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At the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

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

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

“Whereas at certain extremities of the said new parish of Saint Mary Sheffield and of the consolidated chapelry of Saint Andrew Sharrow in the said county of York and in the said diocese of York which said extremities lie contiguous one to another and are described in the schedule hereunder written there is collected together a population which is situate at a distance from the several churches of such new parish and consolidated chapelry respectively.

“And whereas it appears to us to be expedient that such contiguous portions of the said new parish of Saint Mary Sheffield and of the said consolidated chapelry of Saint Andrew Sharrow should be formed into a consolidated chapelry for all ecclesiastical purposes and that the same should be assigned to the said church of Saint Barnabas situate at Highfield as aforesaid.

“Now therefore with the consent of the Right Honourable and Most Reverend William Archbishop of York and with the consent of the Reverend Rowley Hill the vicar or incumbent of the vicarage of the parish of Sheffield in the the said diocese of York and as such vicar or incumbent the patron of the vicarage of the said new parish of Saint Mary Sheffield and with the consent of the Right Honourable and Most Reverend William Thomson in his individual capacity (who is named above as a party to this representation in his corporate or official capacity of Archbishop of York) of the said Rowley Hill in his individual capacity (who is named above as a party to this representation in his corporate or official capacity of vicar of Sheffield) and of Sir John Brown of Endcliffe Hall in the said parish of Sheffield Knight the patrons of the perpetual curacy of the said consolidated chapelry of Saint Andrew Sharrow (in testimony whereof they the said consenting parties have respectively signed and sealed this representation) we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England humbly represent that it would in our opinion be expedient that all those contiguous portions of the said new parish of Saint Mary Sheffield and of the said consolidated chapelry of Saint Andrew Sharrow which are described in the schedule hereunder written all which portions together with the boundaries thereof are delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed should be united and formed into one consolidated chapelry for the said church of Saint Barnabas situate at Highfield as aforesaid and that the same should be named ‘The Consolidated Chapelry of Saint Barnabas Sheffield.’

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

“The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

“The Consolidated Chapelry of Saint Barnabas Sheffield being:—

“All that portion of the new parish of Saint Mary Sheffield in the county of York and in the diocese of York and also all that contiguous portion of the consolidated chapelry of Saint Andrew Sharrow in the same county and diocese which said portions are comprised within and are bounded by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said cures at the

point where London-road is joined by Sitwell-road and by Sharrow-lane and extending thence north-westward for a distance of one chain or thereabouts along the middle of the said London-road to its junction with Woodhead-road and extending thence north-eastward along the middle of the last-named road to its junction with Hill-street and with Bramall-lane and extending thence southward for a distance of nine chains or thereabouts along the middle of the last-named lane to its intersection by Alderson-road and extending thence south-eastward along the middle of the last-named road to its junction with Queen's-road and extending thence north-eastward for a distance of eight chains or thereabouts along the middle of the last-named road to a point at the centre of the bridge which carries the same road over the River Sheaf upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Mary Sheffield from the new parish of Heeley in the county and diocese aforesaid and extending thence for a distance of sixty-four chains or thereabouts first generally south-westward and then westward along the last-mentioned boundary thereby following the course of the River Sheaf aforesaid to the point at the junction of the said river with the stream called or known as Meres Brook where the said last-mentioned boundary joins the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Mary Sheffield in the county of York as aforesaid from the district of Norton Woodseats in the county of Derby and in the diocese of Lichfield and extending thence westward for a distance of one chain or thereabouts along the said county boundary thereby continuing to follow the course of the said River Sheaf to the point at the centre of the footbridge which carries the footpath leading from Lower Heeley to the Abbey Dale-road over the same river at which last-described point the said county boundary is joined by the boundary dividing the said new parish of Saint Mary Sheffield from the consolidated chapelry of Saint Andrew Sharrow aforesaid and extending thence for a distance of twenty-nine chains and three-quarters or thereabouts first north-westward then westward and then north-eastward along the last-mentioned boundary thereby following in part the course of the last-mentioned footpath and in part the course of the said Abbey Dale-road to the point where Chipping House-road crosses the said Abbey Dale-road and extending thence that is from the said last-mentioned boundary westward for a distance of fourteen chains and a half or thereabouts along the middle of the said Chipping House-road to its junction with Crescent-road and extending thence northward for a distance of eight chains or thereabouts along the middle of the last-named road to its junction with Montgomery-road and with Wostenholme-road and extending thence north-eastward for a distance of nineteen chains or thereabouts along the middle of the last-named road to a point at the junction of the same road with Washington-road and with Sharrow-lane aforesaid upon the boundary which divides the said consolidated chapelry of Saint Andrew Sharrow from the new parish of Saint Mary Sheffield as aforesaid and extending thence eastward for a distance of sixteen chains or thereabouts along the last-mentioned boundary thereby following the course of the said Sharrow-lane to the first-described point at the junction of the same lane with Sitwell-road and with London-road as aforesaid at which point the said imaginary line commenced."

And whereas the said representation has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: now, there-

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

C. L. Peel.

At the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of an Act of the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty, chapter thirty-seven, sections six and eight, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council, a scheme, bearing date the seventh day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of an Act of the sixth and seventh years of your Majesty chapter thirty-seven, sections six and eight, have prepared and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council the following scheme for authorizing the sale and disposal of certain property formerly belonging to the College of the Twelve Minor Canons of the Cathedral Church of Saint Paul in London, and to the several minor canonries in the said college.

"Whereas under an Act of the twenty-seventh and twenty-eighth years of your Majesty, chapter seventy, and by virtue of an Order of your Majesty in Council made under the provisions of the same Act, bearing date the fifth day of August one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, and duly published in the London Gazette on the tenth day of the same month, all the property which then belonged to the College of the Twelve Minor Canons of the Cathedral Church of Saint Paul in London (excepting the separate estates then belonging to the said minor canons, and excepting their share in a certain fund in such Order mentioned, and also any right of ecclesiastical patronage) was transferred to and became absolutely vested in us for the purposes and subject to the provisions applicable to other hereditaments vested in us.

"And whereas under and by virtue of the provisions of 'The Saint Paul's Cathedral London Minor Canonries Act 1875,' section six, all the property which at the date of the passing of the same Act belonged by way of separate estate to the second, fifth, and eighth minor canonries in the said college, being the minor canonries which were vacant at the date of the passing of the same Act, was transferred to and became absolutely vested in us for the purposes and subject to the provisions applicable to other hereditaments vested in us.

"And whereas under the provisions of the last-mentioned Act and by virtue of an Order of your Majesty in Council made under the provisions of 'The Ecclesiastical Commission Act 1868,' sections three and thirteen, and bearing date the fifth day of August one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, and duly published in the London

Gazette of the tenth day of the same month, all the property which then belonged by way of separate estate to the first, third, fourth, sixth, seventh, ninth, tenth, eleventh, and twelfth minor canonries in the said college (excepting certain payments in such Order particularly excepted) was transferred to and became absolutely vested in us for the purposes and subject to the provisions applicable to other hereditaments vested in us.

"And whereas the property aforesaid consists to a considerable extent of reversions expectant upon beneficial leases granted for terms of years and produces during the subsistence of such leases only small annual revenues, and on that account and in some instances on account of its character or situation is unsuitable or inconvenient to be held or applied for the purposes for which estates vested in us are applicable under the Acts by which our proceedings are governed.

"And whereas by an Act of the twenty-third and twenty-fourth years of your Majesty, chapter one hundred and twenty-four, power is given to lessees holding under us, in the event of our declining to enter into a treaty for the sale of our reversions or the purchase of the leasehold interests, to require us to purchase such leasehold interests at a valuation.

"And whereas with a view to the advantageous appropriation of the said property or of the proceeds thereof for the ultimate improvement of our common fund it is expedient that the said property or such part or parts thereof as we shall at any time and from time to time think fit should be sold or disposed of and accordingly that we should be empowered to dispose of our interest therein, or in any part or parts thereof, in such manner as shall appear to us advisable.

"Now therefore we humbly recommend and propose that we may be authorized and empowered, by instrument or instruments in writing duly executed according to law, from time to time to sell or dispose of and duly to convey according to the provisions of the said Act of the sixth and seventh years of your Majesty's reign, with the consent of the respective holders (if any), to be testified by their being made parties to such instruments, all or any part of the said property heretofore belonging to the said college and to the said minor canonries and transferred to and vested in us under or by virtue of the several hereinbefore mentioned Acts of Parliament and Orders of your Majesty in Council, with its appurtenances and all our estate right title and interest therein, or in any part or parts thereof, unto and to the use of any person or persons desirous or willing to purchase the same and his her or their heirs, executors, administrators, or assigns, or otherwise as he she or they shall direct or appoint, and for such consideration as shall upon due calculation and inquiry appear to us to be just and reasonable, it being our intention to invest the proceeds of such sales, from time to time as occasion may arise, in the purchase of other lands, tithes, rent-charges, tenements or hereditaments, or of some estate or interest therein convenient to be held by us for the purposes of the Acts by which our proceedings are governed as aforesaid, and in the meantime to invest the said proceeds in some Government or Parliamentary stock or other public securities in England.

"And we further recommend and propose that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid or any of them in accordance with the provisions of the said Acts or of any other Act of Parliament.

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

C. L. Peel.

At the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Carlton (Barnsley), appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 825:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-Laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXXV.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,
1870, 1873, AND 1876.

BYE-LAWS OF THE CARLTON (BARNSLEY) SCHOOL
BOARD.

Recital of Election of School Board.

WHEREAS, in pursuance of a requisition sent by the Education Department to the Clerk to the Guardians of the Barnsley Poor Law Union, in the county of York, a School Board for the District of the parish of Carlton (Barnsley), in the said county of York, was duly elected on the 11th day of January, 1875.

Now, at a Meeting of the Members of the said School Board, held at Carlton, on Monday, the 12th day of March, 1877, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of such Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers given to them by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Interpretation of Terms.

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

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

(c.) The term "School Board" or "Board" means the School Board of the parish of Carlton (Barnsley).

(d.) The term "School" or "Public Elementary School" means a Public Elementary School as defined by the 7th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

(e.) The word "Parent" includes guardian, and every person who is liable to maintain, or has the actual custody of, a child, but does not include the mother of a child when the father is living, and is residing within the School Board District, or any adjoining parish or township.

Requiring Parents to cause Children to attend School.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Acts, 1870 and 1873, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of any child not less than five years of age, nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the district of the School Board, shall cause such child to attend some school, which the parent may select, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

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

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

Determining Time during which Children shall attend School.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time during which the school selected shall be open, provided that nothing in the present Bye-laws—

- (a.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects.
- (b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs, or on Saturday, Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, Ascension Day, or any day set apart for a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving.
- (c.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

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

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

Remission of Payment of Fees in case of Poverty.

5. If the parent of any child satisfies the School Board that the reason that his or her child does not attend school is that he or she is unable from poverty to pay the school fees of such child, the

School Board will, in the case of a school provided by the Board, remit the whole or such part of the fees as, in the opinion of the Board, the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding three calendar months.

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

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

Date on which Bye-laws come into operation.

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

Sealed with the Corporate Common Seal of the Carlton (Barnsley) School Board, this 12th day of March, 1877.

Thomas Craik,
Chairman of the Board.

Henry Horsfield, Clerk to the Board.



At the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of the United District of Copdock and Washbrook, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the 74th Section of that Act, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 826.

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXXVI.

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT, 1870.

BYE-LAWS of the School Board of the UNITED DISTRICT OF COPDOCK AND WASHBROOK.

At a Meeting of the School Board for the above United District, held at the Clerk's Office, Ipswich, on Tuesday, the 23rd of May, 1876, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of the Board were present, the said Board did thereby, in pursuance of the powers to them given by the above Act, and subject to the approval of the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:

- 1. The parent of every child within the district

not less than five nor more than thirteen years of age shall cause such child to attend School; unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

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

3. (i.) A child not less than ten years of age, who has obtained from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools a certificate that he or she has reached a Standard equivalent to the fourth standard of the Government New Code, 1871, shall be exempt from obligation to attend school.

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

(iii.) To a boy not less than ten years of age, who shows to the satisfaction of the Board that he is beneficially and necessarily at work, the same exemption as in Bye-law 3 (i), shall apply if he produce to the Board a certificate from the Master of the school that he has completed 100 attendances at school since the 1st November or 1st May, whichever day shall last have happened previous to the date of the certificate, and such exemption shall continue until the 1st May or 1st November, whichever shall first follow the date of such certificate, and no longer.

4. In addition to the reasonable excuses for non-attendance of a child at school mentioned in the Act, viz., sickness, or any unavoidable cause, or being efficiently instructed in some other manner, it shall be reasonable excuse that there is no public elementary school open which such child can attend within three miles, measured according to the nearest road from the residence of such child.

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

6. Every parent who shall not observe, or shall neglect or violate these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not exceeding such an amount as with the costs will amount to five shillings for each offence.

7. If any parent whose child is or has been attending any school, or who has been required under these Bye-laws to cause his child to attend school, shall satisfy the Board that he is unable from poverty to pay the whole or some part of the school fees for such child, the Board shall at any school provided by the Board, remit the whole of such fees or such part thereof as, in the opinion of the Board, the parent is unable to pay, for such

renewable period not exceeding six calendar months, as shall be from time to time fixed by the Board.

Fred. De Grey, Chairman.

Thos. Kemp, Clerk,



AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Ford, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 827:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXXVII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,
1870 AND 1873.

Township of Ford.

BYE-LAWS OF THE FORD SCHOOL BOARD.

Recital of Election of School Board.

WHEREAS, in pursuance of a requisition sent by the Education Department to the Clerk to the Guardians of the Sunderland Poor Law Union, in the county of Durham, a School Board for the district of the township of Ford, in the said county of Durham, was duly elected on the 24th day of March, 1875.

Now, at a Meeting of the Members of the said School Board, held at the School Board Offices, Albion-street, South Hylton, in the county of Durham, on Monday, the 12th day of March, 1877, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of such Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers given to them by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Interpretation of Terms.

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

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

(3.) The term "School Board," or "Board" means the School Board of the township of Ford.

(4.) The term "School" or "Public Elementary School" means a Public Elementary

School, as defined by the 7th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

(5.) The term "Parent" includes guardian and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of any child: but does not include the mother of the child when the father is living, and is residing within the School Board District or any adjoining parish or township.

Requiring Parents to cause Children to attend School.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Acts, 1870 and 1873, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of any child not less than five years of age, nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the district of the School Board shall cause such child to attend some school, which the parent may select, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

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

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

Determining Time during which Children shall attend School.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time during which the school selected shall be open.

Provided that nothing in the present Bye-laws—

- (1.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects.
- (2.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs, or on Saturday, Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving; or,
- (3.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

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

4. (1.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age, who has been certified by one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools to have reached a standard of education which would enable such child to pass a public examination according to the sixth standard of the Government Code, dated 7th March, 1876, shall be wholly exempt from the obligation to attend school.

(2.) A child having attained the age of eleven years who proves to the satisfaction of the School Board, that he or she is beneficially and necessarily at work shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school during the whole time for which the school selected shall be open as herein before mentioned; provided that every such child shall attend school for at least ten hours in every week in which the school shall be open as aforesaid, and in computing for the purposes of this Bye-law the time during which any such child has attended school there shall not be included any time during which such child has attended school, either:—

- (a.) In excess of three hours at any one time or in excess of five hours in any one day, or

(b.) On Sundays, Christmas Day, or Good Friday.

Remission of Payment of Fees in case of Poverty.

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

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

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

Date on which Bye-laws come into operation.

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

Sealed with the Corporate Common Seal of the Ford School Board, this 12th day of March, A.D. 1877.

J. A. London, Chairman.

Alfred R. Gales, Clerk.

L. S.

At the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Llansaintfraed-in-Elvel, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 828:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXXVIII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,
1870, 1873, AND 1876.

Parish of Llansaintfraed-in-Elvel.

BYE-LAWS OF THE LLANSAINTFRAED-IN-ELVEL
SCHOOL BOARD.

At a Meeting of the Members of the School Board for the parish of Llansaintfraed-in-Elvel, duly convened and held at the Colwyn Court-house, in the county of Radnor, on Friday, the 17th day of November, 1876, at which Meeting a

quorum of the Members of such Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers given to them by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Interpretation of Terms.

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

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

The term "School Board," or "Board," means the School Board of the parish of Llansaintfraed-in-Elvel.

The term "School," or "Public Elementary School," means a Public Elementary School, as defined by the 7th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

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

Requiring Parents to cause Children to attend School.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Acts, 1870, 1873, and 1876, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of any child not less than five years of age, nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the district of their School Board, shall cause such child to attend some school, which the parent may select, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

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

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

Determining Time during which Children shall attend School.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time during which the school shall be open.

Provided that nothing in the present Bye-laws:—

- (1.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects.
- (2.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs, or on Saturday, Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving; or,
- (3.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

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

4. In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of

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

Remission of Payment of Fees in case of Poverty.

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

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

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

Date on which Bye-laws come into Operation.

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

Sealed with the Common Seal of the Llansaintfraed-in-Elvel School Board; this 17th day of November, A.D. 1876.

H. Vaughan, Chairman of the said Board.

Evan Owen, Clerk to the said Board.



AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

WHEREAS the School Board of St. Stephens-by-Saltash, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 829:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXXIX.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

Parish of St. Stephens-by-Saltash.

BYE-LAWS OF THE ST. STEPHENS-BY-SALTASH
SCHOOL BOARD.

At a Meeting of the St. Stephens-by-Saltash School Board, held in the Board-room, at St. Stephens, on Thursday, 28th September, 1876, at which Meeting a quorum of the Board are present, the said Board do her-by, in pursuance of the powers held by them under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Requiring Parents to cause Children to attend School.

1. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of every child not less than five nor more than twelve years of age, residing within the parish of St. Stephens-by-Saltash, shall, unless there be some reasonable excuse, cause such child to attend school.

Determining Time during which Children shall attend School.

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

(a.) To attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his or her parent belongs.

(b.) To attend school on Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving, or on Saturday after twelve o'clock at noon.

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

3. In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child not less than ten years of age has reached the fourth standard of education mentioned in the New Code of Regulations of the Education Department, made on the 7th day of February, 1871, such child shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school more than thirty weeks in one year; and any such child who has been so certified to have reached the fifth standard of education mentioned in the said Code, shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school.

Defining reasonable Excuses for non-Attendance.

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

(a.) If such child shall be under efficient instruction in some other manner; or

(b.) If such child be prevented from attending school by sickness, or any unavoidable cause; or

(c.) If, when such child shall be under seven years of age, there be no Public Elementary School within one mile and a-half, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child; or

(d.) If, when the child shall be over seven years of age, there be no Public Elementary School within two miles and a-half, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

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

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws, to be recovered in a summary manner.

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

Date on which Bye-laws shall come into operation.

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

Sealed with the Corporate Common Seal of the School Board of the parish of St. Stephens-by-Saltash, this 28th day of September, 1876.

E. Potwhele, Chairman.

W. N. Rawling, Clerk.

L. S.

At the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council

WHEREAS the School Board of Balderton appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 830:

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

C. I. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXXX.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, for the DISTRICT OF BALDERTON, by the Balderton School Board.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws the term "District" means district of Balderton.

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1876 with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

The term "Local Authority" means the local authority for the district acting for the time being under the Elementary Education Act, 1876.

Children to attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always that nothing in these Bye-laws—

- (a.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects.
- (b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs; or
- (c.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always that—

- (a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fourth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.
- (b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shown to the satisfaction of the Local Authority to be beneficially and necessarily employed, shall not be required to attend school for more than 150 attendances in each year, if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the second standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

6. Every parent who shall not observe, or shall neglect, or violate these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not

exceeding, with the costs, five shillings for each offence.

Revocation.

7. Any Bye-laws heretofore made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, or under that Section as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, are hereby revoked as from the day on which the present Bye-laws shall come into operation.

The above Bye-laws were made by the Balderton School Board at a Meeting held on the 5th day of April, 1877.

In witness whereof the School Board have hereunto set their common seal this 5th day of April, 1877.

Sealed in the presence of—
T. S. Godfrey, Chairman.
Wm. Sibey, Clerk.



AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Bildeston, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 831:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXXXI.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,

1870, 1873, AND 1876.

Parish of Bildeston, Suffolk.

BYE-LAWS OF THE BILDESTON SCHOOL BOARD.

At a Meeting of the Members of the School Board of Bildeston, held on the 15th day of February, 1877, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of such Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers given to them by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Interpretation of Terms.

- 1. (1.) The term "Education Department" means the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education.
- (2.) The term "Her Majesty's Inspectors" means the Inspectors of Schools appointed by Her Majesty on the recommendation of the Education Department.
- (3.) The term "School Board" or "Board" means the School Board of the parish of Bildeston.

(4.) The term "School," or "Public Elementary School," means a Public Elementary School, as defined by the 7th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

(5.) The term "Parent" includes guardian, and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of the child, but does not include the mother of the child when the father is living, and is residing within the School Board district, or any adjoining parish or township.

Requiring Parents to cause Children to attend School.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Acts, 1870 and 1873, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of any child not less than five years of age, nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the district of the School Board, shall cause such child to attend some school, which the parent may select, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

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

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

Determining Time during which Children shall attend School.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time during which the school selected shall be open.

Provided that nothing in the present Bye-laws—

- (1.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in any religious subjects.
- (2.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs, or on Saturday, Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving; or
- (3.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

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

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

Remission of Payment of Fees in case of Poverty.

5. If the parent of any child satisfies the School Board that the reason that his or her child does not attend school, is that he or she is unable, from poverty, to pay the school fees of such child, the School Board will, in the case of a school

provided by the Board, remit the whole or such part of the fees as, in the opinion of the Board, the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding three calendar months.

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

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

Date on which Bye-laws come into operation.

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

Sealed with the Corporate Common Seal of the Bildeston School Board, this 15th day of February, 1877.

Joseph Gedge, Chairman.

J. Gibbs, jun., Clerk.



At the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Braughing, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 532:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXXXII.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education, 1876, for the DISTRICT OF BRAUGHING, by the Braughing School Board.

1. In these Bye-laws the term "District" means the parish of Braughing.

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1876 with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

The term "Local Authority" means the Local Authority for the district acting for the time being under the Elementary Education Act, 1876.

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

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

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

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

4. Provided always that nothing in these Bye-laws—

- (a.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects;
- (b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs; or
- (c.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

5. And provided always that—

- (a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fourth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.
- (b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shown to the satisfaction of the local authority to be beneficially and necessarily employed shall not be required to attend school for more than 150 attendances in each year if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the third standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

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

7. Any Bye-laws heretofore made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, or under that section as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, are hereby revoked as from the day on which the present Bye-laws shall come into operation.

Sealed by the Braughing School Board, in the presence of



Fras. H. S. Say, Chairman.

E. Daw, Clerk.

At the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Burwardsley, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 833:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

DCCCXXXIII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,
1870, 1873, AND 1876.

BYE-LAWS OF THE BURWARDSLEY SCHOOL
BOARD.

At a Meeting of the Members of the above School Board, held at the Board Room, in Burwardsley, in the county of Chester, on Wednesday, the 21st day of February, 1877, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of such Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers given to them by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Interpretation of Terms.

1. (1.) The term "Education Department" means the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education.
2. The term "Her Majesty's Inspectors" means the Inspectors of Schools appointed by Her Majesty on the recommendation of the Education Department.
3. The term "School Board," or "Board," means: the School Board of the township of Burwardsley.
4. The term "School," or "Public Elementary School," means a Public Elementary School as defined by the 7th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870.
5. The term "Parent" includes Guardian, and every person who is liable to maintain, or has the actual custody of any child, but does not include the mother of the child when the father is living, and is residing within the School Board district or any adjoining parish or township.

Requiring Parents to cause Children to attend School.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Acts, 1870 and 1873, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of any child not less than five years of age, nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the district of the School Board, shall cause such child to attend some

school which the parent may select, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

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

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

Determining Time during which Children shall attend School.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time during which the school selected shall be open.

Provided that nothing in the present Bye-laws—

- (1.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects.
- (2.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs, or on Saturday, Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or on any day set apart for a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving; or
- (3.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

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

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

Remission of Payment of Fees in case of Poverty.

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

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

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

Date on which Bye-laws come into operation.

7. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and

after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Her Majesty in Council.

Sealed with the Corporate Common Seal of the Burwardsley School Board, this 21st day of February, 1877.

Edward Tully, Chairman.

Thomas Cawley, Clerk.



AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Charlton Musgrove, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 834:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXXXIV.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,
1870 AND 1873.

BYE-LAWS OF THE CHARLTON MUSGROVE
SCHOOL BOARD.

Recital of Election of School Board.

WHEREAS, in pursuance of a requisition sent by the Education Department to the Clerk to the Guardians of the Wincanton Union in the counties of Somerset and Dorset a School Board for the parish of Charlton Musgrove, in the county of Somerset, was duly elected on the 28th November, 1876.

Now, at a Meeting of the Members of the said School Board, held at the Vestry Room, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of such Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers given to them by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Interpretation of Terms.

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

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

(3.) The term "School Board" or "Board" means the School Board of the parish of Charlton Musgrove.

(4.) The term "School" or "Public Elementary School" means a Public Elementary

School, as defined by the 7th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

(5.) The term "Parent" includes guardian and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of any child, but does not include the mother of the child when the father is living, and is residing within the School Board District or any adjoining parish or township.

Requiring Parents to cause Children to attend School.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Acts, 1870 and 1873, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of any child not less than five years of age nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the district of the School Board, shall cause such child to attend some school which the parent may select, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

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

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

Determining Time during which Children shall attend School.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time during which the school selected shall be open.

Provided that nothing in the present Bye-laws—

- (1.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects.
- (2.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs, or on Saturday, Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving; or
- (3.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

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

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

Remission of Payment of Fees in case of Poverty.

5. If the parent of any child satisfies the School Board that the reason that his or her child does not attend school is that he or she is unable from poverty to pay the school fees of such child, the School Board will in the case of a school provided by the Board, remit the whole or such part of the fees as, in the opinion of the Board, the parent

is unable to pay, for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months.

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

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

Date on which Bye-laws come into operation.

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

Sealed with the Corporate Common Seal of the Charlton Musgrove School Board, this 23rd day of March, A. D. 1877.

Chas. E. Leir, Chairman.

James Lancaster, Clerk.



A^T the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Dalston, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 835:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXXXV.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,
1870 AND 1873.

Parish of Dalston.

BYE-LAWS OF THE DALSTON SCHOOL BOARD.

Recital of Election of School Board.

WHEREAS in pursuance of a requisition sent by the Education Department to the Clerk to the Guardians of the Carlisle Poor Law Union, in the county of Cumberland, a School Board for the district of the parish of Dalston, in the said county of Cumberland, was duly elected on the 18th day of October, 1876.

Now, at a Meeting of the Members of the said School Board, held at the Board Room, Forge Green, Dalston, in the county of Cumberland, on Thursday, the 4th day of January, 1877, at

which Meeting a quorum of the Members of such Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers given to them by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Interpretation of Terms.

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

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

(b.) The term "School Board," or "Board," means the School Board of the parish of Dalston.

(c.) The term "School" or "Public Elementary School," means a Public Elementary School as defined by the 7th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

(d.) The term "Parent" includes guardian, and every person who is liable to maintain, or has the actual custody of any child, but does not include the mother of the child when the father is living, and is residing within the School Board District, or any adjoining parish or township.

Requiring Parents to cause Children to attend School.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Acts, 1870 and 1873, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of any child not less than five years of age, nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the district of the School Board, shall cause such child to attend some school, which the parent may select, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

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

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

Determining Time during which Children shall attend School.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time during which the school selected shall be open.

Provided that nothing in the present Bye-laws—

- (1) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance, or instruction in religious subjects.
- (2) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs, or on Saturday, Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving, or
- (3) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

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

4. In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child between ten

and thirteen years of age has reached the fourth Standard of Education mentioned in the Code of the Education Department, in force at the date of such certificate, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school, and any such child who is beneficially and necessarily at work when not at school, and who has been so certified to have reached the third standard of education mentioned in the said Code, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend School more than fifteen hours in any one week.

Remission of Payment of Fees in case of Poverty.

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

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

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

Date on which Bye-laws come into Operation.

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

Sealed with the Corporate Common Seal of the Dalston School Board this 1st day of February, A.D. 1877.



Edmund Carr, Chairman.

John Greenup, Clerk.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Deeping St. James appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 836:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXXXVI.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, for the DISTRICT OF DEEPING ST. JAMES, by the School Board for Deeping St. James.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws—

The term "District" means the District of Deeping St. James.

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1876 with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

The term "Local Authority" means the Local Authority for the district acting for the time being under the Elementary Education Act, 1876.

Children to attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always that nothing in these Bye-laws—

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

(b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs; or

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

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always that—

(a.) A child between ten and twelve years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fifth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

(b.) A child between ten and twelve years of age shown to the satisfaction of the Local

Authority to be beneficially and necessarily employed shall not be required to attend school for more than 150 attendances in each year, such attendances to be made during the months of November, December, January, February, and March, if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fourth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

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

Revocation.

7. Any Bye-laws heretofore made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, or under that section as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, are hereby revoked as from the day on which the present Bye-laws shall come into operation.

The above Bye-laws were made by the Deeping St. James School Board at a meeting held on the 21st day of March, 1877.

In witness whereof the School Board have hereunto set their Common Seal this 21st day of March, 1877.

John George, Chairman.

Geo. H. Dean, Clerk.



AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Hove, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 837:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXXXVII.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, for the DISTRICT OF HOVE, by the Hove School Board.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws—

The term "District" means the parish of Hove. The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting, as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department, made in the year 1876, with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

Children to attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always, that nothing in these Bye-laws—

- (a.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects;
- (b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs; or
- (c.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always, that—

- (a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fifth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.
- (b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age, shown to the satisfaction of the Board to be beneficially and necessarily employed, shall not be required to attend school for more than five attendances in each week during which the school is open, if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the third standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

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

The above Bye-laws were made by the Hove School Board at a Meeting held on the 20th day of April, 1877.

It witness whereof the School Board have hereunto set their Common Seal this 20th day of April, 1877.



Sealed in the presence of—
C. A. Buines, Chairman.
E. G. Cleather, Clerk.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

THE QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Kingston-upon-Hull, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 838:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXXXVIII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

BYE-LAWS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD FOR THE
DISTRICT OF THE BOROUGH OF KINGSTON-UPON-
HULL.

Made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws the term "District" means the district of the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull.

"The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1876 with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

Children to attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always, that nothing in these Bye-laws—

- (a.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects;
- (b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs; or
- (c.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always that—

- (a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fifth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.
- (b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shown to the satisfaction of the Board to be beneficially and necessarily employed shall not be required to attend school for more than five attendances in each week during which the school is open, if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fourth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

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

Revocation.

7. Any Bye-laws heretofore made under section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, or under that section as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, are hereby revoked as from the day on which the present Bye-laws shall come into operation.

The above Bye-laws were made by the Kingston-upon-Hull School Board at a meeting held on the 4th day of April, 1877.

In witness whereof the School Board have heretofore set their Common Seal this 16th day of April, 1877.

Sealed in the presence of—

Thos. Stratten, Chairman.

D. Jno. O'Donoghue, Clerk.

L. S.

No. 24487.

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AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Llanbister and Caroga, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 839.

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

C. I. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXXXIX.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

Parish of Llanbister and Caroga.

BYE-LAWS OF THE LLANBISTER AND CAROGA
SCHOOL BOARD.

Recital of Election of School Board.

WHEREAS, in pursuance of a requisition sent by the Education Department to the Clerk of the Guardians of the Knighton Union, in the county of Radnor, a School Board for the parish of Llanbister and Caroga, in the said county, was duly elected on the 15th day of April, 1871, and re-elected on the 15th day of April, 1874.

Now, at a Meeting of the said School Board, held at the Llanbister School Room, on Monday, the 5th day of February, 1877, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of such Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers given to them by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Interpretation of Terms.

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

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

The term "School Board" or "Board," means the School Board for the parish of Llanbister and Caroga.

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

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

Requiring Parents to cause Children to attend School.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Acts, 1870, 1873, 1876, and of these

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

Determining Time during which Children shall attend School.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be 80 per cent. of the whole time for which the school selected shall be open during any week for the instruction of children of similar age, provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child during the time or times in which any religious observance is practised or instruction in religious subjects is given, and that no child shall be required—

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

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

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

Defining reasonable Excuses for non-Attendance.

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

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

Providing for remission of School Fees in case of Poverty.

6. If the parent of any child residing in the district of the Board satisfies the School Board that the reason that his or her child does not attend school is that he or she is unable, from poverty, to pay the school fees of such child, the School Board, in the case of a school provided by the Board, will remit the whole or such part of the fees as, in the opinion of the Board, the parent is unable to pay, for a renewable period, to be fixed by the Board, not exceeding six calendar months, provided that the amount of fees to be remitted shall not exceed either the ordinary payment at the School selected by the parent, or 3d. per week.

7. Nothing in the present Bye-laws shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary

to anything contained in any act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

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

Date on which Bye-laws shall come into operation.

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

Sealed with the Common Seal of the School Board, this 5th day of February, A.D. 1877.

Charles Watkins Lewis, Chairman.

William Williams, Clerk.

L. S.

At the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Llangan and Saint Mary Hill United District, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 840:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXL.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS
1870, 1873, AND 1876.

BYE-LAWS OF THE LLANGAN AND SAINT MARY
HILL UNITED DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD.

At a Meeting of the Members of the above School Board, held in the School Room, at Saint Mary Hill, on Wednesday, the 21st day of March, 1877, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of such Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers given to them by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Interpretation of Terms.

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

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

(3.) The term "School Board" or "Board" means the School Board of the United District of the parishes of Llangan and Saint Mary Hill.

(4.) The term "School" or "Public Elementary School" means a Public Elementary School as defined by the 7th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

(5.) The term "Parent" includes guardian, and every person who is liable to maintain, or has the actual custody of any child, but does not include the mother of the child when the father is living, and is residing within the School Board District, or any adjoining parish or township.

Requiring Parents to cause Children to attend School.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Acts, 1870 and 1873, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of any child not less than five years of age, nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the district of the School Board, shall cause such child to attend some school, which the parent may select, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

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

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

Determining Time during which Children shall attend School.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time during which the school selected shall be open.

Provided that nothing in the present Bye-laws—

- (1.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects.
- (2.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his or her parent belongs, or on Saturday, Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving; or
- (3.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

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

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

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

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

Date on which Bye-laws come into operation.

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

Sealed with the Corporate Common Seal of the School Board, this 21st day of March, 1877.

Samuel Evans, Chairman.

Samuel Cox, Clerk.



AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Mason, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 841:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXLI.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," for the DISTRICT OF MASON, by the Mason School Board.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws—
The term "District" means the parish of Mason, in the county of Northumberland.
The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.
The term "School" means a certified efficient school.
"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting as defined by the Code of 1876.
The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1876 with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

Children to attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always, that nothing in these Bye-laws—

- (a.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects;
- (b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs; or
- (c.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always, that—

- (a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fifth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.
- (b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shown to the satisfaction of the Board to be beneficially and necessarily employed shall not be required to attend school for more than 200 attendances in each year, viz., in the months of November, December, January, February, March, and April, if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the third standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

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

Revocation.

7. Any Bye-laws heretofore made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, or under that section as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, are hereby revoked as from the day on which the present Bye-laws shall come into operation.

The above Bye-laws were made by the Mason

School Board at a Meeting held on the 14th day of March, 1877.

In witness whereof the School Board have hereunto set their Common Seal this 14th day of March, 1877.

Sealed in the presence of—

Henry Hudspith, Chairman.
James Watson, Clerk.



AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of the United District of Osmotherley, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 842:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXLII.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, for the UNITED SCHOOL DISTRICT OF OSMOTHERLEY, by the Osmotherley United District School Board.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-Laws—

The term "District" means the United School District of Osmotherley.

