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FRIDAY, APRIL 19, 1878.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,  
March 12, 1878.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty's Birthday will be kept on Saturday, the 25th of May next.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,  
April 2, 1878.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that The Queen will hold Drawing Rooms at Buckingham Palace, on Tuesday, the 7th, and on Thursday, the 9th of May next, at three o'clock.

## REGULATIONS

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

*By Her Majesty's Command,*

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

## PRESENTATIONS.

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

It is particularly requested that in every case the name be *very distinctly written* upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in

order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to The Queen.

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

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

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

HERTFORD,  
Lord Chamberlain.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,  
April 2, 1878.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Friday, the 17th of May next, at two o'clock.

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

## REGULATIONS

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

*By Her Majesty's Command,*

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

## PRESENTATIONS.

Any Nobleman or Gentleman who proposes to be presented, must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, *before twelve o'clock*, two clear days before the Levee, a card with his name written thereon, and with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman by whom he is to be presented. In order to carry out the existing

regulations that no presentation can be made at a Levee excepting by a person actually attending that Levee, it is also necessary that an intimation from the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to make the presentation, of his intention to be present, should accompany the presentation card above referred to, which will be submitted to The Queen for Her Majesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's command that no presentations should be made at the Levee, except in accordance with the above regulations.

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

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

HERTFORD,  
Lord Chamberlain.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, April 17, 1878.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be closed on and after Wednesday next, the 24th instant, until further orders.

By the QUEEN.

#### A PROCLAMATION.

VICTORIA, R.

**W**HEREAS, by the Customs Consolidation Act, 1876, section 138, certain goods may, by Proclamation or Order of Her Majesty in Council, be prohibited either to be exported or carried coastwise: And whereas, We, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, deem it expedient and necessary to prohibit the goods hereinafter mentioned either to be exported or carried coastwise:

We, by and with the advice aforesaid, do hereby order and direct that from and after the date hereof, torpedoes, torpedo boats, boats fitted with apparatus to be used for torpedoes, all apparatus for projecting inflammable materials or firing torpedoes, and the following articles, being articles which We have judged capable of being converted into, or made useful in increasing the quantity of, military or naval stores, that is to say, pumps or other machinery intended to be used for projecting inflammable materials, machinery intended to be used in the construction of torpedoes or torpedo boats, shall be, and the same are hereby, prohibited either to be exported from the United Kingdom or carried coastwise.

Given at Our Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, this eighteenth day of *April*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and in the forty-first year of Our Reign.

GOD save the QUEEN.

*Council Office, Whitehall, April 19, 1878.*

HER Majesty has been pleased by Her Order in Council of the 18th April instant, to grant to Robert Francis Fairlie, of Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, Engineer, and to the Railway Working Association Limited, a prolongation for the term of seven years of certain

Letters Patent for the invention of "improvements in locomotive engines and boilers," such Letters Patent having been originally granted to the said Robert Francis Fairlie, and bearing date the 12th day of May, 1864, for the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, the Channel Islands, and the Isle of Man.

*Westminster, April 16, 1878.*

THIS day the Lords being met a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for punishing Mutiny and Desertion and for the better payment of the Army and their Quarters.

An Act for the regulation of Her Majesty's Royal Marine Forces while on shore.

An Act for the prevention of Accidents by Threshing Machines.

Bills of Exchange Act, 1878.

Local Government Boards' Provisional Orders Confirmation (Bristol, &c.) Act, 1878.

Hartlepool Gas and Water Act, 1878.

Brading Harbour District Gas Act, 1878.

Deal Water Act, 1878.

Serle-street and Cook's-court Improvement Act, 1878.

Swindon, Marlborough, and Andover Railway Act, 1878.

Sevenoaks Waterworks Act, 1878.

Bala and Festiniog Railway Act, 1878.

Dublin Corporation Waterworks Acts Amendment Act, 1878.

Imperial Continental Gas Association Act, 1878.

Farnworth and Kearsley Gas Act, 1878.

Exeter Chapel of St. John's Hospital Act, 1878.

Newent Railway Act, 1878.

Ross and Ledbury Railway Act, 1878.

London and Saint Katherine Docks Act, 1878.

Legal and General Life Assurance Society's Act, 1878.

Charnwood Forest Railway Act, 1878.

Somerset and Dorset Railway (Nettlebridge Branch Railway Abandonment) Act, 1868.

Torquay Gas Act, 1878.

Batley Corporation Waterworks Act, 1878.

Isle of Wight (Newport Junction) Railway Act, 1878.

Saint James's Gate Brewery (Dublin) Tramways Act, 1878.

Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railway Act, 1878.

West Lancashire Railway (Steam Vessels) Act, 1878.

Wiggenhall Saint Mary Magdalen Drainage Act, 1878.

Cannock Chase Railway (Extension) Amendment Act, 1878.

Shrewsbury Gas Act, 1878.

Cleveland Mineral Railway Act, 1878.

East Norfolk Railway Act, 1878.

*Admiralty, 18th April, 1878.*

The following promotions have been made :—

Sub-Lieutenant William Stokes Rees to be Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 28th October, 1877.

## Sub-Lieutenants :

Charles Sinclair Elliot,  
Francis Edmund Groube,  
John Denison,  
Willingham Franklin,  
Edward Lewis Lang,  
George Harry Miller,  
Henry Edward Rooper,  
Edward Powell Smythies,  
Alfred Reginald Arthur Stock,  
William Ainger,  
William Harry Waddington Grove,  
Henry Savile,  
Thomas Wandesford Woodhead,  
Arthur John Horsley,  
Gerald Lycidas King Harman,  
Louis Frederick Cyril Jackson,  
Griffith Grismond Philipps (Acting),  
Henry Jocelyn Davison,  
Alan Bruce Leslie,  
Montagu Richard Hayes,  
Thomas Young Greet,  
Robert Nelson Ommanney,  
Algernon Horatio Anson,  
Arthur Henry Loring,  
Alexander Meldrum,  
George Charles Frederick,  
Edward John Hill,  
Herbert Augustus Warren,  
Edward Pardoe Powell,

to be Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 16th April, 1878.

*War Office, Pall Mall,  
18th April, 1878.*

11th Hussars, Major Albert Peel Garnett to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel A. L. Annesley, placed on half-pay. Dated 3rd April, 1878.

Captain and Brevet Major Walter Balfe to be Major, vice A. P. Garnett. Dated 3rd April, 1878.

Lieutenant Charles Verelst Verelst to be Captain, vice Brevet Major W. Balfe. Dated 3rd April, 1878.

Scots Guards, Lieutenant and Captain William Edward Montgomery to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, vice the Honourable P. S. Methuen, seconded for service as a Military Attaché. Dated 2nd April, 1878.

3rd Foot, Captain Frederick Taylor Hobson to be Major, vice F. Eteson, seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 10th March, 1878.

Lieutenant Arthur Charles Jackson to be Captain, vice F. T. Hobson. Dated 10th March, 1878.

6th Foot, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel James N. Colthurst to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel T. L. Bell, placed on half-pay. Dated 3rd April, 1878.

Brevet Major Spencer Field, from Supernumerary Captain, to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel J. N. Colthurst. Dated 3rd April, 1878.

Captain Herbert Burrows Adcock retires on a pension. Dated 20th April, 1878.

Lieutenant Morey Quayle Jones to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant J. Lewis, who resigns that appointment. Dated 20th April, 1878.

11th Foot, Captain William Picton Mortimer retires on a pension. Dated 20th April, 1878.

12th Foot, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George Fuller Walker to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel E. Foster, placed on half-pay. Dated 3rd April, 1878.

Captain and Brevet Major William Cooke O'Shaughnessy to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel G. F. Walker. Dated 3rd April, 1878.

Lieutenant Charles Hely to be Captain, vice Brevet Major W. C. O'Shaughnessy. Dated 3rd April, 1878.

Lieutenant Claude Kennedy to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant C. Hely. Dated 3rd April, 1878.

18th Foot, Lieutenant George Murray Hicks resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1878.

20th Foot, Major Robert Blount retires on half-pay. Dated 20th April, 1878.

22nd Foot, Lieutenant John Deering to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant A. Brett, promoted half-pay Captain. Dated 19th December, 1877.

25th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Hickman Mulcahy to be Captain, vice H. G. Collis, seconded for service as an Adjutant of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 22nd March, 1878.

The resignation of his appointment as Adjutant of Lieutenant E. W. W. Dering is antedated to the 8th January, 1878.

Lieutenant Alfred George Streatfield Beadnell to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant E. W. W. Dering. Dated 8th January, 1878.

30th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Kemble to be Captain, vice T. R. Burns, deceased. Dated 29th March, 1878.

31st Foot, Captain Francis Edward Eccles retires on a pension. Dated 20th April, 1878.

36th Foot, Lieutenant John Lewis Rose to be Captain, vice F. Rance, retired on full-pay. Dated 3rd April, 1878.

39th Foot, Lieutenant Caledon Philip Egerton is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 2nd April, 1878.

56th Foot, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Charles Hill to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel G. F. Berry, placed on half pay. Dated 3rd April, 1878.

Captain John William Huskisson, from Supernumerary Captain, to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel F. C. Hill. Dated 3rd April, 1878.

60th Foot, Lieutenant Humphrey David Parry Okeden is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 2nd March, 1878.

Lieutenant Arthur George Addey Martin retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigny. Dated 20th April, 1878.

Quartermaster-Sergeant James Ireland to be Quartermaster, vice W. FitzHenry, retired on half-pay. Dated 20th April, 1878.

61st Foot, Lieutenant Walter Croker St. Ives Partridge, from the 108th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice C. E. Whalley, who exchanges. Dated 20th April, 1878.

64th Foot, Captain James Landon Watt to be Major, vice G. H. J. Haldane, retired on a pension. Dated 6th April, 1878.

Lieutenant Edmund William Adderley to be Captain, vice J. L. Watt. Dated 6th April, 1878.

69th Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel James Smyth retires on full-pay. Dated 20th April, 1878.

*71st Foot*, Captain Alfred Chamberlain Addison retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1878.

*74th Foot*, Major and Brevet-Colonel John Jago to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel W. K. M'Leod, retired on half-pay. Dated 3rd April, 1878.

Captain and Brevet Major Robert Elphinstone Deare to be Major, vice Brevet Colonel J. Jago. Dated 3rd April, 1878.

Lieutenant Henry Boughey to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major R. E. Deare. Dated 3rd April, 1878.

*79th Foot*, Sergeant-Major William Howard to be Quartermaster, vice W. Simpson, retired on half-pay. Dated 20th April, 1878.

*95th Foot*, Major Archbold M. Rawlins retires on a pension, Dated 20th April, 1878.

Lieutenant Francis Edward Trower to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Tower appointed a Lieutenant Instructor at the School of Musketry. Dated 15th March, 1878.

*100th Foot*, Lieutenant John Roberts Atkin to be Captain, vice Brevet Major J. B. Kersteman, seconded for service as an Adjutant of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 22nd March, 1878.

*108th Foot*, Lieutenant Charles Edward Whalley, from the 61st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice W. C. St. I. Partridge, who exchanges. Dated 20th April, 1878.

Paymaster Joshua James Bowness resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1878.

*Rifle Brigade*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Martin Dillon, C.B., C.S.I., retires on half-pay. Dated 20th April, 1878.

Lieutenant John George Barry, Lord Clanmorris resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon-Major Hugh Deane Massy retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 21st March, 1878.

Surgeon-Major John Atkinson retires on half-pay. Dated 24th March, 1878.

Surgeon-Major Robert Spence, M.D., retires on half-pay. Dated 24th March, 1878.

Surgeon-Major Andrew Robertson Smith, half-pay, resigns his Commission. Dated 1st March, 1878.

Surgeon Thomas Kearney resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### HALF-PAY.

The promotion of the undermentioned Officers to the rank of Major is cancelled:—

Captain and Brevet Colonel William John Dorehill, from half-pay, late 43rd Foot, Staff Officer of Pensioners, notified in the Gazette of the 23rd November, 1877, and antedated in the Gazette of the 28th December, 1877.

Captain and Brevet Colonel James Cockburn, from half-pay, Unattached, Staff Officer of Pensioners, notified in the Gazette of the 23rd November, 1877.

Captain and Brevet Colonel Adolphus Frederick Bond, from half-pay, Royal Staff Corps, Staff Officer of Pensioners, notified in the Gazette of 23rd November, 1877.

Captain and Brevet Colonel William Lacy, from half-pay, Unattached, Staff Officer of Pensioners, notified in the Gazette of 7th December, 1877.

Captain and Brevet Colonel James Baillie, from half-pay, Unattached, Staff Officer of Pensioners, notified in the Gazette of 7th December, 1877.

#### RETIRED FULL-PAY.

The retirement on full-pay of the undermentioned Officers is cancelled:—

Major and Brevet Colonel William John Dorehill, half-pay, late Staff Officer of Pensioners, notified in the Gazette of the 23rd November, 1877, and antedated in the Gazette of the 28th December, 1877.

Major and Brevet Colonel William Lacy, half-pay, late Staff Officer of Pensioners, notified in the Gazette of the 7th December, 1877.

Major and Brevet Colonel James Baillie, half-pay, late Staff Officer of Pensioners, notified in the Gazette of the 7th December, 1877.

#### BREVET.

Major-General Sir Garnet Joseph Wolseley, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., to be Lieutenant-General, in consequence of the death, on 24th March, 1878, of Lieutenant-General Henry George Hart. Dated 25th March, 1878.

The honorary rank of Major-General which was conferred on Major and Brevet Colonel William John Dorehill, half-pay, late Staff Officer of Pensioners, upon his retirement on full-pay, in the Gazette of 23rd November, 1877, and antedated in Gazette of 28th December, 1877, is cancelled.

The rank of Major-General, dated 28th June, 1868, which was conferred on Major and Brevet Colonel James Cockburn, half-pay, late Staff Officer of Pensioners, in the Gazette of the 23rd November, 1877, is cancelled.

The rank of Major-General, dated 28th June, 1868, which was conferred on Major and Brevet Colonel Adolphus Frederick Bond, half-pay, late Staff Officer of Pensioners, in the Gazette of the 23rd November, 1877, is cancelled.

The honorary rank of Major-General which was conferred on Major and Brevet Colonel William Lacy, half-pay, late Staff Officer of Pensioners, upon his retirement on full-pay, in the Gazette of the 7th December, 1877, is cancelled.

The honorary rank of Major-General conferred on Major and Brevet Colonel James Baillie, half-pay, late Staff Officer of Pensioners, upon his retirement on full-pay, in the Gazette of the 7th December, 1877, is cancelled.

Second Commandant and Brevet Colonel John William Alexander Kennedy, Royal Marine Light Infantry, to have the honorary rank of Major-General on retirement. Dated 20th April, 1878.

Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel George Hay Moncrieff, Scots Guards, to be Colonel. Dated 26th March, 1878.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Smyth, 69th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Colonel upon retiring on full-pay. Dated 20th April, 1878.

Major Archbold M. Rawlins, 95th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel upon retiring on a pension. Dated 20th April, 1878.

Captain Herbert Burrows Adcock, 6th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major upon retiring on a pension. Dated 20th April, 1878.

Captain William Picton Mortimer, 11th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major upon retiring on a pension. Dated 20th April, 1878.

Captain Francis Edward Eccles, 31st Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major upon retiring on a pension. Dated 20th April, 1878.

The undermentioned Officers to have the honorary rank of Major-General upon retiring on a pension:—

Captain and Brevet Colonel William John Dorehill, half-pay, late 43rd Foot, Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 1st October, 1877.

Captain and Brevet Colonel James Cockburn, half-pay, Unattached, Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 1st November, 1877.  
 Captain and Brevet Colonel Adolphus Frederick Bond, half-pay, Royal Staff Corps, Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 1st November, 1877.  
 Captain and Brevet Colonel William Lacy, half-pay, Unattached, Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 1st November, 1877.  
 Captain and Brevet Colonel James Baillie, half-pay, Unattached, Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 1st November, 1877.  
 Captain and Brevet Colonel George Butler Stoney, half-pay, 20th Foot, Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 1st April, 1878.

The following promotions to take place in succession to General Charles Philip Ainslie, Colonel 1st Dragoons, placed upon the Retired List on 18th March, 1878, under the provisions of Article 137 of the Royal Warrant of 13th August, 1877 :—

Lieutenant-General David Elliot Mackirdy, Colonel of the 69th Foot, to be General. Dated 18th March, 1878.  
 Major-General Edmund Augustus Whitmore, C.B., to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 18th March, 1878.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 19th March, 1878, of General Sir W. O'Grady Haly, K.C.B., Colonel of the 47th Foot :—

Lieutenant-General John Studholme Brownrigg, C.B., Colonel of the 95th Foot, to be General. Dated 20th March, 1878.  
 Major-General Lord Alexander George Russell, C.B., to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 20th March, 1878.

The undermentioned Officers of the Army Pay Department are granted honorary rank as follows, in accordance with the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 22nd October, 1877 :—

*Staff Paymasters to have the honorary rank of Major, from 1st April, 1878 :—*

James Knight Gould.  
 Theodore Ernest McClintock.  
 William Clare Ball.  
 W. R. Jenney.  
 William Swarabrick Thorpe.  
 Augustus Morton Festing.  
 Edward Cattell.  
 Henry Potter.  
 Charles D'Oyley Forbes.  
 Edward Frederick George Greenwood.  
 Alexander Ewing.  
 George W. Rippon.  
 Alfred Pope.

*Paymasters to have the honorary rank of Captain, from 18th April, 1878 :—*

R. Wolfe.  
 E. V. Raynes.  
 T. Timbrell.  
 William Marvin.  
 B. S. Pearson.  
 James A. A. O'Brien.  
 Herbert Hamilton Routledge.  
 J. A. Collins.  
 James White.  
 J. Grant Elliott.  
 Edward George Fellow Mayers.  
 Charles Webb.  
 Joseph Muskett.  
 Robert du Port.  
 Clement Bayly Griffith.  
 Edmond Howard Gorges.

George Hamilton Anson.  
 Augustus Finch Noyes.  
 William Briggs.  
 William Blenkin Davis.  
 Frederick Treffry.  
 John Johnson Tuck.  
 Thomas William Drage.  
 George Charles Dawson Bampffield.  
 Thomas William Bacon.  
 A. L. McDonald.  
 Joseph John Morris.  
 A. H. H. McGachen.  
 William Robert Kaye.  
 Paul Dennis Costa.  
 Edward John Lawless.

The undermentioned Officers to have honorary rank on retirement :—

*To be Major-Generals.* Dated 20th April, 1878 :—

Brevet Colonel Charles Hopkins Byers, Bengal Staff Corps.  
 Brevet Colonel George Alexander St. Peter Fooks, Bengal Staff Corps.  
 Brevet Colonel John William Younghusband, C.S.I., Bombay Staff Corps.

*To be Colonel.*

Lieutenant-Colonel James Veale Morris, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 20th April, 1878.

*To be Surgeon-General.*

Deputy Surgeon-General John Robert Miller, M.D., Bombay Army. Dated 20th April, 1878.

The undermentioned Warrant Officers are granted a step of honorary rank :—

*To be Captain.*

Deputy Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant William Skeaf, Bengal Establishment. Dated 17th October, 1877.

*To be Lieutenants.*

Deputy Assistant-Commissary James Wilks, Bengal Establishment. Dated 16th October, 1877.  
 Deputy Assistant-Commissary James T. Hewson, Bengal Establishment. Dated 17th October, 1877.  
 Deputy Assistant-Commissary George Bay, Madras Establishment. Dated 8th January, 1878.  
 Deputy Assistant-Commissary Samuel Charles Plummer, Madras Establishment. Dated 20th January, 1878.  
 Assistant-Commissary John Bingham, Bombay Establishment. Dated 29th November, 1877.  
 Assistant-Commissary Martin Corkery, Bombay Establishment. Dated 12th December, 1877.  
 Assistant-Commissary Edward McKenzie, Bombay Establishment. Dated 12th December, 1877.  
 Deputy Assistant-Commissary William McDonald, Bombay Establishment. Dated 9th January, 1878.

MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Officers retire on a pension :—

Captain and Brevet Colonel William John Dorehill, half-pay, late 43rd Foot, Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 1st October, 1877.  
 Captain and Brevet Colonel James Cockburn, half-pay, Unattached, Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 1st November, 1877.  
 Captain and Brevet Colonel Adolphus Frederick Bond, half-pay, Royal Staff Corps, Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 1st November, 1877.

Captain and Brevet Colonel William Lacy, half-pay, Unattached, Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 1st November, 1877.

Captain and Brevet Colonel James Baillie, half-pay, Unattached, Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 1st November, 1877.

Captain and Brevet Colonel George Butler Stoney, half-pay, 20th Foot, Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 1st April, 1878.

The undermentioned Officers retire from the Service by the surrender of their half-pay :—

Major Robert Blount, half-pay, late 20th Foot. 20th April, 1878.

Major Thomas Lloyd, half-pay, late 35th Foot. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### *War Office, 19th April, 1878.*

#### MILITIA.

#### ARTILLERY.

#### *Royal Cornwall and Devon Miners.*

William Phillpotts Williams, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1878.

#### *Donegal.*

James Corry Jones Lowry, Esq., late Captain, Royal Artillery, to be Major. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### *Hampshire.*

William Radcliffe Peel Wallace, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### ENGINEERS.

#### *Royal Monmouthshire.*

George Lockwood Morris, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 4th April, 1878.

#### INFANTRY.

#### *Royal Bucks.*

Second Lieutenant Charles Henry Eyre Coote resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### *Royal Carnarvon.*

Hugh Maurice Beavan, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 30th March, 1878.

#### *1st Devon.*

Charles Hutton Dawson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### *2nd or North Durham.*

Second Lieutenant Percy Shakespere Dyson resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### *Royal South Gloucester.*

Quartermaster James Cuninghame resigns his Commission, and is placed upon a retired allowance; also is granted the honorary rank of Captain, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 1st April, 1878.

Quartermaster Edward Henry Drake, from the 39th Brigade Depot, to be Quartermaster. Dated 1st April, 1878.

#### *East Kent.*

Major John Edward Beales to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th April, 1878.

Captain and Honorary Major George Francis Carlyon-Simmons to be Major. Dated 20th April, 1878.

Lieutenant Edward Bachelor Walker to be Captain. Dated 20th April, 1878.

Sub-Lieutenant Edward Knatchbull-Hugessen resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1878.

Aubrey George Braithwaite, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd April, 1878.

#### *2nd Royal Lancashire.*

Eustace Manley Furneaux Dixon, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### *3rd Royal Lancashire.*

Captain John Erdeswick Butler Bowdon resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### *5th Royal Lancashire.*

Captain John Grimshaw resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### *7th Royal Lancashire.*

Sub-Lieutenant Stanhope Beresford Littler Lister Inglis resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### *Royal London.*

Lieutenant Maitland Rossiter Coleman, from the Royal Glamorgan Militia, to be Captain. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### *2nd Middlesex or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment.*

Captain William Jesser Coope resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### *1st, or West Norfolk.*

William Forbes Mackenzie Fraser, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### *2nd, or East Norfolk.*

Second Lieutenant Henry Howard Bedingfeld resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### *Oxford.*

Major Thomas Mesley Crowder is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### *Shropshire.*

George Gipps Bather, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1878.

Captain and Adjutant Robert Montague Hornby is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### *The Royal South Wales Borderers.*

Captain Walter Powell Jeffreys resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### *1st Warwick.*

Leslie Charles Fryer, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### *2nd Warwick.*

Second Lieutenant Frederick Arthur Freeman resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### *Worcester.*

Sub-Lieutenant the Honourable Arthur Charles Edward Somerset resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1878.

#### *6th West York.*

Athelstan John Soden Corbet, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1878.

*The Highland Rifles.*

The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Robert Dunbar Sinclair Wemyss. Dated 2nd April, 1878.

Henry Arthur Merewether. Dated 4th April, 1878.

*2nd Royal Lanark.*

The name of the Gentleman whose appointment as Second Lieutenant, dated 30th March, 1878; was notified in the London Gazette of the 2nd April, 1878, is Archibald Thomas Hamilton *Tattnall*, and not Archibald Thomas Hamilton as therein stated.

*Donegal.*

Captain Alexander Montgomery Stewart resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1878.

*Kildare.*

Captain Robert Joseph Pratt Saunders resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1878.

*North Mayo.*

Lieutenant Edward Cormick Walshe resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1878.

**YEOMANRY CAVALRY.***Berks.*

Robert Watson Cosier, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 20th April, 1878.

*Royal North Devon.*

For, John William Fortescue, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, notified in the London Gazette of the 8th June, 1877,

Read, The Honourable John William Fortescue to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 9th June, 1877.

*Gloucestershire.*

Lieutenant William G. Craven resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1878.

*Royal East Kent.*

Surgeon George Frederick Wilkes resigns his Commission. Dated 20th April, 1878.

*Middlesex.*

Major Arthur Rickards to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th April, 1878.

*West Somerset.*

Lewis William Molesworth, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 20th April, 1878.

*Worcestershire.*

Robert George, Lord Windsor, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1878.

**VOLUNTEERS.***12th Lincolnshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Walter Austin, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 18th April, 1878.

**THE FAIRS ACT, 1873.****PRESTON (LANCASHIRE) HORSE 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. A representation has been duly made to me by the Town Council of Preston, Lancashire, as

owners, that a Fair, known as the "Preston Horse Fair," has been annually held in that borough, commencing on Monday in the first full week in the month of January, and continuing during the remainder of such week, and that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that such Fair should be held on a less number of days; and that instead of being held as aforesaid, such Fair should in future be held on the Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday only, in the first full week in the month of January, in each year.

2. On the 16th day of May, 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 proposed shortening of the time for the holding of the said Fair.

*Richard Assheton Cross.*

Whitehall, April 16, 1878.

**NOTICE TO MARINERS.**

(No. 47.)—UNITED STATES—MASSACHUSETTS BAY—GLOUCESTER HARBOUR.

*(1.) Alteration in Colour of Eastern Point Light.*

THE United States Government has given notice, that on 1st April, 1878, the following alteration would be made in the colour of the light exhibited on Eastern Point, Gloucester Harbour Entrance:—

The light is a fixed red light, instead of fixed white as formerly.

**CHESAPEAKE BAY—JAMES RIVER.***(2.) Alteration in Colour of Dutch Gap Canal Lights.*

Also, that on 1st March, 1878, the following alteration would be made in the colour of the lights exhibited at each end of Dutch Gap Canal, James River.

The lights are fixed red lights instead of fixed white as formerly.

By command of their Lordships,

*Fredk. J. Evans*, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
3rd April, 1878.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—

(1.) Halifax to Delaware River, No. 2670; Bay of Fundy to Block Island, No. 2492; Fletcher's Neck to Cape Cod, No. 2482; and Gloucester Harbour, No. 2882: Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the United States, 1878, No. 53; and Sailing Directions for the principal ports on the East Coast of the United States, 1874; page 11.

(2.) Chesapeake River, No. 355a: also, Admiralty List of Lights in the United States, 1878, page 30; and Sailing Directions for the principal ports on the East Coast of the United States, 1874, page 79.

**NOTICE TO MARINERS.**

(No. 48.)—UNITED STATES.

GULF OF MEXICO.—MISSISSIPPI RIVER ENTRANCE.

*Buoy with Self-Acting Whistle off South Pass.*

THE United States Government has given notice, that an automatic (or self-acting) signal buoy has been placed off South Pass, Mississippi River Entrance:—

The buoy, painted black and white in vertical stripes, and giving frequent blasts of a 10-inch

whistle, is moored in 10 fathoms water, with the following bearings, viz. :—

Entrance between jetties, N.W. by N., about one mile.

(South Pass Lighthouse, N.W.)

Position approximate, lat, 28° 58' 45" N., long. 89° 8' W.

[The bearings are magnetic. Variation 6½°, Easterly in 1878.]

By command of their Lordships,

*Fredk. J. Evans*, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
8th April, 1878.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Breton Sound to Dernière Island, including the Delta of Mississippi, No. 1638; and West India Pilot, Vol. I, 1872, page 421.

#### NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 49.)—INDIA.—CEYLON.—SOUTH-EAST COAST.

##### (1.) *Flashing Light and Fog Signal on Little Bassas Rocks.*

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 12, of 25th January, 1878 (1), on the intended establishment of a light and fog signal at a lighthouse then nearly completed on Little Bassas Rocks :—

Further information has been received, that on 25th March, 1878, the light was exhibited :—

The light is a flashing white light, showing two flashes in quick succession every minute, elevated 110 feet above the sea, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of about 16 miles.

