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*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
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NOTICE 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 Saturday, the 16th of July, 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 shall be made at Levees, 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 half-past one o'clock.

LATHOM,
Lord Chamberlain.

Windsor Castle, July 6, 1887.

THIS day the Most Honourable the Marquis of Salisbury, K.G., Chancellor of the University of Oxford, and a Deputation from that University, waited upon Her Majesty to present the following Address which was handed to Her Majesty:—

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty, the Dutiful and Loyal Address of the University of Oxford.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, the Chancellor, Masters, and Scholars of the University of Oxford, desire to take our part in the national joy on this happy occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of Your Majesty's Accession, and we entreat Your Majesty to accept the loyal and loving expression of our grateful sense of the many blessings which have been secured to Your subjects by that firm and beneficent sway, which Heaven has so graciously sustained, and so mercifully prolonged.

The corporate life of this University goes back very far into the history of the nation; and its fortunes have been an anxious charge to many of Your Majesty's illustrious predecessors on the Throne of England. Our rights and privileges, though sometimes threatened or even temporarily suspended, owe their glorious survival through all the struggles of troublous times to the fostering care of the Crown, in harmony with the national spirit.

We remember with pride and gratitude those Royal foundations, endowments, and benefactions, which are among the choicest possessions of our University, and we recall with profound satisfaction the frequent and gracious presence of Royalty among us, from the distant days, when the First Henry lived in his Palace of Beaumont at our city walls, to the present generation, which has numbered among our Oxford students the Heir Apparent to the Throne and the Duke of Albany, whose early death seemed to us like the loss of one of our own household.

Among the substantial triumphs of Your Majesty's Reign, we may leave to others to commemorate the wonderful development and consolidation of Your vast Empire, and the growth of a Greater Britain in those loyal Colonies, which look up to You with the devotion due to a Mother. But it is the peculiar privilege of a University, which has to preserve unshaken its claim to be called a great seat of learning, to hail as one of the noblest distinctions of the Victorian era, that

wide spread of education, that ever-quicken-
ing march of science, that happy expansion of
religious liberty, which has so deepened and
broadened the course of study in this University,
and has taught her to make her aims national
rather than inclusive.

But, Madam, we shall leave our deepest feelings
unexpressed unless we bear witness to those
personal qualities of Your Majesty which have so
endeared You to the heart of Your people, to the
justice, wisdom, and piety which have supported
Your Throne and adorned Your private life : and,
above all, to that tender sympathy which You have
never refused to distress, and which has bound
You so closely to Your loving subjects that they
venture to rejoice in all Your Majesty's happi-
ness, and to bear their part in those heavy sorrows
which You have endured with so much fortitude.

We most earnestly pray that Almighty God,
who has so long watched over Your person and
Your Throne, may be pleased to vouchsafe to You
His continual protection, and may grant to Your
Majesty and to the Empire over which You reign
the blessings of peace and prosperity.

Given at our House of Convocation, under
our Common Seal, this 14th day of June,
in the year of our Lord 1887.

To which Address Her Majesty was pleased to
return the following most gracious Answer :—

“I RECEIVE with great pleasure your loyal
and dutiful Address.

“During the fifty years through which, by
God's blessing, it has been My lot to reign, the
ancient and illustrious University of Oxford has
added to its historical renown as a seat of
learning. It has widened the portals which give
access to its teaching and to its endowments and
it has enlarged the range of those higher studies
upon which the national culture and the national
greatness must largely depend.

“I am confident that you, who are now res-
ponsible for the guidance of the University, will
in no degree fall short of your predecessors in
successful efforts for the advancement of learning
and the spread of education throughout the
Kingdom.”

Windsor Castle, July 6, 1887.

THIS day His Grace the Duke of Devonshire,
K.G., Chancellor of the University of Cam-
bridge, and a Deputation from that University,
waited upon Her Majesty to present the following
Address, which was handed to Her Majesty :—

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Chancellor, Masters, and Scholars of
the University of Cambridge, desire to approach
Your Majesty with loyal and dutiful congratula-
tions on the completion of the fiftieth year of
Your Majesty's reign.

At no time in the history of our University has
its expansion been so great as in the years of Your
Majesty's reign. While it unites within itself as
a place of learning all classes of Your Majesty's
subjects, it now directs and co-operates in educa-
tional movements at distant centres within the
Kingdom. Throughout the Colonial Empire, also,
it is called upon to estimate and to further the
progress of education. And a desire for still
closer relations is shown by the Universities of
India, and of the most remote Colonies which are
seeking to be affiliated to the University of
Cambridge.

Within our precincts the number of our
students has increased twofold, and the branches
of learning fostered by the University have mul-
tiplied. In the extension of our studies we trace
the hand of the accomplished and illustrious
Prince, who from the tenth to the twenty-fifth
year of Your Majesty's reign, presided over the
University as its Chancellor, and whose name and
features are preserved to us by lasting memorials.
And we rejoice that the personal association of
Your Majesty's Family through His Royal High-
ness the Prince Consort with our University has
been continued to the second and to the third
generation by the residence among us as members
of our body of His Royal Highness the Prince of
Wales and of His Royal Highness the Prince
Albert Victor Christian Edward of Wales.

And as we desire to express our grateful sense
of the progress permitted to the University
during Your Majesty's reign, and of the personal
relations into which it has been its privilege to
enter with successive generations of Your
Majesty's Family so as loyal subjects we desire to
assure Your Majesty that we most fully join in
the dutiful affection and esteem which the course
of Your Majesty's life and reign has won from
Your Majesty's subjects throughout the world.
And we earnestly pray for the long continuance
to the Empire of the blessings of Your Most
Gracious Majesty's wise and beneficent rule.

To which Address Her Majesty was pleased
to return the following most gracious Answer :—

“I THANK you for your loyal and dutiful
Address on the completion of the fiftieth year
of My reign.

“The expansive energy of the University of
Cambridge has, since the commencement of My
reign, largely contributed to the general advance
of science and has developed the range of sound
and liberal education amongst My people.

“It gratifies Me to think of the continued
relations maintained between My Family and the
University.

“I trust that the University of Cambridge
may continue its great career of usefulness and
prosperity to the lasting benefit of all classes of
My subjects.”

Windsor Castle, July 6, 1887.

THIS day the Reverend Dr. Hutchison, the
Moderator, and a Deputation of the General
Assembly of the Church of Scotland, waited
upon Her Majesty to present the following
Address, which was handed to Her Majesty.

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, Your Majesty's loyal and dutiful subjects,
the Ministers and Elders of the Church of
Scotland, met in General Assembly, beg most
respectfully to offer to Your Majesty our hearty
congratulations on the completion of the fiftieth
year of Your reign. There is no other reign
in history so remarkable for all that constitutes
the greatness and happiness of a people, or
which sheds such lustre on the Sovereign. Art
and science have advanced so marvelously as to
have changed the face of the world. Manufac-
tures and commerce have enormously increased
(although of late years their progress has been
somewhat checked), and as a consequence of this
increase the comforts of the industrial classes
have been greatly multiplied. Side by side with
this material progress there has, we believe, been

progress in morality and religion, though we must confess that vice and irreligion still exist, and sometimes shock us by appalling revelations of their presence. Education has become almost universal. Beyond all doubt, our country in 1887 is a much greater, more prosperous, more moral, and more contented country than it was in 1837, and this is in large measure to be attributed to Your Majesty's benignant and constitutional Government. These fifty years constitute an epoch in our national history, to which future historians will look back as, perhaps, the most wonderful in our country's development.

We have observed the profound interest which Your Majesty's takes in the welfare of Your people, the tender sympathy which You extend to those who are in suffering or sorrow, and the noble example of a pure domestic life which You set before all.

It is a matter of pride to every Scotsman that Your Majesty seeks during the summer a quiet home in our Highlands, and that when in Your highland home, Your Majesty worships with the humblest of Your Majesty's subjects in the parish church—teaching a lesson to all, small and great. This pious example has had a most beneficial influence, and we earnestly trust it may have a more beneficial influence still.

We received with all dutiful respect the Order in Council exhorting that prayer and thanksgiving should be offered up for Your Majesty at this Jubilee time, and we have given instructions that this be done in all our churches and chapels, and it will be done with true sincerity.

The Church of Scotland has ever been loyal to its Sovereign, it is doubly so to Your Majesty; it fervently thanks God for Your long and glorious reign, and it earnestly prays that Your Majesty's life may be still further prolonged that we may continue to enjoy all the blessings of civil and religious liberty.

Signed in our name and by our authority,
Geo. Hutchison, D.D., Moderator.

To which Address Her Majesty was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer:—

"I RECEIVE with great satisfaction your loyal and dutiful Address on the completion of the fiftieth year of my Reign.

"The affectionate attachment of the Established Church of Scotland to My Throne and Person has always afforded Me sincere gratification, and has been heartily appreciated by Me.

"I thank you for the prayers and thanksgivings which have been offered by your congregations on My behalf at this Jubilee time. I sincerely join with you in thanks to Almighty God for the progress and prosperity with which it has pleased Him to favour this Kingdom throughout the long period during which the cares and responsibilities of Sovereignty have been laid upon Me. The sympathy of My Scottish subjects in all My anxieties and sorrows has won My warmest regard, and I pray that God's blessing may ever attend on the people and the Church of Scotland."

Windsor Castle, July 6, 1887.

THIS day, His Grace the Archbishop of York and a Deputation from the Convocation of the Province of York, having received special permission, waited upon Her Majesty to present the following Address which was handed to Her Majesty:—

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty VICTORIA, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen.

WE, Your Majesty's faithful subjects, the Archbishop, Bishops, and Clergy of the Province of York, in Convocation assembled, desire to approach Your Majesty with the expression of our loyalty and devotion in this the fiftieth year of Your happy and prosperous reign. We desire to thank the Almighty, King of Kings, and Lord of Lords, who has continued Your Majesty's life, has blessed this nation with prosperity and safety, and has given to you the inestimable blessing of a loyal people devoted to your Person and Throne.

In Your Majesty's domestic joys and in the great sorrows with which it has pleased God to visit Your Majesty, we have felt a sincere sympathy, the power and progress of Your realm have probably never been greater in a like period than they have been during the past fifty years; whilst the quickened religious activity of the Church, and the progress in measures calculated to aid and improve Your people, have also been great. It is one title of Your Majesty to the affection in which Your subjects hold You, that You are ever ready to sympathise with what affects their welfare.

We assure Your Majesty of our continued affection and devotion, and when our prayers are offered in due course for our Sovereign they will carry with them to the Throne of Grace our earnest wish that You may be long spared with unimpaired powers to rule over a loyal and orderly people, advancing in material welfare and in obedience to the laws of God.

Dated at York this 15th day of February in the year of our Lord 1887.

Signed on behalf of the whole Convocation of the Province of York.

W. Ebor, President.

To which Address Her Majesty was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer:—

"I THANK you for your loyal and dutiful Address on the completion of the fiftieth year of My Reign.

"It gives Me great satisfaction to recognise the good work done by the Clergy of the Province of York, not only in rural and sparsely populated parishes, but also in the teeming and busy districts of industrial life within their charge; so that as well in religious as in moral and material progress My subjects in the north of England are in no degree behind the rest of the United Kingdom.

"I heartily join with you in thankful acknowledgment of the many blessings which it has pleased God to vouchsafe to this Nation, and in humble supplication for a continuance of His mercies."

Windsor Castle, July 6, 1887.

THIS day Mr. Alderman Cochrane and a Deputation from the Loyal Citizens of Dublin, having received special permission, waited upon Her Majesty to present the following Address, which was handed to Her Majesty:—

The Address of the Loyal Citizens of the City of Dublin, associated with the Loyal Inhabitants of the Metropolitan County, to Her Majesty the Queen, upon the occasion of the completion of the fiftieth year of Her Reign.

To Her Most Gracious Majesty The QUEEN.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Loyal Citizens of the City of Dublin,

associated with the Loyal Inhabitants of the Metropolitan County, approach Your Majesty with the most earnest assurance of our devoted loyalty to Your Person and to Your Throne.

We tender to Your Majesty our respectful congratulations on Your attainment of this the fiftieth year of a Reign rendered memorable not only by the extension of Your mighty Empire and its advancement in material prosperity, but also by unexampled progress in the arts and sciences and by the diffusion of the blessings of education.

In Your Majesty Your subjects recognise a Sovereign dear to them as possessing every womanly virtue, whose name will be handed down to future ages as that of a Queen whose loyalty to the Constitution secured for Her a loyal and devoted Empire.

That God will prolong Your Majesty's Reign through many years yet to come, and bless you with the sight which you will best love to see—the sight of a happy and united people—is our earnest prayer.

In addition to celebrating this auspicious occasion in a fitting manner, we are raising lasting memorials for the purpose of commemorating it and of handing down to future generations the memory of the happy event.

Signed on behalf of the Loyal Citizens of Dublin—

Henry Cochrane, Alderman, Chairman of Committee.

James Dobson, Q.C., Vice-Chairman.

Dodgson H. Madden, Q.C. }

William Kenny, Q.C. }

Alex. S. Devine, J.P. }

Joseph M. Day, LL.D. }

Hon. Secretaries.

Signed on behalf of the Loyal Inhabitants of the Metropolitan County—

Henry Alex. Hamilton, High Sheriff, County of Dublin.

To which Address Her Majesty was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer:—

“I THANK you sincerely for your loyal and dutiful Address on the completion of the fiftieth year of My Reign.

“I rejoice to receive evidence from all parts of My Empire of the affectionate attachment of My subjects to My Throne and Person.

“The welfare of Ireland is very dear to My heart and I trust that My subjects in that part of the United Kingdom may willingly come forward and claim their share in the common prosperity which it may please God to bestow on the British Empire.”

Whitehall, July 6, 1887.

THE following Addresses were presented to The Queen at a Court held at Windsor, on Monday, 27th June, 1887, and Her Majesty was pleased to receive the same very graciously. The Deputations presenting the Addresses were severally presented to Her Majesty by the Right Honourable Henry Matthews, Secretary of State for the Home Department:—

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, Your Majesty's loyal and dutiful subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of the City of Liverpool in Council assembled, humbly approach Your Majesty with the expression of our devoted attachment to Your Majesty's Person and Throne. and with our heartfelt congratulations upon the

auspicious occasion of Your Majesty's Royal Jubilee.

Your Majesty's Reign commenced in the early morning of your life, and covers a period that will be ever memorable not only for its duration, but also for the unexampled manner in which the limits of the Empire have been extended and the best interests of the people promoted and secured.

In this grand chapter of our National history we recognize the fostering hand of Your Majesty; and we gratefully acknowledge the blessings which have resulted to these realms from the pure and bright example displayed upon the Throne.

We fervently pray that the evening of Your Majesty's Reign may be unclouded and full of happiness, and that Your Majesty may long be spared to join your faithful people in looking back with joy upon the Jubilee now being commemorated in every part of the vast and prosperous Empire over which Your Majesty's sceptre so beneficently extends.

Given under the Corporate Common Seal of the City of Liverpool, the 21st day of June, in the Year of our Lord 1887.

[Presented by the Mayor (Mr. James Poole) and Mr. Alderman Livingstone, ex-Mayor].

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the City and Royal Burgh of Glasgow, desire to offer Your Majesty our humble and heartfelt congratulations on the near approach to the completion of fifty years of Your Majesty's beneficent Reign.

That Reign is memorable by reason of its exceptional duration. Previous to the reign of King James VI of Scotland and I of England, no one of the Scottish Sovereigns, and only two of the English Kings, occupied the Throne for so long a time. As a Scottish Sovereign, King James VI reigned for fifty-eight years; and as Sovereign of Great Britain, King George III reigned for sixty years. Only one Scottish Monarch and three English Sovereigns have thus each filled the Throne for half a century. Your Majesty is the first Queen, either of Scotland or of England, who has reigned so long.

