk Binding.
2,500 yards Leather Cloth.
900 yards Woollen Table Covers.
150 Hearth Rugs.
3,600 yards Silks, &c., Cords.
4,000 yards Cocoa Matting.
900 Cocoa Mats.
2,640 yards Reps.
7,500 yards Blind Cord.
2,000 yards Silk Gimp, &c., &c., &c.

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LINEN SHEETING, TOWELLING, COUNTERPANES, PILLOW-CASES, TOILET CLOTHS, &c.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, April 7, 1877.

TENDERS will be received until two o'clock, on Tuesday, the 24th April, for specific quantities of

LINEN SHEETING, TOWELLING, &c., also of
COUNTERPANES, PILLOW-CASES, TOILET CLOTHS, &c.

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 on personal application at this Office, or by letter addressed "The Director of Navy Contracts, Admiralty, Whitehall, S.W."

Patterns of the Sheetting and Towelling, &c., can be seen at the Chamber of Commerce, Leeds, and of the Cotton Goods at the Chamber of Com-

merce, Manchester, at which places forms of tender can also be obtained.

Patterns of all the articles can also be seen at the Admiralty Pattern Rooms, 19, Hemming's-row, W.C.

National Provincial Bank of England.

Bishopsgate-Street (corner of Threadneedle-Street), London, E.C., April 10, 1877.

THE Directors of the National Provincial Bank of England hereby give notice, that the Annual General Meeting of the Proprietors of this Bank will be held on Thursday, the 10th day of May next, at the hour of twelve precisely, at their Bank premises, Bishopsgate-street (corner of Threadneedle-street), in the city of London.

W. Holt,

R. Fergusson,

T. G. Robinson,

Joint General Managers.

N.B.—The Chair will be taken at twelve o'clock precisely (not twelve for one o'clock).

Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons.

April, 1877.

THE Thirty-fourth General Meeting of the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons will be held, in accordance with the provisions of the Charter, at the College, 10, Red Lion-square, London, on Monday, May 7, at one o'clock precisely, to receive the Annual Report of the Council, and also the Treasurer's Report; and to elect eight Members of Council, six in the place of the following, who go out by rotation; viz.:—Matthew John Harpley, Richard Pritchard, John Worley Aze, Benjamin Cartledge, Joseph Woodger, jun., and James Moore; and two in the place of John Wilkinson and William Field, jun., deceased.

Colonel Sir F. Fitzwygram, Bart., President.

Wm. Henry Coates, Secretary.

In the Matter of the Highfield Hæmatite Iron Ore Company Limited, and of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the office of the Company, at 17, James-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on the 13th day of March, 1877, the following resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 29th day of March, 1877, the following resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That the Highfield Hæmatite Iron Ore Company Limited be wound up voluntarily.

2. "That John Poole, of Ulverston, in the county of Lancaster, Solicitor, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs and distributing the property of the Company."

Geo. H. Horsfall, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Colne Valley Gas Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the Company's office, at Milnsbridge, near Huddersfield, in the county of York, on the 14th day of March, 1877, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the

same place, on the 5th day of April, 1877, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

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

2. "That the Liquidators of the Company be Messrs. Richard Heaton, Milnsbridge, and Edward Taylor Sykes, of Milnsbridge, Huddersfield."

3. "That the business and property of the Company be sold to the Colne Vale Gas, Drysaltery, and Manufacturing Company Limited, and that the Liquidators be authorised to receive as the consideration for such sale, and for the purpose of distribution amongst the members of the Company, shares in the said Colne Vale Gas, Drysaltery, and Manufacturing Company Limited, and the undertaking of the last-mentioned Company to pay the debts and discharge all the engagements of the Colne Valley Gas Company Limited, including the costs of and incidental to the winding up and dissolution thereof, in accordance with the provisions of articles of agreement made and entered into on the 2nd day of March, 1877, between the Colne Valley Gas Company Limited, of the one part, and the Colne Vale Gas, Drysaltery, and Manufacturing Company Limited of the other part."

Wm. Shaw, Chairman.

AT an Extraordinary Shareholders' Meeting of Cheetham and Company Limited, held at the registered office of the Company, on the 28th day of March, 1877, the following resolutions were moved, seconded, and carried, that is to say:—

1. "It is moved and seconded that Mr. Elijah Smith be Chairman for this meeting. Whereas it has been proved to the satisfaction of this meeting that this Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue to carry on its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same."

2. "That this Company be wound up and wound up voluntarily."

3. "That John Cheetham be the Liquidator."

4. "That Joseph Berry, Elijah Smith, John Wright, and James Cheetham be appointed Committee of Inspection."

Elijah Smith, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Stour Valley Coal and Iron Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at No. 64, Cross-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 23rd day of March, 1877, 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, and that accordingly the Company be wound up voluntarily, under the provisions in that behalf of the Companies Act, 1862."

"That Mr. Alfred Roberts, of Birmingham, Mr. George Swallow, of Manchester, and Mr. Walter Newton Fisher, of Waterloo-street, Birmingham, Public Accountant, be appointed Liquidators for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company, and distributing the property thereof."

Alfred Roberts, Chairman.

The Household Commodities Supply Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above-named Company, held at No. 20, King's Arms-yard, in the city of
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London, on the 28th day of March, 1877, the following Extraordinary Resolution, in pursuance of section 129 of the Companies Act, 1862, was duly passed:—

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

Chs. Cramond Dick, Chairman.

The Companies Act, 1862.

The New St. Agnes Mine Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of Members of the New St. Agnes Mine Company Limited, duly convened and held at the Company's offices, No. 35, Ethelburga House, 70 and 71, Bishopsgate-street Within, in the city of London, on the 27th day of March, 1877, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

"That it having been proved to the satisfaction of this Company that it is unable, by reason of its liabilities, to continue its business, it be wound up voluntarily."

Mr. George Still, of 35, Ethelburga House, Bishopsgate-street Within, London, E.C., was, at the same time, unanimously appointed the Liquidator.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

Walter Arnold, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862, and of the New St. Agnes Mine Company Limited.

THE Creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 29th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to the undersigned, Voluntary Liquidator of the said Company, or, in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such claims are sent in.—35, Ethelburga House, 70 and 71, Bishopsgate-street Within, London, E.C., April 10, 1877.

George Still, Voluntary Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of Roberts' Patent Emery Company Limited.—In Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Creditors of the above-named Company, the business whereof was lately carried on at Chew Mills, Keynsham, near Bristol, are required, on or before the 20th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitor (if any), to Mr. James Milne, of the Albion-chambers, Bristol, the Liquidator of the said Company; and if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are, by themselves or their Solicitors, to come and prove their said debts, at the office of the said Liquidator, on Thursday, the 26th day of April next, between the hours of twelve in the forenoon and two in the afternoon, which time is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims, and in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

Fox and Whittuck, 35, Corn-street, Bristol, Solicitors to the Liquidator.

Hands and Son Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of this Company (which is in course of winding up voluntarily, pursuant to an Extraordinary Resolution passed on the 5th day of April, 1876), will be held at the offices of Messrs.

Johnson, Barclay, and Johnson, Solicitors, 36, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on Tuesday, the 15th day of May, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of having an account laid before such meeting showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company distributed, and hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.
—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

Chas. Baker, Liquidator.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Arthur Macarthur and Frederick William Linck, under the firm of Macarthur and Linck, at Spittle, in the borough of Berwick-upon-Tweed, in the trade or business of Chemical Manufacturers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 7th day of April, 1877.

Arthur Macarthur.
F. W. Linck.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edward Wootton and Henry Powell, of the Parade, Birmingham, Gas Chandelier and Gas Fitting Manufacturers, carrying on business under the firm of Wootton and Powell, was dissolved, by mutual consent, on the 31st day of March, 1877. All debts due to and from the late firm will be received and paid by the said Edward Wootton.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

Edward Wootton.
Henry Powell.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Grosvener Lane, William Buck, and Jesse Sly, carrying on business as Licensed Victuallers, Wine, Spirit, and Bottled Beer Merchants, at the Greyhound, 72, Bull's Pond-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Lane, Buck, and Company, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated the 11th day of April, 1877.

H. G. Lane.
William Buck.
J. Sly.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Morley and Edward Charles Tye, carrying on business at Thimble Mill-lane Wharf, Aston, in the county of Warwick, as Coal and Coke Merchants, under the style or firm of E. C. Tye and Co., was, on the 31st day of March, 1877, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

John Morley.
Edward Charles Tye.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, Sarah Nesbit and Mark James Lansdell, carrying on the profession or business of Consulting and Analytical Chemists and Assayers of Metals, and in the conducting and carrying on of the College of Agricultural Chemistry and of Practical and of General Science, at No. 38, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, was, on the 12th day of March instant, dissolved by mutual consent. All assets and liabilities of the firm will be received and paid by the said Sarah Nesbit.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

Sarah Nesbit.
Mark James Lansdell.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Beaton and Clement Hamil Perrot, carrying on business as Ironfounders, at the Alma Works, Masbrough, in the parish of Rotherham, in the county of York, under the style or firm of the Masbrough Stove Grate Company, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing from the said firm will be received and paid by the said Clement Hamil Perrot, who will henceforth carry on the said business alone under the style of Clement H. Perrot and Co.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1877.

Wm. Beaton.
Clement H. Perrot.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, George Edward Stevenson and Joseph Nash Newsom, as Merchants and Commission Agents, carrying on business at Liverpool, under the firm of G. E. Stevenson and Co., and at Bahia, in the Empire of Brazil, under the firm of Stevenson, Newsom, and Co., was dissolved, by effluxion of time, on the 31st day of December, 1876.—Dated this 26th day of February, 1877.

G. E. Stevenson.
Joseph N. Newsom.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edward James Barker and Charles Henry Lane, carrying on the profession or business of Attorneys and Solicitors, at the Guildhall, in the city and county of Bristol, and at 45, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 31st day of December instant.—Dated this 30th day of December, 1876.

Edward J. Barker.
Charles Henry Lane.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership for some time carried on by Rachael Levy, Edward Levy, Lewis Levy, John Levy, and Henry Levy, at No. 113, High-street, Shoreditch, and 86A, Whitechapel-road, both in the county of Middlesex, under the style of R. Levy and Sons, Cigar Manufacturers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Edward Levy will wind up the same, paying all debts due from and receiving all accounts and debts due to the said copartnership concern.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

Rachael Levy. John Levy.
Edward Levy. Henry Levy.
Lewis Levy.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by George Lewis Le Cronier and Harriett Adelaide Hickson, under the firm of G. L. Le Cronier, at St. John's-square, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, in the trade or business of Factors and Hardware Merchants, has been dissolved, as and from the 23rd day of December last, by mutual consent. All debts due to the said firm will be received, and all sums due from the said firm will be paid by the said George Lewis Le Cronier, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 6th day of April, 1877.

George Lewis Le Cronier.
Harriett Adelaide Hickson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, John Whitmore, Edward Shipley Ellis, and George Henry Ellis, of Leicester, in the county of Leicester, in the business of Worsted Spinners, under the style or firm of John Whitmore and Company, was dissolved, by mutual consent, on the 31st day of December last. All debts due to and from the said partnership will be received and paid by the said George Henry Ellis, who now carries on the said business in partnership with Benjamin Cunningham Wates and Sydney Ellis, under the said style or firm of John Whitmore and Company.—Dated the 6th day of April, 1877.

John Whitmore.
E. S. Ellis.
Geo. Hy. Ellis.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Dennis Wilson and George Greaves, as Joiners, at No. 33½, Johnson-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, under the firm of Wilson and Greaves, was, on the 31st day of January, 1876, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due or owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said George Greaves, who will henceforth carry on the said business in his own name at No. 33½, in Johnson-street, aforesaid.—As witness our hands this 9th day of April, 1877.

Dennis Wilson.
George Greaves.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Richard Haynes and Harry Haynes, carrying on business as Rope and Twine Makers, at No. 16, Livery-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and at the Old Mint Ropery, Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, under the style or firm of R. and H. Haynes, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 25th day of March, 1877. All debts due and owing by the said partnership firm will be paid by the said Richard Haynes, at No. 16, Livery-street, Birmingham aforesaid.—As witness our hands this 7th day of April, 1877.

Richard Haynes.
Harry Haynes.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, William Bowron and George Barnett, carrying on business as Tanners and Leather Merchants, at the Grauge, Neckinger-road, Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on by the said William Bowron, by whom all debts will be paid and accounts owing to the dissolved firm received.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

W. Bowron.
G. Barnett.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edward Brennan and Edward James Gibbs, in the business of Drapers, carried on by us at No. 1, Lombard-villas, Greenwich-road, and 67, Douglas-street, Deptford, both in the county of Kent, under the style or firm of Brennan and Gibbs, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from this 5th day of April, 1877.

*Edward Brennan.
Edward James Gibbs.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James William Harrison, William Howson, and Henry Harrison, carrying on business as Merchants and Manufacturers of Cutlery Goods, at Sheffield, in the county of York, under the style of Harrison Brothers and Howson, has been, as on and from the 31st day of December, 1875, dissolved by mutual consent. And that all debts due to and owing by the said late partnership will be received and paid by the said Henry Harrison and the undersigned, George Howson, by whom the business has since the said 31st day of December, 1875, been, and will in future be, carried on on their own account under the said style of Harrison Brothers and Howson.—As witness our hands this 9th day of April, 1877.

*James Wm. Harrison. Hey. Harrison.
Wm. Howson. Geo. Howson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, John Bradbury the younger, and Thomas Bradbury, deceased, who carried on business as Coal Masters and Miners, at Hyde and Haughton, in the counties of Chester and Lancaster, under the style or firm of Leigh and Bradbury, at Clayton, in the said county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of the Clayton Colliery Company, and at Bradley Green, in the Biddulph, in the county of Stafford, under the style or firm of the Bradley Green Colliery Company, was dissolved, by the death of the said Thomas Bradbury, on the 15th day of August, 1876, and from such last-mentioned date the said businesses have been and are now carried on by the undersigned John Bradbury the younger alone, under the same respective firm or styles.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

*John Bradbury, jun.
John Bradbury, jun.,
Thos. Redfern,
Executors of Thomas Bradbury, Deceased.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, Charles Leighton and George John Bryant, in the trade or business of Coal Merchants, carried on at Kent Wharf, Great Cambridge-street, Hackney-road, and at the Whitechapel Coal Depot, Bucks-row, Whitechapel, in the county of Middlesex, under the style and title of Leighton and Bryant, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Witness our hands this 31st day of March, 1877.

*Charles Leighton.
George John Bryant.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Gibson the younger, of the town of Nottingham, Solicitor, and Charles Bell Taylor, of the said town, Doctor of Medicine, in the business of Colliery Proprietors and Coal Merchants, carried on by us at Stretton, in the county of Derby, and elsewhere, under the style of the Stretton Colliery Company, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 20th day of December, 1876.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

*Wm. Gibson, jun.
Charles Bell Taylor, M.D.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Peter Gobbi and Hartley Pilling, in the trade or business of Looking Glass Manufacturers, or in any other trade or business carried on by us, in Westgate, in Bradford, in the county of York, or elsewhere, under the style or firm of Gobbi and Pilling, or under any other style or firm, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 4th day of April, 1877.

*Peter Gobbi.
Hartley Pilling.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Helen Twyford, Parmenas Martin Burgess, George Dickson, and Frederick William Sharp, trading as George Brettell and Co., at No. 119, Wood-street, in the city of London, and Belper, in the county of Derby, as Manufacturers of Hosiery and Warehousemen, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as respects the said Frederick William Sharp, as on and from the 16th day of December, 1876.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1877.