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1876 with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

The term "Local Authority" means the Local Authority for the District acting for the time being under the Elementary Education Act, 1876.

Children to attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always that nothing in these Bye-laws—

- (a.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects.
- (b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs; or
- (c.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Proviso as to Standard of Exemption.

5. And provided always that—

- (a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fifth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.
- (b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shown to the satisfaction of the Local Authority to be beneficially and necessarily employed shall not be required to attend school for more than 150 attendances in each year, if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the second standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

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

Revocation.

7. Any Bye-laws heretofore made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, or under that Section as amended by the Elementary Act, 1876, are hereby revoked as from the day on which the present Bye-laws shall come into operation.

The above Bye-laws were made by the Osmotherley United District School Board at a meeting held on the 15th day of March, 1877.

In witness whereof the School Board have hereunto set their Common Seal this 12th day of April, 1877.

Sealed in presence of
Matthew Boville, Chairman.
William Fowle, Clerk.



At the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Peasehall, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 843:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXLIII.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACT,
1870.

BYE-LAWS OF THE PEASEHALL SCHOOL BOARD.

Know all men by these presents, that—

At a Meeting of the School Board for Peasehall, in the county of Suffolk, duly convened this 2nd day of March, 1877, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers to them given by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

I. In these Bye-laws terms importing males include females. The term "School" means either a Public Elementary or any other school at which efficient elementary instruction is given. The term "Board" or "School Board" means the School Board for Peasehall. The term "Parent" includes guardian and every person who is liable to maintain or has the actual custody of any child.

II. The parent of every child of not less than five years of age or more than thirteen years of age and residing within the district of the School Board, is required to cause such child to attend school unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

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

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

III. The time during which every such child is required to attend school is the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children, not being less than twenty-five hours a week, except on Sundays, and except also, that nothing herein contained shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance, or instruction in religious subjects, or shall require any child to attend school on any day

exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs.

IV. A child of not less than ten years of age who has obtained from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools a certificate that he or she has passed the fourth standard as prescribed by the Code of Minutes of the Education Department, with respect to the Parliamentary Grant in force at the date of such certificate, shall be altogether exempt from obligation to attend school.

V. Any child of not less than ten years of age, who shows to the satisfaction of the School Board that he or she is beneficially and necessarily at work, shall be exempt from the obligation to attend school under these Bye-laws, during the continuance of such work and no longer, provided that such child makes at least one hundred and fifty attendances in each year between the age of ten and thirteen years.

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

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

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

IX. All Bye-laws heretofore made by the School Board, in pursuance of the powers given to them by section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, are hereby wholly revoked, as from the day on which the present Bye-laws shall be sanctioned by Her Majesty by Order in Council.

In witness whereof, we the School Board of Peasenhall, have hereunto set our Common Seal, this 2nd day of March, 1877.

Sealed in the presence of
Geo. Cole, Vice-Chairman.

Joshua Moore, Clerk to the Board.



At the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Portsmouth, appointed under the "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 844:

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

Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXLIV.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,
1870 AND 1873.

BYE-LAWS OF THE PORTSMOUTH SCHOOL BOARD.
Made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws—

The term "District" means the borough of Portsmouth.

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1876, with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

Children to Attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

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

(c.) That there is no Public Elementary School open, which the child can attend, within one and a half miles, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit,

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always that nothing in these Bye-laws—

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

(b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs; or

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

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always that—

(a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one

of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fourth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

(b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age, shown to the satisfaction of the Board to be beneficially and necessarily employed, shall not be required to attend school for more than 150 attendances in each year if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the third standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

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

Revocation.

7. Any Bye-laws heretofore made under section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, or under that section as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, are hereby revoked as from the day on which the present Bye-laws shall come into operation.

The above Bye-laws were made by the School Board for the borough of Portsmouth, at a meeting held on the 22nd day of March, 1877.

In witness whereof the School Board have hereunto set their Common Seal, this 22nd day of March, 1877.



Sealed in the presence of—
Edw. P. Grant, Chairman.
Robert J. Spencer, Clerk.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Poulton, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 845:

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

C. L. Peol.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCLXV.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,
1870 AND 1873.

Township of Poulton.

BYE-LAWS OF THE POULTON SCHOOL BOARD.

Recital of Election of School Board.

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

Guardians of the Lancaster Poor Law Union, in the county of Lancaster, a School Board for the district of the township of Poulton, in the said county of Lancaster, was duly elected on the 29th day of December, 1874.

Now, at a Meeting of the Members of the said School Board, held at the Board Room, in Morecambe, within the said district, on Wednesday, the 4th day of April, 1877, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of such Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers given to them by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Interpretation of Terms.

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

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

(3.) The term "School Board," or "Board," means the School Board of the township of Poulton.

(4.) The term "School," or "Public Elementary School," means a Public Elementary School, as defined by the 7th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

(5.) The term "Parent," includes Guardian, and every person who is liable to maintain, or has the actual custody of any child, but does not include the mother of the child when the father is living, and is residing within the School Board District, or any adjoining parish or township.

Requiring Parents to cause Children to attend School.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Acts, 1870 and 1873, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of any child not less than five years of age, nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the district of the School Board, shall cause such child to attend some school, which the parent may select, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

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

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

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

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

Determining Time during which Children shall attend School.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time during which the school selected shall be open.

Provided that nothing in the present Bye-laws:—

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

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

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

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

4. In case one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools shall certify that any child between ten and thirteen years of age has reached the fifth standard of education mentioned in the Code of the Education Department in force at the date of such certificate, such child shall be totally exempt from the obligation to attend school; and any child of not less than ten years of age in whose case it is shown to the satisfaction of the School Board that he or she is beneficially and necessarily at work, shall be exempted from the obligation to attend school during the continuance of such work, and no longer, provided that such child makes at least 150 attendances in each year between the ages of ten and thirteen years.

Remission of Payment of Fees in case of Poverty.

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

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

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

Date on which Bye-laws come into operation.

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

Sealed with the Corporate Common Seal of the Poulton School Board, this 4th day of April, A.D. 1877.

Jno. Birkett, Chairman.

Wm. Tilly, Clerk.



AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Southowram, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 846 :

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

C. J. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXLVI.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, for the DISTRICT OF SOUTHOWRAM (Extra Municipal), by the Southowram (Extra Municipal) School Board.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws—

The term "District" means the parish of Southowram (Extra Municipal).

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1876, with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

The term "Local Authority" means the Local Authority for the district acting for the time being under the Elementary Education Act, 1876.

Children to attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always that nothing in these Bye-laws—

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

(b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs; or

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

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always that—

- (a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fifth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.
- (b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shown to the satisfaction of the Local Authority to be beneficially and necessarily employed shall not be required to attend school for more than 150 attendances in each year if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fourth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

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

The above Bye-laws were made by the School Board of the parish of Southwram (Extra Municipal), at a Meeting held on the 19th day of April, 1877.

In witness whereof the School Board have hereunto set their Common Seal this 19th day of April, 1877.

Sealed in the presence of—

Joseph Barstow, Chairman.
C. S. Sunderland, Clerk.



AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Stoke Climsland, appointed under the "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 847 :

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXLVII.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, for the
No. 24487. D

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF STOKE CLIMSLAND, by the Stoke Climsland School Board.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws—

The term "District" means the parish of Stoke Climsland.

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting, as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department, made in the year 1876, with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

The term "Local Authority" means the local authority for the district acting for the time being under the Elementary Education Act, 1876.

Children to attend School.

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

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always that nothing in these Bye-laws—

- (a.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance, or instruction in religious subjects.
- (b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs ; or
- (c.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always that—

- (a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fourth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.
- (b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age, shown to the satisfaction of the Local Authority to be beneficially and necessarily employed, shall not be required to attend school for more than five attendances in each week during which the school is open, if such child shall have received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools

that it has reached the third standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

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

The above Bye-laws were made by the Stoke Climsland School Board at a Meeting held on the 20th day of March, 1877.

In witness whereof the School Board have hereunto set their Common Seal this 20th day of March, 1877.



Sealed in the presence of—
R. H. Manley, M.A., Chairman.
Simon Philp, Clerk.

At the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Sutton Bassett, United District, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 848.

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXLVIII.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, for the UNITED DISTRICT OF SUTTON BASSETT, by the School Board of the said United District.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws—

The term "District" means the United District of Sutton Bassett.

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1876 with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

The term "Local Authority" means the Local Authority for the district acting for the time being under the Elementary Education Act, 1876.

Children to attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always that nothing in these Bye-laws—

- (a.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects;
- (b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs; or
- (c.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always that—

- (a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fifth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.
- (b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shown to the satisfaction of the Local Authority to be beneficially and necessarily employed, shall not be required to attend school for more than 150 attendances in each year, if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fourth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

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

Revocation.

7. Any Bye-laws heretofore made under section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, or under that section as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, are hereby revoked as from the day on which the present Bye-laws shall come into operation.

The above Bye-Laws were made by the School Board for the United District of Sutton Bassett, at a Meeting held on the 2nd day of April, 1877.

In witness whereof, the School Board have hereunto set their Common Seal this 2nd day of April, 1877.

Sealed in the presence of—
Samuel Danby, Chairman.
Charles Burgoine, Clerk.



AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of Widnes, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 849:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCXLIX.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of "The Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," for the DISTRICT OF WIDNES, by the Widnes School Board.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws—

The term "District" means the District of Widnes.

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting, as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1876 with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

The term "Local Authority" means the Local Authority for the district acting for the time being under the Elementary Education Act, 1876.

Children to Attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always that nothing in these Bye-laws—

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

(b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs; or

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

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always that—

(a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fifth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

(b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shown to the satisfaction of the Local Authority to be beneficially and necessarily employed shall not be required to attend school for more than five attendances in each week during which the school is open, if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fourth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

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

The above Bye-laws were made by the School Board of Widnes, at a Meeting held on the 27th day of March, 1877.

In witness whereof the School Board have hereunto set their Common Seal, this 27th day of March, 1877.

Sealed in the presence of—

T. Sutton Timmis, Chairman.

G. H. Danby, Clerk of the Board.



AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Board of the United District of Woughton-on-the-Green and Simpson, appointed under "The Elementary Edu-

cation Act, 1870," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of that Act, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 850 :

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCL.

THE ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,
1870 AND 1873.

BYE-LAWS OF THE UNITED DISTRICT OF
WOUGHTON-ON-THE-GREEN AND SIMPSON
SCHOOL BOARD.

Recital of Election of School Board.

WHEREAS in pursuance of a requisition sent by the Education Department to the Returning Officer of the Newport Pagnell Union, in the county of Bucks, a School Board for the United District of Woughton-on-the-Green and Simpson, in the said county of Bucks, was duly elected on the 19th day of January, 1875.

Now, at a Meeting of the Members of the said School Board, held at the Board Room, on Monday, the 2nd day of April, 1877, at which Meeting a quorum of the Members of such Board are present, the said Board do hereby, in pursuance of the powers given to them by the Elementary Education Act, 1870, and subject to the approval of the Education Department, make and ordain the following Bye-laws:—

Interpretation of Terms.

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

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

(3.) The term "School Board" or "Board" means the School Board of the United District of Woughton-on-the-Green and Simpson.

(4.) The term "School" or "Public Elementary School" means a Public Elementary School, as defined by the 7th section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870.

(5.) The term "Parent" includes Guardian, and every person who is liable to maintain, or has the actual custody of any child, but does not include the mother of the child when the father is living, and is residing within the School Board District, or any adjoining parish or township.

Requiring Parents to cause Children to attend School.

2. Subject to the provisions of the Elementary Education Acts, 1870 and 1873, and of these Bye-laws, the parent of any child not less than five years of age, nor more than thirteen years of age, residing within the district of the School Board, shall cause such child to attend some school which the parent may select, unless there be some reasonable excuse for non-attendance.

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

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

Determining Time during which Children shall attend School.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time during which the school selected shall be open.

Provided that nothing in the present Bye-laws

- (1.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance, or instruction in religious subjects.
- (2.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which his parent belongs, or on Saturday, Sunday, Christmas Day, Good Friday, or any day set apart for a day of Public Fast or Thanksgiving; or
- (3.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

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

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

Remission of Payment of Fees in case of Poverty.

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

Penalty for Breach of Bye-laws.

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

Date on which Bye-laws come into operation.

7. These Bye-laws shall take effect from and

after the day on which the same shall be sanctioned by Her Majesty in Council.

Sealed with the Corporate Common Seal of the United District of Woughton-on-the-Green and Simpson School Board, this 2nd day of April, A.D. 1877.

William Levi, Chairman.

Frederick Bodley, Clerk.

L. S.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Attendance Committee for the Borough of Blackpool, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 851:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCLI.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, for the BOROUGH OF BLACKPOOL, by the School Attendance Committee of the said Borough.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws—

The term "District" means the Borough of Blackpool.

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1876 with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

Children to attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always that nothing in these Bye-laws—

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

(b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs; or

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

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always that—

(a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fifth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

(b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shown to the satisfaction of the School Attendance Committee to be beneficially and necessarily employed shall not be required to attend school for more than 150 attendances in each year, if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the third standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

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

The above Bye-laws were made by the School Attendance Committee for the Borough of Blackpool at a meeting held on the 22nd day of March, 1877.

John Fisher, Chairman.

William M. Charnley, Clerk.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Attendance Committee of the Borough of Bury, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the 74th section of "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the

approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 852 :

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCLII.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, for the BOROUGH OF BURY, by the School Attendance Committee of the said Borough.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws :—

The term "District" means the borough of Bury.

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting as defined by the Code of 1876:

The "Code of 1876," means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1876, with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

The term "Local Authority" means the Local Authority for the district acting for the time being under the Elementary Education Act, 1876.

Children to attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always, that nothing in these Bye-laws—

- (a.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects ;
- (b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious

observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs ; or

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

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always, that—

- (a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fifth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.
- (b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age, shown to the satisfaction of the Local Authority to be beneficially and necessarily employed, shall not be required to attend school for more than 150 attendances in each year, if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the third standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

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

Revocation.

7. Any Bye-laws heretofore made under section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, or under that section as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, are hereby revoked as from the day on which the present Bye-laws shall come into operation.

The above Bye-laws were made by the School Attendance Committee of the said borough of Bury, at a Meeting held on the 19th day of March, 1877.

John Duckworth, Chairman.
Fredk. Bull, Clerk.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Attendance Committee of the Borough of Bury St. Edmund's, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the 74th section of "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 853 :

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCLIII.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, for the BOROUGH OF BURY ST. EDMUND'S, IN THE COUNTY OF SUFFOLK, by the School Attendance Committee appointed by the Council of the said Borough.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws:—

The term "District" means the borough of Bury Saint Edmunds aforesaid.

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school. "Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting, as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department, made in the year 1876, with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

The term "Local Authority" means the Local Authority for the district, acting for the time being, under the Elementary Education Act, 1876.

Children to attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always, that nothing in these Bye-laws—

- (a.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects.
- (b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs; or
- (c.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always that—

- (a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fourth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

- (b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age, shown to the satisfaction of the Local Authority to be beneficially and necessarily employed, shall not be required to attend school for more than 150 attendances in each year, if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the third standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

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

The above Bye-laws were made by the said School Attendance Committee, at a Meeting held on the 27th day of March, 1877.

John W. Ion, Chairman.

W. Salmon, Clerk.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Attendance Committee of the Borough of Chester, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 854:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCLIV.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, for the CITY AND BOROUGH OF CHESTER, by the School Attendance Committee of the Chester Town Council.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws—

The term "District" means the city and borough of Chester.

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting as defined by the Code of 1877.

The "Code of 1877" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1877, with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

Children to attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always, that nothing in these Bye-laws—

- (a.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects.
- (b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs; or
- (c.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always, that—

- (a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fourth standard prescribed by the Code of 1877.
- (b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age, shown to the satisfaction of the School Attendance Committee to be beneficially and necessarily employed, shall not be required to attend school for more than 150 attendances in each year, if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the third standard prescribed by the Code of 1877.

Penalty.

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

The above Bye-laws were made by the School Attendance Committee of the Chester Town Council, at a Meeting held on the 3rd day of April, 1877.

Robert Frost, Chairman.
John Walker, Clerk.

At the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Attendance Committee of the borough of Clitheroe, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 855:

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

C. I. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCLV.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the "Elementary Education Act, 1870," as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," for the BOROUGH OF CLITHEROE, in the County of Lancaster, by the School Attendance Committee, being the Local Authority for the said Borough.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws—
The term "District" means the Municipal Borough of Clitheroe.
The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.
The term "School" means a certified efficient school.
"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting as defined by the Code of 1876.
The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1876 with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

Children to attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for

the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always that nothing in these Bye-laws—

- (a.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects ;
- (b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs ; or
- (c.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always that—

- (a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fifth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.
- (b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shown to the satisfaction of the School Attendance Committee to be beneficially and necessarily employed shall not be required to attend school for more than 150 attendances in each year if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the third standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

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

Revocation.

7. Any Bye-laws heretofore made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, or under that Section as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, are hereby revoked as from the day on which the present Bye-laws shall come into operation.

The above Bye-laws were made by the School Attendance Committee of the Borough of Clitheroe aforesaid, at a meeting held on the 19th day of April, 1877.

John Mitchell, Chairman.
John Eastham, Clerk.

At the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Attendance Committee of the Borough of East Retford, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 856 : And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCLVI.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, for the BOROUGH OF EAST RETFORD, by the School Attendance Committee of the Borough of East Retford.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws—

The term "District" means the borough of East Retford.

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1876, with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

The term "Local Authority" means the Local Authority for the district acting for the time being under the Elementary Education Act, 1876.

Children to attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always, that nothing in these Bye-laws—

- (a.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects ;
- (b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs ; or

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

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always, that—

(a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school, if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fourth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

(b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age, shown to the satisfaction of the Local Authority to be beneficially and necessarily employed, shall not be required to attend school for more than 150 attendances in each year, if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the third standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

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

The above Bye-laws were made by the School Attendance Committee of the borough of East Retford, at a Meeting held on the 28th day of March, 1877.

J. L. Plant, Chairman.
Samuel Jones, Clerk.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Attendance Committee of the Borough of Hereford, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 857:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCLVII.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, for the BOROUGH OF HEREFORD, by the School Attendance Committee of the said borough.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws—
The term "District" means the Borough of Hereford.

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient School.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1876, with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

The term "Local Authority" means the Local Authority for the district acting for the time being under the Elementary Education Act, 1876.

Children to attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always that nothing in these Bye-laws—

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

(b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs; or

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

Proviso as to Standard of Exemption.

5. And provided always that—

(a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fifth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

(b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shown to the satisfaction of the Local Authority to be beneficially and necessarily employed shall not be required to attend school for more than 150 attendances in each year, if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the third standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

6. Every parent who shall not observe, or shall neglect or violate these Bye-laws, or any of them, shall, upon conviction, be liable to a penalty not

exceeding, with the costs, five shillings for each offence.

The above Bye-laws were made by the School Attendance Committee of the Borough of Hereford, at a meeting held on the 10th day of April, 1877.

J. F. Symonds, Chairman.
Thomas W. Garrold, Clerk.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council

WHEREAS the School Attendance Committee of the Borough of Royal Leamington Spa, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 858:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCLVIII.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, for the BOROUGH OF ROYAL LEAMINGTON SPA, by the School Attendance Committee of the said Borough.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws—

The term "District" means the borough of Royal Leamington Spa.

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting, as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876," means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department, made in the year 1876, with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

Children to Attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

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

(c.) That there is no Public Elementary School open which the child can attend within one mile, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always, that nothing in these Bye-laws—

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

(b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs; or

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

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always, that—

(a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fifth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876. During the years 1877 and 1878 this proviso shall be read as if the word "fourth" was substituted for the word "fifth," and a child once exempted from attendance at school under this proviso shall be exempt for the future without any further certificate.

(b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shown to the satisfaction of the School Attendance Committee to be beneficially and necessarily employed shall not be required to attend school for more than one hundred and fifty attendances in each year if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the third standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

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

Revocation.

7. Any Bye-laws heretofore made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, or under that Section as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, are hereby revoked as from the day on which the present Bye-laws shall come into operation.

The above Bye-laws were made by the School Attendance Committee of the borough of Royal Leamington Spa, at a Meeting held on the 22nd day of March, 1877.

Thomas Southorn, Chairman.
H. C. Pussman, Clerk.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Attendance Committee of the Borough of Preston, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 859:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCLIX.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, for the BOROUGH OF PRESTON, by the School Attendance Committee of the said Borough.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws the term "District" means the borough of Preston.

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department, made in the year 1876, with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

Children to attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

Any of the following reasons shall be a reasonable excuse—

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

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always that nothing in these Bye-laws—

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

(b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs; or

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

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always that—

(a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school, if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fifth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

(b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age, shown to the satisfaction of the School Attendance Committee to be beneficially and necessarily employed, shall not be required to attend school for more than 150 attendances in each year, if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fourth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

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

Revocation.

7. Any Bye-laws heretofore made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, or under that section as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, are hereby revoked as from the day on which the present Bye-laws shall come into operation.

The above Bye-laws were made by the School Attendance Committee of the borough of Preston, at a Meeting held on the 9th day of April, 1877.

C. R. Jackson, Chairman.

Charles Fryer, Clerk.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Attendance Committee of the Borough of Reigate, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the 74th Section of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 860:

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled by the said Acts, have been fulfilled, and the said Bye-laws have been submitted for the sanction of Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said Bye-laws (copy

whereof is hereunto annexed) into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, and doth hereby declare, Her sanction of the same.

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCLX.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876; for the BOROUGH OF REIGATE; by the School Attendance Committee of the Council of the said Borough.

1. In these Bye-laws

The term "District" means the Borough of Reigate in the County of Surrey;

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district;

The term "School" means a certified efficient school;

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting, as defined by the Code of 1876;

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1876 with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England;

The term "Local Authority" means the Local Authority for the district, acting for the time being under the Elementary Education Act, 1876;

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

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

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

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

(c.) That there is no Public Elementary School open, which the child can attend, within one mile, measured according to the nearest road, from the residence of such child.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

4. Provided always that nothing in these Bye-laws—

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

(b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs; or,

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

5. And provided always that—

(a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the Fifth Standard prescribed by the Code of 1876;

(b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age, shown to the satisfaction of the Local Authority to be beneficially and necessarily employed, shall not be required to attend school for more than 150 attendances in each

year, if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the Fourth Standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

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

The above Bye-laws were made by the School Attendance Committee of the Council of the Borough of Reigate, at a Meeting held on the third day of May, 1877.

Robert Field, Chairman:
Clair J. Grace, Clerk.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Attendance Committee of the Borough of Romsey, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of the "Elementary Education Act," 1870, as amended by the "Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department made certain Bye-laws numbered 861.

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCLXI.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, for the BOROUGH OF ROMSEY, by the School Attendance Committee of the said Borough.

1. In these Bye-laws. The term "District" means the Borough of Romsey.

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1876 with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

The term "Local Authority" means the Local Authority for the district acting for the time being under the Elementary Education Act, 1876.

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

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

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

- (b.) That the child has been prevented for attending school by sickness or any unavoidable cause.
- (c.) That there is no Public Elementary School open which the child can attend within two miles, measured according to the nearest road from the residence of such child.
3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.
4. Provided always that nothing in these Bye-laws—

- (a.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction in religious subjects;
- (b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs; or
- (c.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.
5. And provided always that—
- (a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the Fifth Standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.
- (b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shown to the satisfaction of the Local Authority to be beneficially and necessarily employed shall not be required to attend school for more than five attendances in each week during which the school is open if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fourth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

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

7. Any Bye-laws heretofore made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, or under that Section as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, are hereby revoked as from the day on which the present Bye-laws shall come into operation.

The above Bye-laws were made by the School Attendance Committee of the Borough of Romsey, at a meeting held on the 24th day of April, 1877.

W. Overbury Purchase, Chairman.

G. F. W. Mortimer, Clerk.

At the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Attendance Committee of the Borough of Warrington, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the seventy-fourth section of "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," as amended by "The Elementary Education, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 862;

And whereas all the conditions in regard to the said Bye-laws, which are required to be fulfilled

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCLXII.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, for the BOROUGH OF WARRINGTON, by the School Attendance Committee of the Borough of Warrington.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws—
The term "District" means the borough of Warrington.

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting, as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department, made in the year 1876, with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

Children to attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always, that nothing in these Bye-laws—

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

(b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs; or

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

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always, that —

(a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fifth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

(b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shown to the satisfaction of the School Attendance Committee to be beneficially and necessarily employed, shall not be required to attend school for more than five attendances in each week during which the school is open if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the third standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

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

Revocation.

7. Any Bye-laws heretofore made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, or under that section as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, are hereby revoked as from the day on which the present Bye-laws shall come into operation.

The above Bye-laws were made by the School Attendance Committee of the borough of Warrington, at a Meeting held on the 16th day of March, 1877.

S. M. Webster, Mayor, Chairman.
Geo. T. Moore, Clerk.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 11th day of July, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Attendance Committee of the borough of Welshpool, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the 74th Section of "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 863:

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCLXIII.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, for the BOROUGH OF WELSEPOOL, by the School

Attendance Committee of the Borough of Welshpool.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws the term "District" means the borough of Welshpool.

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1876 with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

Children to attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always that nothing in these Bye-laws—

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

(b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs; or

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

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always that—

(a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fourth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

(b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shown to the satisfaction of the School Attendance Committee to be beneficially and necessarily employed shall not be required to attend school for more than 150 attendances in each year, if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the third standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

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

The above Bye-laws were made by the School Attendance Committee of the borough of Welshpool at a Meeting held on the 6th day of April, 1877.

*W. Rogers, Chairman.
Edward Jones, Clerk.*

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 11th day of *July*, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the School Attendance Committee of the Borough of Winchester, appointed under "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," have, in virtue of the powers conferred upon them by the 74th section of "The Elementary Education Act, 1870," as amended by "The Elementary Education Act, 1876," with the approval of the Education Department, made certain Bye-laws, numbered 864 :

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

C. L. Peel.

Bye-laws referred to in the foregoing Order.

No. DCCCLXIV.

BYE-LAWS made under Section 74 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, as amended by the Elementary Education Act, 1876, for the BOROUGH OF WINCHESTER, by the School Attendance Committee of the said Borough.

Definitions.

1. In these Bye-laws—
The term "District" means the borough of Winchester.

The term "Child" means a child residing in the district.

The term "School" means a certified efficient school.

"Attendance" means an attendance at a morning or afternoon meeting as defined by the Code of 1876.

The "Code of 1876" means the Code of Minutes of the Education Department made in the year 1876, with respect to the Parliamentary Grant to Public Elementary Schools in England.

The term "Local Authority" means the Local Authority for the district, acting for the time being under the Elementary Education Act, 1876.

Children to attend School.

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

Reasonable Excuses.

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

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

Time of Attendance.

3. The time during which every child shall attend school shall be the whole time for which the school selected shall be open for the instruction of children of similar age, including the day fixed by Her Majesty's Inspector for his annual visit.

Proviso as to Religion and Labour Acts.

4. Provided always that nothing in these Bye-laws—

- (a.) Shall prevent the withdrawal of any child from any religious observance or instruction, inspection, or examination in religious subjects ;
- (b.) Shall require any child to attend school on any day exclusively set apart for religious observance by the religious body to which its parent belongs ; or
- (c.) Shall have any force or effect in so far as it may be contrary to anything contained in any Act for regulating the education of children employed in labour.

Proviso as to Standard for Exemption.

5. And provided always that—

- (a.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shall not be required to attend school if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fifth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.
- (b.) A child between ten and thirteen years of age shown to the satisfaction of the Local Authority to be beneficially and necessarily employed shall not be required to attend school for more than 200 attendances in each year if such child has received a certificate from one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools that it has reached the fourth standard prescribed by the Code of 1876.

Penalty.

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

The above Bye-laws were made by the School Attendance Committee of the borough of Winchester, at a Meeting held on the 24th day of April, 1877.

*F. Morshead, Chairman.
Walter Bailey, Clerk.*

Downing Street, July 24, 1877.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Major Charles Bullen Hugh Mitchell, R.M., to be Receiver-General for the Colony of British Guiana.

Downing Street, July 25, 1877.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Henry Fowler, Esq., to be Colonial Secretary for the Colony of British Honduras.

Downing Street, July 26, 1877.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint James Tucker, Esq., to be Receiver-General for the Bermudas or Somers Islands.

Downing Street, July 27, 1877.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Randal Eden Webster, Esq., to be Colonial Secretary for the Bermudas or Somers Islands.

Admiralty, 24th July, 1877.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 30th April, 1877, the undermentioned Engineers have this day been placed on the Retired List:—

Francis Brockton.
James Hird.
Alexander Stewart.
Thomas Cross.
Thomas Barnes.

*Admiralty, 25th July, 1877.**Royal Marines.*

The undermentioned promotions, dated 20th July, 1877, have taken place in the Royal Marine Light Infantry, consequent upon the retirement, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council, dated 22nd February, 1870, of Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Robert Boyle, C.B., viz.:—

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Harry Lewis Evans to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Boyle.
Lieutenant William Henry Wells to be Captain, vice Evans.

War Office, 27th July, 1877.

MILITIA.

ARTILLERY.

Devon.

Sub-Lieutenant George John Ellicombe to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th April, 1876.

Durham.

Albert Berwick Cunningham, Esq., late Royal Artillery, to be Captain. Dated 28th July, 1877.

Mid-Ulster.

The undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

Acheson Whitmore St. George. Dated 12th January, 1876.
William Browde. Dated 2nd February, 1876.

INFANTRY.

Royal Bucks.

Edmund Alexander Grubbe, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1877.

1st Royal Cheshire.

Hugh, Lord Delamere, from Colonel, to be Honorary Colonel of the Regiment. Dated 28th July, 1877.

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West Essex.

John Stanley Thompson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1877.

Royal North Lincoln.

The undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

William Atherton Todd. Dated 9th October, 1875.
Charles Caldwell Dallas. Dated 29th December, 1875.
James Buckingham Caddell. Dated 29th January, 1876.

Royal London.

The undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

George Hearn. Dated 3rd June, 1876.
Charles Ludolph Griesbach. Dated 5th July, 1876.

Royal Montgomery.

Frederick James Philip Lane Maximilian Hartmann, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1877.

The (King's Own) 1st Stafford.

The undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

Henry Lysons. Dated 31st July, 1875.
Michael Alexander Wilson Broun. Dated 29th January, 1876.
Lionel McMahon Davies. Dated 12th June, 1876.

2nd Royal Surrey.

Captain Henry Digby Mitchell is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 28th July, 1877.

3rd Royal Surrey.

Sub-Lieutenant Arthur Fitzroy Waters to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th February, 1875.

The Royal South Wales Borderers.

James Robert Parkinson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1877.

Royal Westmoreland.

Captain George James, half-pay, late 34th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 11th July, 1877.

North Mayo.

Sub-Lieutenant Augustus Martin George Moore to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th November, 1874.

Westmeath.

Major Sir Walter George Nugent, Bart., resigns his Commission. Dated 28th July, 1877.

Wexford.

The undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

Alexander Coote Newton-King. Dated 23rd October, 1875.
Montfort George Bolton. Dated 3rd May, 1876.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Buckinghamshire.

Captain and Brevet Major the Honourable James David Drummond, 6th Dragoon Guards, to be Adjutant. Dated 13th July, 1877.

Lanarkshire.

John George Beresford Massy-Beresford, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1877.

Staffordshire.

Lieutenant John Baddeley Wood resigns his Commission. Dated 28th July, 1877.

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

Robert Lewis Lloyd, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th June, 1877.
Morris Davies, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th June, 1877.

ORDER of Local Government Board:
Appointment of Auditor for the South Yorkshire Audit District:—

To the Guardians of the Poor of the several Unions comprised in the South Yorkshire Audit District;

To the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor of the Parishes and Places comprised in the said several Unions;

To Walter Henry Blake, Esquire, of No. 7, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, in the County of Middlesex, Barrister-at-Law;

And to all others whom it may concern.

WE, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, hereby appoint Walter Henry Blake, of No. 7, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Barrister-at-Law, to be the Auditor for the South Yorkshire Audit District, in the place of Samuel Brewin, Esquire, who has resigned, and to discharge the duties required of such Auditor by the Order of the Poor Law Commissioners dated the twenty-seventh day of August, one thousand eight hundred and forty-five, and by all Orders of the Poor Law Board and of the Local Government Board, and the several Statutes, applicable to that office.

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



Thos. Salt, Secretary.

G. Sclater-Booth,
President.

Civil Service Commission,
July 26, 1877.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the Candidates hereinafter named have passed the Preliminary Examination for Men Clerkships in the Lower Division of the Civil Service; viz. :—

Of the Candidates examined on July 18, 1877—

Adams, Henry James
Adams, Charles Arthur
Ackerley, Alfred Farrer
Baigent, Richard Coventry
Baker, Walter John
Beaton, Richard William
Bennett, Charles Edmund
Bertram, Louis J.

Brown, Herbert Morland
Buckley, John
Bull, Percy Andrew
Burrill, John
Clarke, Frederick Giles
Cleary, Martin
Clough-Taylor, Leonard Goodreeke
Coggin, Lewis John
Cozens, Arthur
Davy, Frederick Francis
Edwards, John Henry
Evans, Frederick Lavington
Fitzgerald, Edmund
Foley, Thomas Francis
Gladstones, James William
Gorman, Francis J.
Greig, Frank Jones
Gunter, James
Hanbury, Walter George
Harman, Charles
Harte, William John
Hassall, Samuel Wilkinson
Hill, Francis Nathaniel
Hobbs, Arthur Owen
Innes, William
Ivimey, Charles James
Jackson, Henry Ralph
Jackson, Joseph
Jarvis, George Bernard
Jefferys, Arthur
Jenkins, Alfred Thomas
Jinks, Charles Henry
Joyce, Weston John
Kingdon, Harry
Kingswood, William Richard John
Lane, Cecil Bruce
Litten, Albert Augustus
Lovell, George Henry
McCoy, Charles Joseph
Macleod, Charlie Gordon
McMaster, James Lockhart
Madeley, Charles
Maiden, Joseph Henry
Marsh, William George
Mathews, Harry W. M.
Miliard, Clement
Mold, Frederick William
Moon, John Starling
Morris, Thomas
Nolan, Laurence Joseph
O'Boyle, Patrick John
Ockender, Pierce
O'Connell, Philip Montague
O'Donoghue, Daniel
Outhwaite, Henry
Paillett, James
Pearce, Joseph
Pease, William Joseph
Pelly, George Kirkaldy
Pettit, John Sharman
Piper, George
Power, Charles Osborne Lubbock
Recknell, George
Revely, Joseph Smith
Rogers, Charles Buncombe
Rogers, Charles Robert
Russell, Walter John
Saltwell, Edgar
Sayers, Christopher Robert
Scandrett, John
Shannon, Frederick Patrick
Sheffield, Alfred
Skelton, John Osborne Marshall
Smith, George Henry
Snow, William John Meshech
Spry, Joseph Farley
Stone, John

Stonhouse, Charles Cecil Gordon
 Taylor, Oscar Herbert
 Taylor, Sidney Thomas
 Taylor, William
 Thorn, Edgar Spencer
 Thornton, Patrick
 Tyler, Jacob
 Wargett, Frederick William
 Ward, William
 Webb, Frank
 Western, Alexander James
 Wetlake, Robert Hole
 Wheeler, John William
 White, Thomas George
 Wiber, Charles Henry
 Williams, Frank
 Youngman, Walter

Civil Service Commission,
 July 26, 1877.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that at an Examination held in pursuance of the Regulations published in the London Gazette of the 30th April, 1875, for the situation of Second Class Assistant of Excise in the Department of Inland Revenue, the under-mentioned Candidates obtained the places marked against their names:—

No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.
1	Carleton, Hugh ...	Belfast
2	Rutherford, George ...	London
3	Evans, William Daniel ...	Birmingham
4	Nathan, Walter Lewis ...	London
5	Hocking, William John ...	London
6	Bridgeman, Benjamin James	London
7	Bennett, Edward William...	London
8	Lawlor, Batt ...	Cork
9	Andrews, William Kingsland	Plymouth
10	Sandon, Robert ...	London
11	Millar, George ...	Limerick
12	Haslam, Arthur Richard Hastings	Dublin
13	Moyle, Ralph Randall ...	London
14	Hinks, Alfred ...	Edinburgh
15	Roche James ...	Cork
16	Keay, James John...	Liverpool
17	Yelland, John ...	London
18	Stuttard, John ...	Dublin
19	Wilson, William Matthew...	London
20	Turkington, William Henry	London
21	Fetter, John William ...	London
22	King, William ...	London
23	Shuter, Frederic William ...	Liverpool
24	Meade, Frederick Augustus	Norwich
25	O'Sullivan, John ...	Cork
26	Flynn, Thomas ...	Dublin
27	Tomlin, George W. F. ...	London
28	Newton, Nicholas ...	London
29	Worsey, Edward ...	London
30	Gwyther, John Henry ...	London
31	Mescal, Daniel ...	Limerick
32	Halpin, Patrick ...	Omagh
33	Finucane, James ...	Limerick
34	O'Brien, Patrick ...	Limerick
35	Shanahan, John J. ...	Limerick
36	Holland, Robert ...	Liverpool
37	Benner, Henry ...	Cork
38	Kelly, Joseph ...	London
39	Youngman, Edgar...	Norwich
40	Clarke, James ...	Dublin

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 86.)—ENGLAND—EAST COAST.
 MEDWAY RIVER.