Nor have reigns of similar duration been less exceptional in the other countries of Europe during the last ten centuries.

But the importance of Your Majesty's Reign is to be estimated not only by its duration, but by the momentous and beneficial changes which have taken place within it. During these fifty years the limits of the British Empire have been immensely extended in all parts of the world, and Your Majesty's benign sway has been hailed by the different races which own the supremacy of the British Crown. Art and science, manufactures and commerce, have flourished as they never did before. Human rights have received wider and juster recognition. Better laws have been enacted, and have been righteously administered. The standard of human action in every department of life has been elevated. The blessings of diffused education have been widely extended, and there has been growing up between all ranks and classes of society a recognition of mutual rights and obligations which cannot fail to give to the whole framework of society a coherence and solidity which is full of promise for the future.

In all this change and progress Your Majesty has taken a deep and sympathetic interest. For the elevation of the people your illustrious Con-

sort worked with a prescient devotion which has become better understood and more earnestly appreciated as his aims and life-work became more widely known. In that work, so inaugurated, and so devotedly carried on by Your Majesty, we gratefully recognize the support which Your Majesty has received from all the members of your family.

Thus it is, that after a reign of fifty years, in which your people have rejoiced in your joys and shared in your sorrows, and sympathized in every event which has affected Your Majesty and your family, the feelings of love and loyalty and devotion which they entertain seem ever to broaden and deepen. In these feelings—nowhere more deeply cherished than in the city which we represent—we desire to offer the expression of our warmest and most loyal sympathy.

Given in name and on behalf of the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the City and Royal Burgh of Glasgow, and the seal of the City affixed hereto, this 16th day of May, 1887 years.

James King, Lord Provost.

J. D. Marwick, Town Clerk.

[Presented by the Lord Provost, Baillie Richmond, Baillie Gray, and the Town Clerk (J. D. Marwick, LL.D.)]

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of the City of Manchester, in the County of Lancaster, desire to offer to Your Majesty our most sincere congratulations on the completion of the fiftieth year of your prosperous and happy Reign.

When we consider the beneficent changes which have taken place during this prolonged period, in the moral and material condition of the inhabitants of the United Kingdom, the vast expansion of Your Majesty's Colonial possessions, and the extent of the Empire over which you now rule, we are deeply impressed with the numerous privileges and blessings which, by the favour of Divine Providence, we and all Your Majesty's subjects have been permitted to enjoy.

We believe that among other important measures to which Your Majesty's sanction has been given, those which have exempted the food of the people from taxation, and have provided for the better education of the people, and the extension to them of a larger share in the national councils, have appreciably augmented their loyalty to the Throne, and their reverence for the laws and constitution of the Realm.

We rejoice that the efforts for the intellectual and moral advancement of the people which were suggested by the wisdom, and stimulated by the example of His Royal Highness the late lamented Prince Consort, have been eminently successful, and are now enjoying the fostering care and guidance of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales.

The citizens of Manchester have recently had the high gratification of receiving His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, accompanied by Her Royal Highness the Princess of Wales, on the occasion of the opening of the Exhibition which has been instituted to commemorate the Jubilee of Your Majesty's Reign. We venture to regard Your Majesty's gracious and special sanction of this gratifying event as an earnest of Your Majesty's interest in this city and the great undertaking just inaugurated, and to found thereon a hope that, before it is closed Your Majesty may confer upon the city of Manchester, and the

populous district which surrounds it, the honour and distinction of Your Majesty's personal presence and approval.

In conclusion, we beg to repeat the assurance of our devotion and loyalty to Your Majesty's person and Throne, and pray that health and happiness may long be vouchsafed to Your Majesty and to all the members of the Royal Family.

Given under our Common Seal this 20th day of June, 1887.

J. J. Harwood, Mayor.

W. H. Talbot, Deputy Town Clerk.

L. S.

[Presented by the Mayor (Mr. Alderman Harwood) and Mr. Councillor Windsor].

To Her Most Gracious Majesty The QUEEN.

May it please your Majesty,

WE, your Majesty's faithful subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Birmingham in Council assembled, humbly offer to Your Majesty our loyal and hearty congratulations on the memorable occasion of the completion of the fiftieth year of Your illustrious Reign.

The recent gracious visit of Your Majesty to Birmingham has been the cause of great rejoicing on the part of all its inhabitants, and has served to mark this important year with peculiar distinctness in our town and neighbourhood.

We pray that Your Majesty may be spared for many years to rule over a contented and united people, and we feel convinced that among the many memories of Your eventful Reign, none will be more gratifying to Your Majesty in the years to come than the recollection of the universal outburst of loyalty and affection which has been evoked in this year of Jubilee from every portion of Your vast Empire.

Given under our Common Seal this 7th day of June, 1887.

Thos. Mackinnon,

Mayor.

E. O. Smith,

Town Clerk.

L. S.

[Presented by the Mayor (Sir Thomas Mackinnon) and the Town Clerk (Mr. E. O. Smith)].

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Leeds, assembled in the Victoria Hall, which was opened by Your Majesty and Your late Illustrious Consort, Prince Albert, in 1858, desire to offer our respectful and heartfelt felicitations upon the completion of the fiftieth year of Your Majesty's beneficent Reign.

The half-century during which Your Majesty has wielded the sceptre of these realms has witnessed an enormous development of the wealth, the industry, and the public spirit of the inhabitants of Your vast dominions, while the material and intellectual advancement of the masses of the people has progressed in a manner which scarcely could have been anticipated fifty years ago.

We cannot, on such an occasion as this, forget how much the prosperity and well-being of this country are due to the wisdom and good judgment which have been displayed by the Throne during Your Majesty's long and tranquil Sovereignty.

We would especially recognize the high example which Your Majesty has ever set to all your

subjects, in the respective positions of Daughter, Wife, and Mother. It is difficult to exaggerate the influence for good which your exalted personal virtues and the purity of Your Majesty's Court have invariably exercised.

In conclusion, we would renew the assurance of the loyalty of this ancient Borough to Your Majesty's person and Family, and fervently pray that the choicest blessings of the Almighty may rest upon You, and that You may long live to be the Sovereign of a happy and contented people.

Given under our Corporate Common Seal, this 21st day of June, 1887.

Edwin Gaunt, Mayor.
George W. Morrison, Town Clerk.



[Presented by the Mayor (Mr. Alderman Gaunt) and the Town Clerk (Sir George W. Morrison)].

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, Your Majesty's loyal and faithful subjects the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of the City of York in Council assembled, desire most respectfully to approach Your Majesty, and to present our congratulations upon the completion of the fiftieth year of Your Reign. The inhabitants of this ancient city desire most gratefully to acknowledge the great benefits which have accrued to them under Your enlightened government, and to assure Your Majesty of their unabated loyalty and devoted attachment to Your Throne and Person.

We rejoice that the fifty years during which You have reigned over us have been marked by the advancement of art and science, the extension of the commercial and industrial resources of the United Kingdom and Your Colonies, and by progress without precedent in the general well-being of Your people.

We humbly assure Your Majesty that we also most gratefully appreciate the benefits of that conspicuous example in the path of duty, which, as a Sovereign, Wife, and Mother, you have shown to Your subjects throughout the world.

We pray that Your Majesty may be spared still further to adorn, by noble life and wise decrees, the pages of the history of the nineteenth century, and to add still greater lustre to the record of the increase and prosperity of Your great and glorious Empire.

Given under our Corporate Common Seal this 14th day of June, 1887.

Joseph Terry, Mayor.

[Presented by the Lord Mayor and Mr. Councillor Cousins].

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Blackburn, in the County Palatine of Lancaster, desire humbly to offer to Your Majesty our loyal and heartfelt congratulation on the auspicious occasion of the completion of the fiftieth year of Your reign.

We venture humbly to record our appreciation of the enormous strides which have taken place in the material advancement and prosperity of all classes of the community throughout the length and breadth of this great Empire, and during the fifty years Your Majesty has wielded the Sceptre, and we desire particularly to bear witness to the improvements effected in our large cities and

towns in relation to all matters connected with the health and enjoyment of their inhabitants.

These improvements, we venture to think, are in great measure attributable to the development of the principles of Local Self Government.

The creation and strengthening of sound Municipal Institutions, which Your Majesty has witnessed have, we think, operated in the best interests of those concerned, and have contributed to the maintenance of good order, to the fostering of commerce, and to the welfare of these realms.

The great and vast reforms which, during the same period, have been effected in the constitution of the United Kingdom, have proved to the world that free institutions wisely administered, as they have been in the highest sense by Your Majesty, can assist largely in the advancement and consolidation of a great Empire. The progress which also has been made during the last fifty years in Education and the Arts has, we believe, been without parallel in history, and in this connection we cannot refrain from expressing the debt of gratitude we owe to His Royal Highness the late lamented Prince Consort. We believe that the growth of our commerce, and the multiplication and advancement of our industries, have been aided enormously by the technical and art institutions and schools, initiated, fostered, and developed by his Royal Highness. As an instance of the commercial progress of the country during the past fifty years, we may mention that the town of Blackburn is now a great centre of the cotton manufacturing industry, and contains a population of upwards of 116,000. When Your Majesty began to reign it numbered only 33,000 people.

We earnestly pray that by the mercy of Almighty God Your Majesty's life may yet be spared for many years to reign over a happy and contented people, and that under Your wise sway Your Empire may continue its course of greatness and prosperity, so that the lustre of Your Majesty's brilliant reign may even, if possible, be further enhanced. We beg, on behalf of the Burgesses of the Borough of Blackburn, to assure Your Majesty of our deep loyalty to Your Majesty's Crown and person.

Given under the Common Seal of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Blackburn in the presence of

Edgar Appleby, Mayor.
Wm. E. L. Gaine, Town Clerk.



[Presented by the Mayor (Mr. Edgar Appleby) and the Town Clerk (Mr. Gaine)].

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

The Humble, Loyal, and Dutiful Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of the City and County of Newcastle-upon-Tyne in Council assembled.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, Your Majesty's faithful subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of the City and County of Newcastle-upon-Tyne in Council assembled, humbly approach Your Majesty with the dutiful homage of an ancient Corporation, and with the renewal of the assurance of our affectionate attachment and devoted loyalty to Your Majesty's person and Throne.

We most respectfully offer to Your Majesty our very sincere and hearty congratulations on the attainment by Your Majesty in health and peace of the fiftieth year of Your happy and

prosperous reign—a reign under which, we most gratefully acknowledge, the best interests of the people have been promoted and secured to an extent unparalleled in the previous history of the nation.

We earnestly pray that this Jubilee year may be one of true happiness to Your Majesty, and to Your Royal Family, and that attended by the choicest blessings of Providence you may long be preserved to reign over the vast Empire which enjoys the countless advantages of Your Majesty's beneficent rule.

Given under our Corporate Seal this 20th day of May, 1887.

B. C. Browne, Mayor.

W. H. Stephenson, Sheriff.

Hill Motum, Town Clerk.



[Presented by the Mayor (Mr. Benjamin C. Browne) and the Town Clerk (Mr. Hill Motum)]

To the QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Plymouth respectfully approach Your Majesty with the expression of our heartfelt loyalty and attachment, and to proffer our sincere congratulations on the celebration of the Jubilee year of Your Majesty's reign.

We recall, with devout thankfulness to Almighty God, the countless blessings which, under the beneficent sway of Your Majesty, the country has enjoyed for a period of fifty years, and we gratefully acknowledge in what large measure during this long period Your Majesty has personally contributed to the prosperity and happiness of the nation.

We earnestly pray that You may long be spared to reign over the vast Empire which rejoices in Your rule, and may be able increasingly to realize how deep and true are the affection and respect for Your Majesty and the Royal Family which animate a loving and united people.

Given at the Guildhall in the
Borough of Plymouth on the
25th day of May, in the year
of our Lord 1887.



W. H. Alger, Mayor.

[Presented by the Mayor (Mr. W. H. Alger) and the Town Clerk (Mr. J. W. Wilson)].

To the QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the City of Aberdeen, beg to approach Your Majesty, and to renew the assurance of our loyalty and attachment to Your Majesty's person and Throne.

We desire to offer Your Majesty our cordial congratulations on the completion of the fiftieth year of Your Majesty's Reign, and gratefully to acknowledge the many blessings which, by Divine Providence, our country has enjoyed under Your beneficent rule.

Your Majesty's reign will be ever memorable in the annals of our country and in the history of the world, not only for its duration, but also for the development of the Arts and influences of Peace and Civilization, the great advance in the material prosperity and intellectual culture of the people, and the extension and consolidation of Your vast Colonial Empire.

We also desire respectfully to recognize those virtues and graces of which Your Majesty is so

bright an example, and the generous and ready sympathy which, on all occasions, Your Majesty has extended to Your subjects of every class.

We humbly pray that Your Majesty may long be spared to reign over a happy and loyal people, and that the Divine Blessing may ever rest on Your Majesty and on all the members of the Royal House.

Signed in name and by appointment of the
Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council,
and the Seal of the City hereto affixed at
Aberdeen, this the 6th day of June, 1887.

Wm. Henderson, Lord Provost.

W. Gordon, Town Clerk.



[Presented by the Lord Provost (Mr. Henderson), and the Town Clerk (Mr. W. Gordon)].

To the QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, the Provost, Magistrates, and Town Council of Inverness, for ourselves and as representing the Citizens and Community of this most ancient and Royal Borough, the most ancient Capital of the most ancient of the Royal Line now represented by Your Majesty, tender to Your Majesty our humble duty, and offer to Your Majesty our most loyal and heartfelt congratulations on the completion of the fiftieth year of Your Majesty's most glorious reign.

In 1847 Your Majesty's revered and lamented Royal Consort honoured our town by a visit, and we had then the honour of presenting to His Royal Highness a loyal Address which he was graciously pleased to receive. His memory is still affectionately cherished in our town, and by all Highlanders and his portrait adorns our Council Hall.

Fifteen years ago Your Majesty was graciously pleased to visit Inverness, and to accept from us a loyal and dutiful Address, and the enthusiasm displayed on that occasion would have satisfied Your Majesty that in loyalty and attachment to Your person, family, and Throne the capital of the Highlands is second to no part of Your Majesty's dominions.

We rejoice in this opportunity of again addressing Your Majesty, and of testifying on this great occasion, our unabated and devoted loyalty, and of giving expression to the pride and gratitude with which we contemplate the great benefits which, during half a century Your Majesty has conferred on Your subjects, and the bright and noble example which Your Majesty has set to all subject to Your rule.

We venture to express our earnest hope and belief that the feelings called forth by the celebration of Your Majesty's Jubilee will tend to knit more closely together the various races and peoples subject to Your Majesty's beneficent sway, and we pray that the blessing of Almighty God may rest on Your Majesty, and that He may spare you yet for many years to reign over a loyal, a united, a free and a happy people.

[Presented by the Provost and the Town Clerk (Mr. Macdonald)].

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of Your Majesty's ancient and loyal City of Londonderry in Special Council for that purpose assembled, wish to lay before the Throne the expression of the heart-felt respect, loyalty, and affection which we and our fellow-citizens, whom

we represent, entertain for Your Majesty, and our joy that Our August Sovereign Lady has now by the Grace of Divine Providence been Monarch of the British Realms for fifty eventful years.

We ask Your Majesty to receive our warmest congratulations on the happy completion of a reign of half a century, and we pray that God may long spare Your Majesty as our beloved Sovereign.