Also, that during thick and foggy weather, a bell will be sounded twice in quick succession every half minute.

##### (2.) *Alteration in Great Bassas Rocks Fog Signal.*

Also, with reference to Notice to Mariners No. 12, of 25th January, 1878 (2), on the intended alteration in the fog signal at Great Bassas Rocks :—

That on 25th March, 1878, the following alteration was made, viz. :—

During thick and foggy weather the bell will be sounded once every fifteen seconds, instead of every seven seconds as previously.

NOTE.—Great and Little Bassas Lighthouses may be distinguished in day time by the following distinctive features :—The lantern of Great Bassas Lighthouse has a conical roof and one gallery at the top of the tower. The lantern of Little Bassas Lighthouse has a domed roof and two galleries at the top of the tower.

By command of their Lordships,

*Fredk. J. Evans*, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
10th April, 1878.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Bengal Bay, No. 70 a; Ceylon Island, Southern Part, No. 813; Cape Comorin to Coconada, No. 828; and Ceylon, S.E. Coast, &c., No. 2815. Also, Admiralty List of Lights in South Africa, Ceylon, &c., 1878, Nos. 66 and 67.

#### NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 50.)—ENGLAND—WEST COAST.  
SMALLS ROCKS.

##### *Fog and Distress Signals at Smalls Lighthouse.*

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 10, of 19th January, 1878, on the intended estab-

lishment of a new sound signal, in addition to the fog bell, at Smalls Lighthouse :—

The Trinity House, London, has given further notice, that the signal is established :—

This sound signal, consisting of a charge of gun cotton in a rocket head which explodes at a considerable height, will be discharged during thick and foggy weather, day or night, every half hour. The effect of this signal will more closely resemble that of a gun than an ordinary rocket, little light being shown.

Mariners should observe that this rocket is a fog signal only, and not a summons for assistance.

#### *Distress Signals.*

Also, that should assistance be required at the lighthouse, or by passing vessels, the signal will be a call rocket of great brilliancy, showing a magnesium flame in falling, as well as a vivid rising trail; this rocket, which will only be used at night and in clear weather, will be fired at frequent intervals.

By command of their Lordships,

*Fredk. J. Evans*, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
10th April, 1878.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—English Channel, No. 2675 b; Ireland, General, No. 1824 a; Irish Channel, No. 1825 b; Bristol Channel to New Quay, No. 1410; Bristol Channel, sheet 3, No. 1179; and Grassholm Island, Smalls, &c., No. 1488; Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the British Islands, 1878, No. 379; and Sailing Directions for the West Coast of England, 1876, page 7.

#### NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

*Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, April 16, 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 23rd of June, 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.

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, do hereby, subject as hereinafter mentioned, grant and appropriate out of our common fund to the vicarage of Newport Pagnell, in the county of Buckingham, and in the diocese of Oxford, one capital sum of twenty-five pounds sterling, to be applicable towards defraying the cost of the provision and conveyance of a house and premises as a parsonage for the said vicarage of Newport Pagnell: Provided always, that the said capital sum of twenty-five pounds sterling



expressed to be hereby granted and appropriated, shall be, and be taken to be, in lieu of and in substitution for the yearly sum of sixteen shillings and eight pence, being the amount remaining payable by us in respect of the yearly sum or stipend of eleven pounds thirteen shillings and four pence, granted to the Incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage, under the authority of an instrument sealed by us on the twelfth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and published in the London Gazette of the twentieth day of the same month and year, after taking account of the reduction in such lastly-mentioned yearly sum or stipend which was effected by another instrument, dated the fifth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, and published in the London Gazette of the thirteenth day of the lastly-mentioned month and year.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this eleventh day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, do hereby grant and appropriate out of our common fund to the vicarage of Deopham, in the county of Norfolk, and in the diocese of Norwich, one capital sum of six hundred and fifty pounds sterling, to be applicable towards defraying the cost of improving and enlarging the parsonage or house of residence of the said vicarage, according to plans and a specification approved or to be approved by us, such capital sum, or the balance thereof unapplied to such purpose, to remain in the meantime in our hands at interest after the rate of three pounds per centum per annum, and such interest to be paid to the Incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage of Deopham.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this eleventh day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction of two hundred and fifty pounds sterling, which has been paid to us in favour of the vicarage of Saint Philip and Saint James, Milton, in the county of Stafford, and in the diocese of Lichfield, and in respect of which we have agreed to pay to the Incumbent of the same vicarage, and to his successors, a yearly sum of eight pounds six shillings and eight pence, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, grant to the Incumbent of the said vicarage of Saint Philip and Saint James, Milton, and to his successors, to meet such benefaction, one other yearly sum or stipend of eight pounds six shillings and eight pence, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the day of the publication of these presents in the London Gazette, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions, on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion, to pro-

duce the yearly sum or stipend, so payable out of our common fund as lastly herein mentioned, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said vicarage, in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this eleventh day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction, consisting of two hundred pounds sterling, which has been paid over to us in favour of the perpetual curacy or benefice of Saint Paul, Wood Green, Wednesbury, in the county of Stafford, and in the diocese of Lichfield, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, grant and appropriate out of our common fund to the said perpetual curacy or benefice of Saint Paul, Wood Green, Wednesbury, to meet such benefaction, one capital sum of two hundred pounds sterling, to be applicable towards defraying the cost of providing a parsonage or house of residence for the said perpetual curacy or benefice, according to plans and a specification approved or to be approved by us, such capital sum, or the balance thereof unapplied to such purpose, to remain in the meantime in our hands at interest after the rate of three pounds per centum per annum, and such interest to be paid to the Incumbent for the time being of the said perpetual curacy or benefice of Saint Paul, Wood Green, Wednesbury.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this eleventh day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

(L.S.)

We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction, consisting of one hundred and fifty pounds sterling, which has been paid over to us in favour of the vicarage of Brockenhurst, in the county of Southampton, and in the diocese of Winchester, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, grant and appropriate out of our common fund to the said vicarage of Brockenhurst, to meet such benefaction, one capital sum of one hundred and fifty pounds sterling, to be applicable towards defraying the cost of providing a parsonage or house of residence for the said vicarage, according to plans and a specification approved or to be approved by us, such capital sum, or the balance thereof unapplied to such purpose, to remain in the meantime in our hands at interest after the rate of three pounds per centum per annum, and such interest to be paid to the Incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage of Brockenhurst.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this eleventh day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction of one hundred pounds sterling, which has been paid to

us in favour of the vicarage of Saint Peter, Hednesford, in the county of Stafford, and in the diocese of Lichfield, and in respect of which we have agreed to pay to the Incumbent of the same vicarage, and to his successors, a yearly sum of three pounds six shillings and eight pence, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, grant to the Incumbent of the said vicarage of Saint Peter, Hednesford, and to his successors, to meet such benefaction, one other yearly sum or stipend of three pounds six shillings and eight pence, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the day of the publication of these presents in the London Gazette, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions, on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion, to produce the yearly sum or stipend, so [payable out of our common fund, as lastly herein mentioned, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said vicarage, in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this eleventh day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in consideration of a benefaction, consisting of two hundred pounds sterling, which has been paid over to us in favour of the vicarage of All Saints, Shooter's Hill, Plumstead, in the county of Kent, and in the diocese of Rochester, do hereby, in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, grant and appropriate out of our common fund to the said vicarage of All Saints, Shooter's Hill, Plumstead, to meet such benefaction, one capital sum of two hundred pounds sterling, to be applicable towards defraying the cost of completing the parsonage or house of residence in course of erection for the said vicarage, according to plans and a specification which have been approved by us, such capital sum, or the balance thereof unapplied to such purpose to remain in the meantime in our hands at interest after the rate of three pounds per centum per annum, and such interest to be paid to the Incumbent for the time being of the said vicarage of All Saints, Shooter's Hill, Plumstead.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this eleventh day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight.

(L.S.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Over-lane Chapel, situate at Over-lane, Over, in the parish of Over, in the county of Chester, in the district of Northwich, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, 3rd April, 1878, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 8th day of April, 1878.

Christr. Cheshire, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Primitive Methodist Chapel, situate in Northgate, in the parish of St. Mary, Northgate, Canterbury, in the county of the city of Canterbury, in the district of Canterbury, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 8th day of April, 1878, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 9th day of April, 1878.

John Brent, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Congregational Chapel, situate at Froome's Hill, in the parish of Bishop's Froome, in the county of Hereford, in the district of Bromyard, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 8th day of April, 1878, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 10th day of April, 1878.

Jos. B. Weeks, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Wesleyan Methodist School Chapel, situate in the Station-road, New Barnet, in the parish of Chipping Barnet, in the county of Hertford, in the district of Barnet, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 12th day of April, 1878, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 13th day of April, 1878.

G. W. Acason, Superintendent Registrar.

#### Official Notice.

##### Proposal to Change a Ship's Name.

I JOSEPH CONTE, of Gibraltar, hereby give notice, that in consequence of having brought at the Port of Larache, the undermentioned ship, "Carl Bellino," it is my intention to apply to the Board of Trade, under section 6 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1871, in respect of my ship "Carl Bellino," of Gibraltar, official number 69,793, of gross tonnage 89 tons, of register tonnage 83 tons, heretofore owned by Joseph Conte, of Gibraltar, for permission to change her name to "Larache," to be registered under the said new name at the Port of Gibraltar, as owned by Joseph Conte.

Any objections to the proposed change of name must be sent to the Assistant-Secretary, Marine Department, Board of Trade, within fifteen days from the appearance of this advertisement.

Dated at Gibraltar, this 25th day of October, 1877.

Joseph Conte.

#### Official Notice.

##### Proposal to Change a Ship's Name.

I ALFRED PAYNE, of Belvidere-road, Southampton, hereby give notice, that in consequence of changing ownership, it is my intention to apply to the Board of Trade, under section 6 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1871, in respect of my ship "Vixen," of Southampton, official number 72,352, of gross tonnage 60 tons, of register tonnage 45.52 tons, heretofore owned by me, for permission to change the name to "Laverock," to be registered under the said new name at the Port of Southampton, as owned by Frederick George Innes Lillingston, Lieut., R.N., of Brooklands, Southampton.

Any objections to the proposed change of name

must be sent to the Assistant-Secretary, Marine Department, Board of Trade, within fifteen days from the appearance of this advertisement.

Dated at Southampton, the 16th of April, 1878.  
*Alfred Payne.*

#### Staffordshire.

**A**T the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace of our Lady the Queen, holden at Stafford, in and for the said county of Stafford, upon Tuesday, in the first week after the thirty-first day of March, to wit, the ninth day of April, in the forty-first year of the reign of our Sovereign Lady Victoria, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen, Defender of the Faith, and in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, before Thomas Fletcher Twemlow, Esquire, Chairman, the Right Honourable Arthur, Baron Wrottesley, the Honourable and Reverend Arthur Chetwynd Talbot, Richard Dyott, William Thomas Locker, Esquires, and others their fellows, Justices of our said Lady the Queen, assigned to keep the peace in the county aforesaid, and also to hear and determine divers felonies, trespasses, and other misdemeanours committed in the same county.

Sir John Hardy, Baronet, Sheriff.

#### Leek Highway District.

It is ordered by this Court that the consideration of the Provisional Order made at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace of our Lady the Queen, holden in and for the county of Stafford, at Stafford, on Monday, the thirty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, for constituting certain parishes, townships, tithings, hamlets, and places in the county of Stafford, a Highway District to be

called "The Leek Highway District," be and the same is hereby respited until the next General or Quarter Sessions.

And it is further ordered that the confirmation of the said Provisional Order by a final Order will be taken into consideration at the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, to be holden at Stafford, in and for the county of Stafford, on Monday, the 1st day of July, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon.

By the Court,

*Matt. F. Blakiston*, Clerk of the Peace.

#### Thetford Navigation.

**W**HEREAS the Commissioners of the Thetford Navigation in the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk at a Special Meeting held at the Guildhall, in the borough of Thetford, on Wednesday, the 3rd day of April instant, determined unanimously to adopt the powers granted by the Act of the 8th and 9th Vic., cap. 98, so far as they lawfully might or could do so; and whereas the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the said borough, being the undertakers of the said navigation, at a Special Meeting of the Council of the said borough, held at the said Guildhall, on Friday, the 12th day of April instant, also unanimously determined to adopt such powers so far as they lawfully might or could do so; notice is hereby given by the said Commissioners, and also separately by the said Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses, of their respective determinations and intentions to adopt the powers granted by the said Act.—Thetford, 12th April, 1878.

*John Houchen*, Clerk to the said Commissioners.

*John Houchen*, Town Clerk of the said Borough.

#### BANK OF ENGLAND.

*AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 17th day of April, 1878.*

##### ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

	£		£
Notes issued ... ..	36,842,970	Government Debt ... ..	11,015,100
		Other Securities ... ..	3,984,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion ... ..	21,842,970
		Silver Bullion ... ..	
	<u>£36,842,970</u>		<u>£36,842,970</u>

Dated the 18th day of April, 1878.

*F. May*, Chief Cashier.

##### BANKING DEPARTMENT.

	£		£
Proprietors' Capital ... ..	14,553,000	Government Securities ... ..	16,556,488
Rest ... ..	3,105,726	Other Securities ... ..	21,151,689
Public Deposits (including Ex-		Notes ... ..	8,763,715
chequer, Savings Banks, Com-		Gold and Silver Coin ... ..	1,082,474
missioners of National Debt, and			
Dividend Accounts) ... ..	7,241,867		
Other Deposits ... ..	22,359,140		
Seven Day and other Bills ... ..	294,633		
	<u>£47,551,366</u>		<u>£47,554,366</u>

Dated the 18th day of April, 1878.

*F. May*, Chief Cashier.

## AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered in the Week ending 17th April, 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 ... ..	...	...	...	...	676,356	676,356
Belgium ... ..	13,416	...	13,416	2,448	...	2,448
Egypt ... ..	10,500	1,354	11,854	3,680	9,128	12,808
Japan ... ..	21,325	11,230	32,555	...	5,453	5,453
Australia ... ..	28,250	30,224	58,474	...	...	...
South America (except Brazil)	2,306	3,156	5,462	87,323	278,522	365,845
United States ... ..	89,201	301	89,502	36,173	58,559	94,732
Other Countries ... ..	2,991	1,045	4,036	28,850	6,948	35,798
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aggregate of the Importations } registered in the Week ... }	162,989	47,310	210,299	158,474	1,034,966	1,193,440
Declared Value of the said } Importations ... .. }	£ 651,861	£ 189,226	£ 841,087	£ 35,753	£ 233,006	£ 268,759

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 ... ..	...	34,661	1,200	35,861	...	32,600	...	32,600
Spain ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	556,622	556,622
China ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	153,870	...	153,870
South America (except Brazil)	17,990	...	...	17,990	3,018	...	...	3,018
Other Countries ... ..	...	215	...	215	72	20,366	526	20,964
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Aggregate of the Exportations } registered in the Week ... }	17,990	34,876	1,200	54,066	3,090	206,836	557,148	767,074
Declared Value of the said } Exportations ... .. }	£ 70,000	£ 131,453	£ 4,800	£ 206,253	£ 850	£ 45,855	£ 135,825	£ 182,530

Statistical Department, Custom House, London,  
April 18, 1878.

S. SELDON,  
Principal.

In the Matter of "The Abandonment of Railways Act, 1850," "The Railway Companies Act, 1867," and "The Fareham and Netley Railway Company."

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Board of Trade, by a Warrant, bearing date the 19th day of March, 1878, and made in pursuance of "The Abandonment of Railways Act, 1850," and "The Railway Companies Act, 1867," have ordered and declared that the railways by the Fareham and Netley Railway Act, 1865, authorised to be made, shall be abandoned by the said Company, viz. :—

Railway No. 1. A railway commencing by a junction with the authorised railway from Southampton to Netley, now in course of construction in a field numbered 328A, in the parish of Hound, in the county of Southampton, on the deposited

plans of the Southampton and Netley Railway, 1860, and terminating by a junction with the Gosport Branch of the London and South Western Railway, near to the booking office of the Fareham Station of that railway, which said railway will pass by, from, through, in, or into the parishes following, that is to say, Hound, Titchfield, and Fareham.

Railway No. 2. A railway wholly in the parish of Fareham, commencing by a junction with the said Railway No. 1 in a field in the said parish of Fareham, belonging to Thomas Burrell, in the occupation of Frederick John Burrell, and bounded on the west side by a public road known as Redlands-lane; on the north side by allotment gardens, belonging to Captain Purvis; and on the east side by the Gosport Branch of the London and South-Western Railway, and terminating by

a junction with the Portsmouth Branch of the London and South-Western Railway at a point about five hundred and fifty yards or thereabouts from the Fareham Station of that railway, measured in a south-easterly direction along the said Portsmouth Branch Railway.

Railway No. 3. A railway wholly in the parish of Fareham, commencing by a junction with the said Railway No. 1, in a field in the parish of Fareham, belonging to the representatives of the late James Fitchett Burrell, namely, James Fitchett Burrell, William Bracher Gater, and Thomas Hewett, in the occupation of George Webb, and bounded on the north by a field belonging to Captain Purvis, and terminating by a junction with the Gosport Branch of the London and South-Western Railway at a point about seven hundred yards or thereabouts from the said Fareham Station, measured in a southerly direction along the said Gosport Branch Railway, and near to a public road bridge which carries Redlands-lane under the said railway.

And notice is further given, that all persons having any claims or demands upon the Fareham and Netley Railway Company by reason of the abandonment of the hereinbefore mentioned railways are hereby required to transmit the statement of such claims or demands to the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, Inland Revenue, Somerset House, within four calendar months from the date of the said Warrant.—Dated this 22nd day of March, 1878.

*Best, Webb, and Co., 6, Essex-street, Strand, London, W.C., and St. Michael's-street, Southampton, Solicitors in the Matter.*

#### Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for  
1440. Inventions.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the petition of William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, praying for letters patent for the invention of "an improved method and apparatus or machinery for making sand moulds for metal castings,"—a communication to him from abroad by William Aikin and William Whyte Drummond, both of Louisville, Kentucky, United States of America, Foundrymen,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 10th day of April, 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  
1471. Inventions.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Lionel Varicas, of 24, Chancery-lane, London, W.C., in the county of Middlesex, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in 'band-saw-mills,'"—a communication to him from abroad by William Howard Doane, of the city of Cincinnati, in the county of Hamilton, State of Ohio, one of the United States of America,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 12th day of April, 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  
1475. Inventions.

**N**OTICE 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 sewing machines,"—a communication to him from abroad by Job A. Davis, of Boston, Massachusetts, United States of America,—was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 12th day of April, 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  
1516. Inventions.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Edmund Wright, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, praying for letters patent for the invention of "improvements in buttons and button fasteners," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 16th day of April, 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.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that provisional protection has been allowed—

360. To Leon Quentin Brin, of the Borough, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in decorating surfaces coated with tin and other metals, and in machinery therefor." On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 28th day of January, 1878.

971. To John Daddy, of 15, Bowl Alley-lane, Hull, Foreman, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of lard and other articles of a similar nature,"

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners, on the 11th day of March, 1878.

984. To George Thornley and Thomas Buxton, of Burton-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, Engineers, for the invention of "a new or improved machine for turning or forming spile or vent pegs, hard-trying and porous pegs, shives, plugs, railway pins, clock-makers' pegs, handles, and other similar articles of wood."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 12th day of March, 1878.

1057. To William Beuttell, of Acton, near Sudbury, in the county of Suffolk, Farmer, for the invention of "an improved elevator to be used in connection with threshing machines."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 18th day of March, 1878.

1124. To Carl Pieper, of Dresden and Berlin, for the invention of "a vertical sifting-machine for flour and other materials.—A communication to him from Adolf Wilhelm Schoenleben, of Bitterfeld, Prussia.

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 21st day of March, 1878.

1151. To William Radford, of Harrogate, in the county of York, Brickmaker, for the invention of "improvements in kins for burning bricks, tiles, drain pipes, lime, earthenware, and other analogous articles or materials."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 22nd day of March, 1878.

1172. To Henry George Frasi, Engineer, of 80, Cloudsley-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improved motor for raising, lowering, propelling, and projecting bodies."
- On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 25th day of March, 1878.
1274. To William Bown, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturer, for the invention of "certain improvements in springs for gloves and other purposes, and in the means used for securing springs to gloves or other articles."
1275. To Samuel Cohen, of Fore-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in ventilating waterproof garments."
1276. To Charles Mansfield Lloyd, of Nine Elms, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "certain improvements in the construction of wooden pavements, and in the formation of the blocks employed therefor."
1278. To John William Kenyon, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in steam engine indicators, partly applicable to other apparatus for promoting economy in the consumption of fuel."
1280. To George Bower and Anthony Spencer Bower, both of St. Neots, in the county of Huntingdon, Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in effecting the protection of iron and steel."
1282. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "improvements in numbering machinery or apparatus for printing presses."—A communication to him from abroad by Thomas Sheridan Bowman, of Saint Louis, Missouri, United States of America, Printer.
1284. To John Garrett Tongue, of the firm of Tongue and Birkbeck, Patent Agents and Engineers, of 34, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in power looms."—A communication to him from abroad by John Chester Duckworth, of the city, county, and State of New York, United States of America.
1288. To Patrick Francis Murphy, of the city and county of Cork, Ireland, for the invention of "improvements in playing cards."
1290. And to Frank Wirth, of the firm of Wirth and Company, Patent Solicitors, at Frankfort on the Main, in the Empire of Germany, for the invention of "improvements in self-acting ash removers."—A communication from Richard Sickel, Doctor of Philosophy, a person resident at Nörten, in the Empire of Germany.
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 1st day of April, 1878.
1292. To William Frederick Heshuysen, of Zandport, in the Kingdom of Holland, at present of 123, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in coffee pots."
1294. To David Denby, of Drighlington, in the county of York, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for combing wool and other fibrous substances."
1296. To Israel Umpleby and Ben Umpleby, both of Cleckheaton, in the county of York, Boiler Makers, for invention of "improvements in machines for rivetting boilers and girders."
1298. To Eustace Carey Prentice, of Stowmarket, in the county of Suffolk, for the invention of improvements in filter presses."
1300. To Samuel Wilkinson Snowden, of 5, Waverley-terrace, Kenilworth, Rathgar, Dublin, for the invention of "improvements in steering ships."
1302. And to Anker Heegaard, of Copenhagen, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for converting rotary into reciprocating motion."
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 2nd day of April, 1878.
1305. To Andrew Betts Brown, of Rosebank Iron Works, Edinburgh, in the county of Edinburgh, for the invention of "improvements in hydraulic capstans and in valves for distributing the fluid pressure to the engines thereof."
1307. To Lauchlan Rose, of 11, Curtain-road, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Lime Juice Merchant, for the invention of "an improved bottling machine for aerated waters."
1311. To Abraham Holden, of Little Hulton, near Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Mill Manager, for the invention of "improvements in carding engines for carding cotton and other fibrous substances."
1312. To Ernest de Pass, of Fleet-chambers, 68, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in shaping, dressing, and finishing hats, and in apparatus for the purpose."—A communication to him from abroad by Simon Piron, of 17, Boulevard Saint Martin, Paris, France.
1313. To Arthur Charles Henderson, of 6, Southampton-buildings, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, for the invention of "improvements in wrenches or spanners."—A communication to him from abroad by Eugène Coulon, a person resident at Rouen, in the Department of Seine Inférieure, in the Republic of France.
1314. To John Smith, of Derby, in the county of Derby, Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in racking apparatus, or apparatus for filling casks and other vessels with liquids."
1315. To Charles Hickman, of Cardington, in the county of Bedford, for the invention of "improvements in mowing and reaping machines."
1316. To James Saunders Randell, of Corsham, in the county of Wilts, Quarry Master, and Samuel Griffin, of Bath, in the county of Somerset, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for getting, sawing, and working of stone and other minerals."
1318. To May Arnold, of Acton, in the county of Middlesex, Spinster, for the invention of "an improved incubating apparatus."—A communication to her from abroad by Henri Gustave Voitelier, of Mantes, in the Republic of France.
1319. To William Sharp and Fred Smith, both of Morley, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in rag and flock grinding machinery."
1320. To George Williamson, jun., of Rubislaw, in the county of Aberdeen, North Britain, for the invention of "improvements in reaping and mowing machines."
1321. To Henry Courteen, of Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, Agricultural Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in binding sheaves of grain, and in the machinery or apparatus to be employed therein."
1322. To George Sumner, of Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in steam-traps."

1323. And to Albert Job and Alfred Job, both of the City-road, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "an improved spittoon."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 3rd day of April, 1878.

1325. To Jean Nadal, of No. 94, Southampton-row, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for the invention of "an improved clasp or dress-holder."

1326. To Charles Hodgson, of Canterbury-road, Kilburn, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in interlocking apparatus for the points and signals and telegraphic block instruments of railways."

1327. To Berriman Sawdon, of Dock-street, Kingston-upon-Hull, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements connected with the generation of steam for working engines."

1329. To Herbert James Underwood and Edward Boshier, of 67, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for turning over the leaves of music and books."

1330. To Edwin William de Russett, of South Penge Park, in the county of Surrey, Civil Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in bicycles or velocipedes."

1332. To Benjamin Ramsden, of Leeds, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in bolts."

1334. To William Henry Byram, Employé of Messrs. Walton and Brear, of Bradford, in the county of York, Plumbers and Gasfitters, for the invention of "improvements in hot water heating apparatus."

1335. To Robert Haddon, James Dyson, and Edward Astin, all of Halifax, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for combing wool and other fibres."

1336. To John Howard Worthington Biggs, of Brown's-buildings, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in or appertaining to the manufacture of salt from brine, and in apparatus therefor."

1337. 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 "an improved combination of check valve trap and water trap."—A communication to him from abroad by George Waring, of Newport, Rhode Island, United States of America, Sanitary Engineer.

1338. To Arthur Lowcock and John Barr, both of Shrewsbury, in the county of Salop, Agricultural Implement Manufacturers, for the invention of "improvements in chaff-cutters."

1339. To Oliver Vaughton, of the firm of Philip Vaughton and Sons, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturing Jewellers, for the invention of "improvements in scarf rings."

1340. To John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in lamps, candlesticks, or candelabra."—A communication to him from abroad by Rufus Spaulding Merrill, of Boston, Massachusetts, United States of America.

1341. To Thomas Freeman Firth, of Heckmond-wike, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in carpet rugs and mats."—A communication to him from abroad by Gustav Petzoldt, of Liepzig, in the Empire of Germany.

1343. To Samuel Gauntlett and Charles Gauntlett, of the firm of S. Gauntlett and Company, of Trowbridge, in the county of Wilts, Bedding Manufacturers, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for carding, dressing, and opening woollen and cotton flocks, hair, and other fibrous materials."

1344. To Samuel Canning, of No. 7, Great Winchester-street-buildings, in the city of London, Knight, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for communicating signals on ship-board."

1345. To William Robert Lake, of the firm of Haseltine, Lake, & Co., Patent Agents, Southampton-buildings, London, for the invention of "an improved process or mode of treating vegetable oils to adapt them for use in the preparation of waterproof cloth and the like."

—A communication to him from abroad by Henry Augustus Clark, of Boston, Massachusetts, United States of America.

1347. To John Bazley White, Junior, and Arthur Glover, both of Swancombe, in the county of Kent, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of Portland cement."

1348. To Henry Edmunds, junior, of Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, Gentleman, for the invention of "an improved process and apparatus for utilizing the scrap or waste produced in the tin andterne plate manufacture, which invention is applicable for the utilization of scrap or waste in other manufactures."

1349. And to Alfred Dervaux, of Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Engineer, for the invention of "improved apparatus for feeding steam boilers with water and for purifying such water from earthy matters."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 4th day of April, 1878.

1350. To Elizabeth Marriott, of the town and county of Northampton, for the invention of "an improved washing or cleansing compound."

1351. To Emrys Roberts, of No. 6, Rydon-crescent, Clerkenwell, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the method or means of permanently affixing the divisions, figures, and markings to glass tubes or cylinders employed in the manufacture of clinical and other thermometers, which improvements are applicable to graduated glass tubes or cylinders of every description."