*Helen Twyford. P. M. Burgess.
George Dickson. F. W. Sharp.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Demetrius Theodore Ralli, Nicholas Marcus Maniachi, Alexander Theodore Ralli, and Pandia Theodore Ralli, under the style or firm of Ralli and Mavrojani, at Ethelburga House, Bishopsgate-street Within, in the city of London, Fenwick-chambers, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and No. 44, Blackfriars-street, in the city of Manchester, and at Calcutta, in the East Indies, and also under the style or firm of James Ralli and Co., at Alexandria, in Egypt, as Merchants, has been dissolved, as from the 31st day of December, 1876, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Pandia Theodore Ralli. All debts due from or to the said firms will be paid and received by the said Demetrius Theodore Ralli, Nicholas Marcus Maniachi, and Alexander Theodore Ralli, by whom the said business will be carried on at the above-named places.—Dated this 14th day of March, 1877.

*D. T. Ralli. A. T. Ralli.
N. M. Maniachi. P. T. Ralli.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Annie Beaumont Winstanley and Charlotte Jacob, at No. 5, St. Mark's-square, Regent's Park, in the county of Middlesex, Spinsters, as School Mistresses, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Annie Beaumont Winstanley, at No. 5, St. Mark's-square aforesaid.—Dated this 7th day of April, 1877.

*Annie B. Winstanley.
Charlotte Jacob.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which for some time past has been carried on by John Colebrook and Reuben Tarrant, under the firm of Colebrook and Tarrant, at No. 8, Queen's-terrace, Saint John's Wood, London, in the trade or business of Cheesemongers and Provision Dealers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 26th day of March, 1877.

*John Colebrook.
Reuben Tarrant.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, John Samuel Swire, William Hudson Swire, William Lang, James Henry Scott, and Frederick Robison Gamwell, carrying on business as Merchants and Shipowners, at London and Liverpool, under the firm of John Swire and Sons, and at Hong Kong, in China, and at Japan, under the firm of Butterfield and Swire, and at New York, under the firm of Swire Brothers, was, on the 31st day of December, 1876, dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said William Hudson Swire; and that the said businesses have since been and will in future be carried on by the said John Samuel Swire, William Lang, James Henry Scott, and Frederick Robison Gamwell.—As witness our hands this 1st day of January, 1877.

*J. S. Swire. J. H. Scott.
W. H. Swire. F. R. Gamwell.
Wm. Lang.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Greenwood, of Hanley, and Edwin Walker, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, carrying on business under the style or firm of Greenwood and Walker, has been dissolved, as from the 31st day of March, 1877, by mutual consent.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1877.

*Joseph Greenwood.
Edwin Walker.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership formerly subsisting between us the undersigned, William Powell and Leyson Rhys, as Colliery Proprietors and Brick Manufacturers, at the Gray's Colliery and Brickworks, in the parish of Aberdare, in the county of Glamorgan, under the style or firm of Powell and Rhys, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and from the said firm will be received and paid by the said Leyson Rhys.—Dated this 7th day of April, 1877.

*Wm. Powell.
Leyson Rhys.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Mackreth, John Roney, and Joseph Lambert, lately carrying on business together at Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, as Coal Merchants, under the style or firm of the Barrow Coal Company, was, on the 21st day of March, 1877, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 21st day of March, 1877.

*Joseph Lambert.
John Roney.
William Mackreth.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership existing between us the undersigned, trading as Merchants, under the firm of Coxhead, Goldsmid, and Co., at No. 13, Old Jewry-chambers, in the city of London, has this day been dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as relates to Yeats Henry Goldsmid. The business in future will be carried on by the remaining partners, John Coxhead and Henry George Coxhead, under the same firm as heretofore.—London, 5th April, 1877.

*John Coxhead.
Yeats Henry Goldsmid.
Henry George Coxhead.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership existing between us the undersigned, as Architects and Land Surveyors, at Thirsk and Ripon, in the county of York, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

*William Lewis.
Richard Hodgson Brodrick.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us at Powick Mills, in the parish of St. John in Bedwardine, in the county of Worcester, in the trade or business of Millers and Corn Merchants, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 9th day of April, 1877.

*James Russell.
Charles Hughes.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between James Spittal and John Crockett, under the style or firm of Crockett and Spittal, at Nos. 55 and 57, Rosamond-street East, Chorton-upon-Medlock, in the trade or business of Joiners and Staircase Builders, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said John Crockett, by whom the said trade or business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1877.

*James Spittal.
John Crockett.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Margaret Oldfield and Thomas Ramsdale, carrying on business as Grocers, at East-street, St. Helen's, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of T. Ramsdale and Co., was dissolved this day by mutual consent.—St. Helen's, April 5th, 1877.

*Margaret Oldfield.
Thomas Ramsdale.*

[Extract from the Edinburgh Gazette of April 10, 1877.]

NOTICE.

ROBERT LIGERTWOOD, Advocate in Aberdeen, ceased to be a Partner in the firm of J. and R. Ligertwood, Advocates and Conveyancers, in Aberdeen, on the 31st day of December, 1870, since which date he has carried on business as an Advocate, Law Agent, and Notary Public solely on his own account, and has had no interest in said firm.

Robert Ligertwood.

JOHN SPARK, of No. 83, Union-street, Aberdeen, Writer, Witness.

JOHN LESLIE, of No. 83, Union-street, Aberdeen, Accountant, Witness.

John Ligertwood.

J. and R. Ligertwood.

ARCH. CAMPBELL, of the County-buildings, Aberdeen, Law-Agent, Witness.

GEO. DICKIN, of the County-buildings, Aberdeen, Book-keeper, Witness.

JOHN GALE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debt, claim, or demand upon or against the estate of John Gale, late of Livox Farm, near Chepstow, in the county of Monmouth (who died on the 9th day of February, 1874, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Llandaff of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 4th day of May, 1874, by Edward Gale (since deceased), the sole executor named in the said will), are hereby required to send particulars in writing of such debts and effects to the undersigned, Messrs. Ray and Bush, the Solicitors to William Gale and Edward Davis Gale, the executors of the said Edward Gale, deceased, on or before the 1st day of July next, on which said 1st day of July the said William Gale and Edward Davis Gale will proceed to distribute and pay the assets of the said John Gale, deceased, to the person or persons entitled thereto, having

regard only to the debts, claims, or demands of which the said William Gale and Edward Davis Gale shall then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1877.

RAY and BUSH, 6, Bridge-street, Bristol, Solicitors to the said William and Edward Davis Gale.

CHARLES ANELAY, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and others having any claims against the estate of Charles Anelay, formerly of Doncaster, in the county of York, Builder, but late of Stainforth, in the same county, Farmer (who died on the 11th day of May, 1876), are required to send in writing, the particulars of such claims to the undersigned, the Solicitors to the executors of the said deceased, on or before the 18th day of May, 1877, after which date the assets of the said testator will be dealt with, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been received.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

COLLINSON, LITTLEWOOD, and PARKIN, 23, Priory-place, Doncaster, Solicitors.

PETER GILES, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims upon or against the estate of Peter Giles, late of No. 42, Cheapside, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Brassfounder, deceased (who died on the 13th day of February, 1877, and whose will was proved the 7th day of March, 1877, at the District Registry at Birmingham attached to the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, by Edwin Showell, the executor), are required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to us, the undersigned, on or before the 20th day of May, 1877, after which date the executor will distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice; and that he will not be liable to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.

WILLS and NEWBY, 48, Ann-street, Birmingham, Solicitors to the Executor.

JOHN SAMUEL SHORT, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands against or affecting the estate of John Samuel Short, late of the Saddle Hotel, Dale-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, deceased, Licensed Victualler (who died on the 14th day of October, 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 20th day of November, 1876, by the executrix therein named), are hereby required to send in particulars of their respective claims and demands to the said executrix, at the office of Messrs. Brabner and Court, 40, North John-street, Liverpool, on or before the 11th day of May next, at the expiration of which time the said executrix will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties legally entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executrix shall then have had notice; and the said executrix 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 11th day of April, 1877.

BRABNER and COURT, 40, North John-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Executrix.

Mr. JOHN PHILLIPSON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of 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 John Phillipson, late of Louth, in the county of Lincoln, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 20th day of November, 1875, and whose will was duly proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 14th day of December, 1875, by George Allenby Oliver, of Hallington, in the said county of Lincoln, Farmer, and the said testator's nephew, George Ashley Harrison, of Rugby, in the county of Warwick, Draper, the executors thereof), are hereby required to send to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor to the said executors, the particulars, in writing, of their respective claims or demands, on or before the 1st day of June, 1877, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not afterwards be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debts or claims they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

JNO. HYDE BELL, Townhall, Louth, Solicitor.

JOHN GOOD the Elder, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and others having any claims or demands against the estate of John Good the elder, formerly of the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Ship Chandler, afterwards of Brough, in the East Riding of the county of York, and subsequently of Kingston-upon-Hull aforesaid, out of business (who died on the 29th November, 1876, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved by Thomas Horner North, Robert Stratten, and William Field the younger, the executors thereof, in the York District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 21st December, 1876), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned, the Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 1st day of June next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to those claims only of which they shall then have had notice; and the executors 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 10th day of April, 1877.

ENGLAND, SAXELBYES, and SHARP, 2, Quay-street-chambers, Hull, Solicitors.

MARY HART, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Mary Hart, late of No. 36, Rue de la Pepinière, Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Widow, deceased (who died on the 6th day of November, 1876, leaving a will, to which letters of administration, with the will annexed, were granted to me, the undersigned, as Attorney for Mary Wade Hart and Elizabeth Hart, the executrices in the said will named, on the 22nd day of March, 1877, by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send particulars thereof to the undersigned, on or before the 10th day of May next, at the expiration of which time the said executrices will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have received notice.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

J. RAND BAILEY, 8, Tokenhouse-yard, London, E.C., Solicitor to the said Executrices.

ELIZA DOROTHY HORSFALL, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that creditors and all other persons having any claims or demands upon the estate of Eliza Dorothy Horsfall, formerly of No. 14, Shiel-road, Fairfield, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, but lately of No. 6, Shiel-road aforesaid, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 23rd day of September, 1876, and whose will and codicil were proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 13th day of October, 1876, by Edward Cox, of No. 24, Porchester terrace, Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., the sole executor therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned, on or before the 16th day of May next, after which day the said executor will proceed to distribute the testatrix's assets among those entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not be answerable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of April, 1877.

WORTHINGTON EVANS and COOK, 34, Eastcheap, London, E.C., Solicitors to the said Executor.

Miss HARRIET COLE, late of Saint Neots, in the county of Huntingdon, Spinster, 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 the above-named Harriet Cole, deceased (who died on the 28th day of January, 1876, and whose will was duly proved in the Principal Registry, Probate Division, of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 29th day of February, 1876, by William Paine, of Saint Neots, in the county of Huntingdon, Merchant, and Thomas Stammers Geard, of No. 3, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, Merchant, the nephew of the deceased, the executors therein named), are hereby required, on or before the 21st day of May, 1877, to send in the particulars of their claims to the said executors, at the office of us, the undersigned, their Solicitors, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of

the said deceased among the persons 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 10th day of April, 1877.

WILKINSON, BUTLER, and WILKINSON, Saint Neots aforesaid, Solicitors to the said Executors.

JOHN ANSTED, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of John Ansted, late of No. 134, Clapham-road, in the county of Surrey, and No. 13A, Philpot-lane, in the city of London, Fruit Broker (who died on the 4th day of February, 1877, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved on the 26th day of February, 1877, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by his Widow and relict, Jane Mary Ann Ansted, an executrix named in the said will and codicil), are required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to the said executrix, at the office of the undersigned, Solicitors of the said executrix, No. 12, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, on or before the 30th day of June, 1877, after which date the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice; and the said executrix will not afterwards be liable for the assets, so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

STIBBARD, GIBSON, and CRONSHEY, of No. 12, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, Solicitors for the said Executrix.

ALFRED GEORGE SNEWIN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands upon the estate of Alfred George Snewin, late of No. 1, York place, Portman-square, in the county of Middlesex, and of Nos. 11 and 12, Back-hill, Hatton Garden, in the said county, Timber Merchant (who died on the 5th day of January, 1877, 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 March, 1877, by James Thomas Snell, of 85, Cheapside, in the city of London, Public Accountant, the executor named therein), are hereby required, on or before the 31st day of May next, to send particulars, in writing, of their respective claims against the said estate, to the said James Thomas Snell, at his office, No. 85, Cheapside aforesaid, after which day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and that he will not after that time be liable for any part of the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

HARCOURT and MACARTHUR, 13, Moorgate-street, E.C., Solicitors to the Executor.

GEORGE WILLIAMS SANDERS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of George Williams Sanders, late of Holyrood-place, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, deceased (who died on the 15th day of February, 1877, and whose will with a codicil thereto, were proved on the 7th day of April, 1877, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by William Baseir Sanders, of Southampton, in the county of Hants, one of the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in their claims and demands to the said William Baseir Sanders, at the offices of his Solicitors, Messrs. Randall and Angier, 3, Gray's-inn-place, Gray's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, on or before the 21st day of May next, after the expiration of which time the said William Baseir Sanders will proceed to distribute the assets of the said George Williams Sanders among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said William Baseir Sanders shall then have had notice, and that the said William Baseir Sanders will not be liable for the assets, so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

RANDALL and ANGIER, Solicitors for the said William Baseir Sanders.

ELLEN RIDSDALE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and others having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Ellen Ridsdale, late of Bullock-street, Higher Hillgate, Stockport, in the county of Chester, Widow, deceased (who died on the 26th day of October, 1876, and whose will was proved by Hervey Lowndes and Thomas Ridsdale, the executors thereof, in the Chester District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 15th day of November, 1876), are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned, the Solicitor to the said executors, on or before the 11th day of May next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to those claims only of which they shall then have had notice, and the executors 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 11th day of April, 1877.

FRAS. NEWTON, Bank-chambers, Market-place, Stockport, Solicitor to the said Executors.

EDWARD BARTER, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claim against the estate of Edward Barter, late of 93, Wardour-street, Soho, in the county of Middlesex, Heraldic Engraver (who died on the 3rd day of March, 1877, intestate, and of whose personal estate letters of administration were granted by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, at the Principal Registry of the Probate Division thereof, to Sarah Barter, Spinster, the natural and lawful sister and one of the next-of-kin to the said deceased, on the 4th day of April, 1877), are required to send the particulars of the same to the undersigned, on or before the 26th day of May next, after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have received notice.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

LEWIN and CO., 32, Southampton-street, Strand, Solicitors to the said Administratrix.

Mr. RICHARD HIGGINS, 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 Richard Higgins, late of Pontefract, in the county of York, Hosier, deceased (who died on or about the 22nd day of February, 1858, and whose will was proved by Isaac Grey Wallis, of Wakefield, in the said county of York, and John Henry Sudbury, of Scarborough, in the said county, Butcher, the executors therein named, on the 5th day of March, 1858, in Her Majesty's Court of Probate, District Registry of Wakefield), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to the said Isaac Grey Wallis and John Henry Sudbury, or one of them, or to me, the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of June 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 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; and notice is hereby also given, that the children, or their issue, of Henry and Betty Carr, James and Ann Dawson, and Paul and Hannah Dawson respectively, being cousins of the said Richard Higgins, deceased, are entitled to the assets arising out of the residue of the personal property of the said deceased under his said will, and they must forthwith communicate their names and satisfactorily prove their identity to the said executors, or me, the undersigned.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

HOWARD HORNER, Wood-street, Wakefield, Solicitor to the said Executors.

