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Whitehall, January 1, 1878.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to order a Writ to be issued under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland for summoning Alfred Joseph, Baron Stourton, of Stourton, in the county of Wilts, to the House of Peers by the name, style, and title of Baron Mowbray, he being one of the heirs of Roger de Mowbray, who was summoned to Parliament in the eleventh year of the reign of King Edward the First.

Foreign Office, January 7, 1878.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Edwin Corbett, Esq., now Her Majesty's Minister Resident to the Swiss Confederation, to be Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the King of the Hellenes.

Whitehall, January 2, 1878.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to grant unto Arthur Godolphin Yeatman, of Stockton House, in the parish of Stockton, in the county of Wilts, Esquire, a Captain in the Royal Regiment of Artillery, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a direction contained in the will of Harry Biggs, late of Stockton House aforesaid, Esquire, take and use the surname of Biggs, in addition to and after that of Yeatman, and that he and they may bear the arms of Biggs quarterly with those of Yeatman, providing the same be exemplified according to the laws of arms, and with the said Royal licence duly recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence to be void and of none effect.

Admiralty, 10th January, 1878.

The following promotions have this day been made:—

Commanders:

Charles Searle Cardale,
Edmund John Church,

Walter Stewart,

to be Captains in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority from the 9th instant.

Lieutenants:

Charles McLaughlin,
William Eveleigh Darwall,
William Collins,

to be Commanders in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority from the 9th instant.

The following promotion from Her Majesty's yacht "Victoria and Albert" has this day been made:—

Commander John Reginald Thomas Fullerton to be Captain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

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

Frederic John Reed, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 5th January, 1878.

Whitehall, January 5, 1878.

THE Secretary of State hereby gives notice, that he has approved of the transfer of the Girls' Branch of the Liverpool Industrial School for Boys and Girls, at Everton-terrace, Liverpool, to new premises at 27, Northumberland-terrace, Liverpool, and that the said premises have been certified by him as fit to be an Industrial School for the reception of Girls, not exceeding eighty in number, under the provisions of "The Industrial Schools Act, 1866," under the title of the Liverpool Industrial School (Girls' Branch), 27, Northumberland-terrace, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster.

THE FAIRS ACT, 1871.

RAINHAM FAIR.

IN pursuance of the above-mentioned Act, I, the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, hereby notify as follows:

1. By Memorial, dated the 3rd day of January, 1876, a representation has been duly made to me by the Justices acting in the Brentwood Petty Sessional Division of Essex, that a Fair has been annually held on the Saturday in Whitsun week, in the parish of Rainham, in the said division of the said county, and that it would be for the con-

venience and advantage of the public that such Fair should be abolished.

2. On the 11th day of February, 1878, I shall take the aforesaid representation into consideration, and all persons are to intimate, before that day, any objection they may desire to offer to the abolition of the said Fair.

Richard Assheton Cross.

Whitehall, January 10, 1878.

NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

*Department of the Accountant-General
of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy
Pay, Admiralty, January 9, 1878.*

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 14th February, 1877, 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.

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 Hereford City, in the county of Hereford, 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 Hereford City, being respectively qualified to act as such Commissioners, to be holden at the office of the Surveyor of Taxes, situate in Widemarsh-street, Hereford, on Thursday, the 17th day of January, 1878, 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 Hereford City aforesaid.

*Chas. Keith-Falconer.
W. S. Northcote.*

Inland Revenue, Somerset House,
London, January 10, 1878.

GENERAL ORDER of the Local Government Board, authorizing the Allowance of School Fees by way of Loan:—

To the Guardians of the Poor of the several Unions named in the Schedule to this Order;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by section 10 of Elementary Education Act, 1876, it is enacted as follows:

"The parent, not being a pauper, of any child, who is unable by reason of poverty to pay

"the ordinary fee for such child at a public elementary school, or any part of such fee, may apply to the guardians having jurisdiction in the parish in which he resides; and it shall be the duty of such guardians, if satisfied of such inability, to pay the said fee, not exceeding three pence a week, or such part thereof as he is, in the opinion of the guardians, so unable to pay;"

And whereas by section 34 of the said Act, it is enacted as follows:—

"All enactments relating to guardians and their officers and expenses, and to relief given by guardians, shall, subject to the express provisions of this Act, apply as if the guardians, including the school attendance committee appointed by them, and their officers acting under this Act, and expenses incurred, and money paid for school fees, and relief given under this Act, were respectively acting, incurred, and paid, and given as relief, under the Acts relating to the relief of the poor, and the Local Government Board may make rules, orders, and regulations accordingly;"

And whereas section 58 of the Poor Law Amendment Act, 1834, it is enacted as follows:

"From and after the passing of this Act, any relief, or the cost price thereof, which shall be given to or on account of any poor person above the age of twenty-one, or to his wife, or any part of his family under the age of sixteen, and which the said commissioners shall by any rule, order, or regulation declare or direct to be given or considered as given by way of loan, and whether any receipt for such relief, or engagement to repay the same, or the cost price thereof, or any part thereof, shall have been given or not by the person to or on account of whom the same shall have been so given, shall be considered and the same is hereby declared to be a loan to such poor person."

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given by the Statutes in that behalf, hereby order, declare, and direct as follows, with respect to each of the Unions named in the Schedule to this Order:

ARTICLE I.—In every case in which the Guardians decide to pay the school fee, or any part thereof, under the provisions of section 10 of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, above-recited, and declare the money so paid to be given by way of loan to the parent of the child, such money shall be considered as given by way of loan to the parent accordingly.

ARTICLE II.—In every case where the money paid in respect of such fee is so given by way of loan, the same shall be recoverable in accordance with the provisions of the Poor Law Acts applicable to the recovery of other relief given on loan.

ARTICLE III.—In this Order,—

The term "Guardians" includes any body of persons performing the functions of Guardians within the meaning of the Acts relating to the relief of the Poor.

The term "Unions" includes any Union or Incorporation of parishes under any General or Local Act, and any single parish having Guardians as above defined, under any General or Local Act.

The term "Parent" includes the guardian of a child, and every person who is liable to maintain a child.

Unions and Incorporations.

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Keighley.
Kendal.
Kettering.
Keynsham.
Kidderminster.
Kingsbridge.
Kingsclere.
King's Lynn.
King's Norton.
Kingston.
Kingston-upon-Hull.
Kington.
Kirkby Moorside.
Knareborough.
Knighton.

Lampeter
Lancaster.
Lanchester.
Langport.
Launceston.
Ledbury.
Leeds.
Leek.
Leicester.
Leigh.
Leighton Buzzard.
Leominster.
Lewes.
Lewisham.
Lexden and Winstree.
Leyburn.
Lichfield.
Lincoln.
Linton.
Liskeard.
Llandilo Fawr.
Llandoverly.
Llanelly.
Llanfyllin.
Llanrwst.
Loddon and Clavering.
Longtown.
Loughborough.
Louth.
Ludlow.
Lunesdale.
Luton.
Lutterworth.
Lymington.

Macclesfield.
Machynlleth.
Madeley.
Maidstone.
Maldon.
Malling.
Malmesbury.
Malton.
Mansfield.
Market Bosworth.
Market Harborough.
Marlborough.
Martley.
Medway.
Melksham.
Melton Mowbray.
Mere.
Meriden.
Merthyr Tydvil.
Middlesbrough.
Midhurst.
Mildenhall.
Milton.
Mitford and Launditch.
Monmouth.

Morpeth.
Mutford and Lothing-
land.

Nantwich.
Narberth.
Neath.
Newark.
Newbury.
Newcastle-in-Emlyn.
Newcastle-under-Lyme.
Newcastle-upon-Tyne.
Newent.
Newhaven.
Newmarket.
Newport (Monmouth).
Newport (Salop).
Newport Pagnell.
Newton Abbot.
Newtown and Llanid-
loes.

New Forest.
New Winchester.
Northallerton.
Northampton.
Northleach.
Northwich.
North Aylesford.
North Bierley.
North Witchford.
Norwich.
Nottingham.
Nuneaton.

Oakham.
Okehampton.
Oldham.
Ongar.
Ormskirk.
Orsett.
Oswestry.
Oundle.
Oxford.

Pateley Bridge.
Patrinton.
Pembroke.
Penistone.
Penrith.
Penzance.
Pershore.
Peterborough.
Petersfield.
Petworth.
Pewsey.
Pickering.
Plomesgate.
Plymouth.
Plympton Saint Mary.
Pocklington.
Pontardawe.
Pontefract.
Pont-y-pool.
Pontypridd.
Poole.
Poplar.
Portsea Island.
Pottersbury.
Prescot.
Preston.
Prestwich.
Pwllheli.

Radford.
Reading.
Redruth.
Reeth.
Reigate.

Rhayader.
Richmond (Surrey).
Richmond (N. Yorks).
Ringwood.
Ripon.
Risbridge.
Rochdale.
Rochford.
Romford.
Romney Marsh.
Romsey.
Ross.
Rothbury.
Rotherham.
Royston.
Rugby.
Runcorn.
Ruthin.
Rye.

Saffron Walden.
Saint Alban's.
Saint Asaph.
Saint Austell.
Saint Columb Major.
Saint Faith's.
Saint George's.
Saint Germans.
Saint Ives.
Saint Neot's.
Saint Olave's.
Saint Saviour's.
Saint Thomas.
Salford.
Samford.
Scarborough.
Sculcoates.
Sedbergh.
Sedgefield.
Seisdon.
Selby.
Settle.

Sevenoaks.
Shaftesbury.
Shardlow.
Sheffield.
Sheppey.
Shepton Mallet.
Sherborne.
Shiffnal.
Shipston-upon-Stour.
Skipton.
Skirlaugh.
Sleaford.
Smallburgh.
Solihull.
Southam.
Southampton.
South Molton.
South Shields.
South Stoneham.
Southwell.
Spalding.
Spilsby.
Stafford.
Staines.
Stamford.
Stepney.
Steyning.
Stockbridge.
Stockport.
Stockton.
Stokesley.
Stone.
Stourbridge.
Stow.
Stow-on-the-Wold.

Strand.
Stratford-upon Avon.
Stratton.
Stroud.
Sturminster.
Sudbury.
Sunderland.
Swaffham.
Swansea.

Tadcaster.
Tamworth.
Tarvin.
Taunton.
Tavistock.
Teesdale.
Tenbury.
Tendring.
Tenterden.
Tetbury.
Tewkesbury.
Thakeham.
Thame.
Thetford.
Thingoe.
Thirsk.
Thornbury.
Thorne.
Thrapston.
Ticehurst.
Tisbury.
Tiverton.
Todmorden.
Tonbridge.
Torrington.
Totnes.
Towcester.
Tregaron.
Truro.
Tynemouth.

Uckfield.
Ulverstone.
Uppingham.
Upton-upon Severn.
Utttoxeter.
Uxbridge.

Wakefield.
Wallingford.
Walsall.
Walsingham.
Wandsworth and Clap-
ham.
Wangford.
Wantage.
Ware.
Wareham and Purbeck.
Warminster.
Warrington.
Warwick.
Watford.
Wayland.
Weardale.
Wellingborough.
Wellington (Salop).
Wellington (Somerset).
Wells.
Welwyn.
Wem.
Weobley.
Westbourne.
Westbury.
Westbury and Whor-
welsdown.

Westminster.	Whitby.	Wincanton.	Wolverhampton.
West Ashford.	Whitchurch (Salop).	Winchcombe.	Woodbridge.
West Bromwich.	Whitchurch (South-	Windsor.	Woodstock.
West Derby.	ampton).	Winslow.	Woolwich.
West Firle.	Whitechapel.	Wirrall.	Worcester.
West Ham.	Whitehaven.	Wisbeach.	Worksop.
West Hampnett.	Wigan.	Witham.	Wortley.
West Ward.	Wigton.	Witney.	Wrexham.
Wetherby.	Williton.	Woburn.	Wycombe.
Weymouth.	Wilton.	Wokingham.	
Wharfedale.	Wimborne and Cran-	Wolstanton and Bur-	Yeovil.
Wheatenhurst.	borne.	slem.	York.

Single Parishes.

Alston-with-Garrigill.
 Alverstone.
 Barrow-in-Furness.
 Birmingham.
 Brighton.
 East Stonehouse.
 Great Yarmouth.
 Liverpool.
 Manchester.
 Mile End Old Town
 Paddington.
 Saddleworth.
 Saint George-in-the-East.
 Saint Giles-in-the-Fields and Saint George,
 Bloomsbury.

Saint Giles, Camberwell.
 Saint John, Hampstead.
 Saint Leonard, Shoreditch.
 Saint Luke, Chelsea.
 Saint Marylebone.
 Saint Mary Abbot's, Kensington.
 Saint Mary, Islington.
 Saint Mary, Lambeth.
 Saint Mary and Saint Andrew, Whittlesey.
 Saint Matthew, Bethnal Green.
 Saint Pancras.
 Stoke Damerel.
 Stoke-upon-Trent.
 Toxteth Park.

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



John Lambert, Secretary.

G. Selater-Booth, President.

GENERAL ORDER of the Local Government Board :—

Alteration of General Consolidated Order.
 (Out-door Labour Test.)
 Guisborough Union.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Guisborough Union, in the North Riding of the county of York ;—

To the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor of the several Parishes and Places comprised in the said Union ;—

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 order, with respect to the relief of the Poor in the Guisborough Union, in the North Riding of the county of York, as follows :—

Article 1.—Every able-bodied male pauper who may receive relief within the Union, and may be relieved out of the Workhouse, with the approbation of the Local Government Board, according to the 6th Article of the Order of the Poor Law Board, dated the 21st day of December, 1844, addressed to the Guardians of the Poor of the said Union, shall be relieved in the following manner ; that is to say :—

Half at least of the relief given to such pauper shall be given in food, clothing, and other articles of necessity.

No such pauper shall receive relief from the Guardians of the Union, or any of their officers, or any Overseer of any Parish in the Union,

while he is employed for wages or other hire or remuneration by any person ; but every such pauper so relieved shall be set to work by the Guardians.

Article 2. The Guardians shall, within fourteen days after the day when this Order comes into force, and from time to time afterwards as the Local Government Board may require, report to the Local Government Board the place or places at which able-bodied male paupers shall be so set to work in the Union, the sort or sorts of work in which they or any of them shall be employed, the times and mode of work, and all such other matters relating to the employment of such able-bodied paupers as the said Guardians shall deem material to be communicated to the Local Government Board, or as the Local Government Board shall require.

Article 3. If the Guardians of the Union shall depart, in any particular instance, from any of the regulations hereinbefore contained, and shall, within fifteen days after such departure, report the same and the grounds thereof to the Local Government Board, and if the Local Government Board shall approve of such departure, then the relief granted in such particular instance shall, if otherwise lawful, not be deemed to be unlawful, or be subject to be disallowed.

Article 4.—Whenever the word "Parish" is used in this Order, it shall be taken to signify any place for which a separate Poor Rate is or can be made, or for which a separate Overseer is or can be appointed.

And whereas provision is made in a General Order of the Poor Law Commissioners, bearing date the twenty-fourth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven, addressed, among others, to the Guardians of the Poor of the said Union, for the appointment of an officer, to be termed a Superintendent of Out-door Labour, and for the continuance in office of such officer, and it is expedient to provide for the suspension of such officer on other occasions than those provided for by the last-mentioned Order ;

We therefore further order, that if at any time the number of able-bodied male paupers requiring relief shall be so small as to render the services of such an officer unnecessary, the Guardians may suspend him from the performance of his duties until a further occasion shall arise.

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



G. Slater-Booth,
President.

John Lambert, Secretary.

Civil Service Commission,
January 10, 1878.

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

SPECIAL REGULATIONS (Supplementary to the General Regulations issued 8th April, 1872, and amended by subsequent Notices in the London Gazette), respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the situation of Assistant Schoolmaster in Her Majesty's Dockyards in the Department of the Admiralty.

I. The limits of age for this situation are 20 and 35, and candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of the examination.

II. No Candidate will be eligible who does not produce satisfactory proof of his ability and experience in teaching. Evidence on this point must be sent in at least a week before the date of the competition. If it prove *prima facie* satisfactory, the Candidate will be admitted to compete, subject to such further inquiry as may be necessary. In the case of a person who has been trained in one of Her Majesty's Dockyard Schools, a certificate from the President of the Royal Naval College that the Candidate possesses the requisite practical qualifications will be regarded by the Commissioners as satisfactory evidence.

III. The examination will be in the following subjects, viz. :—

1. Handwriting and Orthography.
2. Arithmetic and Mensuration.
3. Grammar and Analysis of Sentences.
4. English Composition.
5. Physical and Political Geography of the World, especially of England and Europe.
6. English History.
7. Euclid (first four Books, Book VI, and the first 21 Propositions of Book XI.)
8. Algebra.
9. Plane Trigonometry.

10. Differential and Integral Calculus (elementary), and Plane Co-ordinate Geometry (elementary).

11. The elementary principles of Mechanics and Hydrostatics, not requiring the Differential Calculus.

** Candidates will also be competitively examined in the following subjects ; and, although it will not be necessary for each Candidate to have a knowledge of these latter subjects, a high value will be set on them.

12. Plane Trigonometry (analytical) and Spherical Trigonometry.

13. Plane Co-ordinate Geometry (more advanced), and Analytical Geometry of three dimensions.

14. Differential and Integral Calculus (more advanced); and the easier Differential Equations.

15. Higher Mechanics and Hydrostatics.

16. Elementary Chemistry and Physics.

IV. A fee of £1 will be required from each Candidate attending this examination.

The Civil Service Commissioners further give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for at least two situations as Assistant Schoolmaster in Her Majesty's Dockyards will be held in London, under the above Regulations, on Tuesday, the 19th of February, 1878, and following days.

No person will be admitted to compete from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, has not received, on or before the 12th of February, 1878, an application on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from him at once.

Civil Service Commission,
January 10, 1878.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the Candidates hereinafter named have passed the Preliminary Examination for situations in the Civil Service, Class I ; viz. :—

Cater, John Rundle
Cox-Smith, Owen P.
Greene, Graham William
Kearney, Elfric Leofwin
Miniken, John
Pownall, Edward Waterhouse
Salisbury, Edward
Sanderson, Walter
Seldon, Arthur Frederick
Taylor, Frank
Thompson, Robert Marmaduke Bird
Vinter, Alfred Evans
Webb, Sidney James
Wroth, Warwick W.

Civil Service Commission,
January 10, 1878.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that at an Open Competitive Examination for two situations as Junior Clerk in the Office of Woods, held under the Special Regulations, dated 27th April, 1877, notice of which examination was given in the London Gazette of the 6th November, 1877, the undermentioned Candidates obtained the first two places :—

Number in Order of Merit.	Name.
1	Round, Herbert Thomas
2	Howlett, Charles Edgar

*Civil Service Commission,
January 10, 1878.*

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that at an Open Competitive Examination for one situation as Supplementary Clerk in the Office of Woods, held under the Special Regulations dated the 14th February, 1876, notice of which examination was given in the London Gazette of the 6th November, 1877, the under-mentioned Candidate obtained the first place:—

More, William Henry

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Primitive Methodist Chapel, situate at Englesea Brook, in the parish of Weston, in the county of Chester, in the district of Nantwich, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 20th day of December, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6 and 7 Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 24th day of December, 1877.

James Pick, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Church of the Immaculate Conception, situate near Midford Castle, in the parish of Southstoke, in the county of Somerset, in the district of Bath, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 21st day of December, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 27th day of December, 1877.

John Mannings, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Drefach Chapel, situate at Drefach, in the parish of Llangeler, in the county of Carmarthen, in the district of New-

castle-in-Emlyn, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 24th day of December, 1877, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 26th day of December, 1877.

W. Evans George, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Stanley Wesleyan Methodist Chapel, situate at Stanley, in the township of Stanley-cum-Wrenthorpe, in the county of York, in the district of Wakefield, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 5th day of January, 1878, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 7th day of January, 1878.

John Roberts, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Chief Registrar of Friendly Societies, has, pursuant to 38 and 39 Vic., c. 60, s. 12, by writing under his hand, dated the 5th day of January, 1878, Cancelled the Registry of the Northleach Agricultural Labourers' Friendly Society, Register No. 1076, held at the Sherborne Arms, Northleach, in the county of Gloucester. The insecure condition of the Funds arising from an insufficient scale of payments, and a wish to turn over its responsibilities to the Agricultural Labourers' Union. The Society (subject to the right of appeal given by the said Act) ceases to enjoy the privileges of a registered Society, but without prejudice to any liability incurred by the Society, which may be enforced against it as if such cancelling had not taken place.

J. M. Ludlow, Chief Registrar.
January 5, 1878.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 9th day of January, 1878.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

£				£			
Notes issued	...	...	...	38,754,220	Government Debt	...	11,015,100
					Other Securities	...	3,984,900
					Gold Coin and Bullion	...	23,754,220
					Silver Bullion	...	—
				<u>£38,754,220</u>			<u>£38,754,220</u>

Dated the 10th day of January, 1878.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

£				£			
Proprietors' Capital	...	...	14,553,000	Government Securities	...	...	18,417,509
Rest	...	...	3,328,214	Other Securities	...	...	17,625,966
Public Deposits (including Ex-				Notes	...	...	11,148,435
chequer, Savings Banks, Com-				Gold and Silver Coin	...	...	753,781
missioners of National Debt, and							
Dividend Accounts)	...	...	4,384,488				
Other Deposits	...	...	25,357,887				
Seven Day and other Bills	...	...	322,102				
			<u>£47,945,691</u>				<u>£47,945,691</u>

Dated the 10th day of January, 1878.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered in the Week ending 9th January, 1878.

Countries from which Imported.	Imported into the United Kingdom.					
	GOLD.			SILVER.		
	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Germany	15,803	...	15,803	...	935,964	935,964
Belgium	150	...	150	...	76,445	76,445
France	2,446	...	2,446	4,399	...	4,399
British India ... ..	...	8,416	8,416	...	...	...
China and Hong Kong	1,666	...	1,666	...	...	...
Japan	18,572	245	18,817	...	491	491
South America (except Brazil)	203	17	220	34,272	266,515	300,787
United States ... ..	...	...	...	...	321,962	321,962
Other Countries	548	1,130	1,678	8,393	14,023	22,416
...
...
Aggregate of the Importations registered in the Week ... }	39,388	9,808	49,196	47,064	1,615,400	1,662,464
Declared Value of the said Importations ... }	£ 155,506	£ 39,233	£ 194,739	£ 10,985	£ 866,972	£ 377,957

Countries to which Exported.	Exported from the United Kingdom.							
	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.
	British.	Foreign.			British.	Foreign.		
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
France	12,800	1,086	29,324	44,010	...	22,504	1,700,000	1,192,504
Egypt	30,711	...	...	30,711	...	...	...	...
Bombay ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	254,511	254,511
South America (except Brazil)	3,084	...	...	3,084	...	...	...	...
Other Countries	334	...	...	334	1,292	5,600	...	6,892

Aggregate of the Exportations registered in the Week ... }	46,929	1,886	29,324	78,139	1,292	28,104	1,424,511	1,453,907
Declared Value of the said Exportations }	£ 182,800	£ 7,079	£ 121,179	£ 311,058	£ 355	£ 6,219	£ 323,300	£ 329,874

Statistical Department, Custom House, London,
January 10, 1878.