Beacon Buoy in Swale Channel Entrance.

NOTICE is given, that a beacon buoy has been placed on Lapwell Bank, at the entrance of Swale Channel, for the better navigation and to prevent vessels from anchoring in the fair-way of that channel.

The buoy is moored in 14 feet low water spring tides, with Queenborough spit beacon bearing S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ W. distant two hundred yards.

The following notice is painted on the buoy in black letters on a white surface, viz:—All vessels to anchor eastward of this buoy.

[All bearings are magnetic. Variation 19° Westerly in 1877.]

By command of their Lordships,
 Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
 16th July, 1877.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—

St. Abb's Head to Thames River, No. 2902a; Sea Reach, No. 1185; Gravesend to the Nore, No. 2458; and Medway River, No. 1833; Also, North Sea Pilot, Part IV, Second Edition, page 29.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 87.)—FRANCE—WEST COAST.

(1.) Temporary Alteration in Lights, Gironde River.

THE French Government has given notice, that from 5th July, 1877, the following alteration would be made in the lights near the entrance of Gironde River, viz:—

Le Grand Banc light-vessel would be removed for 30 days, and Tallais Bank light-vessel be moored in her place, but this latter vessel having only one mast and one light, a light is shown from the forestay, 26 feet above the sea, so that the character of the lights exhibited is not materially changed.

Tallais Bank light-vessel would at the same time be replaced by Tour de By light-vessel.

Tour de By.—A small sloop would be placed in the position of Tour de By light-vessel (removed), from which a light is exhibited 26 feet above the sea. This light should be seen from a distance of 6 miles, but in bad weather is liable to extinction.

(2.) Harbour Light at Plagne, Dordogne River.

Also, that from 15th June, 1877, a harbour light would be exhibited from an iron post at Plagne, east side of Dordogne River, 6½ miles above its confluence with the Gironde.

The light is a fixed red-light, elevated 18 feet above high water, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of 4 miles.

Position as given, lat. 44° 59' 30" N., long. 0° 28' 10" W.

(3.) Harbour Light at Brest.

Also, that from 15th May, 1877, a light would be exhibited from an iron stand, 20 feet high, on the Eastern Pier Head of the Commercial Port at Brest.

The light is a fixed white light, elevated 21 feet above high water, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of 7 miles.

Position as given, lat. 48° 22' 45" N., long. 4° 28' 40" W.

NORTH COAST—SEINE RIVER ENTRANCE.

(4.) *Changes in Trouville Channel.*

Also, that in consequence of continual changes taking place in Trouville Channel, the course indicated by Deauville red light in line with East Pier green light is dangerous.

By command of their Lordships,
Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
16th July, 1877.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—

(1.) Temporarily, D'Arcachon Point to Coubre Point, No. 2664. Also, Admiralty List of Lights on the North and West Coasts of France, &c., 1877, Nos. 232, 240, and 242; and Sailing Directions for the West Coasts of France, Spain, and Portugal, 1873, pages 73 and 74.

(2.) D'Arcachon Point to Coubre Point, No. 2664. Also, Admiralty List of Lights on the North and West Coasts of France, &c., 1877, page 26; and Sailing Directions for the West Coasts of France, &c., 1873, page 72.

(3.) Raz de Seine to Ouessant, No. 2643; Brest Roadstead, No. 2690. Also, Admiralty List of Lights on the North and West Coasts of France, &c., 1877, page 18; and Sailing Directions for the West Coasts of France, &c., 1873, page 24.

(4.) Trouville to Dieppe, No. 2612; Barfleure to Cape d'Antifer, No. 2613; and Entrance of the Seine, No. 2680. Also, Admiralty List of Lights on the North and West Coasts of France, &c., 1877, page 13; and Channel Pilot, Part II, 1874, page 69.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 88.)—EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—JAVA.
SUNDA STRAIT.*Revolving Light on First Point, Princes Channel.*

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 12, of 20th January, 1877, on the intended exhibition of a light on First Point (Java Head), Princes Channel, Sunda Strait:—

The Netherlands Government has given further notice, that the light was exhibited on 16th June, 1877.

The light is a revolving white light, showing two flashes every minute, each flash being of six seconds duration, followed by an eclipse of twenty-four seconds, elevated 315 feet above the level of the sea, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of 25 miles.

The lighthouse, built of stone, is painted white. The illuminating apparatus is catadioptric, or by reflectors and lenses of the first order.

Position, lat. 6° 44' S., long. 105° 11' 30" E.

By command of their Lordships,
Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
16th July, 1877.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Indian Ocean, No. 748 a; Eastern Archipelago, No. 941 a; Tyngkokh Bay to Sunda Strait, No. 2671; and Sunda Strait, No. 2656; Also, Admiralty Lists of Lights in South Africa, &c., 1877, page 18; and Seaman's Guide round Java, 1852, page 4.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 89.)—MEDITERRANEAN.

Regulations for Anchoring in Suda, Smyrna, Dardanelles, and Bosphorus.

INFORMATION has been received from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Constantinople, that the Turkish Government has issued the following notice relating to vessels anchoring in certain Turkish ports, viz:—

Port of Suda.

Vessels cannot anchor anywhere within a mile of the entrance of the port of Suda. Anchoring is therefore permitted only in the port itself.

Port of Smyrna.

Vessels can anchor only inside the Port of Smyrna. Anchoring at any point from a mile westward of Fort Yeni-kale up to the entrance of the port itself is prohibited.

Dardanelles.—Asiatic Coast.

Vessels can anchor only in the undermentioned places, viz:—

Nagara, Hastahané (Hospital below Nagara), Kephes (Barbers' Point), and Kavanlik.

European Coast.

Killé (near Maitos, under the battery of Bogkali Kaleh), Avouzlar, and Eski Hisarlik (Morto Bay).

Bosphorus.

The anchoring of vessels is prohibited anywhere from Mudschiar Kalessi Battery, on the Anatolian coast, and Telli Point Battery, on the Roumelian coast; to Roumeli and Anatolia-Feneri.

Vessels are only allowed to anchor below the said batteries of Mudschiar Kalessi and Telli Point.

CANDIA OR CRETE ISLAND—SUDA BAY.

Light extinguished on Cape Drepano.

Information has been received from Her Britannic Majesty's Consul at Canea, Crete, that the red flashing light on Cape Drepano, south side of entrance to Suda Bay, has been extinguished by the Turkish Government.

By command of their Lordships,
Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
18th July, 1877.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Candia or Crete Island, Western Part, No. 2536 a; Smyrna Gulf, No. 1523; Smyrna Harbour, No. 1522; Black Sea, No. 2214; Mediterranean, No. 2718 c; Grecian Archipelago, No. 2836 a and b; Dardanelles, No. 2429; Dardanelles Entrance, No. 1608; Marmara Sea, No. 224; and Bosphorus, No. 1198; also, Sailing Directions for the Island of Candia or Crete, 1866, page 9; and Sailing Directions for the Dardanelles, Sea of Marmara, and the Bosphorus, 1877, pages 14, 19, 27, 30, 36, and 96; and Admiralty List of Lights in the Mediterranean, &c., 1877, No. 476.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 90.)—BALTIC—COAST OF PRUSSIA.

(1.) *Intended Alteration in Heisternest Light, Gulf of Danzig.*

THE German Government has given notice, that from the 1st September, 1877, the following

alteration will be made in the character of Heister-st Light, Hela Peninsula; viz. :—

The intermittent white and red light now exhibited will be changed to a fixed and flashing white light, showing a white flash of ten seconds' duration every two minutes; the flash will be preceded and followed by an eclipse lasting ten seconds.

The light will be visible over an arc of 270°, or between the bearings of N. by E. $\frac{1}{4}$ E. (through North, West, and South), and E. by S. $\frac{1}{4}$ S., and should be seen in clear weather from a distance of 8 miles.

Position as given, lat. 54° 39' N., long. 18° 47' 20" E.

GULF OF BOTHNIA—SWEDEN.

(2.) Replacing Finngrund Light-vessel.

The Swedish Government has given notice, that Finngrund light-vessel has been replaced in her station, north-east of Finngrund Bank.

[All bearings are magnetic. Variation 9° Westerly in 1877.]

By command of their Lordships,
Fredk. J. Evans, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
20th July, 1877.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—

(1.) Baltic Sea, No. 2842 c; Rixhöft Light to Brüste Rört, No. 2369: Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the North Sea, &c., 1877, No. 302 a; and Sailing Directions of the Baltic Sea and Gulf of Finland, 1854, page 134.

(2.) Bothnia Gulf, No. 2252; South Quarken to Hornsland, No. 2296: Also, Admiralty List of Lights in North Sea, &c., 1877, No. 394; and Bothnia Pilot, 1855, page 18.

INCOME TAX.

WHEREAS it has become necessary to renew the list of persons to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners appointed to act in the division of Folkestone Town, in the county of Kent, as Commissioners for the general purposes of the Acts of Parliament for granting to Her Majesty duties on profits arising from property, professions, trades, and offices: Now we, two of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, in pursuance of the powers vested in us in that behalf, do hereby convene a meeting of the Land Tax Commissioners for the town of Folkestone, being respectively qualified to act as such Commissioners, to be holden at the Townhall, Folkestone, on Wednesday, the 1st day of August, 1877, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of choosing fit and proper persons to be Commissioners to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners for the general purposes of the Income Tax Acts for the division of Folkestone Town aforesaid.

Algernon West.
Alfred Montgomery.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House,
London, July 26, 1877.

INCOME TAX.

WHEREAS it has become necessary to renew the list of persons to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners appointed to act in the division of Morpeth Ward, in the county of Northumberland, as Commissioners for the general purposes of the Acts of Parliament for granting to Her Majesty duties on profits arising from property, professions, trades, and offices: Now

we, two of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, in pursuance of the powers vested in us in that behalf, do hereby convene a meeting of the Land Tax Commissioners for the county aforesaid, being respectively qualified to act as such Commissioners, to be holden at the office of the Clerk to Commissioners of Taxes, Morpeth, on Wednesday, the 1st day of August, 1877, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of choosing fit and proper persons to be Commissioners to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners for the general purposes of the Income Tax Acts for the division of Morpeth Ward aforesaid.

Algernon West.
Alfred Montgomery.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House,
London, July 26, 1876.

INCOME TAX.

WHEREAS it has become necessary to renew the list of persons to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners appointed to act in the division of Wells City, in the county of Somerset, as Commissioners for the general purposes of the Acts of Parliament for granting to Her Majesty duties on profits arising from property, professions, trades, and offices: Now we, two of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, in pursuance of the powers vested in us in that behalf, do hereby convene a meeting of the Land Tax Commissioners for the city of Wells, being respectively qualified to act as such Commissioners, to be holden at the Townhall, Wells, on Saturday, the 4th day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of choosing fit and proper persons to be Commissioners to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners for the general purposes of the Income Tax Acts for the division of Wells City aforesaid.

Algernon West.
Alfred Montgomery.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House,
London, July 26, 1877.

INCOME TAX.

WHEREAS it has become necessary to renew the list of persons to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners appointed to act in the division of Wells Forum, in the county of Somerset, as Commissioners for the general purposes of the Acts of Parliament for granting to Her Majesty duties on profits arising from property, professions, trades, and offices: Now we, two of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, in pursuance of the powers vested in us in that behalf, do hereby convene a meeting of the Land Tax Commissioners for the county aforesaid, being respectively qualified to act as such Commissioners, to be holden at the Townhall, Wells, in the said county, on Saturday, the 4th day of August, 1877, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of choosing fit and proper persons to be Commissioners to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners for the general purposes of the Income Tax Acts for the division of Wells Forum aforesaid.

Algernon West.
Alfred Montgomery.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House,
London, July 26, 1877.

NAVAL SALVAGE MONEY.

*Department of the Accountant-General
of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy
Pay, Admiralty, July 24, 1877.*

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the amount awarded for salvage services rendered to the schooner "Meteor" on the 19th August, 1876, by Her Majesty's ship "Wye."

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

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

NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

*Department of the Accountant-General
of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy
Pay, Admiralty, July 25, 1877.*

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the tonnage bounty awarded for a slave dhow, name unknown, captured on the 31st August, 1876, by Her Majesty's ship "London."

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

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

NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

*Department of the Accountant-General
of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy
Pay, Admiralty, July 24, 1877.*

NOTICE is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines, and to all persons interested therein, that the distribution of the tonnage bounty awarded for a slave dhow, name unknown, captured on the 13th May, 1876, by Her Majesty's ship "London," will commence on Friday, the 3rd proximo, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the "Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, New-street, Spring-gardens, S.W."

Agents and other persons holding powers of attorney, prize orders, assignments, or other instruments, by virtue of which they may be legally entitled to claim the share of any captor serving in the above-named ship, are requested to present the same at this office.

Any Officer, Seaman, Marine, or other person, who may desire to receive his share from the Collector of Customs or of Inland Revenue within the United Kingdom, is required to intimate the same by letter to be addressed "On Prize Busi-

ness, to the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, London, S.W." (enclosing his certificate of service, or an attested copy thereof, excepting in the case of Commissioned Officers), - in which letter his own place of residence is to be precisely stated, as well as the place of the nearest Collector of Customs, or of Inland Revenue, from whom it would be convenient to receive such share of prize money.

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

	£	s.	d.
Flag	17	13	2
Captain	51	4	3
Second class	8	2	1
Third class	6	19	0
Fourth class	4	12	8
Fifth class	2	15	7
Sixth class	2	6	4
Seventh class	1	12	5
Eighth class	0	18	7
Ninth class	0	9	3
Tenth class	0	4	7

We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby, subject as hereinafter mentioned, grant and convey to the Incumbent of the vicarage of Ruscombe, in the county of Berks, and in the diocese of Oxford, and to his successors, Incumbent of the same vicarage, firstly, all and singular the yearly tithes or rent-charges in lieu of tithes, commuted at two hundred and seventy-five pounds, issuing and arising out of lands and hereditaments situate in the parish of Ruscombe aforesaid, and formerly belonging to the Deanery of the Cathedral Church of Salisbury, and now vested in us; and secondly, all that piece or parcel of land and hereditaments, together with the appurtenances thereto belonging, particularly described in the schedule hereunto annexed, and now vested in us, to have and to hold the said yearly tithe commutation rent-charges (subject as hereinafter mentioned) and the said piece or parcel of land and hereditaments with their appurtenances to the use of the said Incumbent and his successors for ever: Provided always, that the said yearly tithe commutation rent-charges expressed to be hereby granted and conveyed, shall be and be taken to be in lieu of and in full substitution for the following yearly sums or stipends, amounting together to one hundred and ninety-seven pounds, heretofore payable by us, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, to the Incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage of Ruscombe, viz:—firstly, the yearly sum or stipend of forty-six pounds, so payable by us as aforesaid under the authority of an Order of Her Majesty in Council, bearing date the seventeenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, and published in the London Gazette of the third day of May in the same year; secondly, the yearly sum or stipend of five pounds, also payable by us as aforesaid under the authority of another Order of Her Majesty in Council, bearing date the nineteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, and published in the London Gazette of the twenty-second day of the same month and year; thirdly, the yearly sum or stipend of one hundred and sixteen pounds, also payable by us as aforesaid under the authority of another Order of Her Majesty in Council, bearing date the ninth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and published in the London Gazette of the twelfth day of the same month and

year; and fourthly, the yearly sum or stipend of thirty pounds heretofore payable by us or our lessee to the Incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage of Ruscombe, in respect of the said yearly tithe commutation rent-charges and other hereditaments, to which substitution the Reverend John Henly, the present Incumbent of the said vicarage is consenting, and in token thereof has signed this instrument: And provided also, that the Incumbent for the time being of the same vicarage shall be entitled to receive from us or on our account, the net amount of the profits and proceeds of the said yearly tithe commutation rent-charges for and in respect of the period intervening between the first day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, and the date of the publication of these presents in the London Gazette, and shall also be entitled to receive from us, or on our account, the net amount of the rent, profits, and proceeds of the piece or parcel of land aforesaid, for and in respect of the period intervening between the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, and the date of the publication of these presents in the London Gazette.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twelfth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

(L.S.)

John Henly, Vicar of Ruscombe, Berks.

Schedule.

All that piece or parcel of land, situate in the parish of Ruscombe, in the county of Berks, and adjoining the churchyard belonging to the said parish, and now or late in the occupation of Thomas Lovegrove, and which said piece or parcel of land is further described in the schedule hereunder written, and is more particularly delineated on the plan hereunto annexed, and is thereon coloured pink.

Number on Plan.	Description.	Cultivation.	Quantity.
51	Tithe Barn Plot	...	A. R. P. 0 1 39

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, do hereby grant and appropriate out of our common fund to the rectory of Preston-in-Holderness, in the county of York, and in the diocese of York, one capital sum of one hundred pounds sterling, to be applicable towards defraying the cost of erecting stables and other outbuildings for and to the parsonage or house of residence belonging to the said vicarage, according to plans and a specification approved, or to be approved by us, such capital sum, or the balance thereof unapplied to such purpose, to remain in the meantime in our hands at interest at the rate of three pounds per centum per annum, and such interest to be paid to the Incumbent for the time being of the said rectory of Preston-in-Holderness.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this nineteenth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby, subject as hereinafter mentioned, grant to the Incumbent for the time being of the vicarage of Christ Church, Park Gate, in the county of York, and in the diocese of York, one yearly sum or stipend of one hundred and twenty pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the first day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and to be receivable in four equal portions, on the first day of February, the first day of May, the first day of August, and the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that the annual sum or stipend so granted by us to the Incumbent of the said vicarage shall be paid only upon the production to us, on or after each of the said lastly-mentioned days in each and every year of a certificate under the hand of the Archbishop of York, that an Assistant-Curate, duly licensed by such Archbishop, has been employed within the parish of Christ Church, Park Gate aforesaid, during the quarter of the year then ended, and is in receipt of a salary after a rate of not less than one hundred and twenty pounds per annum: Provided also, that such yearly sum or stipend shall continue payable as aforesaid so long only as may to us appear to be expedient under the circumstances from time to time affecting the said parish and vicarage of Christ Church, Park Gate.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this nineteenth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby, subject as hereinafter mentioned, grant to the Incumbent for the time being of the vicarage of Saint James, Upper Edmonton, in the county of Middlesex, and in the diocese of London, one yearly sum or stipend of thirty pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the tenth day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, and to be receivable in four equal portions, on the first day of February, the first day of May, the first day of August, and the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that the annual sum or stipend so granted by us to the Incumbent of the said vicarage shall be paid only upon the production to us, on or after each of the said lastly-mentioned days in each and every year of a certificate under the hand of the Bishop of the said diocese of London, that an Assistant-Curate, duly licensed by such Bishop, has been employed within the parish of Saint James, Upper Edmonton aforesaid, during the quarter of the year then ended: Provided also, that such yearly sum or stipend shall continue payable as aforesaid so long only as may to us appear to be expedient under the circumstances from time to time affecting the said parish and vicarage of Saint James, Upper Edmonton.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this nineteenth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby, subject as hereinafter-mentioned, grant and convey to the Incumbent of the vicarage of Bolney, in the county of Sussex, and in the diocese of Chichester, and to his successors, Incumbents of the same vicarage, all and singular the yearly tithe commutation rent-charges which are particularly described in the schedule hereunto annexed, and are now vested in us: To have and to hold the said yearly tithe commutation rent-charges to the use of the said Incumbent and his successors for ever: Provided always, that the said yearly tithe commutation rent-charges expressed to be hereby granted and conveyed shall be, and be taken to be, in lieu of, and in full substitution for, the two yearly sums or stipends of six pounds and one hundred and twenty-eight pounds respectively, heretofore payable by us the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, to the Incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage of Bolney, under the authority of two Orders of Her Majesty in Council, bearing date respectively the fifteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two, and the twenty-seventh day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, and published in the London Gazettes of the twenty-first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two, and the twenty-eighth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three respectively; to which substitution the Reverend Henry Herbert Wyatt, the present Incumbent of the said vicarage, is consenting, and in token thereof he has signed this instrument: And provided also, that the Incumbent for the time being of the same vicarage shall be entitled to receive from us, or on our account, the net amount of the profits and proceeds of the said yearly tithe commutation rent-charges for and in respect of the period intervening between the first day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and the date of the publication of these presents in the London Gazette.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this twelfth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

(L.S.)

Henry Herbert Wyatt, Vicar.

SCHEDULE.

EXTRACT from the Summary of the Apportionment of the Rent-charge in lieu of Tithes in the parish of Bolney, in the county of Sussex.

Landowners.	Occupiers.	Total Quantities.			Total Rent-charge payable to Appropriator.		
		A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
Bennett	Johnson	82	3	32	10	17	3
Borrer, John Hamlin	Davey, Edmund	144	2	18	21	14	4
Bray, Henry	Knapp, Thomas... ..	0	1	24	0	1	9
Dodson, Sir John	Sharp, William	54	3	5	9	5	8
Marshall, Charles	Cragg, Richard	38	2	3	5	5	10
	Cragg, Richard	95	0	10	15	16	10
	Wood, Ambrose... ..	8	1	32	0	12	2
Marshall, William... ..	Himself	286	0	1	44	19	6
	Wood, Ambrose... ..	2	0	0	0	10	6
Sayers, Richard	Himself	7	0	35	1	10	3
Tredcroft, Henry	Walder, Thomas	30	1	11	3	14	2
	Renvill, Richard	43	1	17	6	16	5
	Holder, James	34	1	20	5	1	6
Wood, Lucretia	Holden, James	27	0	11	2	3	1
Weckes, Richard	Wells, Noah	169	0	37	37	8	0
	Davey, William... ..	5	0	25	1	6	9
					£167	4	0

East Indian Railway Company.

WHEREAS in the years 1850, 1853, 1856, 1857, 1858, 1859, 1861, 1862, 1864, 1866, 1867, 1868, 1869 respectively, certain persons contracted to take shares in the capital issued by the Company in the said years respectively, and a deposit was paid in respect of such shares on allotment; and whereas, neither the allottees of the said shares, nor any other persons have, since the allotment of the said shares, complied with the terms on which the same were allotted, nor have they completed their said respective contracts, nor made any payment other than the said deposit, and in consequence of such default neither the said allottees, nor any other person or persons, have been registered in the books of the said Company as the holders of the said shares, or any of them: and whereas the

persons who are, or may be, interested in the said shares respectively are unknown to the directors.

Now notice is hereby given that unless the allottees of the said shares, or the persons respectively interested therein, shall, within twenty-eight days from the date of this advertisement, take the necessary steps for the completion of their said respective contracts, and for having the said shares registered in their names in the books of the East Indian Railway Company, in accordance with the terms on which the same were allotted, the Directors of the East Indian Railway Company will proceed to declare all rights of such persons in respect of the said shares at an end, and will take all steps necessary for confirming such declaration.—Dated this 19th day of July, 1877.

By order of the Board,

A. P. Dunstan, Secretary.

India Office, July 24, 1877.

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

Petitions filed praying for relief.

Date of Gazette containing Notice, June 14, 1877.

Names.	Profession or Occupation.	Denomination.	Place of Residence in Bombay.	Dates of Petitions filed.
Jaganath Pandurang ...	Formerly a Contractor, at present unemployed	Hindoo ...	At Girgaum, without the Fort	1877. 23rd May
Bandali Ladak... ..	Who lately traded in partnership with Valibhai Pirmahomad and Alana Virram, under the name and firm of Valibhai Pirmahomad, as Dealers in Firewood, and now unemployed	Mahomedan ...	At Chinch Bunder, without the Fort	Ditto
Manek Bhimji	Who lately traded under the name of Hirji Manek, as a General Merchant	Hindoo ...	At Musjid Bunder, without the Fort	Ditto
Shapurji Edalji Natarwala	A Cane Work Maker	Parsee ...	In Motta Molla, without the Fort	25th May
Babaji Tukaram Seedee	A Dealer in Cloth...	Hindoo ...	At New Nagpada, without the Fort	28th May
Ramchandra Govind Poy	A Clerk in the service of Messrs. Volkart Brothers	Ditto ...	In New-lane, without the Fort	Ditto
Kasambhai Lalji ...	Formerly a Petty Hide Merchant, now unemployed	Mahomedan ...	In Imamwada, without the Fort	Ditto
Sha Dwarkadas Dayabhai	Unemployed ...	Hindoo ...	Near Mombadavi Choki, without the Fort	Ditto
Ganesh Waman Palsule and Kusabai, Widow of the late Sadashiv Mahadew	Dealers in Milk ...	Ditto ...	In Thakurdwar-lane, without the Fort	29th May
Gustadji Byramji Randelia	A Fitter in the G. I. P. Railway Company	Parsee ...	In Hanman Gali, without the Fort	Ditto
Jiwabhai Mahomadali...	A Servant in the service of one Ebramji Musabhai	Mahomedan ...	In Ful Gali, without the Fort	30th May
Harkisan Bhojraz ...	Who carried on business as a Cotton and Opium Broker under the name and style of Harkisan Ramdyal	Hindoo ...	At Mombadavi, without the Fort	31st May
Jusab Nurmahomad and Mahomad Jusab	Dyers	Mahomedan...	At Breach Candy-road, near Chira Bazar, without the Fort	1st June
Esmaelji Pirbhai, Ebramji Pirbhai, and Nurbhai Pirbhai	Lately Dealers in Cotton Thread	Ditto ...	In Ful Gali, without the Fort	Ditto
Khima Rowji and Kasu Khima	Dealers in Parched Gram	Ditto ...	At Dongri, without the Fort	Ditto
Thakurdas Lakmidas ...	Formerly a Broker, now a Mehta in the service of Hansraz Udhavjee	Hindoo ...	In Gulalwadi, without the Fort	Ditto
Nanabhai Wiswanath Talpade	A Clerk in the Municipality	Ditto ...	In Moroba Popatji's-street, without the Fort	Ditto

Names.	Profession or Occupation.	Denomination.	Place of Residence in Bombay.	Dates of Petitions filed.
Thakar Nensi Megji ...	Lately a Wool Merchant, now unemployed	Hindoo ...	At Babdeo, without the Fort	1877. 1st June
Kkoja Karim Gulam Husein	A Dealer in Goats' Skins	Mahomedan ...	In Bhendy Bazar, without the Fort	Ditto
Govind Atmaram Shivset, Babu Thakset Kurtekar, Govind Sakaram Haigiste, and his wife, Bhimabai	The first, second, and third-named Insolvents are Dealers in Spices, Onions, and Potatoes, and the fourth is unemployed	Hindoo ...	Near Dongri, without the Fort	2nd June
Nathu Khandu Ghudge	A Dealer in Milk ...	Ditto ...	At Byculla, without the Fort	5th June
Indaji Barachowan ...	A Porter in the service of the B. B. and C. I. Railway Company	Mahomedan ...	On Dadur Junction, without the Fort	6th June
Ahmed Karim and Sher Mahomed Jan Mahomed	Butchers ...	Ditto ...	At Kasaiwad, without the Fort	Ditto
Dawoodbhai Adamji ...	A Dealer in Sweetmeat	Ditto ...	At Bhendy Bazar, without the Fort	Ditto

Orders in the matters of the above-named Insolvents' Petitions, that the real and personal Estate and Effects of the said Insolvents be vested in the Official Assignee of this Honourable Court, under Section VII of the said Act, have been duly made.

India Office, July 24, 1877.

THE Secretary of State for India in Council hereby gives notice, that he has received Calcutta Gazettes, containing the following Notices of Orders made by the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors there, under the provisions of the Act 11 Victoria, cap. 21.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the Matter of John Peter Hubbard, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 29th day of May last, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of August next; and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.—S. J. Leslie, Attorney. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 6, 1877.

In the Matter of Chatoor Doss, Guzratee, an Insolvent.

On Monday, the 4th day of June instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of August next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.—T. Scott Smith, Attorney. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 6, 1877.

In the Matter of Syud Ameer Ali, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 5th day of June instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 2,121 to and amongst the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent, as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 7 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent, and claims such as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee, in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply

to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.—A. B. Miller, Official Assignee. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 13, 1877.

In the Matter of Narain Doss, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 5th day of June instant, it was ordered that the Assignee do pay and divide the sum of Rs. 400-15-4 to and amongst the creditors upon the estate of the said Insolvent, as a dividend at the rate of Rs. 6 per cent. upon such of the debts as are admitted in the schedule of the said Insolvent, and claims such as shall be proved or substantiated to the satisfaction of the said Assignee, in proportion to their several debts, with leave to the Official Assignee to apply to this Court from time to time for directions respecting any debts or any other matter or thing relating thereto.—A. B. Miller, Official Assignee. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 13, 1877.

In the Matter of Hurry Doss Ghose, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 5th day of June instant, it was ordered that the hearing of this matter do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the 3rd day of July next, and that the said Insolvent and Nocoer Chunder Ghose, being respectively served with this order, do attend to be examined before the said Court on the said 3rd day of July next.—Upendronath Bose, Attorney. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 13, 1877.

In the Matter of Edward Rosewell Gonsalves, an Insolvent.

On Saturday, the 9th day of June instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of August next, and that the said Insolvent do

then attend to be examined before the said Court.—Insolvent in person. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 13, 1877.

In the Matter of Muddenmohun Chatterjee, an Insolvent.

On Friday, the 8th day of June instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of August next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.—Insolvent in person. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 13, 1877.

In the Matter of George Thomas Snead, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 1st day of May last, it was ordered that the hearing of this matter do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the 3rd day of July next, and that the order made in this matter for the ad interim protection of the said Insolvent from arrest be enlarged to the said 3rd day of July next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.—Orr and Harris, Attorneys. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 20, 1877.

In the Matter of Alfred Ritz, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 1st day of May instant, it was ordered that the hearing of this matter do stand adjourned until Tuesday, the 4th day of December next, and that the order made in this matter for the ad interim protection of the said Insolvent from arrest be enlarged to the said 4th day of December next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.—Orr and Harris, Attorneys.—Date of Gazette containing notice, June 20, 1877.

In the Matter of William Edmunds, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 12th day of June instant, it was ordered that the matters of the petition of the said Insolvent be heard on Tuesday, the 7th day of August next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined before the said Court.—G. C. Chunder, Attorney. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 20, 1877.

India Office, July 24, 1877.

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

Petitions filed praying for relief.

In the Matter of Seetaram Binnanee, of No. 24, Moirahatta-street, in the town of Calcutta, lately carrying on business at No. 100, Khengraputty-street, in Burra Bazar, in the said town of Calcutta, as Dealer in Beads and sundry other articles, under the name and style of Seetaram Binnanee, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act 11 Vic., cap. 21, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Thursday, the 31st day of May last, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.—M. Camell, Attorney. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 6, 1877.

In the Matter of Chatoor Doss, Guzratee, residing at Banstollah Gully, in the town of Calcutta, Clerk of Ismail Hazeer Mossa, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act 11 Vic., cap.

21, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 4th day of June instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.—T. Scott Smith, Attorney. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 6, 1877.

In the Matter of Edward Rosewell Gonsalves, of No. 18, Hareeparah-lane, Toltollah, in the town of Calcutta, an Assistant in the Bengal Legislative Department, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act 11 Vic., cap. 21, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Saturday, the 9th day of June instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.—Insolvent in person. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 13, 1877.

In the Matter of Muddenmohun Chatterjee, formerly of Nilmadhub Sen's-lane, in the town of Calcutta, lately residing at Badoorbagan, in Calcutta, and now residing in a tiled hut in the premises No. 39, Bhubaney Churn Dut's-lane, in Calcutta aforesaid, and lately employed as a Manager in the mortgaged business of one Gobind Chunder Chuckerbutty, late of Nilmadhub Sen's-lane, in Calcutta aforesaid, since deceased, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act 11 Vic., chap. 21, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Friday, the 8th day of June instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.—Insolvent in person. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 13, 1877.

In the Matter of John Francis, carrying on business in Dalhousie-square, in Calcutta, as a Tea Merchant, under the name and style of H. Lewis and Co., Henry Francis, and Charles Francis, Joint Owners of a Flour Mill, in Kenderdine's-lane, in Calcutta aforesaid, all residing at No. 4, Khyroo Mehter's-lane, in Calcutta aforesaid, Insolvents.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act 11 Vic., chap. 21, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Monday, the 4th day of June instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.—H. R. Fink, Attorney. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 20, 1877.

In the Matter of David Abraham Rahamin, of 45, Canning-street, in Calcutta, carrying on business there in copartnership with Isaac Joseph Hyeem, of Rangoon, as Merchants and Commission Agents, under the style of D. Abrahami, and also known as A. Rahamin, and also carrying on business at Rangoon in copartnership with the same person, under the style of Isaac Joseph Hyeem, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act 11 Vic., cap. 21, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on Saturday, the 16th day of June instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.—Remfry and Rogers, Attorneys. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 20, 1877.

In the Matter of William Edmunds, of No. 8, Neemoo Khansamah's-lane, in the town of Calcutta, a Mechanical Engineer, an Insolvent.

Notice that the petition of the said Insolvent, seeking the benefit of the Act 11 Vic., cap. 21, was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on

Tuesday, the 12th day of June instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.—G. C. Chunder, Attorney. Date of Gazette containing notice, June 20, 1877.

India Office, July 24, 1877.

THE Secretary of State for India in Council hereby gives notice, that he has received a Madras Gazette, containing the following Notice of Order made by the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors there, under the provisions of the Act 11 Victoria, cap. 21 :—

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Madras.

In pursuance of orders of this Court made in the matter of the undermentioned Insolvent Debtors, and respectively dated 30th day of April, 1877, it is ordered that the said Insolvents be personally discharged under the provisions of the Act 11th Victoria, chapter 21, in respect of all the debts mentioned in their schedules :—

Nayer Munnaroo Moodelly, Second Petition.

George Albert DeSilva.

Palapurthee Soobbaroyah Chetty.

Pauliem Iyah Chetty, Third Petition.

Gilbert Manuel Soaris.

Date of Gazette containing notice, May 15, 1877.

B. Brooks, Official Assignee.

Madras, 7th May, 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Primitive Methodist Chapel, situate at Nenthead, in the parish of Alston, in the county of Cumberland, in the district of Alston, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 22nd day of June, 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 June, 1877.