Nearly two centuries have now glided away since the peace and prosperity of these Kingdoms was secured by that Act of Settlement through which the first of Your Majesty's branch of the Royal House was placed upon the British Throne, but to none of the predecessors, Your ancestors, is so great a debt of gratitude due from the British People as to You August Lady who now receive the mighty tribute of a nation's love. A wise, constitutional, and virtuous ruler, a tender and devoted Wife and Mother, a loving and faithful friend, but, above all, a sincere follower of Christ, the name of Our Queen, wherever mentioned, evokes sentiments of admiration and respect. We congratulate Your Majesty on the many fair and stately scions of Your Royal House who now surround Your lofty Throne, and finally we pray that Your Majesty may have all the happiness possible in this world, and that You may receive a Crown of Life from the King of Kings in the world to come.

With profound respect we beg to subscribe ourselves for Your Majesty's faithful Council of Londonderry.

[Presented by the Mayor (Mr. Thomas Leckey) and the Town Clerk (Mr. R. N. Chambers)].

To Her Most Gracious Majesty The QUEEN.

May it please Your Majesty.

WE, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Sutton Coldfield, in the county of Warwick, an ancient Royal Town created by a Charter granted by Your predecessor, King Henry VIII, beg most humbly to offer to Your Majesty our hearty congratulations on Your attaining the fiftieth year of Your reign, and to assure You of our loyalty and esteem. We are deeply grateful to Your Majesty for the blessing conferred upon Your subjects by the pattern of Your blameless life. We thank You for the interest You have always shown in their welfare, and for the care which You have bestowed upon the affairs, both domestic and foreign, of the great Empire over which by God's blessing You have so long and so worthily reigned, and we trust that Your Majesty may be spared for many more years to direct its destinies.

Given under our Corporate Seal this 1st day of June, 1887.

J. B. Stone, Mayor.
Thos. V. Holbeche, Town Clerk.

L. S.

[Presented by the Mayor (Mr. J. B. Stone) and the Deputy Mayor (Mr. Joseph Ansell)].

To Her Most Gracious Majesty VICTORIA, QUEEN of Great Britain and Ireland, Defender of the Faith, &c.

The Loyal Address of the Commissioners of the Township of Kingstown.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, Your Majesty's faithful subjects, the Commissioners of Kingstown, the premier township of Ireland, who have always, owing to the

geographical position of our town, had the distinguished privilege of being the first to welcome Your Majesty on Your arrival in our country, desire respectfully to approach Your Majesty, on the occasion of the golden Jubilee of Your happy reign, to offer to You for ourselves, and on behalf of those whom we represent, our heartfelt congratulations and to give You assurance of our unchanging devotion to Your Person and Your Throne.

It must be to Your Majesty, as it is to all Your Majesty's faithful subjects, a source of pride and pleasure to reflect on the many great events that have taken place during Your long and prosperous reign. The number of eminent men who, during the fifty years that You have occupied the Throne of these countries, have appeared in every walk of science, in literature, in politics, in the fine arts; the brilliant successes which have everywhere attended the British arms; the important accessions which have been made to the Empire, and the rapid advances which Your people have made in social and material progress must cause the Victorian era of English history to be ranked by the historian of the future, with the Augustan era of Rome, the age of Pericles in Greece, and that of Louis the Great in France. But nothing has so much contributed to endear You to the hearts of all Your subjects as the illustrious example which You have, in Your own person, set them of every domestic virtue and the zeal which You have always manifested for the interests of morality and religion.

We fervently wish that many years of health and happiness may be given to Your Majesty to guide the destinies of this great Empire with the wisdom and justice by which Your rule has been distinguished in the past, and we hope that Your Majesty's loyal subjects in Ireland may often have the pleasure of welcoming Your Majesty and the members of Your Royal Family to our shores.

Scaled with the Corporate Seal of the Township of Kingstown.

Robert Herron, J.P., Chairman.

[Presented by Mr. Herron.]

To Her Most Gracious Majesty VICTORIA, QUEEN of Great Britain and Ireland.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Commissioners of the Pembroke Township, the second in point of extent in Ireland, desire most respectfully to approach the Throne and offer our sincere and hearty congratulations upon the completion of the fiftieth year of Your Majesty's happy and prosperous reign.

To no Sovereign who has occupied the Throne of Great Britain has it been given to rule and guide the destinies of these countries in more eventful or more progressive times, and the Victorian era will go down to posterity distinguished by the enormous advances made in science and art, as well as in the development of inventive genius which has conquered alike time and space and rendered such signal services to the cause of civilization throughout the world.

We rejoice, and in unison with British subjects all over the globe, desire to place on record our deep sense of thankfulness in having Your Majesty so long spared to preside over the destinies of this Great Empire, recognising as we do, that in the discharge of all Your duties as a Sovereign, the happiness of Your subjects has been Your first consideration, and that You have ever evinced the liveliest interest in their well-

being, and shown the most profound sympathy with their sufferings.

We sincerely trust and humbly pray that Almighty God, the Ruler of Princes, may give to Your Majesty His choicest blessings, and may long spare You to rule over the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland as well as the British Empire in all parts of the globe.

Signed on behalf of the Pembroke Township Commissioners,

Geo. Moyers, LL.D., Chairman.

J. C. Manly, Secretary.

16th May, 1887.

[Presented by George Moyers, LL.D.]

To Her Most Excellent Majesty VICTORIA, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland QUEEN, Defender of the Faith.

May it please Your Majesty,

IT is with sincere congratulation and expression of unwavering loyalty, that we, the Rathmines and Rathgar Improvement Commissioners, beg leave to approach Your Majesty in this the Jubilee year of Your Reign as Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

As Irishmen, we respectfully claim for our country due recognition of Her position as an integral portion of Your Majesty's dominions, and we yield to none in loyalty to Your Majesty's Crown and person.

We review with pride the marked and solid advance which in every branch of knowledge has distinguished the period covered by Your Majesty's reign, a period distinctively recognized as the Victorian era.

Science, literature, art, manufacture, commerce, travel have all made considerable progress, whilst concurrently civilization has taken a higher stand than ever before in the history of the world, as is evidenced by the more thoughtful provision made by legislation, enactments, and voluntary charities for the wants and necessities of our less fortunate brethren.

It is our most earnest desire and prayer that Your Majesty may long be spared to reign over a contented, united, prosperous nation, and that nothing may occur to hinder the progress or retard the prosperity of any portion of Your Majesty's widespread possessions.

We venture to subscribe ourselves, Your Majesty's most faithful subjects,

Edward Fottrell, Chairman.

James W. Drury, Secretary.

L. S.

[Presented by Mr. James W. Drury.]

To Her Most Gracious Majesty The QUEEN.

The Humble and Dutiful Address of the Inhabitants of the county of Hereford.

WE, Your Majesty's faithful and loyal subjects of the county of Hereford, beg leave to approach Your Majesty, and to offer to Your Majesty our cordial and sincere congratulations on the happy completion of the fiftieth year of Your Majesty's Reign.

During this long and eventful period which will ever be distinguished in history, not only for the unparalleled advance which has taken place in the commercial and territorial greatness of the Empire and in all departments of human science, but for its great and lasting reforms, its cultivation of the arts, the advance of religion, and the happiness and welfare of an ever-increasing population.

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Your Majesty has ever maintained the affectionate regard of Your Majesty's subjects, and we desire on this happy occasion of Your Majesty's Jubilee to offer to Your Majesty the assurance of our undiminished loyalty and affection to Your Majesty's Throne and Person.

We pray God to bless Your Majesty and all the Royal Family with long life and happiness, and that descendants worthy of Your Majesty's illustrious example, and by the same constitutional exercise of regal power, may long continue to Your faithful people the beneficent government which under Your Majesty's gracious rule they have so long enjoyed, and may long maintain the loyalty and respect of a free and high spirited nation.

Signed on behalf of the Inhabitants of the county of Hereford by their request in public meeting assembled.

Bateman, Lord Lieutenant.

Henry Higgins, High Sheriff.

[Presented by the Lord - Lieutenant, Lord Bateman.]

To the QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, Your Majesty's loyal subjects of the county of Worcester in public meeting assembled, desire to approach Your Majesty with the expression of our deep attachment to Your Royal Throne and Person, and to offer Your Majesty our dutiful and heartfelt congratulations on the completion of the fiftieth year of Your Majesty's most happy Reign.

To recount Your personal claims to our regard, the moral, intellectual, and industrial progress of the nation, the extension of Your Majesty's Imperial and Colonial sway, the cultivation of the arts and sciences, the improved condition of the people, and the increased care for the poor, to which Your Majesty has unceasingly devoted Your fostering sympathy and attention in conjunction with the lamented Prince Consort, would, though to us, no ungrateful task, weary Your Majesty. We content ourselves with laying at the foot of the Throne the assurance of our affectionate loyalty, quickened by the recollection that a portion of Your early life was passed within the borders of our county, and we earnestly pray that a long line of Your Majesty's descendants upon the Throne of England may profit by the example bequeathed to them of public and domestic virtue, and extend to our children's children the benefits which we have ourselves derived from Your Majesty's august and beneficent rule.

Signed on behalf of the County,

W. E. Everett,

June, 1887.

High Sheriff.

[Presented by the High Sheriff (Mr. W. E. Everett) and the ex-High Sheriff (Mr. Victor Milward)].

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Archbishops, Bishops, and elected Representatives of the Clergy and Laity of the Church of Ireland, in General Synod assembled, on behalf of more than six hundred thousand of the people of Ireland, desire to express our loyalty to Your Throne and Person, and to offer You our congratulations upon the completion of the fiftieth year of Your Reign.

We have the privilege of speaking for an ancient Church, which is perfectly independent, but in doctrine and discipline (though no longer by law) connected closely with the greatest com-

munion that has adopted the principles of the Reformation—the Church of England. And we have, by the countless inter-relations of religion, language, and history, a vital interest in all that concerns the highest welfare of a Church thus spiritually united with our own, as well as of a country and an Empire which we devoutly pray may ever be indissolubly one. We, therefore, venture to lay before Your Majesty some part of the reasons which urge us to the expression of our respectful homage.

Your Majesty's Jubilee is the fourth in the records of the English Monarchy. The rarity of such an event would alone insure for it a lasting commemoration; but the present Jubilee is accompanied by circumstances to which no parallel is to be found in our annals.

Not only do we form part of an Empire which recognizes in its Sovereign a model of domestic virtues, the possessor of a gracious sympathy, whose magic touch is felt at almost every part of the vast circumference of human sorrow.

Your Majesty's reign has witnessed, and Your influence has powerfully helped forward, an improvement in the moral aims of the community, in the social relations of different classes, and in the general diffusion of knowledge. Among the felicities of that reign was Your union with a Prince who was almost the first among men of his exalted position to perceive that, apparently outside the range of its dogmatic truths, yet really in virtue of them, Christianity possesses an ever-living power of soothing, instructing, and elevating those who had been too much regarded as the disinherited children of modern civilization. This moral and social application of the leading dogmas of the Gospel has found in Your Majesty an illustrious continuator, and seems to have become one of the traditions of Your line. As we contemplate the vast social, moral, and religious improvement of the people of these countries, we thank God, as members of the Christian Church, for the profoundly and practically Christian character of the reign which began on June 20th, 1837.

Others may with more authority speak of the growth of science, the immortal contributions to literature, and the deeds of arms which have illustrated the Victorian era. We advert with thankfulness to the fact that it has been distinguished by missionary achievements scarcely surpassed since the first ages of Christianity, and by the extension of the episcopate of the Ancient Church, with which we are so intimately united, to almost every part of Your Majesty's world-wide dominions.

We desire to assure Your Majesty that political changes regarding the temporal position of the Church of Ireland have in no way affected our loyalty. In every parish of this land the Church of Ireland still prays for the Queen's Majesty, and for the Royal Family, in the same lofty and affecting language as in the days when the State recognised the United Church of England and Ireland, with such changes only in these prayers, as elsewhere in our Liturgy (made sparingly and with reverent hand) as were inseparable from altered temporal relations. By the ministers of our Church, loyalty to the Sovereign is explained in the school and enforced in the sanctuary, because it is the rule of the New Testament—an aspect of Christian duty, not a denomination of party politics.

With our humble congratulations upon the past we join our prayers for the future, that God's best blessings may rest upon Your Majesty in all the trials of Your exalted position, that more years

may be added to Your auspicious reign, and that Your earthly crown may be exchanged for one which fadeth not away, through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Robert Armagh, Primate (on behalf of the General Synod of the Church of Ireland).

[Presented by the Lord Archbishop of Armagh and the Lord Bishop of Limerick.]

To the QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty.

The Humble Address of the Chairman and Members of the Congregational Union of England and Wales.

May it please Your Majesty.

WE, the Chairman and Members of the Congregational Union representing the congregational churches of England and Wales, respectfully tender to Your Majesty our hearty congratulations on the completion of the fiftieth year of Your auspicious reign. We acknowledge with gratitude Your Majesty's unswerving fidelity to the high trust committed to You by God; the exemplary courage with which You have borne the burdens of sovereignty and the sore domestic trials You have been called to endure, and the influence You ever put forth by personal example and in the exercise of Your Royal patronage in favour of all that is purest and best in the life of the nation.

As Nonconformists we remember the promise which Your Majesty gave when You ascended the Throne, that You would always respect the rights of conscience, and we are grateful witnesses that the promise has been fulfilled to the letter and in the spirit.

We give thanks to Almighty God, who during the last fifty years has sustained Your Majesty as the head of a prosperous and growing Empire; and we earnestly pray that Your life and reign may be yet much further prolonged, bringing additional lustre to Your honoured name and increasing blessing to Your loyal loving people.

On behalf of the Committee,

Alexander Mackennal, B.A., D.D.,

Chairman.

June 20, 1887.

Memorial Hall,

Farringdon-street, London.

(Presented by Dr. Hannay, and the Reverend Alexander Mackennal, and the Reverend Edward Winter).

To the QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

THE Council of the Baptist Union of Great Britain and Ireland, representing the Baptist Denomination, offer to Your Majesty this humble and loyal Address.

We sincerely congratulate Your Majesty on the completion of the fiftieth year of Your Majesty's reign. We are grateful to God for the profound interest which Your Majesty has ever taken in the welfare of the realm; for the fidelity with which Your Majesty has discharged the duties of an exalted station; for the sympathy, both queenly and womanly, which, with a kindred experience, Your Majesty has ever manifested towards the suffering; and for the example in social life which Your Majesty has set to all classes of the people.

We give hearty thanks to God for the prosperity enjoyed by the Nation during these fifty years; for the spread of knowledge; for the broadening of freedom, for the wider recognition of the sacredness and the rights of conscience, for the improvement of the laws; for the deepened

love of justice and truth ; for the greater purity of literature ; for the extension of benevolent and philanthropic enterprises ; for the endeavours to diffuse the blessings of civilization and the knowledge of the Gospel in the dark places of the earth ; and for many other blessings which will make Your Majesty's reign ever memorable in history.

We fervently pray that Your Majesty's reign may be long continued ; that when the evening time of Your Majesty's life shall come it may be filled with the peace of God, and that at the last, through Divine Grace, Your Majesty may be gathered with all saints into the everlasting Kingdom of Our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

Signed on behalf of the Council,

James Culross, D.D., President.

Samuel Harris Booth, Secretary.

[Presented by the Reverend Dr. Culross, D.D. (President), and the Reverend S. H. Booth, (Secretary)].