S. SELDON,
Principal.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of William Lloyd Wise, of Chandos-chambers, Adelphi, in the county of Middlesex, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in boxes for packing, and for other purposes, and in means for strengthening boxes, and of securing boxes and other structures against being opened by unauthorized parties without detection,"—a communication to him from abroad by Henry Charles Stone, of the city of Brooklyn, county of Kings, State of New York, in the United States of America,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 2nd day of January, 1878, 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 the petition of Herbert John Hadden, of the firm of Herbert and Company, Patent Agents, of 67, Strand, in the city of Westminster, Civil Engineer, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in shoe-heel and edge burnishing machinery,"—a communication to him from abroad by Benjamin Franklin Larrabee, of Lynn, Massachusetts, United States of America,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 3rd day of January, 1878,

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 the petition of Luke Chapman, of Collinsville, Connecticut, United States of America, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in wheel-ploughs," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 4th day of January, 1878, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

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Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of 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, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in regulator clocks, in the mechanism for transmitting time from the same to distant indicating dials, and in the receiving mechanism imparting motion to the hands of such dials,"—a communication to him from abroad by Edward James Muybridge, of San Francisco, United States of America, was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 5th day of January, 1878, 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 the petition of William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in type-writing machines,"—a communication to him from abroad by George Washington Newton Yost, of the city and State of New York, United States of America,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 7th day of January, 1878, 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 the petition of Charles Riballier, of Paris, in the Republic of France, Jeweller, praying for letters

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patent for the invention of "an improved process of decolouring colored diamonds," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 7th day of January, 1878, 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—

3415. To Thomas Smedley, of Holywell, in the county of Flint, North Wales, for the invention of "improvements in attaching shafts to carriages or vehicles."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 8th day of September, 1877.

4057. To Thomas Goode Messenger, Civil Engineer, of Loughborough, in the county of Leicester, for the invention of "improvements in chimneys, forming a combined smoke and ventilating flue."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 1st day of November, 1877.

4405. To George Agars Walker, commonly called John George Agars Walker, of Danes Hill, near Retford, in the county of Nottingham, for the invention of "improvements in means or apparatus to facilitate the coupling and uncoupling of railway trucks, wagons, and carriages."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 23rd day of November, 1877.

4469. To John James Kennedy and William Anderson, both of the city of Dublin, Ireland, for the invention of "improvements in means employed to ascertain the number of persons entering tram cars, omnibuses, theatres, and other places, and the amount of money taken and the number of articles supplied."

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

4559. To Thomas Jones, of Aberavon, in the county of Glamorgan, for the invention of "improved mechanical arrangements for opening, closing, suspending, and fastening window sashes and sash frames."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 1st day of December, 1877.

4563. To Lothian Kerr Scott, Captain in Her Majesty's Royal Engineers, of the Junior United Service Club, Charles-street, London, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in sighting ordnance, and in the apparatus employed therein."

4571. And to Victor Joseph Fallart, of Brussels, Kingdom of Belgium, Mechanist, for the invention of "a compressed air motor or spiral construction, applicable to tramway carriages, vessels, locomotives, and other carriages."

On both their petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 3rd day of December, 1877.

4579. To James Clark Buntin, of the Anderston Foundry, Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, and James Livesey, of No. 9, Victoria-chambers, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, for

the invention of "improvements in wrought iron or steel sleepers for railways."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 4th day of December, 1877.

4637. To Francis Thomas Bond, of Gloucester, in the county of Gloucester, Doctor of Medicine, for the invention of "improvements in filters."

4650. And to Joseph Stubbs, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Machine Maker, and Charles Henry Pugh, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Screw Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in what are commonly called clearers for removing imperfections from yarns or threads."

On both their petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 7th day of December, 1877.

4679. To Michael Charles Duffy, of 134, Florence-terrace, Grange-road, Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, and Francis Hoole Davids, of Oak Lodge, Bushey Hill-road, Camberwell, in the same county, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of composite fire lights."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 10th day of December, 1877.

4720. To Count Adolpho Cozza, of Orvieto, in the Kingdom of Italy, residing temporarily at 67, Strand, in the city of Westminster, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for indicating high temperatures in shafts and bearings."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 12th day of December, 1877.

4765. To Joseph Wilson Swan, Chemist, and Barnard Simpson Proctor, Chemist, both of the borough and county of Newcastle-on-Tyne, for the invention of "a process for the purification of opium."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 14th day of December, 1877.

4805. To James Gresham, of the firm of Gresham and Craven, of Craven Iron Works, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Engineers and Machinists, for the invention of "improvements in couplings for pipes and hose used for conveying fluids between vehicles forming railway trains, applicable also as couplings for pipes and hose for other purposes."

4807. To Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in steam boiler and other furnaces."—A communication to him from abroad by Robert Kermit McMurray, of the city, county, and State of New York, United States of America.

4811. To Charles Tyson, of the city of Philadelphia, in the county of Philadelphia, and State of Pennsylvania, in the United States of America, for the invention of "improvements in steam generators."

4813. To Robert Dunn, of Wylam on Tyne, in the county of Northumberland, for the invention of "improvements in raising water or other liquids, and in the apparatus employed therein, parts of which improvements are also applicable to other similar purposes."

4815. To George William Thomas, of Harlesden Green, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "an improved pocket lamp and match case."

4817. To John Leadbeater, of Morley, near Leeds, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in shuttles employed in weaving."

4819. To Edward Griffith Brewer, of Chancery-lane, London, for the invention of "improvements in lamps for burning mineral essences or heavy and light oils."—A communication to him from abroad by Jean Charles and Louis Joseph Darte, both of Paris, France.

4821. To Charles Torkington, of King's Norton, in the county of Worcester, Millwright, and James Heys, of the same place, Manager, for the invention of "improvements in lubricators for steam cylinders."

4823. And to Conrad Louis Strube, of Buckau, near Magdeburg, North Germany, for the invention of "an improved spark extinguisher for locomotive, portable, traction, and other engines."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 18th day of December, 1877.

4825. To James Longshaw, of Warrington, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "an improved gas tap."

4827. To John Kay, of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of 'condenser spools' or bobbins used in the manufacture of woollen and other yarns."

4829. To Richard Cosslett the younger, of Elgin Park, Redland, Bristol, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for moulding or shaping plastic materials."

4833. To Alexander Watt, of No. 5, Byrneterrace, Gladstone-road, New Wimbledon, in the county of Surrey, Electro-Metallurgist, for the invention of "improvements in reading lamps for use in railway and other carriages, which lamps are also applicable to other uses."

4835. To William Holroyd and George Frederick Holroyd, both of Parkside-road Works, in Bradford, in the county of York, Manufacturers, for the invention of "improvements in looms for weaving."

4837. And to William McIntyre Cranston, of 36, Worship-street, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in combined reaping and grain straw binding machines."—A communication to him from abroad by Walter Abbott Wood, of Hoosick Falls, State of New York, United States of America.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 19th day of December, 1877.

4839. 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 "an improved machine for sawing and shaping."—A communication to him by August Hunger, of Peterswaldau, in the German Empire.

4841. To James Ker Gulland, of the Westminster Palace Hotel, Victoria-street, in the city of Westminster, Mechanical Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for boring or drilling in stone and other matters."

4843. To William Stanley Harris, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in bags or envelopes for postal and other purposes."

4845. To James Macdonald and Alexander Macdonald, of Blackjug, in the county of Banff, North Britain, for the invention of "improve-

ments in machinery or apparatus for lifting turnips, and for topping and tailing the same."

4847. To Charles Ambrose McEvoy, of the London Ordnance Works, Bear-lane, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in telephonic apparatus."

4852. To Emil Böttcher, of Bremen, in the Empire of Germany, for the invention of "improvements in tramways."

4853. And to Joseph Stokes Williams, of River-ton, New Jersey, United States of America, now of 8, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for operating or adjusting railway switches or crossings and signals."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 20th day of December, 1877.

4855. To Thomas Parkes, of Brettell-lane, near Stourbridge, in the county of Stafford, Commercial Traveller, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of window-sash fasteners."

4857. To William Young and Alexander Neilson, both of Clippens, in the county of Renfrew, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in refrigerating liquids, and in the means employed therefor, also in apparatus for the subsequent treatment of the refrigerated liquids."

4859. To Richard Hardman, of Albert Mill, Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturer, for the invention of "an improvement in and applicable to looms for weaving."

4861. To Adolf Gutensohn, of Bow, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in surfaces for igniting lucifer matches."

4863. To John Sturgeon, of Crosby, near Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in and appertaining to machinery, and apparatus for cooling, drying, and purifying atmospheric air for refrigerating purposes."

4865. And to Albert Silbermann, of Berlin, in the German Empire, for the invention of "improvements in gas blow-pipe machines."

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

4867. To Samuel Cleland Davidson, of Belfast, in county of Antrim, Ireland, Gentleman, for the invention of "a new or improved implement for hoeing, digging, or cultivating the soil."

4869. To John Smith, of Kynsal Lodge, Audlem, in the county of Chester, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of cheese, and in apparatus employed therein."

4871. To William Shirley, of Newington-causeway, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "an improved device for guiding and holding or retaining the cords used for raising and lowering venetian and other blinds."

4873. To Joseph Kaye, Jim Wainwright Kaye, and Walter Kelita Kaye, all of Kirkstall, near Leeds, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in the means or apparatus employed for fastening and unfastening doors, gates, lids, and windows."

4875. And to William Richard Middlemore Thomson, of 96, Buchanan-street, Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Consulting Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in direct acting vacuum chamber steam lift and force pumps."—A communication to him from abroad by Joseph Lynn Berry,

of Sprottan, Schlesien, in the Empire of Germany.

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

4883. To Charles Crossley, of Sudbury, in the county of Suffolk, for the invention of "improvements in looms for weaving, and in apparatus connected therewith."

4885. To Francis John Bolton, commonly called Frank Bolton, of 4, Broad Sanctuary, Westminster, Major, late 12th Regiment, for the invention of "improvements in transmitting, receiving, and printing telegraphic messages, and in the apparatus employed therein or connected therewith."

4891. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "an improved machine or mill for grinding, granulating, separating, and similarly treating grain, bark, and other like materials."—A communication to him from abroad by Darius C. Newell, of the city and State of New York, United States of America.

4893. And to Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in dynamo-electric, and magneto-electric machines."—A communication to him from abroad by the firm of Lontin and Company, of Paris, France.

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

4895. To James Clark Bunten, of the Anderston Foundry, Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, and James Livesey, of No. 9, Victoria-chambers, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in sleepers and clips for rails."

4896. And to William Frederick Nast, of Saint Louis (Missouri), United States of America, Gentleman, for the invention of "an improved furnace for heating air suitable for drying and other purposes."

On both their petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 26th day of December, 1877.

4897. To Jonathan Edge, of Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for surfacing and dressing mill-stones."

4898. To Daniel Clarke, of Leith, in the county of Midlothian, North Britain, Book-Keeper, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for checking and recording the fares received by the guards of tramway cars and other vehicles, and for checking and recording receipts or payments generally."

4899. To James Hall, of Bonnybridge, in the county of Stirling, North Britain, for the invention of "a new or improved admission and exhaust valve for motive power engines."

4900. To Joseph Warren Wattles, of the State of Massachusetts, of the United States of America, for the invention of "improvements in mechanism for spinning."

4902. 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 the means of actuating the brakes of carriages and wagons for railways."—A communication to him from

abroad by Albert Fréd Gue and George Franklin Field, both of Boston, in the county of Suffolk, Massachusetts, United States of America.

4904. To Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "an improved universal time-piece or geographical clock."—A communication to him from abroad by William Asro Cates, of Union, in the county of Union, and State of Oregon, United States of America.

4905. To John Carrington Sellars, of Birkenhead, in the county of Chester, Manufacturing Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus or appliances to be used in moulding artificial stone for building purposes."

4906. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in the construction of bed bottoms and other parts of ships' sleeping berths, also applicable to other ships' furniture."—A communication to him from abroad by Charles Emery, of Boston, Massachusetts, United States of America.

4907. To Frederick George Morton, of 3, New Cross-road, in the county of Surrey, Engineer, for the invention of "a new or improved mode of treating the refuse of seal skins, in order to manufacture various articles therefrom."

4908. To Samuel Corbett, of Wellington, in the county of Salop, Agricultural Implement Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in ploughs."

4909. To Henry Clarke Ash, of 315, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "apparatus for shuffling cards."

4910. To Michael Rowand McHaffie, of Eastwood, in the county of Renfrew, North Britain, Quarry Master, for the invention of "improvements in cutting and dressing stone, and in the tools and mechanism employed therefor."

4911. To Aimé Robert, of Gilly, in Belgium, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in expansion gear for steam engines and other motors."

4912. To Frederic Alexander Greenwood, of Bradford, in the county of York, for the invention of "an improvement in spinning and twisting machinery."

4913. And to Ernst Gessner, Junior, of Pimlico, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in machines for pressing or finishing woven and other fabrics, and articles made of woven fabrics."—A communication to him from abroad by Ernst Gessner, Senior, of Aue, in the Kingdom of Saxony.

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 27th day of December, 1877.

4914. To Julius Hall, of 90, Chancery-lane, for the invention of "improvements in tools and fittings of drilling and boring apparatus."

4915. To George Leven Miller, of No. 13, Cambridge-terrace, Pimlico, in the county of Middlesex, Tin Plate Worker, for the invention of "an orthopædic carriage-bedstead and relative mechanical appliances for use in the treatment of hip-disease and other orthopædic ailments."

4917. To James Smith, Engineer to Messieurs Walter Crum and Company, of Thornliebank, in the county of Renfrew, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in drying, steaming, and ageing apparatus for woven fabrics and yarns."

4918. To Thomas Bache Salter, of West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, Manufacturer,

and John Hughes, of West Bromwich aforesaid, Foreman of Works, for the invention of "improvements in spring balances."

4919. To John Guy Wilson, of 71, Market-street, in the city of Manchester, Mechanical Engineer and Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in and apparatus for carburetting gas to increase its illuminating properties."—A communication to him from abroad by Bernhard Liebich, of Görlitz, in the Empire of Germany.

4920. To Alfred Longsdon, of Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in furnaces for the manufacture of iron and steel by the application of a combined reverberatory and Bessemer furnace."—A communication to him from abroad by Alfred Krupp, of Essen, in the Empire of Germany.

4921. To Peter William Barr, of Liverpool, in county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in medicated and other food for dogs and other animals."

4922. And to Alexander Sinclair McPherson, of Wellington Foundry, Leeds, in the county of York, for the invention of "improved apparatus for drawing hemp, flax, and other fibrous substances."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 28th day of December, 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 5th day of January, 1878.

4466. George Haseltine, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London, Doctor of Laws, for an invention of "improvements in motive power engines to be worked by steam, air, or other elastic fluid."—The said invention has been communicated to him from abroad by George Jeffards Wardwell, of Rutland, Vermont, United States of America, Mechanic.—Dated 30th December, 1874.

4468. Thomas John Hogg, of 42, Fleming-road, Kennington Park, in the county of Surrey, for an invention of "improvements in the means of and apparatus for sanitarily ventilating houses, buildings, rooms, chimney flues, ships or vessels, sewers, external gas lamps, and other such like purposes."—Dated 30th December, 1874.

4469. James Mackintire, of Cambridge, in the State of Massachusetts, in the United States of America, but at present of Villiers-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus employed when casting metals under pressure."—Dated 30th December, 1874.

4474. John Wharton and George Yule, both of Newark, in the county of Essex, and State of New Jersey, in the United States of America, for an invention of "improvements in a machine or apparatus for forming hat bodies."—Dated 30th December, 1874.

4478. George Haycraft, of Faversham, in the county of Kent, for an invention of "improvements in metallic casks for containing gunpowder and other uses, and in machinery for manufacturing the same."—Dated 30th December, 1874.

4481. William Spence, of 8, Quality-court, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus to be used in the manufacture of hats."—The said invention has been communicated to him from abroad by James W. Corey, of the city of Newark, in the county of Newark, in the State of New Jersey, one of the United States of America.—Dated 31st December, 1874.
4482. Robert Dick, of the city of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer, for an invention of "improvements in boots and shoes."—Dated 31st December, 1874.
4485. Thomas James Smith, of the firm of Robertson, Brooman, and Company, of 166, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agents, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for inking or blind stamping, dating, or impressing papers, documents, and other articles."—From abroad by William Abercrombie, of 42, Market-street, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.—Dated 31st December, 1874.
4486. George Haseltine, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London. Doctor of Laws, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of enameled pipes, pipe couplings, and other articles or apparatus exposed to the action of gases or liquids."—The said invention has been communicated to him from abroad by the American Enamel Company, Incorporated under the Laws of the State of Rhode Island, United States of America.—Dated 31st December, 1874.
4491. Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in surgical instruments known as litho-lycites."—The said invention has been communicated to him from abroad by Henry Wittington Bradford, of Randolph, in the county of Norfolk, and State of Massachusetts, United States of America.—Dated 31st December, 1874.
4492. John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for an invention of "improved means of or appliances for controlling or curbing draught horses."—Communicated to him from abroad by Bernard Lamarque and Jean August Borries, both of Paris, in the Republic of France, Officers in the French Army.—Dated 31st December, 1874.
1. James Glazebrook Stormont, residing at 59, Constitution-hill, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Machinist and Brassfounder, for an invention of "an improved call bell and action used in call and other bells."—Dated 1st January, 1875.
2. Henri Adrien Bonneville, of the British and Foreign Patent Offices, 18, Rue de la Chaussée d'Antin, Paris, France, and 6, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in machines for carding, combing, and spinning wool and other fibrous materials in general."—The said invention is a communication from Celestin Martin, a person resident at Verviers, in the Kingdom of Belgium.—Dated 1st January, 1875.
3. William Lloyd Wise, of Chandos-chambers, Adelphi, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for drilling, boring, or cutting rock or other hard substances."—From abroad by Monsieur Claude Levet, of Montceau, in the Republic of France.—Dated 1st January, 1875.
5. William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "improved materials for kindling fires."—Communicated to him from abroad by Daniel Seymour Silcox, of Charleston, South Carolina, United States of America, Gentleman.—Dated 1st January, 1875.
6. Edmund Hunt, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Patent Agent, for an invention of "an improved musical instrument."—From abroad by Mason Johnston Matthews, residing at Boston, Massachusetts, United States of America.—Dated 1st January, 1875.
8. Matthew Tildesley, of Tettenhall Wood, near Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of door bolts and other other fastenings."—Dated 1st January, 1875.
9. William Stebbins Fish, of Mystic, in the county of New London, and State of Connecticut, United States of America, but at present residing in Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for an invention of "a new or improved compound material applicable for packing stuffing boxes of engines, pumps, and other mechanism for packing joints of pipes, boilers, tanks, cylinders, and valve chests and others analogous thereto, and which is also applicable for covering floors, roofs, and other surfaces."—Dated 1st January, 1875.
12. Joseph John Perry, of Red Lion-square, in the county of Middlesex, and Ralph Augustine Jones, of Brill, in the county of Buckingham, for an invention of "improvements in means for lighting cigars and other articles, and for obtaining light for other purposes."—Dated 1st January, 1875.
14. William Fenton and John Fenton, of Liversedge, in the county of York, and Christopher Hutchinson Newsome, of Birstal, near Leeds, in the aforesaid county of York, for an invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for carding, gilling, and roving worsted, silk, flax, cotton, and other fibres."—Dated 1st January, 1875.
16. Benjamin Rhodes and Thomas Brown Rhodes, both of Armley, near Leeds, in the county of York, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for flocking woollen or other woven or felted fabrics."—Dated 1st January, 1875.
17. Immer Fielden, of the city of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in steam engines."—Dated 1st January, 1875.
23. John Browning, of 63, Strand, London, Optician, for an invention of "improvements in latches or fastenings for doors, casements, and shutters."—Dated 2nd January, 1875.
24. William Reynolds Miller, of the city of Baltimore, in the county of Baltimore, State of Maryland, United States of America, for an invention of "improvements in pianos and similar musical instruments."—Dated 2nd January, 1875.
26. Peter Jensen, of 89, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in printing on and ornamenting tinted or other metallic plates."—Communicated to him from abroad by the Hamburg American Sewing Machine Company, late Pollac Schmidt and Company, Hamburg.—Dated 2nd January, 1875.
27. George Haseltine, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London, Doctor of Laws, for an invention of "improve-

- ments in apparatus for teaching in schools."—The said invention has been communicated to him from abroad by Malcolm McVicar, of Potsdam, New York, United States of America, and Donald Harvey McVicar, of Montreal, Canada.—Dated 2nd January, 1875.
29. Alexander Melville Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for preparing cotton and other fibrous substances for spinning."—From abroad by Eugène Paul Emile Portait and Charles Philippe Weber, trading under the name of Portait, Weber, and Company, of Paris, France.—Dated 2nd January, 1875.
31. Thomas Kendrick, of Balsall Heath, in the county of Worcester, for an invention of "certain improvements in the ornamentation of coffin furniture."—Dated 4th January, 1875.
32. Christopher Catlow, Overlooker, and Thomas Richmond, Cotton Manufacturer, both of Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, for an invention of "improvements in looms for weaving."—Dated 4th January, 1875.
35. Michael Barker Nairn, of Kirkcaldy, Scotland, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for preparing floor cloths for printing."—Dated 4th January, 1875.
37. Edward Primerose Howard Vaughan, F.C.S., of 67, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for an invention of "an improved press for the extraction of the liquid constituents of fruits and other vegetable matters."—From abroad by Alphonse Blot, residing at Paris, in the Republic of France.—Dated 4th January, 1875.
40. William Kennedy, Flax Spinner, and George Acheson, Mechanic, both of Belfast, Ireland, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for spinning flax and other fibrous material."—Dated 4th January, 1875.
42. William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "improvements in drawers."—From abroad by John Joseph FitzPatrick, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, United States of America.—Dated 4th January, 1875.
44. Josiah Green, of Redditch, in the county of Worcester, Beer Retailer, for an invention of "a new or improved apparatus to be applied to fire grates for economizing fuel."—Dated 5th January, 1875.
45. Alexis Bois, of Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "an improved guard or safety apparatus applicable to tramway cars and other vehicles."—Dated 5th January, 1875.
48. William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for making horse-shoes."—Communicated to him from abroad by Jacob Russell, of the city and State of New York, United States of America, Gentleman.—Dated 5th January, 1875.
- for an invention of "improvements in locomotive engines for narrow gauge railways."—Dated 2nd January, 1871.
7. William Robert Lake, of the "International Patent Office," Southampton-buildings, London, Consulting Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in harvesting machines."—Communicated to him from abroad by David M. Osborne, of Auburn, New York, United States of America.—Dated 2nd January, 1871.
23. Henry Larkin, of Theydon Gernon, in the county of Essex, and William White, of 30, Thurlow-road, Hampstead, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of sodium and potassium, and in apparatus employed therein."—Dated 5th January, 1871.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
In the Matter of the Leyton Park and East Metropolitan Cemetery Company Limited, and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

BY an Order made by the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall in the above matter, dated the 21st day of December, 1877, on the petition of William Byas, of Leyton Park, Leyton, in the county of Essex; Gentleman, a shareholder and creditor of the above-named Company, it was ordered that the said Leyton Park and East Metropolitan Cemetery Company Limited be wound up by the Court, under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.—Dated this 10th day of January, 1878.