Joseph Dickinson, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Zion, situate at Buckley, in the parish of Mold, 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 30th day of June, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 3rd day of July, 1877.

E. J. Davies, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Wesleyan Chapel, situate at Whaplode Drove, in the parish of Whaplode, in the county of Lincoln, in the district of Holbeach, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 18th day of July, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 19th day of July, 1877.

Robert Mills, Superintendent Registrar.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 25th day of July, 1877.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

		£			£
Notes issued	...	41,246,585	Government Debt	...	11,015,100
			Other Securities	...	3,984,900
			Gold Coin and Bullion	...	26,246,585
			Silver Bullion	...	—
		<u>£41,246,585</u>			<u>£41,246,585</u>

Dated the 26th day of July, 1877.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

		£			£
Proprietors' Capital	...	14,553,000	Government Securities	...	14,989,088
Rest	...	3,332,357	Other Securities	...	18,179,006
Public Deposits (including Ex-	...		Notes	...	12,786,310
chequer, Savings Banks, Com-	...		Gold and Silver Coin	...	782,920
missioners of National Debt, and	...				
Dividend Accounts)	...	4,904,907			
Other Deposits	...	23,659,007			
Seven Day and other Bills	...	288,053			
		<u>£46,737,324</u>			<u>£46,737,324</u>

Dated the 26th day of July, 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 14th day of July, 1877.

The undermentioned Parties having omitted to transmit their Accounts in proper time to be inserted in the Gazette of Tuesday, the 24th day of July, 1877.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.				Average Amount.
				£
Broseley and Bridgnorth and Bridgnorth and Broseley Bank ...	Broseley	...	Pritchard and Co. ...	10,570
Colchester and Essex Bank, and Witham and Essex Bank, and Hadleigh Suffolk Bank ...	Colchester	...	Mills and Co. ...	23,668
Rye Bank ...	Rye	...	Curteis, Pomfret, and Co. ...	8,556
Worcester City and County Banking Company Limited ...	Worcester	...	...	1,533

W. H. COUSINS, Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House, July 26, 1877.

AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered in the Week ending 25th July, 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 ...	475	...	475	...	3,790,332	3,790,332
Belgium ...	2,968	...	2,968	320	...	320
France ...	3,382	...	3,382	340,888	...	340,888
Portugal ...	2,632	...	2,632	...	...	...
British India ...	...	11,545	11,545	30,542	...	30,542
China ...	1,923	965	2,888	...	...	...
Japan ...	...	2,246	2,246	...	2,076	2,076
Brazil ...	2,071	...	2,071	540	...	540
United States ...	25,250	...	25,250	85,856	7,140	92,996
Other Countries ...	2,686	2,074	4,760	4,380	302	4,682
Aggregate of the Importations registered in the Week ...	41,387	16,830	58,217	462,526	3,799,850	4,262,376
Declared Value of the said Importations ...	£ 165,356	£ 67,320	£ 232,676	£ 107,348	£ 854,911	£ 962,259

Countries to which Exported.	Exported from the United Kingdom.							
	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.
	British.	Foreign.			British.	Foreign.		
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	
Germany ...	...	...	54,296	54,296	...	...	...
France ...	...	15,131	10,623	25,754	6,188	...	6,188
Malta ...	11,565	...	...	11,565	18,180	...	18,180
Bombay ...	...	...	...	...	...	485,620	485,620
Java and other Dutch Possessions in Indian Seas ...	12,850	...	...	12,850	...	...	...
Hong Kong ...	...	...	...	...	41,905	...	41,905
South Australia ...	...	...	...	...	10,901	...	10,901
Other Countries ...	422	...	...	422	2,275	1,084	4,459
Aggregate of the Exportations registered in the Week ...	24,837	15,131	64,919	104,887	31,356	49,193	486,704	
Declared Value of the said Exportations ...	£ 96,636	£ 57,458	£ 249,057	£ 403,151	£ 8,625	£ 11,811	£ 109,760	

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
2752. 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 "an improved file-holder,"—a communication to him from abroad by the Nicholson File Company (incorporated), of Providence, Rhode Island, United States of America,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 18th day of July, 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
2814. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Francis Rabbeth, of the city of Providence, county of Providence, State of Rhode Island, United States of America, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in spinning and twisting rings—the original, first and true inventor thereof, except such parts as were communicated to him by John Booth, of Lincoln, State of Rhode Island aforesaid—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 24th day of July, 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
2823. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of John Phipps, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Warehouseman, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in the method of, and mechanism for, feeding strips or plates of iron or other metal to the cutters of cut nail or tack machines," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 24th day of July, 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—

2009. To Robert Henry Cooke, of Rose House, Lower Broughton, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturer, Louis Charles Alexander, of Putney, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman, and Henry Brinsley Sheridan, of 6, Colville-gardens, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, Barrister-at-Law, for the invention of "improvements in the means and styles of advertising; also toughening clay, making china, earthenware, and parian less destructible by heat."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 23rd day of May, 1877.

2315. To Joseph White, of the town and county of the town of Nottingham, Mechanist, for the invention of "improvements in jacquards."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 14th day of June, 1877.

2363. To John William Dennison, of 33, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Architect, for the invention of "improvements

in paving or surfaces for covering roads, ways, and other places."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 16th day of June, 1877.

2459. To Benjamin Alfred Dobson, of the firm of Messieurs Dobson & Barlow, of Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Machine-Maker, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for preparing cotton & other fibrous substances."

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

2477. To Spencer Hayward, of No. 2, Old Prospect-place, Peckham Rye, in the county of Surrey, Builder, for the invention of "an improved apparatus for constructing concrete bricks."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 27th day of June, 1877.

2515. To Thomas James Smith, of the firm of Robertson, Brooman, and Company, of 166, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agents, for the invention of "improved system of transporting or shunting railway vehicles and wagons from one line of rails to another, for making up trains, and for classifying and arranging carriages, trucks, and railway rolling stock in general."—A communication to him from abroad by Pierre David, Engineer, residing at Bordeaux (Gironde), France.

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

2521. To George Brockelbank, of 37, Thornsett-road, South Penge Park, Anerley, for the invention of "a new apparatus for regulating the light, and economising oil or spirit in the lamps of railway trains, and for other like purposes."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 30th day of June, 1877.

2549. To Thomas Hargreaves Brigg, Machine-Maker, of Vulcan Iron Works, Dudley Hill, near Bradford, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in looms for weaving, and in apparatus connected therewith."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 3rd day of July, 1877.

2567. To Robertson Blair Robertson, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in treating maize for the obtainment of flour and other products, and in apparatus therefor."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 4th day of July, 1877.

2645. To John Clayton Mewburn, of 169, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agent and Consulting Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for pressing and filtering beet root juice, oils, or other substances."—A communication to him from abroad by Jean Marie Tissot, of Neuilly, France.

2649. To Adalbert Wachhausen, of Wiesbaden, Germany, Doctor of Philosophy, for the invention of "an improved brown colour or dye, and process for obtaining the same."

2651. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in metal ties or bands, and in apparatus to be used in connection therewith, for binding and securing bales or bundles."—A communication to him from abroad by Simeon Nathan Drake, of New Orleans, Louisiana, and Anna Belle Evans, of Cincinnati, Ohio, both in the United States of America.

2653. To John Craven and Benjamin Craven, both of Wakefield, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for the manufacture of bricks, tiles, and other like articles."
2657. 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 self acting weighing machines, for weighing grain and powder like materials, such as corn, linseed, rice, coffee, chemicals, plaster of Paris, cement, and the like."—A communication to him from Eduard Reiser, of Cologne, in the German Empire.
2659. To Charles Rennick, of Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, Merchant, for the invention of "improved apparatus for lighting and extinguishing gas."—A communication to him from abroad by Eddy Taylor Thomas, of New York, in the State of New York, United States.
2661. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "the manufacture of new substances or compounds resembling bone or ivory black or animal charcoal, and designed for use as a substitute therefor."—A communication to him from abroad by the Th. Pilter Company, of Paris, France.
2663. To Mary Welton, of Grafton-street West, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in preserving meat, and in the apparatus employed therefor."—A communication to her from abroad by Thomas Welton, of Havre, in the Republic of France.
2665. And to William Lloyd Wise, of Chandos-chambers, Adelphi, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improved apparatus for raising liquids."—A communication to him from abroad by Joseph Jean Marçais, of Paris, France.
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 10th day of July, 1877.
2667. To Cyrus Avery, of Little Cross-street Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in rotary engines and pumps."
2669. To William Black and James Graham Tatters, both of South Shields, in the county of Durham, for the invention of "improvements in railway chairs."
2671. To William Morgan-Brown, of the firm of Brandon and Morgan-Brown, Engineers and Patent Agents, of 38, Southampton-buildings, London, and 1, Rue Laffitte, Paris, for the invention of "improvements in toy galloping or trotting horses and carriages."—A communication to him from abroad by Lewis Seasongood, of Cincinnati, United States of America.
2673. To Charles Neil, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Tool Maker, for the invention of "improvements in adjustable cramp or clamp tools."
2675. To William Rowles, of Rickmansworth, in the county of Hertford, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for boring wells and other similar purposes."
2677. To Gerard Wenzeslaus von Nawrocki, of the firm of J. Brandt and G. W. von Nawrocki, Civil Engineers and Patent Agents, of No. 2, Koch Strasse, Berlin, in the German Empire, for the invention of "a new or improved process for the manufacture of ferro-manganese in the blast or smelting furnace."—A communication to him by Caspar Stöckmann, of Hutte Phoenix, near Ruhrort, in the German Empire.
2679. And to James Fredrick Hoyne, of Kingstown, in the county of Dublin, Ireland, for the invention of "improvements in lamp burners."—On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 11th day of July, 1877.
2681. To William Bottomley and Samuel Bottomley, of Vine Roller Works, Milnrow-road, Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "certain improvements in differential pulley blocks."
2683. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "an improved roller device, chiefly designed for sliding doors and window-sashes."—A communication to him from abroad by Henry Emanuel Russell, of New Britain, Connecticut, United States of America.
2685. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in locks."—A communication to him from abroad by Henry Emanuel Russell, of New Britain, Connecticut, United States of America.
2687. To Ernest Solvay, of Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in the treatment of bicarbonate of soda obtained in the ammoniacal process, and in means and apparatus for increasing the density of soda and rendering it caustic."
2691. To Henry Kesterton, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for working brakes by springs, vacuum, and air pressure, applicable to railway rolling stock and other purposes."
2693. To John Nicholas Floyd, of Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, Machinist, for the invention of "new or improved machinery for caulking, chipping, swaging, and rivetting metals."
2697. And to William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for purifying ozone."—A communication to him from abroad by Frederick William Bartlett, of Buffalo, New York, United States of America, Physician.
- On their several petitions recorded in the office of the Commissioners on the 12th day of July, 1877.]
2699. To Charles Hill Onions, of No. 44, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Metal Broker, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of gates, hurdles, palisading, and fencing,
2701. To Robert Longdon, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of sacks for containing coals and other articles, and in the method of closing the same."
2705. And to John Thompson, of the firm of Messieurs Curtis, Sons, and Co., of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Machine Maker, William Barker, of the same place, Engineer, and Henry Morton, of Salford, in the same county, Mechanic, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for preparing cotton and other fibrous substances, and in tools employed therein."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office

of the Commissioners on the 13th day of July, 1877.

2707. To Charles Phillips Brown, of Stockport, in the county of Chester, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of 'brow blocks' used in the manufacture of hats."

2709. To Sydney Pitt, of Sutton, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of artificial butter."—A communication to him from abroad by Angelus Joannis Nootenboom, of 50, Delftsche Vaart, Rotterdam, Holland.

2713. To Abram Charles Herts, of Bloomsbury, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in window blind fixtures and fittings."

2715. And to John Charles Chubb and George Hayter Chubb, both of No. 128, Queen Victoria-street, St. Paul's, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in locks."—A communication to them from abroad by Theodor Kromer, of Freiburg-Baden, Germany.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 14th day of July, 1877.

2717. To Joseph Bentley Fenton, of Great Hale, in the county of Lincoln, Implement Maker, for the invention of "improvements in harrows."

2721. To James Lovegrove Holt, of Holborn Viaduct, in the city of London, for the invention of "a new or improved cabinet adapted for writing, reading, drawing, painting, music, chess, and other games and purposes."

2723. To Henry Bernoulli Barlow, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Patent Agent, for the invention of "an improved manufacture of piled fabric or material."—A communication to him from abroad by Pierre Victor Renard, of Paris, France.

2725. To John Hanson, of Savile Town, near Dewsbury, in the county of York, Manufacturing Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in treating sewage and other foul water by the use of liquids only, also an improved method of treating sewage and foul water by the use of solid ingredients combined with liquids, and improvements in softening clarified & hard water."

2727. To Henry Hughes, of the city and county of San Francisco, and State of California, in the United States of America, at present residing at No. 53, Abingdon-square, in the county of Middlesex, Merchant, for the invention of "improvements in blind rollers and their furniture."

2733. And to William Hanson, Engineer and Machine Maker, of Bradford, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in diminishing and air valves."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 16th day of July, 1877.

2735. To Edward Heaton, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Boiler-Maker, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus employed in the melting of asphalté or bitumen."

2737. To Frank William Haddan, of the firm of Herbert and Company, Patent Agents, of 67, Strand, in the city of Westminster, for the invention of "improvements in machines or apparatus for distributing type."—A communication to him from abroad by Dexter Reynolds, of the city of Albany, in the county of Albany, and State of New York, United States of America.

2739. To Alfred Wilks, of Oldbury, in the county of Worcester, Ironfounder, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for manufacturing and pressing bricks, quarries, and other articles made of clay, and for pressing artificial fuel and other materials."

2741. To John Wilson, of Saint Andrew's, in the county of Fife, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for heating or warming and ventilating buildings."

2743. And to William Mills Smeaton and John Smeaton, of Newcastle-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, of the firm of Smeaton and Sons, of Newcastle-street aforesaid, for the invention of "improved mechanical arrangements for supplying water to tilt, tip, or swing basins, said mechanical arrangements, or part thereof, being capable of being utilized for preventing waste and regulating the flow of liquids for various purposes."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 17th day of July, 1877.

2749. To Louis Simon, of the firm Louis Simon and Son, of the Wilford-road Works, in the town and county of Nottingham, Gas Engine Manufacturers, for the invention of "improvements connected with atmospheric gas-engines."

2751. And to John Gibson, of Rutland-road, Sheffield, in the county of York, Manager of Brick Works, for the invention of "improvements in brick presses and other similar presses."

On both their petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 18th day of July, 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 21st day of July, 1877.

2466. Harry Langston Jones, of Webster's Hotel, Ely-place, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for disinfecting water closets, urinals, and similar purposes."—Dated 15th July, 1874.

2469. James Greenwood, of Bradford, in the county of York, and Sam Balme, of Halifax, in the aforesaid county of York, for an invention of "improvements in looms for weaving."—Dated 15th July, 1874.

2472. John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in dredging apparatus."—Communicated to him from abroad by Alphonse Couvreur, of Paris, in the Republic of France.—Dated 15th July, 1874.

2475. George Haseltine, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London, Doctor of Laws, for an invention of "improvements in horse shoes."—The said invention has been communicated to him from abroad by Gerard Dunning and Charles B. George, both of Wankegan, Illinois, United States of America.—Dated 15th July, 1874.

2476. John Collicott, of Boston, in the county of Suffolk, and State of Massachusetts, one of the United States of America, for an invention of "improvements in boiler tube scrapers."—Dated 15th July, 1874.

2477. James Samuel Cooke, of the firm of Messrs. Cooke, Sons, and Law, of Liversedge, in the county of York, Carpet Manufacturer, and William, Irving, Loom Turner, and Frederick Howarth, Mechanic, of the same place, for an invention of "improvements in looms for weaving."—Dated 15th July, 1874.
2479. Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for spinning and twisting fibrous substances."—Communicated to him from abroad by Jean Jacques Bourcart, of Paris, France.—Dated 15th July, 1874.
2482. William McNaught, senior, of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in means or arrangements for diminishing the rolling action of ships or vessels at sea."—Dated 16th July, 1874.
2486. Theophilus Coad, of Park Cottage, St. Clement's, near Truro, in the county of Cornwall, for an invention of "improvements in stoppers for bottles containing aerated or gaseous liquids."—Dated 16th July, 1874.
2487. James Jowett, Hair Merchant, of Bradford, in the county of York, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for craping hair or other fibrous materials."—Dated 16th July, 1874.
2488. Charles Denton Abel, of No. 20, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in regenerator furnaces."—Communicated to him from abroad by Morrison Foster, of Allegheny City, State of Pennsylvania, United States of America.—Dated 16th July, 1874.
2490. William Elliott Debenham, of No. 158, Regent-street, London, for an invention of "improvements in fixing colours on photographs and drawings, and in preparing surfaces to receive colour."—Dated 16th July, 1874.
2494. Robert Ker Aitchison, of Redcar, in the county of York, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of artificial fuel."—Dated 16th July, 1874.
2495. William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of inflammable gas for illuminating and other purposes, and in the apparatus to be used therein."—From abroad by William Elmer, of the city and State of New York, United States of America.—Dated 16th July, 1874.
2497. George Haseltine, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London, Doctor of Laws, for an invention of "improvements in spinning machine spindles, and in bolsters for the same."—The said invention has been communicated to him from abroad by Francis J. Rabbeth, of Pawtucket, Rhode Island, United States of America.—Dated 16th July, 1874.
2500. James O'Friel, of Brooklyn, in the State of New York, United States of America, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of artificial stone for buildings, floors, and other purposes."—Dated 17th July, 1874.
2501. John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in coal and rock cutting machines."—From abroad by Horace Fowler Brown, of Indianapolis, Marion County, James Gray Niblock, and William Henry Zimmerman, both of Brazil, Clay County, and all in the State of Indiana, and John Stirling Alexander, of the city and county of Philadelphia, State of Pennsylvania, all in the United States of America.—Dated 17th July, 1874.
2502. James Scott, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, for an invention of "an improved hydraulic lift for ships."—Dated 17th July, 1874.
2503. George Cutler, Button Manufacturer, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and James Newman, also of Birmingham aforesaid, Jeweller, for an invention of "improvements in buttons for dress fastenings."—Dated 17th July, 1874.
2505. Charles Denton Abel, of No. 20, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in traction-springs for vehicles, and in the means for attaching the traces thereto and releasing the same therefrom."—From abroad by Ludwig Fehrmann, of Potsdam, in the Kingdom of Prussia.—Dated 17th July, 1874.
2509. Walter Edward Yates, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Mechanical Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in shoes employed in the protection of the feet or hoofs of horses, asses, and other animals."—Dated 17th July, 1874.
2510. Alexander Mackie, of Warrington, in the county of Lancaster, and Eric Hugo Waldenström, of Manchester, in the same county, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for perforating paper or materials to be used in type-composing machinery, or to be otherwise employed."—Dated 17th July, 1874.
2512. John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in coke ovens."—Communicated to him from abroad by Arthur Gobiet, of Seraing, in the Kingdom of Belgium.—Dated 17th July, 1874.
2518. Thomas Wilde, of Hyde, in the county of Chester, Land Agent, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of railway chairs."—Dated 18th July, 1874.
2519. Job Day and William Wells Osgerby, both of Brigg, in the county of Lincoln, for an invention of "an improved composition for the removal and prevention of the incrustation in steam boilers."—Dated 18th July, 1874.
2520. John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in the separation of ammonia from illuminating and other gases."—Communicated to him from abroad by Benjamin Silliman, of New Haven, county of New Haven, and State of Connecticut, United States of America.—Dated 18th July, 1874.
2523. Peter Jensen, of 89, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "a new or improved fire proof material and mode of applying the same, more particularly applicable to safes or receptacles containing valuables."—From abroad by F. V. B. Meidell, of Copenhagen, Denmark.—Dated 18th July, 1874.
2525. Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, for an invention of "improvements in smoke burning apparatus, applicable to the fire-places of locomotive and other engines."—From abroad by Carl Andreas, David Wilhelm Michelsen, Carl August Sieber, and Johann Heinrich Glammann, all of Hamburg, North Germany.—Dated 18th July, 1874.

2526. Edmund Vander Straten, of Antwerp, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for the combustion of air and gas for heating purposes."—Dated 18th July, 1874.
2527. William Storer, Engineer, of the town and county of the town of Nottingham, for an invention of "improvements in machinery and apparatus for rubbing, scudding or scouring, fleshing, and striking out skins, hides, and leather."—Dated 18th July, 1874.
2530. Thomas Perkes, of No. 4, Duck-lane, Wardour-street, Soho, in the county of Middlesex, Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in breech loading fire arms."—Dated 20th July, 1874.
2532. William Whitbread, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Analytical Chemist, for an invention of "improvements in treating sugar, syrups, and juices for decolourizing and purifying same."—Dated 20th July, 1874.
2533. Hunter Henry Murdoch, of No. 7, Staple-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of artificial fuel."—Communicated to him from abroad by William Charles Arthur Rostger, of Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium.—Dated 20th July, 1874.
2534. Henry Turner Clubley, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Contractor, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for manufacturing bricks, tiles, drain pipes, or other similar articles from clay, concrete, 'bind,' shale, or other substances, and which are also applicable for manufacturing blocks of artificial fuel."—Dated 20th July, 1874.
2539. William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in chemical telegraphs and in apparatus connected therewith."—From abroad by Theodore Marshall Foote and Charles Adams Randall, of the city of New York, United States of America.—Dated 20th July, 1874.
2542. Robert Tucker, of Buckland Brewer, Bideford, in the county of Devon, for an invention of "improvements in thrashing machines."—Dated 21st July, 1874.
2544. Thomas Hook, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Trade Manager, for an invention of "improvements in certain descriptions of sewing machines."—Dated 21st July, 1874.
2545. William Cotter, of Holloway, in the county of Middlesex, Auctioneer, for an invention of "a new or improved method of and means for advertising on or decorating walls, floors, or other situations or places."—Dated 21st July, 1874.
2547. Rudolf Giebermann, of No. 70, Lower Thames-street, in the city of London, for an invention of "improvements in the preparation of superphosphate of lime and in the manufacture of nitrogenized manures."—Dated 21st July, 1874.
2548. John Griffiths, of Normanton, in the county of York, Manager of Works, for an invention of "improvements in piling steel and iron, or mixtures of steel and iron, for the manufacture of rails for railways and tyres for wheels, and for other purposes."—Dated 21st July, 1874.
2552. Andrew Higginson, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in and connected with motive power and pumping engines."—Dated 21st July, 1874.
2553. Henry Hammond and Edwin Hammond, both of Winchester, in the county of Hants, Gunmakers, for an invention of "improvements in or in connection with apparatus or machinery for holding cartridge cases in filling frames and for turning them down."—Dated 21st July, 1874.
2555. Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "an improved composition or compositions to be applied to steam boilers and other surfaces for preventing the radiation or transmission of heat."—Communicated to him from abroad by Alexandre Leydet, of Marseilles, France.—Dated 21st July, 1874.
2556. James Armitage, of Steps, near Huddersfield, in the county of York, Scribbling Engineer, for an invention of "improved machinery for feeding carding engines."—Dated 21st July, 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 21st day of July, 1877.

2005. Arthur Maw, of the firm of Maw and Company, of Benthall Works, Benthall, in the county of Salop, Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus to be employed in the preparation of pulverized clay used in the manufacture of tiles, bricks, pottery, and other articles of earthenware or china."—Dated 15th July, 1870.
2009. Hugh Baines, of Normanton, in the county of York, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in repairing worn or damaged rails of permanent way, and in the combination and arrangement of machinery or apparatus employed therein."—Dated 15th July, 1870.
2010. Richard Dudgeon, of the city of New York, United States of America, for an invention of "improvements in rotary engines."—Dated 15th July, 1870.
2020. Henrik Ramsten, of Carlskrona, in the Kingdom of Sweden, Lieutenant in the Royal Swedish Navy, for an invention of "improvements in ships' logs."—Dated 18th July, 1870.
2021. St. George Augustus Terry, of Burnham, in the county of Bucks, Brewer and Maltster, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for preparing finings for fining beer and other liquors."—Communicated to him from abroad by Alfred Terry, of the Carlton Brewery, Bouverie-street, Melbourne, Australia.—Dated 18th July, 1870.
2024. William Sleight Bentley, Gas Fitter, and William Isham, Mechanic, both of Boston, in the county of Lincoln, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for economising and purifying gas."—Dated 18th July, 1870.
2027. William Edward Winby, of Edgbaston, in the county of Warwick, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in rails and chairs for railways and tramways."—Dated 19th July, 1870.
2031. William Owen, of No. 47, Wind-street, Aberdare, in the county of Glamorgan, for an invention of "improvements in railway and other wheels."—Dated 19th July, 1870.
2038. Ambrose Lloyd Taylor, of Aylesbury, in the county of Buckingham, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for

warming, vapourising, and causing a free circulation of fresh air in horticultural structures and other buildings, which apparatus is also applicable for the ventilation of mines and other places."—Dated 20th July, 1870.

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862, and in the Matter of the Scilly Islands Telegraph Company Limited,

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, was, on the 27th day of July, 1877, presented to the Master of the Rolls by the West Cornwall Steamship Company Limited, creditors of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Master of the Rolls, on the 4th day of August, 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 Act, 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.

Dangerfield and Blythe, of No. 26, Craven-street, Charing Cross, in the county of Middlesex; Agents for
Rodd and Cornish, of Penzance, Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In the Matter of the Glyncorrwg Colliery Company Limited, and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

BY an Order made by the Master of the Rolls in the above matter, dated the 21st day of July, 1877, on the petition of Thomas Andrew, of New-street, Neath, in the county of Glamorgan, Ironmonger, a creditor of the above-named Company, it was ordered that the said Glyncorrwg Colliery Company Limited be wound up by the Court under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

Hacon and Turner, 18, Fenchurch-street, Solicitors; and Agents for
John Donogue, of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Solicitor for the Petitioner.

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

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Marron Bank Paper Mill Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, was, on the 21st day of July, 1877, presented to the said High Court of Justice by George Greveson and John Greveson, both of Dean Moor Colliery, Cocker-mouth, in the county of Cumberland, Colliery Proprietors, creditors of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Master of the Rolls, on the 4th day of August, 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.—
Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

Treherne and Wolferstan, 20, Frooming-
lane, London, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Duchess of Westminster Silver Lead Ore Company Limited.

THE Master of the Rolls has, by an Order, dated the 28th day of June, 1877, appointed Edwin Banks Harding, of No. 2, Cooper-street, Manchester, to be Official Liquidator of the above-named Company.—Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Duchess of Westminster Silver Lead Ore Company Limited.

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 19th day of September, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to Edwin Banks Harding, of No. 2, Cooper-street, Manchester, the Official Liquidator of the said Company; and if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. Friday, the 2nd day of November, 1877, at half-past eleven of the clock in the forenoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Jamaica Fibre Company Limited.

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 1st day of October, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to George Pitt, the Official Liquidator of the said Company, to the care of Mr. Devonshire, No. 1, Frederick's-place, Old Jewry, in the city of London; and if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts and claims at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at No. 14, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. Monday, the 5th day of November, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 24th day of July, 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 Treverbyn Trevanion China Clay and Tin Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court was, on the 18th day of July, 1877, presented to the Vice-Warden of the Stannaries, by John Scott, of No. 6, South-

square, Gray's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, a contributory, and claiming to be also a creditor, of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Warden, at Truro, on Thursday, the 9th day of August next, at twelve o'clock at noon. Any contributory or creditor of the said Company may appear at the hearing and oppose the same, provided he has given at least two clear days' notice to the petitioner or his Solicitor of his intention to do so, such notice to be forthwith forwarded to the Secretary of the Vice-Warden, P. P. Smith, Esq., Truro, Cornwall. Every such contributory or creditor is entitled to a copy of the petition, and affidavit verifying the same from the petitioner or his Solicitor, within twenty-four hours after requiring the same, on payment of the regulated charge per folio. Affidavits intended to be read at the hearing, in opposition to the petition, must be filed at the Registrar's Office, Truro, on or before the 6th day of August next, and notice thereof must at the same time be given to the petitioner or his Solicitor.—Dated this 20th day of July, 1877.

John R. Paull, Truro, Solicitor for the Petitioner.

In the Matter of the Samlesbury Paper Mill Company Limited; and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and of the Chancery of Lancaster Acts, 1850 and 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster, Preston District, was, on the 23rd day of July, 1877, presented to the Chancellor of the Duchy and County Palatine of Lancaster by Thomas Knowles, of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, a contributory of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor of the said County Palatine, on Tuesday, the 7th day of August, 1877, at St. George's Hall, in Liverpool, in the said county; 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.

Cedric Houghton, of Preston, in the said county, Solicitor for the Petitioner.

PROVISIONS FOR TROOP SHIPS.

Contract Department, Admiralty,
Whitehall, July 18, 1877.

TENDERS will be received until two o'clock, on Thursday, the 9th August, for the supply of

Meat and Live Stock, Trussed and Live Poultry, Milk, Butter, Eggs, Vegetables, Bread, and Forage, for Her Majesty's Troop Ships at Portsmouth and Devonport, from the 1st September, 1877, to the 31st August, 1878.

A separate tender should be made for each place. 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."

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and of the St. Agnes Consols Mining Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the above-named Company will be held at No. 35, Elthelburga-house, Bishopsgate-street Within, in the city of London, on the 6th day of September, 1877, at twelve o'clock, at noon, for the purpose of having laid before such Meeting an account showing the manner in which the winding up of the Company has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

George Still, Liquidator.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the above-named Company will be held at No. 35, Ethelburga-house, Bishopsgate-street Within, in the city of London, on the 3rd day of September, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of having laid before such Meeting an account showing the manner in which the winding up of the Company has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

George Still, Liquidator.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Burley Robinson, of Leeds, in the county of York, and Paul Rayner, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, carrying on business together as Wholesale Clothiers, in John William-street, Huddersfield aforesaid, under the style of Paul Rayner and Co., was, on the 31st day of December last, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 11th day of July, 1877.

Thos. Burley Robinson.
Paul Rayner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Burley Robinson, of Leeds, in the county of York, and Paul Rayner, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, carrying on business together as Retail Clothiers, in John William-street, Huddersfield aforesaid, under the style of Robinson and Co., was, on the 31st day of December last, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 11th day of July, 1877.

Thos. Burley Robinson.
Paul Rayner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership formerly subsisting between Richard Taylor and Alexander Boyd, in the business of Colico Printers, carried on at Clayton Bridge and Manchester, under the firm of Taylor and Boyd, was dissolved and determined on the 30th day of June, 1877, by mutual consent.—Dated the 20th day of July, 1877.

Richard Taylor.
Alexander Boyd.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Frances Shaw and John William Wise, under the firm of Shaw and Wise, at Weldon, in the county of Northampton, in the trade or business of Plumbers and Glaziers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witnesses our hands this 19th day of June, 1877.

Frances Shaw.
John Wm. Wise.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edward Thomas Whaley, William Forster Canter, and Henry Canter, carrying on business in Barnsley and at Redbrook, near Barnsley, in the county of York, as Linen Manufacturers, Bleachers, and Dyers, under the style or firm of Canter, Whaley, and Co., has been dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as relates to the said Edward Thomas Whaley as from the 30th day of June last; and in future the business will be carried on by the said William Forster Canter and Henry Canter, and they will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership.

E. T. Whaley.
W. F. Canter.
Henry Canter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, Clark Ingamells and Edward Sears, carrying on business as Potato Salesmen, at No. 13, Great Northern Potato Market, Kings Cross, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Ingamells and Sears, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from this day.—Dated this 19th day of July, 1877.

*Clark Ingamells.
Edward Sears.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Francis Marcus Beresford, Augustus Frederick Elmslie, and James Hale, and carried on at Hartley's Wharf, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, under the style of Beresford, Elmslie, and Co., has been, by mutual consent, dissolved, so far as the said Augustus Frederick Elmslie is concerned, as from the 30th day of June last.—Dated this 2nd day of July, 1877.

*Francis M. Beresford.
Augustus F. Elmslie.
James Hale.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has been carried on by us the undersigned, John Hanham Goodfellow and James Hunt, under the firm of Goodfellow and Hunt, at West End-road, High Wycombe, in the county of Buckingham, in the trade or business of Steam Saw Mill Proprietors, was dissolved, by mutual consent, on the 19th day of July, 1877.—As witness our hands this 20th day of July, 1877.

*J. H. Goodfellow.
James Hunt.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Adam Clark, Isaac Young, and James Wright, carrying on business in copartnership as Coach Builders, at Leicester, in the county of Leicester, under the style or firm of Clark, Young, and Co., has been this day dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as relates to Adam Clark.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

*Adam Clark.
Isaac Young.
James Wright.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Michael Thomas Sadler and William James Lancaster, carrying on business in Barnsley, in the county of York, as Surgeons, under the style or firm of Sadler and Lancaster, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 30th day of June last.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

*Michael Thomas Sadler.
William James Lancaster.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Thomas William Stone, Thomas Richard Pim, and Robert Bennett, as Brickmakers, at Easton, in the city of Bristol, under the style of Stone, Pim, and Co., has this day been dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as the said Thomas William Stone is concerned.—Dated this 20th day of July, 1877.

*Thomas William Stone.
Thos. Richard Pim.
Robert Bennett.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Henry Alford and Rowland Hill West, under the firm of Alford and West, in the business or profession of Surgeons, at Taunton, in the county of Somerset, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 1st day of March last.—As witness our hands this 16th day of July, 1877.

*Henry Alford.
Rowland Hill West.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by us the undersigned, John Bryant and William Lewis Rumball, under the firm of Bryant and Rumball, at Nos. 33 and 35, Netherwood-street, Kilburn, in the county of Middlesex, and at No. 24, Great Western-arcade, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, in the trade or business of Picture and China Dealers, was dissolved, by mutual consent, on the 23rd day of July, 1877.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

*John Bryant.
William Lewis Rumball.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, Thomas Saxe by and William Fletcher, carrying on business at Cragnell Quarry, in Worsbrough, in the parish of Darfield, in the county of York, as Stone Merchants and Quarry Owners, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

*Thomas Saxeby.
William Fletcher.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto existing between us the undersigned, Edward Herring Knapman and Joseph Frederick Austin, at No. 3A, John-street, Edgware-road, in the county of Middlesex, as Cheesemongers and Poulterers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 1st day of July, 1877.

*Edward Herring Knapman.
Joseph Frederick Austin.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between us the undersigned, Thomas James Lyle and Samuel Lyle, carrying on the trade or business of Linen, Woollen, and General Drapers, at Barnstaple, in the county of Devon, under the style or firm of Lyle Brothers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Witness our hands this 23rd day of June, 1877.

*Thos. James Lyle.
Samuel Lyle.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Charles Jones, Amos Austin, and Alfred Jones, as Chair Manufacturers, at Saffron Platt, High Wycombe, in the county of Buckingham, under the firm of Jones, Austin, and Jones, was this day dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Amos Austin. All debts due from or owing to the late firm will be paid or received by the said Charles Jones and Alfred Jones, by whom the said business will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 23rd day of July, 1877.

*Charles Jones.
Amos Austin.
Alfred Jones.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership (if any) heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Elizabeth Bracewell and Hartley Bracewell, as Milliners and Drapers, at Colne, in the county of Lancaster, under the name or style of E. and S. Bracewell, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent; and that the same business will in future be carried on by the said Elizabeth Bracewell alone.—As witness our hands this 23rd day of July, 1877.

*Elizabeth Bracewell.
Hartley Bracewell.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting between the undersigned, George William Goodison, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Civil Engineer, and James Gerry, of Thurso, in the county of Caithness, Gentleman, as Slate Quarrymen and Slate Manufacturers, at Tilberthwaite, near Conistoun, in the said county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of the Conistoun Green Slate Company, has been dissolved as and from the 20th day of February last. All moneys owing by and to the said late firm will be paid and received by the said George William Goodison, who will carry on the business as from the date aforesaid, under the above-mentioned style or firm.—Dated the 28th day of June, 1877.