EDWARD ROBERTS, 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 persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Edward Roberts, formerly of Parliament-street, in the city of Westminster, but late of No. 86, Blomfield-road, Paddington, in the county of Middlesex, and of No. 9, Victoria-chambers, Victoria-street, in the city of Westminster aforesaid, Architect, deceased (who died on the

16th day of October, 1875, and letters of administration of whose estate and effects were granted by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, at the Principal Registry of the Probate Division thereof, on the 1st day of November, 1875, to Emily Eleanor Mellyeene Roberts, the widow of the said deceased), are required to send particulars of their claims or demands to the said administratrix, at the office, No. 25, Austin-friars, London, of her Solicitors, Messrs. Merriman, Pike, and Merriman, on or before the 16th day of May, 1877; after which day the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said administratrix shall then have had notice; and the said administratrix will not be liable for any part of the assets, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

MERRIMAN, PIKE, and MERRIMAN, 25, Austin-friars, London, Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

In the Matter of the Estate of GEORGE SAMUEL COLLYER, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against or upon the estate of George Samuel Collyer, Esq., late a person of unsound mind, deceased (who died on the 10th day of January, 1877, at Acton, in the county of Middlesex, intestate, and of whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were, on the 5th day of February, 1877, granted out of the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, to the Reverend Thomas Collyer, Clerk, Rector of Gillingham, in the county of Suffolk, a cousin ex parte paternâ and also the heir-at-law and one of the next of kin of the said deceased), are hereby required to send in, in writing, full particulars and proof of their claims and demands against or upon the estate of the said deceased to the said Thomas Collyer, at the office of his Solicitors, Messrs. Lawton and Warnes, situate at Eye, in the county of Suffolk, on or before the 1st day of June, 1877; and notice is hereby also given, that at the expiration of the last-mentioned day the said Thomas Collyer will be at liberty to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim he, the said Thomas Collyer, has not had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 26th day of March, 1877.

LAWTON and WARNES, Solicitors for the said Thomas Collyer.

Re JAMES COLQUHOUN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that creditors and all other persons having any claim against the estate of James Colquhoun, late of Parson's-hill, Woolwich, in the county of Kent, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 7th day of February, 1877, and whose will was proved, on the 24th day of February, 1877, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Edward Clarence Colquhoun, the proving executor), are, on or before the 24th day of May next, to send in the particulars of their claims to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said executor, at the expiration of which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the whole of the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not be liable for such assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not have had notice.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

FARNFIELD and SAMPSON, 19 and 21, Queen Victoria-street, London, and Parson's-hill, Woolwich.

Re GEORGE ELEY, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that creditors and all other persons having any claim against the estate of George Eley, formerly of Bell Watergate, Woolwich, in the county of Kent, Licensed Victualler, but late of No. 45, Saint Mary-street, Woolwich aforesaid, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 11th day of March, 1877, intestate, and letters of administration to whose estate were, on the 5th day of April instant, granted to George Arthur Eley and Frederick Cecil Eley, the natural and

lawful sons and two of the next of kin of the said deceased), are, on or before the 25th day of May next, to send in the particulars of their claims to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said administrators; at the expiration of which time the said administrators will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and the said administrators will not be liable for such assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not have had notice.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

FARNFIELD and SAMPSON, 19 and 21, Queen Victoria-street, London, and Parson's Hill, Woolwich.

JOHN JENKINS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having claims and demands upon or against the estate of John Jenkins, late of Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, Gentleman (who died on the 11th day of April, 1876, and whose will was proved in the Probate Division of the District Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Worcester, on the 29th day of October, 1875, by John Russell, of Kidderminster aforesaid, Corn Dealer, and George Roche, of the same place, Gentleman, the executors therein named), are required, on or before the 14th day of May, 1877, to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned, William Henry Talbot, of Kidderminster aforesaid. And notice is hereby given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts and claims of which they shall then have notice.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

W. H. TALBOT, Kidderminster, Solicitor for the said Executors.

EDWIN PLENTY, 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 upon or demands against the estate of Edwin Plenty, late of Southend, in the county of Essex, Refreshment House Keeper, deceased (who died on the 3rd day of November, 1876, at Southend aforesaid, and of whose estate and effects letters of administration, with the will annexed, were granted to Harriott Plenty, his widow and relict, of Southend aforesaid, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 17th day of March, 1877), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims and demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said administratrix, on or before the 12th day of May, 1877, after which day the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which the said administratrix shall then have had notice; and such administratrix will not be liable for such assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

A. W. SADGROVE, 64, Mark-lane, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Administratrix.

JAMES DAVENPORT, Deceased.

Statutory Notice to Creditors.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and others having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of James Davenport, late of the borough of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, Machinist (who resided at Springfield House, Marland, near Rochdale aforesaid, and died there on the 8th day of March, 1876, and whose will, with one codicil, was proved by Esther Davenport, of Springfield House aforesaid, Widow, the relict of the said deceased, John Mason Davenport, of Springfield House aforesaid, the son of the deceased, John MacMillan Dunlop, of Hole Hird, Windermere, in the county of Westmoreland, Esq., and John Collier, of Halifax, in the county of York, Carpet Manufacturer, in the District Registry at Manchester of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 24th day of July, 1876), are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned, William Roberts, the Solicitor to the said Esther Davenport, John Mason Davenport, John MacMillan Dunlop, and John Collier, at the residence of the said William Roberts, situate at Heywood, in the county of Lancaster, on or before the 1st day of June, 1877. And

notice is hereby also given, that at the expiration of the last-mentioned day the said Esther Davenport, John Mason Davenport, John MacMillan Dunlop, and John Collier will proceed to distribute the assets of the said James Davenport amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims or demands of which the said Esther Davenport, John Mason Davenport, John MacMillan Dunlop, and John Collier have then had notice; and the said Esther Davenport, John Mason Davenport, John MacMillan Dunlop, and John Collier will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand the said Esther Davenport, John Mason Davenport, John MacMillan Dunlop, and John Collier have not had notice at the time of the distribution.—Dated this 7th day of April, 1877.

WILLIAM ROBERTS, Heywood Hall, Heywood, in the county of Lancaster, Solicitor of the said Esther Davenport, John Mason Davenport, John MacMillan Dunlop, and John Collier, Executrix and Executors of the above-named James Davenport.

JOHN BARNES, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35. **T**HE creditors of John Barnes, late of Cornwell, in the county of Oxford, Farmer (who died on the 2nd day of December, 1876), are, on or before the 1st day of June next, to send particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned. And notice is hereby given, that the executors of the said John Barnes will, after the said 1st day of June next, proceed to distribute the assets of the said John Barnes, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 31st day of March, 1877.

G. H. SAUNDERS, Chipping Norton, Solicitor to the said Executors.

ELIZABETH WHITFORD, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35. **T**HE creditors of Elizabeth Whitford, late of Moreton-in-Marsh, in the county of Gloucester, Widow (who died on the 25th day of January, 1877), are, on or before the 1st day of June next, to send particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned. And notice is hereby given, that the executors of the said Elizabeth Whitford will, after the said 1st day of June next, proceed to distribute the assets of the said Elizabeth Whitford, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 31st day of March, 1877.

G. H. SAUNDERS, Chipping Norton, Solicitor to the said Executors.

JOSEPH WARREN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Joseph Warren, late of Ixworth, in the county of Suffolk, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 22nd day of November, 1876, and whose will, with two codicils thereto, was proved in the Bury Saint Edmunds District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, in the month of February, 1877, by John Longland Dring, of Ixworth aforesaid, Harness Maker, John Collins Ford, of Bury Saint Edmunds, in the said county, Gentleman, and Sarah Shuckforth Walker, of Ixworth aforesaid, Widow, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in particulars of such claims or demands to me, the undersigned, on or before the 14th day of May next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims or demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice, for or in respect of the assets so distributed. All persons indebted to the said estate are hereby required to pay the amount of their respective debts to me forthwith.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

THO. M. GOLDING, Walsham-le-Willows, Ixworth, Solicitor for the said Executors.

WILLIAM HEATH, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claim upon the estate of William Heath, late of Dogcroft House, in the parish of Wolstanton, in the county of Stafford, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 8th day of February last, and whose will was proved by Edward Walley, of Nile-street, Burslem, in the said county of Stafford, and Emily Heath, of Dogcroft House aforesaid, the executors therein named, on the 27th day of March, 1877, in the District Registry at Lichfield of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims to the said Edward

Walley and Emily Heath, or to the undersigned, their Solicitor, on or before the 30th day of April 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 that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1877.

W. J. J. W. HEATH, 14, Cheapside, Hanley, Solicitor for the Executors.

Mr. FRANK PARDOE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Mr. Frank Pardoe, late of Atterley, in the parish of Much Wenlock, in the county of Salop, Farmer (who died on the 1st day of August, 1874, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Shrewsbury of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 19th day of February, 1875, by Arthur Worrall, of Oldington, in the parish of Worfield, in the said county of Salop, Farmer, the surviving executor named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars of their respective claims, in writing, to the said executor, or to Messrs. Gordon and Nicholls, of Bridgnorth, in the said county of Salop, the Solicitors of the said executor, on or before the 7th day of May next, after which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, as by law required, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim the said executor shall not then have had notice. And all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to pay the amount of their respective debts to the said executor, at the office of us, the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said executor.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1877.

GORDON and NICHOLLS, Bridgnorth, Shropshire, Solicitors for the said Executor.

HENRY DAVIES, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons being creditors of, or otherwise having any claims upon or against the estate of, Henry Davies, late of Ashfield, in the parish of Nantmel, in the county of Radnor, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 13th day of December, 1876, and whose will was proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Hereford, on the 19th day of February, 1877, by William Robinson, of the George Hotel, Prestwich, in the county of Lancaster, Hotel Keeper, and Margaret Davies, of Ashfield aforesaid, Widow, the executors of the said will), are required, on or before the 24th day of April next, to send to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said executors, the particulars of their claim upon or against the said estate; and that at the expiration of such time the executors will distribute the whole of the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which they shall then have notice.—Dated the 21st day of March, 1877.

A. and E. H. CHERESE, Hay and Rbayader, Solicitors.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in a cause of Cooper v. Macdonald, with the approbation of the Master of the Rolls, in twelve lots, by Mr. James Green Lea, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Auction Mart, Birmingham, on Wednesday, the 9th day of May, 1877, at two of the clock P.M. precisely:—

Certain leasehold ground rents amounting to £916 0s. 6d. per annum, and certain plots of freehold and unoccupied leasehold building land, situate in Macdonald-street, Gosch-street, Bishop-street, South Bissell-street, Lower Hurst-street, Vaughton-street, South Sherlock-street, Barford-street, South Moseley-street, and Rea-street South, Birmingham.

Printed particulars and conditions may be had of T. W. Denby, Esq., 8, Frederick's-place, Old Jewry, London; J. M. Chamberlain, Esq., 30, Basinghall-street, London; Messrs. Nicol, Son, and Jones, 48, Lime-street, London; Messrs. Field, Roscoe, and Co., 36, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London; Messrs. Wilkins, Blyth, and Fanahawe, 10, Saint Swithin's-lane, London; H. T. Edge, Esq., Cherry-street, Birmingham; J. B. Clarke, Esq., Waterloo-street, Bir-

mingham; Thomas Henry Gem, Esq., Congreve-street Birmingham; and of the Auctioneers, at the Mart, 19 Cannon-street, Birmingham.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of Paull v. Mortimer, 1871, P., No. 8, with the approbation of the Master of the Rolls, the Judge to whose Court the said cause is attached, in one lot, by Mr. Henry Shiner, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Barrington Arms Hotel, Shrivvenham, in the county of Berks, on Tuesday, the 1st day of May, 1877, at three for four o'clock in the afternoon precisely:—

A copyhold and freehold estate, containing altogether about forty-four acres two roods six perches, more or less, containing a farm-house, with dairy and offices, cow-house, and other buildings, yards, garden, orchard, and several closes of meadow and pasture land, situate near to the parish church of and in the township of Longcott, and parish of Shrivvenham, in the county of Berks, the property of the late Charles Mortimer, Esq., and lately in the occupation of Mr. John White, jun., but now in hand, the growing crops to be taken at a valuation, as provided by the conditions.

Particulars whereof may be had (gratis) of the Auctioneer, Mr. Henry Shiner, 131, Victoria-street, Bristol, and Perry Farm, Cleve, Yatton, Somerset; Mr. C. W. Dommatt, Solicitor, 20, Gutter-lane, Cheapside, London; Mr. Henry Paull, Solicitor, Ilminster, Somerset; Messrs. W. H. Waller and Sons, Solicitors, 2, Duke-street, Adelphi, London; Messrs. Gregory and Co., Solicitors, 1, Bedford-row, London; Messrs. Benson and Thomas, Solicitors, Bristol; or of Messrs. Dommatt and Canning, Solicitors, Chard, Somerset.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in a suit of Neale v. Cotton, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, on Wednesday, the 9th day of May, 1877, at five o'clock in the evening, by Mr. J. K. Roderick, at the Dog and Pheasant Inn, Worcester-street, Bromsgrove, in five lots:—

Various freehold properties consisting of freehold dwelling-house, in High-street, Bromsgrove, in the occupation of Mr. John Cotton. Three freehold dwelling-houses in Hanover-street, Bromsgrove, in the respective occupations of Joseph Parsonage, John Parsonage, and Benjamin Gifford. Freehold cottage residence approached by a road leading out of Worcester-street, Bromsgrove, with plot of garden ground, in the occupation of Mr. John Gibbs, also another piece of garden ground adjoining, let to Mr. George Weaver. Piece of freehold orchard ground, situate at Dyers Bridge, close to the town of Bromsgrove, late in the occupation of Mr. William Hobbs, and three plots of freehold building land forming part of the shrubbery estate at Bromsgrove, being No. 1, No. 1A, and No. 5A, on the estate plan.

The property may be viewed by permission of the tenants, and printed particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis) of Messrs. Tucker and Lake, Solicitors, 4, Serle-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London; of Messrs. Sharpe and Company, Solicitors, 41, Bedford-row, London; of Mr. B. H. Sanders, Solicitor, Bromsgrove; of Messrs. Ryland, Martineau, and Carslake, Solicitors, Birmingham; and of the Auctioneer, 2, Temple-row, West Birmingham, and at the principal hotels in the neighbourhood.

PURSUANT to a Judgment of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of Hebert Carthew Collard, deceased, between Samuel Richard Pinkstone, plaintiff, against Harriett Jane Pinkstone, defendant, 1877, C., No. 37, the creditors and incumbrancers on the real estate of Hebert Carthew Collard, late of Tiverton, in the county of Devon, Builder, who died in or about the month of November, 1876, are, on or before the 15th day of May, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. James Valentine Battiscombe, of No. 11, Beaumont-buildings, in the county of Middlesex, a member of the firm of Messrs. Walker and Battiscombe, of the same place, the Solicitors of the defendant, Harriett Jane Pinkstone, the executrix of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Judgment. Every creditor and incumbrancer holding any security is to produce the same before the Master of the Rolls, at his chambers, situated in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Tuesday, the 29th day of May, 1877, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action re the estate of Daniel Sprague, deceased, Miley v. Cape, 1877, S., 20, the creditors of Daniel Sprague, formerly of 39, Old Bond-

street, in the county of Middlesex, Tailor, and late of No. 41, Queen's-road, St. John's Wood, in the same county, Gentleman, deceased, who died in or about the month of August, 1869, are, on or before the 1st day of May, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to Henry James Reeves, of the firm of Campbell, Reeves, and Hooper, of No. 17, Warwick-street, Regent-street, in the county of Middlesex, the Solicitors for Miles Miley and George Augustus Cape, the executors of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, at his chambers, situated No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, on Tuesday, the 8th day of May, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in the matter of the estate of Richard Whitaker, deceased, and in an action Smith against Sharman, the creditors of Richard Whitaker, late of Wellingborough, in the county of Northampton, Gentleman, who died in or about the month of November, 1862, are, on or before the 14th day of May, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. Sharman and Jackson, of Wellingborough aforesaid, the Solicitors of the defendants, Edward Sharman and William Woolston, the executors of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated No. 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Thursday, the 24th day of May, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Martha Saunders, deceased, and in an action Atwell against the School for the Indigent Blind, the next of kin of Elizabeth Martha Saunders, late of No. 14, Devonshire-road, Holloway, in the county of Middlesex, Spinster, being first cousins of the said Elizabeth Martha Saunders, who died on or about the 16th day of December, 1875, and who were living at the time of her death, or the legal personal representatives or representative of such of them (if any) as have since died, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 12th day of May, 1877, to come in and make out their, his, or her claims or claim as such next of kin or legal personal representatives or representative at the chambers of Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, No. 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Monday, the 14th day of May, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. 10d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by George Wilson, of No. 11, Church-lane, Banbury, in the city of Oxford, Draper, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Ladbury, Collison, and Viney, No. 99, Cheapside, London, on and after Friday, the 13th day of April, 1877, between the hours of nine and one o'clock.