Lowless, Nelson, Jones, and Thomas, 26, Martin's-lane, Cannon-street, London, E.C., Solicitors for the said Petitioner.

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 Ambrose Lake Tin and Copper Mining Company Limited.

BY an Order made by his Honour the Vice-Warden of the Stannaries, in the said matter, dated the 8th day of January instant, on the joint petition of John Clark Isaac and Charles Isaac, carrying on business as General Merchants, at Liskeard, within the said Stannaries, under the style of John C. and C. Isaac, and of John Clark Isaac, Henry Edgecumbe, and Charles Isaac, also carrying on business at Liskeard aforesaid, as Coal Merchants, under the style or firm of Isaac, Edgecumbe, and Co., respectively claiming to be creditors of the said Mining Company, it was ordered that the said Ambrose Lake Tin and Copper Mining Company Limited should be wound up by this Court, under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1862.—Dated Truro, January 9, 1878.

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

BRITISH OAK AND ELM TIMBER.

Contract Department, Admiralty,
Whitehall, January 9, 1878.

TENDERS will be received until two o'clock, on Monday, the 21st instant, for

560 Loads British Oak Timber,
4,320 British Oak Boat Crooks,
760 Loads English Elm Timber,

for forward delivery within stated periods.

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 5th day of January, 1878.

1. John Barraclough Fell, of Sparke Bridge, near Ulverstone, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer,

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 "Director of Navy Contracts, Admiralty, Whitehall, S.W."

Tenders should be addressed to the "Director of Navy Contracts, Admiralty, Whitehall, S.W.," and marked in the left hand corner "Tender for British Oak and Elm Timber."

CANVAS SAIL CLOTH, CLOTHING, CLOTHING MATERIALS, HALF-BOOTS AND SHOES, BRUSSELS CARPET, BUNTING, FEARNOUGHT, KERSEY, IVORY AND HORN COMBS.

Contract Department, Admiralty,
Whitehall, January 1, 1878.

TENDERS will be received until two o'clock, on Monday, 28th January next, for

CANVAS SAIL CLOTH, CLOTHING, CLOTHING MATERIALS, &c.

- B Bed Cases, 5,500 No.
- B Bed Covers, 15,000 No.
- B Biscuit Bagging, 80,000 yards.
- L Blankets, 24,000 No.
- Buttons, Crown and Anchor, middling, 200 gross.
- Buttons, Crown and Anchor small, — gross.
- Buttons, Stained Bone, 7,500 gross.
- Buttons, White Metal, large, 11,500 gross.
- Buttons, White Metal, small, 1,000 gross.
- Bunting, 132,250 yards.
- M Calico, white, 41,900 yards.
- Canvas Sail Cloth (Royal Navy), 787,100 yards.
- Canvas for Seamen's Bags, 19,900 yards.
- L Carpet, Brussels, 3,050 yards.
- L Cloth, blue, No. 1, 50,700 yards.
- L Cloth, blue, No. 2, 12,900 yards.
- B Coal Bag Cloth, 3,600 yards.
- B Coal Sack Cloth, 56,600 yards.
- Combs, horn, 9,000 No.
- Combs, ivory, 9,000 No.
- Comforters, 16,000 No.
- M Cotton, sewing, 550 lbs.
- M Drill, white cotton, 140,000 yards.
- B Duck, 444,000 yards.
- L Fearnought, 33,000 yards.
- Flannel, 410,500 yards.
- L Flushing, 5,550 yards.
- Hair, curled, 42,500 lbs.
- Hammock Cloth, 82,800 yards.
- M Handkerchiefs, black silk, 47,500 No.
- Hessen, 50,720 yards.
- M Jean, blue, 108,700 yards.
- L Kersey, 9,200 yards.
- L Serge, blue, 31-inch, 695,500 yards.
- L Serge, blue, 60-inch, 10,700 yards.
- M Shirting, blue striped cotton, 34,000 yards.
- Silk, raven gray, 330 lbs.
- Stockings, 9,264 pairs.
- Southwesters, 1,500 No.
- Tape, blue worsted, 18,700 pieces.
- M Tape, stay, 1,600 pieces.
- M Tape, white, half-inch, 12,300 pieces.
- M Tape, Dutch, 120,000 pieces.
- B L Thread, black linen, 200 lbs.
- B L Thread, white linen, 1,100 lbs.
- B L Thread, whited brown linen, 635 lbs.
- M Twist, black silk, 174 lbs.
- L Worsted, blue, 10,500 lbs.
- Worsted, for flags, 900 lbs.

HALF-BOOTS AND SHOES.

Half-Boots, 20,500 pairs.

Shoes, 14,800 pairs.

Manufacturers only will be accepted.

The above contracts are for specific quantities of the several articles, and for forward delivery within stated periods.

Tenders may be for the whole or any portion of a contract.

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.

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

Forms of tender containing all particulars may be obtained on personal application at this Office, or by letter addressed "Director of Navy Contracts, Admiralty, Whitehall, S.W." Forms of tender may also be obtained and samples seen of the articles marked "L" at Leeds, "M" at Manchester, and "B" at Belfast, on application to the Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

Law Life Assurance Office,
Fleet-Street, London, E.C.,
January 10, 1878.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Proprietors of the Law Life Assurance Society will be held at the Society's Office, Fleet-street, London, on Saturday, the 2nd day of February next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, pursuant to the provisions of the Society's Deed of Settlement, for the purpose of receiving the Auditors' Annual Report of the Accounts of the Society up to the 31st day of December last; and for general purposes.

By order of the Directors,
Griffith Davies, Actuary.

The Eclipse Gold Mining and Quartz Crushing Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the Company's offices, No. 18, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London, on the 19th day of December, 1877, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 4th day of January, 1878, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

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

"That Mr. Frederick R. Bluett, of No. 18, Finsbury-circus, London, E.C., and Mr. J. H. Taylor, of Broad Oak, Cambridge Park, Twickenham, be and they are hereby appointed Joint Liquidators to the said Company.

"That the sum of £100 be paid to the Joint Liquidators for their services in winding up the said Company.

"That the Liquidators be and they are hereby authorized and empowered, to write off, proceed for, compromise or sell all or any of the debts or claims owing to the Company."

Dated this 4th day of January, 1878.

R. M. Potts, Chairman.

Appleby Magna Colliery Company Limited.

An Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at No. 7, Bridge-street, Burton-

on-Trent, in the county of Stafford, on the 10th day of December, 1877, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 28th day of December, 1877, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That the Appleby Magna Colliery Company Limited be wound up voluntarily.
2. "That Mr. Edward Billett Jennings, of Burton-on-Trent, Solicitor, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator of the said Company, for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company and distributing the property."

M. A. Bass, Chairman.

The New Swindon Express Printing and Publishing Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above Company, duly convened and held at the house of Captain Thomas Milbourne, at Fairford, in the county of Gloucester, on the 4th day of December, 1877, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 22nd day of December, 1877, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That it is the opinion of this Meeting that it is expedient that the Company be voluntarily wound up, owing to its total inability to pay its debts."

Thomas Milbourne, Chairman.

The Companies Act, 1862 and 1867.

The Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire Co-operative Mining Society Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Society, duly convened and held at the Ebenezer Chapel School-room, in Ripley, in the county of Derby, on Saturday, the 29th day of December, 1877, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed:—

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

"That Messrs. William Hemm, of Nottingham, and Edward Smith, of Pinxton, be appointed joint Liquidators for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Society, and distributing the assets and property thereof."

George Smith, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the South Van Lead Mining Company Limited.

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 1st day of February, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Joseph Edmond Stacpoole, of Pinner's Hall, Old Broad-street, London, the Liquidator of the said Company, and, if so required by notice in writing from me, are, by their Solicitors, to come in prove their said debts or claims at my said offices, at such times as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 4th day of January, 1878.

Joseph E. Stacpoole, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Household Fire and Carriage Accident Insurance Company Limited.

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before Saturday, the 9th day of February, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debt or claims to John Unwin Wing, of the firm of Wing, Wing, and Company, of No. 1, Princes-street, Bank, Public Accountant, the Liquidator of the said Company, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

Worthington Evans and Cook, 34, Eastcheap, Solicitors for the Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Parkgate Wagon Works Company Limited.

THE creditors of the above-named Company who have not already done so are required, on or before the 15th day of February, 1878, 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 Andrew Macredie and Joseph Bennett, jun., of No. 26, George-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, the Liquidators of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidators, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such claims are proved.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

A. Macredie,
Joseph Bennett, Jun., } Liquidators.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Henry Jacoby, James Alfred Jacoby, Charles Theodore Jacoby, and Henry Simpson, of the town of Nottingham, Lace Manufacturers, trading as M. Jacoby and Co., has been dissolved so far as regards the said Henry Simpson, as from the 22nd day of December last.—Dated this 5th day of January, 1878.

John Henry Jacoby. Charles T. Jacoby.
James Alfred Jacoby. Henry Simpson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Brayshaw, of Brighouse, in the county of York, John Booth, of Rastrick, in the said county of York, Allen Booth, of Rastrick aforesaid, and Charles Marsden, of Brighouse aforesaid, as Ironfounders, at Wharf Foundry, in Brighouse aforesaid, under the style or firm of Brayshaw, Booth, and Co., was dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Henry Brayshaw and John Booth, on and from the 5th day of January instant. All debts due to and owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Allen Booth and Charles Marsden, by whom the said business will in future be carried on in copartnership with John Marsden, of Rastrick aforesaid, under the style or firm of Booth and Marsdens.—Dated the 8th day of January, 1878.

Henry Brayshaw.
John Booth.
his
Allen × Booth,
Mark.
his
Charles × Marsden,
Mark.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership subsisting between us, Swasbrook and Beesley, as Gold Wedding Ring Manufacturers, carrying on business in Church-street, Birmingham, has been dissolved as from the 31st day of December, 1877. All credits and debts will be received and paid by Mr. Swasbrook.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

William Swasbrook.
Henry William Beesley.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately existing between the undersigned, Charles Wheatley and Thomas Sellers Higgins, as Chemists and Druggists, at Huddersfield, in the county of York, under the firm of Wheatley and Higgins, was, on the 31st day of December, 1877, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing from the said firm will be received and paid by the said Charles Wheatley, by whom the business will in future be carried on at the same premises.—Witness their hands this 8th day of January, 1878.

*Chas. Wheatley.
Thos. S. Higgins.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Augusta Hagemann and Silvie Hagemann, carrying on business at 12, Bedford-place, Russell-square, in the county of Middlesex, as Private Lodging-house Keepers, is dissolved, as from September 30th, 1877, by mutual consent. The business will be carried on by Miss Augusta Hagemann alone, at the above address, and she will receive and pay all debts due to and by the late firm.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1878.

*Augusta Hagemann.
Silvie Hagemann.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel Parr, of the town of Nottingham, Chemist and Druggist, and John Henry Atherton, of the same town, Chemist and Druggist, trading at the town of Nottingham aforesaid, under the style or firm of Parr and Atherton, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 8th day of January, 1878.

*Sam. Parr.
J. H. Atherton.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Jane Dusautoy, Thomas Henry Summerside, and Richard Clarke, in the trade or business of Colliery Proprietors, carried on by us at Heanor, in the county of Derby, under the style or firm of the Heanor and Marlpool Colliery Company, has been, by mutual consent, dissolved as from the 10th day of May, 1877. All debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid respectively by the said Jane Dusautoy, by whom the said business will be carried on.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1877.

*Jane Dusautoy.
T. H. Summerside.
Richd. Clarke.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately existing between Henry Brent and Christian Philip Sachs, carrying on business as Wholesale Furriers, at No. 174, Aldersgate-street, in the city of London, has been determined and dissolved by mutual consent, as from the 1st day of January instant. All debts due to or by the said late firm will be respectively received and paid by the said Christian Philip Sachs, who will continue to carry on the business lately carried on by the said copartnership in his own name and on his own account.—As witness our hands this 9th day of January, 1878.

*Henry Brent.
C. P. Sachs.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, James Walk Luscombe and Richard Henry Prichard, carrying on business as Builders, at No. 2, Rundell-road, Paddington, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Luscombe and Prichard, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 20th day of October, 1877.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

*J. W. Luscombe.
R. H. Prichard.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, Lewis Braham and Frederick Frank Bradshaw, in the business of Opticians, carried on under the style or firm of Braham and Bradshaw, at 142, Southampton-row, Holborn, London, was dissolved and put an end to on the 12th day of December, 1877.—Dated 3rd day of January, 1878.

*Lewis Braham.
Frederick Frank Bradshaw.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Boraston Tolley and James Tolley Grover, of the town of Nottingham, Printers, trading as Tolley and Grover, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 4th day of December, 1877.

*J. B. Tolley.
J. T. Grover.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore carried on by Walter Green and James Mason, as Manufacturing Jewellers, at 49, Lower Hockley-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, under the style or firm of Mason and Green, was, on the 31st day of December, 1877, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing by the said partnership will be respectively received and paid by the said James Mason, at the said premises.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

*James Mason.
Walter Green.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Trump and John Trump the younger, carrying on business as Grocers and Wine and Spirit Merchants, at Sidmouth, in the county of Devon, under the style or firm of Trump Brothers, was dissolved on December the 1st, 1877, by mutual consent.—Dated the 5th day of January, 1878.

*William Trump.
John Trump, jun.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, James Caffyn the elder and James Caffyn the younger, both of Robertsbridge, in the parish of Salehurst, in the county of Sussex, Drapers and Grocers, and carried on at Robertsbridge aforesaid, under the style and firm of Caffyn and Son, was, on the 4th day of October, 1877, dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 1st day of January, 1878.

*James Caffyn.
James Caffyn, jun.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, James Shaddock Stone and Thomas Harrison, carrying on business at No. 12, St. James's-parade, in the city of Bath, as Plumbers, Glaziers, and House Decorators, under the firm of Stone and Harrison, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing by or to the late firm to be paid or received at No. 12, St. James's-parade aforesaid.—Witness our hands this 4th day of January, 1878.

*James Shaddock Stone.
Thomas Harrison.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Frank White and Thomas Foster, as Corn Merchants and Maltsters, at East Retford, in the county of Nottingham, under the firm of White, Son, and Foster, has been dissolved, as from the 1st day of July last, by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 4th day of January, 1878.

*Frank White.
Thos. Foster.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, James Barkeley Smith, Charles Chaloner Smith, and James Gordon Houghton, as Merchants and Shipowners, at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the firm of Houghton, Smith, and Co., has been dissolved.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1877.

*J. Barkeley Smith.
J. Gordon Houghton.
C. Chaloner Smith.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Charles James Appleby and Thomas Hodgson Appleby, as Engineers, at Emerson-street, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, under the style or firm of Appleby Brothers, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 30th day of June, 1876. All debts due to and owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Charles James Appleby, by whom the business has been since that date and will be in future carried on, under the same style of Appleby Brothers, as heretofore.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

*C. J. Appleby.
T. H. Appleby.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Kay and Thomas Ruckledge, at Over Darwen, in the county of Lancaster, as Joiners and Builders, under the style or firm of Kay and Ruckledge, was dissolved, on the 8th day of December, 1877, by mutual consent. All debts due and owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said William Kay, who will in future carry on such business on his own account.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

*William Kay.
Thomas Ruckledge.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Oldfield Wilson and Joseph Wilson, as Millers and Sizing Flour Manufacturers, at the High Park Mills and South End Mills, Toxteth Park, Liverpool, under the style or firm of W. O. and J. Wilson, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that the said business will in future be carried on under the same firm of W. O. and J. Wilson, by the said Joseph Wilson and Martin Middleton Wilson, of Liverpool, Miller, who will receive and pay all debts owing to and from the said partnership.—As witness our hands this 31st day of December, 1877.

*William Oldfield Wilson.
Joseph Wilson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership (if any) subsisting between the undersigned, Walter Gibb and the undersigned, Charles James Holdsworth and John Holdsworth, in the business of Cotton Spinners and Manufacturers and Dyers, carried on at Eccles, Swinton, and Manches er, all in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Holdsworth and Gibb, was determined, by effluxion of time, on the 18th day of December, 1877.—As witness our hands the 8th day of January, 1878.

*Walter Gibb.
Chas. J. Holdsworth.
John Holdsworth,*

By C. J. Holdsworth, his Attorney duly empowered.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Jonathan Crocker and George Jonathan Crocker, trading under the style or firm of Crocker and Son, of Red Cross-square, Borough, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, as Waste Paper Dealers, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 1st day of January, 1878. All debts owing to or by the said late partnership will be received and paid by the said Jonathan Crocker.—As witness the hands of the said parties this 5th day of January, 1878.

*Jonathan Crocker.
George J. Crocker.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Patrick Crean and George Bromilow Shepherd, at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, as Grease and Oil Refiners, under the style or firm of Crean and Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated the 3rd day of January, 1878.

*Patrick Crean.
George Bromilow Shepherd.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto existing between Richard Purchase and Thomas Whitehead Andrews, of the city of Chichester, and of Dell Quay, in the parish of Appledram, in the county of Sussex, Coal Merchants, Barge Owners, Carriers, and Factors, under the firm of Purchase and Andrews, has this day expired by effluxion of time. All accounts due to the firm are to be paid to Mr. Richard Purchase, who will discharge all liabilities. In future Mr. Purchase will carry on business at the Basin, Chichester, and Mr. Andrews at Dell Quay, Chichester.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1878.

*Richd. Purchase.
Thomas Whitehead Andrews.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Trickett and James Greenwood, at Bacup, in the county of Lancaster, as Drysalers, under the style or firm of James Greenwood and Company, was, on the 7th day of January, 1878, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing from the late firm will be discharged or received by the said James Greenwood, on his own account, who will, in future, carry on the business, on his own account, at Bacup, in the said county of Lancaster.—As witness our hands this 7th day of January, 1878.

*John Trickett.
James Greenwood.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, William Walmsley and James Robert Walmsley, in the trade or business of Corn and Flour Merchants and Hay and Straw Dealers, at Regent-road, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of William Walmsley and Son, was dissolved, as from the 25th day of December last, by mutual consent. And in future the business will be carried on by the said William Walmsley on his separate account, and who will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership in the regular course of trade.—Witness our hands this 8th day of January, 1878.

*William Walmsley.
James Robert Walmsley.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting between us the undersigned, William Francis and James David Lawrie, carrying on business as Architectural and Engineering Draughtsmen, Lithographers, Engravers, and Printers, at No. 84, Southampton row, London, under the style of Francis and Lawrie, has been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said William Francis, by whom the said business will in future be carried on at No. 84, Southampton-row aforesaid.—Dated this 5th day of January, 1878.

*Wm. Francis.
James D. Lawrie.*

THE Partnership hitherto existing between George Fortescue Webb and Richard James Andrews, carrying on the profession of Surgeons, at No. 16, Upper Paul-street, in the city of Exeter, and Alphington-street, in the parish of Saint Thomas the Apostle, under the style or firm of Webb and Andrews, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the firm to be paid to Mr. George Fortescue Webb, who will also discharge all liabilities owing by the said firm.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1878.

*George Fortescue Webb.
Richd. J. Andrews.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Arthur Geo. and Thomas Liston, carrying on business at No. 172, New Bond-street, London, as Mineral Water Merchants and Importers, under the style of the Taurus Company, is determined by mutual consent. The partnership affairs will be liquidated by the said Thomas Liston, who will receive all moneys due to, and will pay and discharge all the debts and liabilities of, the firm, and who will carry on the business as heretofore.—Dated 7th January, 1878.

*Arthur Geo.
Thomas Liston.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore subsisting between George James Von Dadelzen and Charles Augustus North, of Nos. 4 and 5, East India-avenue, in the city of London, Metal Brokers, under the firm of Von Dadelzen and North, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 31st day of December, 1877.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

*G. J. Von Dadelzen.
Chas. Aug. North.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, under the style of Barker Brothers, at Smithfield-road, Saw Mills, Shrewsbury, as Timber Merchants, is from this day dissolved by mutual consent. The undersigned, John Barker, will receive and pay all debts due to and from the said firm.—As witness our hands this 3rd day of January, 1878.

*Jabez Barker.
John Barker.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Herbert Sprake and William Palmer, lately carrying on business at 112, Upper-street, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, as Music Publishers, under the style or firm of Sprake and Palmer, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts owing to or by the said firm will be received and paid by the said William Palmer.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

*Herbert Sprake.
Wm. Palmer.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, Robert Taylor Garget and George Marshall, in the trade or business of Joiners and Cabinet Makers, at Darlington, in the county of Durham, under the firm of R. T. Garget and Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and in future the business will be carried on by the said Robert Taylor Garget, who will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership.—As witness our hands this 21st day of December, 1877.

*Robt. Taylor Garget.
Geo. Marshall.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between William Nicholas Jackson, of Hartlepool, Coal Fitter, and Robert Naylor Sisson, of Scarborough, Coal Merchant, trading there under the style or firm of Jackson, Sisson, and Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent; and that the assets belong to and the debts will be paid by the said Robert Naylor Sisson, who will carry on the business as Sisson and Co.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

*W. N. Jackson.
R. N. Sisson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Allwell Richards and Thomas Burt Glanville, Merchants, trading under the style or firm of Richards, Glanville, and Co., at Graham's Town and Cape Town, both in Cape Colony, at the Cape of Good Hope, and also at Kimberley, Griqualand West, in the Diamond District, at Cape Colony aforesaid, and also at No. 4, Brown's-buildings, St. Mary Axe, and No. 26, Bishopsgate-street Without, both in the city of London, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1878.

*William A. Richards.
Thomas B. Glanville.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel Harrison and Charles Chadwick, carrying on business as Slaters, Plasterers, and Whitewashers, in Portobello-street, in Sheffield, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Harrison and Chadwick, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. And that the said business will henceforth be carried on by the said Charles Chadwick alone, by whom all debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1877.