*Geo. Wm. Goodison.
James Gerry.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Gower and Alfred William Gower, as Coal and Iron Merchants, at No. 14, Holden-terrace, Fimbleo, in the county of Middlesex, and Round Oak, Brierley Hill, in the county of Stafford, under the style of Thomas Gower and Son, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 30th day of June, 1877.—Dated this 26th day of July, 1877.

*Thomas Gower.
A. W. Gower.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership, which has for some time past been carried on by Elizabeth Parker and William Henry Abbott, under the firm of Parker and Abbott, at No. 5, Great Russell-street and No. 1, Rounton-road, Bow, Middlesex, in the trade or business of Coffin Furniture Manufacturers, &c., was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 26th day of July, 1877.

*Elizabeth Parker.
W. H. Abbott.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Perkins Bradford and John Henry Bradford, carrying on business at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, as Oil Merchants, under the style of John Bradford and Sons, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said James Perkins Bradford, by whom the business of John Bradford and Sons will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 16th day of July, 1877.

*James P. Bradford.
John Henry Bradford.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Henry Bachmann and Henry Thomas Nettleton, carrying on the business of Coffee Export Merchants, at 59, Mark-lane, London, was, on the 25th day of June, 1877, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 18th day of July, 1877.

H. T. Nettleton.
J. H. Bachmann.

TAKE notice, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us as Watchmakers and Jewellers, at No. 177, Brompton-road, Middlesex, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due from the late firm will be paid by the undersigned, Frederick William Buxton.—Dated this 19th day of July, 1877.

F. W. Buxton.
W. F. Martin.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert Molesworth Thomas, William Charles Thomas, and Philip Molesworth Thomas, as Coach Builders, at Carmarthen, in Wales, under the firm of Thomas and Sons, was, on the 30th day of June, 1877, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said William Charles Thomas, by whom alone the said business will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 5th day of July, 1877.

Robert M. Thomas.
Philip M. Thomas.
W. C. Thomas.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Thorpe, Mary Jane Thorpe, and Alice Thorpe, carrying on business at Ducie-street, London-road, in the city of Manchester, as Costume and Skirt Manufacturers, under the style or firm of John Thorpe and Daughters, was this day dissolved, so far as regards the said Mary Jane Thorpe. All debts due or owing by the late concern will be received and paid by the said John Thorpe and Alice Thorpe, by whom the said business will in future be carried on, conjointly with Elizabeth Thorpe, and continued under the name of John Thorpe and Daughters.—Dated this 16th day of July, 1877.

Jno. Thorpe.
Mary Jane Thorpe.
Alice Thorpe.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Brinton, William Henderson, John Bennie, Edward Alfred Broome, and John Henry Pearse, heretofore carrying on the business of Carpet Manufacturers and Worsted Spinners, at Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, and of Carpet Manufacturers, at Leeds, in the county of York, under the style or firm of John Brinton and Co., was, so far as regards the said Edward Alfred Broome, dissolved, as and from the 16th day of June last, by the said Edward Alfred Broome retiring from the said partnership.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

John Brinton. *Edward A. Broome.*
William Henderson. *John H. Pearse.*
John Bennie.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, William Henry Leech and John Taylor, carrying on business at Brook-street, West Gorton, in the county of Lancashire, as Finishers, under the style or firm of Leech and Taylor, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said firm will be respectively received and paid by the said William Henry Leech, who will henceforth carry on the said business in copartnership with John James Treliving, under the style or firm of Leech and Treliving.—Dated this 23rd day of June, 1877.

Will. H. Leech.
John Taylor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership formerly subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Illingworth, of Pudsey, in the county of York, and Matthew Illingworth, of Hill Foot, Calverley Moor, in the said county, carrying on business as Quarry Owners and Stone Merchants, at the Alcockes Quarry, in Pudsey aforesaid, under the style or firm of Joseph Illingworth and Son, was dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 1st day of June, 1877; and that as and from that day the said business will be carried on at Alcockes Quarry aforesaid by the said Matthew Illingworth, in his own name and on his own account; and that all debts owing by or to the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Matthew Illingworth.—As witness our hands this 21st day of July, 1877.

Joseph Illingworth.
Matthew Illingworth.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between Robert Henry Holmes and James Cockerton, both of Ulverston, in the county of Lancaster, carrying on business as Joiners and Builders, under the style or firm of Holmes and Cockerton, in Hart street, Ulverston aforesaid, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 9th day of July, 1877.

Robert Henry Holmes.
James Cockerton.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, Arthur Cortissos and Robert Browne, carrying on business as Shipbrokers and Colliery Agents, at 85, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Cortissos, Browne, and Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The undersigned Robert Browne will continue the business, and will receive and pay all debts due to and from the said firm.—Dated this 20th day of July, 1877.

Arthur Cortissos.
Robert Browne.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Malcolm McMeekin and Robert Thodey, under the firm of Meekin and Thodey, at 8, Featherstone-buildings, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, in the trade or business of Lithographic and General Printers, was dissolved, on the 14th day of July, 1877, pursuant to a power contained in the articles of partnership.—Dated this 18th day of July, 1877.

R. Thodey.
Malcolm McMeekin,
by his Attorney, R. Thodey.

JOSHUA BRACKETT, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Joshua Brackett, late of Manchester, in the county of Essex, Bookseller, deceased (who died on the 18th day of September, 1876, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 1st day of November following, by the executors, William Brackett, of Tunbridge Wells, in the county of Kent, Estate Agent, and John Bligh, of 71, High-street, Whitechapel, London, Ironmonger), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to me, the undersigned, as the Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 25th day of August, 1877, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims and demands only of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be answerable or liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons whosever of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 20th day of July, 1877.

HENRY WITTEY, Colchester, Solicitor.

Mrs. JESSIE, otherwise JANET, DOUGLAS, Deceased. Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, intitled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand against the estate of Jessie, otherwise Janet, Douglas, late of Brunwood, Cheshire, in the county of Chester, Widow, deceased (who died on the 17th day of May, 1877, and whose will was proved in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Manchester, on the 17th day of July, 1877, by Frederic Charles Bradley, of the Inner Temple, London, Barrister-at-Law, the sole executor therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to the said Frederic Charles Bradley, the executor, at the office of his Solicitors, Messrs. Sale, Seddon, and Hilton, situate No. 25, Booth-street, in the city of Manchester, on or before the 30th day of September next, after which day the said executor will distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

SALE, SEDDON, and HILTON, 25, Booth-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Executors.

MOSS, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debt or claim upon or affecting the estate of Isaac Moss, late of 307, High Holborn, and previously of Carey street, Lincoln's-inn, and Vert-street, Clare Market, Middlesex, Boot Maker, deceased (who died on the 7th May, 1870, and whose will was proved, in the

Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 25th July, 1870, by his widow, Matilda Moss, the executrix therein named), or upon or affecting the estate of the said Matilda Moss, late of No. 18, Ravensdon-street, Kennington Park-road, Surrey, deceased (who died on the 2nd February, 1877, and whose will was proved, in the said Principal Registry, on the 22nd February, 1877, by Walter Isaac Moss, the executor named in her said will), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims to the undersigned, Arthur Tyler, the Solicitor of the said executor, on or before the 1st day of September, 1877, at the expiration of which time the said executor 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 executor shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution. — Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

ARTHUR TYLER, 46, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, Solicitor to the said Executor.

Miss MARY ANN ROBERTS, Deceased. Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, intitled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Mary Ann Roberts, late of No. 3, Belle Vue, Mount Radford, in the parish of Saint Leonard, in the county of Devon, Spinster (who died on the 7th day of November, 1876, and whose will was proved by the Reverend William Pender Roberts and Thomas William Gray, the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 21st day of July, 1877), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 1st day of September, 1877. And notice is hereby given, that at the expiration of that time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice. — Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

COODE, KINGDON, and COTTON, 7, Bedford-row, London, Solicitors to the said Executors.

WILLIAM THOMAS COX, Esq., Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of William Thomas Cox, late of Spondon Hall, in the county of Derby, Esq. (who died on the 18th day of March, 1877, and whose will, with one codicil thereto, was proved on the 3rd day of May, 1877, in the District Registry at Derby attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by William Thomas Edwards Cox, Esq., and Arthur Cox, Esq., both residing at Spondon Hall aforesaid, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send particulars of their respective debts or claims to me, the undersigned, John Smith, Solicitor to the said executors, on or before the 1st day of October next, after which date the said William Thomas Edwards Cox and Arthur Cox will proceed to distribute the assets of the said William Thomas Cox, deceased, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and the said executors will not be liable for any debt or claim of which they shall not then have received notice. — Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

JNO. SMITH, 17, Market-place, Derby, Solicitor to the said William Thomas Edwards Cox and Arthur Cox.

THOMAS BODEN FORMAN, Esq., Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Thomas Boden Forman, late of Abbot's Hill, in the borough of Derby, Esq. (who died on the 8th day of June, 1877, and whose will, with two codicils thereto, was proved on the 16th day of July, 1877, in the District Registry at Derby attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Walter Boden, Esq., and Susanna Forman, Widow, both of Derby aforesaid, the executors named in the said will and codicils), are hereby required to send particulars of their respective debts or claims to me, the undersigned, John Smith, Solicitor to the said executors, on or before the 1st day of October next,

after which date the said Walter Boden and Susanna Forman will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Thomas Boden Forman, deceased, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and the said executors will not be liable for any debt or claim of which they shall not then have received notice. — Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

JNO. SMITH, 17, Market-place, Derby, Solicitor to the said Walter Boden and Susanna Forman.

THOMAS MILLS GOODLAKE, Esq., Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Thomas Mills Goodlake, late of Wadley House, in the parish of Faringdon, in the county of Berks, and of No. 51, Upper Brook-street, Grosvenor-square, in the county of Middlesex, Esq. (who died on the 10th day of March, 1877, and whose will, with three codicils, was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 5th day of June, 1877, by George Frederick Crowdy, of Faringdon, in the county of Berks, Gentleman, and Thomas Leinster Goodlake, of Kitemore, Shellingford, in the same county, Esq., the surviving executors therein named), are requested to send the particulars of their respective claims or demands upon or against the said estate to the undersigned, on or before the 20th day of September next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the said assets so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice. — Dated this 12th day of July, 1877.

CROWDY and SON, Faringdon, Solicitors to the said Executors.

WILLIAM POWELL, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debt or claim upon or against the estate of William Powell, late of Newbold Moor, in the county of Derby, Shopkeeper, deceased (who died on the 30th day of January last, and of whose will probate was granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 9th day of March last, to Sarah Powell, of Newbold Moor aforesaid, Widow and relict of the said deceased, the sole executrix therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, on or before the 18th day of August next, at the expiration of which time the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which the said executrix shall then have had notice. — Dated this 19th day of July, 1877.

F. T. C. BLACK, 13, Church-lane, Chesterfield, Solicitor to the said Executrix.

THOMAS BOWER, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debt or claim upon or against the estate of Thomas Bower, senior, formerly of Pilsley, in the parish of Northwingfield, in the county of Derby, Retired Farmer, deceased (who died on the 5th day of September, 1875, and of whose will probate was granted by the District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Derby, on the 9th day of July last, to Charles Bower, of Pilsley aforesaid, Farmer, William Bower, of Morton, in the said county, Farmer, and Thomas Bower, of Pilsley aforesaid, Labourer, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, on or before the 18th day of August next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice. — Dated this 19th day of July, 1877.

F. T. C. BLACK, 13, Church-lane, Chesterfield, Solicitor to the said Executors.

CHARLES TODD, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debt or claim upon or against the estate of Charles Todd the elder, late of Northwingfield, in the county of Derby, Innkeeper, Grocer, and Farmer, deceased (who died on the 20th day of June last, and of whose will probate was granted by the District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of

Justice at Derby, on the 16th day of July last, to Charles Todd, of Grassmoor, in the said county, Butcher, and William Todd, of Chesterfield, in the said county. Railway Clerk, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to me, the undersigned, on or before the 18th day of August next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of July, 1877.

F. T. C. BLACK, 13, Church-lane, Chesterfield,
Solicitor to the said Executors.

JOHN HILL, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debt or claim upon or against the estate of John Hill, late of Higham Mill, in the parish of Sherland, in the county of Derby, Miller and Farmer, deceased (who died on the 21st day of May last, and of whose will probate was granted by the District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Derby, on the 9th day of July last, to John Hill, of Higham aforesaid, Miller, the executor therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, on or before the 18th day of August next, at the expiration of which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which the said executor shall then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of July, 1877.

F. T. C. BLACK, 13, Church-lane, Chesterfield,
Solicitor to the said Executor.

FRANCIS ALEXANDER McKROBIE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Francis Alexander McKrobie, late of Bolsover, in the county of Derby, Gentleman, deceased, are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, on or before the 18th day of August next, at the expiration of which time the administratrix of the personal estate and effects of the said deceased will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which the said administratrix shall then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of July, 1877.

F. T. C. BLACK, 13, Church-lane, Chesterfield,
Solicitor to the said Administratrix.

JOHN WATHEN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any debt, claim, or demand whatsoever against the estate of John Wathen, late of No. 17, Pell-street, St. George's in-the-East, in the county of Middlesex, Undertaker (who died on 6th June last), are hereby required to send written particulars of such claims to the undersigned, Solicitor for Sarah Richards, the wife of Samuel Richards, the administratrix of the personal estate and effects of the deceased, before the 1st October next, after which date the said administratrix will distribute the deceased's assets, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have notice.—Dated 21st July, 1877.

CHAS. MALLAM, 1, Staple-inn, London, W. C.

EDMUND POPE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Edmund Pope, late of No. 410, Brixton-road, Brixton, in the county of Surrey, Surgeon, deceased (who died there on the 15th day of July, 1877, and whose will and codicil were duly proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 23rd day of July, 1877, by Charles William Dommest and William Collier, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required, on or before the 31st day of August, 1877, to send particulars, in writing, of such claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executors, at my office, No. 20, Gutter-lane, Cheapside, in the city of London, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which the said executors shall have then received notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not have then received notice.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

C. W. DOMMETT, 20, Gutter-lane, London, E. C.,
Solicitor for the said Executors.

ISAAC PEACOCK, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Isaac Peacock, late of Kepwick, in the county of York, Yeoman, deceased (who died on the 16th day of June, 1877, intestate, and to whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were granted on the 6th day of July, 1877, by the York District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, to James Peacock, of Cowesby aforesaid, Farmer, the natural and lawful brother of the deceased), are hereby required to send particulars thereof, in writing, to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said administrator, on or before the 1st day of September, 1877, after which date the administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which he shall then have had notice; and the said administrator will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand he shall not then have had notice. And all persons indebted to the estate of the said deceased are requested to pay the amount of their debts respectively to me, forthwith.—Dated the 19th day of July, 1877.

W. M. ROBT. WEST, Market place, Thirsk, Solicitor to the said Administrator.

RICHARD HARE, 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 creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Richard Hare, formerly of Rigton-in-the-Forest, in the county of York, Yeoman, but late of Wetherby, in the said county, Gentleman (who died on the 17th day of May, 1877, and whose will was proved on the 18th day of June, 1877, in the District Registry, at Wakefield, attached to the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, by Thomas Kirk and John Kirk, the executors named in the said will), are hereby requested, on or before the 30th day of September next, to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor to the executors, at my office, No. 9, South-parade, Leeds aforesaid, after which day the said executors will proceed to apply and distribute the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, among the parties entitled thereto, and having regard only to the claims and demands which shall be justly due of which they shall then have had notice; and the executors will not be liable for such assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated the 25th day of July, 1877.

J. WALTER HARLAND, 9, South-parade, Leeds,
Solicitor to the said Executors.

Re EDWARD CRANE, Esq., Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims and demands upon or against the estate of Edward Crane, late of Broom House, in the parish of Broom, in the county of Worcester, Esq., deceased (who died on or about the 13th day of November, 1876, and whose will was proved by Arnold Crane Rogers, of York House, Stourport, in the said county of Worcester, Gentleman, and Charles Crane, of Tettenhall, in the county of Stafford, Gentleman, the executors therein named, on the 11th day of April, 1877, in the District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, at Worcester), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to the said Arnold Crane Rogers and Charles Crane, or the undersigned, Benjamin Hadley Sanders, their Solicitor, on or before the 29th day of September, 1877; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

W. H. SANDERS, Bromsgrove, Worcestershire.

CATHERINE HAWLEY, Widow, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of Catherine Hawley, late of No. 18, Theobald's-road, in the county of Middlesex, and of Debdon, in the county of Essex, Widow, deceased (who died on the 28th

day of July, 1876, intestate, and of whose personal estate and effects left unadministered by Sarah Snackell, Widow, deceased, letters of administration were granted out of the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 11th day of November, 1876, to James Thomasson, of Tanner's Hill, Deptford, in the county of Kent, Dairyman), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their respective claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the administrator, at No. 6, Serjeants'-inn, Fleet-street, in the city of London, on or before the 1st day of September next, after which day the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Catherine Hawley amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and the said administrator will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

HEATHFIELD YOUNG, 6, Serjeants'-inn, Fleet-street, London, E.C., Solicitor for the Administrator.

Miss MARY ANN OGDEN, 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 or other persons having any debt of claim against or affecting the estate and effects of **Mary Ann Ogden**, late of No. 157, Oakbank, Cheetham Hill, near the city of Manchester, Spinster (who died on the 31st day of May, 1877, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved on the 4th day of July, 1877, in the District Registry, at Manchester, of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, by Richard Copley Christie, of Uplands, Prestwich, in the county of Lancaster, Barrister-at-Law, and John Warburton, of Fairlie-villas, Fallowfield, near Manchester aforesaid, Gentleman, the executors named and appointed by the said will), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims upon the estate of the said **Mary Ann Ogden**, deceased, to the said executors, at the office of their Solicitors, Messrs. Cunliffe, Leaf, and Co., No. 56, Brown-street, Manchester aforesaid, on or before the 1st day of October next, after which day the said executors will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said **Mary Ann Ogden**, deceased, for the benefit of the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and liabilities of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable to any person and persons of whose claim and demand they shall not have had notice for or in respect of the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed.—Dated this 26th day of July, 1877.

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

HUMPHREY WICKHAM, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to 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 on or against the estate of **Humphrey Wickham**, late of Hunton, in the county of Kent, deceased (who died at Hunton aforesaid, on the 25th day of June, 1876, and whose will and codicil were proved on the 21st day of August, 1876, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Benjamin Wickham, of Kildown, Goudhurst, and Henry Calcutt, of 218, Tottenham-court-road, London, the executors named in and appointed by the said will), are, on or before the 1st day of September, 1877, to send in to the said Benjamin Wickham, particulars of their debts or claims, or in default thereof the executors will, at the expiration of the above time, distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to those debts and claims only of which they shall then have had notice, and the executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

GEORGE HINDS, Goudhurst, Solicitor to the said Executors.

Mr. BENJAMIN WASS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate and effects of **Benjamin Wass**, late of Messingham in the county of Lincoln, Farmer, deceased (who died on the 9th day of September, 1876, and probate of whose will and codicil was, on the 17th day of October, 1876, granted by the District Registry at Lincoln attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, to Thomas William Wass, of Kirkby-cum-Osgodby, in the county of Lincoln, Farmer, and Frank Mason the younger,

of Messingham, in the said county of Lincoln, Farmer, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in particulars of their respective debts, claims, or demands to either of the said executors, or to us, the undersigned, on or before the 8th day of September next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice, and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice, and all debtors to the estate of the said deceased are requested to pay the sums due from them respectively to the said executors or to us.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

W. E. and B. HOWLETT, Kirton-in-Lindsey, Solicitors to the said Executors.

THOMAS CROXTON, Esq., Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of **Thomas Croxton**, late of Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Governor of the Blue Coat School, deceased (who died on the 19th day of July, 1876, and whose will was proved, in the Manchester Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 18th day of August, 1876, by James Frederick Tweedale, of Oldham aforesaid, Solicitor, and Daniel Buckley, of Oldham aforesaid, Cotton Spinner, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 25th day of August next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any creditor or other person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

TWEEDALE, SON, and LEES, Church-lane, Oldham.

EMMA MADELINA RIGBY, Spinster, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of **Emma Madelina Rigby**, late of College-street, Putney, in the county of Surrey, Spinster (who died on the 22nd day of June, 1865, and to whose estate and effects letters of administration were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, to Edward Cartwright Pinnock Rigby, on the 6th day of July, 1877), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors to the said administrator, on or before the 1st day of September next, after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said **Emma Madelina Rigby**, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice. And all persons indebted to the said estate are requested forthwith to pay the amount of their respective debts to us, the undersigned.—Dated this 17th day of July, 1877.

HYDE, TANDY, and MAHON, 33, Ely-place, Holborn, London, E.C., Solicitors to the said Administrator.

EDWIN BUDD RIGBY, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of **Edwin Budd Rigby**, late of No. 8, Combermere-road, Brixton, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman (who died on the 15th day of July, 1875, and to whose estate and effects letters of administration, with the will annexed, were granted on the 26th day of June, 1877, by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, to Edward Cartwright Pinnock Rigby), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors to the said administrator, on or before the 1st day of September next, after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said **Edwin Budd Rigby**, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall

then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not have had notice. And all persons indebted to the said estate are requested forthwith to pay the amount of their debts to us, the undersigned.—Dated this 17th day of July, 1877.

HYDE, TANDY, and MAHON, 33, Ely-place, Holborn, London, E.C., Solicitors to the said Administrator.

Re MARY ANN MARCHANT, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands against the estate of Mary Ann Marchant, late of Tanshelf, in the parish of Pontefract, and county of York, Widow (who died on the 13th day of December, 1876, and whose will was proved on the 7th day of May, 1877, in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Wakefield, by James Hossack and Thomas Mallorie Leak, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to me, the undersigned, William Edward Carter, of Pontefract aforesaid, the Solicitor to the said executors, on or before the 31st day of August, 1877, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the whole of the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

W. E. CARTER, Pontefract, Solicitor to the said Executors.

GEORGE JAMES HANKS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of George James Hanks, late of No. 64, Holywell-street, in the city of Oxford, College Servant, deceased (who died on the 5th day of April, 1877, and whose will was, on the 12th day of May following, proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Oxford, by William Francis Perkins and William Haines, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to the undersigned, Messrs. Morrell and Son, as Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 1st day of September next. And notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which 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 claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

MORRELL and SON, St. Giles, Oxford, Solicitors to the said Executors.

JOHN LIDDLE, Deceased.

ALL persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Liddle, late of 16, Leconsfield-street, Cleator Moor, in the county of Cumberland, Engine Driver, deceased, are required to send particulars of the same—and persons indebted to the deceased to pay the amount of their indebtedness—to me, the undersigned, Solicitor to the executors of the said John Liddle, deceased, on or before the 9th day of August, 1877.

FREDK. WHITTLE, Cleator Moor, Solicitor.

WILLIAM MORTON, 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 all persons having any claims or demands against or upon the estate of William Morton, late of Stainsby, near Stainton, in the North Riding of the county of York, Farmer, deceased (who died on the 13th day of February, 1877, intestate, and of whose estate and effects letters of administration were granted on the 27th day of June, 1877, to Anna Morton, of Stainsby aforesaid, Spinster, sister of the deceased, by the District Registry attached to Her Majesty's Court of Probate at York), are hereby required to send to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said administratrix, on or before the 15th day of August next, the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands. And notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said administratrix will distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, or will otherwise deal therewith, having regard to the claims of which she shall then have had notice; and the said administratrix will not be liable for

the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim she had not notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

GARBUTT and FAWCETT, Stockton-on-Tees, Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

WILLIAM WILLIAMS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand against the estate of William Williams, of Carnecoch, in the parish of Llanunda, in the county of Pembroke, Gentleman (who died on the 17th day of October, 1876, and whose will was proved by William Williams and George Williams, the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are requested to send, in writing, the particulars of their claims or demands against the said William Williams to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said executors, on or before the 31st day of August, 1877, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims or demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not have had notice at the time of distribution.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

DAVIES and CO., of Haverfordwest, Solicitors for the said Executors.

ABIGAIL SAMUEL, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands against or any interest in the estate of Abigail Samuel, late of 18, Upper Bedford-place, in the county of Middlesex (who died on the 3rd day of December, 1874, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 12th day of March, 1875, by Frederick Louis Laurence, of Tavistock-square, in the county of Middlesex, Sponge Merchant, and Joseph Samuel, of 13, Hanover-terrace, Regent's Park, in the said county of Middlesex, Esq., the executors therein named), are requested to send particulars of such claims, demands, or interest to us, the undersigned, on or before the 19th day of September next, after which day the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto; and they will not be liable for any debt or demand, or in respect of any such interest, of which they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

EDMUND F. and BENN DAVIS, 6, Cork-street, Burlington-gardens, Solicitors of the said Executors.

ELLEN ELIZABETH BATE, 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 any creditor or other person having any claim or demand upon the estate of Ellen Elizabeth Bate, late of No. 122, Tachbrook-street, Pimlico, in the county of Middlesex, Widow (who died on the 29th day of May, 1877, intestate, and letters of administration of whose personal estate were granted by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, at the Principal Registry of the Probate Division thereof, on the 13th day of June, 1877, to Francis Horner, of No. 27, James-street, Saint Mary's, in the town of Southampton, the brother of the said deceased), is hereby required to send full particulars of any such claim to me, the undersigned, Solicitor to the said administrator, on or before the 1st day of September next, after which day the said administrator will proceed to distribute the intestate's assets among those entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 10th day of July, 1877.

W. STUART, 11, Adam-street, Adelphi, London, W.C., Solicitor to the said Administrator.

Re REBECCA DOUGLASS, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, section 29, 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 affecting the estate of Rebecca Douglass, late of Tanner-row, in the city of York, Spinster (who died on the 13th day of May, 1843, and probate of her will, with a codicil thereunto annexed, was granted by the Prerogative Court of the Archbishop of York, on the 3rd day of July, 1843, to James Taylor, of the said city of York, Tobacconist,

and William Brodie, of the same city, Bacon Factor, the two executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars of such claims or demands, addressed to the said James Taylor, the surviving executor, at the offices of us, the undersigned, his Solicitors, on or before the 1st day of October next. And notice is hereby further given, that after that day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testatrix amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and that such executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed as aforesaid, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

MANN and SON, 1, New-street, York, Solicitors to the Executor.

ISAAC GREENBURY, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claim against the estate of Isaac Greenbury, late of Harrogate, in the county of York, Jet Manufacturer (who died on the 3rd day of January, 1877, and whose will was proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Wakefield, by David John Wilson, of Harrogate aforesaid, the sole executor therein named, on the 17th day of July instant), are hereby required to send written particulars of such claims to me, on or before the 28th day of September next, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

A. MALCOLM BATESON, Harrogate, Solicitor for the said Executor.

DAVID THOMAS Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that creditors and other persons having any claim or demand upon the estate of David Thomas, formerly of Kilgadan fawr, in the parish of Llandefeilog, in the county of Carmarthen, but late of No. 6, Morley-street, in the town of Carmarthen, Gentleman (who died on the 12th day of May, 1877, and whose will was, on the 23rd day of June, 1877, proved in the Carmarthen District Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, Probate Division, by John Griffiths, Thomas Davies, and Elizabeth Thomas, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars of their respective claims or demands to me, the undersigned, on or before the 12th day of August next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to apply the assets in accordance with the provisions of the testator's will, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 10th day of July, 1877.

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

Re WILLIAM HENRY HYETT, Esq., Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims upon the estate of William Henry Hyett, late of Painswick House, in the county of Gloucester, Esq., deceased, are to send particulars thereof to the undersigned, on or before the 16th day of December next, after which day the executor will distribute the assets of the deceased; and will not be liable for such assets to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 16th day of July, 1877.

WHITCOMBE and GARDOM, Gloucester, Solicitors to the Executor.

JOHN WIGHT, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd of 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 claim or demand against the estate of John Wight, late of Monk's House, Chaddesley Corbett, in the county of Worcester, deceased (who died on the 15th day of December, 1858, and to whose estate letters of administration, with the will annexed, were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 2nd day of July, 1877, to James Pratt Wight, of 1, Seafield-terrace, Dalkey, near Dublin, in Ireland), are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims and demands to Mr. James Girdlestone, of No. 3, Albany-court-yard, Piccadilly, London, the Solicitor for the said administrator, James Pratt Wight, on or before the 10th day of Sep-

tember next; after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the estate of the said John Wight, deceased, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and will not be liable in respect of the assets, so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

JAMES GIRDLESTONE, 3, Albany-court-yard, Piccadilly, London, W., Solicitor for the said Administrator.

MAXIMILIEN ESKELES, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors and all other persons having claims or demands upon or affecting the estate of Maximilien Eskeles, late of 7, Mark-lane, in the city of London, and of 21, Clarges-street, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, Merchant, deceased (who died on the 10th day of July, 1877, at 21, Clarges-street, Piccadilly aforesaid, whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 20th day of July, 1877, by Samuel Solomon Joseph, of 34, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, Merchant, and Sigismund Ochs, of 83, Hatton-garden, in the county of Middlesex, Diamond Merchant, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars of such debts, claims, and demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 25th day of September next; after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the debts, claims, and demands only of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

TAMPLIN, TAYLER, and JOSEPH, 159, Fenchurch-street, London, E.C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

HENRY JOHN LEA, Esq., Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims upon or against the estate of Henry John Lea, late of Osmaston-road, in the borough of Derby, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 24th day of March, 1877, and whose will was duly proved on the 5th day of June, 1877, in the District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Derby, by Josiah Davenport Norton, of Derby aforesaid, one of the executors therein named), are requested to send the particulars of their respective claims and demands in writing to me, the undersigned, on or before the 31st day of August next; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall have had notice.—Dated this 17th day of July, 1877.

J. DAVENPORT NORTON, 2, St. James's-chambers, Derby, Solicitor.

ARCHIBALD TURNER, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Archibald Turner, late of Bow Bridge Works, and of West Leigh, Leicester; in the county of Leicester; Elastic Web Manufacturer, deceased (who died on the 10th day of November, 1876, and whose will, together with three codicils thereto, was proved in the District Registry at Leicester of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 29th day of January, 1877, by James Mitchell Padmore, Richard Taylor, and Abraham Pegg, the executors thereof), are hereby respectively required, on or before the 10th day of October, 1877, to send in the particulars of their respective debts, claims, or demands to the said executors, at the office of their Solicitor, No. 11, Belvoir-street, in Leicester aforesaid; at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased according to the trusts and directions of the said will and codicils, amongst the parties entitled thereto,

having regard only to the claims or demands of which the said executors shall then have had due notice; and that the said executor will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not have had due notice.—Dated this 18th day of July, 1877.

JOSH. BARBER HAXBY, 11, Belvoir-street, Leicester, Solicitor for the said Executors.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

Vice-Chancellor Hall.

Between Anne Hulbert, Widow, since deceased, George Alexander Hulbert, Mary Hulbert, now Mary Metcalfe, the wife of Henry Geldart Metcalfe, Esqre., and John Henville Hulbert, Charles Curtis Hulbert, since deceased, Anne Caroline Hulbert, afterwards the wife of Henry Leslie Hunt, and since deceased, and Fanny Hulbert, Plaintiffs; and John Martin and George Law, both since deceased, and George Still Law, Defendants; and in the Matter of the Act 19th and 20th Victoria, cap. 120, intitled "An Act to facilitate Leases and Sales of Settled Estates;" and of the Acts amending the same; and in the Matter of certain Pieces of Land, containing in the whole 2 acres 1 rood and 3⁸ perches, or thereabouts, being part of the Stakes Hill Estate, situate in the parishes of Farlington and Waterloo, in the county of Southampton, now forming part of the Estates settled by the Will of John Spice Hulbert, late of Stakes Hill Lodge, in the said parish of Farlington, Esqre., deceased.

PURSUANT to the above-mentioned Acts of Parliament, and the Consolidated General Order of the High Court of Chancery in that behalf, notice is hereby given, that on the 23rd day of July, 1877, George Alexander Hulbert, of Stakes Hill Lodge, in the parish of Farlington, in the county of Southampton, Esquire, presented his Petition to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice (to be heard before his Lordship the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall), praying that part of the above-mentioned Stakes Hill Estate may be laid out as a road in accordance with terms set forth in a contract, dated the 20th day of July, 1877, in the Petition fully set forth, and that all proper enquiries may be made and directions given for effecting such purposes, and that the costs of and incident to the said Petition may be provided for. And notice is also hereby given, that the petitioner may be served with any Order of the Court, or of the Judge in Chambers, or notice relating to the subject of the said Petition, at the offices of Messrs. Law, Hussey, and Hulbert, situate at No. 10, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex.—Dated this 26th day of July, 1877.

LAW, HUSSEY, and HULBERT, Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

In the Matter of the Leases and Sales of Settled Estates Act, 1856, and of the Acts amending the same; and in the Matter of a Leasehold Messuage, No. 34, Devonshire-place, in the parish of St. Marylebone, in the county of Middlesex, and the Coach-house and Stables thereto belonging, settled by the Will of William Gabbett Beare, deceased.

PURSUANT to the above-mentioned Acts of Parliament and the Consolidated General Order of this Court in that behalf, notice is hereby given, that on the 24th day of July, 1877, Charlotte Laura Beare, of No. 172, Cromwell-road, South Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, Widow, Arthur Doveton Clarke, of No. 3, Stanhope-gardens, Queen's-gate, in the said county of Middlesex, Esq., Robert Ruthven Pym, of No. 1, Cavendish-square, in the same county, Esq., and Francis Douglass Boggis-Rolfe, of 69, St. George's-square, in the same county, Esq., presented their Petition to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice (to be heard before his Lordship the Master of the Rolls), praying that an Order may be made, vesting in the petitioners Arthur Doveton Clarke, Robert Ruthven Pym, and Francis Douglass Boggis-Rolfe, as Trustees of the will of William Gabbett Beare, deceased, in the Petition named, power to grant to Joseph Andrade, in the Petition named, an underlease of the above-mentioned leasehold hereditaments, or that a general power may be vested in the said petitioners, Arthur Doveton Clarke, Robert Ruthven Pym, and Francis Douglass Boggis-Rolfe to grant underleases of the said premises; and that the costs of and incident to the said Petition may be paid out of the rents and profits of the above-mentioned hereditaments, or that such further or other Order may be made in the premises as to the said Court shall seem meet. And notice is also hereby given, that the petitioners may be served with any Order of the Court, or of the Judge in Chambers, or notice relating to the subject of the said petition, at the offices of Messrs. Palmer, Eland and Nettleship, situate at 4, Trafalgar-square, in the county of Middlesex.—Dated this 26th day of July, 1877.

PALMER, ELAND, and NETTLESHIP, 4, Trafalgar-square, W.C., Solicitors for the Petitioners.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of Thomas Lawes, deceased, and in an action of Lawes v. Lawes, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, the Judge to whose Court this matter and action is attached, by Mr. Evan Vaughan (one of the firm of Hards, Vaughan, and Jenkinson), the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Mart, Tokenhouse-yard, Bank of England, on Friday, the 10th day of August, 1877, at one for two o'clock in the afternoon, the following leasehold properties in the Seven Sister's-road and Green Lanes, in the county of Middlesex, held from the Ecclesiastical Commissioners, for terms of which about 80 years are unexpired, in fourteen lots:—

In the Seven Sister's road, facing Finsbury Park.

Lot 1. A detached family residence, known as Lindrick House, let at the rent of £135 per annum, ground-rent apportioned £6.

Lot 2. The adjoining detached residence and garden, known as Ecclesfield, let at £140 per annum, ground-rent partly apportioned, £6.

Lot 3. The adjoining detached residence and garden, known as Fairmead, let on lease for 7, 14, or 21 years, from Midsummer, 1876, at £145 per annum, ground-rents partly apportioned, £6.