1352. To Edward Palliser, of No. 6, Charleville-road, West Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of coiled tubes for ordnance and apparatus therefor."—A communication to him from abroad by Gouverneur Paulding, of Cold Spring, New York, United States of America.

1353. To Richard Clere Parsons, of No. 10, Connaught-place, in the county of Middlesex, and Edward Palliser, of No. 6, Charleville-road, Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for working punkahs by fluid pressure."

1354. To John Whitaker and Robert Jones Powell, both of Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh, Agricultural Engineers, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of mowing and reaping machines."

1355. To Charles Eardley Billing, Gas Stove Manufacturer, of 90, Hatton-garden, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in gas burners and reflectors for heating and warming purposes."



1356. To Henry Robert Lumley, of 14, Marlborough-place, St. John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in gearing for driving machinery."
1357. To William Carr and John Taylor, both of Bury, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "an improvement in the construction of pegs or tongues for shuttles used in looms for weaving."
1358. To John Birney Gould, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Consul of the United States of America at Birmingham, and William Levi Evans, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in metal hoops for baling cotton and other materials, and for other like purposes, which improvements are also applicable to the sackings of metallic bedsteads, cots, and couches."
1359. To William Bryden and John William Wilkinson, both of Morley, near Leeds, in the county of York, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for drawing, spinning, and twisting flax, tow, wool, worsted, silk, cotton, china grass, or other fibrous substances."
1364. To Adam Cyrus Engert, of Three Mills-lane, Bromley-by-Bow, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in the production of mouldings."
1365. And to Marcus Simon, of Frankfort on the Main, Germany, at present residing at the Castle and Falcon Hotel, Aldersgate-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "improvements in apparatus for closing adhesive envelopes, applicable also to other like uses."—The result partly of a communication from abroad made to him by Heinrich Kessler, of Oberlahnstein on the Rhine, and partly of invention and discovery made by himself.
- On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 5th day of April, 1878.
1368. To Tom Kilner, of Thornhill Lees, near Dewsbury, in the county of York, Glass Manufacturer, for the invention of "an improved construction of 'tank' for smelting glass."
1372. To James Forster, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in screw propellers."
1374. To Henry Sainsbury, of Curtain-road, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements applicable to the construction of wheel carriages."
1376. To Edwin Quadling, of 139, Cannon-street, in the city of London, for the invention of "new arrangements and adaptations of means and apparatus applicable to the manufacture of metallic pipes or tubes."
1378. To Richard Cosslett the younger, of Elgin Park, Redland, Bristol, for the invention of "improvements in clay, mortar, and other mills for crushing, grinding, pulverizing, and blending dry or plastic materials."
1382. To William Walton, of the Haughton Dale Mills, Denton, in the county of Lancaster, Wire Card Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of wire cards."
1384. And to Frank Wirth, of the firm of Wirth and Company, Patent Solicitors, at Frankfort on the Main, in the Empire of Germany, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of tartaric acid."—A communication

from Franz Dietrich, Chemist, a person resident at Murten (Switzerland).

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 6th day of April, 1878.

#### 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 13th day of April, 1878.

1251. James Ker Gulland, of No. 2, Westminster-chambers, Victoria-street, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in rock drills."—Dated 7th April, 1875.
1257. Samuel Bash, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in winding threads or yarns, and in the machinery or apparatus employed therefor."—Dated 7th April, 1875.
1261. Sigmund Goldstein, of the city of Manchester, Merchant, for an invention of "improvements in domestic ash pans."—Dated 7th April, 1875.
1263. James Turner, of Chicago, Illinois, United States of America, now of No. 8, Southampton-buildings, London, Merchant, for an invention of "improved apparatus for indicating to the driver of a railway train the displacing of the wheels or the separation of any part from another part of the train, or for automatically stopping the same."—Dated 7th April, 1875.
1266. Henry Vander Weyde, of Upper Norwood, in the county of Surrey, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of photographic studio windows or glasshouses."—Dated 7th April, 1875.
1268. Alfred David Turner, of Homerton, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in sewing machines and sewing machine needles, parts of the invention being also applicable to other purposes."—Dated 8th April, 1875.
1270. James Robertson, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in water meters."—Dated 8th April, 1875.
1271. Evan Leigh and Evan Arthur Leigh, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineers, for an invention of "certain improvements in carding engines and in tools for manufacturing the flaps of the same."—Dated 8th April, 1875.
1274. Thomas Duncan Macfarlane, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Machinist, for an invention of "improvements in washing and wringing apparatus and in churning apparatus."—Dated 8th April, 1875.
1276. Maximilian Zingler, of 19, Buckland-terrace, Belsize Park, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in the preparation of oils to fit them to be mixed with varnishes or dissolved gums."—Dated 8th April, 1875.
1277. Henry Bernoulli Barlow, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in engines for obtaining motive power and for pumping, partly applicable for converting a rotary motion into a rectilinear to and fro motion and vice versa."—From abroad by Emil Deck, of Vienna, in the Empire of Austria, Engineer.—Dated 8th April, 1875.



1280. Robert Browne, of Tollington-road, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements applicable to tramway cars, omnibusses, and other carriages."—Dated 8th April, 1875.
1282. John Wakefield, Engineer, of the Vulcan Foundry, Brynmawr, in the county of Brecknock, Wales, for an invention of "improvements in regulating and working the slide valves of steam and other engines."—Dated 9th April, 1875.
1283. Lewis Westlake, of Plymouth, in the county of Devon, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of wheel or roller skates."—Dated 9th April, 1875.
1285. Caleb Nash, of Shere, near Guildford, Surrey, for an invention of "improvements in lacing boots and shoes."—Dated 9th April, 1875.
1286. Ellis Butterworth, of Calder Cottage, near Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, for an invention of "certain improvements in furnaces for steam boilers and other purposes."—Dated 9th April, 1875.
1287. William West, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturing Jeweller, for an invention of "a new or improved glove fastening, applicable also to the fastening of other articles of dress."—Dated 9th April, 1875.
1292. Thomas Wise Conway, of Wareham, in the county of Dorset, for an invention of "improvements in tiles for building purposes."—Dated 9th April, 1875.
1293. Marcus Simon, of Frankfort on the Maine, in the Empire of Germany, at present residing at No. 14, London-street, in the city of London, Merchant, for an invention of "a new or improved shoe and boot cleaning machine, adaptable in part for polishing or sharpening knives, and for other similar purposes."—Dated 9th April, 1875.
1295. Joseph Kaye, of Kirkstall, near Leeds, in the county of York, for an invention of "improvements in the means or apparatus employed for registering the locking or unlocking of locks."—Dated 9th April, 1875.
1296. Daniel Spill, of Bromley-by-Bow, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in lathes for turning buttons and similar articles."—Dated 9th April, 1875.
1297. Richard Norton Allen, of Hudson, New York, and Albert Benton Pullman, of Chicago, Illinois, both in the United States of America, now of No. 8, Southampton-buildings, London, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of railway wheels."—Dated 9th April, 1875.
1300. Robert Parker, of Stranraer, in the county of Wigton, North Britain, for an invention of "improvements in distributing manures, and in the machinery or apparatus employed therefor."—Dated 10th April, 1875.
1302. David Smith, of Halifax, in the county of York, and George Tolson, of Dalton, near Huddersfield, in the same county, Wool and Rag Extractors, for an invention of "improvements in extracting vegetable matters from combinations of animal and vegetable substances."—Dated 10th April, 1875.
1307. Alexander Angus Croll, commonly known as Colonel Croll, of Coleman-street, in the city of London, for an invention of "improvements in the treatment of sulphur ores."—Dated 10th April, 1875.
1309. Henry Hunting, of Jarrow, in the county of Durham, Manager of Rolling Mills, for an invention of "an improved method of and machinery for manufacturing puddlers' rabbles and paddles."—Dated 10th April, 1875.
1314. John Sanders Stevens, of No. 69, Princes-street, Leicester-square, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in garden engines."—Dated 10th April, 1875.
1316. Marie Léon Buret de Longagne, of Brussels, in the Kingdom of Belgium, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in steam boilers or generators, and in their furnaces."—Dated 10th April, 1875.
1319. William Walker, of Saltburn-by-the-Sea, in the county of York, for an invention of "improvements in axle bearings for tubs or waggons used in mining operations and the like."—Dated 12th April, 1875.
1321. George Alfred Clough and Charles Ridealgh, both of Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, Engineers, for an invention of "improvements in puddling apparatus."—Dated 12th April, 1875.
1322. Charles Henry James and Alfred James Hamilton, of Old Change, in the city of London, Commission Agents, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of felted articles, and in the machinery or apparatus employed therein."—The said invention has been communicated to them from abroad by Albert Keller, of Lennep, in the Kingdom of Prussia.—Dated 12th April, 1875.
1324. Franziscus Xaver Ferdinandus Heilborn, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, for an invention of "a new or improved spring earring."—Dated 12th April, 1875.
1326. Robert Steers, of No. 127, Grosvenor Park, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in screw heads, and in drivers or tools for the same."—Dated 12th April, 1875.
1328. Frederic William Doerfel Steinfelser, of Klingenthal, Musical Instrument Maker, Partner of the firm of C. F. Doerfel Steinfelser & Co., in Klingenthal, in the Kingdom of Saxony, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of concertinas, organs, and harmoniums."—Dated 12th April, 1875.
1329. Thomas William Wilson, of the firm of Wilson & Co., Grocers and Wine Merchants, of Woodbridge, in the county of Suffolk, for an invention of "an improved bottle crate."—Dated 13th April, 1875.
1340. John Summers, of the Globe Iron Works, Stalybridge, in the county of Chester, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of nails or spikes."—Dated 13th April, 1876.
1341. John Cure, of Bradford, in the county of York, Wool Comber, and Christopher Bradley, of Bradford aforesaid, Machine Wool Comb Maker, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for combing wool, cotton, silk, and other fibres."—Dated 13th April, 1875.
1342. John Garrett Tongue, of the firm of Tongue and Birkbeck, Patent Agents and Engineers, of 34, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in lamp burners, for burning petroleum and other mineral or vegetable oils."—From abroad by Gustave Stobwasser, of Berlin, in the Empire of Germany.—Dated 13th April, 1875.

**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 13th day of April, 1878.

928. Thomas Borlase, of the parish of Redruth, in the county of Cornwall, Carpenter, for an invention of "improvements in apparatus for dressing, calcining, pulverizing, and cleaning tin and other ores and minerals."—Dated 8th April, 1871.

937. Daniel Mills, of Brooklyn, New York, United States of America, now of Albert-road, Aston, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for sewing the welts and soles upon boots and shoes, and in the preparation of the soles to be sewn by such machinery."—Same is the result partly of a communication to him from abroad by Charles Goodyear, junior, of the city and State of New York, United States of America, and partly of invention and discovery made by him.—Dated 8th April, 1871.

939. William Hollinshead, Engineer, of Peckham, in the county of Surrey, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of cone or plug valves."—Dated 10th April, 1871.

944. Richard Boyman Boyman, of Park Hill, Clapham Park, Surrey, for an invention of "improvements in constructing steam and other ships, boats, and aerial machines, so as to reduce their resistance."—Dated 10th April, 1871.

947. Samuel Edward Asquith, of Leeds, and Frederic Alexander Greenwood, of Bradford, both in the county of York, for an invention of "improvements in machinery for spinning wool and other fibrous substances."—Dated 10th April, 1871.

951. David Horsfall, of Lockwood, Huddersfield, in the county of York, Woollen Spinner, for an invention of "improved machinery for preparing wool or other fibrous substances for feeding carding engines."—Dated 11th April, 1871.

952. Henry Cartwright, of the Dean, Broseley, in the county of Salop, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in ploughs."—Dated 11th April, 1871.

972. David Jackson, of Lorrimer-road, Walworth, in the county of Surrey, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of sulphuric acid, and in the apparatus used therein."—Dated 12th April, 1871.

981. George Wightwick Rendel, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Civil Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in self-propelling submerged torpedoes."—Dated 13th April, 1871.

985. Edward Thomas Hughes, of the firm of Hughes and Son, Patent Agents, 123, Chancery-lane, London, for an invention of "improvements in driving whips."—Communicated to him from abroad by Charles Tomlinson Shelton, of the city and county of New Haven, State of Connecticut, United States of America.—Dated 13th April, 1871.

#### Cornwall Mineral and Bodmin and Wadebridge Junction Railway.

**W**HEREAS by "The Cornwall Mineral and Bodmin and Wadebridge Junction Railway Act, 1873," the Cornwall Mineral and Bodmin and Wadebridge Junction Railway Company was incorporated for the purpose of making and maintaining the following railways in the county of Cornwall, viz. :—

A railway (No. 1), two furlongs fifteen yards in length, commencing in the parish of Roche,

near the highway leading from the Victoria Inn to Roche, and terminating in the parish of Withiel by a junction with the Railway No. 2 next hereinafter mentioned.

A railway (No. 2), five miles six chains fourteen yards in length, commencing in the parish of Roche, near a lane leading from the turnpike road between Bodmin and Truro to Holywell, and terminating in the parish of Bodmin by a junction with the Bodmin and Wadebridge Railway.

And whereas pursuant to the Standing Orders of Parliament, and to an Act of the 9th year of Her present Majesty, chapter 20, a sum of £4,669 Three per Centum Consolidated Bank Annuities, being five per centum upon the amount of the estimate in respect of the railways by the said Act authorized, was transferred to the account of the Paymaster-General for the time being on behalf of the Court of Chancery in England, in respect of the application to Parliament for the said Act.

And whereas by the said Act of 1873 (section 36), it was enacted as follows :—

"The said stock transferred as aforesaid shall be applicable, and, after due notice in the London Gazette, shall be applied towards compensating any landowners or other persons whose property may have been interfered with or otherwise rendered less valuable by the commencement, construction, or abandonment of the railway, or any portion thereof, or who may have been subjected to injury or loss in consequence of the compulsory powers of taking property conferred upon the Company by this Act, and for which injury or loss no compensation or inadequate compensation shall have been paid, and shall be distributed in satisfaction of such compensation as aforesaid, in such manner and in such proportions as to the Court of Chancery in England may seem fit; and if no such compensation shall be payable, or if a portion of the said stock shall have been found sufficient to satisfy all just claims in respect of such compensation, then the said stock, or such portion thereof as may not be required as aforesaid, shall either be forfeited to Her Majesty, and accordingly be paid or transferred to or for the account of Her Majesty's Exchequer, in such manner as the Court of Chancery in England thinks fit to order on the application of the Solicitor of Her Majesty's Treasury, and shall be carried to and form part of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom; or in the discretion of the Court, if the Company is insolvent, and has been ordered to be wound up, or a receiver has been appointed, shall wholly or in part be paid or transferred to such receiver, or to the liquidator or liquidators of the Company, or be otherwise applied as part of the assets of the Company for the benefit of the creditors thereof: Provided, that until the said stock has been repaid to the depositors, or has become otherwise applicable as hereinbefore mentioned, any interest or dividends accruing thereon shall from time to time, and as often as the same shall become payable, be paid to or on the application of the person or persons, or the majority of the persons, named in such warrant or order as aforesaid, or the survivors or survivor of them."

And whereas by the Cornwall Mineral and Bodmin and Wadebridge Junction Railway Act, 1876, the respective periods fixed by the said Act of 1873 for the purchase of lands and completion of works were extended.

And whereas by "The Cornwall Mineral and Bodmin and Wadebridge Junction Railway (Abandonment) Act, 1878," the said Company is authorised and required to abandon the making of

the said railways (therein and hereinafter referred to as "the Railway"), and it is by that Act (sections 3, 4, and 5) enacted as follows:—

"3. The abandonment by the Company, under the authority of this Act, of the railway shall not prejudice or affect the right of the owner or occupier of any land to receive compensation for any damage occasioned by the entry of the Company on such land for the purpose of surveying and taking levels, or probing or boring to ascertain the nature of the soil, or setting out the line of railway, and shall not prejudice or affect the right of the owner or occupier of any land which may have been temporarily occupied by the Company to receive compensation for such temporary occupation, or for any loss, damage, or injury which may have been sustained by such owner or occupier by reason thereof, or of the exercise as regards such land of any of the powers contained in 'The Railways Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845,' or the Act of 1873, or the Act of 1876."

"4. Where before the passing of this Act any contract may have been entered into, or notice given by the Company, for the purchasing of any land for the purposes of or in relation to the railway, or any portion thereof, the Company shall be released from all liability to purchase or to complete the purchase of any such land, but notwithstanding full compensation shall be made by the Company to the owners and occupiers, or other persons interested in such land, for all injury or damage sustained by them respectively by reason of the purchase not being completed pursuant to the contract or notice, and the amount and application of the compensation shall be determined in manner provided by 'The Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845,' as amended by any subsequent Act for determining the amount and application of compensation paid for lands taken under the provisions thereof."

"5. Subject to the provisions of section 36 of the Act of 1873, the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice may, and shall at any time after the passing of this Act, on application by the persons or the majority of the persons named in the warrant or order mentioned in the thirty-fifth section of the Act of 1873, or the survivors or survivor of them, or the executors or administrators of such survivor by petition, in a summary way order that the sum of four thousand six hundred and sixty-nine pounds Three per Centum Consolidated Bank Annuities, mentioned in the said thirty-fifth section of the Act of 1873, and the interest or dividends thereon, may be paid or transferred to the person or persons so applying, or to any other person or persons whom they or he may appoint in that behalf, and upon such order being made the said sum of four thousand six hundred and sixty-nine pounds Three per Centum Consolidated Bank Annuities, and the interest or dividends thereon, shall be paid or transferred to such person or persons accordingly."

Notice is hereby given, that a petition will be presented to the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, on Friday, the 10th day of May, 1878, praying that the said sum of £4,669 Three per Centum Consolidated Bank Annuities may be transferred out of Court to the persons named in the warrant or order mentioned in the 35th section of the said Act of 1873, or their appointee. And all persons having any claims or demands upon the said sum of £4,669 Three per Centum Consolidated Bank Annuities, under the provisions of the said recited Acts, or either of them, must send particulars thereof to John Alexander Mainley Cope, Esq., of No. 4,

Victoria-street, Westminster, S.W., on or before the 6th day of May next.

Dated the 18th day of April, 1878.

Cope and Co., 4, Victoria-street, Westminster, Solicitors to the Company.

Bodmin and Wadebridge and Delabole Railway.

**W**HEREAS by "The Bodmin and Wadebridge and Delabole Railway Act, 1873," the Bodmin and Wadebridge and Delabole Railway Company was incorporated, for the purpose of making and maintaining the following railways in the county of Cornwall (that is to say):—A railway (hereinafter referred to as "the Railway"), nine miles two furlongs five chains and six yards in length, commencing in the parish of Saint Breward, by a junction with the main line of the Bodmin and Wadebridge Railway, at the termination thereof at Wenford Bridge, and terminating in the parish of Saint Teath, near the works of the Delabole Slate Quarries, and ten other railways (hereinafter referred to as "the Deviation Railways"), in the said Act particularly described, and numbered 1 to 10 inclusive, being deviations of the said Bodmin and Wadebridge Railway.

And whereas, pursuant to the Standing Orders of Parliament, and to an Act of the ninth year of Her present Majesty, chapter 20, a sum of £9,780 Three per Centum Consolidated Bank Annuities, being five per centum upon the amount of the estimate in respect of the railway and deviation railways by the said Act authorized, was transferred to the account of the Paymaster-General for the time being on behalf of the Court of Chancery in England, in respect of the application to Parliament for the said Act.

And whereas by the said Act of 1873 (section 39), it was enacted as follows:—

"The said stock transferred as aforesaid shall be applicable, and, after due notice in the London Gazette, shall be applied towards compensating any landowners or other persons whose property may have been interfered with, or otherwise rendered less valuable, by the commencement, construction, or abandonment of the railway, or any portion thereof, or who may have been subjected to injury or loss in consequence of the compulsory powers of taking property conferred upon the Company by this Act, and for which injury or loss no compensation or inadequate compensation shall have been paid, and shall be distributed in satisfaction of such compensation as aforesaid, in such manner and in such proportions as to the Court of Chancery in England may seem fit; and if no such compensation shall be payable, or if a portion of the said stock shall have been found sufficient to satisfy all just claims in respect of such compensation, then the said stock or such portion thereof as may not be required as aforesaid, shall either be forfeited to Her Majesty, and accordingly be paid or transferred to or for the account of Her Majesty's Exchequer, in such manner as the Court of Chancery in England thinks fit to order on the application of the Solicitor of Her Majesty's Treasury, and shall be carried to and form part of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom; or, in the discretion of the Court, if the Company is insolvent, and has been ordered to be wound up, or a receiver has been appointed, shall wholly or in part be paid or transferred to such receiver, or to the liquidator or liquidators of the Company, or be otherwise applied as part of the assets of the Company for the benefit of the creditors thereof: Provided that, until the said stock has been repaid to the depositors, or has become otherwise applicable as hereinbefore mentioned, any interest or

dividends accruing thereon shall from time to time, and as often as the same shall become payable, be paid to or on the application of the person or persons, or the majority of the persons named in such warrant or order as aforesaid, or the survivors or survivor of them."

And whereas by the Bodmin and Wadebridge Railway (Deviations) Act, 1874 (in which Act the said Bodmin and Wadebridge and Delabole Railway Act, 1873, is called "the Delabole Act," the said Bodmin and Wadebridge and Delabole Railway Company is called "the Delabole Company," and the Bodmin and Wadebridge Railway Company is called "the Company"), it was (sections 2, 3, and 21) enacted as follows:—

"2. On the passing of this Act all the rights, powers, and authorities of the Delabole Company, under or by virtue of the Delabole Act with reference to the deviation railways, and each of them, and every part thereof respectively, are by this Act transferred to and vested in the Company, and may thenceforth be exercised and enjoyed by the Company accordingly."

"3. All lands, tenements, and hereditaments which may have been acquired, and all works which may have been executed by the Delabole Company for the purposes of the deviation railways, or any of them, or any part or parts thereof respectively, previously to the vesting, are, upon the vesting by this Act, transferred to and vested in the Company for all the estate and interest of the Delabole Company therein respectively."

"21. On the application of the persons named in the warrant or order issued in pursuance of the Act of the ninth year of Her present Majesty, chapter twenty, in respect of the application to Parliament for the Delabole Act, or of the survivors or survivor of them, or of the majority of such persons or survivors, or of the executors or administrators of the last survivor, by petition, in a summary way, at any time after the passing of this Act, the High Court of Chancery may and shall order that so much of the sum of nine thousand seven hundred and thirty pounds Three per Centum Consolidated Bank Annuities, mentioned in the 38th section of the Delabole Act, and the interest and dividends thereof, as bears to the whole of the said sum interest and dividends, the same proportion as the sum of eighty-seven thousand seven hundred and eight pounds thirteen shillings and five pence (the estimated expense of the deviation railways) bears to the sum of one hundred and seventy-nine thousand and forty-five pounds six shillings and three pence (the estimated expense of the whole of the works authorized by the Delabole Act), shall be transferred and paid to the persons or person so applying, or to any other person or persons whom they or he may appoint in that behalf, and the 38th and 39th sections of the Delabole Act, shall operate and have effect with reference only to the balance of the said sum of nine thousand seven hundred and thirty pounds annuities, and the interest and dividends thereof."

And whereas in pursuance of the said last-mentioned Act, and of an Order of the said Court of Chancery, the sum of £4,766 8s. 3d. Three per Centum Consolidated Bank Annuities, part of the said £9,730 like annuities, has been transferred to the persons named in the warrant or order mentioned in the 38th section of the said Act of 1873, leaving the sum of £4,963 11s. 9d. Three per Centum Consolidated Bank Annuities, the residue of the said sum of £9,730, in Court.

And whereas, by the Bodmin and Wadebridge and Delabole Railway Act, 1876, the respective periods fixed by the said Act of 1873 for the pur-

chase of lands and completion of works were extended.

And whereas by "The Bodmin and Wadebridge and Delabole Railway (Abandonment) Act, 1878," the Bodmin and Wadebridge and Delabole Railway Company is authorized and required to abandon the making of the railway, and it is by that Act (sections 3, 4, and 5) enacted as follows:—

"3. The abandonment by the Company, under the authority of this Act, of the railway shall not prejudice or affect the right of the owner or occupier of any land to receive compensation for any damage occasioned by the entry of the Company on such land for the purpose of surveying and taking levels or probing or boring to ascertain the nature of the soil, or setting out the line of railway, and shall not prejudice or affect the right of the owner or occupier of any land which may have been temporarily occupied by the Company to receive compensation for such temporary occupation, or for any loss, damage, or injury which may have been sustained by such owner or occupier by reason thereof, or of the exercise as regards such land of any of the powers contained in 'The Railways Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845,' or the Act of 1873 or the Act of 1876."

"4. Where before the passing of this Act any contract may have been entered into, or notice given by the Company, for the purchasing of any land for the purposes of, or in relation to, the railway, or any portion thereof, the Company shall be released from all liability to purchase, or to complete the purchase of any such land, but notwithstanding full compensation shall be made by the Company to the owners and occupiers or other persons interested in such land, for all injury or damage sustained by them respectively, by reason of the purchase not being completed, pursuant to the contract or notice, and the amount and application of the compensation shall be determined in manner provided by 'The Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1845,' as amended by any subsequent Act for determining the amount and application of compensation paid for lands taken under the provisions thereof."

"5. Subject to the provisions of section 39 of the Act of 1873, the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice may and shall at any time after the passing of this Act, on application by the persons or the majority of the persons named in the warrant or order mentioned in the thirty-eighth section of the Act of 1873, or the survivors or survivor of them, or the executors or administrators of such survivor, by petition, in a summary way order that the balance now in the hands of the said Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice of the sum of nine thousand seven hundred and thirty pounds Three per Centum Consolidated Bank Annuities mentioned in the said thirty-eighth section of the Act of 1873, and the interest or dividends thereon may be paid or transferred to the person or persons so applying, or to any other person or persons whom they or he may appoint in that behalf, and upon such order being made the balance of the said sum of nine thousand seven hundred and thirty pounds Three per Centum Consolidated Bank Annuities, and the interest or dividends thereon, shall be paid or transferred to such person or persons accordingly."

Notice is hereby given, that a petition will be presented to the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, on Friday, the 10th day of May, 1878, praying that the said sum of £4,963 11s. 9d. Three per Centum Consolidated

Bank Annuities (being the residue of the said sum of £9,730 like annuities) may be transferred out of Court to the persons named in the warrant or order mentioned in the 38th section of the said Act of 1873, or their appointee. And all persons having any claims or demands upon the said sum of £4,963 11s. 9d. Three per Centum Consolidated Bank Annuities, under the provisions of the said recited Acts, or either of them, must send particulars thereof to John Alexander Mainley Cope, Esq., of No. 4, Victoria-street, Westminster, S.W., on or before the 6th day of May next.

Dated the 18th day of April, 1878.

Cope and Co., 4, Victoria-street, Westminster, Solicitors to the Company.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Crown Match Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the High Court of Justice, was, on the 16th day of April, 1878, presented to the Master of the Rolls by Atkinson Wilkin, of No. 112, Abbey-road, St. John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, a contributory of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Master of the Rolls, on the 4th day of May, 1878; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Acts, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.—Dated this 18th day of April, 1878.

Denton, Hall, and Barker, 15, Gray's-inn-square, London, W.C., Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.  
In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862, 1867, and 1877, and in the Matter of the Little Mountain Coal, Iron, and Clay Company Limited.

**T**HE Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins has, by an Order, dated the 10th day of April, 1878, appointed Alexander Young, of No. 16, Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, Public Accountant, to be Official Liquidator of the above-named Company.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

In the Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster.—Liverpool District.

In the Matter of the Ditton Coal and Iron Company Limited; and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and in the Matter of the Court of Chancery of Lancaster Act, 1850; and in the Matter of the Court of Chancery of Lancaster Act, 1854.

**B**Y an Order made by the Vice-Chancellor in the above matter, dated the 9th day of April, 1878, on the petition of the above-named Company, it was ordered that the said Ditton Coal and Iron Company Limited be wound up by this Court, under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1862 and 1867.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

Arthur S. Mather, 1, Commerce-court, Liverpool, Solicitor for the said Petitioners.

In the Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster.—Liverpool District.