*The
Samuel x Harrison.
Mark of
Charles Chadwick.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edward Ridsdale Harding, Charles Mortlock, and George Edward Harding, in the trade or business of Bankers, at Bridlington, Bridlington Quay, and Driffield, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Harding, Mortlock, and Company, was, on the 31st day of December, 1877, dissolved by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Charles Mortlock, who has retired from the concern. The said trade or business will in future be carried on by the undersigned, Edward Ridsdale Harding and George Edward Harding, who will receive and pay all debts due to and from the late firm.—Dated the 2nd January, 1878.

*Edward Ridsdale Harding.
George Edward Harding.
Charles Mortlock.*

[Extracts from the Edinburgh Gazette of January 8, 1878.]

NOTICE.

Glasgow, 31st December, 1877.

THE Copartnership carrying on business as Wholesale Cabinet Makers and Upholstery Furnishers, at North Wallace-street, Glasgow, and 23, Chapel-street, Shoreditch, London, under the firm of M'Lelland and Dickson, of which the subscribers John M'Lelland and James Hunter Dickson were the sole partners, has this day been dissolved by the expiry of the contract of copartnership.

All debts due to and by the dissolved copartnership will be received and paid by the subscribers Messrs. Cumming and Smith, presently of 108, Argyle-street, Glasgow, to whom the copartnership business has been sold, and who will continue to carry it on in the premises presently occupied by the said M'Lelland and Dickson.

*John M'Lelland.
James Hunter Dickson.
Cumming and Smith.
Thomas Cumming.
Robert Smith.*

JAS. H. ROBERTSON, Writer, Glasgow,
Witness.

THOMAS WATT, Jr., Law Clerk, 44,
West Regent-street, Glasgow,
Witness.

Edinburgh, 4th January, 1878.

MRS. JAMES SHEPPARD, No. 37, Castle-street, Edinburgh, hereby intimates, that she has retired from the business carried on by her at No. 107, George-street, Edinburgh, under the firm of James Sheppard, Painter and Glazier, in Edinburgh, of which she was the sole partner, and that that firm was dissolved on the 31st day of December last.

Elizabeth Sheppard.

JOHN MACK, Writer, Edinburgh,
Witness.

ROBERT FLAMING, Writer, Edinburgh,
Witness.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE firm of Robertson and Company, Ship Owners and Brokers, Grangemouth, and Royal Exchange, Glasgow, of which the subscribers James Miller and Thomas

erguson Crawford are the sole partners, is dissolved, as 31st December, 1877, by mutual consent.

The said James Miller continues to carry on the business for his own account, under the same firm. He will discharge all liabilities of the firm, and will receive all accounts due to it.

*James Miller.
Thomas F. Crawford.*

W. WALKER, Witness.
JOHN CRAWFORD, Witness.

SAMUEL RADCLIFFE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors and all other persons having any claim or demand against the estate of Samuel Radcliffe, late of Werneth Park, in the borough of Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Esq. deceased (who died on the 21st day of February, 1876, and whose will was proved on the 15th day of May, 1876, in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Elizabeth Radcliffe, Henry Miles Radcliffe, Samuel Radcliffe, and Thomas Hibbert Radcliffe, four of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims or demands to the said executors, at the offices of Mr. Harry Clegg, Solicitor, Church-lane, Oldham, within one calendar month from the date hereof, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Samuel Radcliffe, deceased, among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice, for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed as aforesaid.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

HARRY CLEGG, Church-lane, Oldham, Solicitor
to the said Executors.

LEWIS PLEVY GIBBON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35. **NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Lewis Plevy Gibbon, late of Pembroke, in the county of Pembroke, Solicitor, deceased (who died on the 3rd day of December, 1877, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Arthur Griffith Poyer Lewis, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, the sole executor therein named, on the 22nd day of December, 1877), are hereby required to send particulars of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said executor, on or before the 25th day of March next, after which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets so paid or distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

BURTON, YEATES, and HART, 37, Lincoln's-inn-fields, Solicitors.

CHARLES WILLIAMSON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Charles Williamson, late of Whitburn, in the county of Durham, Esq., formerly a Lieutenant-Colonel in Her Majesty's 60th Rifles, deceased (who died on the 4th day of March, 1877, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, at Durham, on the 22nd day of June, 1877, by Sir Hedworth Williamson, Baronet, of Whitburn Hall, in the said county of Durham, and Victor Alexander Williamson, of the Inner Temple, Barrister-at-Law, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, and demands to us, the undersigned, Kidson, Son, and McKenzie, the Solicitors acting for the said executors, at our offices, No. 66, John-street, in the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, on or before the 1st day of March 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 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 of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of January, 1878.

KIDSON, SON, and McKENZIE, 66, John-street, Sunderland, Solicitors to the said Executors.

THOMAS NEATE, Deceased.

Pursuant to 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 the estate or effects of Thomas Neate, late of Whitechurch, in the county of Southampton, Gentleman, formerly of Litchfield, in the same county, Farmer, deceased (who died on the 27th day of November, 1877, and letters of administration to whose personal estate were, on the 18th day of December, 1877, granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, to Henry Neate, a brother and one of the next-of-kin of the said deceased), are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said administrator, on or before the 15th day of February next, after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the estate of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and will not afterwards be liable for the said estate, or any part, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

PICKETT and MYTTON, 3, King's Bench-walk, Temple, London, Solicitors for the said Administrator.

SARAH ORRIN, Deceased.

Pursuant to the 29th Sec. of the Stat. 22 and 23 Vic. c. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Sarah Orrin, late of Saint John's Green, in the parish of Saint Giles, Colchester, in the county of Essex, Widow, deceased (who died on the 19th day of November, 1877, and whose will was proved by Josiah Lappage, of 153, Stepney-green, in the county of Middlesex, Ammunition Manufacturers' Foreman, the brother of the said deceased, and Edmund James Craske, of Colchester aforesaid, Auctioneer, the executors therein named, in the District Registry at Ipswich, of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 29th day of November, 1877), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their respective debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 8th day of February, 1878, 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 debts, claims, or demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice, and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 5th day of January, 1878.

POPE and BUCKLEY, Trinity-street, Colchester, Solicitors for the said Executors.

THOMAS GORDON ROBSON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Thomas Gordon Robson, late of the Elm Tree Inn, Crossgate, in the city of Durham, Innkeeper, deceased (who died on or about the 4th day of October, 1877, intestate, and letters of administration to whose estate and effects were granted by the Durham District Registry, Probate Division, of the High Court of Justice, on the 3rd day of January, 1878, to Jane Teasdale, wife of William Teasdale, of Silver-street, in the city of Durham, Gunsmith), are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims or demands to the said Jane Teasdale, or to the undersigned, her Solicitor, on or before the 4th day of February, 1878. And notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said administratrix shall then have notice; and that she will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

CHARLES CHAPMAN, 22, Market-place, Durham, Solicitor to the said Administratrix.

JOHN SHAFTO, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Shafto, formerly of Houghton-le-Spring, in the county of Durham, Grocer and Joiner, but late of

Sutton-street, in the city of Durham, of no occupation (who died on or about the 6th day of December, 1877, and whose will was proved by Thomas Hopper, of the North-road, in the city of Durham, Painter, one of the executors therein named, on the 5th day of January, 1878, in the Durham District Registry, Probate Division, of the High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of claims or demands to the said Thomas Hopper, or to the undersigned, his Solicitor, on or before the 4th day of February, 1878. And notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have notice; and that he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

CHARLES CHAPMAN, 22, Market-place, Durham, Solicitor to the said Executor.

Mrs. JANE HARDY, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Jane Hardy, late of No. 1, Southwick-crescent, Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex, Widow, deceased (who died on the 25th day of December, 1877, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved by John McCall and Thomas Hardy Bertram, the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 7th day of January, 1878), 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 March, 1878. 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 9th day of January, 1878.

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

SARAH (otherwise CHARLOTTE) JENNIS, Wife of HENRY JENNIS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Sarah (otherwise Charlotte) Jennis, wife of Henry Jennis, formerly of No. 4, Melton-street, Euston-square, in the county of Middlesex, and late of No. 70, Westbourne-road, Barnsbury, in the said county of Middlesex, deceased (who died on the 27th day of May, 1877, and whose will was proved on the 26th day of October, 1877, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by the executors thereof), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims and demands to the undersigned, as Solicitors of the said executors, on or before the 25th day of March next; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

DIGBY and LIDDLE, 1, Circus-place, Finsbury-circus, E.C., Solicitors to the said Executors.

Canon WYNTER, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claim, debt, or demand against or upon the estate of James Cecil Wynter, late of Gatton Tower, in the parish of Gatton, in the county of Surrey, Rector of Gatton and Canon of Winchester, deceased (who died on the 26th day of October, 1877, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 10th day of December, 1877, by Lucy Cattley, of Claydene, near Edenbridge, in the county of Kent, Spinster, and George Lyall, of Headley, in the county of Surrey, Esq., the executors thereof), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims, debts, and demands to the said executors, or to me, the undersigned, Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 1st day of

March next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims, debts, or demands of which they shall then have had notice, and the said executors will not be liable for any part of such assets to any person or persons of whose claim, debt, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

G. CARTELL MORRISON, Reigate, Surrey, Solicitor to the said Executors.

GEORGE EVANS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any debts or claims against or upon the estate of George Evans, late of 6, Saint Bartholomew-road, Camden Town, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, (who died on the 16th day of November, 1877, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 5th day of December, 1877, by Charles Augustus Cushman, one of the executors therein named), are required to send in particulars of their debts and claims directed to us, the undersigned, as the Solicitors for the said Charles Augustus Cushman, at our office, situate at No. 33, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, on or before Monday, the 11th day of March, 1878, at the expiration of which time the said executor will proceed to distribute and appropriate the estate and assets of the deceased for the benefit of the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts or claims of which he shall then have had notice; and the said Charles Augustus Cushman will not after that time be liable for the estate and assets, or any part thereof, so distributed or appropriated to any person or persons of whose debts or claims he shall not at the time aforesaid have had due notice. And all persons indebted to the said estate of the said testator are requested forthwith to pay the amount thereof to us, on behalf of the said Charles Augustus Cushman.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

POOLE and HUGHES, 33, Chancery-lane, London, Solicitors to the said Executor.

JOHN JOHNSON BLACKSTONE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Johnson Blackstone, late of the city of York, Carver and Turner, deceased (who died on the 3rd day of August, 1872, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at York of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 15th day of November, 1872, by Charles Blackstone, Carver and Wood Turner, William Hickton, Solicitor's Clerk, and John Henderson, Flour Dealer, all of the said city of York, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send full particulars, in writing, of such claims and demands to the said executors, or to us, the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of March next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims or demands only of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and such executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

L. and W. THOMPSON, York, Solicitors to the said Executors.

JOHN BEVAN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Bevan, late of Tymawr Farm, in the parish of Saint Michael, Cwmdu, in the county of Brecon, Yeoman, deceased (who died on or about the 2nd day of August, 1877, and whose will was proved by me, the undersigned, William Lewis, of Crickhowell, in the said county, Solicitor, and George Morgan, of Velindre, in the said parish of Saint Michael, Cwmdu, Relieving Officer, the executors therein named, on the 22nd day of December, 1877, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the said William Lewis and George Morgan, at the office of the undersigned, in the town of Crickhowell, in the said county, on or before the 1st March next; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable

for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

WILLIAM LEWIS, Crickhowell, Solicitor.

EDWARD GREENWOOD, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons being creditors of or otherwise having any claims upon or against the estate of Edward Greenwood, late of Newtown, Pemberton, in the county of Lancaster, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 26th day of July last, and letters of administration, with the will annexed, of whose personal estate and effects were, on the 18th day of October last, granted by the Liverpool District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, to Sarah Culshaw, the wife of John Culshaw, of Newtown, Pemberton aforesaid, Pensioner), are required, on or before the 18th day of January instant, to send to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said administratrix, at our office, Leader's buildings, King-street, Wigan, the particulars of their claims upon or against the said estate, and that at the expiration of such time the administratrix will distribute the whole of the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which she shall then have notice.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1878.

WRIGHT and APPLETON, Leader's buildings, King-street, Wigan.

THOMAS ROBSON, Esq., Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of Thomas Robson, of Heath Hall, in the township of Skircoat, in the parish of Halifax, in the county of York, Gentleman (who died on the 23rd day of February, 1877, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 16th day of June, 1877, by James Russel Robson, of Worcester Lodge, New-road, Shepherd's Bush, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, the brother of the deceased, Courtney (in the will written Courtenay) Stanhope Kenny, formerly of Halifax aforesaid, Law Student, but now of Downing College, in the town of Cambridge, Gentleman, and Anna Maria Robson, late of Heath Hall aforesaid, but now of No. 1, Albert-villas, Brentford-road, Gunnersbury, in the parish of Acton, in the said county of Middlesex, Spinster, the sister of the deceased, the executors and executrix in the said will named), are, on or before the 23rd day of February, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to me, the undersigned, Solicitor to the said executors and executrix, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their debts, claims, or demands, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof the said executors and executrix will, after the said 23rd day of February, 1878, proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to those debts, claims, or demands of which the said executors and executrix shall then have notice; and the executors and executrix will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part or parts thereof, to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 4th day of January, 1878.

JNO. SMITH, Birstall, near Leeds, Solicitor for the Executors and Executrix.

ROBERT ALEXANDER GRAY, Esq., Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Robert Alexander Gray, late of the Terrace, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, Esq., deceased (who died on the 10th day of December, 1877, and whose will, with nine codicils thereto, was duly proved by John Melhuish, Thomas Edward Layton, Thomas Hutchison, and David Maurice Serjeant, M.D., the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 8th day of January, 1878), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to the undersigned, Solicitors to the said executors, at their offices No. 47, Gresham House, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, on or before the 28th day of February, 1878; 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 10th day of January, 1878.

PAINE, LAYTON, and COOPER, 47, Grêsham House, London, E.C.

PETER THOMAS DEAN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Peter Thomas Dean, late of the Cottage, Upper Norwood, in the county of Surrey, Doctor of Medicine (who died on the 9th day of December, 1877, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 5th day of January, 1878, by Thomas Henry Searth, one of the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors for the said Thomas Henry Searth, on or before the 1st day of March, 1878, after 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 and demands of which the said executor shall then have had notice, and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not have had notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

BROWN and DONALDSON, No. 70, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C., Solicitors for the said Executor.

MARY WHEELER, 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, entitled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Mary Wheeler, formerly of No. 45, Victoria-road, Holloway, in the county of Middlesex, and late of Cornstreet, Witney, in the county of Oxford, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 23rd day of January, 1877, and whose will was proved, on the 6th day of December, 1877, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by the administrators, with the will, thereof), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims and demands to the undersigned, as Solicitors of the said administrators, with the will, on or before the 25th day of March next. And notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said administrators, with the will, will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said administrators, with the will, shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 10th day of January, 1878.

DIGBY and LIDDLE, 1, Circus-place, Finsbury-circus E.C., London, Solicitors to the said Executors.

Re DANIEL STANSBURY, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand against the estate of Daniel Stansbury, late of Woodfield Villa, Weston-super-Mare, in the county of Somerset, Esq., a Retired Captain in Her Majesty's 60th Regiment, Bengal Native Infantry, deceased (who died on the 5th day of November, 1877, intestate, and to whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were granted on the 28th day of November, 1877, by the District Registry, at Wells, of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, to Sarah Stansbury, the widow of the said intestate), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims and demands to the undersigned, Messrs. Baker, Phillott, and James, of Weston-super-Mare, the Solicitors of the said administratrix, on or before the 28th day of February, 1878, after which date the said administratrix will distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice; and will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of December, 1877.

BAKER, PHILLOTT, and JAMES, Weston-super-Mare, Solicitors to the said Administratrix.

JOHN WETHERMAN, Esq., Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vict., cap. 35. **N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Wetherman, late of the Grange, Tyndall's

Park, in the city of Bristol, Gentleman (who died on the 14th day of October, 1877, and of whose personal estate and effects probate was granted by the District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, at Bristol, on the 29th November, 1877, to Mary Ann Wetherman, of the Grange, Tyndall's Park aforesaid, Widow, Alfred Patrick Wetherman, of Stanley Villa, West Park, Clifton, Gentleman, and George Frederick Schacht, of No. 1, Windsor-terrace, Clifton aforesaid, Pharmaceutical Chemist, the executrix and executor therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of such claims and demands, to us, the undersigned, on or before the 4th day of March, 1878, after which day the said executrix or executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John Wetherman, deceased, among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not after that time be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

FRY, ABBOT, POPE, and BROWN, Shannon-court, Bristol, Solicitors to the said Executrix and Executors.

FREDERICK PARBURY, 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, entitled "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 Frederick Parbury, late of No. 7, East India-avenue, Lendenhall-street, in the city of London, and of No. 99, Lancaster gate, Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex, Merchant, deceased (who died on or about the 15th day of October, 1877, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved by Ann Eliza Parbury, George William Parbury, and Francis Henry Hogg, three of the executors therein named, on the 8th day of November, 1877, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to Mr. John George Bonner, of No. 48, King William street, in the city of London, Solicitor, on or before the 20th day of June, 1878. And notice is also hereby given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice; and they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

WRIGHT, BONNER, and WRIGHT, 48, King William-street, London Bridge, E.C., Solicitors to the said Executors.

HENRY WALTON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that creditors and others having any debts, claims, or demands against Henry Walton, late of Newbold, in the county of Worcester, Farmer, deceased (who died on the 9th day of December, 1877, at Newbold aforesaid, and whose will was proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, at Worcester, on the 28th day of December, 1877, by Thomas Henry Walton, of Lower Quinton, in the county of Gloucester, Farm Bailiff and James Mark Walton, of Newbold aforesaid, Farmer, the executors in the said will named), are, on or before the 11th day of February next, to send to me, the undersigned, the particulars of all such claims against the said testator, and the nature of their securities for the same (if any), and the said executors will forthwith after the said 11th day of February next, distribute all the assets of the said testator amongst the persons 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 the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice at the time of the distribution of the said assets, or any part thereof, as the case may be.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

JNO. LANE, Old Town, Stratford-upon-Avon, Solicitor for the said Executors.

THOMAS EVANS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Thomas Evans, late of the Woodlands, near Bideford, in the county of Devon, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 30th day of July, 1877, and whose will was proved on the 12th day of September, 1877, by John Evans, of the

city of Bristol, Marine Insurance Broker, and Edward Thomas Jones, of Aldermanbury, in the city of London, Accountant, the executors therein named, in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Exeter), are hereby required to send the particulars of their claims to the said executors, at the offices of their Solicitors, Messrs. Hunt, Hodson, and Bobbett, Bristol-chambers, Nicholas-street, Bristol, on or before the 5th day of April next, after which time the executors will distribute the assets of the said Thomas Evans among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the executors shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim the said executors shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 5th day of January, 1878.

HUNT, HODSON, and BOBBETT, Bristol-chambers, Nicholas-street, Bristol, Solicitors to the Executors.

Re FREDERICK DAVIES, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of 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 persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Frederick Davies, late of No. 124, Gower-street, in the parish of Saint Pancras, in the county of Middlesex, Doctor of Medicine, deceased (who died on the 7th day of October, 1877, and whose will was proved by Edward Mounier Boxer, of Upton House, near Ryde, Isle of Wight, General in Her Majesty's Royal Artillery, and Harry Finden Davies, of Weston-super-Mare, in the county of Somerset, Gentleman, two of the executors thereof, on the 26th day of November, 1877, following, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 1st day of March, 1878. And notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

HARRY FINDEN DAVIES and WILLIAM HENRY DAVIES, Weston-super-Mare, in the county of Somerset, Solicitors for the said Executors.

ELIZABETH WILLIAMS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Elizabeth Williams, late of Cecil Cottage, Slough, in the county of Bucks, Widow (who died on the 7th day of September, 1877, probate of whose will was, on the 24th day of October, 1877, granted by the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, to Edward Williams and Thomas Collingwood Chown, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to me, the undersigned, as Solicitor to the said executors, on or before the 1st day of March, 1878, after which the said Edward Williams and Thomas Collingwood Chown will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testatrix among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

HY. SEYMOUR HUBBARD, London Joint Stock Bank-chambers, West Smithfield, E.C., Solicitor for the said Edward Williams and Thomas Collingwood Chown.

ANNA MARIA PAINE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and all other persons having any debt or claim against or upon the estate of Anna Maria Paine, formerly of No. 12, Rivers-street, in the city of Bath, but late of No. 19, Belvedere, in the same city, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 23rd day of December, 1877, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate, Divorce, and Admiralty Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 7th day of January, 1878, by John Stone, of No. 13, Queen-square, Bath, Solicitor, one of the executors in the said will named), are required to send particulars of their debts

or claims, on or before the 4th day of March, 1878, to Messrs. Stone, King, and King, of No. 13, Queen-square, in Bath aforesaid, the Solicitors to the said executor. And notice is hereby further given, that after the said 4th day of March, 1878, the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Anna Maria Paine, deceased, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said executor may then have had notice; and he will not be answerable or liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claims he shall not then have had any notice.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

STONE, KING, and KING, No. 13, Queen-square, Bath, Solicitors for the said Executor.

DANIEL THOMPSON BAKER, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of Daniel Thompson Baker, late of 4, Grafton-road, Holloway, Middlesex, Heraldic Artist and Engraver, deceased (who died on the 1st day of September, 1877), are hereby required to send to the undersigned, the Solicitors to Emily Maria Baker, the administratrix, on or before the 25th day of February next, the particulars of their claims; after which day the administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice.—Dated the 9th day of January, 1878.

G. and P. EYRE and CO., 1, John-street, Bedford-row, London, Solicitors to the said Administratrix.

JOHN ATKINSON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors and all other persons having or claiming to have any debts or other claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Atkinson, late of Aine, near Easingwold, in the county of York, Yeoman, deceased (who died on the 19th day of September, 1877, and whose will was proved on the 10th day of October last, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Henry Hawksley Capes, of Harrogate, in the said county, Solicitor, and Thomas Langstaff, of Great Ouseburn, in the same county, Farmer, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their respective debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 19th day of March next, after which day the said Henry Hawksley Capes and Thomas Langstaff, as such executors as aforesaid, will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties appearing to be entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, or demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the said 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 7th day of January, 1878.

HIRST and CAPES, of Harrogate, Solicitors for the said Executors.