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Ministers and Elders of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland, desire to assure Your Majesty of our unchanging loyalty to Your Person and Throne, and to tender our warmest congratulations on the completion of the fiftieth year of Your auspicious reign. When we look back on the history of this great Empire during the eventful period that has elapsed since Your Majesty ascended the Throne, and reflect on the uninterrupted progress made by the people in every part of the United Kingdom in all the elements of civilization ; on the social, intellectual, and moral improvement visible amongst all classes ; on the unbroken peace and increasing prosperity enjoyed at home, and the unprecedented growth of Your Majesty's Dominions in foreign countries, bringing increased freedom and happiness to their inhabitants, we are constrained to acknowledge our gratitude to the All-wise and Merciful Ruler of the nations for His kindness to us in preserving Your life so long, and in making it a source of great and unnumbered blessings to the subjects of the largest Empire the world has ever seen.

We feel assured that none of Your Majesty's Royal predecessors occupied a higher place in the affections and esteem of the people of this realm, or enjoyed in greater measure the sincere and unflinching allegiance of their subjects. That allegiance is inspired by Your personal virtues and just administration of the laws of the Empire, no less than by Your exalted rank.

We recognize, with gratitude to Him by whose grace You reign, the exemplary uprightness, wisdom, and scrupulous impartiality that have uniformly characterized Your Majesty's exercise of the Sovereign power with which You are invested ; the unflinching interest You have manifested in the happiness and welfare of all classes of Your Majesty's subjects ; Your generous sympathy with the suffering and afflicted in all lands, and the assistance promptly rendered them, and the measures adopted through Your counsel and influence, in conjunction with Your late lamented Consort, Prince Albert, to improve the homes and ameliorate the condition of the poor.

We acknowledge with thankfulness the many services rendered by Your Majesty to the cause of religion, and rejoice to observe the unprecedented progress made by the Christian faith in all parts of the earth during Your reign. Your Majesty's consistent life and faultless example have exercised an elevating influence on the moral

condition of the nation. The singular advancement in the study of physical science, in the culture of art, in the accumulation of vast literary treasures effected during the past half-century, in the development of manufacturing industry and of commercial enterprise, that have so much contributed to the wealth, contentment, and comfort of the people, is largely due to Your Royal encouragement and support.

The half century during which Your Majesty has reigned over this great and growing Empire has been the brightest period in its history. At the time of Your Majesty's Coronation the inhabitants of these British Isles formed one United Kingdom, and we earnestly hope that no change will be made tending to weaken the Union then subsisting or to endanger the integrity of the Empire. Unjustifiable as such a change would have been at any previous period, it would be still more culpable during a reign that has done more to secure the freedom and establish the civil and religious rights of all sections of the community, on a constitutional and permanent basis than was accomplished during many preceding centuries.

It is our sincere desire that Your Majesty's life may be long and happy, that the years to come may be marked by the same evidences of Divine favour and blessing that have characterized those that are gone, and we pray that the goodness and mercy that have hitherto followed Your Majesty in the journey of life may continue to shed their light upon Your path till the temporal crown you have so long and so graciously worn shall be exchanged for the crown of righteousness which the Lord, the Righteous Judge, shall give to all them that love His appearing.

Signed by order and on behalf of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland, this 10th day of June, in the year of our Lord 1887.

John H. Orr, D.D., Moderator.

H. B. Wilson, D.D., } Clerks, pro tem.

James W. Whigham, }

[Presented by the Reverend J. H. Orr, D.D. (Moderator), and the Reverend H. B. Wilson, D.D. (Clerk of the Assembly)].

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Moderator, Ministers, and Elders of the Free Church of Scotland, met in General Assembly in Edinburgh, embrace the opportunity of congratulating Your Majesty on this the happy anniversary of Your Majesty's birth, and of declaring our loyal and ardent attachment to Your Majesty's Person, Family, and Throne.

We have special gratification in offering this expression of our homage, inasmuch as within a few days Your Majesty will have completed the fiftieth year since Your Majesty's accession to the Throne.

It becomes us to-day to acknowledge our gratitude to Almighty God for having given us a Sovereign so deservedly beloved, and for having spared Your Majesty during so many years to prove a blessing to the millions who own Your Majesty's sway.

Our thoughts revert to that day, fifty years ago, when Your Majesty ascended the Throne, shortly after which the nation with rapturous loyalty set the Crown of these realms on Your Majesty's head. That Crown was the symbol of a mighty Empire, and the gems which adorned it may be regarded as emblems of the many nationalities over which Your Majesty in early youth was called to wield the sceptre. The Crown remains, not only unim-

paired in its splendour, it has had many dazzling additions imparted to it. But there is another Crown on which the nation is now fixing its admiring eye; a Crown which has taken fifty years to construct, whose gems are more rare and lovely, and which will be placed on Your Majesty's brow on the completion of the Jubilee year. This Crown is one whose jewels are the virtues and noble qualities of Your Majesty's character, which have been acquiring fresh brilliancy during all the years of an illustrious reign, and which are now occupying the regard of the entire Empire. The qualities that shine out so conspicuously are such as these—the wisdom of Your Majesty's actions, the conjugal affection which has touched the heart of the whole nation, the submission with which the life-long sorrow of bereavement has been borne, the simplicity of domestic life as portrayed by Your Majesty's own hand, the admirable training of the Royal Family, and the fidelity to duty evinced towards all the branches of Your Majesty's house; Your Majesty's sympathy for the trials and distresses of others from the highest to the lowest rank, a sympathy which in its reach has thrilled the sensibilities even of distant lands; the fellow-feeling shown with the sick in the hospital, with the gallant men in the army and navy who have hazarded life in Your Majesty's service; the undimmed purity of the Court, the consistency of the example invariably shown to Your Majesty's subjects, the unparalleled model given to Imperial dynasties elsewhere, Your Majesty's regard for the Scottish Highlands and Highlanders, and consideration for the comfort of Your Majesty's immediate retainers; the noble independence in regard to things sacred, which has characterized Your Majesty, the courage displayed in moments of danger, the readiness to express gratitude to the Father in Heaven as evinced in the public thanksgiving for the restored health of the Prince of Wales. These are but a selection of the virtues, which are enshrining the name and memory of their Queen in the hearts of the British nation.

The earnest prayer of this General Assembly is, that Your Majesty may long be spared to reign over us, and when this chequered life is past that Your Majesty may be blessed by receiving still another crown—a crown of life and glory, through the merits and intercession of the Redeemer, who is King of kings and Lord of lords.

It is our fervent desire that through the entire extent of Your Majesty's vast dominions the blessed Gospel of Christ may course its way, persuaded as we are that that Gospel is the best guarantee for the peace and prosperity of nations.

We are, with profound respect, Your Majesty's loyal and devoted Servants,

Signed in Name and by Authority of the
General Assembly of the Free Church of
Scotland, at Edinburgh, the 21st day of
May, 1887 years, by

Robert Rainy, D.D., Moderator.

[Presented by the Reverend Principal Rainy,
D.D. (Moderator), and the Reverend A. U.
Somerville, D.D. (Ex-Moderator)].

To Her Most Excellent Majesty the QUEEN of
Great Britain and Ireland, Defender of the
Faith.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, Your Majesty's loyal subjects, the Pre-
sident and Fellows of Your Majesty's College of
Physicians, London, approach Your Majesty with

feelings of profound attachment and dutiful
allegiance to offer our sincere and heartfelt con-
gratulations on the occasion of the Jubilee Year
of Your Majesty's Reign.

We desire to express our deep appreciation of
the benefits which we, in common with all the
subjects of Your Majesty, have derived from the
long and auspicious rule of Your Majesty in
these realms.

We thankfully recognize the great advances
that the arts and sciences have made under the
fostering care of Our Gracious Queen, and we
desire especially to thank Your Majesty for the
constant protection that legitimate medicine has,
throughout the fifty years that are now past, in-
variably received at Your Majesty's hands.

We thank Almighty God that Your Majesty
has been permitted to exercise for so long a period
so beneficent a sway over your dominions, and
we earnestly pray that Your Majesty may yet live
many years to rule this great nation, with
wisdom and power, and to reign as Your Majesty
has every done, in the hearts of your subjects.

William Jenner, President.

Henry A. Pitman, Registrar.

L. S.

[Presented by Sir William Jenner (President)
Sir Henry Pitman (Registrar)].

Unto the QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty.
The Humble, Loyal, and Dutiful Address of the
President and Fellows of the Royal College of
Physicians of Edinburgh.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, Your Majesty's loyal and dutiful subjects,
the President and Fellows of the Royal College
of Physicians of Edinburgh, beg leave respectfully
to approach Your Majesty's presence with the
most profound feelings of devotion to Your Per-
son and Throne.

We thank the Almighty Disposer of Events
that Your Majesty's peerless Reign over this vast
realm has been so long and prosperous, and we
desire to unite with our fellow subjects in offering
our sincere and cordial congratulations on the
approaching completion of its fiftieth year.

We are deeply conscious of the great progress
made by the peoples over whom you so bene-
ficially rule since Your Majesty's accession to
the Throne, and we gratefully recognize that
these advances owe much to Your personal
example, since they have been fostered by the
interest shown in them by Your Majesty and by
the illustrious Prince Consort, whose premature
loss the country still deplures. By the encourage-
ment of science and the sympathy with suffering
which Your Majesty and the Royal House have
ever manifested, the healing art has received
great assistance, and has been stimulated to new
endeavours.

We recall with lively gratitude the obligation
and honour conferred upon this Royal College by
Your Majesty in granting us a New Charter, and
we would anew most respectfully tender our
thanks for the benefits thus bestowed not only on
this corporate body itself but also upon the pro-
fession of medicine and the nation at large.

That the Almighty may extend to Your
Majesty, to Your Royal Family, and to the
Empire over which You wield the sceptre, a long
continuance of those blessings which have been
so generously and graciously bestowed during the
past years of Your Sovereignty is the devout and

fervent prayer of Your Majesty's most faithful and devoted servants.

Signed in name and under the Seal of the Royal College of Physicians at Edinburgh, this 24th day of May, 1887.

[Presented by Dr. George Balfour (the Vice-President), and Mr. R. P. Ritchie (Treasurer)].

To Her Most Gracious Majesty VICTORIA, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the President and Fellows of the King and Queen's College of Physicians in Ireland beg to offer to Your Majesty our heartfelt congratulations on the auspicious occasion of the completion of the fiftieth year of Your Majesty's glorious reign, together with the renewed expression of our devoted loyalty and attachment to Your Throne and Person.

We recognize with grateful appreciation the favour which Your Majesty in common with Your illustrious and deeply lamented Consort has ever extended to our profession.

It is also a matter for congratulation that His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales and the Members of the Royal Family, following the example of their illustrious parents, have always displayed a similar kindly interest with that profession in its efforts for the advancement of medical science as well as the preservation and improvement of the health of the nation.

That the Almighty may be pleased to spare Your Gracious Majesty for many years to come to guide the destinies of the mighty Empire over which You have so long and so nobly ruled is the earnest prayer of us, Your Majesty's loyal subjects and dutiful servants, the President and Fellows of the King and Queen's College of Physicians in Ireland.

James Little, M.D., President.

John Wm. Moore, M.D., Fellow and Registrar.

[Presented by Dr. James Little, M.D. (President), and Dr. J. W. Moore, M.D. (Fellow and Registrar)].

Unto the QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty, the Humble Address of the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, Your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Fellows of the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh, beg leave to approach the Throne with our warm and heartfelt congratulations on the advent at this time of the fiftieth anniversary of Your Majesty's most illustrious, eventful, and auspicious reign.

Deeply sensible of the high honour conferred upon this portion of the Empire by Your Majesty's frequent visits to Scotland, we, as members of the most ancient surgical corporation in all Your Majesty's dominions, founded 1505, and one which has on many occasions experienced the favour and protection of Your Majesty's Royal ancestors, gladly embrace the opportunity of expressing our feelings of devoted loyalty and attachment to the sacred person of a sovereign under whose auspices and wise administration, literature and science have so eminently flourished; and to assure Your Majesty upon this eventful occasion, that the earnest prayer of the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh is, that Your Majesty may yet long be spared in health and prosperity to adorn Your high position and to

sway the sceptre over a free, a loyal, and a happy people.

Signed in the name and under the Corporate Seal of the College, at Edinburgh, this 16th day of May, 1887.

D. Argyll Robertson, President.

L. S.

[Presented by Dr. Argyll Robertson (President, Surgeon-Oculist to the Queen in Scotland), and Dr. John Smith, (Vice-President)].

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the President, Vice-President, and Council of the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland, desire humbly to approach Your Majesty to offer our warm and heartfelt congratulations on the auspicious occasion of the completion of the fiftieth year of Your Majesty's glorious reign.

We join earnestly with all Your Majesty's dutiful subjects in the prayer that You may be long spared by Divine Providence to continue in health, happiness, and prosperity in the sovereignty of Your great and ever-increasing Empire.

Signed on behalf of the College,

Anthony H. Conley, President.

Henry Fitzgibbon, Vice-President.

William Colles, Secretary.

[Presented by Dr. Anthony H. Conley (President) and Mr. Henry Fitzgibbon (Vice-President)].

To Her Most Gracious Majesty VICTORIA, QUEEN of Great Britain and Ireland.

WE, the President, the President of the Council, the Treasurer and Council of the British Medical Association, humbly approach Your Royal and Imperial Throne with the profoundest feelings of respect and veneration, desiring to assure Your Majesty of our continued and heartfelt devotion to Your person and Your rule.

We would express our grateful acknowledgments to the Almighty Disposer of events, that He has seen fit to prolong a life which has been devoted to the well-being and happiness of Your Majesty's subjects, and to lengthen a reign which has been so fruitful in all matters pertaining to the advancement of art, science, literature, and industry, and so largely instrumental in promoting peace throughout the civilized world.

To our own profession Your Majesty has ever shown an appreciative kindness and goodwill, which was conspicuously manifested last year when Your Majesty graciously condescended to lay the foundation stone of the Examination Hall for the two Royal Colleges, on which occasion Your Majesty addressed most kindly words to the President of the College of Physicians, and, through him, to the profession generally. It now only remains for us to offer a fervent prayer that the Almighty may be pleased to preserve Your Majesty's life in health and happiness for many years to come, that Your Majesty may continue to seek His honour and glory, and so study to preserve the people committed to Your Majesty's charge in health, peace, and godliness.

W. Withers Moore, President.

J. T. Banks, President Elect.

B. Walter Foster, President of the Council.

C. Macnamara, Treasurer.

[Presented by Dr. W. Withers Moore (President), and Dr. Walter Foster, M.P. (President of the Council)].

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

WE, Your loyal and dutiful subjects, the President, Council, and Fellows of the Royal Society of London, humbly beg leave to offer to Your Most Gracious Majesty, the beloved patron of our Society, our respectful and sincere congratulations upon the completion of the fiftieth year of Your Majesty's prosperous and happy reign.

The half century, during which Your loving subjects have enjoyed the blessing of Your Gracious Majesty's wise and kindly rule, has been marked by an increase in the welfare of Your people, and by a development of the powers of the nation, such as has never before been seen.

Of that national development the growth of natural knowledge, to advance which the Royal Society was founded by Your Majesty's illustrious predecessor, King Charles II, has been at once a conspicuous cause and effect. In the years which have passed since Your Gracious Majesty ascended the Throne, the progress of science has been far greater and the practical applications of science have been more numerous and far-reaching, and have more deeply affected human life, than in any previous fifty years of the world's history.

That progress, we are proud to think, has been in no small measure due to the activity and energy of Your Gracious Majesty's own subjects; and we cannot but recognize that the exercise of that activity and energy has been rendered possible and the success of them assured by the prosperity and content of the nation under Your Gracious Majesty's wise and beneficent rule.