In the Matter of the Ditton Coal and Iron Company Limited; and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and in the Matter of the Court of Chancery of Lancaster Act, 1850; and in the Matter of the Court of Chancery of Lancaster Act, 1854.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Vice-Chancellor has fixed the 1st day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the District Registrar, situate at the Municipal-buildings, Dale-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, as the time and place for the appointment of Official Liquidators of the above-named Company.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Wiesbaden Tramways Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Wiesbaden Tramways Company Limited, duly convened and held at the office of Mr. Alfred Allen, No. 61, King William-street, in the city of London, on the 5th day of April, 1878, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed:—

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

2. "That John Carle Hodges, of No. 25, Abchurch-lane, in the city of London, Accountant, and Edward Bishop, of Cintra Park, Upper Norwood, in the county of Kent, Physician, be and are hereby appointed Liquidators of the Company."

Wm. Fearon Tipping, Chairman.

The Plas Power Coal Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the subjoined Special Resolution was duly passed and confirmed at Extraordinary General Meetings of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company, No. 4, Grove Park, Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh, on the 11th day of March, 1878, and the 8th day of April, 1878, respectively:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that John Cullimore be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

T. Eyton Jones, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Newcastle Chemical Manure Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Newcastle Chemical Manure Company Limited, duly convened and held at the offices of the Company, 56, Dean-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 20th day of March, 1878, the following Resolutions were passed; and at a like Meeting of the Members of the Company, duly convened and held at the same place on the 4th day of April, 1878, the same Resolutions were confirmed and made Special Resolutions:—

"1. That the Newcastle Chemical Manure Company Limited, be and the same is hereby required to be wound up voluntarily.

"2. That Mr. Thomas Bowden, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Public Accountant, be appointed the Liquidator of the Company, and that his remuneration during the liquidation be a salary of £70

per annum, together with a commission of £2 per cent. per annum on all sums advanced by the said Thomas Bowden to, or on behalf of, the Company, whether such advances be made before or during the liquidation, and such commission to be in addition to any interest to the said Thomas Bowden may have to pay his Bankers for such moneys."

*Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.*

*F. H. Weyergang, Chairman.*

In the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Dewsbury Co-operative Manufacturing Company Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company, duly convened and held at the Fleece Inn, in Dewsbury, in the county of York, on the 26th day of March, 1878; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 10th day of April, 1878, the following Special Resolution was duly passed and confirmed:—

"That in consequence of continued bad trade, the Company is not in a position to work the machinery, &c., to make a profit, and therefore resolves to wind up the Company voluntarily."

*Abm. Marshall, Chairman.*

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862, and of the Scarborough Alexandra Hotel Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that at a General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Scarborough Alexandra Hotel Company Limited, duly appointed to be held at the said hotel, at Scarborough, in the county of York, on Monday, the 4th day of February, 1878, and duly held on that day, and by adjournment, on Monday, the 4th day of March, 1878, an Extraordinary Resolution was unanimously passed by the said Shareholders at the said adjourned Meeting:—

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

*And it was further resolved:—*

"That the said Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Richard Kirby Frankish, of Scarborough aforesaid, Auctioneer, be appointed the Liquidator for that purpose."

*John Petch, Chairman.*

The Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

The Ridgehill Coal, Firebrick, and Tile Manufacturing Company Limited.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 8th day of May, 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 William Lawton, of Market-street, Stalybridge, in the county of Lancaster, the Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the offices of Mr. Henry James Jackson, Church-street, Ashton-under-Lyne, in the said county of Lancaster, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. *Wednesday, the 15th day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the said office of the said Henry James Jackson, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.*

*William Lawton, Liquidator.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the affairs of the Stiperstones Consols Limited having been fully wound up, and the Liquidator having made up an account showing the manner in which such winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, a General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held on Wednesday, the 22nd day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the offices of Mr. E. T. R. Wilde, the Liquidator, at No. 51, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, for the purpose of having the said account laid before them, and hearing any explanation that may be given by the said Liquidator preparatory to the dissolution of the said Company under the 143rd section of the Companies Act, 1862.—*Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.*

*E. T. R. Wilde, Liquidator.*

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862 and 1867, and of a Special Resolution for Voluntarily Winding up the Oyster Merchants' Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Final General Meeting of the Members of the above Company will be held at No. 33, Cornwall-buildings, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at which Meeting the accounts of the Liquidators, showing the manner in which the winding up of the said Company has been conducted and its property disposed of, will be laid before such Members as may be then present.—*Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.*

*Fredk. Trueman, for Self and Fredk. Meyer, Liquidators.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Brigg Laycock, of Aireworth, in the parish of Keighley, in the county of York, Gentleman, and Thomas Broughton, of Keighley, in the said parish, Worsted Spinner, carrying on business at Aireworth aforesaid, as Commission Spinners, under the firm of Broughton and Co., has this day been dissolved by effluxion of time. All debts due to and owing from the said partnership will be paid to and by the said Thomas Brigg Laycock.—*Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.*

*Thomas Brigg Laycock.  
Thomas Broughton.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Douglas and James William Quick, at the Vulcan Iron Works, Nos. 29 and 30, Redcross-street, in the city of Bristol, as Engineers, under the style or firm of Douglas and Quick, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent; and that the said business will in future be carried on at the above place by the said William Douglas conjointly with William Britton, of Moorfields, near Bristol, Engineer, under the style or firm of Douglas and Britton, who will receive and pay all debts owing to or due from the said firm in respect of such business.—*Dated this 10th day of April, 1878.*

*William Douglas.  
James William Quick.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Joseph Jermy and William Potter, under the firm of Jermy and Potter, at No. 53, Curtain-road, in the county of Middlesex, in the trade or business of Upholsterers and Cabinet Manufacturers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—*As witness our hands this 15th day of April, 1878.*

*Joseph Jermy.  
William Potter.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Mill Pellatt and Charles Edward Willington, carrying on business as Wine and Spirit Merchants, at 9, Bush-lane, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Pellatt and Willington, was dissolved, on the 20th December, 1877, by mutual consent.—*Dated the 20th day of December, 1877.*

*Mill Pellatt.  
Charles Edward Willington.*



**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Farnfield and Edward William Sampson, at Parson's-bill, Woolwich, Kent, and Nos. 19 and 21, Queen Victoria-street, London, E.C., under the style of Farnfield and Sampson, in the profession of Solicitors, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 5th day of April, 1878.

*W. Farnfield.*

*Edward Wm. Sampson.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting and carried on by us the undersigned, Edward Hoblyn and Charles William Marsden Wilson, at 150, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, as Metal Merchants, under the firm of Hoblyn, Wilson, and Co. has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as on and from the 31st of March last, so far as regards the said Charles William Marsden Wilson. And that all debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Edward Hoblyn.—Dated this 8th day of April, 1878.

*Edward Hoblyn.*

*C. W. M. Wilson.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Orlando Mills and Alfred Simister, carrying on the business of Shuttle Makers, at Green-street, Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Mills and Simister, has been dissolved, as from the 15th day of April instant, by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said late partnership will be received and paid by the said Orlando Mills, by whom the business will in future be carried on at the same premises.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

*Orlando Mills.*

*Alfd. Simister.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, the Right Honourable Edward, Lord Dunsany, Edward John Coleman, Jane Easton, Mary Goodchild Fairless, and Elizabeth Catherine Fairless, and John Hugh Bainbridge, now deceased, carrying on business at Pelton Colliery, in the county of Durham, and at Lombard-street, in the borough of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, as Colliery Owners and Proprietors, under the style of the Owners of Pelton Colliery, has been dissolved, as from the 13th day of May, 1877, so far as concerns the said Jane Easton, Mary Goodchild Fairless, and Elizabeth Catherine Fairless, who have ceased to hold any interest in the said Colliery.—Dated this 23th day of March, 1878.

*Dunsany.*

*Edward J. Coleman.*

*Robert C. Dobbs.*

Executor of John Hugh Bainbridge,  
deceased.

*Mary Goodchild Fairless.*

*Elizabeth. Cath. Fairless.*

*Jane Easton.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Marks and Alfred George Marks, of No. 3, Friday-street, in the city of London, as Silk Agents, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 13th day of April, 1878.

*William Marks.*

*A. G. Marks.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Woods and James Woods, carrying on business as Pork Butchers and Bacon Curers, at the city of Chichester, under the style or firm of W. and J. Woods, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent; and that the said business will henceforth be carried on by the said William Woods alone, by whom all debts owing to or by the said partnership will hereafter be received and paid.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1878.

*William Woods.*

*James Woods.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, George Palmer, William Cookney, and Thomas Palmer, in the trade or business of Cigar and Tobacco Manufacturers, at 68, Paul-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of George Palmer and Co., was, on the 15th instant, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by said George Palmer, by whom the said business will in future be carried on in his own name and on his own account.—As witness our hands this 15th day of April, 1878.

*George Palmer.*

*William Cookney.*

*Thomas Palmer.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between Joseph Bridge Arthy and Charles Bell, under the style or firm of Arthy and Bell, of Chelmsford, in the county of Essex, Solicitors, was, on the 3rd day of April, 1878, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

*J. B. Arthy.*

*Charles Bell.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between Charles Bell and Joseph Bridge Arthy, under the style or firm of Charles Bell and Co., at Nos. 3, 4, and 5, Poultry, known as Pimm's, Shell Fishmongers and Restaurateurs, and at No. 4, Bucklersbury, known as Reichert's, Restaurateurs, both in the city of London, was, on the 3rd day of April, 1878, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

*Charles Bell.*

*J. B. Arthy.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Havard and David Davies, as Tallow Chandlers, at Pontypool, in the county of Monmouth, under the style or firm of Havard and Davies, was dissolved, by mutual consent, on and from the 9th day of March instant.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

*John Havard.*

*D. Davies.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, David Haigh and Benjamin Lees, as Grocers, Wine and Spirit, Ale and Porter Merchants, and Shopkeepers, at Yeadon, in the county of York, was dissolved, by mutual consent, on the 1st day of January, 1877, since which time the said business has been carried on, as it will, in future, be carried on, by the said David Haigh alone.—Dated the 16th day of April, 1878.

*David Haigh.*

*Benjamin Lees.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Newcome Seaman and Matthew Seaman, under the firm of N. and M. Seaman, at Horncastle, in the county of Lincoln, in the trade or business of Wheelwrights and Blacksmiths, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 8th day of April, 1878.

*Newcome Seaman.*

*Matthew Seaman.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting between John Mills, John Thomas Webster, and Albert Toller, as Brass Founders, Finishers, and Steam Gauge Makers, at Special Brass Works, Whitehall-road, Leeds, under the style of Mills, Webster and Toller, or otherwise, was this day dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said John Thomas Webster. The assets and liabilities of the firm being respectively taken and borne by the said John Mills and Albert Toller, by whom the said business will in future be carried on under the style of Mills and Toller.—As witness their hands this 17th day of April, 1878.

*John Mills.*

*John Thomas Webster.*

*Albert Toller.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Redfern Bottomley and Joe Drury Drury, as Maltsters and Brewers, at the Aspley Old Brewery, in Huddersfield, in the county of York, under the firm of J. R. Bottomley and Co., is dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or from the said partnership will be received and paid by the said James Redfern Bottomley.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

*J. R. Bottomley.*

*J. D. Drury.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us at Great Malvern, in the trade or business of Bakers, Cooks, Confectioners, and Refreshment-house Keepers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 16th day of April, 1878.

*Edward Archer.*

*Thomas Drinkwater.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Knowles and Alfred Phillips, carrying on business at No. 74, Lupus-street, Pimlico, in the county of Middlesex, as Physicians and Surgeons, under the style or name of the South Belgravia Dispensary for Diseases of the Throat, Ear, and Chest, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

*Henry Knowles.*

*Alfred Phillips.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately existing between us the undersigned, Joseph Ingledew and William Woolston-Greey, in the business of Land Agents and Surveyors, at No. 12, Furnival's-inn, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Ingledew and Greey, is hereby dissolved, as from this date, by mutual consent.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1878.

*Joseph Ingledew.  
W. W. Greey.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel Gawith and John Edward Gawith, in the business of Tobacco and Snuff Manufacturers, carried on by us at Kendal, in the county of Westmorland, and at Meal Bank, near Kendal aforesaid, under the style or firm of Samuel and John E. Gawith, has been dissolved as from this day.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

*Samuel Gawith.  
John E. Gawith.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, John Beever and William Bramhall, as Butchers, at Sheffield, in the county of York, under the firm of Beever and Bramhall, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said William Bramhall, by whom the said business will, in future, be carried on.—As witness our hands this 4th day of April, 1878.

*John Beever.  
William Bramhall.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Edward Charles Griffiths and William Harrison, as Millers and Corn Merchants, at the Steam Flour Mills, Chetwynd End, Newport, in the county of Salop, under the style or firm of Griffiths and Harrison, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 31st day of December, 1877. All debts due to and owing from the said business will be received and paid by the said William Harrison, by whom the trade will, in future, be carried on.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

*Edward Charles Griffiths.  
William Harrison.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Lambert Gillott, Arthur Edward Scarlett, and Thomas Henry Gillott, of the city of Coventry, Ironmongers, carrying on business in Coventry aforesaid, under the style or firm of Gillott, Scarlett, and Gillott, was dissolved, by mutual consent, on the 30th day of March last, so far as regards the said Arthur Edward Scarlett, who, on that day, retired from the said firm.—As witness our hands this 16th day of April, 1878.

*Thos. L. Gillott.  
Arthur Edward Scarlett.  
T. H. Gillott.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Edward Davies and George Davies, carrying on business as Gold Ornament Manufacturers, at No. 52, Branstons-street, Birmingham, under the style or firm of E. and G. Davies, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

*Edward Davies.  
George Davies.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership business heretofore subsisting and carried on between us the undersigned, George Worsley, Joseph Brelsford, and Ralph Ashton, as Hat Manufacturers, at Audenshaw, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Worsley, Brelsford, and Ashton, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said late partnership firm will be received and paid by the said George Worsley and Joseph Brelsford, by whom the said business will in future be carried on under the style of Worsley and Brelsford.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

*George Worsley.  
Joseph Brelsford.  
Ralph Ashton.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, in the business of Gas Lamp Manufacturers, at No. 57, Red Lion-street, Clerkenwell, in the county of Middlesex, under the style of Burrows and Co., has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 1st day of February, 1878.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

*Wm. Burrows.  
R. S. Wills.*

[Extract from the Edinburgh Gazette of April 16, 1878.]

#### NOTICE.

**T**HE Company carrying on business in Glasgow, as Sugar Merchants, under the firm of Robert Lewis and Co., of which the Subscribers were sole Partners, was dissolved, on 31st December, 1877, of mutual consent.

*Daniel Gray.  
John Macdonald.*

**SYDNEY BROADFOOT.** Mercantile Clerk, Virginia-street, Glasgow, Witness.

**DAVID GRAY,** Mercantile Clerk, Virginia-street, Glasgow, Witness.

#### CHARLOTTE FREDERICA LOCK, Spinster, Deceased.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that creditors and other persons having any debt or claim against or upon the estate of Charlotte Frederica Lock, late of Elliot Vale, Blackheath, in the county of Kent, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 17th September, 1877, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 20th of December, 1877, by William Price Moore, of No. 23, Knight Rider-street, Doctors'-commons, in the city of London, Esq., and the Reverend William Hanson Jackson, of No. 26, Ladywell-park, Lewisham, in the county of Kent, Clerk, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars of their debts to the undersigned, Messrs. Gordon and Grant, the Solicitors of the said executors, at their offices, No. 51, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, on or before the 6th day of June 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 debts or claims of which the said executors may then have received notice; and they will not be answerable or liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had any notice.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

**GORDON and GRANT,** 51, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C., Solicitors to the said Executors.

#### Mrs. EMMA HEWSON, Deceased.

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

**A**LL creditors or other persons having any claim against the estate of Emma Hewson, late of Louth, in the county of Lincoln, Widow (who died on the 22nd day of September, 1877), are hereby required to send, on or before the 15th day of June next, particulars of their claims to Henry Robert Hewson, of Alvingham, in the said county, Farmer, the executor of the deceased, or to us. And notice is hereby given, that on and after the said 15th day of June, the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard to those claims only of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

**WM. and THOS. FALKNER ALLISON,** Louth, Solicitors.

#### JOHN WOODBURN, Deceased.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all persons being creditors of or otherwise having any claims upon or against the estate of John Woodburn, late of Ambleside, in the county of Westmorland, Grocer, deceased (who died on the 3rd day of May, 1877, at Ambleside aforesaid, and whose will was proved on the 20th day of June following, in the District Registry at Carlisle of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Edward Tyson, of Ambleside aforesaid, Joiner, and William Salkeld, of Clappersgate, near Ambleside aforesaid, Farmer, the executors in the said will named), are required, on or before the 30th day of April, 1878, to send to the undersigned, the particulars of their claims upon or against the said estate, and that at the expiration of such last-mentioned time the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and that the said executors will not after such time be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

**WM. HOPES HEELIS,** Hawkshead, Ambleside, Solicitor to the said Executors.



**CHARLES THOMAS INGHAM, M.D., 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 Charles Thomas Ingham, late of No. 5, Beaufort-buildings East, in the city of Bath, in the county of Somerset, deceased (who died on or about the 14th day of February, 1878, and whose will was duly proved by Charles David Ingham, of No. 5, Upper East Hayes, in the said city of Bath, Esq., one of the executors therein named, the other executor having renounced probate, on the 8th day of April, 1878, in the Bristol District 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 me, the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of June next; 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 had notice; and that he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

**FRED. BARTLETT LITTLE, Bath, Solicitor for the said Executor.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debt, claim, or demands against or upon the estate of Charles Gregory Sheffield, late of Clarence-street, Greenwich, in the county of Kent, and of No. 1, Pepys-road, New Cross road, Hatcham, in the county of Surrey, deceased (who died on the 24th day of February, 1878, and whose will was proved by John Charles Sheffield and Sarah Sheffield, the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 25th day of March, 1878), are hereby required to send in the particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, Messrs. Roy and Cartwright, at 4, Lothbury, London, E.C., as Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 18th day of May next; and notice is hereby further given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, or 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 of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

**ROY and CARTWRIGHT, Solicitors to the said Executors.**

**Re EDWARD HALEY, Deceased.**  
Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, **NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and others having any claims against the estate of Edward Haley, late of Bell House, Bierley, in the parish of Bradford, in the county of York, and of Bradford aforesaid, House Painter and Decorator, deceased (who died on the 28th day of October, 1877, and whose will was proved on the 8th day of March, 1878, in the District Registry of Wakefield attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Sarah Haley, the Widow, and Sarah Haley the younger, the executrices named in the said will), are requested to send the particulars thereof, to me, the undersigned, on or before the 15th day of May next, after which time the said executrices will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall have had notice.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

**CHARLES W. BAKER, Commercial Bank-buildings, Bradford, Solicitor to the said Sarah Haley, Widow, and Sarah Haley the younger.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of Frances Scott, late of Great Malvern, in the county of Worcester, and of Sandwell Park, near Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester; Widow, deceased (who died on the 26th day of December, 1877, and whose will and codicil were proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 12th day of February, 1878, by Augustus Kempson, of the town of Northampton, Gentleman, and the Reverend Francis Davidson, of Schöling, near Southampton, Clerk in

Holy Orders, two of the executors named in the said will and codicil), are hereby required to send particulars of their claims to me, the undersigned, on or before the 10th day of May, 1878, after which date the executors and trustees of the said will 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 such executors and trustees respectively will not be liable to any person or persons of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed. Notice is hereby also given, that all persons indebted to the estate of the said Frances Scott are requested to forthwith pay the amount of their respective debts at my office.—Stamford, 25th March, 1878.

**J. E. ATTER, Stamford, Solicitor.**

**JOHN LEDGER, Deceased.**

Notice pursuant to the Act 22nd and 23rd Vict., 35.

**ALL** persons having any claim against the estate of John Ledger, late of Carr Brecks, near Ollerton, in the county of Nottingham, Farmer (who died on the 19th December, 1877), are to send particulars thereof to the undersigned before the 31st May, 1878, after which date the assets of the said deceased will be distributed.—Dated this 16th April, 1878.

**MEE, BURNABY, and DENMAN, East Retford, Solicitors to George Hardy and Henry Mallet, the Executors of the Will of the said Deceased.**

**WILLIAM BROOKS the Younger, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of William Brooks the younger, late of Mistley and Colchester, both in the county of Essex, Merchant, deceased (who died on the 25th day of February last, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 13th day of April, 1878, by Ann Hilton Brooks, of Mistley aforesaid, Widow, and Robert Brooks, of Mistley aforesaid, Merchant, the executors named in the said will), are requested, on or before the 13th day of May next, to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to the said Robert Brooks, one of such executors, and the said executors will after the said 13th day of May next, proceed to dispose of and distribute the estate of the said deceased, without regard to the debts, claims, or demands of which the said executors shall not then have had notice. And all persons owing any debt or money to the estate of the said deceased are requested to pay the same forthwith to the said Robert Brooks.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

**DAVID MUSTARD, 7, Fumival's-inn, London, and Manningtree, Essex, Solicitor to the said Executors.**

**MARTHA OKELL, Deceased.**

Pursuant to 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 Martha Okell, late of Castle Northwich, in the county of Chester, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 21st day of October, 1876, and whose will was proved in the District Registry, at Chester, of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 28th day of November, 1877, by Johnson Fletcher, the executor named in the said will), are hereby required to send particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned, Algernon Fletcher, the Solicitor to the said executor, at his offices, in Northwich, in the county of Chester, on or before the 1st day of June next, after which day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and that the said executor will not be liable for such assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

**ALGN. FLETCHER, Northwich, Cheshire, Solicitor to the said Executor.**

**MARY PARROTT, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon the estate of Mary Parrott, late of No. 9, Albion-street, Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex, Spinster, deceased (who died at No. 9, Albion-street aforesaid, on the 29th day of March, 1878, and whose will, with a codicil was duly proved by Julia Miller, of No. 9, Albion-street aforesaid, Spinster, and George Longley Lepper, of 72, Mark-lane, in the city of London, Solicitor, the executors therein named in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 13th day of April, 1878), are

hereby required to send particulars in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 22nd day of May, 1878; and notice is hereby given, that at the expiration of the last mentioned day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the testatrix amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had written notice, and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

LEPPER and BLOXLAND, 72, Mark-lane, E.C.,  
Solicitors for the said Executors.

**THOMAS HOOPER NICHOLLS, Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chap. 35. ALL creditors and other persons having any claim or demand against the estate of Thomas Hooper Nicholls, late of 34, Bangor-street, in the town and county of Carnarvon, Slate Manufacturer and Enameller (who died on the 27th day of October, 1877, of whose will probate was granted, on the 21st day of November, 1877, by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, at the District Registry attached to the Probate Division at Bangor, to Emily Nicholls, Widow), are hereby required to send in to the undersigned, the particulars of their debts and claims against the said deceased, on or before the 13th day of May, 1878. And notice is hereby given, that the executrix of the said Thomas Hooper Nicholls, deceased, will, after the 13th day of May next, proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which she shall have had notice.—Dated 13th day of April, 1878.

TURNER and ALLANSON, 1, Church-street,  
Carnarvon, Solicitors for the said Executrix.

**RICHARD JONES, Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chap. 35. ALL creditors and other persons having any claim or demand against the estate of Richard Jones, late of 3, Bangor-street, in the town and county of Carnarvon, Butcher (who died on the 4th day of December, 1877, to whose estate letters of administration, with the will annexed, were granted, on the 29th day of March, 1878, by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, at the District Registry attached to the Probate Division at Bangor, to Isaac Thomas), are hereby required to send in to the undersigned, the particulars of their debts and claims against the said deceased, on or before the 13th day of May, 1878. And notice is hereby given, that the administrator of the said Richard Jones, deceased, will, after the 13th day of May next, proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which he shall have had notice.—Dated 13th day of April, 1878.

TURNER and ALLANSON, 1, Church-street,  
Carnarvon, Solicitors for the said Administrator.

**DAVID PINCHIN, Deceased.**

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claim against the estate of David Pinchin, late of Codrington, in the county of Gloucester, Yeoman, deceased (who died on the 13th day of February, 1878, and whose will was proved in the Gloucester District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 13th day of March following, by Francis Pinchin, of the parish of Box, in the county of Wilts, Yeoman, and Peter Pinchin, of the same parish, Brewer, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in written particulars of such claim to me, on or before the 31st day of May next, after which date the said executors will distribute the said deceased's assets, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated 17th April, 1878.

J. TRENFIELD, Chipping Sodbury, Solicitor to  
the said Executors.

**GEORGE THOMAS WILSON, 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 George Thomas Wilson, late of the city of Lincoln, Plumber and Glazier, deceased (who died on the 26th December, 1877, and whose will was proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Lincoln, on the 14th February, 1878, by Fanny Wilson, of the city of Lincoln aforesaid, Widow, the relict of the said deceased, Thomas Pilkington, of the same city, Plumber, and John Anderton Stokes, also of the same city, Tailor, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send, on or before the 11th day of May next, particulars of their claim to either of the said executors, or to us, the undersigned; and notice is hereby given, that on and after the said 11th day of May next, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said

deceased, having regard to those claims only of which they or us the undersigned shall then have had notice.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

TOYNBEE, LARKEN, and TOYNBEE, Lin-  
coln, Solicitors for the Executors.

**JABEZ WRIGHT, Deceased.**

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of 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 Jabez Wright, late of Dale House Farm, Gawsworth, in the county of Chester, Farmer, deceased (who died on the 12th day of April, 1877, and whose will was proved by Jabez Wright, of Macclesfield, in the said county, Borough Surveyor, one of the executors therein named, in the Chester Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 4th day of July, 1877), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned, the Solicitor acting for the said executor, on or before the 10th day of June, 1878, after which day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the undersigned shall then have had notice; and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt or claim the undersigned shall not then have had notice. And all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to pay their accounts to the undersigned forthwith.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1878.

HENRY HAND, Church Side, Macclesfield, Soli-  
citor to the said Executor.

**RALPH CLARK, 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 Ralph Clark, late of 133, London-road, Sutton, within Macclesfield, in the county of Chester, Yeoman, deceased (who died on the 9th day of July, 1877, and whose will was proved by Thomas Clark, of Mill-lane, Sutton aforesaid, Confectioner, and James Beard, of Ramon, in the said county, Farmer, the executors therein named, on the 24th day of July, 1877, in the Chester District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the said Thomas Clark and James Beard, or one of them, or to the undersigned, on or before the 10th day of June next. And notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have 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 12th day of April, 1878.

HENRY HAND, Church Side, Macclesfield, Soli-  
citor to the said Executors.

**WILLIAM LLOYD, Deceased.**

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of William Lloyd, late of Coldstone, in the parish of Little Newcastle, in the county of Pembroke, Farmer (who died on the 23rd day of September, 1877, and whose will was proved on the 21st day of January, 1878, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by John Reed, of Little Newcastle, in the said county of Pembroke, Farmer, the surviving executor named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their respective claims and demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 2nd day of May, 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 debts, claims, or demands of which they shall then have had notice; and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1878.

DAVIES and CO., Haverfordwest, Solicitors for  
the said John Reed.

**THOMAS DIX, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Thomas Dix, of Stanley-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, deceased (who died on the 8th day of March, 1878, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Liverpool of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 1st day of April, 1878, by Helen Dix, of Stanley-street aforesaid, Widow, the relict of the said deceased, the executrix named in the said will), are hereby required, on or before the 1st day of June, 1878, to send in full particulars of their debts, claims, or demands to the said executrix, at the office of her Solicitors, No. 17, Water-street, Liverpool; at the expiration of which time the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which the said executrix shall then have had notice; and that the said executrix will not be answerable or 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 16th day of April, 1878.

**WRIGHT, STOCKLEY, and BECKET, 17, Water-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Executrix.**

**ALEXANDER MACKENZIE CAMERON, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Alexander Mackenzie Cameron, late of 14, Nightingale-vale, Woolwich, in the county of Kent, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 9th day of February, 1877, and whose will was proved by Barbara Ellis, one of the trustees therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 6th day of December, 1877), are hereby required forthwith to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to me, the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of July, 1878. And notice is hereby given, that at the expiration of that time the said trustee 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 she shall then have had notice; and that she will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

**ANTHONY NORRIS, 2, Bedford-row, London, W.C., Solicitor to the said Trustee.**

**THOMAS WHITEHEAD, 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 persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Thomas Whitehead, formerly of Blanche Villa, Edge-lane, Stretford, in the county of Lancaster, but late of Wyard House, Maidstone, in the county of Kent, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 2nd day of May, 1877, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved by William Whibley Hubble, George Bingham, and James Howarth, the executors therein named, on the 19th day of May, 1877, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of June next, after which day the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1878.