SAMUEL BOLSHAW, 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 debt or claim against or affecting the estate or effects of Samuel Bolshaw, late of Holmes Chapel, in the county of Chester, Farmer and Cattle Dealer (who died on the 6th day of June, 1877, and whose will was proved on the 11th day of July, 1877, in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Chester, by John Oldfield, of Holmes Chapel aforesaid, Gentleman, and Samuel Johnson, of Bradwall, in the said county of Chester, Farmer, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims upon the estate of the said Samuel Bolshaw, deceased, to the said executors, at the office of the undersigned, their Solicitors, in Sandbach, in the said county of Chester, on or before the 12th day of March, 1878. And notice is hereby given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to realize the assets of the deceased, and afterwards to distribute the same among 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 or persons for or in respect of the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, of whose debt or claim the said executors shall not then have had notice. And all persons indebted to the estate of the said deceased are hereby required to pay the amount of their debts to

the said executors, or to us, the undersigned.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

LATHAM and BYGOTT, Sandbach, Solicitors to the Executors.

Miss MARY SEABORNE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against or affecting the estate of Mary Seaborne, late of Villa Brockham, in the parish of Betchworth, in the county of Surrey, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 11th day of October, 1877, and of whose personal estate letters of administration, with the will annexed, were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate, Divorce, and Admiralty Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 11th day of December, 1877, to Sarah Payne, of No. 86, Disraeli-road, Putney, in the said county of Surrey, Widow), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to the undersigned, Messrs. Dillon-Webb, Kelly, and Co. (the Solicitors of the said administratrix, with the will annexed), at their offices, No. 22, Chancery-lane, W.C., on or before the 14th day of March, 1878, after which day the said administratrix, with the will annexed, will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said administratrix, with the will annexed, shall then have had notice; and that she will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

DILLON-WEBB, KELLY, and CO., 22, Chancery-lane, London, W.C.

Mr. WILLIAM SEABORNE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against or affecting the estate of William Seaborne, late of Brockham Villa, Brockham, in the parish of Betchworth, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 23rd day of October, 1877, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate, Divorce, and Admiralty Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 12th day of November, 1877, by Robert Barnard Fountain, of No. 14, Church-street, Greenwich, in the county of Kent, Oil and Colour Man, and Charles Thomas Payne, of No. 610x, Mile End-road, in the county of Middlesex, Bootmaker, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to the undersigned, Messrs. Dillon-Webb, Kelly, and Co. (the Solicitors of the said executors), at their offices, No. 22, Chancery-lane, W.C., on or before the 14th day of March, 1878, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

DILLON-WEBB, KELLY, and CO., 22, Chancery-lane, London, W.C.

Dame ELIZABETH ANN GOMM, Widow, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against or upon the estate of Dame Elizabeth Ann Gomm, late of No. 10, New-street, Spring-gardens, in the county of Middlesex, Widow, deceased (who died on the 30th day of November, 1877, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 3rd day of January, 1878, by Lieutenant-General Lord Mark Ralph George Kerr, the Honourable Edward William Douglas, and Augusta Howard Vyse, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the full particulars of their claims or demands to the said executors, at the office of Messrs. Still and Son, No. 5, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, on or before the 20th day of February next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testatrix among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands 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 of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

STILL and SON, 5, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Solicitors for the said Executors.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action in the matter of the estate of William Wells, deceased, Wells against Brook, 1877, W., 411, the creditors of William Wells, late of Eldon House, Bradford, in the county of York, Esq., who died on the 5th day of July, 1877, are, on or before the 8th day of February, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Walter Gardiner, a member of the firm of Gardiner and Jeffery, of Bradford aforesaid, the Solicitors for the plaintiff, Emma Wells, the administratrix of the said William Wells, 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 Master of the Rolls, at his chambers, situate in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, on Friday, the 22nd day of February, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

PURSUANT to a Judgment of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of Peter Eckersley, deceased, and in an action Eckersley v. Eckersley, 1877, E., 104, the creditors of Peter Eckersley, late of Park Hill, Prestwich, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Gentleman, who died on or about the 6th March, 1877, are, on or before the 31st day of January, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. William Hughes Hilton, of the firm of Messrs. Sale, Seddon, and Hilton, of 29, Booth-street, in the city of Manchester, the Solicitors of the defendants, 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 Wednesday, the 13th day of February, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of Andrew Kellie Ireland, deceased, and in an action of Ireland against Ireland, 1877, I., No. 153, the creditors of Andrew Kellie Ireland, late of Everton, near Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, who died in or about the month of June, 1876, are, on or before the 25th day of January, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Joseph Swainson the younger, of Kendal, Westmorland, the Solicitor of the plaintiff, George Washington Ireland, the executor of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, and addresses and descriptions, the Christian and surnames of any partner or partners, 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 No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Friday, the 5th day of February, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1877.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action re Thomas Aubery Griffith, deceased, Davidson against Griffith, the creditors of Thomas Aubery Griffith, late of No. 6, Sretton-villas, Gascoyne-road, South Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, who died in or about the month of December, 1874, are, on or before the 31st day of January, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Nicholl Morgan, of the firm of Messrs. Davis, Morgan, and Co., of No. 63, Coleman-street, in the city of London, the Solicitor of the defendant, Margaret Elizabeth Griffith, the executrix of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, and addresses and descriptions, the Christian and surnames of any partner or partners, 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 No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on

Thursday, the 7th day of February, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1877.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action in the matter of the estate of Joseph Richard Saint Helens Hall, deceased, Herbert and others against Hall and others, the creditors of Joseph Richard Saint Helens Hall, late of Derby, and of Hazelwood, both in the county of Derby, Marble Mason and Sculptor, who died in or about the month of September, 1876, are, on or before the 12th day of February, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to James Vallack, Esq., of Derby, in the county of Derby, the Solicitor of the plaintiffs, Thomas Herbert, William Herbert, and George Nolme the younger, the executors 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 Tuesday, the 26th day of February, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of Henry Farr, deceased, between Stephen Street Hearne, plaintiff, and John Redgrave Mister and Sarah Ann, his wife, defendants, 1877, F, No. 150, the persons claiming to be the nephews and nieces, the children of the brothers and sisters of the said Henry Farr, late of Cookhill, in the parish of Inkberrow, in the county of Worcester, Farmer, deceased, who died on or about the 3rd day of January, 1848, such nephews and nieces being directed by the will of the said Henry Farr to claim their respective shares within twelve months next after the death of his wife, Elizabeth Farr, or claiming to be the legal personal representatives of such of them as are dead, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 29th day of October, 1878, being the date of the expiration of twelve months from the death of the said Elizabeth Farr, who died on the 30th day of October, 1877, to come in and prove their claims at the chambers of his Lordship the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at No. 14, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said bequest. Friday, the 15th day of November, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A SECOND Dividend of 2s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Charles Buckridge the elder, of Bull-stairs, Upper Ground-street, Blackfriars, in the county of Surrey, Barge Builder, and will be paid at our offices, No. 70A, Aldermanbury, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 16th day of January, 1878, and three following Wednesdays, between the hours of twelve and two o'clock.—Dated this 10th day of January, 1878.

SMITH, STENNING, and CROFT, Solicitors for the Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 5s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by James Bracher Sydenham, of Hayward's Heath, in the county of Sussex, Grocer, Baker, and Wine Merchant, and will be paid by me, at my office, No. 4, Ship-street, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, on and after the 21st day of January, 1878.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

GEO. C. TAYLOR, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. 6d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by Frederick Johnson the younger, of No. 62, Derby-road, in the town of Nottingham, Chemist and Druggist, and will be paid by me, at my offices, 29A, Long-row Central, Nottingham, on and after Monday, the 21st day of January, 1878.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

HENRY YOUNG, Trustee.

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The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 20s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Titus Cope, of Wharf-street, Stoke-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, Carter and Greengrocer, and will be paid by me, at my offices, in Newcastle-under-Lyme, on and after the 14th day of January, 1878.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

WM. TURNER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 2d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Solomon Jacob Hart, of No. 24, Granby-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Tobaccoist, and will be paid by me, at my offices, situate at Selborne-buildings, Millstone-lane, Leicester aforesaid, on and after Tuesday, the 15th day of January, 1878.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1878.

EDWARD ROBERTS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Bailey, of the Royal Nursery, Feltham, in the county of Middlesex, and of 448, Kingsland-road, in the said county, Market 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 offices of William Stopher, at 24, Coleman-street, in the city of London, Solicitor, on the 31st day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

W. STOPHER, 24, Coleman-street, in the city of London, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Morris, of 10, Little Bath-street, Clerkenwell, and 1, Great Warner-street, Clerkenwell, and of Avoca Cottage, Hornsey, all in the county of Middlesex, Pawnbroker.

NOTICE 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 Coffee-house, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 28th day of January, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

G. J. BROCKLESBY, Solicitor for the said Henry Morris.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John William Jeffery O'Donoghue, of 22, Queen-street, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, Paint Factor and Manufacturer, trading as Roberts and Co., lately trading in partnership with Stephen Thomas Griffiths and Cornelius Griffiths, at the same place, as Paint Factors and Manufacturers, as Roberts and Co., and also with Montgomery James Stewart, at the same place, Paint Factors and Manufacturers, as Roberts, Stewart, 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 office of Messrs. Nash and Field, No. 12, Queen-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 31st day of January, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1878.

NASH and FIELD, 12, Queen-street, Cheapside, E.C., Solicitors for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Garratt Elliott, of No. 100, Golden-lane, in the city of London, Aquatic Fête 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 City of London Baths, Golden-lane, Aldersgate-street, London, on the 18th day of January, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of January 1878.

GEO. WM. LAY, Brentford, Middlesex, and in London, 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 Henry Fitzmaurice and Edward John Patrick, of 60, Mark-lane, in the city of London, Wine Merchants and Shippers, trading in copartnership under the style or firm of Fitzmaurice and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Leslie, Straith, and Co., 1, Frederick's-place, Old Jewry, in the city of London, on the 4th day of February, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of January, 1878.

SIDNEY CHAPMAN, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Fitzmaurice and Edward John Patrick, of 60, Mark-lane, in the city of London, Wine Merchants and Shippers, trading in copartnership under the style or firm of Fitzmaurice and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Henry Fitzmaurice has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Leslie, Straith, and Co., 1, Frederick's-place, Old Jewry, in the city of London, on the 4th day of February, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of January, 1878.

SIDNEY CHAPMAN, Solicitor for the said Henry Fitzmaurice.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Fitzmaurice and Edward John Patrick, of 60, Mark-lane, in the city of London, Wine Merchants and Shippers, trading in copartnership under the style or firm of Fitzmaurice and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Edward John Patrick has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Leslie, Straith, and Co., 1, Frederick's-place, Old Jewry, in the city of London, on the 4th day of February, 1878, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of January, 1878.

SIDNEY CHAPMAN, Solicitor for the said Edward John Patrick.

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 Samuel Cook, of No. 5, Kirkwood-road, Nunhead Green, Peckham, in the county of Surrey, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 10, Bury-court, St. Mary Axe, in the city of London, on the 31st day of January, 1878, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of January, 1878.

JOHN WIDDICOMBE, Jun., 10, Bury-court, St. Mary Axe, 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 John Major, of No. 4, Leyton-road, Stratford New Town, in the county of Essex, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Rowland, Accountant, 78, Globe-road, Mile End, in the county of Middlesex, on the 19th day of January, 1878, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1877.

WILLIAM HICKS, 78, Globe-road, Mile End, 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 Vorley, of 139, Westminster Bridge-road, Lambeth, 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. Izard and Betts, No. 46, Eastcheap, in the city of London, on the 28th day of January, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of January, 1878.

LINKLATER and CO., 7, Walbrook, London, Solicitors for the said Edward Vorley.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William James Turner, of the Samson's Castle, Grange-road, Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, Licensed Victualler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Donne, Andrews, and Company, 1, Princes-street, Spitalfields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 28th day of January, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of January, 1878.

J. H. ANDREWS, 1, Princes-street, Spitalfields, 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 Frederic Corral, of Martin-street, Stratford, in the county of Essex, of no occupation, late of Glen Villa, Forest Gate, in the same county, Banker's 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. H. B. Forbes, of 6, Paternoster-row, in the city of London, Solicitor, on the 28th day of January, 1878, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

H. B. FORBES, 6, Paternoster-row, 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 Robert Willis, of 18, Saint Martin's-court, Leicester-square, and of 134, Kentish Town-road, both in the county of Middlesex, 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 18A, Saint Martin's-court, Leicester-square, in the county of Middlesex, on the 19th day of January, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of January, 1878.

ROBT. WILLIS, 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 Athole Robertson, of No. 100, St. George's-road, Southwark, and No. 34, Upper Marsh, Lambeth, both in the county of Surrey, Manager to a 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 our offices, No. 28, Leicester-square, W.C., on the 24th day of January, 1878, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

J. C. FISHER and Co., 28, Leicester-square, W.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 Louis Mouchelet, of No. 32A, Greek-street, Soho, in the county of Middlesex, Provision Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at our offices, No. 28, Leicester-square, in the county of Middlesex, on the 25th day of January, 1878, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

J. C. FISHER and Co., 28, Leicester-square, W.C., Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Dewynter, formerly of No. 48, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, Lace Merchant, but now of No. 12, Fitzroy-street, Fitzroy-square, in the county of Middlesex, of no occupation.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Green and Pridham, No. 6, John-street, Bedford-row, London, on the 21st day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1877.

GREEN and PRIDHAM, 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 Fowler, of 79, Ledbury-road, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Wilsher and Co., 25, Cursitor-street, Chancery-lane, in the city of London, on the 21st day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1877.

GEORGE FOWLER, 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 Leman Kattenburg, of 45, Commercial-street, White-chapel, in the county of Middlesex, 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 17, Stamford-street, Blackfriars, in the county of Surrey, on the 19th day of January, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1878.

THOS. PITTMAN, 17, Stamford-street, S.E., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas William Tupper, trading as the East Surrey Bicycle Company, of No. 45, Croydon-grove, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, and Church-street, Croydon aforesaid, Bicycle 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 Rose Cottage, St. John's-grove, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, on the 19th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

G. W. DENNIS, St. John's-grove, Croydon, Solicitor for the said Thomas William Tupper.

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 Waters, of No. 9, Scarbrook-road, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, Timber Merchant, Builder, and Saw Mills Proprietor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. James Chapman and Company, of 1, Gresham-buildings, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 22nd day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of January, 1878.

JAMES CHAPMAN and CO., 1, Gresham-buildings, Basinghall-street, London, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

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 Thomas Trophimus Hodges, of the South Camp, Aldershot, in the county of Southampton, a Captain in Her Majesty's 76th Regiment.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my office, No. 2 Tanfield-court, Inner Temple, London, on the 18th day of January, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

RICHARD EVE, No. 2, Tanfield-court, Temple, London and Aldershot, Hants, Solicitor for the said Thomas Trophimus Hodges.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Tunbridge Wells.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Benjamin George Neeves, of Southborough, 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 the Camden Hotel, Tunbridge Wells aforesaid, on the 18th day of January, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

ANDREW and CHEALE, Calverley Mount, Tunbridge Wells, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Tunbridge Wells.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Harbour, of Chipstead, in the parish of Chevening, in the county of Kent, Carpenter 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 Crown Inn, Chipstead, near Sevenoaks, in the county of Kent, on the 23rd day of January, 1878, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of January, 1878.

GEO. PALMER, Tunbridge, Kent, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Greenwich.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Christopher Wilkinson, of High-street, Sydenham, in the county of Kent, 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 8, North-buildings, Eldon-street, in the city of London, on the 26th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

JOHN PATTENDEN BIGGENDEN, 8, North-buildings, Eldon-street, E.C., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Greenwich.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Ayling, of No. 47, Frederick-place, Plumstead, in the county of Kent, late in the Carriage Department of the Royal Arsenal, Woolwich, but now of no occupation.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Buchanan and Rogers, 10, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1878.

BUCHANAN and ROGERS, 10, Basinghall-street, London, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hertfordshire, holden at Saint Albans.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Axten Hailey, of Watford, in the county of Hertford, 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 Law Institution, Chancery-lane, London, on the 23rd day of January, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

SEDGWICK and TURNER, Watford, Herts, Solicitors for the said Charles Axten Hailey.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Suffolk, holden at Bury Saint Edmunds.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Harris, of Bury Saint Edmunds, in the county of Suffolk, 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 Guildhall, Bury Saint Edmunds aforesaid, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

WOOLNOUGH GROSS, Solicitor for the said William Harris.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Wiltshire, holden at Salisbury.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Henry Bennett, of Salisbury, in the county of Wilt, Wine and Spirit 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 No. 28, Endell-street, Salisbury aforesaid, on the 25th day of January, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

STEPHEN HILL, Solicitor for the said William Henry Bennett.

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 Garrett, of Tadmarton, in the county of Oxford, Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. George Crosby, Solicitor, Bridge-street, Banbury, on the 21st day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

GEORGE CROSBY, Bridge-street, Banbury, Solicitor for the said Charles Garrett.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Bradford, of Calvert-street, in the city of Norwich, 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 Chamber of Commerce, 145, Cheap-side, in the city of London, on the 22nd day of January, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of January, 1878.

ALFRED KENT, Norwich, Solicitor 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 John Horsfall, of Cheetham Hill, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Henry Horsfall, of Hebden Bridge, in the county of York, and Charles Frederic Horsfall, of Hebden Bridge aforesaid, carrying on business together in copartnership, at Calder Mill Shed and Hawksclough Shed, in Hebden Bridge aforesaid, as Cotton Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Horsfall Brothers, and of the said John Horsfall, Henry Horsfall, and Charles Frederic Horsfall, carrying on business as Cotton Spinners, at Hawksclough Mill, Hebden Bridge aforesaid, under the style or firm of John Horsfall and Sons, and of the said Henry Horsfall, carrying on business as a Cotton Spinner, at Waterside Mill, Hebden Bridge aforesaid, trading as William and Henry Horsfall, and of the said John Horsfall, carrying on business on his own account, at Lumb Mill, Hebden Bridge aforesaid, and at Square Mill, Walsden, in the county of Lancaster, and at No. 20, Cannon-street, in the city of Manchester, as a Cotton Spinner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named persons, trading as Horsfall Brothers, has been summoned to be held at the Albion Hotel, Piccadilly, in Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 22nd day of January, 1878, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

CHARLES J. ROBERTS, John-street, Rochdale, Solicitor for the Debtors.

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 John Horsfall, of Cheetham Hill, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Henry Horsfall, of Hebden Bridge, in the county of York, and Charles Frederic Horsfall, of Hebden Bridge aforesaid, carrying on business together in copartnership at Calder Mill Shed, and Hawksclough Shed, in Hebden Bridge aforesaid, as Cotton Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Horsfall Brothers, and of the said John Horsfall, Henry Horsfall, and Charles Frederic Horsfall, carrying on business as Cotton Spinners, at Hawksclough Mill, Hebden Bridge aforesaid, under the style or firm of John Horsfall and Sons, and of the said Henry Horsfall, carrying on business as a Cotton Spinner, at Waterside Mill, Hebden Bridge aforesaid, trading as William and Henry Horsfall, and of the said John Horsfall, carrying on business on his own account at Lumb Mill, Hebden Bridge aforesaid, and at Square Mill, Walsden, in the county of Lancaster, and at No. 20, Cannon-street, in the city of Manchester, as a Cotton Spinner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Henry Horsfall has been summoned to be held at the Albion Hotel, Piccadilly, in Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 22nd day of January, 1878, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

CHARLES J. ROBERTS, John-street, Rochdale, Solicitor for the 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 John Horsfall, of Cheetham Hill, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Henry Horsfall, of Hebden Bridge, in the county of York, and Charles Frederic Horsfall, of Hebden Bridge aforesaid, carrying on business together in copartnership at Calder Mill Shed and Hawksclough Shed, in Hebden Bridge aforesaid, as Cotton Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Horsfall Brothers, and of the said John Horsfall, Henry Horsfall, and Charles Frederic Horsfall, carrying on business as Cotton Spinners, at Hawksclough Mill, Hebden Bridge aforesaid, under the style or firm of John Horsfall and Sons, and of the said Henry Horsfall, carrying on business as a Cotton Spinner, at Waterside Mill, Hebden Bridge aforesaid, trading as William and Henry Horsfall, and of the said John Horsfall, carrying on business on his own account at Lumb Mill, Hebden Bridge aforesaid, and at Square Mill, Walsden, in the county of Lancaster, and at No. 20, Cannon-street, in the city of Manchester, as a Cotton Spinner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named John Horsfall has been summoned to be held at the Albion Hotel, Piccadilly, in Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 22nd day of January, 1878, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

CHARLES J. ROBERTS, John-street, Rochdale, Solicitor for the 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 James Hollinrake, now of 4, Mitchell-street, Lincolns, near Todmorden, in the county of York, Loom Tackler, lately carrying on business as a Brewer, at the Railway Brewery, in Brighouse, in copartnership with Edwin Hollinrake, under the style of J. and E. Hollinrake.

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 Swan Hotel, in Halifax, in the county of York, on the 18th day of January, 1878, at a quarter-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

A. G. and T. W. EASTWOOD, Todmorden, Solicitors for the said James Hollinrake.

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 Joseph Wrigley, of No. 7, Siddell-street, Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Star Hotel, Lees-road, in Oldham aforesaid, on the 2nd day of February, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

JNO. KERSHAW, Ashton-under-Lyne and Mossley, Solicitor for the said Joseph Wrigley.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Moss, of No. 2, Back Virginia-street, Southport, in the county of Lancaster, Joiner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Parr and Sadler, No. 149A, Lord-street, Southport, in the county of Lancaster, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

PARR and SADLER, 149A, Lord-street, Southport, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Arthur Chambers, of Melville-chambers, 50, Lord-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, 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 Messrs. Stratton and Court, Solicitors, 40, North John-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 22nd day of January, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of January, 1878.

J. P. COURT, 40, North John-street, Liverpool, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Evans, of 40, Lissant-street, and 41, Mulberry-street, both in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Bricklayer, 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 office of Mr. Ponton, Solicitor, Vernon-chambers, Vernon-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 28th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

FREDERIC W. PONTON, Vernon-chambers, Vernon-street, Liverpool, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Wigan.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Thompson, of Orrell Hall, Orrell, near Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, Mining Engineer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Byrom and Bell, No. 31, King-street, Wigan aforesaid, on the 25th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of January, 1878.

BYROM and BELL, 31, King-street, Wigan, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Wigan.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Clark, late of 61, Standishgate, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer and Provision Dealer, but now of 4, New Lodge, Wigan-lane, Wigan aforesaid, out of business or employment.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of William Stephen France, 1, Church-gate, Wigan, on the 26th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

WILLIAM S. FRANCE, 1, Church-gate, Wigan, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Priddin, of No. 623, Rochdale-road, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Haigh Sykes, situate No. 26, Cannon-street, Manchester aforesaid, on the 28th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

JNO. HAIGH SYKES, 26, Cannon-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Nicholls, of 283, Deansgate, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, 8, Ada-place, Essex-road, Sale, in the county of Chester, and late of 442, Stretford-road, Manchester aforesaid, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Horner and Son, Solicitors, 3, Clarence-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 22nd day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January 1878.