Lot 4. A semi-detached residence, No. 7, Beaulieu-villas, let at the rent of £80 per annum, ground-rent £15.

Lot 5. A semi-detached residence, No. 8, Beaulieu-villas, with garden, let at £80 8s. per annum, ground-rent £15.

Lots 6 and 7. Two semi-detached residences, Nos. 9 and 10, Beaulieu villas, let at the rents of £60 and £70 per annum, ground-rent £15 each.

Lots 8 and 9. Two similar residences, Nos. 11 and 12, Beaulieu-villas, let at £65 per annum each, ground-rent £15 each.

In the Green Lanes.

Lot 10. A detached villa residence with stabling and garden, known as Beaulieu Villa, let at £100 per annum, ground-rent £8 15s. 6d.

Lots 11 and 12. Two plots of building land, near Beaulieu Villa, having frontages to Green Lanes of 55 and 98 feet respectively, or thereabouts, no ground-rents.

Lot 13. A plot of land in the rear of some of the former lots, approached from Green Lanes, no ground-rent.

In High Holborn.

Lot 14. A profit rental of £206 per annum, for two years unexpired at Michaelmas next, secured upon business premises, No. 124, High Holborn.

The houses may be viewed by orders to be obtained of the Auctioneers, and particulars, plans, and conditions of sale may be obtained of Messrs. Surr, Gribble, and Bunton, Solicitors, 12, Abchurch-lane, E.C.; of Messrs. Blake and Snow, Solicitors, No. 22, College-hill, E.C.; of Messrs. Turner and Son, Solicitors, 78, Leadenhall-street, E.C.; at the Mart; and at the Auctioneers' offices, 6, Moorgate-street, and Greenwich, Kent.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action re Green, deceased, Green v. Green, 1876, G., 153, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, by Mr. William Lovejoy, of the firm of Writers, Lovejoy, and Miles, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the George Hotel, Balham, in the county of Surrey, on Tuesday, the 7th day of August, 1877, at six for seven of the clock in the evening, in ten lots:—

Ten plots of freehold building land, free from tithe and land-tax, having a frontage to Endlesham-road, Balham, in the county of Surrey, of 211 feet 8 inches, and a depth of about 190 feet.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis) of Messrs. Tanqueray-Willaume, Haubury, Hutwin, and Whitting, of 34, New Broad-street, in the city of London; of Messrs. Robinson and Hilder, of 36, Jermyn-street, in the county of Middlesex, Solicitors; of the Auctioneers; and at the place of sale.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action Telfer v. Telfer, with the approbation of the Master of the Rolls, by Mr. John Whittaker Ellis, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Norfolk Hotel, at Bognor, in the county of Sussex, on Saturday, the 18th day of August, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon, in four lots, the following properties:—

Lot 1. The residence known as Aldwick Lodge, situate at Aldwick, near Bognor aforesaid, with stabling, farmery, pleasure grounds, and lawns, and enclosures of meadow land, containing 10A. 2R. 2P., more or less. This lot is (with the exception of an undivided sixth of less than an acre, which is held for a term of one thousand years from 1810) all freehold.

Lot 2. Three enclosures of arable land, comprising 7A. 3R. 35P., more or less, in the occupation of Mr. Upton. These enclosures are leasehold, held for a term of ten

thousand years, created in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, at nominal rents.

Lot 3. A cottage residence, with garden, abutting upon Aldwick Green, in the occupation of Mr. Comben.

Lot 4. A plot of land, comprising 2a. 1r.

Lots 3 and 4 are (with the exception of an undivided sixth share thereof, held for the residue of the above term of one thousand years), also freehold.

May be viewed by cards to be had of the Auctioneers. Particulars and conditions of sale may be obtained of Messrs. Taylor and Hales, Solicitors, 5, Gray's-inn-square, W.C.; of Messrs. Heusman and Nicholson, 35, College-hill, Cannon-street, E.C.; Messrs. Wilkinson and Drew, 151, Bermondsey-street, S.E.; at the Norfolk Hotel, Bognor; and at the offices of Messrs. Farebrother, Ellis, Clark, and Co., 5, Lancaster-place, Strand, W.C., and 18, Old Broad-street, E.C.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action of Watson v. Hartness, 1875, W., 46A, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, by Robinson Mitchell, junior, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Station Hotel, at Aspatria, in the county of Cumberland, on Wednesday, the 29th day of August, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon, in nine lots:—

All that freehold farm and estate situate at Blennerhasset, in the parish of Torpenhow, in the county of Cumberland, and also all that close of land in the parish of Allhallows, in the same county, containing together 78 acres, or thereabouts, and being arable and pasture land; also a freehold cottage, house, and garden, situate at Blennerhasset aforesaid, the whole in the respective occupations of yearly tenants, at rents amounting to £160 per annum.

Printed particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis), in London, of Messrs. Bischoff, Bompas, and Bischoff, of 4, Great Winchester-street, E.C., Solicitors; Messrs. Gray and Mounsey, of 9, Staple-inn, W.C., Solicitors; Messrs. Speechly and Co., of No. 1, New-inn, W.C., Solicitor; and, in the country, of Mr. E. L. Waugh, of Cocker-mouth, Solicitor; Mr. John Benson, of Cocker-mouth, Solicitors; Mr. John Mason, of Whitehaven, Solicitor; Messrs. Hayton and Simpson, of Cocker-mouth, Solicitors; of the Auctioneer, at his office, at Cocker-mouth; and at the place of sale.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Judgment of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of George Walden, deceased, and in a cause the Wilts and Dorset Banking Company v. Walden, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Sir James Bacon, in one lot, by Mr. John Abbott, of the firm of Abbott and Son, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the King's Arms, Newlyn's Hotel, Christchurch, in the county of Hants, on Monday, the 13th day of August, 1877, at two for three o'clock in the afternoon:—

A freehold house and premises situate at Bargates, at the West End of the town of Christchurch, in the said county of Hants, and lately occupied by the said George Walden, in the business of a Baker, and which business is now carried on by Mary Walden, his Widow. There is a back yard to the said premises with private entrance from the Bournemouth-road. Immediate possession may be had.

Particulars whereof and conditions of sale may be had (gratis) of Messrs. Peacock and Goddard, Solicitors, 3, South-square, Gray's-inn; of Mr. Risdon D. Sharp, Solicitor, Christchurch, Hants; of the Auctioneers, Bridge-street, Christchurch, and Bournemouth, and at the place of sale.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in an action of Charlton v. Wolstenholme, with the approbation of the Master of the Rolls, in two lots, by Mr. Thomas Hulme Calderbank, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the City Hotel, Cooper-street, in the city of Manchester, on Tuesday, the 21st day of August, 1877, at seven o'clock in the afternoon prompt:—

Consisting of a certain plot of land, in Shudehill, in the said city of Manchester, bounded by Bradshaw-street and Snow-hill and Cross-street, containing 304 square yards or thereabouts, having erected thereon a public-house and messuage called the Castle and Falcon, and three cottages and workshop; also of a plot of land in Cornwall-street, off Oldham-road, Manchester aforesaid, containing 205 square yards or thereabouts, with five cottages erected thereon. Both properties are subject to small chief rents.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis), in Manchester, of Messrs. Sale, Seddon, and Hilton, of 29, Booth-street, and Mr. Richard William Stead, Bank-chambers, Essex-street, Solicitors; of the Auctioneer, 2, Cooper-street, and at the place of sale; and in London, of Messrs. Phelps, Sidwick, and Biddle, of 3, Gresham-street, E.C.; Messrs. Le Riche and Son, 173, Fenchurch-street, E.C.; and Messrs. Torr and Co., 38, Bedford-row, W.C.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action Young v. Young, 1876, Y., No. 10, with the approbation of the Master of the Rolls, by Mr. John Turner, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the White Lion Inn, Ashover, in the county of Derby, on Wednesday, the 8th day of August, 1877, at five o'clock in the afternoon precisely, in three lots:—

Certain freehold estates situate at Press and Fabric, in the parish of Ashover, comprising at Press about 16a. 2r. 29p. of land, with a dwelling-house, corn mill, two cottages, and adjoining buildings thereon, and at Fabric, about 5a. 2r. 9p., with two cottages thereon. The above-mentioned properties are now in the respective occupations of Richard Young, William Johnson, Jane Saunders, Peter Young, Robert Jepson, and Ann Lynam.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis) of Messrs. Cutts, Jones, and Middleton, Messrs. Gratton and Marsden, and Mr. John Bunting, Solicitors, Chesterfield; of Messrs. Field, Roscoe, and Co., 36, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C.; of Messrs. Sharpe and Ullithorne, 1, Field-court, Gray's-inn, Holborn, W.C.; of the Auctioneer, at Chesterfield, and at the place of sale.

PURSUANT to a Judgment of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in an action Curteis against Wormaid, 1875, C. 10th, the persons claiming to be the next of kin to George Gent, late of Moynes Park, Steeple Bumpstead, in the county of Essex, Esquire, who died in or about the month of October, 1818, living at the time of his death, and the personal representative or representatives of such of them as have since died, are, on or before the 25th day of October, 1877, to come in and prove their claims at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, situate in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, or in default thereof, the will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the said Judgment. Thursday, the 1st day of November, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of William Palmer, deceased, and in an action Binning against Binning, 1877, P., No. 49, the creditors of William Palmer, late of Yatton, in the county of Somerset, Retired Farmer, who died in or about the month of March, 1876, are, on or before the 31st day of August, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. George Horace David Chilton, of No. 3, Small-street, in the city and county of Bristol, a member of the firm of Wadham, Chilton, and Green-Armytage, of the same place, the Solicitors of the plaintiff, Sarah Ann Binning, the administratrix, with the will annexed, of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, at his chambers, situated at No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Tuesday, the 30th day of October, 1877, at twelve of the clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

PURSUANT to a Judgment of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of Evan Bowen, deceased, and in an action John Bowen, plaintiff, against John Bowen Jones and others, defendants, 1877, B., 170, the creditors of Evan Bowen, late of Bixton House, near Shrewsbury, in the county of Salop, Gentleman, who died in or about the month of December, 1876, are, on or before the 1st day of October, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Thomas Chadwick, of the firm of Newsam and Chadwick, of Warwick, the Solicitors of the plaintiff, the executor of the said Evan Bowen, 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 holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Malins, at his chambers, situated No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Tuesday, the 30th day of October, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

PURSUANT to a Judgment of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action in the matter of the estate of Lucrecia Smith Poupard, deceased, Charles John Tyle and Alfred Balliston against Maria Rowband, 1877, P., No. 143, the creditors of Lucrecia Smith Poupard, late of the town and county of the town of Southampton, Spinster, who died on the 21st day of March, 1877, are, on

or before the 31st day of August, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. G. F. W. Mortimer, of the firm of Messrs. Stead, Tylee, and Mortimer, of Romsey, Hampshire, the Solicitors of the plaintiffs, 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 Judgment. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, at his chambers, situated No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Saturday, the 27th day of October, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated the 24th day of July, 1877.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action in the matter of the estate of Ann Hawkins, deceased, and in a cause Wood against Odhams, 1877, H., No. 228, the creditors of Ann Hawkins, late of No. 11, Murray-street, Camden Town, in the county of Middlesex, Widow, who died in or about the month of March, 1877, are, on or before the 1st day of October, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to George John Shaw, of No. 8, Furnival's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, the Solicitor for the plaintiff, Ezekiel Wood, one of the executors of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir James Bacon, at his chambers, situated at No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Tuesday, the 6th day of November, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action in the matter of the estate of Matilda Tallemach, deceased, MacMullan and Wife against Tallemach, 1876, T., 209, the persons claiming to be next of kin, according to the statutes for the distribution of intestates' estates, of Matilda Tallemach, late of No. 83, Marylebone-road, in the parish of Saint Marylebone, in the county of Middlesex, Spinster, who died in or about the month of December, 1875, living at the time of her death, or claiming to be the legal personal representatives of such of the said next of kin as are now dead, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 1st day of November, 1877, to come in and prove their claims at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situate No. 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. The said Matilda Tallemach was a daughter of Thomas Tallemach, Gentleman Farmer, who resided many years at Petersham, in the county of Surrey, England. Monday, the 5th of November, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of John Kay, deceased, and in a cause John Edwin Powers against Susan Kay, Widow, the creditors of John Kay, late of Biggleswade, in the county of Bedford, Brewer, who died on or about the 13th day of December, 1876, are, on or before the 1st day of October, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. Singleton and Tattershall, of 9, Great James-street, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, the Solicitors of the defendant, Susan Kay, Widow, the executrix of the will of the said John Kay, 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, in the county of Middlesex, on Friday, the 2nd day of November, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action in the matter of the estate of Christopher Liddell, deceased, Liddell against Caranichael, 1876, L., 51, the creditors of Christopher Liddell, late of the Welch Ale Brewery, Old Kent-road, in the county of Surrey, Brewer, who died in or about the month of December, 1868, are, on or before the 1st day of October, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to Robert Thompson Stouham, of the firm of Stouham and Legge, of No. 5, Phippot-lane, in the city of London, the Solicitors of the defendant, Elizabeth Liddell, the surviving executrix of the will 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 Friday, the 2nd day of November, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in an action in the matter of the estate of George Henry Broadbridge, deceased, Shirley against Broadbridge, 1877, B., 296, the creditors of George Henry Broadbridge, late of Sutton, in the county of Surrey, Builder, who died in or about the month of May, 1877, are, on or before the 1st day of October, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. Jackson and Prince, of No. 14, Clements-lane, in the city of London, the Solicitors of the defendant, Ann Broadbridge, Widow, the administratrix 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. 12, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Wednesday, the 14th day of November, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of Charlotte Susanna Clark, deceased, and in two several actions of Blackburn v. Cotton, 1876, C., No. 165, and Cathrow v. Cotton, 1876, C., No. 169, the creditors of the said Charlotte Susanna Clark, late of Chertsey, in the county of Surrey, who died on the 30th day of October, 1873, are, on or before the 15th day of September, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Nicholas Bennett, of No. 4, Furnival's-inn, Holborn, the Solicitor of the defendant, Charles Cathrow Cotton, one of the executors of the above-named 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, in the county of Middlesex, on Tuesday, the 13th day of November, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in a cause of Crook against Crook, the creditors of Richard Crook, late of Barnstaple, in the county of Devon, Cabinet Maker, deceased, who died on the 30th day of December, 1874, are, on or before the 17th day of August, 1877, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. John Arnold Thorne, of Barnstaple aforesaid, the Solicitor of the defendant, Francis Crook, the executor of the will of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the District Registrar of the Court, at the District Registry Office, on the Quay, Barnstaple, on Tuesday, the 28th day of August, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

Isaac Machin, William Machin, and Joseph Machin.
In the Matter of the Estate devised by the Will of John Shaw, late of Ripley, in the county of Derby, in England, who died in or about the year 1836.

PURSUANT to the Partition Act, 1876, notice is hereby given, that the above-named Isaac Machin, William Machin, and Joseph Machin, and each of them, if living, and all persons claiming under them, or any of them, by devise, descent, or otherwise, to be interested in the real estate of the above-named John Shaw, the subject of a certain matter and cause pending in the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice in England, intituled in the Matter of the Estate of John Shaw, deceased, Topham v. Burgoyne, 1877, S., 9, are required to come in and establish their respective claims in respect thereof, at the Chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir James Bacon, No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, England, on or before the 1st day of November,

1877, and in default thereof they will be bound by the proceedings in the said action.—Dated this 16th day of July, 1877.

N. B.—The above-named Isaac Machin, William Machin, and Joseph Machin, are, or were, sons of John Machin, who appears to have died intestate in the Lunatic Asylum or Alma House, at New Jersey City, county of Hudson, and State of New Jersey, in the United States of America, in or about February, 1870. The said Isaac Machin is believed to have died intestate and unmarried at Indianapolis, in the said United States, in or subsequent to the year 1863; the said William Machin is believed to have died at Indianapolis aforesaid, intestate and unmarried, in or about the year 1863; and the said Joseph Machin is believed to have left New Jersey, in or about the year 1868 or 1869, and to have gone to sea as a sailor on board a whaler.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

In the Matter of an Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors, executed by William Young Cumming, of No. 1A, Princes-road, Notting Hill, in the county of Middlesex, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on the 15th day of August next, the Trustees will declare a Final Dividend. All creditors who have not already sent in their claims are requested to do so before that date, or they will be excluded from the benefit of such dividend.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

VAN SANDAU and CUMMING, 13, King-street, Cheapside, Solicitors for the Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A DIVIDEND of 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Michel Lewil, of 8, South-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, and of 28, Rue Magnan, Paris, in the Republic of France, trading under the style or firm of Michel Lewil and Co., Merchants, and will be paid by me, at 25, Old Jewry, in the city of London, on and after Thursday, the 9th day of August, between the hours of eleven and two.—Dated this 26th day of July, 1877.

ED W. C. CHATTERLEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A THIRD Dividend of 1s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Henry Miles and Alfred Miles, of No. 4, John-street, Leonard-street, Curtain-road, Shoreditch, in the county of Middlesex, Window Glass, Lead, and Paper Hangings Merchants, trading under the style or firm of Miles Brothers, and will be paid by me, at my office, situate No. 1, Chancery-lane, Pall Mall, Manchester, on and after the 1st day of August, 1877.—Dated this 20th day of July, 1877.

WM. WHITAKER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at King's Lynn.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 2s. 11½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Charles Jackson, of Holbeach, in the county of Lincoln, Wine and Spirit Merchant, and will be paid by me, at my office, in Holbeach aforesaid, on and after the 1st day of August, 1877, between the hours of ten and four.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

THOMAS MITCHELL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Barnstaple.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 4s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Richard Taylor, of Barnstaple, in the county of Devon, Butcher, and will be paid by me, at the office of Mr. J. A. Thorne, Solicitor, Castle-street, Barnstaple, on the 7th day of August, 1877, between the hours of ten and four o'clock.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

HENRY ALFORD, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Barnstaple.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 2s. 3d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of George Maxwell, of Barnstaple, in the county of Devon, Wine and Spirit Merchant, and will be paid by me, at the office of Mr. J. A. Thorne, Solicitor, Castle-street, Barnstaple, on the 7th day of August, 1877, between the hours of ten and four o'clock.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

H. T. BESLEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. 3d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Radcliffe Balmford, of West Vale, in Greetland, in the parish of Halifax, in the county of York, Joiner and Cabinet Maker, and will be paid at my office, in Crown-street, Halifax aforesaid, on and after the 4th day of August, 1877.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

JOHN BAMFORD, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 9d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of William Gant, of the Rifleman's Arms Inn, Blaenavon, in the parish of Llanover Upper, in the county of Monmouth, Innkeeper, Contractor, and Farmer, and will be paid by me, at 30, High-street, Newport, in the said county of Monmouth, on and after the 8th day of August, 1877.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

R. B. EVANS, 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 Alfred Porter, of 109, Grange-road, Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, and 1, Zingari-terrace, Gipsy-road, Norwood, in the same county, Surveyor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 27, Finsbury-pavement, in the city of London, on the 9th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

W. GRIFFIN PAYNE, 27, Finsbury-pavement, 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 James Pettigrew, of No. 60, Lordship-road, Stoke Newington, in the county of Middlesex, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Tilley and Soames, No. 10, Finsbury-place South, in the city of London, on the 9th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

TILLEY and SOAMES, 10, Finsbury-place, South, City, 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 Faulconer Morgan and Ormond Butler, of No. 71, Southwark-bridge-road, in the county of Surrey, Hop Merchant, trading under the style or firm of Faulconer Morgan and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Faulconer Morgan has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. G. W. Challis and Co., Public Accountants, No. 12, Clement's-lane, in the city of London, on the 9th day of August, 1877, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

J. WILTON FEW, 79, Borough High-street, Southwark, Solicitor for the said Faulconer Morgan.

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 Ward Challis, of No. 12, Clement's-lane, in the city of London, carrying on the business or calling of an Accountant, Arbitrator, and Valuer, in copartnership with George John Hart, under the style or firm of G. W. Challis and Co., and also of No. 18A, Bull and Mouth-street, Saint Martin's-le-Grand, in the city of London, carrying on the business of a Wine and Spirit Merchant, in copartnership with Robert Dickson Richardson, under the style or firm of R. D. Richardson and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of the said G. W. Challis and Co., No. 12, Clement's-lane, in the city of London, on the 9th day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

J. WILTON FEW, 79, Borough High-street, Southwark, Solicitor for the said George Ward Challis.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Hermann Charles Gros, of 1, Worship-street, Finsbury, and 163, City-road, both in the county of Middlesex, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Tavern, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 9th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

INGLE, COOPER, and HOLMES, 20, Thread-needle-street, 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 William McKechnie, of 206, Roman-road, Old Ford, Middlesex, Wholesale 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 office of Mr. Louis Lewis, No. 9, Hatton-garden, Holborn, Middlesex, on the 7th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 14th day of July, 1877.

LOUIS LEWIS, 9, Hatton-garden, Holborn, Solicitor for the said William McKechnie.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Andrew Lows, of No. 24, Great Percy-street, 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 Ridler's Hotel, Holborn, in the city of London, on the 20th day of August, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

A. Lows, the above-named 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 Stead, of No. 139, West Ferry-road, Millwall, in the parish of All Saints, Poplar, in the county of Middlesex, Jeweller, and Watch and Clock Maker.

NOTICE is hereby given that a New First General Meeting of the Creditors of the above named person has been summoned to be held at No. 440, Commercial-road East, Ratcliff, in the county of Middlesex, on the 9th day of August, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

W. ARCHER, of 440, Commercial-road East, in the county of Middlesex, 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 Colebrooke, of Percy Cottage, Blenheim-grove, Rye-lane, Peckham, in the county of Surrey, Builder and House Decorator.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Tavern, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 10th day of August, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

HOUGHTON and BYFIELD, 85, Gracechurch street, London, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Reuben Hyams and John Marks, both of No. 79, Bishopsgate-street Within, in the city of London, trading in copartnership under the style or firm of Hyams and Marks, Tailors.

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. Foreman, Son, and Sterry, of No. 7, Gresham-street, in the city of London, Public Accountants, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

HENRY SYDNEY, 139, Leadenhall-street, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Lanson, of No. 43, Rutland-street and Rutland-yard, Rutland-street, Fimlico, in the county of Middlesex, Job Master.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Charles Francis Yorke, of 21, Warwick-street, Regent-street, in the county of Middlesex, on the 13th day of August, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

C. F. YORKE, 21, Warwick-street, Regent-street, Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Bartley, of No. 6, Willingham-terrace, Leighton-road, Kentish Town, in the county of Middlesex, Contractor's Clerk and Railway Clerk.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 37, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, on the 3rd day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of July, 1877.

E. F. MARSHALL, 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 William Henry Gedy, of the Ship, Wardour-street, Soho, in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Joseph Perry, No. 2, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 14th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

JOSEPH PERRY, 2, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Watkins, of 21, Milkwood-road, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, Cheesemonger.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Carter and Bell, 5, Eastcheap, in the city of London, on the 10th day of August, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

CARTER and BELL, 5, Eastcheap, London, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Thomas Buck, known as William Buck Berg, of Green-street, North Audley-street, in the county of Middlesex, Steward.

NOTICE 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 Slater, 1, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 17th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

ARTHUR T. HEWITT, 32, Nicholas-lane, 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 Francis Henry Layland, trading as Henry Layland, of No. 20, Great St. Helens, Bishopsgate-street Within, in the city of London, 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 Terminus Hotel, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on the 9th day of August, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of July, 1877.

H. WICKENS, 96, Palmerston-buildings, Old Broad-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 Thomas Lawton, of No. 8, Oxford-street, Marlborough-road, Chelsea, in the county of Middlesex, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. James Chapman and Company, No. 10, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 13th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

JAMES CHAPMAN and CO, 10, Basinghall-street, 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 George William Frankland, of 61, New Cut, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, China, Glass, and Earthenware Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my office, No. 48, High Holborn, London, W.C., on the 7th day of August, 1877, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

HENRY L. SYDNEY, Solicitor for the said George William Frankland.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Arthur Drake, of No. 2, Colchester-villas, Victoria-road, Aldershot, in the county of Southampton, Messman.

NOTICE 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. Richard Eve, Solicitor, Victoria-road, Aldershot, Hants, on the 10th day of August, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

RICHARD EVE, Aldershot, Hants, Solicitor for the said William Arthur Drake.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Emmanuel Clarke, of 95, High-street, Guildford, in the county of Surrey, Coal Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Anderton's Hotel, 162, Fleet-street, London, on the 15th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

R. E. GEACH, Guildford, Solicitor for the said Emmanuel Clarke.

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 William Macklen, of No. 11, Oakfield-road, Penge, in the county of Surrey, Tea and Coffee Dealer, Grocer, and Italian Warehouseman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Lindus, Solicitor, No. 156, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 14th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

H. W. LINDUS, 156, Cheapside, London, Solicitor for the said William Macklen.

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 Stephen Batcheler, of Norfolk House, Maple-road, Penge, in the county of Surrey, Tailor and Outfitter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Chamber of Commerce, 145, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 9th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

F. W. ADAMS, Grecian-chambers, Devereux-court, Temp e, 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 Alexander La Roche Oades, of Egham, in the county of Surrey, 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 offices of Messrs. Miller and Miller, of No. 13, Sherborne-lane, in the city of London, on the 14th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

JAMES R. SPILLER, Egham, Surrey, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Guildford.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Northover, of Blackwater, in the county of Hants, 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 13, Friar-street, Reading, on the 2nd day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of July, 1877.

JOHN T. DODD, 13, Friar-street, Reading, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Rochester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Bowes, of High-street, Milton-next-Sittingbourne, in the county of Kent, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at office of Mr. James Basset, Solicitor, Eastgate, Rochester, on the 31st day of July, 1877, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

JAMES BASSET, Eastgate, Rochester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Suffolk, holden at Ipswich.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Hubbard, of the Little Wonder Beerhouse, Bell-lane, Ipswich, in the county of Suffolk, Beerhouse Keeper and Carpenter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Robert Raby Hill, No. 30, Saint Nicholas-street, Ipswich, in the county of Suffolk, on the 11th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

ROBERT R. HILL, 30, Saint Nicholas-street, Ipswich, Solicitor for the said Charles Hubbard.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Chelmsford.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederic Francis, of High Roothing, in the county of Essex, Beerhouse Keeper 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 office of Mr. Frederick John Snell, situate at Great Dunmow, in the county of Essex, Solicitor, on the 13th day of August, 1877, at seven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

FRED. J. SNELL, Solicitor for the said Frederic Francis.

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 Henry Goom, of No. 26, Rowley-street, Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, and Lawrence Nutter, of No. 26, Travis-street, Burnley aforesaid, carrying on business in copartnership as Power Loom Reed Manufacturers, at Salford Bridge, Royle-road, in Burnley aforesaid, under the style or firm of Goom and Nutter.

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. Thomas Nowell, Solicitor, 11, Hargreaves-street, in Burnley aforesaid, on the 16th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

T. NOWELL, 11, Hargreaves-street, Burnley, Solicitor for the said Henry Goom and Lawrence Nutter.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Burnley.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Trenbolme, of Roomfield-lane, in Todmorden, in the county of York, Joiner and Builder and Timber Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the White Hart Hotel, in Todmorden, in the county of Lancaster, on the 6th day of August, 1877, at a quarter-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

A. G. and T. W. EASTWOOD, Todmorden, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Burnley.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Dean, of Eyes Baro, Hapton, in the county of Lancaster, Stonemason, formerly of Fadibam, in the said county, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 14, Grimshawe-street, in Burnley aforesaid, on the 6th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

J. N. SUTCLIFFE, 14, Grimshawe-street, Burnley, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Buckley, of Heywood, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer, also carrying on business at Vale Mill, within Heywood aforesaid, in copartnership with Hartley Hollinrake as Cotton Spinners, under the style of John Buckley 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 No. 9, Broad-street, Bury, Lancashire, on the 9th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 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 Bolton.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Angelo Warriss, of No. 6, Hotel-street, Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Tailor and Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Ryley and Haslam, Solicitors, 26, Mawdsley-street, Bolton aforesaid, on the 14th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

RYLEY and HASLAM, 26, Mawdsley-street, Bolton, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edmund Ashworth, of No. 12, Clegge-street, Hopwood, near Heywood, in the county of Lancaster, and of Lower Moor, Oldham, in the said county, Provision Dealer, Coal and Lime 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 No. 6, Garden-street, Bury, in the said county, on the 1st day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

FRED. ANDERTON, 6, Garden-street, Bury, 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 William Gregson, of Laburnum Lodge, Victoria-road, Fulwood Park, Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Bookseller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the residence of Mr. Charles G. Spencer, No. 9, Winckley-square, Preston, in the county of Lancaster, on the 9th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

CHARLES G. SPENCER, 2, Winckley-street, Preston, Solicitor for the said William Gregson.

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 Edward Richardson, of 29, Union-street, Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Tailor and Draper, trading under the style or firm of Richardson Brothers.

NOTICE 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 Best, Solicitor, 64, Lower King-street, Manchester, on the 16th day of August, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

J. BEST, 64, Lower King-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Edward Richardson.

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 William Maggs, of 73, Lees-road, in Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Draper, Confectioner, and General Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Mire Hotel, Cathedral-gates, in the city of Manchester, on the 7th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

BUCKLEY and CLEGG, 30, Clegg-street, Oldham, Solicitors for the said William Maggs.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Webster, trading as J. Webster and Co., of 72, High-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Hosier and General Warehouseman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Edward Heath and Sons, Solicitors, 41, Swan-street, Manchester, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

EDWD. HEATH and SONS, 41, Swan-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said John Webster.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Harrison, of Chancery-lane and Midland-street, Ardwick, in the city of Manchester, Picture Frame Maker, 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 Messrs. Smith and Boyer, Solicitors, 34, Brazennose-street, Manchester, on the 10th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

SMITH and BOYER, 34, Brazennose-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Peter Swan, of Nos. 52 and 56, Copperas-street, Oak-street, and of Smithfield Market, both in Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Earthenware Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. W. C. Chew and Sons, Solicitors, 23, Swan-street, Manchester aforesaid, on the 3rd day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

W. C. CHEW and SONS, 23, Swan-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Warrington.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Feeny, of No. 4, King-street, Warrington, in the county of Lancaster, and Waterloo-road, Widnes, in the same county, Tailor and Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. John F. Bretherton, No. 15, Bank-street, Warrington aforesaid, on the 14th day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

JOHN F. BRETHERTON, 15, Bank-street, Warrington, 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 Charles Benjamin Spragge Norton, formerly of Moreton-in-Marsh, in the county of Gloucester, and now of Shipston-on-Stour, in the county of Worcester, 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 Bell Inn, in Shipston-on-Stour, in the county of Worcester, on the 9th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 18th day of July, 1877.

THOS. EDEN-HIRON, Shipston-on-Stour, Worcester-shire, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Briton Smallman, residing and carrying on business at Nos. 4 and 11, East Holborn, South Shields, in the county of Durham, Chemist.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of George Beasley Wilson, Featherstone-chambers, Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

GEORGE B. WILSON, Featherstone-chambers, Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said Edward Briton Smallman.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Edward Smallwood, of No. 2, St. Nicholas-buildings, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Merchant 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 offices of John Alderton Bush, 2, St. Nicholas-buildings, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

J. A. BUSH, 2, St. Nicholas-buildings, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said Thomas Edward Smallwood.

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 George Hogg, of Hay Market, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Coach Builder and Cartwright.

NOTICE 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 Brewis Elsdon, Solicitor, No. 4, Royal-arcade, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 18th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

W. BREWIS-ELSDON, 4, Royal-arcade, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said George Hogg.

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 Smith, of Walker, in the county of Northumberland, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. J. G. and J. E. Joel, 1, Newgate-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 14th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

J. G. and J. E. JOEL, 1, Newgate-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitors for the said James Smith.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Scott, of 65, High Bridge, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in the county of the same town, Picture Frame Maker.

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

Stanford, on the 7th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

D. EDWD. STANFORD, 21, Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 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 Edwin Roberts, late of No. 1, Walhouse-street, Walsall, in the county of Stafford, now of Pool Green, Aldridge, in the same county, Greengrocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. George Vaughan, Solicitor, No. 18, Walsall-street, Willenhall, in the county of Stafford, on the 3rd day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

GEORGE VAUGHAN, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Walsall. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Pointon and James Withington, of Old Fallow-road, Cannock, in the county of Stafford, Builders, trading as Partners under the style or firm of Pointon and Withington.

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. Thomas Walker and Son, No. 62, Darlington-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, on the 15th day of August, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

THOMAS WALKER and SON, 62, Darlington-street, Wolverhampton, Solicitors for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Walsall. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Pointon and James Withington, of Old Fallow-road, Cannock, in the county of Stafford, Builders, trading as Partners under the style or firm of Pointon and Withington.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named George Pointon, has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Thomas Walker and Son, No. 62, Darlington-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, on the 15th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

THOMAS WALKER and SON, 62, Darlington-street, Wolverhampton, 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 George Pointon and James Withington, of Old Fallow-road, Cannock, in the county of Stafford, Builders, trading as Partners under the style or firm of Pointon and Withington.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named James Withington has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Thomas Walker and Son, No. 62, Darlington-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, on the 15th day of August, 1877, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

THOMAS WALKER and SON, 62, Darlington-street, Wolverhampton, 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 Thomas Stubbs, of Pipe Hill, near Lichfield, in the county of Stafford, 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 offices of Mr. G. Ashmall, Market-street, Lichfield, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

GEORGE ASHMALL, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Benjamin Caswell, of the Summ-rhousc Ion, Saint Mark-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Beer-house Keeper.

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. Thomas Dallow, Solicitor, 15, Queen-square, Wolverhampton, on the 3rd day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

THOS. DALLOW, 15, Queen-square, Wolverhampton, Solicitor for the said Benjamin Caswell.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Hanley, Burslem, and Tun-tall.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Ravenscroft Bowers, of Hope-street, Hanley, in the county of Stafford, 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 No. 22, Cheapside, Hanley, on the 4th day of August, 1877, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of July, 1877.

R. A. STEVENSON, 22, Cheapside, Hanley, Solicitor for the said William Ravenscroft Bowers.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Jenkins, of Bilston-road, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Cooper and Packing-case Maker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. T. Gatis, Solicitor, 56, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, on the 20th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

THOS. GATIS, 56, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Cockermouth.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William McNeill, of Workington, in the county of Cumberland, Shipbroker, Milliner, and Smallware Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Station Hotel, Workington, in the county of Cumberland, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

JOHN MASON, 67, Duke-street, Whitehaven, Solicitor for the said William McNeill.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Carlisle. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Cockbain, of Queen-street, Penrith, in the county of Cumberland, Wine and Spirit Merchant and Manufacturer of Aerated Waters.

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. 28, Southend-road, Penrith, in the county of Cumberland, on the 9th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

CHRIS. FAIRER, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Carlisle. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Holmes, of Penrith, in the county of Cumberland, Jeweller and Gunmaker.

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. Burman and Crompton, Solicitors, No. 41, Cherry-street, Birmingham in the county of Warwick, on the 2nd day of August, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

BURMAN and CROMPTON, 41, Cherry-street, Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Joseph Holmes.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Whitehaven. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Wood, of 65, Market-place, Whitehaven, in the county of Cumberland, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. John Mason, Solicitor, No. 67, Duke-street, in Whitehaven aforesaid, on the 10th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

JOHN MASON, 67, Duke-street, Whitehaven, Solicitor for the said John Wood.

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 Charles Thomas Leach, of No. 180, Commercial-road, Landport, in the parish of Portsea, in the county of Hants, Boot Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. G. H. King, 43, North-street, Portsea, in the county of Hants, on the 10th day of August, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

G. H. KING, 43, North-street, Portsea, 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 George Barnes, of North End, in the parish of Portsea, in the county of Hants, 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. G. H. King, 43, North-street, Portsea, in the county of Hants, on the 11th day of August, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

G. H. KING, 43, North-street, Portsea, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Southampton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Johnson Walden, of No. 15, High-street, in the town and county of Southampton, 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. Harry Charles Guy, No. 2, Albion-terrace, Southampton, Solicitor, on the 11th day of August, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

HARRY CHARLES GUY, 2, Albion-terrace, Southampton, Solicitor for the said Joseph Johnson Walden.