F. H. COLLISON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

A FIRST and Final 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 Elijah Belton, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Hay and Straw Dealer, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Camm and Corbridge, 133 and 135, Norfolk-street, Sheffield aforesaid, on and after Monday, the 23rd day of April, 1877, between the hours of ten and four o'clock.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

COOPER CORBRIDGE, Jun., Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 10s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the separate estate of George Hudson in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation

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by arrangement of the affairs of James Arundel, John Farrar, Thomas Fozzard, George Hudson, William Ingham, Joseph Milnes, John Sharp, John Harrison, and Benjamin Tingle, all of Hunslet, in the parish of Leeds, in the county of York, Bill Discounters and Loan Agents, and carrying on business under the style or firm of the Volunteers Loan and Investment Society, and will be paid by me, at the offices of John Routh, Kirk, and Co., Royal Insurance-buildings, Park-row, Leeds aforesaid, on and after Tuesday, the 10th day of April, 1877.

JOHN ROUTH, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on Tees and Middlesbrough.

A DIVIDEND of 1s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Joseph Thompson, of Skelton, in the county of York, Builder, and will be paid by me, at my office, 56, High-street, Stockton-on-Tees, between the hours of ten and four, on and after the 20th day of April, 1877.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

F. J. HEXTER BELLINGER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Middlesex, holden at Brentford.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 8s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Henry James Galer, of Uxbridge-road, Ealing Dean, and High-street, Alpertons, both in the county of Middlesex, Grocer and Wine Spirit Merchant, and will be paid by me, at my offices, 7, Queen-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, on Saturday, the 21st day of April, 1877, between the hours of eleven and two o'clock.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

F. T. WILTSHIRE, 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 Ebenezer Banes and John Manson, of 69, Queen-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Wholesale Jewellers and Copartners, trading under the style or firm of E. Banes and Co., the said Ebenezer Banes residing at 4, Addiscombe-terrace, Lower Addiscombe-road, Surrey, and the said John Manson residing at 63, Moray-road, Holloway, Middlesex.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the Queen's Hotel, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

MILLER and MILLER, Solicitors for the said Ebenezer Banes and John Manson.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Ebenezer Banes and John Manson, of 69, Queen-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Wholesale Jewellers and Copartners, trading under the style or firm of E. Banes and Co., the said Ebenezer Banes residing at 4, Addiscombe-terrace, Lower Addiscombe-road, Surrey, and the said John Manson residing at 63, Moray-road, Holloway, Middlesex.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named John Manson has been summoned to be held at the Queen's Hotel, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

MILLER and MILLER, Solicitors for the said John Manson.

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 Barton the younger, of the Hanbury Arms Public-house, Arlington-square, New North-road, in the county of Middlesex, Carpenter and Builder, lately trading at No. 3, Church-row, Stepney, in the same county, as a Fishmonger.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. John Andrews, at No. 45, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, Solicitor, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of April, 1877.

JOHN ANDREWS, Solicitor for the said John Barton the younger.

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 Joseph Cayley and Edward Buck, both of No. 2, Bread-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, and of Dartford, in the county of Kent, carrying on business at No. 2, Bread-street aforesaid under the style of J. J. Cayley and Co., and at Dartford aforesaid under the style of Edward Buck, Costume Manufacturers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the joint creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at my offices, 37, Gutter-lane, in the city of London, on the 2nd day of May, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

W. A. PLUNKETT, 37, Gutter-lane, London, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Joseph Cayley and Edward Buck, both of No. 2, Bread-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, and of Dartford, in the county of Kent, carrying on business at No. 2, Bread-street aforesaid under the style of J. J. Cayley and Co., and at Dartford aforesaid under the style of Edward Buck, Costume Manufacturers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named John Joseph Cayley has been summoned to be held at my offices, 37, Gutter-lane, in the city of London, on the 2nd day of May, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

W. A. PLUNKETT, 37, Gutter-lane, London, 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 Joseph Cayley and Edward Buck, both of No. 2, Bread-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, and of Dartford, in the county of Kent, carrying on business at No. 2, Bread-street aforesaid under the style of J. J. Cayley and Co., and at Dartford aforesaid under the style of Edward Buck, Costume Manufacturers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Edward Buck has been summoned to be held at my offices, 37, Gutter-lane, in the city of London, on the 2nd day of May, 1877, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

W. A. PLUNKETT, 37, Gutter-lane, London, 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 Matthew May, of 105, Hatton-garden, in the county of Middlesex, China and Glass Importer, trading as John Mathew May and Company, and of No. 4, Ashley-road, Hornsey-rise, in the county of Middlesex.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 7, Gresham-street, in the city of London, the offices of Messrs. Foreman, Son, and Sterry, Accountants, on the 8th day of May, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

JNO. FROST, 138, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, 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 Herman Lutto, of 61, St. Paul's Churchyard, in the city of London, Tailor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the London Warehousemen's Association, No. 111, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 23rd day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1877.

FREDERIC CLIFT, 111, Cheapside, 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 James Douglas Robertson, of Alexandra Villa, Glaskin-road, South Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, and Emanuel Grouse, of 12, Henry-street, John-street, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, trading in copart-

nership under the style or firm of J. D. Robertson and Co., at 9, Castle-street, Falcon-square, in the city of London, Agents and 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 the offices of Mr. Leopold Goldberg, Solicitor, 1, West-street, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, on the 24th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

LEOPOLD GOLDBERG, 1, West-street, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Douglas Robertson, of Alexandra Villa, Glaskin-road, South Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, and Emanuel Grouse, of 12, Henry-street, John-street, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, trading in copartnership under the style or firm of J. D. Robertson and Co., at 9, Castle-street, Falcon-square, in the city of London, Agents and Merchants.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named James Douglas Robertson has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Leopold Goldberg, Solicitor, 1, West-street, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, on the 24th day of April, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

LEOPOLD GOLDBERG, 1, West-street, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, Solicitor for the said James Douglas Robertson.

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 Williams, of 1, Topsfield-place, Crouch End, Hornsey, in the county of Middlesex, Stationer and Photographer.

NOTICE 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 Savile R. Hoyle, 123, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on the 27th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

SAVILE RICH'D. HOYLE, 123, Cannon-street, London, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Thomas Heffill, of 153, Lambeth-walk, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, Hosier.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. G. F. Parker and Co., Milner's-buildings, Finsbury, in the city of London, on the 24th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1877.

GEORGE FRANCIS PARKER, Milner's-buildings, Finsbury, Solicitor for the said Edward Thomas Heffill.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Baines, of No. 20, Air-street, Piccadilly, 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. W. H. Roberts, No. 15, Coleman-street, in the city of London, on the 2nd day of May, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

W. H. ROBERTS, 15, Coleman-street, City, 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 Savage, late of Selater-street, Shoreditch, and No. 70, Mile End-road, and now of Armagh-road, Old Ford, all in the county of Middlesex, Coach Builder and Wheelwright.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Victoria Tavern, Morpeth-road, in the parish of Bethnal Green, in the county of Middlesex, on the 24th day of April, 1877, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

JOHN SAVAGE, the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Parratt, of the Loughborough Junction Zinc Works, Cold Harbour-lane, and of No. 70, Milkwood-road, both in Brixton, in the county of Surrey, Plumber and Gasfitter.

NOTICE 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. Harry Brett, Milford, and Co., at No. 150, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, on the 30th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

CROOK and SMITH, Abchurch-chambers, Abchurch-lane, E.C., Solicitors for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William James Rivett, of 4, Richmond-villas, Chobham-road, and of Burford-road, High-street, and of High-street, all at Stratford, in the county of Essex, Builder and Contractor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Tavern, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 27th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

WILSON and SON, 65, Basinghall-street, Solicitors for the said William James Rivett.

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 Faulkner, of No. 4, Globe-street, Green-street, Bethnal Green, in the county of Middlesex, Timber Merchant 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 217, Grove-road, Victoria Park, in the county of Middlesex, on the 21st day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1877.

WILLIAM HICKS, 217, 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 Sir Thomas Seymour Sadler, late of No. 8, Regent-street, and now of No. 3, Victoria-square, Buckingham Palace-road, both 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 Messrs. Lumley and Lumley's offices, No. 22, Conduit-street, Bond-street, W., on the 1st day of May, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1877.

LUMLEY and LUMLEY, 22, Conduit-street, Bond-street, W., and 15, Old Jewry-chambers, E.C., 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 Joseph Bennett, of No. 315, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, Billiard-room 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 Messrs. Lumley and Lumley, No. 22, Conduit-street, Bond-street, in the county of Middlesex, on the 2nd day of May, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1877.

LUMLEY and LUMLEY, 22, Conduit-street, Bond-street, W., and 15, Old Jewry-chambers, E.C., 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 Frederic Thomas Burrows and Joseph Dufais Colton, both of No. 22, Baker-street, Portman-square, in the county of Middlesex, trading as Burrows and Colton, Photographers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at my offices Argyll-

chambers, No. 7, Argyll-place, Regent-street, in the county of Middlesex, on the 21st day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1877.

J. SEYMOUR KISCH, Argyll-chambers, 7, Argyll-place, Regent-street, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George William Brunner, of No. 53, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, and of No. 45, Hope-street, Glasgow, Scotland, Merchant, trading under the style or firm of Brunner Brothers and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. William A. Crump and Son, No. 10, Philpot-lane, in the city of London, Solicitors, on the 30th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

WILLIAM A. CRUMP and SON, 10, Philpot-lane, London, E.C., 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 Charles George Price Windsor, William Henry Windsor, and Henry Edward Groom, all of No. 4, New London-street, in the city of London, Ship and Insurance Brokers, trading as Windsor, Son, and Groom.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Tavern, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 23rd day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1877.

FRED. BRADLEY, 75, Mark-lane, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles George Price Windsor, William Henry Windsor, and Henry Edward Groom, all of No. 4, New London-street, in the city of London, Ship and Insurance Brokers, trading as Windsor, Son, and Groom.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Charles George Price Windsor has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Tavern, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 23rd day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1877.

FRED. BRADLEY, 75, Mark-lane, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles George Price Windsor, William Henry Windsor, and Henry Edward Groom, all of No. 4, New London-street, in the city of London, Ship and Insurance Brokers, trading as Windsor, Son, and Groom.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named William Henry Windsor has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Tavern, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 23rd day of April, 1877, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1877.

FRED. BRADLEY, 75, Mark-lane, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles George Price Windsor, William Henry Windsor, and Henry Edward Groom, all of No. 4, New London-street, in the city of London, Ship and Insurance Brokers, trading as Windsor, Son, and Groom.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Henry Edward Groom has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Tavern, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 23rd day of April, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1877.

FRED. BRADLEY, 75, Mark-lane, London, 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 Frederick Musto, of Sunninghill, in the county of Berks, Carpenter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Railway Hotel, Wokingham, in the county of Berks, on the 28th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

JOHN A. REDHEAD, Chertsey, 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 Griffin, of High-street, New Hampton, in the county of Middlesex, Oilman.

NOTICE 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, at No. 13, Gray's-inn-square, in the county of Middlesex, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

G. J. and P. VANDERPUMP, Solicitors 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 Joseph Broad Champion, of the parish of Newlyn East, in the county of Cornwall, Coal Dealer and Commission 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 offices of Messrs. Carlyon and Son, Solicitors, of Princes-street, Truro, on the 21st day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

CARLYON and SON, Truro, Solicitors for the said Joseph Broad Champion.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Greenwich.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Brawn, of No. 144, Trafalgar-road, Greenwich, in the county of Kent, Boot and Shoe Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at our offices, No. 140, High-street, Deptford, in the county of Kent, on the 23rd day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of April, 1877.

MARCHANT and PURVIS, 8, George-yard, Lombard-street, E.C., and 140, High-street, Deptford, S.E., Solicitors for the said James Brawn.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Greenwich.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Litten, of No. 2, Dartmouth-terrace, Lewisham Hill, Blackheath, in the county of Kent, Warehouseman's Assistant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Lindsay, Mason, and Greenfield, No. 34, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, Solicitors, on the 24th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

LINDSAY, MASON, and GREENFIELD, 34, Basinghall-street, London, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Greenwich.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Alfred Hopkins, of No. 28, Marlborough-street, East Greenwich, in the county of Kent, 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 No. 6, Burney-street, Greenwich, in the county of Kent, on the 21st day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

H. A. HANROTT, 9, Haddington-terrace, Greenwich, Solicitor for the said Edward Alfred Hopkins.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Maidstone.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by David Rabson, of West Malling, in the county of Kent, Butcher 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 our offices, on the 1st day of May, 1877, at a quarter-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

NORTON and SON, West Malling and Maidstone, Kent, Solicitors for the said David Rabson.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Fownes and Harry Blair Ansdell, carrying on business in copartnership at the Sandon Forge, Sandhills, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, as Engineers and Iron Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Fownes, Ansdell, and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Harwood Banner and Son, 24, North John-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Accountants, on the 27th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

LACES and CO., 1, Union-court, Liverpool, Solicitors 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 Henry Fownes and Harry Blair Ansdell, carrying on business in copartnership at the Sandon Forge, Sandhills, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, as Engineers and Iron Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Fownes, Ansdell, and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Henry Fownes has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Harwood Banner and Son, 24, North John-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Accountants, on the 27th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

LACES and CO., 1, Union-court, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Thomas, of 26, Brunswick-road and 12, Farnworth-street, both in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Butcher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Crozier and Lumb, 7, Moorfields, Liverpool, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

CROZIER and LUMB, 7, Moorfields, Dale-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Steeden, of No. 67, William-street, Southport, in the county of Lancaster, Marble 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 Messrs. Buck and Dicksons, No. 3, Tulketh-street, Southport, on the 1st day of May, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

BUCK and DICKSONS, 3, Tulketh-street, Southport, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Booth, of 23, Clarence-road, Birkdale, in the county of Lancaster, out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Thomas Wildman Barker, No. 10, Lord-street, Southport, in the county of Lancaster, Solicitor, on the 30th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

JNO. W. BARKER, No. 10, Lord-street, Southport aforesaid, 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 Catherine Murphy, of Ranelagh-place, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Picture Dealer and Commission Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Joseph Carruthers, Solicitor, 14, Clayton-square, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 26th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

JOSEPH CARRUTHERS, 14, Clayton-square, Liverpool, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Lawrence and George Henry West Morgan, of 52, Myrtle-street and 34, Wavertree-road, both in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Drapers and Copartners, carrying on business under the style or firm of Lawrence and Morgan.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. John Parsons Harris, Solicitor, 7, Union-court, Castle-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 2nd day of May, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

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 John Derham, of 12, Quarry-road, Stonecroft, West Derby, and of 4, New Quay, Liverpool, both in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Brabner and Court, 40, North John-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Solicitors, on the 2nd day of May, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

J. P. COURT, 40, 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 John Hemingway, residing in lodgings at No. 5, Brooklands, Lord-street, Southport, and formerly residing at No. 24, Dover-street, Oxford-road, Manchester, both in the county of Lancaster, Civil Engineer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Ki chen McEwen, Solicitor, 44, Lloyd-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 26th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

JNO. K. McEWEN, 44, Lloyd-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Butterworth, of Bolt Meadow Mill, Greenfield-in-Saddleshworth, in the county of York, Woollen and Waste Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, No. 7, South-parade, in Leeds, in the county of York, on the 18th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

G. E. PICKERING, 7, South-parade, Leeds, 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 Lizzie Vassilopulo and Manuel Anastasius Copehili, both of No. 1, King-street, in the city of Manchester, Milliners and Dress Makers, trading under the style or firm of L. Kirkham and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Van Sandau and Cumming, Solicitors, 13, King-street, Cheapside, in the

city of London, on the 26th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

FARRAR and HALL, 47, Princess-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Allen Hunt, residing in lodgings at No. 38, Lower Ormond-street, Chorlton-upon-Medlock, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Gentleman.