HORNER and SON, 3, Clarence-street, Manchester, 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 John Wharton, of No. 28, Snowden-street, and James Bleackley, of No. 18, Homer-street, both in Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Builders and Contractors, and trading under the style or firm of Wharton and Bleackley, at Mount-street, Bolton aforesaid.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at No. 35, Townhall-square, Bolton

aforesaid, on the 6th day of February, 1878, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January 1878.

WALTER SCOWCROFT, 25, Townhall-square Bolton, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

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 James Brown, of No. 23, Liverser-street, in Chorley, in the county of Lancaster, Draper and Tea 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 Whitfield, jun., Solicitor, 6, Union-street, Chorley aforesaid, on the 28th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

JNO. WHITFIELD, Jun., 6, Union-street, Chorley, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Jackson Ellis, of No. 198, Chester-road, Hulme, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturing Confectioner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Thomas and Edward Chorlton, Solicitors, 32, Brazen-nose-street, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 25th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

THOS. and EDWD. CHORLTON, 32, Brazen-nose-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Edward Jackson Ellis.

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 Miles Tiplady, of Brown Royd, Thornton-road, Bradford, in the county of York, Wheelwright.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Victoria Hotel, in Bradford aforesaid, on the 19th day of January, 1878, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1878.

MILES TIPLADY, the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Rouse, of 786, Manchester-road, in Bradford, in the county of York, Builder and Contractor.

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 the undersigned, No. 9, Market-street, in Bradford aforesaid, on the 16th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

TERRY and ROBINSON, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Burnett Curran, of Westgrove-street, Bradford, in the county of York, Wool Washer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of me, the undersigned, on the 28th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

ARTHUR SINGLETON, 1, New Booth-street, Bradford, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Benjamin Milner, of Nos. 23 and 25, Sedgwick-street, White Abbey-road, Bradford, in the county of York, Draper, and of Lister Hill-road, Bradford aforesaid, Reed and Head 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 Charles William Baker, Commercial Bank-buildings, Bradford, Solicitor, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

CHARLES W. BAKER, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Richardson, of 13, Grove-place, Leeds, late of Duncan-street, Leeds, and at 6, Wakefield-road, Bradford, both in the county of York, Milliner.

NOTICE 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 Walker Crowther, Britannia-buildings, Oxford-place, Leeds, on the 25th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

ALFRED WATSON, Great George-street, Leeds,
Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Hardy and William McMillan, both of the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, trading under the style or firm of Hardy and McMillan, Builders and Contractors.

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 Joseph Lyon Jacobs, No. 2, County-buildings, in Kingston-upon-Hull aforesaid, Solicitor, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

J. L. JACOBS, Solicitor for the said George Hardy and William McMillan.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Hardy and William McMillan, both of the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, trading under the style or firm of Hardy and McMillan, Builders and Contractors.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named George Hardy has been summoned to be held at the offices of Joseph Lyon Jacobs, of No. 2, County-buildings, in Kingston-upon-Hull aforesaid, Solicitor, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

J. L. JACOBS, Solicitor for the said George Hardy.

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 Lewis Bottomley, of Clifton, in the parish of Dewsbury, in the county of York, 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. Craven and Sunderland, Solicitors, Bradford-road, Brighouse, in the parish of Halifax, in the county of York, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

CRAVEN and SUNDERLAND, Brighouse and Huddersfield, Solicitors for the said Lewis Bottomley.

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 Edwin Hollinrake, now of Barber's-buildings, in Rastrick, near Brighouse, in the county of York, formerly of Railway Brewery, in Brighouse aforesaid, Brewer, but now out of business.

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 Swan Hotel, in Halifax, in the county of York, on the 18th day of January, 1878, at a quarter to three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

A. G. and T. W. EASTWOOD, Todmorden, Solicitors for the said Edwin Hollinrake.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Henry Parkin, of Greenside, Heckmondwike, in the county of York, Dyer and Cleaner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of us the undersigned, Ridgway and Ridgway, in Church-street, in Dewsbury, in the said county, on the 30th day of January, 1878, at

eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

RIDGWAY and RIDGWAY, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Wakefield.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Ashton and Thomas Ashton, formerly carrying on business at Grange Farm, Adlingfleet, near Goole, in the county of York, as Farmers and Copartners, the said Robert Ashton now and then carrying on that business on his own account, at Adlingfleet aforesaid, and the said Thomas Ashton carrying on the same business on his own account, at South Killingholme, Ulceby, in the county of Lincoln.

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 Sydney Hotel, Goole, in the county of York, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

F. FERNS, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Wakefield.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Ashton and Thomas Ashton, formerly carrying on business at Grange Farm, Adlingfleet, near Goole, in the county of York, as Farmers and Copartners, the said Robert Ashton now and then carrying on that business on his own account, at Adlingfleet aforesaid, and the said Thomas Ashton carrying on the same business on his own account, at South Killingholme, Ulceby, in the county of Lincoln.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the separate estate of the above-named Robert Ashton has been summoned to be held at the Sydney Hotel, Goole, in the county of York, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

F. FERNS, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Wakefield.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Ashton and Thomas Ashton, formerly carrying on business at Grange Farm, Adlingfleet, near Goole, in the county of York, as Farmers and Copartners, the said Robert Ashton now and then carrying on that business on his own account, at Adlingfleet aforesaid, and the said Thomas Ashton carrying on the same business on his own account, at South Killingholme, Ulceby, in the county of Lincoln.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the separate estate of the above-named Thomas Ashton has been summoned to be held at the Sydney Hotel, Goole, in the county of York, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at half-past four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

F. FERNS, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Noah Harrison, of Yeadon, in the county of York, Grocer and Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Benjamin Collett Pullan, Bank-chambers, Park-row, in Leeds aforesaid, on the 23rd day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

BENJ. C. PULLAN, Solicitor for the said Noah Harrison.

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 Joseph Heighington, of 22, Bond-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Stationer and Safe Agent, formerly trading in copartnership with Edmund Clegg, under the style or firm of Heighington and Clegg, and subsequently with Edward Stanley Inchbold, under the style or firm of Heighington and Inchbold.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Griffin Hotel, Mill Hill and Boar-lane, in Leeds aforesaid, on the 25th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

W. B. CRAVEN, Solicitor for the said Joseph Heighington.

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 Joshua William Swann, of Woodhouse Hill, Hunslet, near Leeds, in the county of York, out of business, late of Burley, near Leeds aforesaid, Licensed Victualler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Rooke and Midgley, in White Horse-street, Boar-lane, in Leeds aforesaid, on the 23rd day of January, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

ROOKE and MIDGLEY, Solicitors 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 Thomas Ross, of Block 16, Kirkgate Market, in Leeds, in the county of York, Fruiterer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Edward Dale, Solicitor, 10, Upper Fountaine-street, Albion-street, Leeds aforesaid, on the 22nd day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of January, 1878.

EDWD. DALE, Solicitor for the said Thomas Ross.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Lewes.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Walter Robert Stepney, of Grampian House, School Hill, High-street, Lewes, in the county of Sussex, 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. Clennell and Fraser, No. 6, Great James-street, Bedford-row, London, on the 29th day of January, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

J. K. NYE, 9, North-street, Brighton, Solicitor for the said Walter Robert Stepney.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Ford, of Dale Cottage, Rottingdean, in the county of Sussex, Trainer.

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. 150, North-street, Brighton aforesaid, on the 28th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of January, 1878.

THOMAS A. GOODMAN, 150, North-street, Brighton, Solicitor for the said William Ford.

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 Smith, of Queen-street and North-street, both in South Shields, in the county of Durham, Cab Proprietor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. T. Tinley Dale, No. 68, King-street, South Shields, on the 31st day of January, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

T. TINLEY DALE, 68, King-street, South Shields, Solicitor for the said William 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 John Haigh Robinson, of No. 25, Eldon-square, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Architect and 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 the offices of Messrs. Hoyle, Shipley and Hoyle, 20, Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, on the 22nd day of January, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

HOYLE, SHIPLEY and HOYLE, 20, Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitors 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 Henry Vernon, jun., of Alnwick, in the county of Northumberland, Watchmaker and Jeweller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Queen's Hotel, Stephenson-place, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

FORSTER and PAYNTER, Alnwick, Solicitors for the said Henry Vernon, jun.

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 Thomas Owens, of Tir-draw-yr-afon, in the township of Aberwheeler, in the parish of Rodfari, in the county of Denbigh, 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 Crown Hotel, Denbigh, in the county of Denbigh, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

R. HUMPHREYS ROBERTS, Denbigh, Solicitor for the said Thomas Owens.

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 Nicholson Bradley, of 28, Mostyn-street, Llandudno, in the county of Carnarvon, Dealer in Fancy Goods, and lately carrying on business at 95, Mostyn-street, Llandudno aforesaid, as Butchers' Meat Salesman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Hop Pole Hotel, in the city of Chester, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of January, 1878.

WILLIAM JONES, Castle-street, Conway, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Burton-upon-Trent.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Carter, of Stubwood, in the parish of Rocester, in the county of Stafford, Saddler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Flint and Flint, Solicitors, High-street, Uttoxeter, on the 23th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

RICHD. K. FLINT, High-street, Uttoxeter, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Walsall.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Wilkes, formerly of 22, Eldon-street, Darlaston, in the county of Stafford, but now in lodgings at Newtown, Wednesbury, in the said county, Nut and Bolt Maker.

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. Joseph Corbett, No. 79, Pinfold-street, Darlaston, in the county of Stafford, on the 17th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

JOSEPH CORBETT, No. 79, Pinfold-street, Darlaston, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Herbert Smith, of the Sheridan Arms, Chancery-lane, Longton, in the county of Stafford, Licensed Victualler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Adderley and Marfleet, at No. 23, Commerce-street, Longton aforesaid, on the 21st day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1877.

ADDERLEY and MARFLEET, Longton, Staffordshire, Solicitors for the said Herbert Smith.

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 James Lumby (trading as James Lumby and Co.), of No. 17, Above Bar, in the town and county of Southampton, and of Lymington, in the county of Southampton, Auctioneer.

NOTICE 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. Edmonds, Davis, and Clark, 25, Portland-street, in the town and county of the town of Southampton, on the 1st day of February, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

WM. PERKINS and CANDY, 6, Albion-terrace, Southampton, Solicitors 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 John Colborne, of Gosport-street, Lymington, in the county of Southampton, Auctioneer and Estate Agent.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Moore and Jackman, Captain's-row, Lymington, in the county of Hants, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of January, 1878.

MOORE and JACKMAN, Captain's-row, Lymington, Hants, Solicitors for the said John Colborne.

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 John Wells, of Clifton, near Nottingham, in the county of Nottingham, Cottager.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at our offices, 3, Low-pavement, in the town of Nottingham, on the 28th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

CRANCH and STROUD, 3, Low-pavement, Nottingham, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Mackintosh, of Broad-street, in the town of Nottingham, Cabdriver, lately carrying on business at the same place as a Cab Proprietor, and formerly at Victoria-street, as a Hatter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 12, Fletcher-gate, in the town of Nottingham, on the 16th day of January, 1878, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Taunton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John England, of Chard, in the county of Somerset, Brewer, Maltster, and Wine and Spirit Merchant, trading as England and Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Grand Hotel, Bristol, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

REED and COOK, Bridgewater, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Bridgewater.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Shopland, of Bridgewater, in the county of Somerset, Fruiterer and Confectioner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Samuel Chapman, Solicitor, High-street, Bridgewater aforesaid, on the 22nd day of January, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

SAMUEL CHAPMAN, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Hill, of 27, Henry-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, late a Boot Factor, but now a Boot-maker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of the undersigned, situate in Market-street, Leicester aforesaid, on the 14th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

B. A. SHIRES, Market-street, Leicester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Green, of No. 72, High Cross-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Baker and 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 the undersigned, situate in Market-street, Leicester aforesaid, on the 28th day of January, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

B. A. SHIRES, Market-street, Leicester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Smart, residing at 6, East-street, Leicester, and carrying on the business of Elastic Web Manufacturer, at Slate-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, under the style of T. Smart 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 office of Mr. Joseph Harvey, Selborne-buildings, Millstone-lane, Leicester, on the 23rd day of January, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of January, 1878.

JOSEPH HARVEY, Selborne-buildings, Millstone-lane, Leicester, Solicitor for the said Thomas Smart.

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 St. Arnaud Creak, of the New Haymarket, Granby-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Cabinet Maker and Upholsterer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, situate at No. 7, Belvoir-street, Leicester, on the 25th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

THOMAS WRIGHT, 7, Belvoir-street, Leicester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William George Caunt, of Sparkenhoe-street, Leicester, and carrying on business as a Wholesale Grocer and Provision Merchant, at No. 7, Cank-street, Leicester, both in the county of Leicester, under the style or firm of W. Cort 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 my offices, situate at No. 7, Belvoir-street, Leicester, on the 25th day of January, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

THOMAS WRIGHT, 7, Belvoir-street, Leicester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Francis Smart Adams, carrying on business at 36, Friar-lane, and residing at 15, Bow Bridge-street, both in Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Wool 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 office of Mr. Hiram Abiff Owston, Solicitor, situate at No. 23, Friar-lane, in Leicester aforesaid, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

OWSTON and DICKINSON, 23, Friar-lane, Leicester, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Poole.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles George Row, of No. 4, Wellington-terrace, Bournemouth, in the county of Hants, Butcher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Aldridge and Sharp, 2, Westover-villas, in the county of Hants, on the 22nd day of January, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

ALDRIDGE and SHARP, 2, Westover-villas, Bournemouth, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carmarthenshire, holden at Carmarthen.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Francis, of Burry Port, Pembrey, in the county of Carmarthen, Shoemaker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Mansel Rees, 40, Thomas-street, Llanelly, in the county of Carmarthen, on the 25th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

MANSEL REES, 40, Thomas-street, Llanelly aforesaid, 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 John James, of No. 1, Swansea-road, Llanelly, in the county of Carmarthen, 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 31, Stepney-street, Llanelly, in the county of Carmarthen, on the 26th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

W. HOWELL, 31, Stepney-street, Llanelly, 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 Ephraim Woods, late of East Hilly, in the county of Berkshire, Blacksmith, but now of Royston, in the county of Cambridge, Blacksmith's Journeyman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the George Hotel, Reading, in the county of Berks, on the 7th day of February, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of January, 1878.

H. DALTON NASH, 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 Bell, of Whaddon, in the county of Cambridge, Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. H. Dalton Nash, High-street, Royston, in the county of Hertford, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of January, 1878.

H. DALTON NASH, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Warwick.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Carvell, at present residing in furnished lodgings at No. 16, Shrubland-street, Claremont-place, Leamington, previously residing at No. 17, Henton-street, Hockley, Birmingham, previously at No. 9, Ellen-street, Hockley aforesaid, previously at No. 7, Victoria-street, Taylor's buildings, Birmingham, previously of Heath-street, Balsall Heath, Birmingham, and previously of No. 30, Raglan-street, in the city of Coventry, all the aforesaid places being in the county of Warwick, a Journeyman Tailor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 27, West Orchard, Coventry, on the 28th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

JOSEPH HOMER, 27, West Orchard, Coventry, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Harkins, of 148, Lawley-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Butcher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Mr. F. M. Burton's office, 53, Union-passage, Birmingham aforesaid, Solicitor, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

F. M. BURTON, 53, Union-passage, Birmingham, Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Hackney the younger, of No. 170, Castell-road, Small Heath near Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Draper's Assistant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. R. M. Wood and Son, situate at 25 Waterlous-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

R. W. WOOD and SON, 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 Robert André Perkins, of No. 85, Northampton-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Jeweller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Midland Hotel, New-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 25th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

JOHN C. FOWKE, 47, Ann-street, Birmingham, Solicitor for the Debtor.

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 Joseph Aprile and Napoleon Aprile, both of 9 and 16, Hamlet and Haddington-street, Sudbury, Essex trading together in copartnership as J. and N. Aprile, as Silversmiths, Jewellers, and Glass and China Dealers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Masons' Hall Tavern, Masons'-avenue, Basinghall-street, London, on the 4th day of February, 1878, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

ASHER PRIOR, 31, Head-street, Colchester, Solicitor for the said Joseph Aprile and Napoleon Aprile.

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 Harrison Peile, of Workington, in the county of Cumberland, Painter.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. William Paisley, Solicitor, Bridge-street, Workington, on the 3rd day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

WM. PAISLEY, Workington, Solicitor for the said Harrison Peile.

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 George William Parker, of West Walls, in the city of Carlisle, Coach and Carriage 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 No. 3, Carruthers-court, Scotch-street, Carlisle, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

J. C. WANNOP, Carlisle, Solicitor for the said George William Parker.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Hampshire, of 57, Linthorpe-road, Middlesbrough, in the county of York, Fruiterer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Messrs. Jackson and Jackson's offices, Albert-road, Middlesbrough, on the 23rd day of January, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of January, 1878.

JACKSON and JACKSON, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Hedley, of No. 12, Gloucester-street, Middlesbrough, 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 my office, No. 1, Zetland-road, Middlesbrough aforesaid, on the 19th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of January, 1878.

THOMAS ADDENBROOKE, 1, Zetland-road, Middlesbrough, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Marmaduke Frank, of Saltburn-by-the-Sea, in the county of York, Boot and Shoe Dealer and Boot and Shoemaker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Luke Thompson the younger, No. 19, Queen's-terrace, Middlesbrough, in the county of York, on the 23rd day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of January, 1878.

LUKE THOMPSON, Jun., 19, Queen's-terrace, Middlesbrough, Solicitor for the said Marmaduke Frank.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Douthwaite Blackburn, of Middlesbrough, in the county of York, Wine and Spirit Merchant, and also trading as an Auctioneer, in copartnership with Edward Dawson, of Middlesbrough aforesaid, under the style or firm of Blackburn, Dawson, 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. George Robson, No. 23, Linthorpe-road, Middlesbrough aforesaid, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

GEO. ROBSON, 23, Linthorpe-road, Middlesbrough, Solicitor for the said Joseph Douthwaite Blackburn.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Nicholson, of Potto, near Stokesley, in the county of York, Butter and Egg 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, Market Cross-chambers, Stockton-on-Tees, on the 22nd day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

W. M. BEST, 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 William Henry Brass, of West Cornforth, and Robert Brass, of Spennymoor, both in the county of Durham, Drapers, carrying on business at West Cornforth, as Brass 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 office of Mr. James Chambers, Solicitor, No. 40, Sadler-street, in the city of Durham, on the 25th day of January, 1878, at eleven

o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

JAMES CHAMBERS, 40, Sadler-street, Durham, Solicitor for the said William Henry Brass and Robert Brass.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Cheltenham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alfred Smith, of Tewkesbury, in the county of Gloucester, Innkeeper and Hay and Coal Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Moores and Romney, in Tewkesbury, on the 18th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 31st day of December, 1877.

MOORES and ROMNEY, of Tewkesbury, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Gloucester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Crook and William Balcbin, of Cinderford, in the Forest of Dean, in the county of Gloucester, trading under the style of the Quideburch Colliery Company, Colliery Proprietors.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at No. 21, St. John's-lane, in the city of Gloucester, on the 25th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

GEO. W. HAINES, 21, St. John's-lane, Gloucester, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Henry Whitehouse, of Stapleton-road, in the city and county of Bristol, Surgeon.

NOTICE 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 Hughes Heckingham, Albion-chambers, Broad-street, Bristol, on the 23rd day of January, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

H. H. BECKINGHAM, Albion-chambers, Broad-street, Bristol, Solicitor for the 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 Henry Day Rickard, of Regina-place, Stapleton-road, in the city and county of Bristol, Commercial Traveller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Harry Hughes Heckingham, Albion-chambers, Broad-street, Bristol, on the 23rd day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

H. H. BECKINGHAM, Albion-chambers, Broad-street, Bristol, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Sheppard, of Bridgend, in the county of Glamorgan.

NOTICE 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 Tribe, Clarke, and Co., Accountants, of 4, Crockberntown, Cardiff, in the said county, on the 28th day of January, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

THO. STOCKWOOD, Jun., Solicitor for the said Charles Sheppard.

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 Henry Flower Williams, of No. 16, Union-street, Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Undertaker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. J. T. Davies, Alma-place, Neath, in the county of Glamorgan, on the 22nd day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of January, 1878.

J. TALIESIN DAVIES, Alma-place, Neath, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Pontypridd.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William T. Williams, of the De Winton Shop, Tony-pandy, Rhondda Valley, in the county of Glamorgan, Grocer and Provision Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Morgan, White, and White, 26, Victoria-street, Merthyr Tydfil, in the county of Glamorgan, Solicitors, on the 25th day of January, 1878, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

MORGAN, WHITE, and WHITE, 26, Victoria-street, Merthyr Tydfil, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Tredegar.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Phillips, of Tredegar, in the county of Monmouth, Grocer and Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 2, Morgan-street, Tredegar aforesaid, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

CHAS. H. RICE HARRIS, No. 2, Morgan-street, Tredegar, Solicitor for the said Richard Phillips.

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 William Walters Pope, of Monnow-street, in the town of Monmouth, in the county of Monmouth, Grocer and Provision Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. William Charles Addams Williams, Solicitor, Whitecross-street, Monmouth, in the county of Monmouth, on the 25th day of January, 1878, at half-past one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

FRED. VAUGHAN, Newport, Mon., Solicitor for the said William Walters Pope.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Stourbridge.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Cox, of Holy Cross, Client, in the county of Worcester, Licensed Victualler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Vine Hotel, Stourbridge aforesaid, on the 25th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

W. S. HAYES, Halesowen, Solicitor for the said Charles Cox.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Dudley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Francis Orchard, in lodgings at No. 58, High-street, Priories-end, in the county of Stafford, Grocer's Assistant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. R. Alfred Willcock, Queen's-chambers, North-street, Wolverhampton, on the 22nd day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Macclesfield. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Blackshaw, of Congleton, in the county of Chester, 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 Mr. William Cooper, Solicitor, West-street, Congleton, on the 23rd day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of January, 1878.

WILLIAM COOPER, West-street, Congleton, Solicitor for the Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Newport and at Ryde.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Arthur Davis, of High-street, Ryde, in the Isle of Wight, in the county of Hants, Hardware Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Inns of Court Hotel, Holborn, London, on the 23rd day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

RICHD. URRY, of Ryde, in the Isle of Wight, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Philip Blanch, of No. 3, Donegal-terrace, Ford, in the parish of Stoke Damerel, in the county of Devon, an Engineer in the Royal Navy.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs J. E. Elworthy, Curtis, and Dawe, Solicitors, No. 6, Courtenay-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, on the 23rd day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

RICHD. H. DAWE, of the firm of J. E. Elworthy, Curtis, and Dawe, No. 6, Courtenay-street, Plymouth, Solicitors 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 John Barter, of 27, North-street, in the city of Exeter, Corn and Provision Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Castle Hotel, Castle-street, in the city of Exeter, on the 22nd day of January, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

THOMAS FLOUD, 17, Castle-street, Exeter, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cardiganshire, holden at Aberystwith.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Daniel Hamer, of Gloster Cottage, near Bow-street, in the parish of Llanbadarnfawr, in the county of Cardigan, 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 office of Messrs. Hugh Hughes and Sons, Solicitors, No. 24, Pier-street, Aberystwith, in the county of Cardigan, on the 23rd day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of January, 1878.