**BUNTING, BINGHAM, and PARKES, 17, Cooper-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the Executors.**

**THOMAS GADSBY, 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 persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Thomas Gadsby, late of No. 31, King-street, in the city of Manchester, Hairdresser and Perfumer, deceased (who died on the 3rd day of January, 1878, and whose will was proved by Vincent Kilborn and Henry Orton, the

executors therein named, on the 19th day of February, 1878, in the District Registry at Manchester of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of June next, after which day the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of March, 1878.

**BUNTING, BINGHAM, and PARKES, 17, Cooper-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the Executors.**

**PETER DEBOCK, 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 others having any claims or demands, either as creditors or otherwise, against the estate of Peter Debock, late of No. 46, Old Ford-road, Victoria Park, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman (who died on the 25th day of March, 1878, and probate of whose will was, on the 9th day of April, 1878, granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice to me, the undersigned, Frederic William Imbert-Terry, of No. 93, Gresham-street, in the city of London, Gentleman, the executor in the said will named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to me, the said Frederic William Imbert-Terry, at No. 93, Gresham-street aforesaid, on or before the 24th day of June, 1878, after which day I, the said Frederic William Imbert-Terry, shall proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims and demands only of which I shall then have had notice; and that I shall not be liable or answerable for the assets so distributed, or for any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim or demand I shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

**F. W. IMBERT-TERRY.**

**JOSEPH OSBORNE, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands upon or against the estate of Joseph Osborne, late of Donington-le-Heath, in the county of Leicester, Farmer, deceased (who died on the 20th day of April, 1877, and whose will was proved on the 19th day of June, 1877, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Mary Willars, of Donington-le-Heath aforesaid, Widow, and John Jackson, of Hugglescote, in the said county of Leicester, Farmer, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required, on or before the 1st day of June, 1878, to send particulars of their debts or claims upon or against the estate of the said deceased to the said Mary Willars, at Donington-le-Heath aforesaid, or to the said John Jackson, at Hugglescote aforesaid, or to Messrs. Smith and Mammatt, of Ashby-de-la-Zouch, in the county of Leicester, Solicitors to the said executors. And notice is hereby given, that after the said 1st day of June, 1878, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Joseph Osborne, deceased, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors may then have had notice; and they will not be answerable or liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

**SMITH and MAMMATT, Ashby-de-la-Zouch, Solicitors to the said Executors.**

**ELLIS HODGSON, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Ellis Hodgson, formerly of Halifax, in the parish of Halifax, and county of York, Cattle Dealer, but late of Bradshaw, in Ovenden, in the said parish (who died on the 25th day of February, 1878, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 30th day of March, 1878, by Robert Eastburn, of Blackroyd, in Ovenden, in the said parish of Halifax, Stuff Finisher, and Henry Fleming, of Northgate, Halifax aforesaid, Corn Merchant, the executors named in the said will and

codicil), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their respective debts, claims, or demands to the said executors, or to their Solicitor, the undersigned, William Henry Boocock, on or before the 22nd day of May next; and notice is hereby further given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice, and that the said 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 8th day of April, 1878.

WM. H. BOOCOCK, Silver-street, Halifax, Solicitor to the said Executors.

MARY BROGRAVE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand against the estate of Mary Brograve, late of No. 4, Atlantic-terrace, Weston-super-Mare, in the county of Somerset, Widow (who died on the 9th day of December, 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 Wells, on the 16th day of March, 1878, by Walter John Paul, of Teignmouth, in the county of Devon, Esq., and Benjamin Thomas, of Brislington, in the county of Somerset, Esq., the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars of such claim or demand to Mr. Henry Mountrich James, of the Close, Exeter, on or before the 30th day of May, 1878, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased pursuant to the trusts of her said will and codicil, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have received notice, and the said executors will not remain liable for any assets, so distributed, to any person of whose claim they shall not then have received notice.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

HENRY M. JAMES, the Close, Exeter, Solicitor to the said Executors.

WILLIAM PRIDDY, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Priddy, formerly of Spittleborough Farm, in the parish of Liddiard Tregooze, but late of Wooton Bassett, both in the county of Wilts, Farmer, deceased (who died on the 19th day of February last, and whose will was proved on the 5th day of April instant, in the Salisbury District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Ann Priddy, Widow, John Hoystrop Chandler, and Hercules Henry Nixon Slade, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands, with the nature of their securities, if any, to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said executors, at our offices, in High-street, Wootton Bassett aforesaid, on or before the 31st day of May next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the executors shall then have received notice.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1878.

MULLINGS, ELLETT, and CO., Wootton Bassett, Solicitors to the said Executors.

The Reverend JOSEPH DANIEL, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Joseph Daniel, late of Hathersage, in the county of Derby, Clerk in Holy Orders (who died on the 26th day of February, 1878, and probate of whose will was, on the 4th day of April, 1878, granted to Michael Dolan, of 4, Tokenhouse-yard, Lothbury, in the city of London, Gentleman, and Charles Tasker, of Glossop, in the said county of Derby, Clerk in Holy Orders, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands and of the nature of the security, if any, held by them for the same, to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executors, at my office, No. 4, Tokenhouse-yard aforesaid, on or before the 13th day of June next, after which day the said executors will proceed to apply the assets of the said deceased as directed by the said will, having regard only to the claims of which notice

shall then have been received; and the said executors will not afterwards 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 16th day of April, 1878.

MICHAEL DOLAN, 4, Tokenhouse-yard, Lothbury, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Executors.

HEINRICH BASQUIT, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 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 claim or demand upon or against the estate of Heinrich Basquit, late of Bury St. Edmunds, in the county of Suffolk, Regimental Bandmaster, and formerly Bandmaster of Her Majesty's 33rd (Duke of Wellington's) Regiment, deceased (who died on the 12th day of September, 1877, intestate, and of whose personal estate letters of administration have been granted to Charles Edward Salmon, of Bury St. Edmunds aforesaid, Gentleman), are hereby required to send in their claims to us, the undersigned Solicitors, on or before the 31st day of May next, after which day the said Charles Edward Salmon will proceed to apply the assets of the said intestate, and for the estate so applied he, the said Charles Edward Salmon, will not be liable to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

SALMON and SON, Bury St. Edmunds, Solicitors.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Walker v. Walker, 1874, W., No. 157, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Hall, by Mr. Joseph Bowe (of the firm of Mitchell, Bowe, and Mitchell), the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Royal Oak Hotel, at Keawick, in the county of Cumberland, on Saturday, the 25th day of May, 1878, at two for three o'clock in the afternoon, in one lot:—

A valuable and extensive estate, partly freehold and partly customaryhold, of the manor of Grasmere, situate at Easedale, in the township of Grasmere, in the county of Westmoreland, consisting of a farm-house and farm buildings, and about 30 acres of arable, meadow, and pasture land, a very considerable portion of which is suitable for building sites, being situate in one of the most romantic and beautiful parts of the lake district.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis) of Messrs. Wicks and Burn, Solicitors, Cockermouth, in the county of Cumberland; Messrs. E. Flux and Leadbitter, Solicitors, 159, Leadenhall-street, London, E.C.; Mr. Baldrey, Estate Agent, Grasmere; of the Auctioneer, at Cockermouth aforesaid; and at the place of sale.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action Deakin v. Deakin, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, by Mr. William Handy Bentley, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Reindeer Hotel, in the city of Worcester, on Monday, the 13th day of May, 1878, at four o'clock in the afternoon, in three lots:—

A freehold shop, houses, and land, situate in the city of Worcester, in the occupation of weekly tenants.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis) of Messrs. Geare and Son, Solicitors, 57, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London; Messrs. Masefield and Sons, Solicitors, Ledbury, in the county of Hereford; of the Auctioneer, Worcester aforesaid; and at the place of sale.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of John Mease, deceased, and in an action Kidd v. Kidd, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, by Mr. William Gibson, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Black Swan Hotel, at Stokesley, in the county of York, on Monday, the 20th day of May, 1878, at one for two o'clock in the afternoon, in one lot:—

10A. 12. 9p. of freehold land at Hutton, near Rudby, in the county of York, also several dwelling-houses, cottages, and shops with appurtenances, and a public house, known as the Bay Horse Inn, also a water corn mill, and a building called the Cleveland Sail Cloth Factory, in the township of Hutton aforesaid.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis) of Messrs. J. C. and T. Sowerby, of Stokesley, Yorkshire, Solicitors; of Messrs. Williamson, Hill, and Co., of 13, Sherborne-lane, King William street, London, Solicitors; of Mr. W. Gibson, No. 65, Corporation-road, Middlesborough, Yorkshire, Auctioneer; and at the place of sale.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the causes of Lacey v. Hill and Lacey v. Hill, with the approbation of the Master of the

Rolls, by Mr. Francis Clowes, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Great Eastern Hotel, Lowestoft, on Thursday, the 25th day of April, 1878, at three for four o'clock in the afternoon precisely, in two lots:—

That freehold residence known as No. 13, the Esplanade, Lowestoft, in the occupation of Mrs. Sultzer, with the freehold stable, and carriage house, situate at the South End of the Esplanade, in the occupation of James C. Worthington, Esq., late the property of Sir Robert John Harvey Harvey Baronet, Deceased.

Printed particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis) of the following Solicitors, Messrs. Linklater, Hackwood, Addison, and Brown, 7, Walbrook, London; Messrs. I. B. Coaks and Co., and Mr. E. C. Bailey, Norwich; Mr. W. Start, 14, Ironmonger-lane, London; Messrs. Sole, Turner, and Knight, 68, Aldermanbury, London; and at the offices of the Auctioneers, Bank-chambers, Norwich, and at Bungay.

**PURSUANT** to a Judgment of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action in the matter of the estate of Mary Breed, deceased, Breed against Rodwell, 1877, B., 398, the creditors of Mary Breed, late of Buck's Hill, Watford, in the county of Herts, Widow, who died in or about the month of January, 1873, are, on or before the 20th day of May, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Archibald John Miles, of 9, King Edward-street, in the city of London, the Solicitor of the defendant, Henry Rodwell, the executor 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 Master of the Rolls, at his chambers, situated in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Monday, the 3rd day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

**PURSUANT** to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action in the matter of the estate of Henry Rutter, deceased, Reynald James Rutter against Isaac Campbell Rutter and Alfred Rutter, 1878, R., 27, the creditors of Henry Rutter, formerly of Victoria, in the British Colony of Hong Kong, China, but late of Glebelands, Mitcham, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman, who died in or about the month of June, 1876, are, on or before the 21st day of May, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Alfred Rutter, of 10, New-inn, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, the solicitor 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 Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Master of the Rolls, at his chambers, situated in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Tuesday, the 4th day of June, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

Stallard v. Browne.

Llangennech Collieries Company Limited.

**PURSUANT** to a Judgment of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action of Stallard against Browne and others, 1877, S., 410, the persons claiming to be the present holders of the debentures issued by the defendants, the Llangennech Collieries Company Limited, entitled to the benefit of the trusts of the indenture or trust deed, dated the 10th April, 1873, are to come in and produce their debenture bonds at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins, situated No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Wednesday, the 29th day of May, at two o'clock in the afternoon, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Judgment.—Dated the 15th day of April, 1878.

**PURSUANT** to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter and cause re William Mark Williams, deceased, Palmer, and Williams, the creditors of William Mark Williams, late of Park-terrace, Brookley-road, Deptford, in the county of Kent, Builder, who died on or about the 28th day of December, 1876, are, on or before the 8th day of May, 1878, to send, by post, prepaid, to Mr. William Orme Wedlake (of the firm of Wedlake and Letts), of 3, Mitre-court, Temple, London, the plaintiff's Solicitor, their Christian and surnames, 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 at 2, Cursitor-street, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Wednesday, the 15th day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

**PURSUANT** to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of Samuel Cresse, in an action Cresse against Cresse, 1877, C., 271, the creditors of Samuel Cresse, late of Wade-street, in the city of Bristol, Carriage Factor and Cordwainer, who died in or about the month of November, 1876, are, on or before the 1st day of June, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to William Henry Atchley, of the city of Bristol aforesaid, the Solicitor of the defendant, Hannah Cresse, Widow, the executrix of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said 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 Wednesday, the 5th day of June, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

**PURSUANT** to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of Ann Rankine, Widow, deceased, and in an action, Crickitt against Beale and others, 1877, R., No. 206, the creditors of Ann Rankine, deceased, late of No. 44, Porchester-terrace, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, Widow, who died in or about the month of February, 1877, are, on or before the 24th day of May, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. Pike and Son, of No. 26, Old Burlington-street, London, W.C., the Solicitors of the defendants, Thomas Barbot Beale and Henry Markham Pike, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated No. 14, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, on Friday, the 31st day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the said claims.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

**PURSUANT** to a Judgment of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action in the matter of the estate of Richard Griffiths, deceased, and Lloyd against Jones, 1877, G., No. 202, the creditors of Richard Griffiths, late of Cwmsarnant, in the county of the borough of Carmarthen, Farmer, who died in or about the month of January, 1875, are, on or about the 24th day of May, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. John Hayes Barker, of Carmarthen aforesaid, the Solicitor of the defendant, Thomas Jones, the legal personal representative 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 his Lordship the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated No. 14, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, on Wednesday, the 5th day of June, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

**PURSUANT** to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of W. K. N. Powell, deceased, and in a cause Williams against Powell, the creditors of Watkin Powell, late of the Antelope inn, Caeharris, Dowlais, in the parish of Merthyr Tydfil, in the county of Glamorgan, Innkeeper, who died in or about the month of June 1877, are, on or before the 21st day of May, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to David Robert Lewis, of Merthyr Tydfil aforesaid, the Solicitor of the defendant, Elizabeth Powell, Widow, the executrix of the will of the said Watkin Powell, 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 at No. 14, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, on Friday, the 31st day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1878.

**PURSUANT** to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in an action in the matter of the estate of John Homes, late of Strutton



Grandison, in the county of Hereford, Gentleman, deceased, Homes against Bull, 1877, H., 477, the creditors of the said John Homes, who died in or about the month of December, 1870, are, on or before the 20th day of May, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. George Harry Piper, of Ledbury, in the county of Hereford, the Solicitor of the defendant. Selina Bull, the wife of the defendant, Walter Richard Bull, the administratrix de bonis non (with the will annexed) of the estate and effects of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated No. 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Monday, the 3rd day of June, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice: Chancery Division, made in the matter of Hannah Shippick, deceased, and in a cause of Cornish against Wadham, the creditors of the real and personal estate of Hannah Shippick, deceased, late of Poole, in the county of Dorset, wife of John Shippick, of the same place, Innkeeper, who died in or about the month of July, 1877, are, on or before the 10th day of May, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to Henry Thomas Trevanion, Esq., of Poole, in the county of Dorset, the Solicitor of the defendant, the executor of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, properly chargeable against the real and personal estate of the said Hannah Shippick, appointed by her will, dated 10th September, 1877, 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, against such real or personal estate is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir Charles Hall, at his chambers, situated No. 14, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, on Saturday, the 18th day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice: Chancery Division, made in the matter of the estate of David Isaac Evans, deceased, and in a cause Lewis against Evans, the creditors of David Isaac Evans, late of Merthyr Tydfil, in the county of Glamorgan, Grocer, who died in or about the month of December, 1859, are, on or before the 1st day of June, 1878, to send by post, prepaid, to David Robert Lewis, of Merthyr Tydfil aforesaid, the Solicitor of the defendants, John Isaac Evans and John Jenkins, the surviving executors of the will of the said David Isaac Evans, 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 at No. 14, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, on Thursday, the 6th day of June, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1878.

In the Supreme Court of Gibraltar.

In the Cause Edmund Drinkwater Carver, Henry Clifton Carver, and Charles William Carver, Frederick William Carver, Benjamin Carver, and Benjamin Carver the younger, Plaintiffs; and Joshua Benoliel, Judah Benoliel the younger, and Moses Benoliel, Defendants.

**W**HEREAS at a Court holden on the 15th day of March, in the year 1878, before the Honourable the Chief Justice, upon motion of Counsel for the plaintiffs, and upon reading the affidavit of Benjamin Carver the younger, one of the plaintiffs, it was ordered that the Petition filed by the plaintiffs in the above cause on the 9th day of December, in the year 1876, be taken pro confesso against the defendants, Joshua Benoliel, Judah Benoliel the younger, and Moses Benoliel, who had not filed their answer to the Petition of the plaintiffs as directed by the Order of this Court. And whereas the Court appointed Friday, the 17th day of May now next coming, for the hearing of this cause. Now notice is hereby given, that at the hearing of the said cause on the day aforesaid, the Court will be moved (in default of the answer of the said defendants) by Counsel, on behalf of the plaintiffs, for a Decree absolute in this cause against the said defendants, Joshua Benoliel, Judah Benoliel the younger, and Moses Benoliel, and for an Order to refer it to the Registrar of this Honourable Court, to compute and certify what is due to the plaintiffs respectively for principal

and interest on the mortgage in the plaintiff's Petition mentioned, and to tax the plaintiffs their costs of suit.—Dated this 22nd day of March, in the year 1878.

MARTIN W. STOKES, Solicitor for the Plaintiffs.

To

Joshua Benoliel, Judah Benoliel the younger, and Moses Benoliel, the Defendants.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

**A** FIRST Dividend of 9d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by John Neech, of No. 1, Blackwell-terrace, Lordship-lane, Dulwich, in the county of Surrey, Carman, and will be paid by me, at No. 42, North-end, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, on and after Saturday, the 11th day of May, 1878, between the hours of ten and four o'clock.

J. A. TRYTHALL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

**A** FIRST and Final Dividend of 3s. 8d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of James Morris Jones, formerly of No. 27, Hitchin-road, Luton, in the county of Bedford, but late of No. 1, Bedford-road, Luton aforesaid, Grocer and Tea Dealer, and will be paid at the offices of Messrs. Carey, Warburton, and De Paula, situate at No. 3, West-street, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London, any day after the 19th day of April, 1878, between the hours of eleven and four o'clock.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

JOHN ROBERT BROWN,  
EDW. DENSHAM, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

**A** SECOND Dividend of 6d. in the pound has been declared on the debts of the creditors of Alexander Crowe, senior, now deceased, Alexander Crowe the younger, and Robert Crowe, trading as Alexander Crowe and Co., in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Alexander Crowe and Robert Crowe, both of No. 10, St. Helen's-place, in the city of London, Merchants, lately trading in partnership together with Alexander Crowe, senior, now deceased, under the style or firm of Alexander Crowe and Co., the said Robert Crowe, also carrying on business at Colombo, in the Island of Ceylon, and Tuticorin, in the Presidency of Madras, and lately in partnership together with the said Alexander Crowe, deceased, under the style of A. and R. Crowe and Co., and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. Turquand, Young, and Co., 16, Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, on Thursday, the 25th April, between the hours of twelve and two o'clock.—Dated this 18th day of April, 1878.

J. WEISE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

**A** THIRD Dividend of 6d. in the pound has been declared on the debts of the creditors of Alexander Crowe, senior, now deceased, and Robert Crowe, trading as A. and R. Crowe and Co., in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Alexander Crowe and Robert Crowe, both of No. 10, St. Helen's-place, in the city of London, Merchants, lately trading in partnership together with Alexander Crowe, senior, now deceased, under the style or firm of Alexander Crowe and Co., the said Robert Crowe, also carrying on business at Colombo, in the Island of Ceylon, and Tuticorin, in the Presidency of Madras, and lately in partnership together with the said Alexander Crowe, deceased, under the style of A. and R. Crowe and Co., and will be paid by me, at my offices, No. 16, Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, on Thursday, the 25th day of April instant, between the hours of twelve and two o'clock.—Dated this 18th day of April, 1878.

J. WEISE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

**A** FIRST Dividend of 1s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by John Wightman Jack and Alfred Charles Jack, of 88, Richmond-road, Dalston, in the county of Middlesex, Brush Manufacturers, and will be paid by me, at my offices, No. 10, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on and after Thursday, the 25th day of April, 1878, between the hours of nine and one o'clock.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

RICHARD NELSON, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon.

**A** FIRST Dividend of 3s. 1d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by William Lawrence, of Ham Farm, Shirley, in the parish of Croydon, in the county of Surrey, Land Agent, and will be paid by me, at No. 42, North-end, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, on and after Monday, the 13th day of May, 1878, between the hours of ten and four o'clock.

JOHN ANTHONY TRYTHALL, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.

**A** FIRST Dividend of 10s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Mary Marsden, of Thornhurst, Highfield, Rock Ferry, in the county of Chester, and Edward Lorimer Marsden, of Childer Thornton, Hooton, in the said county, Brassfounders and Coppersmiths, trading in partnership together, under the firm of John Marsden and Son, and carrying on business at 23, Dublin-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and 134 and 136, Bridge-street, Birkenhead, and 11 and 13, Lord-street, Birkenhead, in the said county of Chester, and will be paid by me, at my office, No. 5, Fenwick-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on and after the 24th day of April, 1878.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

J. MERRETT WADE, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Peterborough.

**A** FIRST and Final Dividend of 11s. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Mark Frow, residing at Hardwick Lodge, Empingham, in the county of Rutland, and carrying on business there and at Leake, in the county of Lincoln, as a Farmer and Grazier, and will be paid at the offices of Mr. Valentine Stapleton, Solicitor, 19, Saint Paul's-street, Stamford, on and after the 2nd day of May, 1878.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

HENRY CROSS, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport.

**A** FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. 5½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Benjamin Rees, of Wernhir Farm, Glascoed, in the parish of Usk, in the county of Monmouth, Farmer, and will be paid by me, at the National Provincial Bank of England, Abergavenny, in the county of Monmouth, on and after the 30th day of April, 1878.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

MANLEY ASHWIN, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

**A** FIRST Dividend of 3s. 3d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of Walter Hawley, of the Star Hotel, Rawmarsh, in the county of York, Licensed Victualler, and will be paid by me, at my offices, No. 16, Church-street, Rotherham, on and after the 18th day of April, 1878, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

J. W. BELLAMY, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Harker, of 25, Beech-grove, Pollard-lane, Bradford, in the county of York, now out of business.

**A** DIVIDEND at the rate of 20s. in the pound will be paid at the offices of Messrs. Dickin, Stubbins, and Pratt, Market-street, Bradford aforesaid, on and after Monday next, the 15th instant, between the hours of ten a.m. and four p.m., to all the creditors who have proved their debts. All bills or other negotiable securities upon which proof has been made must be exhibited to me prior to payment of Dividend. Creditors at a distance may, upon application, have their Dividend forwarded, by post, at their own risk.—Dated the 3rd day of April, 1878.

HENRY DICKIN, 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 Underwood and Alexander Mackay, both of Nos.

460 and 462, Holloway-road, in the county of Middlesex, trading under the style or firm of Underwood and Mackay, Drapers.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Ladbury, Collison, and Viney, No. 99, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 30th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

CARR, BANNISTER, DAVIDSON, and MORRIS, 70, Basinghall-street, London, Solicitors for the said Debtors.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Underwood and Alexander Mackay, both of Nos. 460 and 462, Holloway-road, in the county of Middlesex, trading under the style or firm of Underwood and Mackay, Drapers.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the separate estate of the above-named James Underwood has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Ladbury, Collison, and Viney, of No. 99, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 30th day of April, 1878, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

CARR, BANNISTER, DAVIDSON, and MORRIS, 70, Basinghall-street, London, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Underwood and Alexander Mackay, both of Nos. 460 and 462, Holloway-road, in the county of Middlesex, trading under the style or firm of Underwood and Mackay, Drapers.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the separate estate of the above-named Alexander Mackay has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Ladbury, Collison, and Viney, No. 99, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 30th day of April, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

CARR, BANNISTER, DAVIDSON, and MORRIS, 70, Basinghall-street, London, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Hart, of the Grapes, Drury-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Brandreth and Co., of 35, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, on the 13th day of May, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

BRANDRETH and CO., Solicitors for the said Edward Hart.

**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 George Chilcott, of 15, Stourcliffe-street, Edgware-road, in the county of Middlesex, Wool and Hair Carder and Moth Eradicator.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. J. Clarke Mould, No. 126, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of April, 1878.

J. CLARKE MOULD, 126, Fenchurch-street, Solicitor for the said John George Chilcott.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Septimus Steadman, of 54, Mansfield-street, Kingsland-road, Middlesex, late of 91, London Wall, in the city of London, Solicitor's Clerk.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Masons' Hall Tavern, Masons'-avenue, in the city of London, on the 30th day of April, 1878, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

JAMES METCALFE DOBSON, 36, Duke-street, Aldgate, London, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Bishop, of No. 35, Lisson-grove, Edgware-road, in the county of Middlesex, Grocer 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 offices of Messrs. Nicholls and Leatherdale, 14, Old Jewry-chambers, in the city of London, on the 7th day of May, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

CHAS. THOS. FOSTER, 29, Brunswick-square, W.C., Solicitor for the said John Bishop.

**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 Pye and Charles Henry Pye, both of No. 25, Mark-lane, in the city of London, Merchants and Co-partners, trading under the style or firm of Pye, Field, 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. Johnsons, Upton, Budd, and Atkey, No. 20, Austin Friars, in the city of London, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

JOHNSONS, UPTON, BUDD, and ATKEY, 20, Austin Friars, London, Solicitors for the above-named 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 William Pye and Charles Henry Pye, both of No. 25, Mark-lane, in the city of London, Merchants and Co-partners, trading under the style or firm of Pye, Field and Co.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named William Pye has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Johnsons, Upton, Budd, and Atkey, 20, Austin Friars, in the city of London, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

JOHNSONS, UPTON, BUDD, and ATKEY, 20, Austin Friars, London, Solicitors for the above-named Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Pye and Charles Henry Pye, both of No. 25, Mark-lane, in the city of London, Merchants and Co-partners, trading under the style or firm of Pye, Field, and Co.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named Charles Henry Pye has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Johnsons, Upton, Budd, and Atkey, No. 20, Austin Friars, in the city of London, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

JOHNSONS, UPTON, BUDD, and ATKEY, 20, Austin Friars, London, Solicitors for the above-named Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Turner, of 39, Walbrook, Mansion House, in the city of London, Bookseller.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, 3, Furnival's-inn, in the city of London, on the 6th day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

T. A. ROMER, 3, Furnival's-inn, 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 Frederick Thomas Verner and Charles Augustus Verner, trading in copartnership under the style of Verner Brothers, at No. 9, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, Stockbrokers, and also late of No. 8, Queen's gardens, Hyde-Park, in the county of Middlesex.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Tavern, Gresham-

street, in the city of London, on the 9th day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

J. RAND BAILEY, 8, Tokenhouse-yard, E.C., Solicitor for the above-named Frederick Thomas Verner and Charles Augustus Verner.

**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 Thomas Verner and Charles Augustus Verner, trading in copartnership under the style of Verner Brothers, at No. 9, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, Stockbrokers, and also late of No. 8, Queen's-gardens, Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the separate estate of the above-named Frederick Thomas Verner has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Tavern, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 9th day of May, 1878, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

J. RAND BAILEY, 8, Tokenhouse-yard, E.C., Solicitor for the said Frederick Thomas Verner.

**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 Thomas Verner and Charles Augustus Verner, trading in copartnership under the style of Verner Brothers, at No. 9, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, Stockbrokers, and also late of No. 8, Queen's-gardens, Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the separate estate of the above-named Charles Augustus Verner has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Tavern, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 9th day of May, 1878, at half-past four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

J. RAND BAILEY, 8, Tokenhouse-yard, E.C., Solicitor for the said Charles Augustus Verner.

**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 Cremieu Javal, Colliery Proprietor, of the Myrles, Brook-street, Clapton, in the county of Middlesex, formerly of 9A, New Broad-street, in the city of London, and of the Afonatha and Christwnydd Collieries, Ruabon, in the county of Denbigh, carrying on business as E. C. Javal 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 Masons' Hall Tavern, Masons'-avenue, Basinghall-street, London, on the 3rd day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

W. H. SMITH, Gresham House, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Edward Cremieu Javal.

**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 Gristock Trend, of No. 26, Petherton-road, Ilhbury New Park, in the county of Middlesex, now carrying on business in copartnership with Herbert W. Trafford Tuomson, at the above address, and at No. 26, Mildmay-road, Stoke Newington, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Trend and Thomson, Doctor of Medicine.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, No. 7, South-square, Gray's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, on the 9th day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

W. J. CHILD, 7, South-square, Gray's-inn, 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 Maloner, of 345, New Cross-road, in the county of Surrey, Chandler and Glass Dealer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. William Lane O'Neill, No. 110, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on the 29th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

W. LANE O'NEILL, 110, Cannon-street, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Debtor.



## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Searl, of No. 27, the Grove, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, and Richard John Heather, of No. 27, Wivenhoe-road, Clarendon-road, Peckham, in the said county of Surrey, lately carrying on business as Builders at No. 27, the Grove, Camberwell aforesaid, in copartnership, under the style or firm of Searl and Heather.