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. John Arnold Young, Solicitor, 1, Queen's-chambers, Princess-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 24th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

J. A. YOUNG, 1, Queen's-chambers, Princess-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 Charles Moss, of No. 287, Dean-gate and 9, Liverpool-road, both in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Tobaccoist.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 2, Saint George's-chambers, 98, Albert-square, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 24th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

A. T. H. EVANS, 2, Saint George's-chambers, 98, Albert-square, Manchester, 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 John Wilkinson, of 22, Tithe Barn-street, Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Brush 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 9, Cannon-street, Preston, on the 19th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

JOHN FORSHAW, 9, Cannon-street, Preston, 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 John Curwen, of Blackpool, in the county of Lancaster, Restaurant Keeper and Hotel Manager.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Assembly Rooms, Blackpool aforesaid, on the 26th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

ALFRED F. MORGAN, 9, Church-street, Blackpool, Solicitor for the said John Curwen.

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 William Nickson, of Poulton-street, Kirkham, in the county of Lancaster, Plumber, Glazier, 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 my office, No. 11, Cannon-street, Preston aforesaid, on the 24th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

JOHN CHARLES AMBLER, 11, Cannon-street, Preston, Solicitor for the said William Nickson.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Fletcher, of No. 57, Derby-street, Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Furniture Broker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 25, Townhall-square, Bolton, on the 17th day of April, 1877, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of April, 1877.

WALTER SCOWCROFT, 25, Townhall-square, Bolton, 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 Robert Ascroft, now of Little-lane, but formerly of Warrington-road, Pemberton, in the county of Lancaster, formerly a Contractor and Stonemason, and now a Stonemason.

NOTICE 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 Henry Peek, Solicitor, No. 29, King-street, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, on the 26th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

J. H. PEEK, 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 Thomas Beckett, of No. 222, Regent-road, within Salford, 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 Clarence Hotel, Spring-gardens, in the city of Manchester, on the 27th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

P. and J. WATSON, of No. 9, Broad-street, Bury, Lancashire, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Philip Mulleen, of 70, Moss-lane West, Moss Side, in the county of Lancaster, Auctioneer and Valuer, residing in lodgings at 97, Alexandra-road, Moss Side aforesaid.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Mitre Hotel, Cathedral Gates, Manchester, on the 28th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

FRANCIS HAMPSON, 60, King-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said John Philip Mulleen.

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 Edward Smith, of 32, Upper Tamworth-street, Moss Side, Salford, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Bricklayer 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 offices of William Knight Whitehead, Solicitor, 30, Brazennose-street, Manchester, on the 27th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

W. K. WHITEHEAD, 30, Brazennose-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Edward Smith.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Scarborough.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Elizabeth Watson, of Marishes Grange, in the parish of Pickering, in the county of York, Brick and Tile Manufacturer 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. Jackson, Solicitor, in Malton, in the said county, on the 30th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

ARTHUR H. JACKSON, Solicitor for the said Elizabeth Watson.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Kilburn Conyers, of No. 18, Bond-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Cloth Merchant, trading under the style of Thomas K. Conyers 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. Charles Lowrey, Accountant, No. 9, South-parade, in Leeds aforesaid, on the 26th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1877.

JNO. C. MALCOLM, Solicitor for the said Thomas Kilburn Conyers.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Walter Barker, of No. 2, Commercial-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Hosier.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Cooper Malcolm, Solicitor, No. 20, Park-row, in Leeds aforesaid, on the 27th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

JNO. C. MALCOLM, Solicitor for the said Edward Walter Barker.

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 Woodcock, of Talbot-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, File 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. Binney and Sons, Queen-street-chambers, Sheffield aforesaid, on the 27th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

BINNEY and SONS, Queen-street-chambers, Sheffield, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Ephram Davies, of Doncaster-road, Mexborough, in the county of York, Jeweller and Clothier.

NOTICE 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. Binney and Sons, Queen-street-chambers, Sheffield aforesaid, on the 27th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

BINNEY and SONS, Queen-street-chambers, Sheffield, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Wakefield.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Finney, of South Featherstone, in the West Riding of the county of York, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Boulton, Solicitor, in Pontefract, in the said county, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

CHARLES BOULTON, Pontefract, 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 Joshua Carter, of No. 156, Lister Hills-road, in Bradford, in the county of York, Grocer, Beer Retailer, and Grave Stone Letterer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, No. 29, Tyrrer-street, in Bradford aforesaid, on the 26th day of April, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

CHAS. L. ATKINSON, Solicitor for the 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 David Denby, of Drighlington, in the county of York, Spinner and 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 me, the undersigned, on the 16th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1877.

ARTHUR SINGLETON, 1, New Booth-street, 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 Cook, of David-street, Bradford, in the county of York, Fruiterer, in lodgings.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of me the undersigned,

on the 20th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1877.

ARTHUR SINGLETON, 1, New Booth-street, 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 James Paley, of Hewenden Brow, in the parish of Bingley, in the county of York, Wool and Waste Dealer 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 our offices, No. 9, Market-street, in Bradford aforesaid, on the 26th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

TERRY and ROBINSON, Solicitors for the said James Paley.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Fletcher, of Westgate, in Bradford, in the county of York, Tailor, Draper, and Outfitter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 39, Manor-row, Bradford aforesaid, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

JAMES RHODES, 39, Manor-row, Bradford, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

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 Lee, of No. 14, White-street, in the city of Coventry, Ribbon Block 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. 6, Hay-lane, in the city of Coventry, on the 2nd day of May, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

W. W. NEALE, 6, Hay-lane, Coventry, Solicitor for the said John Lee.

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 Marriott, trading as Marriott and Company, of 27, Blucher-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Tin Plate Worker and Japanner.

NOTICE 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. Dugmore and Pinfield, Accountants, 18, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, on the 27th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

THOS. CHAS. CHESTON, 148, Moor-street, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John William Hodgetts, of No. 2, Wilson-road, Birchfield, in the parish of Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, and late of Lincoln-place, St. Peter's-road, Handsworth aforesaid, Commercial Traveller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Edward Eaden, Solicitor, 21, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

EDWARD EADEN, 21, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Chesterfield. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Neal, of West Bars, Chesterfield, in the county of Derby, Butcher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Star Hotel, Market-place, Chesterfield, on the 30th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

F. T. C. BLACK, 13, Church-lane, Chesterfield, 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 Heath, late of Church Gresley, but now in lodgings at No. 3, Amen-alley, Derby, in the county of Derby, Tailor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the County Hotel, Saint Mary's Gate, Derby, on the 27th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

WALTER WILSON, 13, Wood-street, Burton-on-Trent, Solicitor for the said William Heath.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Ivins, of the Ship-on-Launch Inn, Quay-street, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, 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 offices of Messrs. Tribe, Clarke, and Company, Public Accountants, No. 4, Crockherbtown, Cardiff aforesaid, on the 23rd day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1877.

T. H. STEPHENS, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Daniel Price and William Hughes, of Church-street, Cardiff aforesaid, Grocers and Tea Dealers, trading as Price and Hughes.

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. Tribe, Clarke, and Company, 4, Crockherbtown, Cardiff, Public Accountants, on the 30th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

H. HEARD, of Church-street, Cardiff, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

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 Mary Williams, Nos. 10 and 11, Mount-street, Tredegar, in the county of Monmouth, 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. J. A. Shepard, Solicitor, No. 18, Chapel-street, Tredegar, in the county of Monmouth, on the 27th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

JNO. ALEX. SHEPARD, 18, Chapel-street, Tredegar, 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 Thomas Lewis, of Brynamawr, in the county of Brecon, and of Blaiza, in the county of Monmouth, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Simons and Plews, Solicitors, situate in Church-street, Merthyr Tydfil, in the county of Glamorgan, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

SIMONS and PLEWS, Church-street, Merthyr Tydfil, Glamorganshire, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Denbighshire, holden at Wrexham. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Jones Morris, of Hall-street, Rhoslanerchrugog, parish of Ruabon, in the county of Denbigh, 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 2, Temple-row, Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

HAMPDEN A. POYSER, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Berkshire, holden at Reading.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Edward Shrimpton, of Hurst, in the county of Berks, 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 Station Hotel, Bracknell, in the county of Berks, on the 27th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

CHARLES J. CAVE, Bracknell, Berks, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Berkshire, holden at Newbury.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Barrett, of Aldbourne, in the county of Wilts, Grocer and Carrier.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Castle and Ball Hotel, Marlborough, Wiltshire, on the 26th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

THOMAS BARRETT, the above-named Debtor.

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 Rowland Griffith, of Tremadoc, in the county of Carnarvon, Tanner, Leather Dresser, 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 Commercial Hotel, Portmadoc, in the said county of Carnarvon, on the 19th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

BREESE, JONES, and CASSON, Portmadoc, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

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 Robert Thomas, of Shop, Caeglas, in the parish of Llanddeusant, in the county of Anglesey, General-shop Keeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Queen's Hotel, Chester, on the 30th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

JOHN LLOYD GRIFFITH, Holyhead, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Benjamin Shaul, of Westbourne, in the county of Sussex, Grocer and Provision Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. E. H. King, 43, North-street, Portsea, in the county of Hants, on the 30th day of April, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

GEOE. HALL KING, 43, North-street, Portsea, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Barnstaple.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Page, of Winsford, in the county of Somerset, Baker and Machinist.

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. Chanter, Finch, and Chanter, Bridge Hall-chambers, Barnstaple, in the county of Devon, on the 20th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

CHANTER, FINCH, and CHANTER, Bridge Hall-chambers, Barnstaple, Solicitors for the said Robert Page.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Barnstaple.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Richards, of Atherington, in the county of Devon, Tailor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. John Arnold

Thorne, Solicitor, in Castle-street, in Barnstaple, Devon, on the 27th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of April, 1877.

J. A. THORNE, Castle-street, Barnstaple, 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 Julia Anna Feltham, late of the New Bear Hotel, Bradford, in the county of Wilts, Widow, Licensed Victualler and Hotel Keeper, but now of the White Lion Tap, Bridge-street, in the city of Bath, Manager of such Tap.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Townhall, Bradford, in the county of Wilts, on the 27th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

ALFRED BEAVEN, Bradford, Wilts, 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 Caleb Henry Barrett, of Chippenham, in the county of Wilts, Importer of Oriental Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Angel Hotel, Chippenham, in the county of Wilts, on the 28th day of April, 1877, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

RICHD. B. WOOD, Chippenham, Wilts, Solicitor for the said Caleb Henry Barrett.

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 George Priestley, of Welton, in the county of Lincoln, Farmer and Cattle Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Toynbee, Larken, and Toynbee, of No. 7, Bank-street, in the city of Lincoln, on the 5th day of May, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

TOYNBEE, LARKEN, and TOYNBEE, Solicitors 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 James Irons, of Red Lion-street, in the city of Norwich, Leather Seller.

NOTICE 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. E. A. Tillett, No. 16, Castle Meadow, Norwich, on the 27th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

EDWARD A. TILLET, 16, Castle Meadow, Norwich, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Oxfordshire, holden at Banbury.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Shugborough Newitt Steeden, of Tingewick, in the county of Buckingham, Butcher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Swan and Castle Hotel, Buckingham, in the county of Buckingham, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

JAMES STOCKTON, Solicitor for the said Shugborough Newitt Steeden.

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 Edward Grocock, of 118 and 120, Humberstone-road, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, 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. Joseph Harvey, Selborne-buildings, Millstone-lane, Leicester, on the 27th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

JOSEPH HARVEY, Selborne-buildings, Millstone-lane, Leicester, Solicitor for the said Edward Grocock.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Macclesfield.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Watson, of Alsager, in the county of Chester, 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 George Hotel, Jordangate, Macclesfield, in the said county of Chester, on the 3rd day of May, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

J. FRED. MAY, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Haslam, of Penny's-lane, Northwich, in the county of Chester, Wholesale and Retail Ale and Porter Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Joseph Sampson, Solicitor, St. James'-chambers, 40, South King-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 26th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

JOS. SAMPSON, St. James'-chambers, 40, South King-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Ralph Hale, of Dairy House Farm, in the parish of Tyrley, in the county of Stafford, 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 Royal Hotel, Nantwich-road, Crewe, in the county of Chester, on the 3rd day of May, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

J. G. PEARSON, the Hermitage, Market Drayton, Salop, Solicitor for the said Ralph Hale.

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 Thomas Brind Hatt, of Westleot Farm, in the parish of Swindon, and also of Wroughton, near Swindon aforesaid, both in the county of Wilts, Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Great Western Hotel, New Swindon, in the county of Wilts, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at a quarter-past four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

J. KILVERT BARTRUM, 6, Northumberland-buildings, Bath, 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 Henry Augustus Webber, of Bedford, in the county of Bedford, Gentleman.

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. Leverton Jessopp, Solicitor, 3, St. Paul's-square, Bedford, on the 23rd day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

L. JESSOPP, Bedford, Solicitor for the said Henry Augustus Webber.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Thompson, of No. 31, Broad-street, in the city of Worcester, Fishmonger and 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 Messrs. Frederick and Henry Corbett, Solicitors, Avenue House, the Cross, in the city of Worcester, on the 30th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1877.

FREDERICK and HENRY CORBETT, Avenue House, the Cross, Worcester, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

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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 Williams, of Ombersley, in the county of Worcester, Plumber, Glazier, and House 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 offices of Messrs. Frederick and Henry Corbett, Solicitors, Avenue House, the Cross, in the city of Worcester, on the 30th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1877.

FREDERICK and HENRY CORBETT, Avenue House, the Cross, Worcester, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Walter Leigh and George Leigh, of Hambrook, in the county of Gloucester, and of St. George's-road, in the city of Bristol, lately trading in copartnership as Grocers and Potato Dealers, and now as Saddlers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Benson and Thomas, 39, Broad-street, Bristol, Solicitors, on the 26th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

BENSON and THOMAS, 39, Broad-street, Bristol, Solicitors for the Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Oullimore, of Rangeworthy, in the county of Gloucester, Hay Dealer 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 Albert Essery, Solicitor, in the Guildhall, Broad-street, Bristol, on the 21st day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

ALBERT ESSERY, Guildhall, Broad-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 William Corfield, of High-street, Durdham Down, in the city and county of Bristol, 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 office of Buckland and Tonkin, Solicitors, 5, Exchange-buildings East, Bristol, on the 30th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1877.

BUCKLAND and TONKIN, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Gloucester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Brooks, of Ruardean Hill, in the township of East Dean, in the county of Gloucester, Collier.

NOTICE 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 Dighton, at Mitcheldean, in the county of Gloucester, Solicitor, on the 24th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1877.

JOHN DIGHTON, Solicitor for the said William Brooks.

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 Maurice Edward Hardwicke, of No. 24, Pittville-street, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, Military and Naval Tailor.