Your Majesty may therefore justly look upon the remarkable scientific labours of Your Majesty's reign as in no small part the result of Your Majesty's own gracious acts, while we in turn would wish to look upon them as a tribute of loyalty from those who wrought them, and so beg Your Majesty to view them as a token of the loving esteem in which the men of science of this country hold their Sovereign Lady the Queen.

And we shall ever pray that Your Most Gracious Majesty may be spared for yet many years to reign over your contented and loving people.

L. S.

G. G. Stokes,
President.

[Presented by the President (G. G. Stokes), and the Senior Secretary (Professor M. Foster)].

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the President, Council, and Fellows of the Royal Astronomical Society, beg leave humbly to tender to Your Majesty our most sincere and heartfelt congratulations on the completion of the fiftieth year of Your Majesty's happy and beneficent reign.

We desire to express our deep appreciation of the interest and sympathy that Your Majesty has always manifested in the intellectual well-being of Your subjects; and we are not unmindful of the noble and self-sacrificing labours of His Royal Highness the late Prince Consort for the promotion and encouragement of education and science, and of the lasting benefits that have resulted from his efforts and his influence.

For fifty years Your Majesty has been graciously pleased to be the Patron of our society. We desire to assure Your Majesty how deeply sensible we are of this mark of Your Royal

favour, and express our continued devotion and loyalty to Your Majesty's Person and Throne.

It is our earnest and fervent prayer that Your Majesty's life may long be spared to bless Your Empire with many more years of gracious and happy rule.

Sealed in Council, this 10th day of June, 1887.

J. W. L. Glaisher, President.
E. B. Knobel, Secretary.

L. S.

[Presented by the President (J. W. L. Glaisher, F.R.S.) and the Secretary (Mr. E. B. Knobel)].

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the President, Council, and Fellows of the Society of Antiquaries of London, gladly embrace the opportunity of once more approaching Your Majesty, and tendering our heartfelt congratulations on the completion of the fiftieth year of Your Reign over a free and loyal people.

Amid the political storms which have passed over the face of Europe and shaken some of the oldest thrones and dynasties, true-hearted Englishmen are proud to feel that a constant attachment to the Crown and person of their Sovereign has with the course of years grown in intensity, not only at home, but in the Colonies and Dependencies of the British Empire.

We acknowledge, with pleasure and pride, that in the growth of the Empire abroad and in large fields of beneficent legislation at home, in literature and in scientific discovery, in historical enquiry and in the domain of antiquarian research (with which it is our privilege to be specially connected), Your Majesty's reign may confidently challenge comparison with those of our greatest and most illustrious Princes. But we particularly rejoice to believe that during the half century that has elapsed since Your Majesty ascended the Throne, the humblest and poorest classes in these dominions may identify Your Majesty's reign with a sensible diminution of ignorance, poverty and suffering, and may gratefully remember that every good and kindly movement for the improvement of Your people has received the gracious impulse of Your Majesty's sympathy and support.

We desire to assure Your Majesty of our dutiful and affectionate attachment to Your Majesty's Person and Throne, and we earnestly pray that You may be long spared to promote the happiness of Your subjects in the exercise of Your high office and by the example of Your private virtues.

Given under our Common Seal at our Apartments at Burlington House, this 15th day of June, in the year of our Lord 1887.

John Evans, President.

L. S.

[Presented by the President (John Evans, D.C.L., LL.D.), the Treasurer (Charles Percival LL.D.)].

To Her Most Gracious Majesty The QUEEN.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the President and Council of the Royal Institute of Painters in Water Colours, on behalf of its members, venture to approach Your Majesty to offer our loyal and heartfelt congratulations on this, the Jubilee year of Your Most Gracious Majesty, which inspires recognition

from all Your dutiful subjects, and from none should it be more worthily celebrated than from those who are engaged in the practice of the fine arts.

We know the deep interest Your Majesty has taken during the whole of Your long reign in the happiness of all Your subjects, an interest which has been manifested alike for high and low; no one has been too poor to be excluded from Your Majesty's sympathy. Wherever there has been suffering, that suffering has been softened by kindly words, and helped by substantial aid. This has endeared our beloved Queen to the hearts of all people, and gives an earnest sincerity to those who approach the Throne at this time.

Your Majesty's reign of half a century has been prosperous in every way. In future history it will be celebrated; the glory of the "Victorian age" will, in time to come, be chronicled in many a page. Its victories in war, as well as its victories in science, in literature, and in art, will shine with splendour through the years of the future. A noble impulse was given to the progress and achievements of the arts of peace in the country by the first Great Exhibition of 1851, the first of many exhibitions of a like kind which have taken place all over the world; and which will always be associated with the revered name of the late Prince Consort. From this and other influences which have always received the approbation and support of Your Majesty, a knowledge and taste for art has been spread among all classes, from which painting and architecture have improved and risen to a position they had not reached before in this country.

Among the branches of art which have improved during the fifty years of Your Majesty's reign, none have shown a greater or more marked development than that of the art of painting in water colours. The success it has achieved has been so well recognized that it has a reputation which is not only European, but its celebrity is as widely extended as the limits of Your Majesty's realm. If the Royal Institute of Painters in Water Colours has as a body in any way contributed to this reputation, it has been due so far to Your Majesty's fostering care, for we are conscious of many special marks of favour which have been received from Your Majesty's hand. These have been of great benefit to the society, and been the means of enabling it to carry out a number of its objects—for these kind acts the members feel loyally grateful. The society has also been indebted to other members of Your Majesty's family, more particularly to Her Imperial Highness the Crown Princess of Germany and Her Royal Highness the Princess Beatrice, who have honoured us by becoming honorary members. We are also aware that Your Majesty is an adept in the art of water colour, and that you practice in it when leisure is permitted from State and other duties; and we derive an honour from the circumstances that two of our most distinguished members—the late Mr. W. L. Leitch and Mr. Edward H. Corbould—have been your teachers.

The progress and present position of our art has thus been intimately associated with Your Majesty, as well as with the fifty years of Your Majesty's reign, that we feel it is fitting on our part to approach the Throne at this time and add our congratulations to the voice of universal rejoicing. While doing so let us add our most fervent prayers to the Almighty that the life of our beloved Queen may be spared to us for many years to come, so that the land may have the

rich benefit of Your Majesty's long experience and ripened wisdom.

Signed on behalf of the Members of the Royal Institute.

James D. Linton, President.

Here follows a list of the members, honorary members, and officers.

[Presented by the President (Sir J. D. Linton), the Secretary (Mr. Everell)].

To the QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the President and Members of the Royal Hibernian Academy of Arts desire, with Your Majesty's gracious permission, to offer our dutiful and most sincere congratulations on the completion of the fiftieth year of Your Majesty's prosperous reign.

While acknowledging the marvellous increase in the material prosperity of Your Empire, and the discoveries and progress of science which have distinguished Your Majesty's reign, it is for us to record our sense of the concurrent advancement of art in the United Kingdom, of the endeavours of successive governments of Your Majesty to forward measures for the diffusion of art education amongst the masses of this country, and for the acquirement of our national collections of works of art.

We appreciate the sympathy of Your Majesty and the Royal Family with this movement on the part of the State, owing, as it did so much in its inception to the foresight and influence of Your Majesty's late Royal Consort.

Constituted by Royal Charter of Your Majesty's predecessor King George the IV, in 1823, and under a renewed and extended Charter granted in 1861, under which Your Majesty was graciously pleased to become our Patron, it has been the duty of the Royal Hibernian Academy of Arts to educate and foster rising artistic talent, to diffuse a love of art, and to elevate the public taste for art in Ireland.

It is gratifying to assure Your Majesty that these objects, for the promotion of which we hold our Charter in trust, have been fulfilled with an encouraging measure of success in Ireland, especially in the latter years of Your Majesty's happy reign, and we pray that Your Majesty may long be spared to foster the progress of the arts in the United Kingdom, by active sympathy, and to reign over our beloved country, and witness the maintenance of her forward place among the nations, in the onward march of the arts of civilisation, prosperity, and peace.

Thomas Alfred Jones, Knt.,
President.

B. Colles Watkins, R.H.A.,
Secretary.

L. S.

[Presented by the President (Sir Thomas Jones) and the Secretary (Mr. B. Colles Watkins)].

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Chancellor, Doctors, and Masters of the University of Dublin, beg leave to approach Your Majesty with our respectful congratulations on the completion of the fiftieth year of Your reign. Looking back on the eventful period during which You have filled the Throne, we recognize with gratitude the many benefits which Your subjects in every part of Your dominions have derived, both from Your personal influence, and from the mild and equitable system of government which has marked Your era.

Your Majesty has set, in the most exalted position, a bright example of public and private virtue. By the gracious sympathy You have shown with suffering, wherever it existed, You have encouraged the union of classes and the employment of wealth and power in the service of the poor. You have fostered every movement for promoting the instruction, health, and recreation of the masses of your people; and a liberal, humane, and tolerant spirit has characterised the administration of your great Empire.

Not material prosperity only, but a higher progress has marked the course of these fifty years. They have been a distinguished period in the history of intellectual achievement and enterprising research; and your Majesty's subjects have taken a conspicuous part in such labours. Scientific discovery, and its application to human uses, have advanced with unexampled rapidity; almost every portion of the earth's surface has been traversed by adventurous explorers; the memorials of a distant past have been disinterred and interrupted; the languages and literatures of the world have been more comprehensively and thoroughly studied; and art has experienced a signal revival. As Members of a University, we take a special interest in these triumphs of mind. We have endeavoured, within the sphere we occupy, to contribute our share to the work of enlightenment; and, in accordance with the spirit of the Victorian age, every advantage and distinction at the disposal of the ancient Institution to which we belong has been opened to all the subjects of the Crown.

We tender to Your Majesty the earnest assurance of our devoted loyalty to Your Throne and person, and we pray that Your reign may be prolonged, so as to develop more fully and extend more widely the blessings of Your just and beneficent rule.

L. S.

[Presented by the Earl of Rosse.]

To the QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your loyal subjects, the Chancellor, Rector, Principals, and Professors of the University of St. Andrew's, beg respectfully to approach the Throne with our heart-felt congratulations on Your Majesty having attained the Jubilee year of Your happy and prosperous reign.

We recall with pride and gratitude the fifty years of beneficent rule under a Queen illustrious for the highest public virtues as well as for the social qualities and personal endowments that elevate and adorn alike the Throne, the Court, and the family circle. Your Majesty's wise and constitutional government has, from the first, powerfully contributed to strengthen and consolidate the extending Empire of Great Britain. It has brought the Mother Country and the growing colonies into closer union, stimulated trade and commerce, and actively promoted the great interests of peaceful industry, social elevation, and national progress. We rejoice to know, moreover, that Your Majesty's noble private life, and exemplary discharge of all the duties belonging to Your exalted station have endeared you to the hearts of Your people; have indeed secured for You not only the loyal devotion of every class in the Empire, but the admiration and respect of every civilised country on the face of the globe.

As members of the oldest University in Scotland, we would especially congratulate Your

Majesty on the great advancement made in every department of public education under your enlightened rule. During the last few years, efficient primary schools have been established in every part of Your Empire, while important steps have been taken towards the organization of secondary instruction and the more thorough equipment of the Universities for the wider range of duties they have now to discharge. We earnestly hope that Your Majesty's life may be spared not only to see this great work completed, but to realise and enjoy for many years to come the augmented national intelligence and prosperity which it must inevitably tend to produce.

Argyll, Chancellor,

Donaldson, LL.D., Vice-Chancellor.

[Presented by Principal Donaldson and Principal Cunningham.]

To the QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty.

The Loyal and Dutiful Address of the Senatus Academicus of the University of Aberdeen.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Principal and Professors of the University of Aberdeen in Senatus assembled, desire to approach Your Majesty on the auspicious epoch of the fiftieth year of Your Majesty's reign with our sincere congratulations, and with the renewed assurance of our unabated attachment to Your Majesty's person and throne.

We humbly assure Your Majesty that, in common with all classes of Your Majesty's subjects, we are duly sensible of the blessing which this nation enjoys under Your Majesty's wise and beneficent reign, and in particular that we appreciate greatly the various marks of favour which have been from time to time bestowed on this University, as well as on the community among which we are placed.

Finally, we trust that the blessing of Almighty God may continue to be vouchsafed to Your Majesty and to the Royal House as largely in the future as it has been in the past period, the happy completion of which we desire to celebrate.

In name and by authority of Senatus Academicus of the University of Aberdeen,
May 3rd, 1887.

Wm. D. Geddes, Principal.

[Presented by Alexander Bain, LL.D., Rector, and Wm. D. Geddes, LL.D., Principal.]

May it please Your Majesty,

1. WE, the undersigned, being the official representatives of 1,238 School Boards in England and Wales, comprising 7,499 members and representing a population of 12,284,567, desire to offer to Your Majesty our loyal and dutiful congratulations upon the completion of the fiftieth year of Your Majesty's reign.

2. We do so on the ground that we have been engaged as administrators in a work which we believe posterity will recognize as one of the most important of those undertaken during Your Majesty's long and beneficent rule; and we are encouraged to take this step because we are convinced that Your Majesty has at all times warmly sympathized with the efforts which have been made to promote the Elementary Education of the People.

3. Up to the time of Your Majesty's accession, the whole charge of Elementary Education was left in the hands of private persons, their efforts being, in most cases, directed and aided by the National Society and the British and Foreign School Society. The meritorious work of these

Agencies was, not only recognized by a grant from the Treasury shortly before Your Majesty's accession, but it was also greatly aided and promoted by the gracious patronage and support which Your Majesty at that time was pleased to bestow upon it.

4. In the second year of Your Majesty's reign, however, a most important step was taken, which laid the foundations of the existing system of Public Elementary Education. Your Majesty appointed a Committee of the Privy Council "to superintend the application of any sums voted by Parliament for the purpose of promoting Public Education." The first meeting of this Committee was held on the 3rd June, 1839; and from that time must be dated the organized progress which in Fifty Years has achieved such great results. To the official support accorded to Voluntary Effort by the establishment of the Education Department it is mainly due that, the average attendance of children in schools aided by Parliamentary grants had, in the year 1870, reached 1,226,034. The cost of educating these children for the year ended 31st August, 1870, was £1,525,411, of which sum £528,040 was voted from the Consolidated Fund; £302,022 was paid in fees by the parents of the children; and £495,349 was contributed by the supporters of the Schools.

5. At this period, however, it became very evident to all engaged in this work that voluntary effort, though thus aided, could not cope with the growing population and special difficulties of large cities, and with the varied requirements of less populated districts; and accordingly on the 12th August, 1870, Your Majesty's Assent was given to a Bill the object of which was to secure a school-place for every child by the creation of School Boards in Districts where "a sufficient amount of accommodation in Public Elementary Schools" could not otherwise be provided. Owing to this further important step, and to the increasing efforts of Voluntary Agencies, the average attendance of children in Public Elementary Schools has nearly trebled, the number in sixteen years having risen to 3,438,425. The cost of educating these children for the year ended 1885 was £6,839,870, of which sum £2,866,699 was voted from the Consolidated Fund, £1,812,917 was paid in fees, and £2,147,573 was contributed from Voluntary Sources or from the Rates.

6. The nature of the progress which has thus been made may also be judged from the fact that, taking into account only those schools which have received aid from Government, the percentage of the population on the rolls of such schools has risen from less than 5 per cent. in 1860, to more than 16 per cent. in 1886.

7. It is, moreover, a subject of congratulation that, side by side with this increase in the number of children gathered into Public Elementary Schools, there has been a general improvement in the methods of instruction, in the training of Teachers, in the provision and use of school appliances, and in the planning of school buildings. We also rejoice to know that the Holy Scriptures are used daily, with scarcely an exception, in all the Public Elementary Schools.