HUGH HUGHES and SONS, 24, Pier-street, Aberystwith, Solicitors for the said Daniel Hamer.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Critchley, of 24, St. Helen's-road, Prescott, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer and Glass Works Labourer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a New First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned (in pursuance of the order of the Court, dated the 3rd day of January, 1878) to be held at the office of Mr. Thomas Swift, Solicitor, Chapel-terrace, St. Helens, Lancashire, on the 24th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

T. SWIFT, Chapel-terrace, St. Helens, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Abraham Henry James, of Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Sculptor and Stone Merchant, trading under the style or firm of A. H. James and Co.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a New First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held (in pursuance of an order made by the Judge of the above Court on the 7th day of

January, 1878), at the offices of Messrs. Gibbs and Llewellyn Solicitors, No. 10, Trudgeur-place, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, on the 23rd day of January, 1878, at three o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

GIBBS and LLEWELLYN, Newport, Mon., Solicitors for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Tappin the younger, of Durham-street, Hackney-road, in the county of Middlesex, Timber Merchant.

A MEETING of the Creditors of the above-named George Tappin the younger is hereby summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Peckham, Maitland, and Peckham, No. 17, Knight Rider street, Doctors'-commons, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 29th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of taking into consideration the following matters, namely:—1. To audit the Trustee's accounts; 2. To consider the Trustee's remuneration; 3. To consider the Trustee's release; 4. To fix a date for the close of the liquidation.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

J. E. SHIRLEY, 110, Cannon-street, E.C., 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 Walter Kimmin, of 63, High-street East, Sittingbourne, in the county of Kent, Hay Dealer and Corn Factor.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors in the above matter is hereby summoned to be held at the King's Head Hotel, High-street, Rochester, on Tuesday, the 22nd instant, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon. The business proposed to be transacted thereat is as follows:—1. To audit the accounts of the Trustee and grant his release; 2. To fix the remuneration of the Trustee up to the close of this liquidation; 3. To declare a Second and Final Dividend; and 4. To grant the discharge of the debtor.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

G. PEPPER, 6, Watt's-terrace, Chatham, 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 Samuel Leonard and James Henry Leonard, of Nos. 1 and 2, Digbeth, and Nos. 2 and 3, St. Martin's-lane, all in Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, carrying on there the trade or business of Oil and Colour Merchants and Drysalers, in copartnership under the style or firm of Samuel Leonard and Son, the said Samuel Leonard also residing and carrying on a separate trade alone as a Licensed Victualler, at the Maypole Inn, Cradley, near Brierley Hill, in the county of Worcester.

A GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Samuel Leonard and James Henry Leonard will be held at the office of Messrs. Lomas Harrison and Starkey, No. 37, Cannon street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on Friday, the 18th day of January, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of sanctioning the following scheme of settlement of the affairs of the said debtors namely:—1. The Trustee, with the approval of the Committee of Inspection (which has already been given), to sell the whole of the interest of the creditors and Trustee in the joint estate of the said debtors, and in the separate estate of the said James Henry Leonard to the said Samuel Leonard alone, in consideration of his paying in cash the whole of the legal and other charges of and incident to the petition and these proceedings, and also a sum sufficient to produce a dividend of eight shillings in the pound on the debts due to the creditors of the said debtors, such purchase money to be payable by the separate promissory notes in favour of the creditors of the said Samuel Leonard, by four equal instalments at two, four, six, and eight calendar months from the approval by the Court of the terms of this scheme. The due payment of such promissory notes to be secured by the bond or covenant to the Trustee of the said Samuel Leonard for the full amount of such purchase money, and of eight sureties already approved of by the Committee of Inspection to the amount of five hundred pounds each, or in such other manner as the creditors at such meeting may resolve; 2. The said Samuel Leonard to pay to the Trustee the following amounts in full in cash, on or before the assignment of the estate to the said Samuel Leonard, namely:—(a.) The amount of the debts due to the separate creditors of the said James Henry Leonard; (b.) The amount of the debts due to such of the creditors of the joint estate as are entitled to be paid in full; (c.) All moneys expended by the Receiver and Manager and Trustee of the

estate for the purchase of goods, payment of wages, and other payments for the protection of the estate; 3. The Trustee to retain possession of the estate until the aforesaid terms are carried out and the Court has approved of the terms of the scheme, and then to give the debtors' their discharge; 4. That on the carrying out and completion of the scheme, the Trustee be released and the estate closed without any further meeting, and also for the purpose of passing resolutions to the foregoing effect, and any other resolution or resolutions, or adopting any other scheme under the provisions of the said Act, and the rules or orders thereunder, and for general business.—Dated this 10th day of January, 1878.

CHARLES T. STARKEY, 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 Samuel Leonard and James Henry Leonard, of Nos. 1 and 2, Digbeth and Nos. 2 and 3, St. Martin's-lane, all in Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, carrying on there the trade or business of Oil and Colour Merchants and Drysalers, in copartnership under the style or firm of Samuel Leonard and Son, the said Samuel Leonard also residing and carrying on a separate trade alone as a Licensed Victualler, at the Maypole Inn, Cradley, near Brierley Hill, in the county of Worcester.

A MEETING of the separate Creditors of the above-named Samuel Leonard will be held at the office of Messrs. Lomas Harrison and Starkey, 37, Cannon-street, Birmingham, on Friday, the 18th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering, and, if approved of, sanctioning a sale by the Trustee to the said Samuel Leonard of the whole of his estate, for a sum sufficient to produce a dividend of eight shillings in the pound on the debts due to the creditors of the said debtor, such composition to be payable on the 31st day of December, 1878, the due payment of such composition to be secured by the promissory notes of the said Samuel Leonard. The legal and other expenses, and such creditors as are entitled to their full claims to be paid in full in cash by the debtor. Upon the aforesaid promissory notes being given, and such payments in full made, and upon the approval by the Court of the terms of this arrangement, the Trustee to convey the whole of the separate estate of the said Samuel Leonard to him, and the estate to be closed, and the Trustee released without any further meeting, and for general business.—Dated this 10th day of January, 1878.

CHARLES T. STARKEY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Augustus Jones and David Jones, of No. 46, Pall Mall, in the county of Middlesex, and of 18, East-street, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Jewellers, trading as W. A. and D. Jones.

THE creditors of the above-named William Augustus Jones and David Jones who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 21st day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to us, the undersigned, Henry Stuart and Julien Grace Bennett, of 37, Old Change, Chapside, in the city of London, the Trustees under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 10th day of January, 1878.

HENRY STUART,
JULIEN GRACE BENNETT, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Joseph Waterer, of Cedar Villa, Russell-road, Lea-road, Leyton, in the county of Essex, and William Charles Martin, of No. 10^a, Fentimans-road, Clapham-road, in the county of Surrey, and carrying on business at No. 112, Aldersgate-street, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Waterer and Martin, Skirt and Costume Manufacturers.

THE creditors of the above-named Joseph Waterer and William Charles Martin who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 25th day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Folland Lovering, of No. 77, Gresham-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

JNO. F. LOVERING, 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 John Flack, (trading as John Flack and Company), of No. 3, Warwick-court, Holborn, and of No. 27, Grange-road, C-nonbury, both in the county of Middlesex, Publisher, India Agent, and Commission Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named John Flack who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 19th day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Edward Frank Wyman, of 74, Great Queen-street, in the county of Middlesex, 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 8th day of January, 1878.

E. F. WYMAN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Tappin the younger, of Durham-street, Hackney-road, in the county of Middlesex, Timber Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named George Tappin the younger who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 26th day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Elliott Shirley, of 110, Cannon-street, in the city of London, Timber Merchant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

J. E. SHIRLEY, 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 Edwin Perkins, of No. 86, Camberwell-road, in the county of Surrey, Builder and Decorator, trading under the style of Edwin Perkins and Co.

THE creditors of the above-named Edwin Perkins who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 8th day of February, 1878, 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, 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 5th day of January, 1878.

HENRY W. BANKS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Edward Mildon, of 24, Granby-street, and Anthony Bond, of 6, Morice-street, both in Devonport, in the county of Devon, trading in partnership under the firm of Mildon and Bond, as Granby Ope, in Devonport aforesaid, as Builders, Joiners, and Undertakers.

THE creditors of the above-named Edward Mildon and Anthony Bond who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 18th day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Ward West Arliss, of No. 28, Westwell-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

WARD WEST ARLISS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Donald Chisholm Bayne, of Thomas-street, Merthyr Tydfil, in the county of Glamorgan, Draper.

THE creditors of the above-named Donald Chisholm Bayne who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 19th day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to us, the undersigned, James Douglas and John Hudson Smith (to the care of Messrs. W. H. Williams and Co., Public Accountants, Exchange, Bristol), 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 7th day of January, 1878.

JAMES DOUGLAS,
JOHN HUDSON SMITH, Trustees.**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 Lawton Whiteley and Benjamin Whiteley, of Victoria and Dyson-lane Mills, Ripponden, near Halifax, in the county of York, Cotton Spinners, carrying on business under the style or firm of George Whiteley and Sons.

THE creditors of the above-named Lawton Whiteley and Benjamin Whiteley who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 6th day of February, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me the undersigned, Jonathan Ingham Learoyd, of Halifax, Accountant, one of the Trustees under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

JONATHAN INGHAM LEAROYD,
JOHN WOOD, Trustees.**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 Lawton Whiteley and Benjamin Whiteley, of Victoria and Dyson-lane Mills, Ripponden, near Halifax, in the county of York, Cotton Spinners, carrying on business under the style or firm of George Whiteley and Sons.

THE separate creditors of the above-named Benjamin Whiteley who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 6th day of February, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Jonathan Ingham Learoyd, of Halifax, Accountant, one of the Trustees under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

JONATHAN INGHAM LEAROYD,
JOHN WOOD, Trustees.**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 Lawton Whiteley and Benjamin Whiteley, of Victoria and Dyson-lane Mills, Ripponden, near Halifax, in the county of York, Cotton Spinners, carrying on business under the style or firm of George Whiteley and Sons.

THE separate creditors of the above-named Lawton Whiteley who have not already proved their debts are required, on or before the 6th day of February, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Jonathan Ingham Learoyd, of Halifax, Accountant, one of the Trustees under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

JONATHAN INGHAM LEAROYD,
JOHN WOOD, Trustees.**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 Joseph Erskine Bainbridge, of Doncaster, in the county of York, Common Brewer.

THE creditors of the above-named Joseph Erskine Bainbridge who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 18th day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Samuel Hawkes Wright, of French-gate, Doncaster, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

SAMUEL HAWKES WRIGHT, 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 Charles Smith and James Horsfall, of Leeds, in the county of York, Cloth Manufacturers, trading under the style of C. Smith and Co.

THE creditors of the above-named Charles Smith and James Horsfall who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 19th day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Routh, of the firm of John Routh, Kirk, and Co., Royal Insurance-buildings, Park-row, Leeds, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

JOHN ROUTH, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Dudley.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Richards, of No. 35, Edinghall-road, Coaley, in the parish of Sedgley, in the county of Stafford, Grocer.

THE creditors of the above-named William Richards who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 22nd day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Lomas Harrison, of 39, Cannon-street, Birmingham, 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 8th day of January, 1878.

WM. LOMAS HARRISON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Marriott, of Queen-street, in the borough of Derby, Joiner.

THE creditors of the above-named Edward Marriott who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Henry Harrison, of No. 18, Wardwick, Derby, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1878.

T. H. HARRISON, 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 Fewkes, of the Angel Inn, Market place, Belper, Licensed Victualler.

THE creditors of the above-named William Fewkes who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 23rd day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Henry Harrison, of No. 18, Wardwick, Derby, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

T. H. HARRISON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Rushton, of Hassell's-street, Newcastle-under-Lyme, in the county of Stafford, Carriage Builder.

THE creditors of the above-named George Rushton who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 21st day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Frederic Allen, of Newcastle-under-Lyme 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 7th day of January, 1878.

FREDERIC ALLEN, 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 Thomas Walker, late of the New-road, Willenhall, in the county of Stafford, Grocer, Provision Dealer, and Beer-house Keeper, but now deceased.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Walker who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 7th day of February, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, William Lomas Harrison, of No. 37, Cannon-street, Birmingham, 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 7th day of January, 1878.

WM. LOMAS HARRISON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Jones, of the Green Market, in the borough of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Fruiterer.

THE creditors of the above-named William Jones who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 23rd day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of

their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Eytton, of the firm of Lewins, Eytton, and Co., Public Accountant, 76, Grey-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 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 8th day of January, 1878.

THOS. EYTON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Arthur Dees, of Adelaide-terrace, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Clerk, formerly Timber Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named John Arthur Dees who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 25th day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Robert Amos, 42, Mosley-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 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 7th day of January, 1878.

ROBERT AMOS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Spreckley, of Darlington, in the county of Durham, Plumber, Glazier, and Gasfitter.

THE creditors of the above-named William Spreckley who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 21st day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to George Slight Gibbs, of Darlington aforesaid, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 4th day of January, 1878.

GEO. WEBSTER, Solicitor for the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton.
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Wright, of No. 138, Derby-street, Bolton, in the county of Lancashire, Tobaccoist, and carrying on business at No. 41, Mawdsley-street, Bolton aforesaid, as Rent and Debt Collector and General Agent.

THE creditors of the above-named John Wright who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 18th day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, George James Healy, of Acresfield, Bolton 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 1st day of January, 1878.

GEORGE J. HEALY, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors instituted by Jones Robinson Gibson, of No. 1, Church-street, Crewe, in the county of Chester, Provision Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named Jones Robinson Gibson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 15th day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Daniel Dean, of Earle-street, Crewe, Provision 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 10th day of January, 1878.

DANIEL DEAN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Chester.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Richardson, of Sealand, in the city of Chester, carrying on business at No. 53, Bridge-street and No. 19, Watergate-street, in the city of Chester, Butcher.

THE creditors of the above-named Joseph Richardson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 21st day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Grice, of Westminster-buildings, Newgate-street, in the city of Chester, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 11th day of January, 1878.

W. GRICE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Clement Priestley Hart, of the city of Norwich, and of Lammas Hall, in the county of Norfolk, and of Great Yarmouth, in the said county of Norfolk, Merchant, trading as Charles Hart and Son.

THE creditors of the above-named Clement Priestley Hart who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 25th day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to us, the undersigned, I. B. Coaks and Co., of Bank Plain, Norwich, the Solicitors to the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

I. B. COAKS and Co., Solicitors to the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cambridgeshire, holden at Cambridge.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Oliver William Johnson, of the Avenue, Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge, Coal Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named Oliver William Johnson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 17th day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Herman Joseph Lescher, of the firm of Wing, Wing, and Co., of No. 1, Princes-street, Bank, in the city of London, Public Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 4th day of January, 1878.

HERMAN J. LESCHER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Lizzie Vassilopulo and Manuel Anastasius Copehili, both of No. 1, King-street, in the city of Manchester, Milliners and Dressmakers, trading under the style or firm of L. Kirkham and Co.

THE creditors of the above-named Lizzie Vassilopulo and Manuel Anastasius Copehili who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 19th day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts and claims, with affidavit of proof of debt, to us, the undersigned, John Augustus Josolyne, of 28, King-street, in the city of London, Accountant, and John Joseph Graham, of Cooper-street, in the city of Manchester, Accountant, or either of us, 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 8th day of January, 1878.

J. A. JOSOLYNE,
JOHN J. GRAHAM, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Cole, of 48, King-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, 10, Castle-place, Belfast, in the county of Antrim, Ireland, and Oak Villa, Ashton-upon-Mersey, in the county of Chester, Tailor and Outfitter, trading at Belfast aforesaid, as William Cole and Co.

THE creditors of the above-named William Cole who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 16th day of January, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts and claims, with affidavit of proof of debt, to me, the undersigned, John Robinson Clarke (of the firm of Josolyne, Clarke, and Co.), of No. 28, King-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 7th day of January, 1878.

J. R. CLARKE, 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 Clemmans, of No. 5, Finsbury-square, in the county of Middlesex, and of Harlesden Green, in the same

county, Auctioneer, Charles James Marvin, of No. 4, Harrington-street, Hampstead-road, in the same county, Hotel Manager, and Henry Chorley, of No. 5, Finsbury-square aforesaid, and of Benthall-road, Stoke Newington, in the same county, Auctioneer's Clerk, formerly trading in copartnership at No. 5, Finsbury square aforesaid, as Auctioneers, Surveyors, and Estate Agents, under the style of Clemmans, Marvin, and Chorley.

JOHN FOLLAND LOVERING, of 77, Gresham-street, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

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 Anderson and Joseph Yair, of 12, Cloak-lane, in the city of London, and trading there as Anderson and Yair, Anderson, Yair, and Co., and Liebig's Liquid Extract of Beef and Tonic Wine Company, Wine and General Merchants, also trading at Holborn-circus, in the said city, under the style of the Empress Wine Stores, also trading at 55, South John-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the style of Frederick Anderson.

JAMES WADDELL, of 11, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtors must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

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 Alfred Rogers, of No. 378, Oxford-street, London, and of No. 115, Lionel-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Builders' Ironmonger and Jewellers' Factor.

THOMAS JAMES AGAR, of Ann-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 debt to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of January, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Walter William Harris and George Birrell, of and carrying on business, under the style or firm of Harris, Birrell, and Co., at Market-place, East End, Finchley, and at High-street, Highgate, and at Muswell Hill, all in the county of Middlesex, Chemists, Druggists, and Mineral Water Manufacturers.

CHARLES JAMES SINGLETON, of 8, Staple-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Public Accountant, and Herman Joseph Lescher, of 1, Princes-street, Bank, in the city of London, Public Accountant, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the debtors 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 5th day of January, 1878.

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 Jenkins, of No. 64, Hackney-road, in the county of Middlesex, Dairyman, Cowkeeper, and Assistant to a Brewery.

JOHN VALE, of 5, Hills-place, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor, in the place and stead of Henry Hyman, removed from that office. 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 8th day of January, 1878.

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 Webber, of 6, Sisters'-place, Church-street, Stoke Newington, in the county of Middlesex, Builder and Ironmonger.

HENRY WINDHAM PETTIS, of 5, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-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 4th day of January, 1878.

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 Hezekiah Marchant, of the Lees Hotel, Folkestone, in the county of Kent, Hotel Proprietor.

JOHN SHERWOOD, of Folkestone, in the county of Kent, 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 8th day of January, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Hallworth, of 60, High-street, in the city of Manchester, Agent and Small-ware Manufacturer.

JOHN UNSWORTH, of York-street, Manchester, Bankers' Clerk, and John Henry Caine, of Sharp-street, Manchester, 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 7th day of January, 1878.

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 Ferguson and Joseph Thompson, both of Peasner, Fence Houses, in the county of Durham, carrying on business together in copartnership as General Merchants, under the style or firm of Thomas Ferguson and Son.

RICHARD ORMOND, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 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 9th day of January, 1878.

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 Ferguson and Joseph Thompson, both of Peasner, Fence Houses, in the county of Durham, carrying on business together in copartnership as General Merchants, under the style or firm of Thomas Ferguson and Son.

RICHARD ORMOND, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the separate estate of Thomas Ferguson. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

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 Ferguson and Joseph Thompson, both of Peasner, Fence Houses, in the county of Durham, carrying on business together in copartnership as General Merchants, under the style or firm of Thomas Ferguson and Son.

RICHARD ORMOND, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the separate estate of Joseph Thompson. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the

debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Montrey, of Carlton Iron Works, in the county of Durham, Butcher.

GEORGE HUDSON, of Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

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 Hector McDonald, residing at Long Benton, in the county of Northumberland, and carrying on business at Grainver-street West, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and at 20, Sans-street, Birmingham, as a Merchant and Commission Agent, trading under the style or firm of Hector McDonald and Co.

JOSEPH GRÄNER, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Middlesex, holden at Edmonton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Alexander Hatton, of 56, Nevill-road, Stoke Newington, in the county of Middlesex, Cheesemonger and Poulterer.

MICHAEL BANES, of 22, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1878.

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 Herbert John Crick, of Market-place, St. Albans, in the county of Hertford, Clothier and Furniture Dealer.

WILLIAM COMBEN HARVEY, of 1, Gresham-buildings, Basinghall-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 31st day of December, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Gloucester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Joseph Hill, of Timber Hill, in the parish of Dymock, in the county of Gloucester, Farmer and Miller.

CHARLES NASH, of Newent, in the county of Gloucester, Bank Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 29th day of December, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Shropshire, holden at Shrewsbury.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Newill the younger, of Montford, in the county of Salop, Farmer.

WILLIAM HALL, of Shrewsbury, 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 7th day of January, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Shropshire, holden at Shrewsbury. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Edward Taylor, of Castle-terrace, Shrewsbury, in the county of Salop. Wholesale General Dealer.

SAMUEL HUNT, of Portland-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 7th day of January, 1878.

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 James Dummer, of Northam, in the county of Southampton, Yacht and Boat Builder.

SAMUEL JAMES SOUTHON, of Trinity-road, in the town and county of the town of Southampton, Managing Clerk, and Edwin Laphorn, of Gosport, in the county of Southampton, Sail Maker, 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 7th day of January, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Dowling, of Nos. 121 and 122, Gloster-road, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Mineral Water Manufacturer.

GEORGE LANSDALL FENNER, of No. 12, Bond-street, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of January, 1878.

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 William Robinson, of 16, Spence-lane, New Wortley, Leeds, in the county of York, Bricklayer and Builder.

ROBERT WOOD, of 26, Bond-street, Park-row, Leeds, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debt to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of January, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Cheltenham. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Wynants Parker, of Tewkesbury, in the county of Gloucester, Plumber, Glazier, Painter, and Picture Dealer.

JOHN GEORGE HORNE, of Tewkesbury, Bank Manager, and William Comben Harvey, of No. 1, Gresham-buildings, in the city of London, 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 7th day of January, 1878.

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 Samuel Ward, of No. 7, Wright-street, Bluebell-hill, and Harry's Factory, Station-street, both in the town of Nottingham, Machinist.

THOMAS LEMAN, of Pelham-street, in the town of Nottingham, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 5th day of January, 1878.

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The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Davis, of Stanton Hill, Skegby, in the county of Nottingham, Provision Dealer.

JOSEPH PRESS, of 2, Friar-lane, Nottingham, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

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 John Mark Mayfield, of the town of Nottingham, Journeyman Engraver, formerly trading as J. M. Mayfield and Co., at Broad-street, in the same town, as Printers and Engravers.