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. Wright and Marshall, Townhall-chambers, New-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 26th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

WRIGHT and MARSHALL, Townhall-chambers, New-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Solicitors 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 Joseph Lockett, of Cheslynhay, in the parish of Wyrley, in the county of Stafford, Miner 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. John Ebsworth, Solicitor, 76, Bridge-street, Wednesbury, in the county of Stafford, on the 27th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

JOHN EBSWORTH, 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 John Sutton, of Ogley-square, Brownhills, in the county of Stafford, out of business, late of the Woodman Inn, Ogley-square, Brownhills aforesaid, Licensed Victualler and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Dignan, Lewis, Williams, and Elliot, Walsall, in the county of Stafford, Solicitors, on the 1st day of May, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

DUIGNAN, LEWIS, WILLIAMS, and ELLIOT, 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 John Andrews, of No. 1, Waterloo-road South, and of Church-lane, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, trading as John Andrews and Co., Coke Dealer and Factor.

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. R. Alfred Willcock, Queen's-chambers, North-street, Wolverhampton, on the 20th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1877.

R. ALFRED WILLCOCK, Queen's-chambers, North-street, Wolverhampton, Solicitor for the said John Andrews.

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 George Seaton Kitchen, of Carlton-street, in the town of Nottingham, Chemist and Druggist.

NOTICE 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 Acton, Solicitor, Victoria-street, Nottingham, on the 1st day of May, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

FRED. ACTON, Victoria-street, Nottingham, 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 Edward Cullen, of Saint Ann's Well-road, in the town of Nottingham, 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. Edward Henry Fraser, Solicitor, Wheeler Gate, Nottingham, on the 30th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

EDWARD H. FRASER, Wheeler Gate, Nottingham, 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 Thomas Bowley, of Gotham, in the county of Nottingham, formerly a Grocer, but now a Travelling Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 12, Fletcher-gate, in the town of Nottingham, on the 23rd day of April, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of April, 1877.

B. H. COCKAYNE, 12, Fletcher-gate, Nottingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carmarthenshire, holden at Carmarthen.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Codd, of Segestou, in the parish of Carew, in the county of Pembroke, Maltster and Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Griffiths and Green, at Saint Mary-street, Carmarthen, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

GRIFFITHS and GREEN, of Saint Mary-street, Carmarthen, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carmarthenshire, holden at Carmarthen.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Ann Hitchings, of Albert House, Narberth, in the county of Pembroke, Draper and Grocer, trading under the style of Ann Hitchings 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 the offices of Mr. William Henry Brown, Foster's-chambers, Small-street, in the city of Bristol, Solicitor, on the 26th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

WM. HY. BROWN, Foster's-chambers, Small-street, Bristol, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carmarthenshire, holden at Carmarthen.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Rees, of Charlton House, Tenby, in the county of Pembroke, Auctioneer, House Agent, and Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Townhall, Carmarthen, in the county of Carmarthenshire, on the 30th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

GWYNNE and STOKES, Tenby, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cambridgeshire, holden at Cambridge.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Arthur Douglas Capel, of Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge, Clerk in Holy Orders.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association, in Alexandra-street, Petty Cury, in Cambridge aforesaid, on the 26th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

ELLISON and BURROWS, Alexandra-street, Petty Cury, Cambridge, Solicitors for the said Arthur Douglas Capel.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cambridgeshire, holden at Cambridge.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Sydney Tebbitt, of Ickleton, in the county of Cambridge, Grocer and Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Ellison and Burrows, in Alexandra-street, Petty Cury, in Cambridge, on the 23rd day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

ELLISON and BURROWS, Alexandra-street, Petty Cury, Cambridge, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cambridgeshire, holden at Cambridge.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Amer, of Royston, in the county of Cambridge, Nurseryman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Sun Hotel, Hitchin, on the 27th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

GEO. BURTON, Huntingdon, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Portsmouth.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Henry Graves, of No. 9, Saint Helen's-crescent, Southsea, in the county of Hants, Retired Major in the Army.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Southsea Beach Mansion Hotel, Southsea, on the 24th day of April, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of April, 1877.

RICHD. URRY, Ryde, Isle of Wight, Solicitor for the said William Henry Graves.

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 Frederick Smythe, of the Brewery, Eastleigh, Bishopstoke, in the county of Southampton, and Ivy Bank, Bishopstoke aforesaid, Brewer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Coxwell, Bassett, and Stanton, 7, Gloucester-square, in the town of Southampton, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

COXWELL, BASSETT, and STANTON, 7, Gloucester-square, Southampton, Solicitors for the said Frederick Smythe.

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 Robert Beldam, of Colne, in the county of Huntingdon, Cattle Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Dolphin Inn, Saint Ives, in the county of Huntingdon, on the 30th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

GEO. F. D. GACHES, Cathedral Gateway, Peterborough, Solicitor 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 Thomas Pollard, of No. 13, High-street, Saint Martin's, Stamford Baron, in the county of Northampton, Grocer and Game Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. James Edward Atter, Solicitor, Barnhill, Stamford aforesaid, on the 26th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of April, 1877.

BROWN, ATTER, and BROWN, Queen-street, Peterborough, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Eales, of Sandhill-road, St. James' End, in the parish of Duston, in the county of Northampton, late Farmer, but now out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Rawlins and Son, at Market Harborough, in the county of Leicester, on the 26th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of April, 1877.

RAWLINS and SON, Market Harborough, Solicitors for the said Richard Eales.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Stourbridge.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edwin Rickards, of Worcester-street, Stourbridge, in the county of Worcester, 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. Thomas Wall, in Union-chambers, Stourbridge, on the 24th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1877.

THOMAS WALL, Union-chambers, Stourbridge, Solicitor for the said Edwin Rickards.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Stourbridge.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Brooks, of Hay Green, the Lye, in the parish of Oldswinford, in the county of Worcester, Miner, lately also of Audnam, in the parish of Kingswinford, in the county of Stafford, Ironplater.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Thomas Wall, in Union-chambers, Stourbridge, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

THOMAS WALL, Union-chambers, Stourbridge, Solicitor for the said John Brooks.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Stourbridge.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Zachariah Brooks, now of Hay Green, in the county of Worcester, Grocer, formerly of Audnam Bank, in the parish of Kingswinford, in the county of Stafford, and then trading in copartnership with Edwin Aston and John Brooks, as Galvanized Hollow Ware Manufacturers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Thomas Wall, in Union-chambers, Stourbridge, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

THOMAS WALL, Union-chambers, Stourbridge, Solicitor for the said Zachariah Brooks.

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 Samuel Plevy, of 64, Northfield-road, Netherton, in the county of Worcester, Journeyman 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. William Shakespeare, 55, Church-street, Oldbury, in the county of Worcester, on the 20th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1877.

WM. SHAKESPEARE, 55, Church-street, Oldbury, Worcestershire, Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Smith, of the Albion Inn, Leazes-lane, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Beerhouse 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 Messrs. Keenlyside and Forster, Solicitors, Saint John's-chambers, Grainger-street West, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 30th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

THOMAS FORSTER, Saint John's-chambers, Grainger-street West, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said John Smith.

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 Walter Joshua Fawcett, of 38, Hutchinson-street, Middlesborough, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Messrs. Hope and Co's. offices, 33, Corporation-road, Middlesborough, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

JOHN HENRY HOPE, 33, Corporation-road, Middlesborough, Solicitor for the Walter Joshua Fawcett.

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 Josephus Spence, of Middlesborough, in the county of York, Merchant Tailor and Woollen Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Mr. Griffith's Temperance Hotel,

85, Linthorpe-road, Middlesborough, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1877.

GEO. BAINBRIDGE, Corporation Hall, Middlesborough, 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 Thomas Haddock, of No. 16, Alexandra-terrace, Hylton-road, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Hay, Straw, and Corn Dealer, and Greengrocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Mr. R. Fairclough's offices, 42, West Sunnyside, Sunderland, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

ROB. FAIRCLOUGH, 42, West Sunnyside, Sunderland, Solicitor for the said Thomas Haddock.

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 Jacob Strawbaum, now of 165A, Camden-street, late of 185, Lee Bank-road, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick. General Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Special General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Isaac Cohen, 14, Cannon-street, Birmingham, on the 20th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the following purposes:—1. To receive the Trustee's report; 2. To pass the Trustee's accounts; 3. To fix the Trustee's remuneration; 4. To declare a First and Final Dividend; 5. To resolve as to the close of the liquidation; and 6. The release of the Trustee.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

ISAAC COHEN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Eliza Humphryes, of the Horn and Trumpet, Angel-street, in the city of Worcester, Licensed Victualler, wife of Arthur Humphryes, formerly of the city of Worcester, Licensed Victualler (but now believed to be residing in London), which said Eliza Humphryes is trading separately from her said husband under an order of protection, dated 11th day of May, 1868, under the hands and seals of two of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the said city of Worcester in pursuance of the Statute in that behalf.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named debtor is summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. R. J. W. Pitt, Solicitor, the Avenue, Cross, in the city of Worcester, on Friday, the 20th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the following purposes, namely:—1. To declare a First and Final Dividend; 2. To audit the accounts of the Trustee; 3. To fix the Trustee's remuneration; 4. To release the Trustee; 5. To close the liquidation; 6. To grant the debtor her discharge.—Dated the 11th day of April, 1877.

DAVID SHAW, Accountant, Pierpoint-street, Worcester, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of the Reverend Robert Henry Wyld, of Southwell, in the county of Nottingham, Clerk and Banker, and Campion Calvert, of Southwell aforesaid, Surgeon and Banker, trading as Bankers, under the style or firm of Wyld and Co., at Southwell aforesaid, and at Mansfield, in the said county of Nottingham.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Robert Henry Wyld and Campion Calvert will be held at the Assembly Rooms, Saracen's Head Hotel, Southwell, in the county of Nottingham, on Friday, the 27th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the following purposes, viz.:—To consider the granting of the discharge of the said Robert Henry Wyld and Campion Calvert, or either of them; To consider and give directions as to the audit of the Trustee's accounts; To declare a dividend; To consider the close of the liquidation, and to consider the release of the Trustee.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1877.

JAMES WADDELL, 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 Samuel Freedman, of 40, Bethnal Green-road, in the county of Middlesex, Clothier.

THE creditors of the above-named Samuel Freedman who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to us, the undersigned, Learoyd, Learoyd, and Peace, of Albion-chambers, Moorgate, London, E.C., Solicitors to the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 5th day of April, 1877.

LEAROYD, LEAROYD, and PEACE, Solicitors to the 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 Sidney Davis Sprague, of 15, Clifford-street, New Bond-street, and 2, Brunswick-villa, Hill-road, St. John's Wood, and late of 39, Old Bond-street, all in the county of Middlesex, trading as Sydney Sprague and Company, Tailor and Outfitter.

THE creditors of the above-named Sidney Davis Sprague who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 24th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, George Augustus Cape, of No. 8, Old Jewry, 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 10th day of April, 1877.

GEO. A. CAPE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

The London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Cyrus Hallett, Edwin Eccles Manning, and Henry Prentis, carrying on business in copartnership as Merchants and Insurance Brokers, under the style or firm of Hallett, Manning, and Prentis, at 150, Lendenhall-street, in the city of London.

THE creditors of the above-named Cyrus Hallett, Edwin Eccles Manning, and Henry Prentis who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 30th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Joseph John Saffery, of No. 14, Old Jewry-chambers, in the city of London, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

JOS. J. SAFFERY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Maunder, of Apollo Works, Charlton, King's-road, Kentish Town, and of 104, Torrismo-avenue, Camden-road, Kentish Town aforesaid, both in the county of Middlesex, Pianoforte Manufacturer.

THE creditors of the above-named John Maunder who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 21st day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Bath, Public Accountant, of 40A, King William-street, in the city of London, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

JOHN BATH, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William John Oliver and Norman Anthony Hurt, both of 1, Finney-lane, King-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Provision Merchants, trading there under the style or firm of Oliver, Hurt, and Co., and also of Southwark-chambers, Southwark-street, in the borough of Southwark, in the county of Surrey, trading there also as Provision Merchants, under the style of Evans, Harnett, and Co.

THE creditors of the above-named William John Oliver and Norman Anthony Hurt who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 21st day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Henry Bolland, of 10, South John-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded

from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—
Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

HY. BOLLAND, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Rochester.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by
Arrangement of the affairs of George Knight, of the
Good Intent Tavern, Milton-next-Sittingbourne, in the
county of Kent, Licensed Victualler.

THE creditors of the above-named George Knight who
have not already proved their debts, are required, on
or before the 30th day of April, 1877, to send their names
and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims,
to me, the undersigned, Frederic Cleaver, of Sittingbourne,
in the county of Kent, 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 10th day of April, 1877.

FREDERIC CLEAVER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Guildford and
Godalming.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by
Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Rogers Fenn, of
Guildford, in the county of Surrey, Hosier.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Rogers Fenn
who have not already proved their debts, are re-
quired, on or before the 20th day of April, 1877, to send
their names and addresses, and the particulars of their
debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Joseph Priestley, of
119, Cheapside, in the city of London, Accountant, the
Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will
be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to
be declared.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

JOSH. PRIESTLEY, 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 Richard Chapman, of
Great Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, Skin Buyer.

THE creditors of the above-named Richard Chapman
who have not already proved their debts, are
required, on or before the 21st day of April, 1877, to send
their names and addresses, and the particulars of their
debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Lovewell Blake,
of Hall Quay-chambers, Great Yarmouth, Public Ac-
countant, 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 6th day of
April, 1877.

LOVEWELL BLAKE,
JNO. ETHERIDGE, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Wakefield.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrange-
ment or Composition with Creditors, instituted by
James Martin Taylor, of Pontefract, in the county of
York, Joiner, Cabinet Maker, and Aërated Water
Manufacturer.

THE creditors of the above-named James Martin Taylor
who have not already proved their debts, are required,
on or before the 1st day of May, 1877, to send their names
and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims,
to me, the undersigned, Stuart Lowden, of Ropergate,
Pontefract, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation,
or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit
of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 6th
day of April, 1877.

STUART LOWDEN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Wakefield.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrange-
ment or Composition with Creditors, instituted by
Samuel Wesley Maude, of Knottingley, in the county of
York, Grocer and Druggist.

THE creditors of the above-named Samuel Wesley Maude
who have not already proved their debts, are required,
on or before the 1st day of May, 1877, to send their names
and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims,
to me, the undersigned, Stuart Lowden, of Ropergate, Pon-
tefract, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in
default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the
Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 6th day of
April, 1877.

STUART LOWDEN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by
Arrangement of the affairs of Edwin John Laister, of
Whiston, in the county of York, Commercial Clerk.

THE creditors of the above-named Edwin John Laister
who have not already proved their debts, are required,
on or before the 20th day of April, 1877, to send their

names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or
claims, to me, the undersigned, Charles Herbert Moss, Col-
lege-chambers, Rotherham, 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 11th day of April, 1877.

CHAS. H. MOSS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by
Arrangement of the affairs of John Davies, of West-
street, Sheffield, in the county of York, Ironmonger.

THE creditors of the above-named John Davies
who have not already proved their debts, are
required, on or before the 23rd day of April, 1877, to
send their names and addresses, and the particulars of
their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Joseph
Beckett Westinholm, No. 10, Norfolk-row, Sheffield, in the
county of York, Accountant, the Trustee under the liqui-
dation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the
benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated
this 10th day of April, 1877.

JOSEPH BECKETT WESTINHOLM, 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 William Brearley, of New
Bank, in Halifax, in the county of York, General Mill-
wright, and Edwin Brearley, of Halifax aforesaid, Mill-
wright, and lately trading in copartnership at Halifax
aforesaid, under the style or firm of W. and E. Brearley.