**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. 6, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 8th day of May, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

J. BANKS PITTMAN, 6, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, London, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Edward Ridge, residing at No. 5, Olney-street, Walworth, in the county of Surrey, and trading as a Pickle Manufacturer, at the Railway Arches, Princess-street, Walworth aforesaid, and as an Oil and Colour Man, at No. 17, East street, Walworth aforesaid.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. John Bridges Nunn, at 50, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, on the 4th day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

JOHN BRIDGES NUNN, Solicitor for the said John Edward Ridge.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Henry Guest, of Nos. 29 and 30, Paternoster-row, in the city of London, and of No. 65, Cleveland-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Bookseller and Publisher.

**NOTICE** 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. Foreman, Son, and Company, Public Accountants, of No. 32, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 8th day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

CHAS. G. WOODROFFE, of the firm of H. R. Silvester and Co., 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 Jacob Kahn, of 21, Castle-street, Falcon-square, in the city of London, trading under the style or firm of Kahn Brothers, Importer of Fancy Goods.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Thomas Matthews Cridge, No. 26, Bishopsgate-street Within, in the city of London, on the 6th day of May, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

THOMAS M. CRIDGE, 26, Bishopsgate-street, Within, E.C., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Henry Smith, of No. 39, Upper-street, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, 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 offices of Messrs. Coburn and Young, No. 54, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, on the 3rd day of May, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

COBURN and YOUNG, 54, Leadenhall-street, 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 Solomon Lesser, of 4, Hanway-street, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, Tailor and General Dealer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of H. Mardon, 6,

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Moorgate-street, in the city of London, on the 30th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

H. W. CATLIN, 25, Wormwood-street, Old Broad-street, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry John Field, of No. 2, Friday-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Wholesale Warehouseman.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Lovering and Co., No. 77, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 3rd day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of April, 1878.

WILLIAM R. PHILP, of 30, Budge-row, Cannon-street, E.C., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Thomas Legge, of 22, Essex-street, Hackney, and 27, John Campbell-road, Kingsland, both in the county of Middlesex, Cabinet Maker.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. C. Parke, 23, Colebrooke-row, Islington, Middlesex, Solicitor, on the 25th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of April, 1878.

CHARLES PARKE, 23, Colebrooke-row, Islington, N., Solicitor for the said Henry Thomas Legge.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry William Meredith, of 1A, Gloucester-street, Cambridge Heath, and 15, Malvern-terrace, Park-lane, Tottenham, both in the county of Middlesex, Pianoforte Key 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 Messrs. Nutt and Co., Solicitors, 2, Brabant-court, Philip-lane, in the city of London, on the 8th day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

G. J. NUTT and CO., Solicitors for the said Henry William Meredith.

## 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 Omega Thurston, of the King's Head Tavern, No. 42, Threadneedle-street, in the city of London, 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 Incorporated Law Society's Hall, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, on the 6th day of May, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

H. Y. CLARKSON, 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 George Henry Thurston, of the Abbey Tavern, No. 124, Kentish Town-road, in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Incorporated Law Society's Hall, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

H. Y. CLARKSON, 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 English, of 40, Compton-street, Goswell-road, in the county of Middlesex, Greengrocer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 109, Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 6th day of May, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 18th day of April, 1878.

KENT and KENT, 109, Cheapside, E.C., Solicitors for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Walter James Daigliesh, of No. 14, Rock-street, Finsbury Park, in the county of Middlesex, Commercial Traveller, formerly of No. 39, Warwick-lane, Newgate-street, in the city of London, Wholesale and Export Stationer, previously of No. 127, Holborn, in the county of Middlesex, Wholesale Stationer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, No. 8, Eastcheap, in the city of London, on the 7th day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

HENRY AIRD, 8, Eastcheap, 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 George Wackett, trading as John Wackett, of No. 16, Laburnum-road, Kingland, in the county of Middlesex, Carman and Contractor.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 15, South-street, Finsbury-square, in the county of Middlesex, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

TAYLOR and JAQUET, 15, South-street, Finsbury-square, 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 Edward Henry Ledger, of 12, Silver-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Collar Manufacturer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 75, Mark-lane, in the city of London, on the 10th day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

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

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Donald Macrae, formerly of Walton, Liverpool, in the county of Lancashire, now of the Manor House, Leyton, in the county of Essex, and No. 2, Back Church-lane and 75, Hackney-road, both in the county of Middlesex, Surgeon.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Edmund Cogswell, No. 13, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E., on the 26th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 1st day of April, 1878.

S. T. COOPER, 88, Chancery-lane, London, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Horace Leonard Nicholson, formerly of 6, Cedars-terrace, Edith-road, Fulham, in the county of Middlesex, but now of 22, Laurence Pountney-lane, in the city of London, Coal Factor.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of the undersigned, 4, Palegrave-place, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, on the 27th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of April, 1878.

C. H. CRANE, Solicitor for the said Horace Leonard Nicholson.

## 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 Wilshin, of 251, High-street, Stratford, in the county of Essex (late carrying on business with John Sumner, of the same place, under the style or name of Sumner and Wilshin), Manufacturing Confectioner, and late of 2, Essex-terrace, Upper Norwood, in the county of Surrey.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Chamber of Commerce, 145,

Cheapside, in the city of London, on the 4th day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 8th day of April, 1878.

WILLM. BOHM, of 23, Old Jewry, London, Solicitor for the said James Wilshin.

## 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 Somerville, of No. 61, St. John-street, Clerkenwell, in the county of Middlesex, Gas Fitter.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Charles Wright, 123, Chancery-lane, in the city of London, Solicitor, on the 6th day of May, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 18th day of April, 1878.

CHAS. WRIGHT, 123, Chancery-lane, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Middlesex, holden at Brentford.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Hughes, of No. 4, Albion-terrace, Acton, in the county of Middlesex, Ham and Beef Shop Keeper.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Prince of Wales Tavern, No. 15, Charlotte-street, Portland-place, in the county of Middlesex, on the 29th day of April, 1878, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1878.

MARCUS H. LEWIS, 2, Weymouth-street, Portland-place, W., 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 John Ranson Playfair, of Warrington Lodge, Waddon, in the county of Surrey, Merchant's Clerk.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Mr. Brook's office, No. 11, Old Jewry-chambers, in the city of London, on the 13th day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

HY. WILLIAMS MACKRETH, 19, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, Solicitor for the Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Rochester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Henry Holloway, of the White Horse Inn, Chatham Hill, Chatham, in the county of Kent, Licensed Victualler's Assistant.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 11, Ordnance-terrace, Chatham, on the 23rd day of April, 1878, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

WYMOND and NORMAN, Chatham, Solicitors for the said William Henry Holloway.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Rochester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Hopkins, of 98, West-street, Gravesend, in the county of Kent, Tobaccoist and News Agent.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 27, King-street, Gravesend, on the 24th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1878.

CHAS. R. GRAMSHAW, 27, King-street, Gravesend, Solicitor for the said Thomas Hopkins.

## 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 Robert Edward Roberts, of No. 91, Westgate-street, Canterbury, also of Harbour-street, Whitstable, both in the county of Kent, Watchmaker.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 19, Worship-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

J. B. FENTON, Highgate, Solicitor 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 Nicholas Voice, of Horley, in the county of Surrey, Horticultural Builder.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Cannon-street Hotel, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on the 26th day of April, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

FREDK. THOS. DUBOIS, 15, King-street, Cheap-side, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Hertfordshire, holden at Hertford.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John William Gocher, late of Ware, in the county of Hertford, Butcher, and now of the Rye Farm, Stanstead Abbots, in the same county, Farmer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Crown Hotel, Broxbourne, in the county of Hertford, on the 8th day of May, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

DUFFIELD and BRUTY, 6, Tokenhouse-yard Bank, London, E.C., 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 William Francis Cromack, of King's Langley, in the county of Hertford, Butcher.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Rose and Crown, High-street, Watford, in the county of Hertford, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

S. T. COOPER, 88, Chancery-lane, London, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Bigford, of 15, Bell-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Bellhanger, late a Beerhouse Keeper.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Stratton and Rudland, Solicitors, 57, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, on the 27th day of April, 1878, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

STRATTON and RUDLAND, 57, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Smith, of 100 and 101, Wolverhampton-street, Bilston, in the county of Stafford, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Stratton and Rudland, of 57, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, on the 27th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

STRATTON and RUDLAND, 57, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Goodwin, of High-street, Portobello, in the county of Stafford, also carrying on business at Moseley Village, in the same county, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Royal George Hotel, Willenhall, in the said county of Stafford, on the 3rd day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

GEORGE VAUGHAN, 18, Walsall-street, Willenhall, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Herman Zusman, of Cambrian House, Penn-road, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Jeweller.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 24, Darlington-street, Wolverhampton, on the 27th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

H. and J. E. UNDERHILL, 24, Darlington-street, Wolverhampton, Solicitors for the said Herman Zusman.

**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 Harry Wearing, of No. 34, High-street, Walsall, in the county of Stafford, Licensed Victualer and Wine and Spirit Merchant.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. John Farrington Crump, No. 5, Bridge-street, Walsall, in the county of Stafford, on the 3rd day of May, 1878, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

JOHN F. CRUMP, 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 David Karney, of No. 35, High-street, Walsall, in the county of Stafford, Clothier.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. John Farrington Crump, No. 5, Bridge-street, Walsall aforesaid, on the 6th day of May, 1878, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

JOHN F. CRUMP, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Stafford.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Kent, of Saint Mary's-place, Stafford, in the county of Stafford, Shoemaker, Tobacconist, and Dealer in China, Glass, Earthenware, and Confectionery.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Three Tuns Inn, Gaolgate-street, in Stafford aforesaid, on the 30th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

CHAS. HY. TWYNAM, of Rugeley, in the said county of Stafford, 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 Patrick Hevey, of No. 50, Sutherland-road, Longton, in the county of Stafford, Smallware Dealer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Roebuck Inn, No. 5, in Caroline-street, in Longton aforesaid, on the 27th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1878.

ELIAS A. ASHMALL, 8, Cheapside, Hanley, Solicitor for the said Patrick Hevey.

**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 George Wilson, of Heathcote-street, Sandford Hill, Longton, in the county of Stafford, Beerseller, late in copartnership with George Fritchard and Thomas Fritchard, as Butty Colliers.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Tomkinson and Furnival, situate in Hanover-street, Burslem, in the county of Stafford, on the 30th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

TOMKINSON and FURNIVAL, Hanover-street, Burslem, Solicitors for the said George Wilson.

**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 Matthew Sidney Walker, of Fenton, in the county of Stafford, Lamp and Oil Dealer and Tobacconist.

**NOTICE** 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. Frederic Mason Julian, Solicitor, Queen's-chambers, Liverpool-road, Burslem, in the county of Stafford, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

F. M. JULIAN, Queen's-chambers, Burslem, Solicitor for the 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 Joseph Stubbs, of Market-street, Fenton, in the county of Stafford, 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. Charles John Welch, of No. 16, Caroline-street, Longton, in the said county of Stafford, on the 30th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1878.

CHAS. JNO. WELCH, 16, Caroline-street, Longton, Staffordshire, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Oldbury.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Orme, of High-street, West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, 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 Mr. William Shakespeare, 55, Church-street, Oldbury, in the county of Worcester, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

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

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Berkshire, holden at Reading.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick James North, of Great Lea, Shinfield, in the county of Berks, Sugar Boiler 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 13, Friar-street, Reading, in the county of Berks, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

JOHN T. DODD, 13, Friar-street, Reading, Solicitor for the said 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 John Gower, of Chalk End, Roxwell, in the county of Essex, 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 my office, No. 3, Circus-place, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London, on the 13th day of May, 1878, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

W. TANNER, 3, Circus-place, Finsbury-circus, London, E.C., and Chelmsford, Essex, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Oxfordshire, holden at Oxford.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Matthews, of Middle Barton, in the parish of Steeple Barton, in the county of Oxford, Grocer and Butcher.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Faulkner and Coggins, Solicitors, Deddington, in the county of Oxford, on the 8th day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

GEO. COGGINS, Deddington, Solicitor for the said Robert Matthews.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Herefordshire, holden at Leominster.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Emma Elizabeth Brown, of Knighton, in the county of Radnor, Boot Seller.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Green and Peters, Solicitors, Knighton, Radnorshire, on the 7th day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

GREEN and PETERS, Knighton, Radnorshire, Solicitors for the said Emma Elizabeth Brown.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Herefordshire, holden at Leominster.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Hughes, of Luston, in the parish of Eye, in the county of Hereford, Coal and Lime 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 my offices, Nos. 5 and 6, Corn-square, Leominster, in the county of Hereford, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

H. MOORE, Solicitor for the said Thomas Hughes.

**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 Jabez Atkins, of Nos. 18 and 20, Alton-street, Queen's-road, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Commercial Hotel, Brown-street, Manchester aforesaid, on the 9th day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

JNO. W. STEVENSON, 45, Ward's-buildings, Deansgate, 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 Samuel Braecgirdle, of Clarendon-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Bootmaker.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Falstaff Hotel, Market-place, Manchester aforesaid, on the 13th day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

T. W. HARRIS, 3, Blue Boar-court, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Gray, of No. 16A, Piccadilly, previously of Copperas-street and Lad-lane, and of Trafford-street and Coupland-street, all in the city of Manchester, Restaurant and Shopkeeper and Dealer in Sandwiches.

**NOTICE** 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. Horner and Son, Accountants, Ridgefield, Manchester, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

WM. AMBLER, 12, Major-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 Bernard Henry Nathan, of No. 1, Roman-street, Union-street, Church-street, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturer and Importer of Fancy Goods.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Tavern, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 6th day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

EARLE, SON, ORFORD, EARLE, and MILNE, 44, Brown-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Spiridon Sotiropulo, of 47, Faulkner-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Shipping 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 No. 23, Swan-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 10th day of May, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

W. C. CHEW and SONS, 23, Swan-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Longworth, of 74, Egerton-street, Farnworth, in the county of Lancaster, Butcher.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Dowling and Urry, Solicitors, of 13, Wood-street, Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, on the 7th day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

DOWLING and URRY, 13, Wood-street, Bolton, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Blackburn.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Abraham Pilkington, No. 14, Porter-street, Accrington, in the county of Lancaster, carrying on the business of an Ironfounder, at Eagle Foundry, in Clayton-le-Moors, in the said county.

**NOTICE** 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 William Barlow, Solicitor, No. 21, Dutton-street, within New Accrington, in the said county, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

GEO. WM. BARLOW, No. 21, Dutton-street, New Accrington, in the county of Lancaster, Solicitor for the said Abraham Pilkington.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Blackburn.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Marshall, of Wood Nook, Crawshawbooth, in the county of Lancaster, Wheelwright and Timber 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. Wright and Son, Solicitors, Irwell-terrace, Bacup, in the said county, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

WRIGHT and SON, of Bacup, near Manchester, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Levi Woolf, of 17, Derby-street, Cheetham, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Jeweller.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Joseph Sampson, 40, South King-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 26th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1878.

JOSEPH SAMPSON, 40, South King-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Shear, of No. 6, Bank-parade, Chapel-street, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Letter Press Printer and Stationer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. George Richardson and Son, Solicitors, 3, Clarence-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 8th day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

GEO. RICHARDSON and SON, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Warrington,  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frank Aspinall, late of No. 1, Erwood-street, Warrington, in the county of Lancaster, and now of Charles-street, Warrington aforesaid, Provision Dealer and Smith.

**NOTICE** 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. Nicholson, White, and Nicholson, Solicitors, No. 2, Union-street, Warrington aforesaid, on the 29th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1878.

NICHOLSON, WHITE, and NICHOLSON, 2, Union-street, Warrington, Solicitors for the said Frank Aspinall.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ashton-under-Lyne.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Asher, of 51, Ashton-road, in Denton, in the county of Lancaster, Boot and Shoe Maker.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Pitt and Nelson Hotel, Old-street, in Ashton-under-Lyne, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

F. and T. DRINKWATER, Hyde, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ashton-under-Lyne.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Taylor Eyre, of Hayfield, in the county of Derby, Chemist and Druggist.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Brooks, Marshall, and Brooks, Solicitors, Reynard-street, Hyde, on the 7th day of May, 1878, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

BROOKS, MARSHALL, and BROOKS, Solicitors for the said Thomas Taylor Eyre.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ulverston and at Barrow-in-Furness.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Bell, of Dalton-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, 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 Wellington Hotel, at Dalton-in-Furness aforesaid, on the 6th day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

HENRY MYERS-MEAKIN, Dalton-in-Furness, Solicitor for the said Richard Bell.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ulverston and at Barrow-in-Furness.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Town and Thomas Thompson Fell, both of Ulverston, in the county of Lancaster, trading in partnership under the style or firm of Town and Fell, Drapers.

**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 Temperance Hall, in Ulverston aforesaid, on the 7th day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

JAMES PARK, Ulverston, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Douglas Ralph Samuel, of No. 28, Old Hall-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, 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 office of Messrs. Snowball and Smith, Solicitors, Imperial-chambers, No. 62, Dale-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

SNOWBALL and SMITH, Imperial-chambers, 62, Dale-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Arthur Griffiths and Hugh Owen Ellis, late of Old Castle-buildings, Freeson's-row, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, now of 37, Chapel-walks, South Castle-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Commission Merchants, trading under the firm of Wm. C. Griffiths and Co.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. John Quinn and Sons, 22, Lord-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Solicitors, on the 6th day of May, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

JOHN QUINN and SONS, 22, Lord-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Debtors.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Arthur Griffiths and Hugh Owen Ellis, late of Old Castle-buildings, Freeson's-row, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, now of 37, Chapel-walks, South Castle-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Commission Merchants, trading under the firm of Wm. C. Griffiths and Co.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Hugh Owen Ellis has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. John Quinn and Sons, 22, Lord-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Solicitors, on the 6th day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

JOHN QUINN and SONS, 22, Lord-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Mason, of No. 116, Molesworth-street, Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, trading as Samuel Casson, as a Soda Water, Lemonade, and Ginger Beer Manufacturer, and Bottler of Ales and Stout.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. T., A., and J. Grundy and Co., Solicitors, 14, Union-street, Bury, Lancashire, on the 24th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

T., A., and J. GRUNDY and CO., 14, Union-street, Bury, Lancashire, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**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 James Knowles and Thomas Keighley Knowles, both of Gomersal, in the parish of Birstall, in the county of York, Woollen Manufacturers, carrying on business at Gomersal aforesaid, and at Dewsbury, in the said county, as Woollen Manufacturers, under the style or firm of James Knowles and Co.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the Royal Hotel, in Dewsbury aforesaid, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1878.

JNO. SMITH, Birstall, near Leeds, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

**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 James Knowles and Thomas Keighley Knowles, both of Gomersal, in the parish of Birstall, in the county of York, Woollen Manufacturers, carrying on business at Gomersal aforesaid, and at Dewsbury, in the said county, as Woollen Manufacturers, under the style or firm of James Knowles and Co.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named James Knowles has been summoned to be held at the Royal Hotel, in Dewsbury aforesaid, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1878.

JNO. SMITH, Birstall, near Leeds, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**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

James Knowles and Thomas Keighley Knowles, both of Gomersal, in the parish of Birstall, in the county of York, Woollen Manufacturers, carrying on business at Gomersal aforesaid, and at Dewsbury, in the said county, as Woollen Manufacturers, under the style or firm of James Knowles and Co.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Thomas Keighley Knowles has been summoned to be held at the Royal Hotel, in Dewsbury aforesaid, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at a quarter-past four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1878.

JNO. SMITH, Birstall, near Leeds, 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 John Asquith, of Stanley-cum-Wrenthorpe, in the county of York, Potato Dealer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Howard Horner, Solicitor, Wood-street, Wakefield, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

HOWARD HORNER, Wakefield, 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 David Ferguson, of Saint James-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Draper.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Rooke and Midgley, in White Horse-street, Boar-lane, in Leeds aforesaid, on the 3rd day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

ROOKE and MIDGLEY, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Bonington and John Dawson, both of Sheffield Moor, Sheffield, in the county of York, Wheelwrights and Contractors, carrying on business in partnership under the firm of Bonington and Dawson.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. David Hunton Porrett, Solicitor, No. 2, Bank-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

D. H. PORRETT, 2, Bank-street, Sheffield, Solicitor for the said Debtors.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Bonington and John Dawson, both of Sheffield Moor, Sheffield, in the county of York, Wheelwrights and Contractors, carrying on business in partnership under the firm of Bonington and Dawson.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Thomas Bonington has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. David Hunton Porrett, Solicitor, No. 2, Bank-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

D. H. PORRETT, 2, Bank-street, Sheffield, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Bonington and John Dawson, both of Sheffield Moor, Sheffield, in the county of York, Wheelwrights and Contractors, carrying on business in partnership under the firm of Bonington and Dawson.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named John Dawson has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. David Hunton Porrett, Solicitor, No. 2, Bank-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

D. H. PORRETT, 2, Bank street, Sheffield, Solicitor for the said Debtor.



**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Himsworth, of Market-place, Settle, in the county of York, Grocer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Wood, Killick, and Hutton, Solicitors, Commercial Bank-buildings, Bradford, in the county of York, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

WILLIAM HARTLEY, Settle, 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 Seth Shuttleworth, of Chapel-lane, Keighley, in the county of York, Joiner, Cabinet Maker, and Venetian Blind 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 the undersigned, No. 10, Bow-street, in Keighley aforesaid, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

SAML. COOKE, 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 Frederick Burgess, of Bradford, in the county of York, Worsted Spinner and Top Maker, trading as Braithwaite and Burgess.

**NOTICE** 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. Rawson, George, and Wade, Solicitors, 8, Piccadilly, Bradford aforesaid, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

RAWSON, GEORGE, and WADE, Bradford, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Jonathan West and John Hutchinson, of Silver-street and Market-place, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Drapers.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Benjamin Pickering, No. 8, Parliament-street, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, on the 29th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

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

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Jonathan West and John Hutchinson, of Silver-street and Market-place, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Drapers.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named Jonathan West has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Benjamin Pickering, at No. 8, Parliament-street, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, on the 29th day of April, 1878, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

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

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Jonathan West and John Hutchinson, of Silver-street and Market-place, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Drapers.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named John Hutchinson has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Benjamin Pickering, of No. 8, Parliament-street, in the borough of

Kingston-upon-Hull, on the 29th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

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

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward Harker the younger, of 59, Norwood-street and 45, Shambles, both addresses being in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, 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 my offices, situate No. 5, Cogan's-chambers, Exchange-alley, Rowllalley-lane, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, on the 9th day of May, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

FREDERIC WM. TORRY, 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 Thomas Dickinson, of Seaton Ross, in the East Riding of the county of York, Farmer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Benjamin Pickering, No. 8, Parliament-street, Kingston-upon-Hull, Accountant, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

BANTOFT and SON, Finkle-street, Selby, Solicitors for the said Thomas Dickinson.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Shropshire, holden at Madeley.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Moreton Bailey, of the Trench, in the parish of Wellington, in the county of Salop, Beerseller.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. W. M. Taylor, Solicitor, King-street, Wellington, Salop, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

W. M. TAYLOR, King-street, Wellington, Salop, Solicitor for the said Moreton Bailey.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Shropshire, holden at Madeley.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Francis Frederick Foxall, of Bridgnorth, in the county of Salop, 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 Crown Hotel, in Bridgnorth aforesaid, on the 3rd day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

R. O. BACKHOUSE, of Bridgnorth, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Hastings.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Marshall, of Frittenden, near Cranbrook, in the county of Kent, Bricklayer.

**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 New Inn, Maidstone, on the 25th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

WYMOND and NORMAN, Chatham, Solicitors for the said Thomas Marshall.

**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 George Carrick, of 87, King's-road and 14, East-street, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Hatter.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Cannon-street Hotel, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on the 14th day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

JAS. GRAY, 20, West-street, Brighton, Solicitor for the said George Carrick.

**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 Richard Johnson, of Ruxper, in the county of Sussex, Farmer and Builder.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Warwick Hotel, Red Hill, in the county of Surrey, on the 8th day of May, 1878, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

**HUBERT WOOD**, of 65, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, Bow, in the county of Middlesex, and Reigate and Red Hill, in the county of Surrey, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Lewes and East urne.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Walter Charles Deadman, of Horsebridge, Hellingly, in the county of Sussex, Grocer and Outfitter.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs Cleonell and Fraser, 6, Great James-street, Bedford-row, London, on the 7th day of May, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

**J. K. NYE**, 9, North-street, Brighton, Solicitor for the said Walter Charles Deadman.

**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 David Jenkins, formerly of Jenkins' Temperance Hotel, Saint Mary-street, in the county of the borough of Carmarthen, Temperance Hotel Keeper, but now of No. 1, Morley-street, in the said county of the borough of Carmarthen, 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 office of Mr. William Morgan Griffiths, Solicitor, St. Mary-street, Carmarthen, on the 3rd day of May, 1878, at a quarter-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

**W. MORGAN GRIFFITHS**, of St. Mary-street, Carmarthen, 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 Noah Jones, of Gower-road, in the parish of Llooghör, in the county of Glamorgan, Grocer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 31, Stepney-street, Llanelly, in the county of Carmarthen, on the 3rd day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

**W. HOWELL**, 31, Stepney-street, Llanelly, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Coventry.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Hepzibah Reaves and William Reaves, of No. 74, West Orchard, in the city of Coventry, Brush Manufacturers, trading under the firm of H. Reaves and Son.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Davis, Solicitor, 11, Hay-lane, Coventry, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

**HENRY J. DAVIS**, 11, Hay-lane, Coventry, Solicitor for the said Hepzibah Reaves and William Reaves.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Todd, of No. 3, Frederick-road, Edgbaston, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, also carrying on business at No. 25, Paradise-street, Birmingham aforesaid, 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. William Fallows,

Solicitor, No. 12, Cherry-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

**WM. FALLOWS**, 12, Cherry-street, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Albert Tench Green, of No. 15, Wilton-street, Lozells, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, out of business, late of No. 50, Bordesley-street, Birmingham aforesaid, Grocer and Baker, previously of No. 72, Berners-street, Lozells, Birmingham aforesaid, 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. Alfred Baldwin East, Solicitor, Eldon-chambers, Cherry-street, Birmingham aforesaid, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at a quarter-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

**ALFRED B. EAST**, Eldon-chambers, Cherry-street, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Wilde, of 90, Heath-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Draper, Boot Dealer, and Machinist.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Buller and Bickley, Solicitors, 30, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 30th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

**BULLER and BICKLEY**, 30, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, Solicitors for the Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Holmes, of Hampton-in-Arden, in the county of Warwick, 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 offices of Mr. Joyn, Solicitor, No. 90, New-street, Birmingham, on the 25th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

**GEO. JOYNT**, 90, New-street, 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 John Clement Bacher, of Worcester-street, Birmingham, and High-street, Sutton Coldfield, both in the county of Warwick, Tailor and Man's Mercer.

**NOTICE** 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. Wright and Marshall, Townhall-chambers, New-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

**WRIGHT and MARSHALL**, 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 Ralph Carnaby, of South Shields, in the county of Durham, Commission Agent, formerly carrying on business near Coxhoe, in the said county of Durham, as a Brick Manufacturer, as the Tairford Lane and West Hetton Brick and Tile Works.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Waterloo Hotel, in the city of Durham, in the county of Durham, on the 8th day of May, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

**J. PATRICK**, Jun., 3, Newgate-street, Bishop Auckland, Solicitor for the said Debtor.



**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Smith, of Spittle, in the county of the borough and town of Berwick-upon-Tweed, Licensed Victualer, Grocer, and General Merchant.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the King's Arms Assembly Rooms, in Berwick-upon-Tweed, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

JNO. DUNLOP, Quay Walls, Berwick, Solicitor for the said George 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 Gilbert Piercy Wastle, of Tweedmouth, in the county of the borough and town of Berwick-upon-Tweed, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the King's Arms Assembly Rooms, in Berwick-upon-Tweed, on the 30th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

JNO. DUNLOP, Quay Walls, Berwick-upon-Tweed, Solicitor for the said Gilbert Piercy Wastle.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Handcock, of No. 25, Granville-street, in the borough of Gateshead, in the county of Durham, Joiner.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of the Incorporated Law Society, Royal-arcade, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 6th day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

INGLEDEW and DAGGETT, No. 3, Dean-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 James Wilson the younger, of 38 Side and 5, Bolton-terrace, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Commission Agent.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Robert Wallace, Solicitor, Hutton-chambers, Pilgrim-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

ROBERT WALLACE, Hutton-chambers, Pilgrim-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said James Wilson the younger.