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 Allen Newnham and Alexander Newnham, of Sandown and Shanklin, Builders and Coal Merchants, Copartners, and in the Matter of the Separate Estate of the said Allen Newnham, of Sandown, in the Isle of Wight, Builder and Lodging-house Keeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Warburton's Hotel, Quay-street, Newport, Isle of Wight, on the 7th day of August, 1877, at five o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

WILLIAM H. WOOLDRIDGE, Sandown, I.W., Solicitor for the said Allen Newnham.

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 Allen Newnham and Alexander Newnham, of Sandown and Shanklin, Builders, and Coal Merchants, Copartners, and in the Matter of the Separate Estate of the said Alexander Newnham, of Shanklin, in the Isle of Wight, 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 Warburton's Hotel, Quay-street, Newport, Isle of Wight, on the 7th day of August, 1877, at half-past five o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

WILLIAM H. WOOLDRIDGE, Sandown, I.W., Solicitor for the said Alexander Newnham.

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 Thomas Gorsuch Furneaux, of the city of Coventry, Watch Tool and Material Dealer, Cap and Index Maker.
NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the White Lion Hotel, Smithford-street, Coventry, on the 9th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

GEORGE WOODCOCK, 38, Bayley-lane, Coventry, Solicitor for the said Thomas Gorsuch Furneaux.

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 De-la-Tour Scrymgour Blackwell, of No. 85, Gosford-street, in the city of Coventry, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Davis, Solicitor, No. 11, Hay-lane, in the city of Coventry on the 8th day of August, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

HENRY J. DAVIS, 11, Hay-lane, Coventry, Solicitor for the said De-la-Tour Scrymgour Blackwell.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.
In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Brookes, of 47, Wharf-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Engineer and Machinist.

NOTICE 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. Reece and Harris, 47, New-street, Birmingham aforesaid, on the 6th day of August, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 19th day of July, 1877.

REECE and HARRIS, 47, New-street, Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Thomas Brookes.

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 Richard Haydon, of Peel-terrace, Strehley Street (near Birmingham), in the county of Worcester, out of business, late of Mill Pool Hill, in the parish of King's Norton, in the said county of Worcester, Licensed Victualler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Eldon-chambers, 35, Cherry-street, Birmingham aforesaid, on the 6th day of August, 1877, at a quarter-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

ALFRED B. EAST, Eldon-chambers, Cherry-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 Richard Whatton, of Clifford-street, Aston, near Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Pearl Button 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 Eldon-chambers, 35, Cherry-street, Birmingham aforesaid, on the 7th day of August, 1877, at a quarter-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

ALFRED B. EAST, Eldon-chambers, Cherry-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 Samuel Jones, of the Waggon and Horses Inn, No. 37, Summer-row, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Licensed Victualler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Walford, of No. 32, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 7th day of August, 1877, at

three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

JOHN WALFORD, Solicitor for the said Samuel Jones.

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 Watts, of Alum Rock, Upper Salsley, in the parish of Aston, in the county of Warwick, Cattle Dealer and Slaughterman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Buller and Bickley, Solicitors, 30, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 7th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

BULLER and BICKLEY, 30, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.
In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Henry Norbury, of 118, Icknield-square, Ladywood, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Grocer and Wholesale Beer Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Buller and Bickley, Solicitors, 30, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham aforesaid, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

BULLER and BICKLEY, 30, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.
In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Rowland Glegg Barnsley, of Lednam-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Jew's Harp Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. George Burn Lowe, Solicitor, 13, Temple-street, Birmingham, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

GEO. BURN LOWE, 13, Temple-street, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.
In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Faulconbridge, of No. 142, Highgate-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Baker and Flour Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Thomas Charles Cheston, No. 148, Moor-street, Birmingham, on the 15th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.
In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Smith, of Wishmore and Foucher Farms, in the parish of Whitbourne, in the county of Hereford, Farmer, Miller, and Corn Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. George W. Bentley, No. 51, Foregate-street, in the city of Worcester, on the 7th day of August, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

G. W. BENFLEY, Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.
In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Greensill Priddey, of Droitwich, in the county of Worcester, Timber Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Day, Ivens, and Morton, Bank-buildings, Kidderminster, on the

10th day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

DAY, IVENS, and MORTON, Solicitors for the said Thomas Greensall Priddey.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Tredegar. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Reynolds Williams, of Abertillery, 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 Messrs. Simons and Plews, Solicitors, situate in Church-street, Merthyr Tydfil, in the county of Glamorgan, on the 10th day of August, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

SIMONS and PLEWS, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Westacott, of No. 6, Upper William-street, in the borough of Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, 26A, High-street, Newport, Mon., on the 7th day of August, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

F. S. DAUNCEY, 26A, High-street, Newport, Mon., Solicitor for the said Robert Westacott.

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 John Jones, of Penmaen View, Colwyn Bay, in the county of Denbigh, Lodging-house Keeper and Wine and Beer 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 Castle Hotel, in the town of Conway, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

RD. JAMES, Llanrwst, Solicitor 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 William Price, late of No. 10, Sussex-street, Rhyl, in the county of Flint, but now of Brooklyn Vaults, Church Walks, Llandudno, in the county of Carnarvon, Wine and Spirit Merchant, trading as William Price 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 Queen's Hotel, Chester, on the 9th day of August, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

REGINALD S. CHAMBERLAIN, Mostyn-street, Llandudno, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Stockport. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Jabez Clayton, of No. 62, Lower Hillgate, Stockport, in the county of Cheshire, Brushmaker.

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, Bank-chambers, Market-place, Stockport, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of July, 1877.

FRAS. NEWTON, Bank-chambers, Market-place, Stockport, Solicitor for the said Jabez Clayton.

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 Morgan Bracher, of the Weymouth Arms, No. 6, Burlington-place, Bath, in the county of Somerset, and Weston, near Bath aforesaid, Brewer, Maltster, and Licensed Victualler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my office, No. 5, Union-street, Bath, in the county of Somerset, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

FRANCIS SAMUEL CLARK, No. 5, Union-street, Bath, Solicitor for the said Morgan Bracher.

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 Arthur Palmer, of No. 58, Broad-street, and No. 30, Bridge-street, both in the city and county of Bristol, Auctioneer and Furniture Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of James Smith Pitt, 30, Broad-street, in the city and county of Bristol, on the 7th day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

WILLIAM A. PITT, 30, 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 Hannah Daley, of No. 8, Bloy-terrace, Bloy-street, Lower Eston, in the county of Gloucester, Grocer and Beer Retailer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. William Andrews, No. 3, Nicholas-street, Bristol, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

JOHN PRICE, 3, Nicholas-street, Bristol, 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 Charles Ayling, of 3A, New-road and 16, 17, and 19, Newark-place, both in Brighton, and 25, Preston-road, Preston, all in the county of Sussex, Machinist and Machine 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 3, New-road, Brighton aforesaid, on the 13th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

ALFRED P. MILLS, 3, New-road, Brighton, Solicitor for the said Charles Ayling.

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 Frederick William Stevens, of Keymer, near Hurstpierpoint, in the county of Sussex, Tutor and Schoolmaster.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Mr. Mahomed's, Farm-road, Hove, Brighton, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

R. E. GEACH, Guildford, Solicitor for the said Frederick William Stevens.

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 Charles Moulé, of 28, Dryden-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Builder and Bricklayer.

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, Victoria-chambers, 29, Gallowtree-gate, Leicester aforesaid, on the 11th day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

JAMES T. WRIGHT, 29, Gallowtree-gate, Leicester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Ferdinand Callier, residing at Uplands-villas, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, formerly in copartnership with William Edgar Williams, trading at No. 6, Cambrian-place, Swansea aforesaid, under the style or firm of Callier and Williams, as Ship Brokers, Coal Merchants, and Commission Agents, and now trading on his own account as a Ship Broker, Coal Merchant, and Commission Agent, at No. 6, Cambrian-place, Swansea 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 No. 2, Cambrian-place, Swansea aforesaid, on the 6th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

SMITH, LEWIS, and JONES, No. 2, Cambrian-place, Swansea, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Benjamin Evans, of Neath-road, Morriston, in the borough of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, trading at the Bridge Steam Saw Mills, at Morriston aforesaid, under the style or firm of B. Evans and Co., as Tin Plate Box Manufacturers, but now out of business.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 18, York-place, at Swansea aforesaid, on the 10th day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

J. AERON THOMAS, 18, York-place, Swansea, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Edgar Williams, residing at No. 14, Herbert-place, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, formerly in copartnership with Ferdinand Callier, trading under the style or firm of Callier and Williams, as Ship Brokers, Coal Merchants, and Commission Agents, now trading on his own account as a Ship Broker, Coal Merchant, and Commission Agent, at No. 1, Somerset-place, Swansea 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 No. 2, Cambrian-place, Swansea aforesaid, on the 6th day of August, 1877, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

SMITH, LEWIS, and JONES, No. 2, Cambrian-place, Swansea, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Lile Phillips, of 133, New Oxford-street, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Master Mariner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 57, Wind-street, Swansea, on the 9th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

HENRY D. WOODWARD, 57, Wind-street, Swansea, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Rutter, of Witton-le-Wear, in the county of Durham, Blacksmith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. George Maw, Jun., High Bondgate, Bishop Auckland, on the 10th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

GEO. MAW, Jun, Bishop Auckland, Solicitor for the said Thomas Rutter.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Burnip, of Langley Moor, in the county of Durham, 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. 40, Sadler-street, in the city of Durham, on the 10th day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

JAMES CHAMBERS, 40, Sadler-street, Durham, Solicitor for the said Thomas Burnip.

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 Archibald John Thatcher, of No. 22, North Bridge-street and No. 2, Ellerslie-terrace, Monkwearmouth, in the county of Durham, 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 Edmund George Walthew, Solicitor, No. 5, Fawcett-street, Sunderland aforesaid, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

EDMUND GEO. WALTHER, 5, Fawcett-street, Sunderland, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Wood, of Peases-street, Lingdale-in-Cleveland, in the county of York, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my office, 16, Albert-road, Middlesborough, in the county of York, on the 7th day of August, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

THEODORE H. WARD, 16, Albert-road, Middlesborough, Solicitor for the said Joseph Wood.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James McGarity, of Middlesborough, in the county of York, Tailor and Outfitter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Ship Inn, Stockton-on-Tees aforesaid, on the 10th day of August, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

WM. LEES DOBSON, 36, Gosford-street, Middlesborough, Solicitor for the said James McGarity.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Hudson, of Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, Saddler, trading as Colgrave and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. J. H. Draper, in Finkle-street, Stockton-on-Tees, on the 9th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

J. H. DRAPER, 20, Finkle-street, Stockton-on-Tees, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Michael Bradley, of Portrack-place, Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, Grocer.

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 Mr. J. H. Draper, in Finkle-street, Stockton-on-Tees, on the 9th day of August, 1877, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

J. H. DRAPER, 20, Finkle-street, Stockton-on-Tees, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Aaron Britain, of Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, Corn 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. W. M. Best, No. 6, St. John's-road, Stockton-on-Tees, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

W. M. BEST, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Hancock and Thomas Abraham Hancock, of Crediton, in the county of Devon, Wine and Spirit Merchants and Importers, and of the Queen's Hotel, Ilfracombe, in the same county, Wine and Spirit Merchants, Importers, and Licensed Victuallers, trading at both places as Hancock and Son.

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. Tribe, Clark, Eaton, James, and Co., 2, Moorgate-street-buildings, Moorgate-street, London, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

H. H. BECKINGHAM, Albion-chambers, Broad-street, Bristol, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Hancock and Thomas Abraham Hancock, of Crediton, in the county of Devon, Wine and Spirit Merchants and Importers, and of the Queen's Hotel, Ilfracombe, in the same county, Wine and Spirit Merchants, Importers, and Licensed Victuallers, trading at both places as Hancock and Son.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named George Hancock has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Tribe, Clark, Eaton, James, and Co., 2, Moorgate-street-buildings, Moorgate-street, London, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely. Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

H. H. BECKINGHAM, Albion-chambers, Broad-street, Bristol, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Hancock and Thomas Abraham Hancock, of Crediton, in the county of Devon, Wine and Spirit Merchants and Importers, and of the Queen's Hotel, Ilfracombe, in the same county, Wine and Spirit Merchants, Importers, and Licensed Victuallers, trading at both places as Hancock and Son.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Thomas Abraham Hancock has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Tribe, Clark, Eaton, James, and Co., 2, Moorgate-street-buildings, Moorgate-street, London, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

H. H. BECKINGHAM, Albion-chambers, Broad-street, Bristol, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Colston Lewis, of 87, Fore-street, and Victoria-road, Exeter, Hatter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Edwin Fewings, Accountant, No. 16, Queen-street, Exeter, on the 9th day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

T. W. HARTNOLL, of 19, Gandy-street, Exeter, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Chesterfield the younger, of No. 3, Melville-street, Torquay, in the county of Devon, Carpenter.

NOTICE 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. Hooper and Wollen, Carlton House, Torquay, in the county of Devon, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

HOOPER and WOLLEN, Carlton House, Torquay, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

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 John King, of No. 3, Farringdon-street, New Swindon, in the county of Wilts, Provision Dealer, trading as King and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. A. Barns, Solicitor, Wood-street, Swindon aforesaid, on the 7th day of August, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

AMOS BARNs, Swindon, Wilts, Solicitor 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 John Dearsley, of Great Thurlow, in the county of Suffolk, Carpenter and Bierhouse 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 Bell Hotel Haverhill, Suffolk, on the 4th day of August, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 14th day of July, 1877.

GEORGE MUMFORD, Sudbury, Suffolk, Solicitor for the said John Dearsley.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Bedford.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Walsh, of Bedford, in the county of Bedford, Printer, Stationer, and Newspaper Proprietor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Conquest and Clare, Duke-street, Bedford, on the 11th day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

CONQUEST and CLARE, Bedford, Solicitors for the said John Walsh.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Bedford.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Cox Walter, of Bedford, in the county of Bedford, Baker and Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Conquest and Clare, Duke-street, Bedford, on the 11th day of August, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

CONQUEST and CLARE, Bedford, Solicitors for the said William Cox Walter.

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 Jacob Scofield, of Radford Woodhouse, Radford, in the county of Nottingham, Miner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. George Belk, 7, Middle-pavement, Nottingham, on the 30th day of July, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

GEORGE BELK, 7, Middle-pavement, 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 Evan Parry, of Market-street, Langbarns, in the county of Carmarthen, Draper 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 office of Mr. William Morgan Griffiths, Saint Mary-street, Carmarthen, on the 4th day of August, 1877, at a quarter past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

W. MORGAN GIFFORD, of Saint Mary-street, Carmarthen, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Barnsley.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joe Senior, of Regent-street, in Barnsley, in the county of York, Solicitor.

NOTICE 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 Harry Bailey, in Guest's-yard, in Barnsley aforesaid, on the 10th day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

JAMES GRAY, Eldon-street, Barnsley, Solicitor for the said Joe Senior.

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 Charles Edwin Waterhouse, of Padsey, in the county of York, James Waterhouse, of Swinnow Moor, Stanningley, in Bramley, near Leeds, in the said county, and Albert Waterhouse, of Swinnow Moor, Stanningley, in Bramley aforesaid, Builders, carrying on business in partnership together at Swinnow Moor, Stanningley, in Bramley aforesaid, under the style or firm of Waterhouse Brothers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Henry Johnson Carr, 14, Albion-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Solicitor, on the 10th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

HENRY JOHNSON CARR, Solicitor for the said Charles Edwin Waterhouse, James Waterhouse, and Albert Waterhouse.

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 Charles Edwin Waterhouse, of Pudsey, in the county of York, James Waterhouse, of Swinnow Moor, Stanningley, in Bramley, near Leeds, in the said county, and Albert Waterhouse, of Swinnow Moor, Stanningley, in Bramley aforesaid, Builders, carrying on business in copartnership together at Swinnow Moor, Stanningley, in Bramley aforesaid, under the style or firm of Waterhouse Brothers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of Charles Edwin Waterhouse, one of the above-named persons, has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Henry Johnson Carr, 14, Albion-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Solicitor, on the 10th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

HENRY JOHNSON CARR, Solicitor for the said Charles Edwin Waterhouse.

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 Charles Edwin Waterhouse, of Pudsey, in the county of York, James Waterhouse, of Swinnow Moor, Stanningley, in Bramley, near Leeds, in the said county, and Albert Waterhouse, of Swinnow Moor, Stanningley, in Bramley aforesaid, Builders, carrying on business in copartnership together at Swinnow Moor, Stanningley, in Bramley aforesaid, under the style or firm of Waterhouse Brothers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of James Waterhouse, one of the above-named persons, has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Henry Johnson Carr, 14, Albion-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Solicitor, on the 10th day of August, 1877, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

HENRY JOHNSON CARR, Solicitor for the said James Waterhouse.

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 Charles Edwin Waterhouse, of Pudsey, in the county of York, James Waterhouse, of Swinnow Moor, Stanningley, in Bramley, near Leeds, in the said county, and Albert Waterhouse, of Swinnow Moor, Stanningley, in Bramley aforesaid, Builders, carrying on business in copartnership together at Swinnow Moor, Stanningley, in Bramley aforesaid, under the style or firm of Waterhouse Brothers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of Albert Waterhouse, one of the above-named persons, has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Henry Johnson Carr, 14, Albion-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Solicitor, on the 10th day of August, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

HENRY JOHNSON CARR, Solicitor for the said Albert Waterhouse.

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 Renton, of James-street, Mann's Field, Ho-beck, in the parish of Leeds, in the county of York, Currier.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Charles Whiteley, No. 19, Albion-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Solicitor, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

CHAS. WHITELEY, 19, Albion-street, Leeds, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Francis John Gilbert, of Upper Albion-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Currier and Leather Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Rooke and Midgley, in White Horse-street, Boar-lane, in Leeds aforesaid, on the 10th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 18th day of July, 1877.

ROOKE and MIDGLEY, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

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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 Francis William Bulmer, of 11, Park-square, Leeds, in the county of York, Cloth Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Queen's Hotel, Wellington-street, Leeds aforesaid, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

W. JAMES COUSINS, Bank-chambers, Park-row, Leeds, Solicitor for the said Francis William Bulmer.

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 Henry Sugden, of Idle, in the parish of Calverley, in the county of York, and of 23, Charles-street, Bradford, in the said county, Stuff Merchant and Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. James Wharton Moore, Solicitor, Albion-chambers, Hustlergate, in Bradford, in the county of York, on the 9th day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

J. W. MOORE, 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 Alfred Todd and Arthur Andrew, of Oswald-street, Brown Royd, Bradford, in the county of York, Self Lubricating Revolving Shutter Manufacturers, trading under the style or firm of Todd, Andrew, 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 the undersigned, 11, New Ivegate, Bradford, in the county of York, on the 11th day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

LEES, SENIOR, and WILSON, Solicitors for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Bannister, of 65, Ripon-street, Bradford, in the county of York, Grocer, Provision Dealer, and Beer Retailer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, No. 29, Tyrrel-street, in Bradford aforesaid, on the 15th day of August, 1877, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Arthur Higham, of Albert-terrace, Heeley, near Sheffield, in the county of York, Clerk.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Sheldon Hodgson, situate No. 24, Bank-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

J. SHELDON HODGSON, 24, Bank-street, Sheffield, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Travis, of Hatfield, in the county of York, Joiner and Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Colkinson, Littlewood, and Parkin, Solicitors, 23, Priory-place, Doncaster, in the county of York, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of July, 1877.

BURDEKIN and CO., Solicitors for the said William Travis.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Woodfield, of Osberion, in the parish of Worksop, in the county of Nottingham. Gardener.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Lion Hotel, Worksop aforesaid, on the 10th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 24th day of July, 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 Kingston-upon-Hull.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Stocks Hawkins, of Moorrown, in the parish of Brandeburton, in the county of York, 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 Keys Hotel, in Great Driffield, in the county of York, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

FOSTER, TONGE, and SON, of Great Driffield, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Jarvis Whitehead, of Fountain-road, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, formerly a Draper and Hosier, but now an Iron Roller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Edwin Laverack, Solicitor, County-buildings, Land of Green Ginger, Kingston-upon-Hull, on the 7th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

E. LAVERACK, County-buildings, Hull, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Northallerton.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Lambert, of Richmond, in the county of York, 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. J. W. and C. Hunton, in Richmond, in the county of York, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 20th day of July, 1877.

J. W. and C. HUNTON, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Baldwin, of Clayhouse Mills, Greetland, and residing at Barkisland, 5th near Halifax, in the county of York, Woollen 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 White Swan Hotel, Princess-street, Halifax, on the 7th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Henry Wadsworth, of Lister-lane, Halifax, in the county of York, Slater and Plasterer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of John William Longbottom, Solicitor, Northgate-chambers, Halifax, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

J. W. LONGBOTTOM, Northgate-chambers, Halifax, Solicitor for the said William Henry Wadsworth.

The Bankruptcy Act 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Levi Woodhead, of Union-street, Halifax, in the county of York, Drysalter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of John William Longbottom, Solicitor, Northgate-chambers, Halifax, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

J. W. LONGBOTTOM, Northgate-chambers, Halifax, Solicitor for the said Levi Woodhead.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Hill, of the Horse and Trumpet, New Bank, in the borough of Halifax, in the county of York, Innkeeper.

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 Godfrey Rhodes, Solicitor, No. 7, Horton-street, Halifax aforesaid, on the 4th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

GODFREY RHODES, 7, Horton-street, Halifax, Solicitor for the said John Hill.

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 Joseph Angus the elder, residing in Ashland-road, Nether Edge, Sheffield, in the county of York, and carrying on business at Kirton, near Boston, in the county of Lincoln, Market Gardener, and lately carrying on business in copartnership with Charles Wood, as Market Gardeners, at Kirton aforesaid, under the style of Angus and Wood, and formerly carrying on business in copartnership with William Booth, now deceased, Joseph Croft, Francis Day, Humphrey Turner, Edwin Parker, Benjamin Jones, and James Booz Cave, as Manufacturers of Iron and Steel, at Sheffield aforesaid, under the style of the Cardigan Iron, Steel, and Wire Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Fresh First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Rodgers, Thomas, and Company, situate at No. 30, Bank-street, in Sheffield, in the county of York, Solicitors, on the 15th day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

RODGERS, THOMAS, and CO., Solicitors for the said Joseph Angus the elder.

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 Joseph Angus the elder, residing in Ashland-road, Nether Edge, Sheffield, in the county of York, and carrying on business at Kirton, near Boston, in the county of Lincoln, Market Gardener, and lately carrying on business in copartnership with Charles Wood, as Market Gardeners, at Kirton aforesaid, under the style of Angus and Wood, and formerly carrying on business in copartnership with William Booth, now deceased, Joseph Croft, Francis Day, Humphrey Turner, Edwin Parker, Benjamin Jones, and James Booz Cave, as Manufacturers of Iron and Steel, at Sheffield aforesaid, under the style of the Cardigan Iron, Steel, and Wire Company.

UPON the application of Edward Swift, Solicitor for the above-named Joseph Angus the elder, and upon reading the affidavit of Henry James Bates, and upon hearing the said Edward Swift, this Court doth order and direct that a Fresh First General Meeting of the Creditors of the said Joseph Angus the elder, be forthwith summoned in the manner prescribed by the general rules made in pursuance of the above Act, and relating to proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors thereunder. And that such meeting be held on or before the 24th day of August next. And that a sealed office copy of this Order be sent by post to each of the creditors of the said Joseph Angus the elder, fourteen days at least before the day on which the said meeting is to be held, and also be inserted in the London Gazette seven days at least before the said last-mentioned day.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 24th day of July, 1877.

By the Court,
W. WAKE, Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Oxfordshire, holden at Oxford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Edward John Jones, of Abingdon, Berkshire, Hair Dresser and Fishing Tackle and Earthenware Seller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named debtor is hereby summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Sedgfield and Pryce, Solicitors, Bath-street, Abingdon, in the county of Berks, on Wednesday, the 8th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the following purposes:—1. To audit the accounts of the Trustee. 2. To decide what remuneration shall be paid to the Trustee. 3. To declare a Final Dividend. 4. To close the liquidation. 5. To release the Trustee. 6. To grant the discharge of the debtor. 7. To pass all such resolutions as may be necessary for the above purposes, or any of them.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

WILLIAM H. TRAFFORD, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Burston, of No. 23, Evesham-street, Redditch, in the county of Worcester, Tobacconist.

A FINAL General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named John Burston is hereby summoned to be held at my offices, in William-street, Redditch, on Saturday, the 4th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon:—To audit the accounts of the Trustee; to direct a First and Final Dividend; to decide upon the close of the liquidation, and the release of the Trustee; and to pass such other resolutions in relation to the affairs of the debtor and his estate as may then be deemed necessary. And notice is hereby also given, that creditors who have not already proved their debts are required to duly prove the same previously to the said 4th day of August next, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

GEO. CHAS. RICHARDS, Solicitor for the 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 Haley Wolfenden, of No. 85, Northgate, Halifax, in the county of York, Draper and Milliner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Haley Wolfenden will be held at the offices of Walter Storey, Solicitor, King Cross-street, Halifax aforesaid, on Monday, the 6th day of August, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes, or any of them:—1. To pass the Trustee's accounts; 2. To declare a Second and Final Dividend; 3. To fix the close of the liquidation; 4. To release the Trustee; 5. To pass such other resolutions as the creditors present may determine.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

WILLIAM ROBERTS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Miles Atkinson, of Sildon in the county of York, Tailor and Draper, also carrying on business at Keighley, in the said county of York, as a Tailor and Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Miles Atkinson is hereby summoned to be held at the Queen's Hotel, Leeds, in the county of York, on Saturday, the 4th day of August, 1877, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for the following purposes:—1. To review or rescind a resolution passed at the first General Meeting of Creditors held in this matter, on the 5th day of October, 1876, to the effect that the discharge of the said debtor, Miles Atkinson, be granted upon the Trustees reporting to the Court that a dividend of twelve shillings and sixpence in the pound had been paid, and to resolve in lieu thereof, that the failure to pay the said dividend of twelve shillings and sixpence in the pound has arisen from circumstances for which the said Miles Atkinson cannot justly be held responsible, and that the discharge of the said Miles Atkinson be granted upon the Trustees certifying to the Court that ten shillings in the pound has been paid; 2. To grant the discharge of the said debtor upon the Trustees certifying aforesaid; 3. To audit and pass the Trustee's accounts; 4. To vote the Trustee's remuneration; 5. To close the liquidation and release the Trustee; 6. To transact all such other business as shall then and there appear to be necessary.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

ALEXANDER ATKINSON, for self and Co-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 Henry Clinton Cooper, of 10, Upper Saint Martin's-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Auctioneer.

THE creditors of the above-named Henry Clinton Cooper who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 1st day of September, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, George Mitchell, of 6, Argyll-street, Regent-street, 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 19th day of July, 1877.

GEORGE MITCHELL, 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 James William Bell, of the Lamb Tavern, New Turnstile, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler.

THE creditors of the above-named James William Bell who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Henry Tilly, of Victoria-chambers, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

JNO. H. TILLY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Frederick Cook and William Henry Cook, of Redhill, in the county of Surrey, Builders and Undertakers, trading under the style or firm of Cook Brothers.

THE creditors of the above-named Samuel Frederick Cook and William Henry Cook who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 10th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned Henry William Banks, of No. 23, Coleman-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 19th day of July, 1877.

HENRY W. BANKS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Rochester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Carter, of No. 12, Scrayfries-terrace, New Brompton, in the county of Kent, Engineer in the Royal Navy.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Carter who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 6th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Basset, of Eastgate, Rochester, Solicitor, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

JAMES BASSET, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Suffolk, holden at Ipswich.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Alfred Trew, of Foxhall-road, Ipswich, in the county of Suffolk, Builder.

THE creditors of the above-named Alfred Trew who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 20th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, George Wright, of Saint Margaret's-green, Ipswich, in the county of Suffolk, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

GEO. WRIGHT, Trustee.

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 Slack, of 110, Duke-street Park, Sheffield, in the county of York, Draper, Milliner, and Hosiery.

THE creditors of the above-named William Slack who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 7th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or

claims, to me, the undersigned, Elias Needham, of 121, Norfolk-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

ELIAS NEEDHAM, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Charles Feldmann, of Bradford, in the county of York, Club Steward

THE creditors of the above-named Charles Feldmann who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 4th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Allison Heselton, of Bradford aforesaid, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

J. A. HESELTON, 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 Haley Wolfenden, of 85, Northgate, Halifax, in the county of York, Draper and Milliner.

THE creditors of the above-named Haley Wolfenden who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 4th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Roberts, of the firm of Foster, Roberts, and Co., Accountants, 31, Silver-street, Halifax aforesaid, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

WILLIAM ROBERTS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Morris Blackston, of Basinghall-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Hat and Cap Manufacturer, Exporter and General Warehouseman, trading as Morris Blackston and Co.

THE creditors of the above-named Morris Blackston who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Theaker Horsfall, of 21, York-place, in Leeds, in the county of York, 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 24th day of July, 1877.

JAS. T. HORSFALL,
ALFRED D. DIXON, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Hey and John Hemingway, both of Ossett, in the county of York, Woollen Manufacturers.

THE creditors of the above-named John Hey and John Hemingway who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Philip Henry Ely, of Ossett, in the county of York, Rag Dealer, 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 20th day of July, 1877.

PHILIP HENRY ELY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ashton-under-Lyne. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Nathaniel Kemp, of Tower-street, Hyde, in the county of Chester, Hat Manufacturer, trading under the firm or style of Kemp and Co., at Hyde aforesaid.

THE creditors of the above-named Nathaniel Kemp who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 6th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Mr. Edward William Irving, No. 18, Lever-street, Manchester, 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 23rd day of July, 1877.

WILLIAM EDWIN MATHEWS,
EDWARD WILLIAM IRVING,
DANIEL STAFFORD, Trustees.

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 Rowland Allen Warde, of 4, Temple-lane, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Wine and Spirit Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named Rowland Allen Warde who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 14th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Hayes Sheen, of 21, North John-street, Liverpool, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

THOMAS H. SHEEN, 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 Alfred Stockwell, of 57, Bold-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Sewing Machine Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named Alfred Stockwell who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 14th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Hayes Sheen, of 21, North John-street, Liverpool, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

THOMAS H. SHEEN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Joseph Fletcher, of Dry-dock Mills, near Littleborough, in the county of Lancaster, Woollen Manufacturer.

THE creditors of the above-named Joseph Fletcher who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Taylor, of the Butts, Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

J. TAYLOR, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Handley, of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, Wool Stapler and Wool Scourer.

THE creditors of the above-named John Handley who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 13th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Taylor, of the Butts, Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

J. TAYLOR, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hertfordshire, holden at St. Albans. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frances Martindale, of Cell Barnes, St. Peter's, St. Albans, in the county of Hertford, Widow, of no occupation.

THE creditors of the above-named Frances Martindale who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 7th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Frederick Cape, Public Accountant, of 61, Cheapside, 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 16th day of July, 1877.

FRED. CAPE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Joseph Shute, of No. 13, James-street, Butte Docks, and No. 45, Saint Mary-street, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Boot and Shoe Maker.

THE creditors of the above-named Joseph Shute who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 4th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Arthur Barron, of 10, 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 24th day of July, 1877.

ARTHUR BARRON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Southampton. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Frank Sheppard, of 16 and 17, East-street, in the town and county of the town of Southampton, Boot-and Shoe Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named Frank Sheppard who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 4th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Arthur Barron, of 10, 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 24th day of July, 1877.

ARTHUR BARRON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Oldbury. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by David Griffiths, of York House, Great Bridge, in the parish of West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, and carrying on business at the Staffordshire Iron Works, Greet's Green, West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, as an Iron and Tin Plate Manufacturer.

THE creditors of the above-named David Griffiths who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 25th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Spencer Dominy, of 24, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, 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 24th day of July, 1877.

S. DOMINY, Trustee.

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 John Moore, of Keynsham, Somerset, Baker.

THE creditors of the above-named John Moore who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 4th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Frank Wood Tricks, of the City-chambers, Nicholas-street, Bristol, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

F. WOOD TRICKS, Trustee.

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 Thomas Eales, of 8, North-road, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Grocer.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Eales who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 4th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, George Lansdell Fenner, of No. 12, Bond-street, Brighton, Sussex, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 27th day of July, 1877.

GEORGE L. FENNER, Trustee.

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 David Rollason and Benjamin Rollason, of Bradley Wire Works, Bradley, in the township of Bilston, in the county of Stafford, Wire Manufacturers.

THE creditors of the above-named David Rollason and Benjamin Rollason who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 18th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Spencer Dominy, of 24, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

S. DOMINY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cornwall, holden at Truro. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Henry Armitage, of the Three Tuns Hotel, Chyandour, in the parish of Gulval, in the county of Cornwall, Licensed Victualler.

THE creditors of the above-named Henry Armitage who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Hosken Richards, Nos. 54 and 55, Causeway-head, Penzance, 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 24th day of July, 1877.

W. HOSKEN RICHARDS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Shropshire, holden at Shrewsbury. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Tomkies, of the Perrii, near Shrewsbury, in the county of Salop, Farmer.

THE creditors of the above-named Richard Tomkies who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 31st day of July, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Alfred Atfield, of Claremont-street, Shrewsbury, 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 19th day of July, 1877.

A. ATTFIELD, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Brown, of Thorngaby, in the county of Lincoln, Farmer.

THE creditors of the above-named George Brown who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 10th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Samuel Turner Haddelsey, of the Royal Dock-chambers, Great Grimsby aforesaid, Solicitor, 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 24th day of July, 1877.

SAM. T. HADDELEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Bedford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Bettison, of Bedford, in the county of Bedford, Tanner, Fellmonger, and Leather Seller.

THE creditors of the above-named John Bettison who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 7th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Henry Pulley, of No. 5, St. Paul's-square, Bedford, 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 24th day of July, 1877.

HENRY PULLEY, Trustee.

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 William Wheatley, of Cotmanhay, near Ilkeston, in the county of Derby, Grocer.

THE creditors of the above-named William Wheatley who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 10th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Henry Percell Day, of Brougham-chambers, Wheeler-gate, Nottingham, 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 24th day of July, 1877.

HENRY P. DAY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Warwick. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Salmon, of Atherstone Hill, Atherstone-upon-Stour, in the county of Warwick, Farmer.

THE creditors of the above-named George Salmon who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 12th day of August, 1877, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Nasbey, No. 8, Gay's

Cliff-road, Milverton, in the county of Warwick. 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 24th day of July, 1877.
JOHN NASBEY, 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 Sarah Greene, of 64, Berners-street, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, Court Milliner and Dressmaker.

BENJAMIN THOMAS, of No. 4, Wells-street, Oxford-street, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 20th day of July, 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 Edward Dillon Lewis, of 22, Great Marlborough-street, Solicitor, lately residing at Udney Hall, Teddington, both in the county of Middlesex.

THOMAS BROOKS, of 15, Col-man-street, in the city of London, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 5th day of July, 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 John Thomas Burgess, of No. 93, High-street, Whitechapel, and 123, Upper Whitecross-street, both in the county of Middlesex, Wholesale and Retail Tea Dealer and Grocer, and lately carrying on the said business at No. 82, Mill-street, Macclesfield, in the county of Chester, Nos. 170 and 324, Oldham-road, in the city of Manchester, No. 64, Regent-road, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, No. 54, Scotland-road, Liverpool, in the said county of Lancaster, No. 98A, Sretford-road, in the said city of Manchester, and at No. 71, Bishopsgate-street, No. 123, Upper Whitecross-street, and No. 93, High-street, Whitechapel, all in the county of Middlesex, in partnership with Peter Burgess, under the style or firm of Burgess and Son.