THE creditors of the above-named William Brearley
and Edwin Brearley who have not already proved
their debts, are required, on or before the 21st day of April,
1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars
of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, George
Clay, of 30, Union-street, Halifax, Accountant, the
Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they
will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend pro-
posed to be declared.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

GEORGE CLAY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation
by Arrangement of the affairs of Joseph Pearson Armitage,
of Liversedge, in the county of York, and Joseph
Clapham Ward, of Thornhill, in the same county,
trading together in copartnership as Carpet Manu-
facturers, under the style or firm of Armitage and Ward,
at Liversedge aforesaid.

THE creditors of the above-named Joseph Pearson
Armitage and Joseph Clapham Ward who have not
already proved their debts, are required, on or before the
30th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses,
and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the
undersigned, Benjamin Potter Nettleton, of Batley, in the
county of York, Auctioneer and Accountant, the Trustee
under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be
excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be
declared.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

BENJAMIN POTTER NETTLETON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Coventry.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrange-
ment or Composition with Creditors, instituted by
Edward Nurse, of No. 18, Howard-street and Bird-street,
Clerk and Boxmaker, formerly trading in copartnership
with Thomas Longcroft Neal, under the style of Nurse
and Neal, at Bird-street, Coventry, as Boxmakers.

THE creditors of the above-named Edward Nurse who
have not already proved their debts, are required,
on or before the 24th day of April, 1877, to send their
names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or
claims to me, the undersigned, William Edwards Eburne, of
Smithford-street, Coventry, 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 11th day of April, 1877.

WILLIAM E. EBURNE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carmarthenshire, holden at
Carmarthen.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrange-
ment or Composition with Creditors, instituted by
David Thomas, of Cefalllechglawdd, in the parish of
Llangeler, in the county of Carmarthen, Farmer and
Timber Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named David Thomas who
have not already proved their debts, are required, on
or before the 23rd day of April, 1877, to send their names
and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims,
to me, the undersigned, Bartlett Phelps Thomas, of 10,
Temple-street, Swansea, 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 10th day of April, 1877.

BARTLETT F. THOMAS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carmarthenshire, holden at Carmarthen.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Lewis Jones, of Market-street, Llanelli, in the county of Carmarthen; Grocer.

THE creditors of the above-named Lewis Jones who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 23rd day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Bartlett Phelps Thomas, of 10, Temple-street, Swansea, 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 9th day of April, 1877.

BARTLETT F. THOMAS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Lincoln. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Charles Blyton, late of Horncastle, now of Thornton Moor, in the county of Lincoln, Builder.

THE creditors of the above-named Charles Blyton who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 1st day of May, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to either of us, the undersigned, Frederick William Tweed, of Horncastle, in the county of Lincoln, Solicitor, or George Jay, of No. 8, Bank-street, in the city of Lincoln, Accountant, the Trustees under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1877.

FRED. W. TWEED,
GEORGE JAY, Trustees.

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 Molsbury Vine Chapman, of Newborough, in the county of Northampton, Farmer.

THE creditors of the above-named Molsbury Vine Chapman who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Benjamin Taylor, of Peterborough, High Bailiff of the County Court, 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 11th day of April, 1877.

BENJAMIN TAYLOR, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Reeve, of Newnham Grange, near Daventry, in the county of Northampton, Farmer.

THE creditors of the above-named John Reeve who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 27th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to one of us, the undersigned, Thomas Willoughby, of Daventry, in the said county of Northampton, Bank Manager, and John George Ham, of Wellingborough, in the said county of Northampton, Accountant, the Trustees under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

THOMAS WILLOUGHBY,
JOHN GEORGE HAM, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Pilling, of John-street, Heywood, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Manufacturer, trading under the style or firm of Thomas Pilling and Co.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Pilling who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 28th day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Walton Gillibrand, of 56, George-street, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1877.

THOMAS WALTON GILLIBRAND, 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 Harry Bernard Stedman, of 10, Nelson-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Chemist.

THE creditors of the above-named Harry Bernard Stedman who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 23rd day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Stanley Blease, of 25, Castle-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

JOHN S. BLEASE, 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 Solomon Grant, of Victoria Gardens, Thatto Heath, near St. Helen's, in the county of Lancaster, Licensed Victualler.

THE creditors of the above-named Solomon Grant who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 21st day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Henry Bolland, of 10, South John-street, Liverpool, in the said county, 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 11th day of April, 1877.

HY. BOLLAND, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Denbighshire, holden at Wrexham. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Joseph Wilding, of 4, Bank-street, Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh, Boot and Shoe Maker.

THE creditors of the above-named Joseph Wilding who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 21st day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Charles Glascodine, of No. 3, Temple-place, Wrexham, 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 11th day of April, 1877.

CHAS. GLASCODINE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Chelmsford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Thipthorp, of Southend, in the county of Essex, Carpenter, Bricklayer, and Builder.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Thipthorp who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 21st day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Edwin May, of Maldon, in the county of Essex, 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 10th day of April, 1877.

EDWIN MAY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Bevan, of Llanmadock, in the county of Glamorgan, Labourer and Butcher.

THE creditors of the above-named John Bevan who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 23rd day of April, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Bartlett Phelps Thomas, of 10, Temple-street, Swansea, 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 10th day of April, 1877.

BARTLETT P. THOMAS, 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 Emile François Deneubourg, of 75, Great Portland-street, in the county of Middlesex, Feather and Flower Merchant.

HENRY JOHN LESLIE, of the firm of Leslie, Straith, and Co., of No. 1, Frederick's-place, Old Jewry, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All

persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Anger, of 35, Queen-street, Brompton-road, in the county of Middlesex, Fishmonger.

ALFRED HUGH WILLIAM BROWN, of 4, Verulam-buildings, Gray's-inn, Middlesex, Surveyor, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 7th day of April, 1877.

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 Noel, of 3, Chapel-place, Cavendish-square, Middlesex, and 32, Railton-road, Brixton, Surrey, Clerk to an Ironmonger.

WILLIAM WADDELL, of 11, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

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 Charles Matthews, of No. 14, Cross-street, Sale, in the county of Chester, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

MARSHALL PRESTON, of 3, Clarence-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, 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 11th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Tait, of 7, Haymarket-street, Bury, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer and Tea Dealer.

ISAAC SUMNER, of 4, Fennel-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Cashier, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Pilling, of John-street, Heywood, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Manufacturer, trading under the style or firm of Thomas Pilling and Co.

THOMAS WALTON GILLIBRAND, of 56, George-street, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Rutland, of No. 89, St. James-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Tea Dealer.

EDWARD BRADLEY ROOSE, of 26, North John-street, Liverpool, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 26th day of January, 1877.

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 Solomon Grant, of Victoria Gardens, Thatcho Heath, near Saint Helen's, in the county of Lancaster, Licensed Victualler.

HENRY BOLLAND, of No. 10, South John-street, Liverpool, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 23rd day of March, 1877.

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 Frederick Zurmahlen, of No. 51, Park-lane, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Bootmaker.

HENRY BOLLAND, of 10, South John-street, Liverpool, Accountant, and John Ivey, of 20, South John-street, Liverpool, Accountant, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustees. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustees.—Dated this 19th day of January, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Harrison Pilling, of No. 128, York-street, Hulme, in the county of Lancaster, and also late of No. 11, Gray-street, Chorlton-upon-Medlock, in the said county, Glass, Oil, and Paint Merchant.

WILLIAM MILNE, of No. 100, King-street, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Burnley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Sutcliffe, of Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, Ironkeeper.

JOHN RAWOLIFFE, of Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, 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 10th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Arthur Jones, of No. 15, Bridge-street, in the city of Worcester, Glass, China, and Earthenware Dealer and Fishing Tackle Dealer.

DAVID SHAW, of the city of Worcester, 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 6th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Newport and at Ryde.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Brading, of No. 108, High-street, Newport, in the Isle of Wight, Photographer and Artists' Colourman.

WILLIAM JOHN RICHARDS, of Newport afore-said, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Walsall.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Joseph Willscroft, of the Fountain Inn, Beacon-street, Lichfield, in the county of Stafford, Innkeeper.

CHARLES GILLARD, of the city of Lichfield, in the county of Stafford, 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 February, 1877.

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 Arthur Toseland, of Naseby, in the county of Northampton, Blacksmith.

THOMAS JARMAN, of Naseby, in the county of Northampton, Baker, 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 9th day of April, 1877.

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 Radford, of Alfreton, in the county of Derby, Builder.

HENRY YOUNG, of the town of Nottingham, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

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 Frederick Hardy, of Shirland, in the county of Derby, Butcher, Grocer, and Draper.

WILLIAM WATSON, of Alfreton, in the county of Derby, 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 11th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Whaley, of the Grange, Thorne, in the county of York, lately a Farmer, but now out of business.

SAMUEL HAWKES WRIGHT, of Doncaster, 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 11th day of April, 1877.

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 Ireland Rushworth, of No. 22, Westgate, Shipley, in the county of York, Painter, Gilder, Sign Writer, and Paper Hanger.

WILLIAM GILYARD, of No. 25, Market-street, 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 3rd day of April, 1877.

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 John Stubbings, of No. 102, Woodbine-grove, Penge, in the county of Surrey, Carman.

THOMAS PASCALL, of South Norwood, in the county of Surrey, Brickmaker, 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 11th day of April, 1877.

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 Richard Jackson, of Empingham, in the county of Rutland, Farmer.

JOHN ROYCE, of Oakham, in the county of Rutland, 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 9th day of April, 1877.

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 Robert Harvey Alger, of Saint Ives, in the county of Huntingdon, Publican.

ROBERT KING, of Saint Ives aforesaid, 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 10th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Whitehaven.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Christopher Hayhurst, of Egremont, in the county of Cumberland, late Innkeeper and Miller.

JOHN PEARSON the elder, Corn Merchant, and John Huddleston, Spirit Merchant, both of Whitehaven, in the county of Cumberland, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustees. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustees.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

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 James Adanson, of Bishop Middleham, in the county of Durham, Innkeeper and Butcher.

FRANCIS BOWER BOINTON, of Stockton-on-Tees 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 9th day of April, 1877.

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 Thomas Sharp Turner, of Grange-road, in the parish of St. Lawrence, in the county of Kent, Baker.

HENRY GIBBONS CASTLE, of Ramsgate, in the county of Kent, Broker, has been appointed trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Westmorland, holden at Kendal.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Noble Stuart, of Bowness, in the county of Westmorland, formerly Woodmonger, and now Sanitary Inspector and Surveyor to the Bowness Local Board of Health.

WILLIAM HEATON, of Kendal, in the county of Westmorland, Auctioneer and Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

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 James Symonds, of Redhill, in the county of Surrey, Contractor, Flax Manufacturer, and Farmer.

GEORGE ALLOWAY, of Dorking, in the county of Surrey, 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 9th day of April, 1877.

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 Ann Matilda Dougherty, of No. 7, Middle-street, Tyne-mouth, in the county of Northumberland, Dressmaker.

WILLIAM SMITHSON, of Newcastle-on-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 9th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Malanson, of No. 12, Camden-street, North Shields, in the county of Northumberland, Furniture Broker.

WILLIAM SMITHSON, of Grainger-street, Newcastle-on-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 9th day of April, 1877.

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 Proud, of Lambchester, in the county of Durham, and carrying on business at Cousett, in the same county, Draper.

JOHAN SMITH ELAND, of 42, Westgate-road, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

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 Cuthbert Vickers, formerly of Hartlepool, in the county of Durham, Carver and Gilder, late of Sunderland, in the said county of Durham, Innkeeper, and now of North Shields, in the county of Northumberland, Innkeeper.

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 11th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carnarvonshire, holden at Bangor. To Abdelgani Hider Effendi Abdelmalek, of Waterloo Port, in the borough of Carnarvon.

In the Matter of a Debtors Summons issued against you by Hugh Williams, of Eastgate-street, in the town and county of Carnarvon, Cabinet Maker, and David Pierce and Thomas Williams, both of the Golden Goat, Carnarvon aforesaid, Drapers, carrying on business in copartnership under the name or style of Pierce and Williams.

TAKE notice, that a Debtors Summons having been granted against you by this Court, the Court has ordered, that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette shall be deemed to be service of such summons

on you on the seventh day after such publication. The summons can be inspected by you on application to this Court.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cambridgeshire, holden at Cambridge.

To George Lamyman.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Petition has been presented against you to this Court by Henry Joshua Cheffins, of Saffron Walden, in the county of Essex, and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette shall be deemed to be service of the petition upon you; and further take notice, that the said Petition will be heard at this Court on the 30th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, on which day you are required to appear, and, if you do not appear, the Court may adjudge you bankrupt in your absence. The Petition can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Warwick. To William Grant, late of the Bear Inn, Henley-in-Arden, in the county of Warwick, Victualler.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Petition has been presented against you to this Court, by Alfred Stinton, of Redditch, in the county of Worcester, Wine Merchant, and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette shall be deemed to be service of the petition upon you; and further take notice, that the said petition will be heard at this Court on the 26th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon, on which day you are required to appear, and if you do not appear the Court may adjudge you bankrupt in your absence. The petition can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated this 7th day of April, 1877.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Cheltenham.

A MEETING of the Creditors of Alfred William Boodle, of No. 2, Bedford-buildings, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, Solicitor, adjudicated a bankrupt on the 17th day of October, 1876, will be held at No. 2, Bedford-buildings, Cheltenham aforesaid, on Thursday, the 19th day of April, 1877, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustees of a composition offered by the bankrupt of one shilling and sixpence in the pound, and for the annulling thereafter the order of adjudication made against the bankrupt.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

A MEETING of the Creditors of Thomas Charlton Bell, trading as Thomas C. Bell and Company, of Haywood's-court, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Wine Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 13th day of September, 1871, will be held at the offices of Mr. William Smithson, 9, Grainger-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 21st day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustees of a composition offered by the bankrupt, and for the annulling thereafter of the order of adjudication made against the bankrupt.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of William Inray, late of No. 47, Saint Mary Axe, in the city of London, Stationer and Printer, but now of No. 81, Crickfield-road, Lower Clapton, in the county of Middlesex, of no occupation, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 11th day of July, 1876.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named William Inray will be held at the offices of Mr. Edward Harvey, Public Accountant, Weavers' Hall, No. 22, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on Monday, the 23rd of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon, to consider the propriety of granting the bankrupt's discharge; closing the bankruptcy; and to release the Trustees.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1877.

EDWARD HARVEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.

In the Matter of Thomas Cobb, of 55, John-street, Saint Domingo-road, Everton, in the county of Lancaster, Contractor and Quarry Proprietor, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 18th day of October, 1876.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors in the above matter is hereby summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Sheen and Broadhurst, Accountants, 21, North John-street, Liverpool, on Friday, the 20th day of April, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose

of—1. To audit and pass the Trustee's accounts. 2. Receiving the Trustee's report on the working of the quarries and giving him instructions and authority as to their future management, and any other directions in reference thereto. 3. To transact any other business not requiring special notice.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

THOMAS H. SHEEN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of James Rigby, of 57, Great George-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Chemist, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 17th day of November, 1876.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors in the above matter is hereby summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Sheen and Broadhurst, Accountants, 21, North John-street, Liverpool, on Thursday, the 19th day of April, 1877, at the hour of two in the afternoon, for the following purposes:—1. To entertain an offer made by a debtor owing £798 to the estate to pay the same by instalments. 2. To fix the Trustee's remuneration.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

THOMAS H. SHEEN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of William Waples Leete, of 282, Oxford-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Chemist and Druggist, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 21st day of July, 1876.