**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 Harrison the younger, of Ingoe Low Hall, in the parish of Stamfordham, in the county of Northumberland, Farmer, Cattle Dealer, and Salesman.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Rooms of the Incorporated Law Society, Arcade, Newcastle, on the 6th day of May, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

ISAAC BATY, Hexham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Harrison of Dene House, Belsay, in the parish of Bolam, in the county of Northumberland, Farmer, Cattle Dealer, and Salesman.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Rooms of the Incorporated Law Society, Arcade, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 6th day of

May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

ISAAC BATY, Hexham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Harrison, of Moralees, in the parish of Stamfordham, in the county of Northumberland, Farmer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Rooms of the Incorporated Law Society, Arcade, Newcastle, on the 6th day of May, 1878, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

ISAAC BATY, Hexham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Harrison, of Ingoe Hall, Matfen, in the county of Northumberland, Gentleman.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Rooms of the Incorporated Law Society, Royal-arcade, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 13th day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

JOSEPH A. PHILIPSON, 65, Pilgrim-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said Thomas Harrison.

**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 Edward Wyatt Churchill, of George-street, Pontypool, in the county of Monmouth, Grocer and Baker.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. J. and S. B. Parsons, 16, High-street, Bristol, on the 29th day of April, 1878, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1878.

ALEX. J. DAVID, Tredegar-chambers, Newport, (Mon.), Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Tredegar.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Down, of Church-street, Abertillery, in the county of Monmouth, Grocer and Tinplate Roller.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. A. Morgan, Solicitor, Pontypool, in the county of Monmouth, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

A. MORGAN, Solicitor for the said John Down.

**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 Henry Lowe, of the town of Nottingham, Whip Manufacturer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. George Belk, 7, Middle-pavement, Nottingham, on the 29th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

GEORGE BELK, 7, Middle-pavement, Nottingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Clarkstone the younger, of Upper Parliament-street, in the town of Nottingham, Tailor.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of F. Lee, Jun., Solicitor, Middle-pavement, Nottingham, on the 10th day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

F. LEE, Jun., Middle-pavement, Nottingham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**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 Nathaniel Thomas Crew, formerly carrying on business at Shaw-road, Dudley, in the county of Worcester, Coal and Coke Merchant, but now of Lower Clent, in the said county of Worcester, Coal and Coke Merchant.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. William Waldron, 17, High-street, Brierley Hill, in the county of Stafford, on the 3rd day of May, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

WILLIAM WALDRON, Brierley Hill, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Dudley.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Morgan, of 85, Owen-street, Tipton, in the county of Stafford, Butcher.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Joseph E. Sheldon, 51, High-street, Wednesbury, in the county of Stafford, on the 3rd day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

JOSEPH E. SHELDON, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Worcester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Owen Llewellyn Price, late of the Royal Oak Inn, Carden-street, in the city of Worcester, Licensed Victualler, but now of Infirmary-walk, in the same city, out of business.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Frederick and Henry Corbett, Solicitors, Avenue House, the Cross, in the city of Worcester, on the 3rd day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

F. and H. CORBETT, Avenue House, the Cross, Worcester, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at King's Lynn.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Henry Cranmer, of Norfolk-street, King's Lynn, in the county of Norfolk, Milliner and Straw Bonnet Maker.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Globe Hotel, King's Lynn, in the county of Norfolk, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

ALFRED KENT, St Andrew's Hall-plain, Norwich, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Endicott, of the Prince of Wales-road, in the city of Norwich, Linen Draper.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Miller, Son, and Stevens, Solicitors, Bank-chambers, in the city of Norwich, on the 6th day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

W. A. MILLER, Bank-chambers, Norwich, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Westmorland, holden at Kendal.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Billington, of 32, Stricklandgate, Kendal, in the county of Westmorland, Clogger.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Board Room, Market-place, Kendal, on the 3rd day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

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

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Rayns, residing and carrying on business at 11, Short-street, Queen-street, Leicester, also carrying on business at Barwell, in the county of Leicester. Boot and Shoe Manufacturer, trading as Thomas Armitage and Co.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of me the undersigned, Joseph Harvey, Selborne-buildings, Millstone-lane, Leicester, on the 6th day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

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

**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 Jane Ransom, of Ashley, in the county of Cambridge, Blacksmith and General-shop Keeper.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Robert Fenn, Solicitor, Newmarket, in the county of Cambridge, on the 3rd day of May, 1878, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

ROBT. FENN, Solicitor for the said Jane Ransom.

**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 Mark Howe, of Soham, in the county of Cambridge, Farmer and Gardener.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Red Lion Inn, Soham, in the county of Cambridge, on the 6th day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

JOSEPH ROGERS, Minster-place, Ely, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Portsmouth.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Chapple Brown, of No. 23, Charlotte-street, Landport, in the parish of Portsea, in the county of Hants, Clothier and Furniture Dealer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. George Hall King, 43, North-street, Portsea, in the county of Hants, on the 3rd day of May, 1878, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

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

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Portsmouth.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Nineham, of No. 91, Russell-street, Landport, in the parish of Portsea, in the county of Hants, Fishmonger and Poulterer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. George Hall King, 43, North-street, Portsea, in the county of Hants aforesaid, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

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

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Portsmouth.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Thomas Walker, of 224, Commercial-road, Landport, in the county of Hants, Draper.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Blake and Reed, 14, Union-street, Portsea, Hants, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

BLAKE and REED, 14, Union-street, Portsea, 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 William Jones, of No. 147, St. Mary-street, in the town and county of the town of Southampton, Upholsterer and Furniture Dealer, trading as Jones and Co. **NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 19, Portland-street, Southampton, on the 29th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1878.

H. EDW. ROBINS, Solicitor for the said John William Jones.

**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 Elizabeth Ann Taylor and Fanny Maud Taylor, of No. 2, Colonnade, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, Berlin Wool Dealers and Ladies' Outfitters.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Purkis and Perry, No. 1, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 4th day of May, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

J. W. GABB, Essex-place, Cheltenham, Solicitor for the said Elizabeth Ann Taylor and Fanny Maud Taylor.

**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 Elizabeth Ann Taylor and Fanny Maud Taylor, of No. 2, Colonnade, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, Berlin Wool Dealers and Ladies' Outfitters.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Elizabeth Ann Taylor has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Purkis and Perry, No. 1, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 4th day of May, 1878, at half-past one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

J. W. GABB, Essex-place, Cheltenham, Solicitor for the said Elizabeth Ann Taylor.

**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 Elizabeth Ann Taylor and Fanny Maud Taylor, of No. 2, Colonnade, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, Berlin Wool Dealers and Ladies' Outfitters.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Fanny Maud Taylor has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Purkis and Perry, No. 1, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 4th day of May, 1878, at half-past one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

J. W. GABB, Essex-place, Cheltenham, Solicitor for the said Fanny Maud Taylor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Cheltenham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Hopton, of High-street, Tewkesbury, in the county of Gloucester, late Coal Dealer and Tobaccoist, now out of business.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at Messrs. Moores and Romney's offices, in Tewkesbury, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

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

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Coombe, of 31 and 32, Upper-arcade, in the city and county of Bristol, Glass and China Dealer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Thomas Dix Sibly, 6, Exchange West, in the city and county of Bristol,

on the 1st day of May, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

THOS. DIX SIRLY, 6, Exchange West, 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 James Candy and William Matthew Morbey, of Wine-street, in the city of Bristol, Manchester Warehousemen, trading under the style of James Candy and Son.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the Queen's Hotel, in the city of Manchester, on the 30th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

HENRY BRITTAN, PRESS, and INSKIP, 12, Small-street, Bristol, Solicitors for the Debtors.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Daniel Britton, of Thomas-street, in the city of Bristol, Decorator.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of F. W. Tonkin, Solicitor, Albion-chambers, in the city of Bristol aforesaid, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

FRANKLIN W. TONKIN, Albion-chambers, 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 Thomas Durston, of 11, Orford-terrace, in the parish of Horfield, in the county of Gloucester, Corn Factor and Grocer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Albert Essery, Solicitor, in the Guildhall, Broad-street, Bristol, on the 27th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

ALBERT ESSERY, Guildhall, Bristol, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Sarah Bending, of the Hit or Miss, Redcross-street, Bristol, Beer Retailer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. John Price, 29, Bridge-street, Bristol, on the 29th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

SARAH BENDING, the 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 Joseph Burgum, of Redding-lane, in the parish of Little-dean, in the county of Gloucester, Haulier.

**NOTICE** 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 John Dighton, Solicitor, Mitcheldean, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

JOHN DIGHTON, Mitcheldean, Solicitor for the said Joseph Burgum.

**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 George Brown, of Briery, in the township of East Dean, in the county of Gloucester, Publican and Miner.

**NOTICE** 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 Andrew Parker, Newnham, in the county of Gloucester, on the 29th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 30th day of March, 1878.

A. PARKER, Newnham, Solicitor 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 Edward Pavey Parker, commonly known as Edward Pavey, of No. 43, St. James-street, Weston-super-Mare, in the county of Somerset, Boot and Shoe Maker.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. William Smith, Solicitor, Handel House, High-street, Weston-super-Mare, on the 4th day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

WM. SMITH, Weston-super-Mare, Solicitor for the 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 Albert John Woodger, of Minehead, in the county of Somerset, 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 offices of Messrs. Milne and Co., St. Stephen's-avenue, Bristol, on the 25th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

W. T. WATKINS, Alcombe, Dunster, Solicitor for the said Albert John Woodger.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carnarvonshire, holden at Bangor.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Jones, of Pandy, in the parish of Henllan, 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 offices of Messrs. Gold, Edwards, and Weston, in Denbigh, in the county of Denbigh, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

GOLD, EDWARDS, and WESTON, of Denbigh, Solicitors for the said Robert Jones.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carnarvonshire, holden at Bangor.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Jones, of Market-street, Abergelle, in the county of Denbigh, Printer and Bookseller.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Albion Inn, near the Railway Station, Chester, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

WM. DAVIES, Well-street, Holywell, Solicitor for the 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 Samuel Short, of Castle-gardens, in the borough of Liskeard, in the county of Cornwall, Carpenter and Builder.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Thomas Cadwallader Brian, Freemasons' Hall, Cornwall-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, on the 30th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

THOS. CADWLER. BRIAN, of Freemasons' Hall, Cornwall-street, Plymouth, 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 John Robert Jewell, of 44, Gloucester-street, Morice Town, Devonport, in the county of Devon, Writer in Her Majesty's Civil Service.

**NOTICE** 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 Edward Curteis, St. George's Hall, East Stonehouse, in the county of Devon, on the 4th day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

J. EDWARD CURTEIS, of St. George's Hall, East Stonehouse, 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 Henry James Ham, of 32, Southwicks-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Rope 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 George and Railway Hotel, Bristol, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

F. R. STANBURY, of 13, Princess-square, Plymouth, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at  
Cockermouth.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Chandler, of John-street, Workington, in the county of Cumberland, Draper.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. R. W. Whitelock, No. 6, Bridge-street, Workington, on the 6th day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

ROBT. W. WHITELOCK, No. 6, Bridge-street, Workington, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Lumb, of 5, Alma-street, Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, Engineer and Marine Store Dealer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. James Tweedy, Solicitor, 59, High-street, Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, on the 29th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

JAMES TWEEDY, 59, High-street, Stockton-on-Tees, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Mazzetti, of Saltburn-by-the-Sea, in the county of York, late a Builder, but now out of business.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, No. 23, Linthorpe-road, Middlesborough, in the said county of York, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

GEO. ROBSON, 23, Linthorpe-road, Middlesborough, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alonzo Taylor, of Middlesborough, in the North Riding of the county of York, Clerk of Works.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Corporation Hotel, Middlesborough aforesaid, on the 7th day of May, 1878, at a quarter past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of March, 1878.

HUGH DUNN and WATSON, Solicitors for the said Alonzo Taylor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Bradburn, of the Talbot Inn, No. 39, West-street, in the borough of Crewe, in the county of Chester, Beerhouse Keeper.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my office, No. 82, Mill-street, Crewe aforesaid, on the 30th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

F. WARBURTON, of Crewe aforesaid, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

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

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Duckers, of Market Drayton, in the county of Salop, Chemist, Druggist, and Grocer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Royal Hotel, in Crewe, in the county of Chester, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

J. C. PODMORE, Market Drayton, Salop, Solicitor for the said Henry Duckers.

**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 Hugh Richards, of Mold, in the county of Flint, Furniture Broker.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Queen Hotel, Chester, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

GEO. E. TREVOR ROPER, Mold, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Denbighshire, holden at Wrexham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Nicholas Stuart Scotcher, of High-street, Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh, Jeweller.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Henry Humphreys, Solicitor, 4, Temple-row, Wrexham aforesaid, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

HENRY HUMPHREYS, Wrexham, Solicitor for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Amelia Hives, of 13, Corn Market, in the borough of Derby, Grocer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Commercial Sale Room, No. 18, Wardwick, Derby, on the 24th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

W. B. HEXTALL, 48, Full-street, Derby, Solicitor for the said Amelia Hives.

**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 Albert Beardsley, of No. 60a, Bath-street, Ilkeston, in the county of Derby, Pork Butcher and Baker.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, St. Peter's-chambers, St. Peter's-gate, in the town of Nottingham, on the 7th day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

SAML. BRITTLE, St. Peter's-chambers, St. Peter's-gate, Nottingham, Solicitor for the said Albert Beardsley.

**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 Samuel Revill, of Ilkeston, in the county of Derby, Veterinary Surgeon.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at 11, Weekday-cross, Nottingham, on the 3rd day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

W. H. STEVENSON, 11, Weekday-cross, Nottingham, Solicitor for the said Samuel Revill.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Neath.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Evan Thomas, of High-street, Aberavon, in the county of Glamorgan, Draper and Outfitter.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Milne and

Co., Public Accountants, Caledonia-chambers, St. Stephen's-avenue, Bristol, on the 2nd day of May, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

TENNANT and JONES, Solicitors for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Dorchester.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Lambert, of Okeford Fitzpaine, near Blandford, in the county of Dorset, Butcher.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Crown Hotel, Blandford, in the county of Dorset, on the 6th day of May, 1878, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1878.

RICHARD NICHOLAS HOWARD, Weymouth, Dorset, Solicitor for the said George Lambert.

**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 Dawson Hodgson, of the Hope and Anchor Inn, Quay Side, Workington, in the county of Cumberland, Inn-keeper.

**U**PON sufficient cause this day shown to the satisfaction of the Court, the General Meeting of Creditors in this matter summoned for the 30th day of April, 1878, is hereby directed to be held at the office of Mr. Tom Milburn, Solicitor, Nook-street, Workington, in the county of Cumberland, in lieu of the place originally named. And hereof let notice be given forthwith.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Richard Turk, of No. 125, Avenue E, Metropolitan Meat Market, in the city of London, late of the Firs, York-road, Battersea, in the county of Surrey, Meat Salesman.

**A** MEETING of the Creditors of the above-named Richard Turk will be held at Moufflet's Tavern, Central Meat Market, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 30th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustee of a composition offered by the debtor of two shillings and sixpence in the pound, payable within seven days after registration of the resolution sanctioning the said composition, and for closing of the liquidation and the release of the Trustee.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

WM. H. PANNELL, 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 William Bouch, of No. 1, John's-terrace, Earl's Court-road, in the county of Middlesex, Grocer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Vallance and Vallance, No. 20, Essex-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, to consider the propriety of granting the debtor's discharge, and to pass a resolution for that purpose.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

ALFRED LASS, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Henry Willis, Samuel Tomkins, and Samuel Leith Tomkins, of 70, Lombard-street, in the city of London, Bankers, carrying on business in partnership, under the style of Willis, Percival, and Co.

**A** GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Henry Willis, Samuel Tomkins, and Samuel Leith Tomkins will be held at the Cannon-street Hotel, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 30th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, for the purpose of considering and, if deemed desirable, passing the following resolution, or such other resolution, as may be considered expedient, that is to say:—"That the agreement dated 1st April, 1878, and made between Mr. William Turquand as the receiver and manager (and who is now the Trustee) in this matter of the one part

and the Hampshire and North Wilts Banking Company of the other part, and which agreement provides inter alia for the sale to the Hampshire and North Wilts Banking Company of the joint and separate estates of the said Henry Willis, Samuel Tomkins, and Samuel Leith Tomkins, and the goodwill of their banking business at the price or sum of £265,000, and such further sum (if any) as shall be required to pay 9s. in the pound in due course of administration on the debts due by the said Henry Willis, Samuel Tomkins, and Samuel Leith Tomkins, and to pay in full the debts due by the said firm under the late partnership with Henry Willis, deceased, and the separate debts due by each of them, the said Henry Willis, Samuel Tomkins, and Samuel Leith Tomkins, and as shall be sufficient to pay the costs of the liquidation proceedings from the commencement to the close thereof, and other incidental expenses and costs, and that if the said sum of £265,000 should be more than sufficient to pay the said dividend of 9s. in the pound and the said debts and costs, the surplus should be refunded to the said Hampshire and North Wilts Banking Company, the said purchase money or price being payable within seven days after confirmation of the said agreement, be adopted and confirmed, and that the said William Turquand, as the Trustee of the property of the said Henry Willis, Samuel Tomkins, and Samuel Leith Tomkins, be authorised and required to sell the said joint and separate estates and the goodwill of their banking business to the Hampshire and North Wilts Banking Company upon the terms of the said agreement."—Dated this 18th day of April, 1878.

W. TURQUAND, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William George Thomas, of the King's Head Inn, in the parish of Risca, and of Tredegar-street, North Risca, in the parish of Mynydd-y-lwyn, both in the county of Monmouth, and formerly of the Swan Hotel and of 98, Bridgend-road, Maesteg, in the parish of Llanyoned, in the county of Glamorgan, Innkeeper, Grocer, and Coal Pit Sinker, carrying on the business of a Coal Pit Sinker in partnership with John Howells, at Risca aforesaid, and until lately at Bryncethin, near Bridgend, in the said county of Glamorgan, under the style or firm of Thomas and Howells.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a Special General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named person is hereby summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Fred Vaughan, Solicitor, No. 9, Dock-street, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, on Wednesday, the 1st day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of auditing and passing the Trustee's accounts, granting him his remuneration, of declaring a First and Final Dividend, closing the liquidation, and resolving as to the release of the Trustee and discharge of the debtor, and for transacting any other business in relation to this estate. All creditors who have not proved their debts are requested to forward their proofs of debts to the Trustee.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

EDWD. EDWARDS, of Risca, Mon., Grocer, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Boston. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Thomas Keedwell Smart, of Market-place, Wainfleet All Saints, in the county of Lincoln, Clothier and General Outfitter.

**A** GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named George Thomas Keedwell Smart will be held at the Red Lion Hotel, Strait Bargate, Boston, in the county of Lincoln, on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1878, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustee of a composition offered by or on behalf of the debtor of 6s. 8d. in the pound, payable within seven days after the resolution has been approved by the Court.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

CHARLES LUCAS, 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 Morris Mendelson, of the borough of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, General Dealer.

**A** GENERAL Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Morris Mendelson will be held at the offices of Messrs. Foreman, Son, and Co., No. 32, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the Trustee of a proposal by the said Morris Mendelson to pay all the creditors respectively a composition of two shillings and nine pence in the pound upon the amount of

their respective debts by four instalments, the first of nine pence in the pound to be secured by the joint and several promissory notes of the debtor and Messrs. A. Lewis and Co., of 73, Westgate-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, the second of eight pence in the pound to be secured by the joint and several promissory notes of the debtor and Mr. Reuben Dutschman, of 119, Blenheim-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, the third and fourth of eight pence in the pound each to be secured by the promissory notes of the debtor only, such promissory notes to be dated on the day of the confirmation by the Court of the arrangement, and payable respectively at three, six, nine, and twelve months from such date, together with the costs, charges, and expenses of and incidental to the liquidation, and upon the delivery of the said promissory notes to the Trustee, or one of them, and payment of the said costs, charges, and expenses, the discharge of the debtor to be granted him forthwith.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

ERNEST FOREMAN, for Self and Co-Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court, by transfer from the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of George Henry Brown, of No. 38, High-street, Rotherham, in the county of York, Hosier.

**THE** creditors of the above-named George Henry Brown who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 30th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Frederick Henry Collison, of No. 99, Cheapside, in the city of London, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 18th day of April, 1878.

F. H. COLLISON, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court, by transfer from the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Annie Brahe and Edward Moore Missen, of No. 125, New-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, trading in copartnership under the firm of Brahe and Missen, as Hosiers and Gentlemen's Outfitters.

**THE** creditors of the above-named Annie Brahe and Edward Moore Missen who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 30th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Frederick Henry Collison, of No. 99, Cheapside, in the city of London, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 18th day of April, 1878.

F. H. COLLISON, 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 Albert Fisher and Alfred Fisher, trading as W. Fisher and Co., of No. 11, Clerkenwell-close, in the county of Middlesex, formerly of 20, Kingsgate-street, Holborn, Cloth Workers.

**THE** creditors of the above-named Albert Fisher and Alfred Fisher who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 3rd day of May, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Horace John Semple, of 15, Upper Wimpole-street, Cavendish-square, Middlesex, Solicitor, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

H. J. SEMPLE, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Henry Willis, Samuel Tomkins, and Samuel Leith Tomkins, of No. 76, Lombard-street, in the city of London, Bankers, carrying on business, in partnership, under the style of Willis, Percival, and Co.

**THE** creditors of the above-named Henry Willis, Samuel Tomkins, and Samuel Leith Tomkins who have not already proved their debts are required, on or before the 30th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Turquand, of 16, Tokenhouse-yard, 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 18th day of April, 1878.

W. TURQUAND, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Brighton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Tom John Boniface Halsted, of North Berstead, in the county of Sussex, formerly Farmer, but now out of business.

THE creditors of the above-named Tom John Boniface Halsted who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 27th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Edward Habin, of the Hornet, Chichester, in the said county of Sussex, Corn Merchant and Saddler, 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 15th day of April, 1878.

EDWARD HABIN, 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 Georgina Louisa Davis, of Lower Cheltenham-place, in the city and county of Bristol, Widow.

THE creditors of the above-named Georgina Louisa Davis who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 23rd day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Melsom Hunt, of the firm of Hunt and Phillips, of St. James Barton, in the city and county of Bristol, Draper, 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 17th day of April, 1878.

J. M. HUNT, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Coventry.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Clay, of 9, Saint Mary-street, Coventry, in the county of Warwick, Ribbon and Hat Trimming Manufacturer, trading under the style or firm of Clay and Company, but lately carrying on business in copartnership at 9, Saint Mary-street, Coventry aforesaid, with William Greenway, under the style or firm of Clay and Greenway, as Ribbon and Hat Trimming Manufacturers.

THE creditors of the above-named Thomas Clay who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 30th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Micajah Gibson Hill, of 33, King-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

M. GIBSON HILL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham, by transfer from the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Gloucester.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Henry Rew, residing in lodgings at Upper Faulkner-street, in the city of Gloucester, and carrying on business at Commercial-road, Llanthony-road, and Limekiln-lane, all in the said city, Timber and Lath Merchant.

THE creditors of the above-named William Henry Rew who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 1st day of May, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Ernest Alexander Beaumont, of 28, Queen-street, Huddersfield, in the county of York, 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 15th day of April, 1878.

E. A. BEAUMONT, 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 William Joyce, residing in lodgings at Norton-street, Balsall Heath, in the county of Worcester, formerly of No. 14, Catc-street North, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Builder and Contractor.

THE creditors of the above-named William Joyce who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 1st day of May, 1878, to send their

names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Isaac Brett, of 14, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, 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 17th day of April, 1878.

ISAAC BRETT, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carmarthenshire, holden at Carmarthen.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Henton Walkinton, of High-street, Tenby, in the county of Pembroke, Iron-monger.

THE creditors of the above-named John Henton Walkinton who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 27th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Andrew Jenkins, of Fern Cottage, Tenby, 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 12th day of April, 1878.

JOHN ANDREW JENKINS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Knapton, of Providence Mill, Cleckheaton, in the county of York, Manufacturer.

THE creditors of the above-named John Knapton who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 1st day of May, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Benjamin Musgrave, of No. 2, Aldermany, Bradford, in the county of York, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

BENJN. MUSGRAVE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Barraclough, of the Waggon and Horses Inn, Bradford Moor, Bradford, in the county of York, Innkeeper and Hay and Straw Dealer.

THE creditors of the above-named William Barraclough who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 29th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Clough Wright, of 15, Queensgate, Bradford aforesaid, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 18th day of April, 1878.

JAMES C. WRIGHT, Trustee.

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 Chambers, late of Goole, in the West Riding of the county of York, Fruit Merchant, and now since deceased, and continued under an order of the Court made on the 28th day of March, 1878.

THE creditors of the above-named Robert Chambers who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 1st day of May, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Lumb Aspinall, of Custom House-buildings, Goole, in the county of York, Commission Agent, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

L. ASPINALL, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Heywood, of Nantwich, in the county of Chester, Joiner and Builder.

THE creditors of the above-named John Heywood who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 11th day of May, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Richard Prince, of Nantwich aforesaid, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

RICHARD PRINCE, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Macclesfield. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Brown, of the Odd Fellows' Arms, Rood-lane, Congleton, in the county of Chester, Publican.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named John Brown who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 27th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Francis Loose, of 21, Jordangate, in Macclesfield, in the county of Chester, 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 15th day of April, 1878.

FRAS. LOOSE, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Great Yarmouth. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Robert Brown, of the New-market Inn, Lowestoft, in the county of Suffolk, Innkeeper and Shipwright.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Robert Brown who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 2nd day of May, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Lovewell Blake, of Hall Quay-chambers, Great Yarmouth, Public 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 16th day of April, 1878.

LOVEWELL BLAKE, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Hilton, of 223, Halifax-road, in Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Builder and Contractor.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named William Hilton who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 30th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, James Carter Naylor, of Moorher, Glodwick, Oldham aforesaid, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

JAS. C. NAYLOR, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Frederick Langdon, of 54, Vauxhall-road, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Licensed Victualler.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Frederick Langdon who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 7th day of May, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Hayes Sheen, of 21, North John-street, Liverpool 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 15th day of April, 1878.

THOMAS H. SHEEN, Trustee.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester, by transfer from the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Stockport.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Price, of 63, Middle Hillgate, and also of 58, Shaw Heath, both in the borough of Stockport, in the county of Chester, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named William Price who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 1st day of May, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Sutton, of 2, Cooper-street, in the city of Manchester, 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 16th day of April, 1878.

THOS. SUTTON, Trustee.

**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 Charles Jackson, of 452, Rochdale-road, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Boot and Shoe Dealer.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Charles Jackson who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 27th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their

debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Edward Simpson Crossdell, of 57, Princess-street, Manchester, 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 17th day of April, 1878.

E. S. CROASDELL, 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 Graham, of the Prestolee Soapery, in Pilkington, in the county of Lancaster, Soap Manufacturer, lately carrying on business at the same place in copartnership with Peter Bradburn, under the style or firm of Graham and Bradburn, as Soap Manufacturers.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named John Graham who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 29th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, John Greenhalgh, of 6, Bowker's-row, Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, 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 15th day of April, 1878.

C. R. TREVOR,

JOHN GREENHALGH, Trustees.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Cornwall, holden at Truro. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Sarah, of Pool, in the county of Cornwall, Innkeeper and Seedsman.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named John Sarah who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 30th day of April, 1878, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Thomas Chirgwin, of 26, River-street, Truro, 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 16th day of April, 1878.

THOS. CHIRGWIN, 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 Richard Goundry, of No. 181, Upper Thames-street, in the city of London, Tea and Coffee Merchant, trading under the style or firm of Goundry and Company.