8. We are persuaded that a great proportion of the recognized improvement which has taken place in the moral and intellectual character of the people during Your Majesty's reign, is due to the good work thus done in Public Elementary Schools.

9. We may be allowed to recall to mind the firm support which was given by Your Majesty's Honoured Father, His Royal Highness the Duke

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of Kent, to Joseph Lancaster, in the early efforts made by him for the promotion of elementary education; and also the warm interest which the late lamented Prince Consort took in this, as in all other educational questions.

10. We venture, therefore, whilst offering to Your Majesty our loyal and dutiful congratulations upon the completion of the fiftieth year of Your reign, respectfully to congratulate Your Majesty also on the advance which under Your Majesty's gracious countenance has thus been made in the education of the people, and we earnestly pray that Your Majesty may live for many happy years, and may be permitted by the Almighty to watch with satisfaction the ever-increasing prosperity and welfare of Your subjects.

[Presented by Rev. Joseph Diggle (Chairman) and Sir Richard Temple, M.P., (Vice-Chairman)].

To the QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, the Chairman and Members of the Metropolitan Board of Works, desire in this the Jubilee Year of Your Majesty's reign, to lay before Your Majesty an expression of our loyal and dutiful attachment, and of our heartfelt congratulations.

We are sensible of the many and great benefits which our country has derived from the rule of a Sovereign who to all personal and domestic virtues has added constant respect for the law, regard for the wishes of her subjects, care for their welfare, and complete identification with their interests.

The fifty years of Your Majesty's reign have witnessed greater progress and expansion in every sphere of national activity than any previous period of the same duration. Science and art, trade and industry, colonization, popular instruction and enlightenment, all afford proof of the great advantages which the nation has experienced during Your Majesty's long and auspicious reign. As members of a public body entrusted with the local government and improvement of the Metropolis, under Acts of Parliament passed during Your Majesty's reign, we have been able to take some part in the great work of progress, and have been privileged to carry out in the capital of the Empire undertakings not unworthy to rank with the other indications of national advancement. It is owing in large measure to these achievements that the London of to-day is in point of public health and convenience, as well as of architectural beauty, far in advance of the London of the first half of the nineteenth century, and compares not unfavourably with any other capital city in the world.

We are happy to be able to associate ourselves with our fellow-citizens of all classes and conditions in the celebration of Your Majesty's Jubilee. We earnestly wish for Your Majesty a continuance of all the blessings, personal and national, which have hitherto attended Your Majesty's rule; and it is our fervent hope that many years may yet be added to a reign which is already one of the longest, as it is assuredly one of the most illustrious, in our country's history.

James McGarel-Hogg.

[Presented by Sir James McGarel-Hogg (Chairman) and Mr. George Edwards (Vice-Chairman)].

To the QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty.

WE, the Grand Master, Deputy Grand Master, and Corresponding Secretary, in the name and on behalf of the Manchester Unity Friendly Society, and pursuant to a resolution unanimously passed at the annual meeting held at Dover, during Whitsun Week, of the representatives then

assembled of the above Society, which Society comprised on the 1st January last upwards of 617,000 adults and 40,000 juvenile members in Great Britain and Ireland, the Channel Islands, and the Colonies, with an accumulated capital of six millions and a half sterling, beg to approach Your Majesty for the purpose of expressing sentiments of devotion and loyalty to Your Majesty's Throne and Person on the occasion of the celebration of the Jubilee of Your Majesty's auspicious reign.

On the 1st of August, 1837, the then Officers of the Manchester Unity presented on Your Majesty's accession to the Throne, an humble address of congratulation, assuring Your Majesty of the loyalty of the then members, and in such address it was stated that this Society was "of a philanthropic and charitable description formed for the relief of its members in sickness and distress, and decent interment on death, that the sole qualification for admission is the possession of a good moral character, no reference whatever being had to the religious or political feelings of the person, so that he be well attached to the Government under which we live."

It is with satisfaction that after a period of fifty years' of Your Majesty's glorious reign we are permitted to assure Your Majesty of the continued loyalty and devotion of the members of this Society.

During that period the increase in the number of members and amount of funds has been exceedingly great, and the usefulness and beneficial effects of the Society have been considerably extended; the amount now expended annually for the objects mentioned in the address above alluded to exceeding £630,000, and such fact, together with the large accumulated capital now possessed by the Society, is evidence of the prudence and thrift existing among the members, and of their desire to elevate themselves in the social scale, and provide for their wives and families in the hour of adversity.

In conclusion, we beg to express a fervent hope that Your Majesty may be blessed with health and happiness, and be spared by Providence for many years to come to reign over a happy and prosperous people.

Dated at Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, this 24th day of June, 1887.

John Rust, Grand Master,

Robt. T. Eastwood, Deputy Grand Master,

Thos. Collins, Corresponding Secretary.

By permission of Your Most Gracious Majesty this Address is presented to Your Majesty in Windsor Castle, by James John Stockall, P.G.M., Proposer of the Resolution, Grand Master of the Society during Your Majesty's Jubilee year.

[Presented by Sir Edward Birkbeck, M.P., Mr. J. Stockall, P.G.M., and Mr. J. Rust, G.M.]

To Her Most Gracious Majesty VICTORIA, QUEEN of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, Your Majesty's loyal and dutiful subjects, the Members of the Executive Council of the Ancient Order of Foresters, a Friendly Society, embracing in the United Kingdom 594,921 subjects of Your Majesty, who are making provision by their own efforts for aid in the time of their affliction, beg most respectfully to offer to Your Most Gracious Majesty, on the part of the Affiliated Friendly Society which we represent, our most sincere congratulations on the auspicious

occasion of the completion of the fiftieth year of Your Majesty's reign.

Among the vast and unparalleled strides in science and art, and the discoveries which have been made during the long duration of Your Majesty's reign, combined with legislative enactments, all tending to the comfort and advancement of Your Majesty's subject, we cannot refrain from including the beneficent agencies of the friendly and other societies in the promotion of thrift and provident habits among the people, and to refer, with pride, to the great progress these societies have made during Your Majesty's reign, and to their influence and power for good, now fully acknowledged, and to the respect in which our own and other friendly societies are held by the legislature of our country and the public generally.

The affiliated friendly societies of the country, including the order we represent, adopt, as a fundamental principle, that the members they admit shall be the healthy and the honest, the temperate and the true; and all members are pledged to be dutiful and affectionate in their domestic relationships, to be good citizens, and loyal and obedient to the laws of the country in which they live.

We fervently pray that the Divine Providence which has heretofore blessed Your Majesty during a long life and reign, may yet spare to Your Majesty many years of health and happiness to preside over our ever-growing Empire, and that Your Majesty may live in the affections of a loyal, contented, and prosperous people.

Signed and Sealed at the Council Chambers of the Order, Carlton Gardens, Kelvin-side, Glasgow, this 21st day of June, in the year of our Lord 1887.

Lawrence Fergie, High Chief Ranger.

John Wright, High Sub-Chief Ranger.

Alexander Howieson, High Court Treasurer

Daniel H. Gerrard, High Court Secretary

Robert M. Inglis, High Court Senior Woodward.

William Cormack, High Court Junior Woodward.

Robert Cunningham, High Court Senior Beadle.

Neil Darroch, High Court Junior Beadle.

Samuel Shawcross, Secretary of the Order.

[Presented by Sir Edward Birkbeck, M.P., and Henry Walter Blake, P.D.C.R., Parliamentary Agent to the Order.]

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To Her Most Gracious Majesty VICTORIA, by the Grace of God QUEEN of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Defender of the Faith.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, Your Majesty's faithful subjects, the Harbour Masters of Great Britain and Ireland, and those associated with them, their trained assistants, the pilots, and other officials on the sea shore, humbly approach Your Majesty's with profound feelings of respect and devotion. We venture to respectfully welcome the opportunity happily afforded by the commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of Your Majesty's beneficent reign, to give expression to our devoted attachment to Your Majesty, and our fervent loyalty to

the Throne, an opportunity which has been embraced with respectful eagerness by the whole of the officials, of every rank, engaged upon the three thousand miles, forming the coast line of Your Majesty's United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

In respectful testimony of this loyal devotion, we humbly solicit Your Majesty's gracious permission to submit to Your Majesty a roll of our names, and a record of our numbers, as shown upon the accompanying chart, as men possessing an intimate knowledge of every portion of Your Majesty's coasts, as well as the set of the tides, currents, inlets, headlands, sandbanks, bars and rivers, who are now, for the first time formally united for a common object, that of expressing their feeling of affectionate attachment to their Queen and Country, and who respectfully tender their services at all times, and more especially in those of difficulty and danger, to preserve a skilled, disciplined, and continuous outlook upon Your Majesty's seaboard.

Should Your Majesty deign to grant our humble prayer, and graciously consent to receive this earnest manifestation of our loyalty and devotion, we ask respectfully that we may be permitted to present it through representatives from England, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, the Channel Islands, and the Isle of Man, each branch of these Your Majesty's dominions ardently desiring to thus testify to their humble attachment and loyalty to Your Majesty's person, and the Throne.

That your Majesty may be long spared to reign over us is the earnest prayer of Your Majesty's most devoted and humble servants.

Here follow the names of the harbour masters, marine staff and pilots at the following ports:—

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| Aberdovey. | Clonakilty, co. Cork. |
| Aberffraw. | Castletown (Isle of Man). |
| Aberystwith. | Charlestown (Cornwall). |
| Amlwch. | Connah's Quay. |
| Anstruther. | Cowes, West, and Newport, Isle of Wight. |
| Ardglass. | Carnarvon. |
| Ardrishaig. | Catterline (Port of Aberdeen). |
| Arklow. | Charlestown (Firth of Forth). |
| Ayr. | Cromarty. |
| Blyth. | Crombie Point. |
| Baltimore, co. Cork. | Clare Castle. |
| Bude. | Dundee. |
| Bridgeness. | Dumfries, N.B. |
| Berwick-on-Tweed. | Dartmouth. |
| Borrowstounness. | Derbyhaven (Isle of Man). |
| Buckie. | Douglas (Isle of Man). |
| Burghhead. | Dover. |
| Bristol. | Dunbar. |
| Burntisland. | Dysart. |
| Balbriggan. | Donaghadee. |
| Blakeney. | Donegal. |
| Ballina. | Dundalk, co. Louth. |
| Bradwell-on-Sea. | Dungarvan. |
| Bridlington. | Dublin. |
| Bangor, co. Down. | Dalbeattie, N.B. |
| Bridport. | Easdale. |
| Brixham. | Emsworth. |
| Bantry. | Exmouth. |
| Broadstairs. | Eyemouth. |
| Belfast. | Falmouth. |
| Burnham. | Fleetwood. |
| Bowling Bay. | Fosdyke Bridge. |
| Burry Port. | Fisherrow. |
| Bridgewater. | |
| Burnham Overy (Norfolk). | |
| Barmouth. | |
| Bideford. | |
| Cardiff. | |

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| Fraserburgh. | Par. |
| Faversham. | Polperro. |
| Fort William (Invernesshire). | Penzance. |
| Granton. | Poole. |
| Goole. | Porthleven. |
| Galway. | Preston. |
| Glasgow. | Porthcawl. |
| Greenock. | Port Talbot. |
| Grangemouth. | Palnackie. |
| Harrington. | Phillip's Harbour (Pentland Firth, N.B.) |
| Harwich. | Pittenween. |
| Hayle. | Portmahomack. |
| Hastings. | Port St. Mary (Isle of Man). |
| Highbridge. | Portaferry. |
| Holyhead. | Peel (Isle of Man). |
| Helmsdale. | Queensborough. |
| Hopeman (Elginshire). | Quoile Quay (co. Down) |
| Howth Harbour (Dublin). | Rosehearty. |
| Hull. | Rye. |
| Jersey, St. Aubins. | Rothsay. |
| Jersey, St. Helier. | Seaham. |
| Ilfracombe. | Sharpness Docks. |
| Inchyra, Perth. | Solva. |
| Irvine. | St. David's. |
| Kennet Pans (Creek of Alloa). | St. Michael's Mount (Cornwall) |
| Kirkcaldy. | St. Monance (Fife-shire). |
| Kircudbright. | Stonehaven. |
| Kirkwall (Orkneys, N.B.). | Scarborough. |
| Kilkeel (co. Down). | Skegness. |
| Killough (co. Down). | Shoreham. |
| Killala (co. Mayo). | Silloth. |
| Kingstown. | Spalding. |
| King's Lynn. | Sutton Bridge. |
| Llanelly. | Scarbster. |
| Londonderry. | Scalloway. |
| Lydney. | Stornoway. |
| Lynne Regis. | Southampton. |
| Largo (co. Fife). | Sligo. |
| Lerwick. | Salcombe. |
| Larne. | Strangford. |
| Lancaster. | Swansea. |
| Limerick. | Tenby. |
| London. | Tarbert. |
| Middlesbrough. | Troon. |
| Margate. | Tobermory (Creek of B., Leith) |
| Maryport. | Weymouth. |
| Morrison's Haven (N. B., Leith) | Wells-next-the-Sea. |
| Mostyn Quay. | West Hartlepool. |
| Minehead. | Whitby. |
| Neath. | Whitehaven. |
| Newhaven. | Whitehills (Banff). |
| Newquay (Cornwall). | Wisbeach. |
| North Sunderland. | Wick. |
| Newport (Mon.). | Wigtown. |
| Newquay (Cardigan). | Warrenpoint (co. Down). |
| Nairn. | Westport (co. Mayo). |
| Oban. | York (Ouse Navigation). |
| Peterhead. | Yarmouth (Isle of Wight). |
| Portsmouth. | |
| Portrush. | |
| Paignton. | |
| Port Dundas (Glasgow). | |

[Presented by Sir George Elliot and Mr. Robert Capper].

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty,
The Humble, Loyal, and Dutiful Address of the
Fishermen of the United Kingdom.
May it please Your Majesty,
WE, Your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful

subjects, representing the Sea Fishing Industry of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, do humbly and most respectfully approach Your Majesty with sincere loyalty, fidelity, and attachment upon the occasion of the completion of the fiftieth year of Your Majesty's most gracious reign.

We gratefully acknowledge the sympathetic solicitude with which Your Majesty has ever regarded the vicissitudes of a class of Your Majesty's most faithful subjects, whose vocation necessitates their almost ceaseless exposure to peril in the work of assisting in furnishing the nation's food supply, and in the privilege of annually saving hundreds of lives from the dangers of the sea.

That Almighty God may ever keep Your Majesty in health, happiness, and safety long to reign over this great Empire, is the humble prayer of Your Majesty's most humble and devoted subjects, the fisherman of the United Kingdom.

*William Crossley Norminton, Fisherman
Admiral, Great Grimsby.*

[Presented by Sir Edward Birkbeck, M.P., Mr. James Patterson, and Mr. William Mornington.]

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

WE, the Chief Constables of Counties, representing the undernamed County Constabulary Forces of England, Wales, and Scotland, humbly approach Your Majesty, and beg permission respectfully to submit our loyal and dutiful congratulations, on the auspicious occasion of the completion of the fiftieth year of Your Glorious Reign.

We earnestly pray, that it may please Almighty God long to spare Your Majesty to the well-being of the vast Empire which has so greatly prospered under Your beneficent rule.

Amyatt, Amyatt, E., Captain, Dorsetshire.

Alison, Charles, Captain, Somersetshire.

Bower, H. J., Major, Yorkshire.

Blandy, A., Lieutenant-Colonel, Berkshire.