THOMAS SUTTON, of Cooper-street, in the city of Manchester, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of July, 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 Frederick Burn and George Green, of 121, Regent-street, in the county of Middlesex, Hosiery, trading in partnership under the style of Burn and Green.

CHARLES CHATTERIS, of 1, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtors must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 13th day of July, 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 Walter Grant, of No. 11, New Cross-street, Margate, in the county of Kent, Gas-fitter.

JOHN HENRY DOUGHTY, of the Fountain Tap, Margate, in the county of Kent, Licensed Victualler, 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 July, 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 Francis Manpes, of 117, Dover-road, Folkestone, in the county of Kent, Plumber and Painter.

ROBERT GIFFORD, of Gresham-buildings, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hertfordshire, holden at St. Albans.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Arthur Bowler, of Smallgrove Farm, in the parish of Flamstead, in the county of Hertford, Farmer.

EDWARD ANTHONY UMBERLAND, of Luton, in the county of Bedford, 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 21st day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hertfordshire, holden at St. Albans.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Lutman King, of No. 2, Colebrook-villas, Woodford-road, Watford, in the county of Hertford, Builder.

JAMES PRATT, of Woodford road, Watford afore-said, Builder, 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 18th day of July, 1877.

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 Tom Edward Jessett, of 24, Brusswick-street, Reading, in the county of Berks, Grocer, trading as Jessett and Son.

JOHN MILLER, Auctioneer, and John Henry Fuller, both of Reading, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustees. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustees.—Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at

Kidderminster.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Powell, of No. 56, Blackwell-street, Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, Grocer, Tea, and Provision Dealer.

CHARLES TIMOTHY STARKLEY, of 37, Cannon-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, 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 July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Strong, residing at No. 15, Grace-terrace, Bishopwearmouth, in the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, carrying on business under the style or firm of George Strong and Co., as Timber Merchant, Builder, and Contractor, at Deptford, in the borough of Sunderland afore-said.

HENRY RAWLINGS, of Sunderland, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 20th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Patterson, of Loftus, in the North Riding of the county of York, Ironmouger and Plumber.

WILLIAM LOMAS HARRISON, of 37, Cannon-street, Birmingham, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 20th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Smith, of Duke-street, Jarrow-on-Tyne, in the county of Durham.

THOMAS BRADY, of Jarrow-on-Tyne, Land Agent, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 21st day of July, 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 Thomas Wilkinson, of Annesley Woodhouse, in the parish of Kirkby-in-Ashfield, in the county of Nottingham, Butcher and Grocer.

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 25th day of June, 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 Charles Bradford, of Alfreton, in the county of Derby, Builder and Beer-house Keeper.

ALFRED SCHOFIELD, of Alfreton aforesaid, Grocer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

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 Robert Strafford, of Chesterfield, in the county of Derby, Grocer and Spirit Merchant.

GEORGE BROOMHEAD, of Chesterfield, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Swansea. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Thomas, of 25, Castle-street, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Grocer, trading as W. Thomas and Co.

JAMES COLLINS the younger, of Bristol, Accountant, and Bartlett Phelps Thomas, of Swansea, 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 25th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hertfordshire, holden at St. Albans. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Leonard Laidman, of Elstree, in the county of Herts, and late of the Incorporated Law Society's Hall, in the county of Middlesex, late Clerk to the Incorporated Law Society, now a Prisoner in Her Majesty's Prison, Newgate.

JAMES JOHN BEARD BLACK, of No. 36, King William-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 11th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Benjamin Stanton, of 30, Gas-street, and Woolmonger-street, both in the town of Northampton, Shoe Manufacturer and Beer Seller.

WILLIAM JACKMAN CLARKE, of Fivore, Northamptonshire, Solicitor's Clerk, and Charles Henry Frank, of Northampton, Leather Merchant, 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 trustee.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Joseph Andrew, of Broughton, in the county of Northampton, Carpenter and Wheelwright.

ARTHUR BIRD, of Kettering, Agent, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 19th day of July, 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 Robert Cocking and Alfred Tebbutt, of 130, London-road, Sheffield, in the county of York, Plumbers, trading as Cocking and Tebbutt.

EDWARD BENNETT, of Sheffield, 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 debtors must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtors must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

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 Slack, of Duke-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, Draper, Milliner, and Hosiery.

ELIAS NEEDHAM, of Norfolk-street, Sheffield, 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 24th day of July, 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 Charles Feldmann, of Bradford, in the county of York, Club Steward.

JOHN ALLISON HESELTON, of Bradford, in the county of York, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debt to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of July, 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, instigated by Ernest B-aufort Annesley Jones, of No. 11, Pall Mall, in the city of Manchester.

WILLIAM RUTCHER, of 73, Princess-street, in the city of Manchester, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham, by transfer from the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Richard Bickerton, of Oldham Edge Brick Works, Oldham, in the county of Lancashire, Brickmaker, trading under the style of R. Bickerton and Co.

GOLDFREY LEVI, of Tib-lane, in the city of Manchester, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 20th day of July, 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 Joseph Stanley, of No. 27, Great Western-street, Moss Side, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, General Agent.

GEORGE WHITT, of No. 8, King-street, in the city of Manchester, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cornwall, holden at Truro. **A** SECOND Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Henry Stevens Trethowan, of Falmouth, in the county of Cornwall, carrying on business in his own name as a Shipbuilder at Falmouth aforesaid, and at Little Falmouth, in the parish of Mylor, and at Roundwood, in the parish of Ked, both in the said county, and also carrying on business in partnership with William Rowe, at Falmouth aforesaid, as a Grocer and Provision Dealer, under the firm of Rowe and Co. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 4th day of August, 1877, will be excluded.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

ROBERT FOX,

EDMUND HANDCOCK, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester. To Edward Lyde, of No. 7 (and not No. 1, as erroneously printed in the Gazette of 20th instant), Rainbow Hill-terrace, Worcester, Commercial Traveller.

In the Matter of a Debtor's Summons issued against you by Thomas Guscotte, of New City-chambers, 121, Bishopsgate-street Within, in the city of London, Solicitor.

TAKE notice, that a Debtor's Summons having been granted against you by this Court, the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette shall be deemed to be service of such summons on you on the seventh day after such publication. The summons can be inspected by you on application to this Court.—Dated this 14th day of July, 1877.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Wakefield. **A** MEETING of the Creditors of Thomas Wrigglesworth Dobson, of Wakefield, in the county of York, Innkeeper and Saddler, adjudicated bankrupt on the 7th day of June, 1877, will be held at the offices of Messrs. Barratt and Senior, Solicitors, situate in Wood-street, in Wakefield aforesaid, on the 7th day of August, 1877, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the

acceptance by the Trustee of a composition offered by the bankrupt of 8s. 6d. in the pound, payable by instalments, to be secured by two substantial securities, and for the annulling thereafter of the order of adjudication made against the bankrupt.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court. In the Matter of James Wide, of 3, St. George's-mews, Regent's Park-road, in the county of Middlesex, Cab Proprietor, adjudicated Bankrupt on the 30th day of January, 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named James Wide will be held at my office, 6, Argyle-street, Regent-street, London, on Saturday, the 4th day of August, 1877, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the following purpose:—To consider the bankrupt's intended application to the Court for his order of discharge, and, if desirable, to pass a resolution thereon.—Dated this 19th day of July, 1877.

GEO. MITCHELL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of George Wilkinson Harris, of Ashley-road, in the city of Bristol, Colliery Proprietor, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 21st August, 1876.

TAKE notice, that a Special General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named bankrupt will be held on Friday, the 10th August, 1877, at twelve o'clock at noon, at my offices, 3, Small-street, in the city of Bristol, for the following purposes:—1. To declare a Dividend; 2. To pass the accounts of the Trustee, which will then be submitted to the meeting; 3. To determine and vote the remuneration to be paid to the Trustee out of the estate.—Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

C. J. RYLAND, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 9s. 10³/₄d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of George Harris Quinton, formerly of Alhambra House, Southsea, in the county of Hants, afterwards of St. Lawrence House, St. Aubin's-road, in the Island of Jersey, afterwards of St. James'-street, St. Heliers, in the said Island of Jersey, then of Maison Jaune, Place du Naye, St. Servan, Côte du Nord, in the Republic of France, and since deceased, adjudicated bankrupt on the 8th day of February, 1872, and will be paid by me, at my office, No. 13, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on and after the 6th day of August, 1877, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and two o'clock in the afternoon.—Dated this 20th day of July, 1877.

W. H. HOLYLAND, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax, by transfer to the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 2³/₄d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Ralph Helliwell and Elizabeth Horsfall, of Halifax, in the county of York, Iron-mongers, trading under the style or firm of R. Forsfall and Co., adjudicated bankrupts on the 13th day of April, 1875, and will be paid by me, at my office, 24, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on and after the 26th day of July, 1877.—Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

S. DOMINY, Trustee.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 2s. 0³/₄d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of William Henry Shaw, adjudicated bankrupt on the 28th day of May, 1873, and will be paid by me, at 50, Ann-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on and after Thursday, the 26th day of July, 1877.—Dated this 20th day of July, 1877.

ALFRED E. WENHAM, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Aberdare.

In the Matter of Morgan Williams, of No. 2, Bute-terrace, formerly of Unity-street, both in Aberdare, in the county of Glamorgan, late Hay Merchant, but now out of business, a Bankrupt.

WHEREAS under a Bankruptcy Petition presented to this Court against the said Morgan Williams, an order of adjudication was made on the 5th day of December, 1876. This is to give notice, that the said adjudication was, by order of this Court, annulled on the 26th day of June, 1877.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter.
In the Matter of Henry Langley, late of Dunchideock House, in the county of Devon, but now of Teignmouth, in the same county, Gentleman, a Bankrupt.

WHEREAS under a Bankruptcy Petition presented to this Court against the said Henry Langley, an order of adjudication was made on the 8th day of May, 1873. This is to give notice that the said adjudication was, by order of this Court, annulled on the 25th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Simon Marks, of 31, Westmoreland-terrace, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Jeweller, a Bankrupt.

WHEREAS under a Bankruptcy Petition presented to this Court against the said Simon Marks, an order of adjudication was made on the 26th day of May, 1877. This is to give notice, that the said adjudication was, by order of this Court, annulled on the 21st day of July, 1877.—Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Henry Marks, of No. 9, Wharnclyffe-street, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Jeweller and General Dealer, a Bankrupt.

WHEREAS under a Bankruptcy Petition presented to this Court against the said Henry Marks, an order of adjudication was made on the 18th day of April, 1877. This is to give notice, that the said adjudication was, by order of this Court, annulled on the 21st day of July, 1877.—Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at King's Lynn.
In the Matter of Thomas Robinson Woolfield Mossop, of Long Sutton, in the county of Lincoln, Wine, Spirit, and Beer Merchant, a Bankrupt.

WHEREAS under a Bankruptcy Petition presented to this Court against the said Thomas Robinson Woolfield Mossop, an order of adjudication was made on the 20th day of August, 1875. This is to give notice, that the said adjudication was, by order of this Court, annulled on the 18th day of July, 1877.—Dated this 18th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against George Ward, of No. 130, Camberwell-road, in the county of Surrey, Clothier, Jeweller, and Furniture Salesman.

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 Ward having been given, it is ordered that the said George Ward be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 26th day of July, 1877.

By the Court,

C. H. Keene, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said George Ward is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 8th day of August, 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 George Venning, of the John of Jerusalem Public-house, 1, Rosoman-street, Clerkenwell, in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said George Venning having been given, it is ordered that the said George Venning

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be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 24th day of July, 1877.

By the Court,

C. H. Keene, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said George Venning is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 8th day of August, 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 County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton.
In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Frederick John Money, of No. 1, Marlborough-place, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Doctor of Medicine and Surgeon.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Frederick John Money having been given, it is ordered that the said Frederick John Money be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 24th day of July, 1877.

By the Court,

Ewen Evershed, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Frederick John Money is hereby summoned to be held at the Office of the Court, Church-street, Brighton, on the 14th day of August, 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 Proof of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton.
In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against James Prince, of Parley Lodge, Patcham, in the county of Sussex, Trainer of Horses for Racing and Cattle Saleman.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said James Prince having been given, it is ordered that the said James Prince be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 25th day of July, 1877.

By the Court,

Ewen Evershed, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said James Prince is hereby summoned to be held at the Office of the Court, Church-street, Brighton, on the 15th day of August, 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 Yorkshire, holden at Scarborough.
In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Withell, of Weaverthorpe, in the county of York, Butcher and Farmer.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said William Withell having been given, it is ordered that the said William Withell be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 24th day of July, 1877.

By the Court,

W. E. Woodall, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Withell is hereby summoned to be held at the office of the Registrar of this Court, situate in Queen-street, in Scarborough, in the county of York, on the 15th day of August, 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 Lancashire, holden at Salford, In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Richard Yorke, of 103, Greengate, Salford, and of Mason-street, Manchester, formerly of Hanover-street and Tib-street, Manchester aforesaid, all in the county of Lancaster, Auctioneer.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Richard Yorke having been given, it is ordered that the said Richard Yorke be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 21st day of July, 1877.

By the Court,

Fredk. C. Hulton, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Richard Yorke is hereby summoned to be held at the office of the above-named Court, situate in Encombe-place, Salford aforesaid, on the 8th day of August, 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 Derbyshire, holden at Derby. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Frederick John Walker, of Stretton, in the county of Derby, Coal Merchant, trading under the style or firm of the Nantbrook Coal 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 Frederick John Walker having been given, it is ordered that the said Frederick John Walker be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 25th day of July, 1877.

By the Court,

Geo. H. Weller, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Frederick John Walker is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court Office, Fall-street, Derby, on the 8th day of August, 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 Warwickshire, holden at Coventry. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against George Birbeck, Matthew Bates Birbeck, and Benjamin Birbeck, trading as George Birbeck and Sons, of Red House Factory, Foleshill, in the county of Warwick, Tape Manufacturers.

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 Birbeck, Matthew Bates Birbeck, and Benjamin Birbeck having been given, it is ordered that the said George Birbeck, Matthew Bates Birbeck, and Benjamin Birbeck be, and they are hereby, adjudged bankrupts.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 23rd day of July, 1877.

By the Court,

T. H. Kirby, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said George Birbeck, Matthew Bates Birbeck, and Benjamin Birbeck is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court Offices, 17 Little Park-street, Coventry, on the 9th day of August, 1877, at two o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupts to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of their affairs as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupts must

deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Peterborough.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Fawn, of Baston, in the county of Lincoln, Blacksmith and Implement 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 Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said William Fawn having been given, it is ordered that the said William Fawn be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 23rd day of July, 1877.

By the Court,

W. D. Gaches, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Fawn is hereby summoned to be held at the office of the County Court, New Hall, New-road, Peterborough aforesaid, on the 8th day of August, 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 Leicestershire, holden at Leicester.

In the Matter of Smith Maryn, of 41, King-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Shoe and Leather Factor, trading under the style of S. Martyn and Co., a Bankrupt.

Augustus Cufaude Palmer, of the firm of Cox and Palmer, of 7 and 8, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E., Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on the 9th day of November, 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 21st day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Philip Neil, of No. 18, South-bank, Regent's Park, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, a Bankrupt.

John Vale, of No. 5, Hill's-place, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on the 7th day of November, 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 19th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of George David Ellis, described in the Petition as of 329, High Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, Brewers' Agent, a Bankrupt.

Henry Arthur Dubois, of 115, Chancery-lane, 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 4th day of August, 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 17th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of James Peter Gardner, of No. 23, Rattray-road, Atlantic-road, Brixton, in the county of Surrey, Clerk to a Financial Agent, a Bankrupt.

William Symons Deacon, of 44, Ludgate-hill, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed

The Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 5th day of November, 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 18th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Joseph Jopling, of 70, Vauxhall-walk, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, late of 1A, Chapter-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Builder, trading under the style or firm of Jopling and Company, a Bankrupt.

Ebenezer Charles Foreman, of 7, Grosvenor-street, 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, on the 3rd day of August, 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 July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Canterbury.

In the Matter of Francis Campbell Binsted Farrant, of Folkestone, in the county of Kent, of no occupation, a Bankrupt.

James Pledge, of Folkestone, in the county of Kent, Auctioneer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Guildhall, in the city of Canterbury, on the 8th day of August, 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 24th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Canterbury.

In the Matter of Stephen Moxe, of No. 1, Victoria-road, Ramsgate, in the county of Kent, Butcher, a Bankrupt. James Cox, of No. 8, Castle-street, in the city of Canterbury, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Guildhall, in the city and county of the city of Canterbury, on the 8th day of August, 1877, at half-past 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 24th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hertfordshire, holden at Hertford. In the Matter of James Hayward, of Fore-street, Hertford and High-street, Hoddesdon, both in the county of Hertford, Watch and Clock Maker and Jeweller, a Bankrupt.

Jonathan Risien, of Belle Vue House, Albert-road, Dover, in the county of Kent, Yeoman, 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 Shirehall, Hertford, on the 13th day of August, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Colchester.

In the Matter of Thomas Jonah Joy, of Great Clacton, in the county of Essex, Grocer and Draper and Plumber and Glazier, a Bankrupt.

William Henry Cobb, of Colchester, in the county of Essex, 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 Townhall, Colchester, on the 15th day of August, 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 18th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Earnest Friend, of Miller-street, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Jacket Manufacturer, a Bankrupt.

Samuel Hunt, of 52, Portland-street, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house, Nicholas-croft, High-street, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 13th day of August, 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 23rd day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Elijah Riley, of Bull's Head-yard, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Yarn Agent, a Bankrupt.

William Butcher, of the city of Manchester, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court House, Nicholas-croft, High-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 27th day of August, 1877, at half-past nine o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ulverston and at Barrow-in-Furness.

In the Matter of Thomas Weatherby Atkinson, of No. 76, Buccleuch-street, Barrow-in-Furness, and of Dalton-furness, both in the county of Lancaster, Jeweller, a Bankrupt.

Robert Ellis, of No. 32, Cornwallis-street, Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, 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, Ulverston, on the 13th day of August, 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 24th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Alfred Davies, of No. 197, Sherlock-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Draper, a Bankrupt.

Charles Marris, of No. 37, Waterloo-street, Birmingham aforesaid, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house; Waterloo-street, Birmingham aforesaid, on the 14th day of August, 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 23rd day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of George Mullen, residing at No. 15, Howick-street, Monkwearmouth, in the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, and carrying on business as a Boot and Shoe Dealer, at No. 19, High-street, Sunderland aforesaid, a Bankrupt.

James Smith Barnfather, of Leeds, 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-house, John-street, Sunderland, on the 23rd day of August, 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 19th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter. In the Matter of Charles Henry Trzer, of 131, Cowick-street, St. Thomas, Devon, Builder, a Bankrupt.

Edwin Fewings, of 16, Queen-street, Exeter, 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 Castle of Exeter, at Exeter, on the 16th day of August, 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 19th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Dorchester. In the Matter of Lot Spicer, of Milton Abbas, in the county of Dorset, Miller and Baker, a Bankrupt.

Thomas Newman, of Dorchester, Dorset, 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, Dorchester, Dorset, on the 18th day of August, 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.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Edward Charlton, of Evenwood, in the county of Durham, Robert Hedley Charlton, of Middlesborough, in the county of York, and of the Stranton Ironworks, Stranton, in the county of Durham, and Thomas Charlton, of Saltburn-by-the-Sea, in the said county of York, Colliery Owners and Coal Fillers, carrying on business at Middlesborough aforesaid, and West Hartlepool, in the said county of Durham, under the style of Thomas Charlton and Co., Bankrupts.

George Benson Monkhouse, of Middlesborough, in the county of York, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupts. 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 20th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.**Notice of Sitting for Last Examination.**

Thomas Crofts, of Kentish Town Wharf and of No. 15, Burleigh-road, Kentish Town, both in the county of Middlesex, Contractor and Wharfinger, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's London Court of Bankruptcy on the 1st day of March, 1869, a public sitting for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 2nd day of November, 1877; at the said Court, at Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Peter Paget, of the London Bankruptcy Court, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Ashurst and Co., of No. 6, Old Jewry, E.C., are the Solicitors in the bankruptcy.

The first meeting of creditors has been duly held in the said bankruptcy and at the public sitting abovementioned Proofs of Debts of creditors who have not proved will be received, and the said bankrupt will be required to surrender himself to the said Court, and to submit himself to be examined, and to make a full disclosure and discovery of all his estate and effects, and to finish his examination.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

On the 3rd day of November, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, James Westran Sherman, of 13, Park-place, Regent's Park, in the county of Middlesex, formerly of No. 36, Upper Gloucester place, Dorset square, in the said county of Middlesex, adjudicated bankrupt on the 25th day of October, 1877; will apply for an Order of Discharge. —Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

In the County Court of Denbighshire, holden at Wrexham.

On the 22nd day of August, 1877, at one o'clock in the afternoon, Samuel Forrest, trading as Samuel Forrest and Company, of the Stalztz iron Works, Stanstz, in the parish of Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh, Iron Manufacturer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 29th day of September, 1876, will apply for an Order of Discharge. —Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of James William Gingell, of 65, Queen Elizabeth-street, Horselydown, in the county of Surrey, Lighterman, adjudicated bankrupt on the 5th day of October, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 28th day of July, 1877, will be excluded. —Dated this 18th day of July, 1877.

Thos. Burch, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Edmund Houlton, of Leeds, in the county of York, Wool Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 9th day of July, 1873. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 4th day of August, 1877, will be excluded. —Dated this 24th day of July, 1877.

John Routh, Trustee.

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Carlisle.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of James Lainton and Joseph Sealby, of the city of Carlisle, Sharebrokers and Accountants, carrying on business under the firm of Lainton and Sealby, adjudicated bankrupts on the 13th day of January, 1873. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 11th day of August, 1877, will be excluded. —Dated this 21st day of July, 1877.

J. C. Wannop, Trustee.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Lewes.

A First and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Morgan Breeds, of Hailsham, in the county of Sussex, Stationer and Printer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 6th day of April, 1877. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 11th day of August, 1877, will be excluded. —Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

H. C. Sinnock, Trustee.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Maidstone.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Henry Thomas Phillips, lately of the Mount House, and subsequently of the Mount Cottage, both in the parish of Addington, in the county of Kent, Dealer in Hoppoles and Charcoal and General Dealer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 24th day of December, 1875. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 21st day of August, 1877, will be excluded. —Dated this 23rd day of July, 1877.

Thomas Phillips, Trustee.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of William Crankshaw, of Adelphi Mills, Cannon-street, Broughton-road, Salford, in the county of Lancashire, Flock Manufacturer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 26th day of March, 1873. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 30th day of August, 1877, will be excluded. —Dated this 19th day of July, 1877.

E. B. Harding, Trustee.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Martin Jones Paddock, of Chapel-walks, in the city of Manchester, Wine Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 26th day of August, 1875. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 4th day of August, 1877, will be excluded. —Dated this 25th day of July, 1877.

Jno. Barker, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.**Notice of Dividend Meeting.**

A Meeting of the Creditors of the Bankrupt hereinafter named will be held, pursuant to the 174th section of the said Act, at the time and place hereinafter mentioned; that is to say:—

At the Court of Bankruptcy, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, before Philip Henry Pepsy, Esq., a Registrar:

Daniel Millard, of No. 5, Ampton-street, Gray's-inn-road, in the county of Middlesex, Clerk in a Public Office for the Registration of Acknowledgment of Deeds by Married Women, Lancaster-place, Strand, Middlesex, adjudicated bankrupt on the 5th day of July, 1866. A Final Dividend Meeting will be held on the 8th day of August next, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the said Meeting the Assignee will, in

pursuance of the 174th section of the said Act, submit statements of the Bankrupt's estate recovered and outstanding, and of all receipts and of all payments made or to be made thereout; and the creditors at the said meeting will, in pursuance of the said section, declare whether any and what allowance shall be paid to the said bankrupt. Proofs of Debts will be received, and creditors who have not proved, or do not then prove, will be excluded the benefit of the Dividend. And all claims not proved will be disallowed.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of an adjudication of Bankruptcy, made on the 24th day of September, 1867, against William Henderson Rickerby, of 85, Harrison-street, Gray's-inn-road, Middlesex, out of business, prior thereto of 4, Williams-terrace, and 4, Perseverance-place, Blüte Anchor-road, Bermondsey, Surrey, General Dealer, did, on the 5th day of May, 1868, grant the Discharge of the said bankrupt, and that such Discharge will be delivered to the bankrupt unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of the Court; and notice thereof be given to the Court.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Ambrose Maude Hurst, late of 56, Brownlow-road, Dalston, in the county of Middlesex, and of 182, Barnet-grove, Hackney-road, Middlesex aforesaid, Financial Agent, a Bankrupt.

Before Mr. Registrar Pepys, acting as Chief Judge.

UPON reading a report of William Powell Murray, Esq., the Registrar-Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 20th day of June, 1877, reporting that the statement of accounts filed by the bankrupt does not disclose any property which could be realized for the benefit of the creditors, and that it has not been brought to his knowledge that the bankrupt was possessed of any property, or that he has since acquired any property that could be so realized, and submitting that it is expedient that the bankruptcy be closed, and upon reading the affidavit of Archibald Reid, sworn the 5th day of July, 1877, and upon hearing Mr. Aldridge, Official Solicitor, on behalf of the said Registrar-Trustee, and no one appearing to oppose, the Court being satisfied that the statement of accounts filed by the bankrupt does not disclose any property that could be realized for the benefit of the creditors, and that the bankrupt was not possessed of any property, and that he has not since acquired any property that could be so realized, and that it is expedient that the bankruptcy be closed, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Ambrose Maude Hurst has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 21st day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Timothy Fevrier, otherwise Durand, of East-street, Walworth, in the county of Surrey, a Bankrupt.

Before Mr. Registrar Pepys, acting as Chief Judge.

UPON reading a report of William Powell Murray, Esq., the Registrar-Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 20th day of June, 1877, reporting that the assets referred to in the bankrupt's statement of accounts could not be realized for the benefit of the creditors, for the reason set out at the foot of the said report, and that it has not been brought to his knowledge that the bankrupt has since his adjudication acquired any property that could be so realized, and submitting that it is expedient that the bankruptcy be closed, and upon reading the affidavit of Archibald Reid, sworn the 6th day of July, 1877, and the affidavit of George Dickey, the petitioning creditor, sworn the 17th day of July, 1877, and upon hearing Mr. Aldridge, Official Solicitor, on behalf of the said Registrar-Trustee, and Mr. Bordman, Solicitor on behalf of the said George Dickey, the Court being satisfied that the assets referred to in the bankrupt's statement of accounts could not be realized for the benefit of the creditors, for the reasons set out at the foot of the said Registrar-Trustee's report, and that the bankrupt has not since his adjudication acquired any property that could be so realized, and that it is expedient that the bankruptcy be closed, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Timothy Fevrier has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 19th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of George Peter Cavaly, of No. 15, Queensborough terrace, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, and of No. 31, Threadneedle-street, in the city of London, Merchant, a Bankrupt.

Before Mr. Registrar Brougham, acting as Chief Judge.

UPON reading a report of William Powell Murray, Esq., the Registrar-Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 20th day of June, 1877, reporting that the assets referred to in the bankrupt's statement of accounts could not be realized for the benefit of the creditors (for the reasons given at the foot of his said report), and that it has not been brought to his knowledge that the bankrupt has since his adjudication acquired any property that could be so realized, and submitting that it is expedient that the bankruptcy be closed, and upon reading the affidavit of Archibald Reid, sworn the 9th day of July, 1877, and upon hearing Mr. Aldridge, Official Solicitor, on behalf of the said Registrar-Trustee, and no one appearing to oppose, the Court being satisfied that the assets referred to in the bankrupt's statement of accounts could not be realized for the benefit of the creditors, for the reasons set out at the foot of the said Registrar-Trustee's report, and that the bankrupt has not, since his adjudication, acquired any property that could be so realized, and that it is expedient that the bankruptcy be closed, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said George Peter Cavaly has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 18th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Adolph Mayer, of No. 51, Lancaster-road, Westbourne Park, in the county of Middlesex, a Bankrupt.

Before Mr. Registrar Brougham, acting as Chief Judge.

UPON reading a report of William Powell Murray, Esq., the Registrar-Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 20th day of June, 1877, reporting that the statement of accounts filed by the bankrupt does not disclose any property which could be realized for the benefit of the creditors, and that it has not been brought to his knowledge that the bankrupt was possessed of any property, or that he has since acquired any property that could be so realized, and that, in his opinion, it is expedient that the bankruptcy be closed, and upon reading the affidavit of Archibald Reid, sworn the 9th day of July, 1877, and upon hearing Mr. Aldridge, on behalf of the said Registrar-Trustee, and no one appearing to oppose, the Court being satisfied that the statement of accounts filed by the bankrupt does not disclose any property which could be realized for the benefit of the creditors, and that the said bankrupt was not possessed of any property, and that he has not since acquired any property that could be so realized, and that it is expedient that the bankruptcy be closed, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Adolph Mayer has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 18th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Robert Clapperton, of No. 15, King-street, Soho, in the county of Middlesex, Baker, a Bankrupt.

Before Mr. Registrar Brougham, acting as Chief Judge.

UPON reading a report of William Powell Murray, Esq., the Registrar-Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 20th day of June, 1877, reporting that so much of the property of the bankrupt as can be realized without needlessly protracting the bankruptcy has been realized, as shown by the statement at the foot of the said report, and submitting that it is expedient that the bankruptcy be closed, and upon reading the affidavit of Archibald Reid, sworn the 9th day of July, 1877, and upon hearing Mr. Aldridge, Official Solicitor on behalf of the said Registrar-Trustee, and no one appearing to oppose, the Court being satisfied that so much of the property of the bankrupt as can be realized without needlessly protracting the bankruptcy has been realized, as shown by the statement at the foot of the said Registrar-Trustee's report, and that it is expedient that the bankruptcy be closed, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Robert Clapperton has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 18th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Abraham Davis, of No. 1, Nelson-terrace, Hackney Wick, Middlesex, Grocer and Provision Merchant, a Bankrupt.

Before Mr. Registrar Pepys, acting as Chief Judge.

UPON reading a report of William Powell Murray, Esq., the Registrar-Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 20th day of June, 1877, reporting that so much of the property of the bankrupt as can be realized without needlessly protracting the bankruptcy has been realized, as shown by the statement at the foot of the said report, and submitting that it is expedient that the bankruptcy be closed, and upon reading the affidavit of Archibald Reid, sworn the 6th day of July, 1877, and upon hearing Mr. Aldridge,

Official Solicitor on behalf of the said Registrar-Trustee, and no one appearing to oppose, the Court being satisfied that so much of the property of the bankrupt as can be realized without needlessly protracting the bankruptcy, has been realized, as shown by the statement at the foot of the said Registrar-Trustee's report, and that it is expedient that the bankruptcy be closed, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Abraham Davis has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 19th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Henry Zingler, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, in the city of London. Commission Merchant and Finance Agent, trading as Henry Zingler and Company, a Bankrupt.

Mr. Registrar Pepya, sitting as Chief Judge.

UPON reading a report of the Trustees of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 9th day of May, 1877, reporting that so much of the property of the bankrupt as can, according to the joint opinion of myself and the Committee of Inspection, under our hands, be realized, without needlessly protracting the bankruptcy, has been realized, and a dividend to the amount of one halfpenny in the pound has been paid, and upon reading the affidavit of Nathaniel Reynolds, sworn the 10th day of July, 1877, proving the posting of notices to the creditors of the estate of this application, and upon reading the report of the Official Assignee, dated the 13th day of July, 1877, and no one appearing to oppose, the Court being satisfied that so much of the property of the bankrupt as can be realized, without needlessly protracting the bankruptcy, has been realized, and a dividend to the amount of one halfpenny in the pound has been paid, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Henry Zingler has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 13th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Francis Migrath, of Peter-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Provision Merchant, carrying on business under style or firm of Broadhurst and Co., a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustees of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 16th day of June, 1877, reporting that so much of the property of the bankrupt as could, according to his opinion be realized without needlessly protracting the bankruptcy had been realized, and a dividend of four pence in the pound had been paid, as shown by the statement thereunto annexed, the Court being satisfied thereof, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Francis Migrath has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 20th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Pim Cherry, of Milloms-buildings, 30, Exchange-street East, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Broker, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustees of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 23rd day of June, 1877, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt had been realized for the benefit of his creditors, but from insufficiency of the assets no dividend had been paid, as shown by the statement thereunto annexed, the Court being satisfied thereof, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Pim Cherry has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 20th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Rowland Montague Squire, residing and carrying on business as a Pianoforte and Musical Instrument Maker, at No. 45, Seymour-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and also carrying on business as a Licensed Victualler, at the Alexandra Theatre, Lime-street, Liverpool aforesaid, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustees of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 23rd day of June, 1877, reporting that the bankrupt had not filed any statement of affairs, that the whole of the property that had been discovered had been realized, but no dividend had been paid, as shown by the statement thereunto annexed, the amount realized being insufficient to pay the costs of the bankruptcy, the Court being satisfied thereof, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Rowland Montague Squire has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 20th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Charles Berrington, of Queen's-square, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Fruiterer, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 26th day of June, 1877, reporting so much of the property of the bankrupt as could, according to the joint opinion of himself and the Committee

of Inspection thereunto annexed in writing under their hands, be realized without needlessly protracting the bankruptcy had been realized, as shown by the statement thereunto annexed, and dividends to the amount of sixpence in the pound have been paid; the Court being satisfied thereof, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Charles Berrington has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 20th day of July, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Christopher O'Hara, of 38, Priory Mount, Everton, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Merchant, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 26th day of June, 1877, reporting that since his appointment as Trustee he had not received any money on account of this estate, and that the accounts filed by the bankrupt showed no assets, and that in his opinion it was needless to protract the bankruptcy, the Court being satisfied thereof, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Christopher O'Hara has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 20th day of July, 1877.

THE estates of Martin Murray, Grocer, 135, Cowgate, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on the 21st day of July, 1877, by the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington.

The first deliverance is dated 21st July, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock, afternoon, on Thursday, the 2nd day of August, 1877, within Lyon and Turnbull's Rooms, 51, George-street, Edinburgh.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 21st day of November, 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.

J. DUNCAN SMITH, S.S.C., Agent.

62, Frederick-street, Edinburgh,

23rd July, 1877.

THE estates of Charles Maitland, late Tailor and Clothier, Union-street, Glasgow, now residing at No. 29, Park-road there, were sequestrated on the 20th day of July, 1877, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated 20th July, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Tuesday, the 31st day of July, 1877, 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 20th day of November, 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.

D. and J. HILL, Writers, 73, Renfield-street, Glasgow, Agents.

THE estates of John Cradock, Fleisher and Cattle Dealer, in Dumfries, were sequestrated on the 20th day of July, 1877, by the Sheriff of Dumfries and Galloway.

The first deliverance is dated the 20th day of July, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Friday, the 3rd day of August, 1877, within the Commercial Hotel, in Dumfries.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 20th day of November, 1877.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt.

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

JOS. CRICHTON, Solicitor, Dumfries, Agent.

THE estates of Denis Lundie, Auctioneer and General Merchant, Borrowstownness, in the county of Linlithgow, were sequestrated on the 21st day of July, 1877, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the 21st day of July, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Thursday, the 2nd day of August, 1877, within the Faculty of Procurators' 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 21st day of November, 1877.

The sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff Court of Lanarkshire.

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.

W. ELLIOT ARMSTRONG, Solicitor,
59, Castle-street, Edinburgh, Agent.

THE estates of James Shiels, lately Wine and Spirit Merchant, Cambridge-street, Glasgow, and residing there, were sequestrated on the 25th day of July, 1877, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated 25th July, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is

to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Monday, the 6th August, 1877, 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 vouchers of debt must be lodged on or before the 25th November next.

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.

T. C. YOUNG and SON, Writers,
Glasgow, Agents.

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