**W**ILLIAM IZARD, of the firm of Izard and Belts, of No. 46, Eastcheap, in the city of London, Trade 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 17th day of April, 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 Samuel Loveys Maun, of 223, Upper Thames-street, in the city of London, and of 51, Lant-street, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, trading there under the style or firm of Newman and Maun, and residing at 27, Grove-road, Brixton, in the said county of Surrey, Builder and Contractor.

**E**Dmund CHARLES CHATTERLEY, of 25, Old Jewry, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 16th day of April, 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 William Thorowgood Harkness, of No. 16, Water-lane, in the city of London, and No. 2, Eton-place, Nuchhead-lane, Peckham, Surrey, Lighterman.

**W**ILLIAM HENRY BANKS, of No. 23, Coleman-street, 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 16th day of April, 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 Charles William Cocksedge and William Symons, of 132, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, trading as C. W. Cocksedge and Co., Warehousemen, the said Charles William Cocksedge residing at Sidcup, in the county of Kent, and the said William Symons residing at 185, Tachbrook-street, Pimlico, in the county of Middlesex.

**JOHN JAMES POWIS**, of 3, Carey-lane, in the city of London, Warehouseman, John Fyfe, of 7, Watling-street, in the city of London, Warehouseman, and George Rattelliff Steel, of 38, Bow-lane, in the city of London, Warehouseman, 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 proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustees.—Dated this 15th day of April, 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 Charles William Cocksedge and William Symons, of 132, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, trading as C. W. Cocksedge and Co., Warehousemen, the said Charles William Cocksedge residing at Sidcup, in the county of Kent, and the said William Symons residing at 185, Tachbrook-street, Pimlico, in the county of Middlesex.

**JOHN JAMES POWIS**, of 3, Carey-lane, in the city of London, Warehouseman, John Fyfe, of 7, Watling-street, in the city of London, Warehouseman, and George Rattelliff Steel, of 38, Bow-lane, in the city of London, Warehouseman, have been appointed Trustees of the property of Charles William Cocksedge, one of the above-named debtors. 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 16th day of April, 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 Henry Willis, Samuel Tomkins, and Samuel Leith Tomkins, of 76, Lombard-street, in the city of London, Bankers, carrying on business in partnership under the style of Willis, Percival, and Co.

**WILLIAM TURQUAND**, of Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtors must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 15th day of April, 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 Henry Willis, Samuel Tomkins, and Samuel Leith Tomkins, of 76, Lombard-street, in the city of London, Bankers, carrying on business in partnership under the style of Willis, Percival, and Co.

**WILLIAM TURQUAND**, of Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the separate property of the debtor, Henry Willis. 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 15th day of April, 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 Henry Willis, Samuel Tomkins, and Samuel Leith Tomkins, of 76, Lombard-street, in the city of London, Bankers, carrying on business in partnership under the style of Willis, Percival, and Co.

**WILLIAM TURQUAND**, of Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the separate property of the debtor, Samuel Tomkins. 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 15th day of April, 1878.

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**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 Willis, Samuel Tomkins, and Samuel Leith Tomkins, of 76, Lombard-street, in the city of London, Bankers, carrying on business in partnership under the style of Willis, Percival, and Co.

**WILLIAM TURQUAND**, of Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the separate property of the debtor, Samuel Leith Tomkins. 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 15th day of April, 1878.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court by transfer from the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Burton-on-Trent.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edward John Boston Proctor, of Market-place, Uttoxeter, in the county of Stafford, Merchant Tailor and Hatter.

**JOHN AUGUSTUS JOSOLYNE**, of No. 28, King-street, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor in the place and stead of John Robinson Clarke, deceased. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of April, 1878.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Peterborough.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Edward Johnson, of Maxey, in the county of Northampton, Farmer, Cattle, and Sheep Salesman, and Horsedealer.

**CHARLES BUCKLE**, of the city of Peterborough, 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 12th day of April, 1878.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at York.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Bentley Webster, of No. 60, Low Petergate, in the city of York, Glass, China, and Earthenware Dealer.

**EDWARD WILKINSON**, of Feasegate, in the city of York, 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 15th day of April, 1878.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Sharples, of No. 251, Fulwood-road, Broomhill, Sheffield, in the county of York, Painter, Paper Hanger, and Decorator.

**GEORGE WHITT**, of No. 8, King-street, in the city of Manchester, and 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 15th day of April, 1878.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edmund George Pepper, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Wine and Spirit Merchant.

**JOHN UNWIN WING**, of Sheffield, in the county of York, 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 15th day of April, 1878.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Edwin Holmes, of the Winternell Brewery, Wath-upon-Dearne, near Sheffield, in the county of York, Brewer.

**JOHN UNWIN WING**, of Sheffield, in the county of York, 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 debt to the trustee.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

**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 Richard Hitching, of Wethersfield, in the county of Essex, Farmer and Commission Agent.

**THOMAS HENRY COOPER**, of 1, Hatton-garden, in the county of Middlesex, 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 8th day of April, 1878.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Lincoln.  
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Samuel Horn Bannister, of Moorgate, in the parish of Clarendon, in the county of Nottingham, Flour, Corn, and Bread Dealer.

**PARKER TOMLINSON**, of East Retford, in the said county of Nottingham, 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 debt to the trustee.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1878.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Tredegar.  
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Davies, of No. 55, Church-street, Tredegar, in the county of Monmouth, Grocer.

**EDWARD THOMAS COLLINS**, of Bristol, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debt to the trustee.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1878.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Walsall.  
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Joseph Parkes, Caroline Russon, and Edward Russon, trading together in partnership as Russon and Company, at Brook-street Works, Brook-street, Walsall, in the county of Stafford, Hame and Cart Gear Makers.

**WILLIAM COOK**, of No. 7, Bridge-street, Walsall, in the county of Stafford, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtors. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtors must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtors must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debt to the trustee.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Burton-on-Trent.  
In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Philip Hinch, of 70, Derby-street, Burton-on-Trent, in the county of Stafford, Butcher and Greengrocer.

**EDWARD COPE**, of Bank-chambers, Corn Market, 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 debt to the trustee.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Blackburn.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Aaron Sharples Bury, residing at No. 8, Duke's-brow, Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Spinner

and Power-Loom Cloth Manufacturer, formerly carrying on business at Eanam Mills, Eanam Bridge Mill, and Gorse Bridge Mill, all within Blackburn aforesaid, but now at Eanam Bridge Mill and Gorse Bridge Mill aforesaid.

**EDWARD RUSHTON**, of Blackburn, Auctioneer and Valuer, and William Heppard, of the same place, Public 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 debt to the trustees.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

**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 Sandbach, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancashire, Leather Factor.

**WILLIAM HENRY OCKLESTON**, of Runcorn, in the county of Chester, Tanner, and George Chapman, of Leeds, in the county of York, Tanner, 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 debt to the trustees.—Dated this 15th day of April, 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 Wallace Greaves, of No. 20, New Brown-street, in the city of Manchester, Eagle Mills, Reddish, near Stockport, in the county of Lancaster, and Blackshaw Head Mill, Blackshaw Head, near Hebden Bridge, in the county of York, Bleacher, Dyer, Warp Sizer, and Cotton Manufacturer, trading under the style of W. Greaves.

**DAM MURRAY**, of No. 104, King-street, in the city of Manchester, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debt to the trustee.—Dated this 15th day of April, 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 William Jones, of Heaton Villa, Boothroydon, in the parish of Blackley, in the county of Lancaster, and of Ancoats Saw Mill, Great Ancoats-street, in the city of Manchester, Joiner, Builder, and Packing Case Maker, carrying on business under the style or firm of William Jones and Co.

**JOHN WHITE**, of 63, King-street, in the city of Manchester, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debt to the trustee.—Dated this 11th day of April, 1878.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ulverston and at Barrow-in-Furness.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors instituted by Haughton Clemestra, of No. 146, Cavendish-street, Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer.

**CHARLES LOWDEN**, of Church-street, Barrow-in-Furness, 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 debt to the trustee.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Jeffry Stocker, of No. 34, Deansgate, Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Draper.

**JOHN DAWSON**, of No. 6, Brown-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Accountant, and Joshua Crowther, of No. 39, York-street, Manchester, 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 17th day of April, 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 Thomas Newcomb, of Middlesborough, in the county of York, Undertaker and Cab Proprietor.

**RICHARD WHALEY THOMPSON**, of Middlesborough, in the county of York, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 13th day of April, 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 Parker Friskney, of 25, Sussex-street, Middlesborough, in the county of York, Hatter and Hosier.

**RICHARD WHALEY THOMPSON**, of Middlesborough, in the county of York, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

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 Peter Macintyre, of Regent-street, Long Eaton, in the county of Derby, Draper.

**PETER KERR CHESNEY**, of Bradford, in the county of York, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the debtor. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the debtor must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the debtor must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

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 Kemp, residing at Saddington, and carrying on business at Saddington, Shearsby, Fleckney, and Mowsley, all in the county of Leicester, Farmer and Grazier.

**TOM ATKINS WYKES**, of Friar-lane, Leicester, 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 to the trustee.—Dated this 12th day of April, 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 Mary Ann Loughton, late of Newstead, in the county of Nottingham, Farmer, and now in lodgings at the house of George Armstrong, Farmer, Hickling, in the county of Nottingham, Widow, and out of business.

**WILLIAM HIRST**, of Newark-upon-Trent, in the county 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 17th day of April, 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 Robert Machin, of 25, Clumber-street, and 47, Goldsmith-street, both in the town of Nottingham, Grocer and Hop Merchant.

**HENRY EDWARD HUBBART**, of Thurland-street, in the town of Nottingham, Accountant, and James Chambers Roe, of 23, Rood-lane, in the city of London,

Manager, 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 13th day of April, 1878.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Scarborough. To Thomas Broadbent, Esq., of Rothsay House, Scarborough, in the county of York.

**TAKE** notice, that a Bankruptcy Petition has been presented against you to this Court by Saville Jacques Parker, of 23, Duke-street, Saint James's, in the county of Middlesex, Bill Broker, 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 8th day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon, on which day you are required to appear, and, if you do not appear, the Court may adjudge you bankrupt in your absence. The petition can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Kingston.

**A MEETING** of the Creditors of Daniel Baldwin, of Weybridge, in the county of Surrey, Contractor, adjudicated a bankrupt on the 16th day of April, 1877, will be held on Wednesday, the 1st day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the offices of Mr. Alfred Francis Barnard, No. 1, King's Arms Yard, Coleman-street, in the city of London, for the purpose of passing resolutions under the 28th section of the Bankruptcy Act, 1869, assenting to a general scheme or settlement of the affairs of the bankrupt and for the annulling of the order of adjudication made against the bankrupt.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Macclesfield. In the Matter of Thomas Hyde, of the Bull's Head Inn, No. 35, St. Edward-street, Leek, in the county of Stafford, Innkeeper, adjudicated Bankrupt on the 26th day of September, 1877.

**A GENERAL** Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named bankrupt is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court Office, King Edward-street, Macclesfield, on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, for the purpose of considering, and if deemed advisable carrying the following resolutions into effect:—1. To pass the Trustee's accounts; 2. To close the bankruptcy; 3. To release the Trustee; 4. To declare a First and Final Dividend.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

GEO. PILKINGTON, Trustee.]

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Rochester. In the Matter of John Maxted, of 44, Harmer-street, Milton, next Gravesend, in the county of Kent, Mineral Water Manufacturer, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 8th day of February, 1877.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Samuel J. Bennett and Co., No. 54, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, on the 30th day of April, 1878, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for the purpose of instructing the Trustee as to payment of a Dividend; to fix the date for closing the bankruptcy, and to close the bankruptcy; and to consider the question of releasing the Trustee and the debtor, and the granting the same forthwith, or to take effect from a given date.—Dated this 8th day of April, 1878.

LEAROYD, LEAROYD, and PEACE, Albion-chambers, Moorgate-street, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Macclesfield. In the Matter of Joseph Whittaker, of the Market Vaults, Macclesfield, in the county of Chester, Licensed Victualler, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 19th day of February, 1877.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Joseph Whittaker will be held at the office of Messrs. Parrott, May, and Sons, Solicitors, Macclesfield aforesaid, on Saturday, the 27th day of April instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the business to be transacted thereat is as follows:—To order the remuneration and release of the Trustee; To order the time for closing the said bankruptcy and to pass any other resolution the creditors may determine.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

FRA. LOOSE, Trustee.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Wandsworth. In the Matter of Frederick Fells, of Priory-grove, Priory-road, Wandsworth-road, in the county of Surrey, Dairyman, adjudicated a Bankrupt 22nd August, 1876.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named bankrupt will be held at my offices, Nos. 7 and 8, Ironmonger-lane, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 1st day of May, 1878, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for all or any of the following purposes:—1. To consider an agreement whereby it is proposed to pay to the creditors a composition of ten shillings in the pound in satisfaction of their debts: 2. To resolve as to the annulling of the order of adjudication; 3. To pass such other resolutions as may be deemed necessary. —Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

JOSEPH ANDREWS, Trustee.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

**A FINAL** Dividend of 9d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Martin Brunjes, of No. 46, Brook-street, Grosvenor-square, in the county of Middlesex, a Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, England, adjudicated bankrupt on the 11th day of January, 1876, and will be paid by me, at my office, No. 18, King-street, Cheap-side, in the city of London, on and after the 29th day of April, 1878.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

WILLIAM EDWARDS, Trustee.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Southampton.

**A FINAL** Dividend of 4d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of James Cook, of Eastleigh, Bishopstoke, in the county of Southampton, Grocer and Tea Dealer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 19th day of April, 1876, and will be paid by me, at the offices of Messrs. May, Sykes, and Batten, 2, Adelaide-place, London Bridge, in the city of London, on and after the 23rd day of April, 1878.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

WALTER REYNOLDS, Trustee.

In the County Court of Cambridgeshire, holden at Cambridge.

**A FIRST** Dividend of 10s. in the pound on new proofs, and a Second and Final Dividend of 2½d. in the pound have been declared in the matter of Thomas Smith, of Cheveley, in the county of Cambridge, Gentleman, adjudicated bankrupt on the 26th day of February, 1876, and will be paid by me, at the office of Mr. W. H. Hudson, Solicitor, No. 1, Furnival's-inn, Holborn, in the city of London, on and after the 23rd day of April, 1878.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

HENRY DURRANT, Trustee.

#### The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Clifford Thomas Fernyhough, of 17, Charles street, Saint James's, in the county of Middlesex.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Clifford Thomas Fernyhough, having been given, it is ordered that the said Clifford Thomas Fernyhough be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 17th day of April, 1878.

By the Court,

W. C. Spring-Rice, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Clifford Thomas Fernyhough is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 30th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Honourable William Cecil Spring-Rice one of the Registrars at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee in the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Robert Thompson and William Thompson, both of Darlington, in the county of Durham, Bill Brokers.

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 Robert Thompson and William Thompson having been given, and the debtors consenting,

it is ordered that the Robert Thompson and William Thompson be, and they are hereby, adjudged bankrupts.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 15th day of April, 1878.

By the Court,

T. Crosby, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Robert Thompson and William Thompson is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, Bridge-road, Stockton-on-Tees, on the 10th day of May, 1878, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupts to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of their affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupts must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupts must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

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

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Thomas Longstaff, of Middlesborough, in the county of York, Shoemaker.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act of bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Thomas Longstaff having been given, and he, the said Thomas Longstaff, having consented to adjudication being forthwith made, it is ordered that the said Thomas Longstaff be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 17th day of April, 1878.

By the Court,

T. Crosby, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Thomas Longstaff is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court, Stockton-on-Tees, on the 3rd day of May, 1878, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Maidstone.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Henry Wilmsburst, of Maidstone, in the county of Kent, Fruiterer and Market Gardener.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Henry Wilmsburst having been given, it is ordered that the said Henry Wilmsburst be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 16th day of April, 1878.

By the Court,

Frederick Scudamore, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Henry Wilmsburst is hereby summoned to be held at the Office of this Court, 88, Week-street, Maidstone, on the 2nd day of May, 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 Buckinghamshire, holden at Aylesbury.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Verey, of Hartwell Villa, Hartwell-road, and of Sedrup Farm, Hartwell, near Aylesbury, in the county of Buckingham, 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 Verey having been given, it is ordered that the said William Verey be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 16th day of April, 1878.

By the Court,

H. Watson, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Verey is hereby summoned to be held at the Office of this Court, situate in Walton-street, Aylesbury, on



the 6th day of May, 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 Hampshire, holden at Southampton. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Gabriel Scott, of Test Valley, Redbridge, in the county of Southampton, Manure Merchant.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Gabriel Scott having been given, it is ordered that the said Gabriel Scott be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 17th day of April, 1878.

By the Court,

*John Daw, Jun., Registrar.*

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Gabriel Scott is hereby summoned to be held at the Court-house, Castle-square, Southampton, on the 6th day of May, 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 Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Alexander MacKnight, of Beechleigh, Victoria Park, Wavertree, near Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Merchant's Clerk.

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 Alexander MacKnight having been given, it is ordered that the said Alexander MacKnight be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 17th day of April, 1878.

By the Court,

*William Cooper, Registrar.*

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Alexander MacKnight is hereby summoned to be held at the Court-house, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, on the 6th day of May, 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 Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of a Petition for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, by and in the Matter of an Application for Adjudication in Bankruptcy against Thomas Fleetwood, of Widnes, near Warrington, in the county of Lancaster, Chemical Manufacturer.

UPON reading the said Petition, filed on the 15th day of February, 1876, and the other proceedings and resolutions filed in the matter of such Petition, and upon reading the affidavit of Henry Bolland, filed on the 6th day of April instant, and upon the application of Mr. Collins on behalf of the said Henry Bolland, the Trustee of the estate and effects of George Fleetwood, a creditor of the said Thomas Fleetwood, and being satisfied that the composition therein referred to cannot proceed without injustice or undue delay to the creditors, this Court doth adjudge the said Thomas Fleetwood, and he is hereby adjudged, bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court, this 12th day of April, 1878.

By the Court,

*Tho. Bellringer, Registrar.*

The First General Meeting of the Creditors of the said Thomas Fleetwood is hereby summoned to be held at the Court-house, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, on the 1st day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must

deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their proofs of debts to the Registrar.

#### The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of William Rappard, of No. 70, Great Tower-street, in the city of London, carrying on business there as an Export Merchant, and residing at the Orchard, Sydenham Hill, in the county of Surrey, a Bankrupt.

Arthur Cooper, of No. 14, George-street, Mansion House, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on the 10th day of May, 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 17th day of April, 1878.

#### The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of John Baldwin Buckstone, of the Theatre Royal Haymarket, in the county of Middlesex, and of Bell Green Lodge, Sydenham, in the county of Kent, Theatrical Manager, a Bankrupt.

James Waddell, of No. 11, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on the 11th day of May, 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 9th day of April, 1878.

#### The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Macclesfield. In the Matter of William Trafford, of Ball Haye Green, in Leek, in the county of Stafford, Silk Manufacturer, a Bankrupt.

Henry Lionel Johnson, of Leek, in the county of Stafford, Silk Merchant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Townhall, in Macclesfield, in the county of Chester, on the 16th day of May, 1878, at twelve o'clock at noon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

#### The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of John Gray Whyte, of 191 and 192, King Edward's-road, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Grocer and Provision Dealer, a Bankrupt.

Luke Jesson Sharp, of 47, Ann-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on the 16th day of May, 1878, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1878.

#### The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.

In the Matter of James S. Thomson, of 59, Manchester-road, Southport, in the county of Lancaster, late a General Broker, but now out of business, a Bankrupt.

Thomas Theodore Rogers, of 16, Lord-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court, 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, on the 17th day of May, 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 17th day of April, 1878.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Hastings.  
In the Matter of Richard Haynes, of 28, Middle-street, Hastings, in the county of Sussex, Gentleman, a Bankrupt.

Carleton James Lewns, of Hastings, in the county of Sussex, 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 Market Hall, Hastings, on the 6th day of May, 1878, at one o'clock in the afternoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1878.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Essex, holden at Colchester.  
In the Matter of Thomas Whitaker, of Colchester, in the county of Essex, Builder, a Bankrupt.

William Henry Cobb, of Colchester, in the county of Essex, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Townhall, Colchester, on the 15th day of May, 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 trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1878.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Montgomeryshire, holden at Newtown.  
In the Matter of Jane Rees, of the Oak Inn, Llanfyllin, in the county of Montgomery, Innkeeper, a Bankrupt.

David Holmes Evans, of Llanfyllin, in the county of Montgomery, Draper and Grocer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at County Court, holden in the Public Rooms, Newtown, on the 17th day of May, 1878, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds, by transfer from the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of John Wade, of Burley, near Leeds, in the county of York, Woollen Merchants' Manager and Money Lender, and of Sirensall, in the said county, Tanner, a Bankrupt.

John Routh, of Leeds, in the county of York, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the County Court-house, Albion-place, in Leeds aforesaid, on the 8th day of May, 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 12th day of April, 1878.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford.  
In the Matter of Benjamin Exley the younger, of Shipley, in the county of York, Cab Proprietor, a Bankrupt.

John William Tempest, of Bradford, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the said Court on the 7th day of May, 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 12th day of April, 1878.

**In the London Bankruptcy Court.**

**A MEETING** of the Creditors of Edward Augustus Dando, of No. 151, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Secretary of the Standfield's Patent Cab Company Limited, of the same place, adjudicated bankrupt on the 1st day of March, 1876, will be held at No. 30, Walbrook, in the city of London, on the 30th day of April, 1878, at two o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of considering an

application by the bankrupt for the granting of his discharge.  
—Dated this 15th day of April, 1878.

JAS. GRAHAM, Trustee.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Winchester.

On the 15th day of May, 1878, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, Edwin Russ, of the city of Winchester, Wine and Spirit Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 11th day of December, 1876, will apply for an Order of Discharge.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at York.

A Third and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of George Marley, of Wharf-villas, and the Mills, Wetherby, in the county of York, Corn Miller, adjudicated bankrupt on the 7th day of February, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 3rd day of May, 1878, will be excluded.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

Jas. Smith Barnfather, Trustee.

In the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Newport.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of William Horner, of Park-terrace, Pontypool, in the county of Monmouth, Draper, adjudicated bankrupt on the 6th day of May, 1876. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 1st day of May, 1878, will be excluded.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1878.

John Hudson Smith, Trustee.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Greenwich.

A Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of William Henry Cocks, of the Eagle Public-house, Beresford-street, Woolwich, in the county of Kent, Licensed Victualler, adjudicated bankrupt on the 11th day of August, 1874. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 7th day of May, 1878, will be excluded.—Dated this 18th day of April, 1878.

Edward Moore, Trustee.

In the County Court of Cornwall, holden at Truro.

In the Matter of William Downing the younger, of Helston, in the county of Cornwall, Hair Dresser and Perfumer, a Bankrupt.

An Order of Discharge was this day granted to William Downing the younger, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 16th day of April, 1878.—Dated this 12th day of April, 1878.

**THIS** is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of an adjudication of bankruptcy, made on the 16th day of July, 1868, against Edward Wells Russell, formerly of 38A, King William-street, in the city of London, and 246, Goswell-road, in the county of Middlesex, Auctioneer and House Agent, and then of 148, Lambeth-walk, in the county of Surrey, Manager of a Beerhouse, did, on the 28th day of November, 1868, grant the discharge of the said bankrupt, subject to a suspension of two years from that date, 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 County Court of Lancashire, holden at Wigan.  
In the Matter of John Cadman, of Brookfield House, Orrell, near Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, Tobacco-nist, a Bankrupt.

UPON reading a report of the Trustees of the property of the bankrupt, dated the 13th day of April, 1878, reporting that there is no estate or effects belonging to the said bankrupt that he has been able to find after making frequent and diligent enquiries, and to prevent the needlessly protracting the bankruptcy, no person appearing to oppose an order for closing, the Court being satisfied that there is no estate or effects belonging to the said bankrupt, doth order and declare that the bankruptcy of the said John Cadman has closed.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 17th day of April, 1878.

In the County Court of Oxfordshire, holden at Bicester.

In the Matter of John Carter, an Insolvent Debtor.

**A DIVIDEND** of 6s. 10d. in the pound is payable to the creditors of the above insolvent, and may be received at my office, in Sheep-street, Bicester, any day after the 16th day of April, 1878, between the hours of two and four.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1878.

PERCIVAL WALSH, Registrar.

**T**HE estates of Thomas Bishop, Chemist and Druggist, Borrowstonness, as an Individual, and also as a Partner of the firm of Bishop and Smellie, Seedsman, in Borrowstonness, were sequestrated on 15th April, 1878, by the Sheriff-Substitute of Linlithgowshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 15th April, 1878.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1878, within the Star and Garter Hotel, in Linlithgow.

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 15th day of August, 1878.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt till the meeting for election of trustee.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

THOS. BISHOP.

**T**HE estates of John Meredith Kay, Clothier, Ardrossan, were sequestrated on the 15th day of April, 1878, by the Sheriff of Ayrshire.

The first deliverance is dated 15th April, 1878.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock on Monday, the 29th day of April, 1878, within the Corn Exchange Sale Room, Kilmarnock.

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 16th August, 1878.

Interim Warrant of Protection has been granted in favour of the bankrupt.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

J. and J. STURROCK, Writers,  
Kilmarnock, Agents.

15th April, 1878.

**T**HE estates of James Baillie, Merchant, Lasswade, were sequestrated on the 15th day of April, 1878, by the Sheriff of Midlothian and Haddington.

The first deliverance is dated 15th April, 1878.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at eleven o'clock, forenoon, on Wednesday, the 24th day of April, 1878, within Lyon and Turnbull's Rooms, No. 51, George-street, Edinburgh.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 15th day of August, 1878.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt, till the meeting for election of Trustee.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

WALACE and FOSTER, Solicitors, Leith, Agents.

**T**HE estates of John Alexander Ross, Merchant, in Buckie, in the parish of Rathven, and county of Banff, were sequestrated on the 11th day of April, 1878, by the Sheriff of Banff, Elgin, and Nairn acting in Banffshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 11th day of April, 1878.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Wednesday, the 24th day of April, 1878, within the Commercial Hotel, Buckie.

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 11th day of August, 1878.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

JOHN MACDONALD, Solicitor, Buckie, Agent.

**T**HE estates of Mrs. Jane Knaggs, as an Individual, and as sole Partner, carrying on business under the name or style of William Knaggs, at 119B, George-street, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on 13th April, 1878, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated 13th April, 1878.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Saturday, the 27th day of April, 1878, within Lyon and Turnbull's Rooms, George-street, Edinburgh.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 13th day of August, 1878.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt, till the meeting for election of Trustee.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

THOS. HART, Writer,  
63, Renfield-street, Glasgow, Agent.

**T**HE estates of Archibald McDougall, Ironmonger, Johnstone, were sequestrated on the 16th day of April, 1878, by the Sheriff of Renfrew and Bute.

A petition in this estate was presented by creditors and a deliverance thereon appointing citation was granted on the 8th day of April, 1878, and the first deliverance on the petition by the bankrupt is dated the 16th day of April, 1878.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of April, 1878, within the County Hotel, County-square, Paisley.

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 16th day of August, 1878.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt till the meeting for election of Trustee.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

WALTER HOLMES, Writer, Johnstone, Agent.

**T**HE estates of Thomas McKenzie, Farmer, Auchnabsaird, Ullapool, in the county of Cromarty, were sequestrated on 15th April, 1878, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated 15th April, 1878.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1878, within the Sutherland Arms Inn, Dornoch.

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 15th August, 1878.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt, till the meeting for election of Trustee.

The sequestration is remitted to the Sheriff of Ross, Cromarty, and Sutherland, at the Court of Dornoch.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

MACKENZIE and KERMAK,  
9, Hill-street, Edinburgh, Writers.

**T**HE estates of James Fowler and Son, Furniture Dealers, Buckie, and James Fowler, residing in Buckie, in the parish of Rathven and county of Banff, the Sole and Individual Partner of the said firm, and as an Individual, were sequestrated by the Sheriff of Banff, Elgin, and Nairn, acting in Banffshire, on the 11th day of April, 1878.

The first deliverance is dated 11th April, 1878.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of April, 1878, within the Commercial Hotel, Buckie.

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 11th day of August, 1878.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

JOHN MACDONALD, Solicitor, Buckie, Agent.

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