Bicknell, P. B., Captain, Lincolnshire.

McCullum, J. D. Kellie, Lieutenant, Northamptonshire.

Carmichael, G. L., Lieutenant-Colonel, Worcestershire.

Christian, H., Vice-Admiral, Gloucestershire.

Calvert, R., Major, Cambridgeshire.

Daniell, Henry, Lieutenant-Colonel, Hertfordshire.

Drummond, G. R. B., Captain, West Sussex.

Drake, J. C. T., Captain, Buckinghamshire.

Dunne, John, Cumberland and Westmoreland.

Ferris, W. B., Major, Isle of Ely.

Forrest, J. H., Captain, Hampshire.

Grimston, R. F. S., Captain, Leicestershire.

Gilbert, W. R., Colonel, C.B., Cornwall.

Hamilton, G. De Courcy, Devonshire.

Holden, Henry, Captain, Nottinghamshire.

Heigham, C. H. J., Major, Suffolk.

Hill, Thomas, Captain, Yorkshire.

Hamersley, J. H., Lieutenant-Colonel, Cheshire.

Josselyn, F., Lieutenant-Colonel, Bedfordshire.

Kinchant, R. H., Warwickshire.

Keep, William, Rutland.

Luxford, G. B., Major, East Sussex.

Moorson, H. M., Lieutenant-Colonel, Lancashire.

Owen, C. Mostyn, Oxfordshire.

Poyntz, W. H., Major, Essex.

Pigott, Paynton, Barrister-at-Law, Norfolk.

Parry, F. J., Captain, Derbyshire.

Rooper, H. Godolphin, Major, Huntingdonshire.

Russell, T. S., Captain, Yorkshire.

Sterne, Robert, Captain, R.N., Wiltshire.

Terry, Herbert, Captain, Northumberland.

Telfer, J. D., Captain, Herefordshire.

White, G. F., Lieutenant-Colonel, Durham.

Best, Thomas W., Major, Merionethshire.

Browne, Peter, Flintshire.

Danily, John, Montgomeryshire.

Herbert, Edmund, Major, Monmouthshire.

Lewis, C. Basset, Cardiganshire.

Lindsay, H. G., Lieutenant-Colonel, Glamorganshire.

Leadbetter, T. J., Major, Denbighshire.

Phillips, William, Carmarthenshire.

Ruck, A. A., Lieutenant-Colonel, Carnarvonshire.

Thomas, W. H., Lieutenant-Colonel, Anglesey.

Wheeldon, J. Thomson, Radnorshire.

Adamson, Robert, Forfarshire.

Borthwick, A., Lieutenant-Colonel, West Lothian.

Bremner, J. F., Fifeshire.

Campbell, Alexander, Stirlingshire.

Cunliffe, Brooke S., Wigtownshire.

Clark, Peter, Kinross-shire.

Davidson, A., Kircudbrightshire.

George, C., Kincardineshire.

McHardy, Charles, Dumbartonshire.

Harding, Charles, Renfrewshire.

McHardy, Hardy, Captain, R.N., Ayrshire.

Haig, David, Banffshire.

Jones, John, Dumfriesshire.

List, George H., Berwickshire and East Lothian.

Mackay, J., Buteshire.

Munro, Donald, Ross and Cromarty.

MacKay, Colin, Argyllshire.

Macpherson, J., Perthshire.

Porter, Alec, Roxburghshire.

Ross, John, Major, Aberdeenshire.

Sinclair, Thomas, Caithness-shire.

White, John, Clackmannanshire.

Watson, David, Peeblesshire.

McHardy, Wallace B., Commander, R.N., Lanarkshire.

Stirling, James, Nairnshire.

Milne, James, Selkirk.

Congreve, W., Captain, Stafford.

Pirie, James, Elgin.

McHardy, A., Inverness-shire.

[Presented by Colonel Daniell, Captain H. McHardy, Major Leadbetter, and Colonel White.]

To Her Most Excellent Majesty VICTORIA,
QUEEN of Great Britain and Ireland.

Madam,

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Joint Committee of Employers and Workmen constituted to regulate wages at the Collieries of Monmouthshire and South Wales, beg leave to offer to Your Majesty our sincere congratulations upon the occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of Your reign.

We desire humbly to submit to Your Majesty that our national greatness mainly depends upon an abundant supply of coal. It is the basis of our manufacturing and commercial prosperity, and upon it depends our maritime success and naval supremacy. The production of the South Wales Coal Field has vastly increased during Your Majesty's reign, and it now yields above twenty-four million tons per annum. Our collieries give employment to about ninety thousand persons, representing a population of more than half a

million persons depending upon the collieries. The earnings of above fifty thousand workmen are regulated by the action of this Joint Committee, and above forty thousand more workmen indirectly governed by its action. The governing principle of its constitution is that the wage-rate should be regulated by the market value of the product of our industry, and be thus based upon the law of supply and demand, and any disputes that may arise are settled by pacific and conciliatory discussions, so that since the establishment of this committee amicable relations have been maintained between capital and labour in South Wales and Monmouthshire, and we have been free from strikes and the attendant evils which have affected other districts and other industries.

The progress which your people have made in all civil and material relations during Your Majesty's auspicious reign is without example in the history of nations.

In no other era has the condition of the working classes been more cared for or more prosperous. They have never been better housed or clothed and never so well fed.

Past time gives no example of such general comfort and happiness.

We owe these blessings to the perfect order which has prevailed in our beloved country during Your Majesty's auspicious reign and to the unparalleled spirit of enterprise which has been fostered by this social comfort and civil stability, and we are sensible that the wisdom and loving kindness of our Sovereign have greatly influenced these beneficent results, and it behoves us to humbly express to Your Majesty our appreciation of these inestimable blessings.

We, as representing the employers and the employed in the principal industry of South Wales and Monmouthshire, desire to express our loyal attachment to Your Majesty, together with our deep and respectful sense of Your eminent virtues.

We most earnestly pray that Your Majesty may, under Divine Providence, be long spared to fulfil the duties of your exalted station, and to knit still more closely the ties of personal attachment which throughout Your Majesty's prosperous reign have so strongly existed between the Crown and the people.

We humbly subscribe ourselves Your Majesty's obedient and dutiful subjects,

W. T. Lewis, Chairman.

[Presented by Sir W. T. Lewis (Chairman), Mr. Abraham, M.P. (Vice-Chairman)].

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, the London Committee of Deputies of the British Jews, representing the several Jewish congregations in the United Kingdom (for ourselves and the said several congregations), and we, the Council of the Anglo-Jewish Association, humbly approach Your Majesty, for the purpose of offering our respectful and heartfelt congratulations on the fiftieth anniversary of your Majesty's Accession to the Throne.

We assure Your Majesty that in the manifestation of loyal affection towards Your Majesty which this auspicious event is evoking from millions of Your subjects in all parts of the world, Your Majesty's subjects professing the Jewish religion, yield to none in the fervour of their loyalty, or in the sincerity of their joy.

By Your Majesty's Constitutional rule, by the simplicity of Your domestic life, by the exemplary

training of Your Royal children, by the purity of Your Court, by Your deep and generous sympathy with all classes of Your subjects, and by Your steadfast efforts to promote their moral and material welfare, Your Majesty has shed a lustre on the roll of British Monarchs, and has greatly advanced the peace, prosperity, and splendour of the Empire.

The British Jews have special cause to rejoice at Your Majesty's Jubilee, for during your Majesty's reign, the disabilities under which they laboured have one by one been removed, and they now fully participate in the civil and political rights enjoyed by the rest of Your Majesty's subjects.

We earnestly pray that Your Majesty's glorious reign may be prolonged, and that You may continue for many years to enjoy the love and gratitude of a happy, prosperous, and contented people, and the admiration and respect of the civilized world.

[Presented by Mr. Arthur Cohen and Sir Julian Goldsmid].

To Her Most Excellent Majesty The QUEEN,
Empress of India.

Most Gracious Sovereign.

WE, your Majesty's Indian subjects, resident in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, beg most humbly to approach Your Majesty's most august person with our most loyal and heartfelt congratulations on the auspicious occasion of the completion of fifty years of Your Gracious Majesty's glorious reign.

Your Gracious Majesty's rule has been a great blessing to India. She has enjoyed the fullest measure of peace and security of life and property—a reality without parallel in her chequered history extending over many centuries. We most humbly beg to assure Your Majesty that the motherly solicitude for the welfare of the almost countless millions of Your Indian people, as expressed in Your Majesty's Gracious Proclamation of 1858, as repeatedly emphasized by the successive Viceroys, and recently on the celebration of the joyous Jubilee in India by His Excellency the Earl of Dufferin in the words: "There is no section of Her subjects whose interest she watches with more loving or affectionate solicitude than your own; that the welfare of the people of India was nearest to the Empress' heart," has endeared Your Majesty to the loyal people of India as no Sovereign has ever before been. On the same occasion the Viceroy has truly said: "The loyalty and devotion of Her subjects to Her Throne and Person have grown more tender and intense. At this moment 200 millions of Her Indian subjects are giving expression to the feelings and sentiments I have described, with a unanimity and spontaneity which I believe would be impossible to parallel in any other country of the world."

The movement of affording female medical aid to the women of India, initiated under Your Majesty's gracious patronage by Her Excellency the Countess of Dufferin, has caused the women of India, though at a distance, to know and love the more their kind Lady-Empress; this movement we trust will not only bring healing to the body but also to the mind, and thereby raise the social condition of India's women.

While the rapid spread of Western Education and Western enlightenment is naturally creating new hopes and aspirations in the minds of our countrymen, it is also unquestionably increasing their loyalty to the Throne, and we sincerely

trust that the time has come, when Your Majesty may be graciously pleased to take Your loyal subjects of India into Your Majesty's Counsel in the administration and legislation of our beloved country. In conclusion, we fervently pray that the Almighty Lord God of all nations will continue to shower His mercy and goodness upon your Majesty and the whole Royal Family; and we hope we may, for many years to come, live and prosper under the maternal protection, and beneficent just and wise rule of Your Most Excellent Majesty.

We are,
Most Gracious Sovereign,
Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects,
Hon. Dadabhai Narooji,

Lakshmi Náráyána, M.R.A.S., E.I.,
President.
And others. Secretary.
[Presented by the Hon. Dadabhai Narooji,
President, Lakshmi Náráyána, Secretary, Latifur
Rahmon.]

May it please Your Majesty, we, the Members of the Provincial Newspaper Society, in annual meeting assembled, respectfully tender our loyal and sincere congratulations upon the attainment of the Jubilee year of Your Majesty's reign.

During the fifty years which have elapsed, since, by God's blessing, Your Majesty succeeded to the Throne of this great Empire, the material prosperity and happiness of Your people have increased to an unparalleled extent.

Amongst the notable achievements in the realms of arts and science, which have so largely contributed to that beneficent result, the remarkable development of the newspaper press will ever stand conspicuous.

This development, however, would have been seriously retarded but for the wise laws passed during Your Majesty's reign, whereby the restrictions which formerly hampered the profession of journalism were removed, and all "taxes on knowledge" were finally abolished.

The diffusion of information resulting from the development of the newspaper press, has, we believe, aided in that great advancement of education which is one "of the most gratifying signs of Your Majesty's reign.

The history of the Provincial Newspaper Society is peculiarly identified with that illustrious epoch, from the fact that its foundation, by a happy coincidence, dates from the year of Your Majesty's accession, and we trust that the influence exercised by this Society has, in some measure, contributed towards the advancement and elevation of a profession which yields to none in its loyalty and attachment to the Throne.

We pray that, by the blessing of Almighty God, this year of Your Majesty's Jubilee may be the commencement of a long period of peace and happiness, in which, cheered by the affection of a grateful people, Your Majesty may continue worthily to reign over a prosperous and contented Empire.

[Presented by Mr. John Lovell (Liverpool),
and Mr. A. F. Sparks (Leeds)].

To the QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

AMONGST the many dutiful Addresses which will be presented to Your Majesty on the occasion of the Jubilee of Your Majesty's reign, we, on behalf of nearly two million young people who are members of Bands of Hope or Juvenile Temperance Societies, unite in offering to Your

Majesty heartfelt congratulations and a humble assurance of loyalty and affection, feeling devoutly thankful to Almighty God that Your Majesty has for so long a period presided over the interests of the British nation, not only for the good of that nation itself, but for the lasting benefit of the world.

We rejoice that from the early age at which by the Providence of God, Your Majesty was called to the Throne of this great Empire, Your Majesty has ever by earnest piety, noble courage, lofty aspirations and womanly virtue, called forth the love and gratitude of the people over whom Your Majesty has so graciously exercised the manifold duties of Sovereign, and in whose moral and spiritual welfare Your Majesty has on all occasions shown the deepest and most earnest concern.

We especially rejoice in the marked diminution of intemperance which has taken place during Your Majesty's reign, and regard with thankfulness the sympathy which is now manifested in all works conducing to strict sobriety, a result undoubtedly brought about by the efforts which have been made during the past forty years to impart temperance teaching to young people, a work which Your Majesty's gracious personal character has done so much to advance.

We believe Your Majesty will be graciously pleased to learn that Bands of Hope, which were originated by a lady, and in the management of which women still largely take part, have the two-fold aim of inculcating in young people the principle of total abstinence from the use of intoxicating drinks, and the promotion of habits of truth, self-control, and thrift, thereby conducing to the good citizenship of Your Majesty's loyal subjects.

We humbly pray that in happiness, health, and peace, amidst the continued love, honour, and admiration of the people of this country and of the world, and under the choicest benedictions of Heaven, Your Majesty's life and reign may long be preserved, and that the Throne of this Empire may ever rest upon true religion—the sure foundation of a nation's security, power, and lasting happiness.

George Williams, President, United Kingdom Band of Hope Union.

Stephen Shirley, Chairman.

Ebenezer Clarke, Treasurer.

Charles Wakely, } Secretaries.
Frederic Smith, }

[Presented by Mr. George Williams (President),
and Mr. Stephen Shirley (Chairman)].

(PLEURO-PNEUMONIA.)

AT the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 9th day of July, 1887.

By Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

THE Lords and others of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Acts, 1878 to 1886, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. The Area described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby declared to be an Area infected with pleuro-pneumonia.

2. This Order shall take effect from and immediately after the eleventh day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

C. L. Peel.

SCHEDULE.

An Area at Restalrig, in the county of Edinburgh, comprised within the following boundaries, that is to say, on the north and north-west by Thomas Blaikie's Market Gardens and the Lochend Meadows, on the east by Thomas Blaikie's Market Gardens, on the west by Lochend Meadows, and on the south by Peter Macgregor's tenement known as the Vennel or Turnpike Stair and also by the Churchyard.

Foreign Office, July 11, 1887.

ON the 2nd July, 1887, Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs gave notice to the Spanish Minister at this Court, in accordance with the terms of Article 13 of the Copyright Convention between Great Britain and Spain of the 11th of August, 1880, that the said Convention, together with the Declaration of the same date attached thereto, will terminate on the 2nd January, 1888.

The said notice has been acknowledged by the Spanish Minister, and the Convention and Declaration will accordingly terminate on that date.

Whitehall, July 11, 1887.

THE Queen has been pleased to declare and ordain that His Serene Highness Francis Paul Charles Louis Alexander, Duke of Teck, shall henceforth, upon all occasions whatsoever, be styled and called "His Highness" before his name and such titles as now do, or hereafter may, belong to him :

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, July 11, 1887.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Thomas Lucas, of Ashtead Park, in the parish of Ashtead, in the county of Surrey, and of Lowestoft, in the county of Suffolk, Esq., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

Windsor Castle, June 23, 1887.