A MEETING of the Creditors of the above-named William Waples Leete will be held at the offices of Mr. J. Best, Solicitor, 64, Lower King-street, in the city of Manchester, on Monday, the 23rd day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, for the following purposes, viz.:—1. To authorize and empower the Trustee to accept such composition as the requisite majority of the creditors present or represented at such meeting shall determine, on the debts of the several creditors of the above-named bankrupt, together with all costs of and incidental to the proceedings, and all preferential claims (if any), such composition, costs, and preferential claims (if any) to be paid in such manner and at such date as the requisite majority of the creditors present or represented at such meeting shall resolve, with under the condition that the order of adjudication made herein against the said William Waples Leete shall be annulled on payment of such composition, costs, and preferential claims or otherwise; 2. To consider and resolve upon all other resolutions and things necessary or expedient for effectuating and carrying out the above-mentioned objects, or for forming and carrying out a general scheme for the winding up of the affairs of the said bankrupt, and granting him his discharge, subject to the approval of the Court, and otherwise relating to the premises which the said meeting can lawfully consider and resolve upon under the provisions of the above-named Act and the general rules made in pursuance thereof.—Dated this 7th day of April, 1877.

J. WHITE, 8, King-street, Manchester, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Robert Emilius Nazakertz Cranford, formerly of Dover, in the county of Kent, Captain and Brevet Major of the Royal Artillery, previously of Woolwich Barracks, Woolwich, in the said county, Captain in the Royal Artillery, previously of Poona, Bombay Presidency, India, Captain in the Royal Artillery.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Robert Emilius Nazakertz Cranford, adjudicated a bankrupt on the 2nd day of August, 1865, has been appointed and will be held at the Court of Bankruptcy, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on the 11th day of June next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, pursuant to sections 185, 186, and 187 of the aforesaid Bankruptcy Act, for the purpose of considering a proposal then to be made, by or on behalf of the said bankrupt, for the payment of a composition, or for payment of a Final Dividend, out of the fund now in the hands of the Official Assignee, and for annulling the order of adjudication made against the said bankrupt, and, if deemed expedient, to resolve that the estate ought to be wound up under a deed of arrangement, composition, or otherwise; and that an application shall be made to the Court to stay proceedings in bankruptcy for such period as the Court shall think fit; and to pass all such other resolutions, and to take all such further and other proceedings as may be lawfully taken at such meeting.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1877.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 4d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of William Emray, late of No. 47, Saint Mary Axe, in the city of London, Stationer

and Printer, but now of 81, Cricketfield-road, Lower Clapton, in the county of Middlesex, of no occupation, adjudicated bankrupt on the 11th day of July, 1876, and will be paid by me, at my office, Weavers' Hall, No. 22, Basinghall street, in the city of London, on and after Monday, the 9th day of April, 1877.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1877.

EDWARD HARVEY, Trustee.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Colchester.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. 1½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Thomas Baker Knock, of Glensford, in the county of Suffolk, Grocer and Draper, adjudicated bankrupt on the 3rd day of August, 1876, and will be paid at the offices of Mr. E. J. Craske, Auctioneer, Head-street, Colchester, on and after Saturday, the 14th day of April, 1877.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

THOMAS KING, Trustee.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 4s. 2½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Edward Hayes, of Bickerstaffe, Thrashing Machine Letter for Hire, Dealer and Chapman, adjudicated bankrupt on the 4th day of September, 1876, and will be paid by me, at my office, King's chambers, 29, King-street, Wigan, on and after the 1st day of April, 1877.—Dated this 31st day of March, 1877.

JOHN LAMB, Trustee.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

A THIRD and Final Dividend of 11d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of George Hardwick, of Sutton-in-Ashfield, in the county of Nottingham, trading under the firm of Richard Hardwick and Sons, Cotton Doubler, adjudicated bankrupt on the 9th day of August, 1875, and will be paid by me, at my office, Britannia-chambers, Pelham-street, Nottingham, on and after the 20th day of April, 1877.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

THOS. LEMAN, Trustee.)

In the County Court of Cornwall, holden at Truro.

A FINAL Dividend of 4s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Septimus Rolleston, of the parish of Saint Minver, in the county of Cornwall, Clerk, adjudicated bankrupt on the 4th day of January, 1873, and will be paid by me, at my office, at Wadebridge, in the said county of Cornwall, on and after the 21st day of April, 1877.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

SAMUEL WELLS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Walsall. In the Matter of Job Butler, of King-street, Darlaston, in the county of Stafford, Chemist and Druggist, a Bankrupt. WHEREAS under a Bankruptcy Petition presented to this Court against the said Job Butler, an order of adjudication was made on the 30th day of May, 1876. This is to give notice, that the said adjudication was, by order of this Court, annulled on the 10th day of April, 1877.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Francis O'Brien, of 43, Parliament-street, in the city of Westminster, trading under the style of F. O'Brien and Company, Banker, and person receiving other men's moneys or estates into his trust or custody.

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 Francis O'Brien having been given, it is ordered that the said Francis O'Brien be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 10th day of April, 1877.

By the Court,

Wm. Hazitt, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Francis O'Brien is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to Philip Henry Pepys, 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 Sir Seymour Blane, Baronet, of 16, Bury-street, Saint James', 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 Sir Seymour Blane having been given, it is ordered that the said Sir Seymour Blane be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 19th day of December, 1876.

By the Court,

Wm. Hazlitt, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Sir Seymour Blane is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to 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 Ellacott, of Bursted-road, Gordon-road, Peckham, in the county of Surrey, Builder.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Ellacott having been given, it is ordered that the said Ellacott be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 10th day of April, 1877.

By the Court,

Wm. Hazlitt, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Ellacott is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 25th day of April, 1877, 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 Jacques Arnoux, of 229, Regent-street, in the county of Middlesex, Tailor.

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 Jacques Arnoux having been given, it is ordered that the said Jacques Arnoux be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 9th day of April, 1877.

By the Court,

Wm. P. Murray, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Jacques Arnoux is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 30th day of April, 1877, 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 Hackett, of No. 191, Great Dover-street, Borough, in the county of Surrey, Boot and Shoe Maker.

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 Richard Hackett having been given, it is ordered that the said Richard Hackett be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 9th day of April, 1877.

By the Court,

Wm. P. Murray, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Richard Hackett is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 1st day of May, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to James Rigg Brougham, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Rolls Calvert Link, of Victoria House, Victoria-street, Westminster, 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 Rolls Calvert Link having been given, it is ordered that the said Rolls Calvert Link be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 11th day of April, 1877.

By the Court,

W. C. Spring-Rice, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Rolls Calvert Link is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 1st day of May, 1877, 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 the Honourable William Cecil Spring-Rice, one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Greenwich.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Eliza Smith, of Osborne-place, the Village, Blackheath, in the county of Kent, Widow, Grocer, and Tea Dealer.

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 Eliza Smith, having been given, it is ordered that the said Eliza Smith be, and she is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 27th day of March, 1877.

By the Court,

Charles Pitt-Taylor, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Eliza Smith is hereby summoned to be held at the Court-house, Burney-street, Greenwich, on the 24th day of April, 1877, 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 her affairs, as required by the statute.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against George Keel, of 5, Carra-lane, Birmingham, Auctioneer.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner,

tioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said George Keel having been given, it is ordered that the said George Keel be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 9th day of April, 1877.

By the Court,

John Cole, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said George Keel is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, on the 27th day of April, 1877, 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 Warwickshire, holden at

Birmingham.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against George Pagett, of 155, Farm-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Butcher.

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 George Pagett having been given, it is ordered that the said George Pagett be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 10th day of April, 1877.

By the Court,

John Cole, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said George Pagett is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, on the 23rd day of April, 1877, at half-past 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 Staffordshire, holden at Oldbury.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against John Johnson, of Great Bridge, in the county of Stafford, Tube Manufacturer, trading as the Atlas Tube Company.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said John Johnson having been given, it is ordered that the said John Johnson be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 10th day of April, 1877.

By the Court,

Geo. F. Watson, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said John Johnson is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, on the 25th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Edward Ebenezer Price, of Bridgend, in the county of Glamorgan, Draper.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Edward Ebenezer Price having been given, it is ordered that the said Edward Ebenezer Price be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 9th day of April, 1877.

By the Court,

R. F. Langley, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Edward Ebenezer Price is hereby summoned to be held at the Townhall, Cardiff, on the 26th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination,

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

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Skelton, of the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Grocer and Tea Dealer.

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 William Skelton having been given, it is ordered that the said William Skelton be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 6th day of March, 1877.

By the Court,

Robt. K. A. Ellis, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Skelton is hereby summoned to be held at the Offices of this Court, at the foot of Union-street, Sunderland, on the 27th day of April, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Joseph Lee, of 10, Blackburn-street, Radcliffe Bridge, near Bury, in the county of Lancaster, Cabinet Maker.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Joseph Lee having been given, it is ordered that the said Joseph Lee be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 11th day of April, 1877.

By the Court,

Thos. Holden, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Joseph Lee is hereby summoned to be held at the Court House, situate in Maudsley-street, Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, on the 30th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court, by transfer from the County Court of Buckinghamshire, holden at Aylesbury. In the Matter of Eliza Procter, of the Chiltern Ironworks, Wendover, and of the Corn Exchange, Aylesbury, both in the county of Buckingham, Iron and Brass Founder, a Bankrupt.

John Sawyer, of 3, Adelaide-place, London Bridge, 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 12th day of May, 1877, 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 11th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Roland McKensy, of 59, Hatton-garden, in the county of Middlesex, Electro Plater, and William Tytherleigh, of 3, Tysoe-street, Clerkenwell, in the said county, now out of business, lately trading together as Electro Plate Manufacturers and Copartners, under the style or firm of McKensy and Co., of 59, Hatton-garden aforesaid, Bankrupts.

Thomas Mogg, of No. 1, Hackney-road, in the county of Middlesex, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupts. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupts to take place at the London

Bankruptcy Court, on the 8th day of May, 1877, 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 11th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Louis John Nugent, of No. 20, King-street, St. James's, in the county of Middlesex, a Bankrupt.

William Lewis Clifton Browne, of No. 25, Old Jewry, 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 April, 1877, 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 28th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Henry William Freeman, of Bedford House, Brixton Oval, Brixton, in the county of Surrey, Schoolmaster and Keeper of a Boarding and Day School, a Bankrupt.

William Cornish Cooper, of 20, King's Arms-yard, Coleman-street, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on the 26th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 27th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton.

In the Matter of Richard Attwood, of Paulerspury, in the county of Northampton, Coal Dealer, a Bankrupt.

Charles Dawson King, of the town of Northampton, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the County Hall, Northampton, on the 2nd day of May, 1877, 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 6th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of William Cartle Street, of King Edward-street North, in Great Grimsby, in the county of Lincoln, Grocer and Tea and Provision Dealer, a Bankrupt.

Charles Morton, of Great Grimsby, in the county of Lincoln, Grocer, 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, Great Grimsby aforesaid, on the 14th day of June, 1877, 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 7th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Walter Trantom Thomas, of No. 15, Walter-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Shipsmith, a Bankrupt.

Henry Holland, of No. 10, South John-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 4th day of May, 1877, 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 9th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston. In the Matter of Thomas Joseph Wilcockson, of No. 243, Ribbles-ton-lane, in Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Provision Dealer, a Bankrupt.

Henry Lawson Whitehead, of 3, Avenham-terrace, in Preston aforesaid, Grocer, 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 24th day of April, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of James Edward Carruthers, of 2, Wood-street and 7, Winter-street, both in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Fancy Goods and Furniture Dealer, a Bankrupt.

Robert Edward Jones, of No. 40, Brown-street, in the city of Manchester, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house, Nicholas-croft, in the city of Manchester, on the 30th day of April, 1877, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of George Wood, of 43, Cambridge-street, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Contractor and Builder, a Bankrupt.

Thomas Walker, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the County Court Offices, Westgate-road, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 19th day of April, 1877, 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 debt to the trustee.—Dated this 17th day of January, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.

In the Matter of Daniel Porritt, Henry Porritt, and Jonathan Porritt the younger, all of No. 63, Brook-street, in Bradford, in the county of York, trading in copartnership as Top Makers, under the firm of Daniel Porritt and Co., Bankrupts.

John Hartley Blackburn, of Bradford, in the county of York, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupts. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupts to take place at the said Court, on the 15th day of May, 1877, 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 9th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

In the Matter of William Oates, of Townhead-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, Beerhouse Keeper, a Bankrupt.

Henry Ashmore Styring, of 185, Norfolk-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the County Court Hall, Bank-street, Sheffield, on the 26th day of April, 1877, 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 9th day of April, 1877.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

On the 8th day of May, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, Frederick Louis Meusch, of No. 150, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 28th day of March, 1872, will apply for an Order of Discharge.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

On the 8th day of May, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, George William Whitworth, of Kentish-buildings, No. 123, Borough High-street, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, Hop and Seed Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 3rd day of December, 1872, will apply for an Order of Discharge.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Second Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Joseph Anthony Hofmann, of Nos. 14 and 15, Gresham-street, in the city of London, Merchant, trading under the style or firm of J. A. Hofmann and Co., adjudicated bankrupt on the 21st day of March, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 11th day of May, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1877.

William J. White, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of John Uther Burt, of No. 332, Goswell-road, St. Luke's, in the county of Middlesex, Coach Builder, adjudicated bankrupt on the 4th day of August, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 26th day of April, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1877.

Edmd. C. Chatterley, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Second and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Alfred White, of 4, Gordon-square, in the county of Middlesex, formerly of Battle Bridge House, Merstham, in the county of Surrey, now of no occupation, but lately carrying on business as a Merchant, at No. 17, Mincing-lane, in the city of London, in partnership with Henry White, under the firm of Henry White and Co., adjudicated bankrupt on the 2nd day of April, 1875. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 17th day of April, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1877.

Thos. S. Evans, Trustee.

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 Frederick Daulby, late of Hindpool-road, Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, Commission Agent, trading under the name of Fred. Daulby and Company, adjudicated bankrupt on the 14th day of July, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 1st day of May, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1877.

John Low McIlraith, Trustee.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Robert Henry Bartlett, of No. 77, Dale-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Attorney-at-Law, adjudicated bankrupt on the 3rd day of January, 1872. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 21st day of April, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1877.

Hy. Bolland, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of George Thorneloe, of 3, Clement's-pass, Clement's-lane, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, a Bankrupt.

An Order of Discharge was, on the 16th day of March, 1877, granted to George Thorneloe, of 3, Clement's-pass, Clement's-lane, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 29th day of July, 1874.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield: In the Matter of Joseph Knott and Edmund Knott, of Highfield Steel Works, London-road, Sheffield, in the county of York, Steel Manufacturers, Tilters, and Rollers, carrying on business under the style or firm of Joseph Knott and Co., Bankrupts.

An Order of Discharge was this day granted to Joseph Knott and Edmund Knott, adjudicated bankrupts on the 31st day of July, 1876.—Dated this 5th day of April, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester, In the Matter of Solomon Solomon, of 101, Piccadilly, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Tailor and Draper, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 6th day of April, 1877, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Solomon Solomon has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 9th day of April, 1877.

THE estates of John Ritchie, Clothier, in Greenock, were sequestrated on the 7th day of April, 1877, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the 7th day of April, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held on Thursday, the 19th day of April, 1877, at two o'clock, afternoon, 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 8th day of August, 1877.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the county of Lanark; and 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.

JOHN GALLETLY, S.S.C., 22, Albany-street, Edinburgh, Agent.

THE estates of Mrs. Jane Brown or Brand, Grocer, in Wishaw, were sequestrated on the 7th day of April, 1877, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated 7th April, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Thursday, the 19th day of April 1877, within the Royal Hotel, in Hamilton.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 7th day of August, 1877.

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

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

WILLIAM BROWN and CO, Solicitors, Beckford-street, Hamilton, Agents.

THE estates of David Hunter, Cabinet Maker, Tally-street, Dundee, were sequestrated on the 6th day of April, 1877, by the Sheriff of Forfarshire.

The first deliverance is dated 6th April, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Wednesday, the 18th April, 1877, within Lamb's Hotel, Reform-street, Dundee.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before 6th August, 1877.

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