JOHN SMITH, of Severn's-yard, Middle-pavement, Nottingham, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Burnley. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Christopher Edmondson, of Colne, in the county of Lancaster, Greengrocer.

THOMAS MILNER RAILLEY, of Baldwin's-buildings, Burnley, in the said county, General 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 8th day of January, 1878.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Warrington. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Kilshall, of No. 112, Cheshire-view, Broad-street, Pendleton, and of No. 73, Bridge-street, Warrington, both in the county of Lancaster, Boot and Shoe Maker.

THOMAS MOTTERSHEAD, of No. 2, Victoria-street, in the city of Manchester, Accountant, and John Lee, of Commercial-chambers, Warrington aforesaid, Accountant, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustees. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustees.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1878.

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 Charles Kay Potter, of No. 22, Curzon-street, Oldham, and No. 7, Sandy-lane, Royton, both in the county of Lancaster, Hat and Cap Dealer.

JAMES HENRY LOWE, of No. 12, Saint Domingo-street, Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Chesterfield. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Richard Woodward, of North Wingfield, in the county of Derby, Licensed Victualler, Colliery Proprietor, and Farmer.

JULIAN, NATHAN JEPHSON, of Chesterfield, in the county of Derby, 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 7th day of January, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A DIVIDEND is intended to be declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Thomas Henry Lovegrove, of the Railway Hotel, New Southgate, and of the Green Man Tavern, South-row, Covent Garden Market, both in the county of Middlesex. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 25th day of January, 1878, will be excluded.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

JOHN VALE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston. To John Scott, of Clifton House, Clifton, in the county of Lancaster, Farmer.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Petition has been presented against you to this Court, by Thomas Tomlinson, of Preston aforesaid, Corn Merchant, and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette shall be deemed to be service of the petition upon you; and further take notice, that the said petition will be heard at this Court on the 28th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, on which day you are required to appear, and if you do not appear the Court may adjudge you bankrupt in your absence. The petition can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Thomas Borrass, of 13 and 14, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 12th day of January, 1877.

A SPECIAL General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named bankrupt is hereby summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Louis Barnett, 6, Palmerston-buildings, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustee of a composition offered by the bankrupt of two shillings in the pound, and for the annulling thereafter of the order of adjudication made against the said bankrupt, or to grant to the bankrupt his order of discharge, and to fix a date for the closing of the bankruptcy, and to release the Trustee.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

LOUIS BARNETT, 6, Palmerston-buildings, Old Broad-street, E.C., Solicitor for Robert Walton Feast, the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of William Francis, of No. 6, Whitechapel, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer and Tea Dealer, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 16th day of February, 1876.

A MEETING of the Creditors of the above-named William Francis will be held at the offices of Messrs. May, Sykes, and Batten, 2, Adelaide-place, London Bridge in the city of London, on Monday, the 21st day of January instant, at three o'clock, to consider the bankrupt's intended application to the Court for his discharge, and to consider whether or not the failure to pay 10s. in the pound has arisen from circumstances for which the said William Francis cannot justly be held responsible, and whether or not such order of discharge should be granted to him.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1878.

B. B. SMITH, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon.

In the Matter of William James Huldige and Thomas Smallridge, of Portland-road, and also of High-street, South Norwood, in the county of Surrey, carrying on business as Copartners as Builders, Contractors, and Decorators, adjudicated Bankrupts on the 5th day of January, 1877.

TAKE notice, that an application will be made, before the Registrar at the above-named Court, holden in the Townhall, Croydon aforesaid, on Monday, the 21st day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for an order closing this bankruptcy. And further take notice, that at the aforesaid time and place, the bankrupts will make an application to the Court for their discharge.—Dated this 2nd day of January, 1878.

J. R. CLARKE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff. In the Matter of George William Penn and John Gardiner Penn, of 26, Butte-street, Cardiff, Merchants, adjudicated Bankrupts on the 26th day of May, 1877.

A SPECIAL General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named bankrupts will be held at the offices of Messrs. W. H. Williams and Co., of Albert-chambers,

High-street, Cardiff, Public Accountants, on Monday, the 21st day of January, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of passing the Trustee's accounts, which will then be submitted to the meeting; of determining and voting the remuneration to be allowed and paid to the Trustee; and of declaring a First and Final Dividend.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

GEORGE BARTON DYER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Middlesex, holden at Brentford. In the Matter of John Jefferies, of No. 1, Essex-road, Shalimar, Acton, in the county of Middlesex, Builder, adjudicated Bankrupt on the 12th day of October, 1872.

TAKE notice, that a Meeting of the Creditors in the above bankruptcy will be held at the office of Messrs. Hart Brothers, Tibbetts, and Co., No. 14, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, on Monday, the 21st day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon, to consider an application to be made by Mr. Edward Hart, the Trustee, to the County Court of Middlesex, holden at Brentford, on Wednesday, the 20th day of January, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for an order for his release as such Trustee, in pursuance of section 51 of the Bankruptcy Act, 1869, an order having been made closing the bankruptcy.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

EDWD. HART, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In Bankruptcy.

In the Matter of Oliver Alfred Seagood and Henry Willis Smith, of Wellington-road, Holloway, in the county of Middlesex, Builders and Contractors, adjudicated Bankrupts on the 20th September, 1860.

WHEREAS at a Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named bankrupts held at the London Bankruptcy Court, on the 19th day of December, 1877, in pursuance of the provisions of the 230th section of the Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849, it was resolved by the requisite majority of the creditors then assembled, as follows:—That the offer of composition made to us by the said bankrupts, and which composition is as follows:—“That the bankrupts do pay into Court such a sum of money as shall, with the moneys already in Court to the credit of this estate (after payment of all costs, charges, and expenses), enable a distribution or dividend of ten shillings in the pound to be paid as well to all the creditors of the said Oliver Alfred Seagood and Henry Willis Smith, as to all the creditors of the private estate of the said Oliver Alfred Seagood, and that thereupon the bankruptcy be annulled,” be accepted. Notice is hereby given, that the Court has appointed a Second General Meeting of the Creditors of the said bankrupts to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 6th day of February, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of accepting such composition, and confirming the above resolution.—Dated this 11th day of January, 1878.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FIRST and Final Dividend of 3d in the pound has been declared in the matter of Alfred Zawadzki, of 82A, Essex-road, Islington, and 29, Camden-road, Camden Town, in the county of Middlesex, American Organ Manufacturer, trading under the style or firm of A. Zawadzki and Co., adjudicated bankrupt on the 10th day of September, 1875, and will be paid by me, at the offices of James and Edwards, No. 110, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on and after the 14th day of January, 1878.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

A. A. JAMES, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FOURTH Dividend of 6d. in the pound, making with the previous Dividends declared, 20s. in the pound, has been declared in the matter of Edmund Farthing, of 163, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, Tailor, adjudicated bankrupt on the 5th day of October, 1876, and will be paid by me, at my offices, No. 77, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on and after the 14th day of January, 1878.—Dated this 8th day of January, 1878.

JNO. F. LOVERING, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A FIRST Dividend of 1s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of John Edward Cooke, of 19, Change alley, Cornhill, in the city of London, and of 24, Curzon street, Mayfair, in the county of Middlesex, Stock and Share Broker, adjudicated bankrupt on the 23rd day of June, 1876, and will be paid by me, at my offices, No. 14, Old Jewry-chambers, in the city of London, on and after the 14th day of January, 1878, or any subsequent Monday, between the hours of eleven and two.—Dated this 10th day of January, 1878.

JOS. J. SAFFERY, Trustee.

In the County Court of Pembrokeshire, holden at Narberth.
A FIRST Dividend of 16s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of John Hitchings, formerly of No. 3, Monkstone-view, Saundersfoot, in the county of Pembrokeshire, but now of Pentlepoir, in the parish of Saint Isidore, in the said county, late Surveyor of Taxes, but now of no occupation, adjudicated bankrupt on the 30th day of October, 1869, and will be paid by me, at the County Court Office, Narberth, on and after the 12th day of January, 1878, between the hours of ten and four o'clock.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

WM. HERBERT OWEN, Official Assignee.

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

A DIVIDEND of 5s 10d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Thomas Herbert Devereux, of Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, Outfitter, adjudicated bankrupt on the 6th day of September, 1870, and will be paid by me, at the office of Mr. John Trotter, of Bank Chambers, Stockton aforesaid, Solicitor, on and after the 18th day of January, 1878.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

CHARLES LACEY ROGERS, Trustee.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Wandsworth.

A FINAL Dividend of 9d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of William John Greenland, of 15, the Pavement, Clapham-common, in the county of Surrey, Poulterer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 12th day of October, 1875, and will be paid by me, at No. 15, Skinner's-place, Leadenhall-market, in the city of London, on and after the 31st day of December, 1877.—Dated this 28th day of December, 1877.

EDWARD DAVIS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Andrew Quicke, formerly of the Grange, Weston, near Bath, in the county of Somerset, Gentleman, but now residing at the Hotel du Pavillon de Rohan, Rue de Rivoli, Paris, in the Republic of France.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Andrew Quicke having been given, it is ordered that the said Andrew Quicke be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 8th day of January, 1878.

By the Court,

Wm. Hazlitt, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Andrew Quicke is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 6th day of February, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to William Hazlitt, Esq., one of the Registrars at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Thomas Henry Lyon, of 90, Princess-road, Edgbaston, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Builder and Contractor.

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 Thomas Henry Lyon having been given, it is ordered that the said Thomas Henry Lyon be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 5th day of January, 1878.

By the Court,

John Cole, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Thomas Henry Lyon is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, on the 24th day of January, 1878, 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 Cumberland, holden at Carlisle.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Potter the elder, of Brackenbank, near L. 2. 2. in the county of Cumberland, Farmer.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said William Potter the elder having been given, it is ordered that the said William Potter the elder be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 9th day of January, 1878.

By the Court,

H. J. Halton, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Potter the elder is hereby summoned to be held at the Court-house, in Carlisle, on the 24th day of January, 1878, 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 Cumberland, holden at Whitehaven. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Jackson, of Side, in the township of Kinniside, in the county of Cumberland, Farmer.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said William Jackson having been given, it is ordered that the said William Jackson be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 7th day of January, 1878.

By the Court,

A. B. Ware, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Jackson is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, situate at Sandhill's-lane, Whitehaven, on the 23rd day of January, 1878, 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 Norfolk, holden at Norwich.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Stephen Smith, of Rackheath, in the county of Norfolk, Farmer.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Stephen Smith having been given, it is ordered that the said Stephen Smith be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 4th day of January, 1878.

By the Court,

Geo. Fred. Cooke, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Stephen Smith is hereby summoned to be held at the Registrar's Office, No. 28, Castle-meadow, Norwich, on the 25th day of January, 1878, 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 Somersetshire, holden at Bridgewater.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against O Henry Ritson, of Highbridge, in the county of Somerset.

UPON the hearing of this Petition on the 22nd day of December, 1877, and this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said O Henry Ritson having been given, it is ordered that the said O Henry Ritson be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 5th day of January, 1878.

By the Court,

Henry Lovibond, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said O Henry Ritson is hereby summoned to be held at

the County Court Offices, Bridgwater aforesaid, on the 26th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against George Pesco Welford, of Stanwick, in the county of Northampton, Miller and Corn Dealer.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said George Pesco Welford having been given, it is ordered that the said George Pesco Welford be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 9th day of January, 1878.

By the Court,

William Dennis, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said George Pesco Welford is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court Office, Northampton, on the 26th day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Longcake, of Lower Mavey-street, Northwood, Hanley, in the county of Stafford, Builder.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said William Longcake having been given, it is ordered that the said William Longcake be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 9th day of January, 1878.

By the Court,

Alfred Tennant, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Longcake is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court Offices, Chapside, Hanley, on the 24th day of January, 1878, 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 Kingston-upon-Hull.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Joseph Graves, of Hollym, in the East Riding of the county of York, Farmer.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Joseph Graves having been given, it is ordered that the said Joseph Graves be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 7th day of January, 1878.

By the Court,

A. K. Rollit, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Joseph Graves is hereby summoned to be held at the Court-house, Townhall, Hull, on the 22nd day of January, 1878, 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 Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against James Williamson the younger, of Newport, near Brough, in the county of York, Brickmaker.

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 Williamson the younger having been given, it is ordered that the said James Williamson the younger be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 8th day of January, 1878.

By the Court,

Albert K. Rollit, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said James Williamson the younger is hereby summoned to be held at the Court-house, Townhall, Hull, on the 22nd day of January, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

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

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Thomas Lees, of 26 and 27, Henrietta-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and of Florence Villa, Livingstone-road, Birchfields, in the county of Stafford, Weighing Machine and Steelyard Manufacturer, a Bankrupt.

Alfred Barnard, of Burlington-chambers, New-street, Birmingham, and Thomas James Agar, of Ann-street, Birmingham, Public Accountants, have been appointed Trustees of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house, Waterlon-street, Birmingham, on the 15th day of February, 1878, 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 trustees, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustees. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustees.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Luton. In the Matter of Frederick Day Latham, of Dunstable, in the county of Bedford, late Coal Merchant, but now out of business, a Bankrupt.

Albert Gutteridge, of Dunstable, in the county of Bedford, Solicitor's Clerk, 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, Stuart-street, Luton, on the 24th day of January, 1878, 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 8th day of January, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Huddersfield. In the Matter of George Ingham, of Huddersfield, in the county of York, Tea Merchant, a Bankrupt.

Thomas Sutton, of No. 2, Cooper-street, in the city of Manchester, 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 County Court-house, situate in Queen-street, in Huddersfield, in the county of York, on the 4th day of February, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debt to the trustee.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Harry Boobyer Harrison, of No. 2, Saint Paul's-road, Lorrimer-square, Walworth, in the county of Surrey, adjudicated a Bankrupt, 5th October, 1871.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named bankrupt will be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county

of Middlesex, before the Honourable W. C. Spring-Rice, one of the Registrars of the said Court, on the 29th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for the purpose of considering the present position of the bankruptcy, and for the purpose of choosing a Trustee in the place of Thomas Henry Wintle, deceased.—Dated this 10th day of January, 1878.

JAMES RIGG BROUGHAM, Esq., one of the Registrars of the Court of Bankruptcy, in London, authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the said Court on the 16th day of January, 1862, against James Lee Flood, of No. 3, Saint Loyes, Bedford, in the county of Bedford, Currier and Leather Seller, his wife carrying on business as a Dressmaker at No. 3, Saint Loyes aforesaid, will sit on the 25th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the London Court of Bankruptcy, in order to proceed to a new choice of an Assignee or Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt under the said petition, in the place and stead of Ebenezer Ball Brown, deceased, when and where the creditors who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, and with those who have already proved to vote in such choice.

JAMES RIGG BROUGHAM, Esq., one of the Registrars of the Court of Bankruptcy, in London, authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the said Court on the 18th day of May, 1863, against John Hunt, late of 36, Danvers-street, Chelsea, in the county of Middlesex, of no business or occupation, will sit on the 29th day of January, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the London Court of Bankruptcy, in order to proceed to a new choice of an Assignee or Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said petition, in the place and stead of John Lowndes, deceased; when and where the creditors who have not already proved their debts are to come prepared to prove the same, and with those who have already proved to vote in such choice.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

On the 7th day of February, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, John Samuel Pond, of No. 21, Baxter-gate, Doncaster, in the county of York, Hair Dresser, Perfumer, and Dealer in Toys, adjudicated bankrupt on the 22nd day of June, 1876, will apply for an Order of Discharge.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of William Henry Emden, of 52, Newgate-street, in the city of London, Picture Frame Manufacturer and Dealer in Pictures, adjudicated bankrupt on the 29th day of June, 1877. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 25th day of January, 1878, will be excluded.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

W. T. Ogden, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of John Cecum Pasmore, of No. 195, Kentish Town-road, in the county of Middlesex, Hosiery, adjudicated bankrupt on the 22nd day of October, 1877. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 31st day of January, 1878, will be excluded.—Dated this 9th day of January, 1878.

J. D. Vincey, Trustee.

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of George William Penn and John Gardner, Penn, of 126, Bute-street, Cardiff, Merchants, adjudicated bankrupts on the 26th day of May, 1877. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 21st day of January, 1878, will be excluded.—Dated this 7th day of January, 1878.

George Barton Dyer, Trustee.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Edward Owens, of Mersey View, Brighton-le-Sands, in the county of Lancaster, Builder, a Bankrupt.

An Order of Discharge was this day granted to Edward Owens, of Mersey View, Brighton-le Sands, in the county of Lancaster, Builder, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 4th day of May, 1874.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1877.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of an adjudication of Bankruptcy, made on the 23rd day of June, 1869, against Joseph Samuel Fowler Ball, of Oakham, in the county of Rutland, Brewer and Cooper, and previously to the 1st day of March, 1869,

carrying on business in partnership with Joseph Ball, of Oakham aforesaid, as Brewers and Coopers, under the style or firm of Ball and Son, did, on the 13th day of October, 1869, 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 John Cochran, of No. 34, London-wall, in the city of London, Gas and Water Engineer, a Bankrupt. Before Mr. Registrar W. Spring-Rice, sitting as Chief Judge.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 22nd day of September, 1877, reporting that so much of the property of the bankrupt as, according to the joint opinion of the Trustee and Committee of Inspection, can be realized, without needlessly protracting the bankruptcy, has been so realized, and a dividend to the amount of one shilling in the pound has been paid to the creditors, and upon hearing the Trustee and reading the report of the Official Assignee, dated the 13th day of December, 1877, and no creditors appearing, the Court being satisfied that so much of the property of the bankrupt as can be realized, without needlessly protracting the bankruptcy, has been so realized, and a dividend to the amount of one shilling in the pound has been paid to the creditors, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said John Cochran has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 20th day of December, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of Robert Pyne, of Stapleton-road, in the city of Bristol, Baker and Confectioner, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 5th day of January, 1878, reporting that the whole of the property of the above-named bankrupt had been realized for the benefit of his creditors, as shown by a certain statement thereunto annexed, and the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the above-named bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Robert Pyne has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 8th day of January, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon. In the Matter of Matthew Napper, of Dorking, in the county of Surrey, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 15th day of December, 1877, reporting that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and a dividend of fifteen shillings in the pound has been paid, pursuant to a resolution of the creditors at a meeting held on the 23rd of November, 1870, in full discharge of their debts, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property of the bankrupt has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and a dividend of fifteen shillings in the pound paid therein, pursuant to the said resolution, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Matthew Napper has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 7th day of January, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Edward James Barry, formerly of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Cashier and Ship Owner, and now of Millbank Prison, in the county of Middlesex, a Convict, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 6th day of December, 1877, reporting that 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, and a dividend of one penny and nine-tenths in the pound had been paid, the Court being satisfied thereof, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Edward James Barry has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 21st day of December, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of George Wood, of No. 4, Tulketh-street, Southport, in the county of Lancaster, Eating-house Keeper, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 6th day of December, 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, the

Court being satisfied thereof, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said George Wood has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 21st day of December, 1877.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Joseph Watkin Walmsley (trading alone under the firm of Thomas Walmsley and Company), of 1A, Union-court, Castle-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Stationer, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 12th day of December, 1877, reporting that so much of the property of the bankrupt as can, 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 ten shillings and seven pence half-penny have been paid, the Court being satisfied thereof, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Joseph Watkin Walmsley has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 4th day of January, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Huddersfield. In the Matter of Henry Crosland, of Netheroyd Hill, in the parish of Huddersfield, in the county of York, Stone Merchant and Farmer, formerly carrying on business in copartnership with Thomas Dyson, of Lindley, in Huddersfield aforesaid, Stone Merchant, under the style or firm of Crosland and Dyson, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustee of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 8th day of January, 1878, reporting that the whole of the property has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and after paying a dividend to the amount of ten pence in the pound together with all costs, there still remains a balance of twenty-six pounds thirteen shillings and eight pence, as shown by the statement hereunto annexed, which will be paid into the Bank of England, on receipt of order from the Comptroller, the Court being satisfied that the whole of the property has been realized for the benefit of his creditors, and after paying a dividend to the amount of ten pence in the pound, together with all costs, there still remains a balance of twenty-six pounds thirteen shillings and eight pence, to be paid into the Bank of England, on receipt of order from the Comptroller, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said Henry Crosland has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 9th day of January, 1878.

THE estates of William Wilson, residing at Winnoch-place, Saint James-street, Glasgow, and carrying on business as an Engineer and Edge Tool Maker, in Dale-street, Tradeston, Glasgow, under the social or company name of William Wilson and Company, of which he is sole Partner, were sequestrated on the 7th day of January, 1878, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 24th day of December, 1877.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Tuesday, the 15th day of January, 1878, 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 7th day of May, 1878.

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

MARTIN MACKAY, Agent,

89, West Regent-street, Glasgow.

7th January, 1878.

THE estates of Hutchison and Mathieson, Joiners, in Glasgow, and of John Paterson Hutchison and Andrew Mathieson, both Joiners, in Glasgow, the individual Partners of that Company, as such Partners, and as Individuals, were sequestrated by the Sheriff of the county of Lanark, on the 4th day of January, 1878.

The first deliverance is dated the 4th day of January, 1878.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held on Thursday, the 17th day of January, 1878, at twelve o'clock, noon, 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 4th day of May, 1878.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupts until the said meeting.

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

ROBERTSON and ROSS, Writers, Glasgow, Agents.

THE estates of David M'Laren, Grocer, Ingram-street, and Dunrobin-place, Paisley-road, Glasgow, were sequestrated on 5th January, 1878, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated 5th January, 1878.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Thursday, 17th January, 1878, 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 5th May, 1878.

The sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of Lanarkshire; and a Warrant of Protection granted to the bankrupt until the meeting for election of Trustee.

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JOHN GILL, S.S.C., 2, Heriot-row, Edinburgh, Agent.

THE estates of John Mackenzie, Merchant, Lakefield, in the united parish of Urquhart and Glenmoriston, and county of Inverness, were sequestrated on the 7th day of January, 1878, by the Sheriff of the county of Inverness.

The first deliverance is dated 7th January, 1878.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Tuesday, the 22nd day of January, 1878, within the Faculty-hall, Castle, Inverness.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 7th day of May, 1878.

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.

INNES and MACKAY, Solicitors, Inverness, Agents.

THE estates of the deceased, Lauchlan MacPherson, Ship and Insurance Broker, Waterloo-street, Glasgow, were sequestrated on 8th January, 1878, by the Sheriff of the county of Lanark.

The first deliverance is dated the 8th January, 1878.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, on Friday, the 18th day of January, 1878, within the Faculty of Procurators' Hall, Saint George's-place, Glasgow.

To entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 8th day of May, 1878.

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SCOTT, SMEATON, and LAW, 156, St. Vincent-street, Glasgow, Agents for Petitioner.

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