THE Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Henry Lunnon Simpson, Esq., Mayor of Windsor.

Downing Street, July 11, 1887.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Sir George William Des Voeux, K.C.M.G. (Governor of Newfoundland), to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Hong Kong and its Dependencies.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Henry Arthur Blake, Esq., C.M.G. (Governor of the Bahama Islands), to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Island of Newfoundland and its Dependencies.

Her Majesty has further been pleased to appoint Sir Ambrose Shea, K.C.M.G., to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Bahama Islands.

Windsor Castle, July 11, 1887.

HER Royal Highness the Princess Beatrice, Princess Henry of Battenberg, has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel John Clerk to be Treasurer to Her Royal Highness, in the room of Major Sir Fleetwood Isham Edwards, K.C.B., resigned.

*Education Department, Whitehall,
July 8, 1887.*

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued an order this day for the compulsory formation of a School Board in the undermentioned Parish :—

Little Ilford Essex

Crown Office, July 9, 1887.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Paddington.—North Division.
John Aird, Esq., in the place of Lionel Louis Cohen, Esq., deceased.

July 11.

County of Cornwall.

Western or St. Ives Division.

Thomas Bedford Bolitho, Esq., in the place of Sir John St. Aubyn, Bart., called up to the House of Peers.

City of Coventry.

William Henry Walter Ballantine, Esq., in the place of Henry William Eaton, Esq., who has accepted the office of Steward or Bailiff of the Manor of Northstead.

(H. 5034.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, July 9, 1887.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs the following copy of a Telegram, dated 8th instant, from Her Majesty's Representative at Lisbon :—
"Ports of Chili free from cholera."

(H. 5049.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, July 11, 1887.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs the following copy of a Telegram, dated 9th instant, from Her Majesty's Representative at Lisbon :—
"Catania declared to be infected with cholera from July 1st. All other ports of Sicily suspected."

Admiralty, 8th July, 1887.

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

Admiral the Honourable Fitzgerald Algernon Charles Foley has been placed on the Retired List of his rank. Dated 7th July, 1887.

*Royal Naval Artillery Volunteers.
Bristol Brigade.*

Evan Francis Daniel, Esq., to be Honorary Lieutenant. Dated 8th July, 1887.

Admiralty, 9th July, 1887.

Chaplain and Naval Instructor the Reverend Samuel Ward Payne, LL.D., has been placed on the Retired List of his rank. Dated 3rd July, 1887.

War Office, Pall Mall,

12th July, 1887.

4th Dragoon Guards, Major Mervyn C. S. Tynte retires on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 13th July, 1887.

Scots Guards, Lieutenant Charles Crutchley to be Captain, vice A. C. Knollys, retired. Dated 29th June, 1887.

Lieutenant George Cosmo Abercromby to be Captain, vice C. Crutchley, seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 29th June, 1887.

REGIMENTAL DISTRICT.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Robert Bennett, having completed five years' service in command of the 27th Regimental District (the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers) is placed on half-pay. Dated 12th July, 1887.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Lieutenant Henry Denne Robson to be Captain, vice W. S. Burrell, seconded. Dated 30th May, 1887.

The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Lieutenant David C. Adrian Andrew has been seconded for service with the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 17th April, 1887.

The Lincolnshire Regiment, Lieutenant Percy F. B. Newbury, to be Captain, vice W. H. Longfield, retired. Dated 18th June, 1887.

The Devonshire Regiment, The undermentioned Lieutenants have been seconded for service with the Indian Staff Corps—

Allen McConaghey. Dated 18th April, 1887.

Henry Hinton Dunlop. Dated 22nd February, 1887.

The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), Lieutenant Henry Wilson Lovett to be Captain, to complete Establishment, in succession to Colonel W. K. Leet, V.C., retired. Dated 1st May, 1887.

The Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), Lieutenant A. McIver Campbell has been seconded for service with the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 7th April, 1887.

The East Yorkshire Regiment, Lieutenant George Stanley Frazer has been seconded for service with the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 6th March, 1887.

The Leicestershire Regiment, Lieutenant Owen James Obbard has been seconded for service with the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 22nd March, 1887.

The Royal Scots Fusiliers, Supernumerary Major W. Andrew Yule to be Major, vice J. Stevenson, promoted Lieutenant-Colonel on half-pay. Dated 1st June, 1887.

Supernumerary Captain Charles Frederick Lindsell to be Captain, in succession to Major W. A. Yule, who holds an extra Regimental appointment. Dated 6th June, 1887.

The Cheshire Regiment, Captain Owen E. M. Davies has been seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 19th April, 1887.

Supernumerary Lieutenant William Frederick White, who has ceased to be a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant, vice F. T. C. Hughes, seconded. Dated 15th July, 1887.

The Gloucestershire Regiment, Lieutenant George Arthur Hawkins has been seconded for service with the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 9th March, 1887.

The East Lancashire Regiment, Lieutenant Carleton Haynes to be Captain, vice C. R. M. O'Brien, seconded for service as Adjutant of the Moulmein Rifle Volunteer Corps. Dated 28th May, 1887.

The South Staffordshire Regiment, Lieutenant George Hearn has been seconded for service with the Ordnance Store Department. Dated 15th May, 1887.

The Dorsetshire Regiment, Lieutenant Gregory S. Haines to be Captain, vice C. H. Law, seconded. Dated 16th June, 1887.

The Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment), Major Edmund Whitehead retires on full-pay, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 13th July, 1887.

Lieutenant George B. Pouden has been seconded for service with the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 30th April, 1887.

The Welsh Regiment, Captain Fitzroy S. L. Penno to be Adjutant, vice Captain A. R. Reade, who vacates that appointment. Dated 4th August, 1887.

Lieutenant Julius H. Goodwyn to be Captain, in succession to Colonel S. W. Rawlins, placed on half-pay. Dated 4th June, 1887.

The Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Lieutenant Robert Fanshawe to be Adjutant, vice Captain W. H. Odell, who has completed his period of service in that appointment. Dated 1st July, 1887.

The Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), Lieutenant Charles B. Rawlinson has been seconded for service with the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 6th April, 1887.

The Northamptonshire Regiment, The undermentioned Lieutenants have been seconded for service with the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 22nd April, 1887:—

Arthur B. H. Drew.

Henry Lowther.

The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), Lieutenant Charles Riversdale Elliot has been seconded for service with the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 16th March, 1887.

Supernumerary Lieutenant Wallace Nelson, who has ceased to be a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant, vice C. R. Elliot. Dated 13th July, 1887.

The Royal Munster Fusiliers, Captain Hubert H. Spitta has been placed on temporary half-pay, on account of ill-health. Dated July 3rd, 1887.

School of Gunnery, Captain W. E. Blewitt, Royal Artillery, to be an Instructor, vice Major C. Russell, Royal Artillery, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 5th July, 1887.

Commissariat and Transport Staff, The second Christian name of Deputy Commissary-General, with the honorary rank of Colonel, Alexander Williams Anderson, is as now stated, and not as described in the Gazette of 17th June 1887.

Deputy Assistant Commissary-General, with the honorary rank of Captain, Lewis Anstruther Hope to be Assistant Commissary-General, with the honorary rank of Major, vice A. W. Anderson, promoted. Dated 17th June, 1887.

Medical Staff, Surgeon-General John Hendley, C.B., has been granted retired pay. Dated 21st June, 1887.

Surgeon-Major Isaac Hoysted, F.R.C.S.I., has been granted retired pay, with the honorary rank of Brigade-Surgeon. Dated 20th June, 1887.

Ordnance Store Department, Lieutenant G. Hearn, South Staffordshire Regiment, to be a Deputy Assistant Commissary-General of Ordnance on probation, with the temporary rank of Captain in the Army. Dated 15th February, 1887.

MEMORANDA.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel William Stewart Richardson, C.B., half-pay, has been placed on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 30th June, 1887.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Masterman Thompson, half-pay, retires on full-pay, with the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 13th July, 1887.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Keough, the Suffolk Regiment, to be Colonel. Dated 14th July, 1887.

Deputy Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant James Burns, Bengal Establishment, has been granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 3rd April, 1887.

The undermentioned Deputy Assistant-Commissaries, Bengal Establishment, have been granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 3rd April, 1887:—

Patrick M. O'Loughlen.
Patrick Regan.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Colonel James Clephane Minto, Bengal Staff Corps, has been transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 24th June, 1887.

RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Captain D. M. Scott resigns his Commission. Dated 13th July, 1887.

Lieutenant E. G. F. Tytler resigns his Commission. Dated 13th July, 1887.

GENERAL ORDER of the Local Government Board: Altering General Consolidated Order as to Instruction of Children:—

Wolverhampton Union.

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Wolverhampton Union, in the county of Stafford;—
And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Poor Law Commissioners, by a General Order dated the 24th day of July, 1847, addressed, among others, to the Guardians of the Poor of the said Wolverhampton Union, prescribed Regulations in regard to the government of the Workhouse or Workhouses of that Union, and by Article 114 of that Order provision was made for the instruction of the boys and girls who might be inmates of any such Workhouse:

And whereas it is expedient that the said Article 114 should be rescinded as regards the said Wolverhampton Union, and other provisions substituted in lieu thereof:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf, hereby rescind Article 114 of the above-cited General Order so far as regards the said Wolverhampton Union, and We Order that the following provisions shall be substituted in lieu thereof:

ART. 114.—Except when the Guardians shall direct the School to be closed for holidays, the children who have attained the age of five years shall be instructed during at least eighteen hours in every week in reading, writing, and arithmetic, and the principles of the Christian religion, and such other instruction shall be imparted to them as may fit them for service and train them to habits of usefulness, industry, and virtue. The regulations in force for the time being prescribing what attendance at a Workhouse School shall be

deemed to be an attendance for the purpose of the First Schedule to the Elementary Education Act, 1876, shall apply to the children in the School.

Provided, as follows:—

1. If the Guardians shall so direct, any child above the age of thirteen years who is in good health, and has been duly certified to have reached the Fourth Standard of the Code of 1876, or any higher Standard may be employed upon works of industry for not more than seven hours in each week day. Any such child shall, however, be required to attend the classes for intellectual instruction during three half-days in each week, with a view of ensuring that the proficiency which the child has reached is maintained; except that if the Guardians shall so direct, any such child who has been out to service and has returned to the Workhouse may be employed wholly upon works of industry, without being required to attend the classes for intellectual instruction.

2. Nothing in this Article shall be deemed to relieve the Guardians or any child from any duty or liability imposed by the Elementary Education Acts, or by any Bye-laws made under those Acts and in force in the School District in which the Workhouse is situate.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this seventh day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.



Chas. T. Ritchie,
President.

S. B. Provis, Assistant Secretary.

Civil Service Commission, July 12, 1887.

THE following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names:—

July 7, 1887.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

British Museum: *Boy Attendant*, Alfred Cecil Wray.

Prison Department, England: *Assistant Matron*, Sarah Ann Prior.

Post Office: *Sorters, London*, Frank Herbert Higgs, Richard Quinton Johnson, Edward John Charles Brown, John Gray, Tudor John Thomson, Henry Williams, George Fletcher Cole.

Postmen, London, William Henry Hookins, John Henry Mexter, John Frederick Witcher.
Sorter, Dublin, Thomas Joseph White.

Skilled Linemen, George Hollington otherwise George Shuker, John Reilly.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Edward John Hammond (Shrewsbury), Frederick Walter Eveleigh (Exeter), Emily Dale (Brighouse), Lewis George Furse (Barnstaple), James Barnes (Bolton).

Postman, Holbeach, Mason Thompson, otherwise Mason Thompson Mayes.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY MESSENGER.
Boy Messenger, Arthur Kirton Jenkins.

July 8, 1887.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: *Female Clerks, London*, Mary Sarah Love, Emma Selby Walford.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prison Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I, Edward Bennington.

Post Office: Sorters, London, Walter Herbert Oliver, Edward Robert Pease, Alfred Skerritt, James Sharp.

Postmen, London, George Cooke Collison, William Moses.

Skilled Lineman, Thomas, otherwise John Thomas, Stockton.

Sorting Clerk and Telegraph Learner, Forfar, William Simpson Findlay.

Postmen, Alexander Mutch (Huntly), Arthur Wright (Guernsey), John Stubbs (Wymondham), William Hannan (Belfast), Martin O'Keeffe (Cork), James Rose (Rochester), James Apperley (Gloucester), Thomas Jarrett Morgan (Gloucester), Arthur Edward Ravenhill (Bristol).

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY MESSENGER.
Boy Messenger, Henry John Bazin.

July 9, 1887.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Telegraph Learner, London, Sarah Lily Mitchell.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prison Department, England: Subordinate Officers, Division I, Francis Tyler, John Henry Dracup.

Post Office: Skilled Telegraphist, London, Nehemiah Harrison.

Postmen, London, Edward Henry Green, Alfred Henry Key, Harry William Batchelor.

Sorter, Dublin, Patrick Long.

Postmen, Thomas Barclay Ferguson (Kirkcaldy), William Manfred Christopher James Thom (Gloucester).

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY MESSENGERS.
Boy Messengers, Henry Lewis Burt, Thomas Edward Turner.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 175 of the year 1887.)

CHINA SEA.—GULF OF SIAM.—EAST SHORE.

(1.) *Shoal Northward of Koh Tron (Koh Dud).*
INFORMATION has been received, dated 7th June, 1887, on the authority of the Commander of the French vessel "Loire-Inférieure," of the existence of a shoal lying about one and a-half miles northward of Koh Tron (Koh Dud), east shore of the Gulf of Siam:—

This shoal, on which the "Loire-Inférieure" struck at 7h. 30m. a.m., on 24th April, 1887, has over it a depth of eleven feet, and lies with the following bearings and distance:—

Flat Peak (Middle Island), S. 84° W.

Gunung Kwala Peak, S. 3° E., distant 2½ miles.

Position, lat. 10° 28¼' N., long. 103° 58½' E.

SULU OR MINDORO SEA.—BORNEO.—NORTH-EAST COAST.

(2.) *Shoal Reported Eastward of Marchesa Bay.*
Information has been received from Lord Brassey, that on 9th April, 1887, while proceeding in the yacht "Sunbeam," along the north-east coast of Borneo, the vessel, drawing 13 feet, touched on a coral patch, situated eastward of Marchesa Bay in latitude 6° 40' N., longitude 117° 52' E.

[The bearings are magnetic. Variation 3¼° Easterly in 1887.]

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
29th June, 1887.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Gulf of Siam, No. 2414 (1); Bay Island to Pulo Obi, No. 2723 (1); China Sea, southern portion, No. 2660b (2); Palawan Island, No. 967 (2); Sulu Archipelago, No. 2576 (2); Gaya Bay to Sandakan Harbour, No. 287 (2); and China Sea Directory, Vol. II, 1879, page 313.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 176 of the year 1887.)

NORTH SEA—GERMAN COAST.

(1.) *Light Buoy in Jade River Entrance.*

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 104, of 30th April, 1887, on an experimental buoy, lighted by gas, having been placed north-westward of Jappen Sand, near Wilhelmshaven, Jade River:—

The German Government has given further notice, dated 4th June, 1887, that the light-buoy has now been placed in the position hitherto occupied by No. 3 Channel Buoy, Jade River Entrance.

The light is an occulting white light, showing flashes of three seconds' duration, separated by eclipses of six seconds. It should be visible in clear weather from a distance of 3 miles.

The buoy, conical in shape and painted black, with $\frac{3}{16}$ on its side, is moored in a depth of 5½ fathoms, with the following bearings and distance:—

Minsener Old Oog Beacon, S. 30° E., distant 3½ miles.

Wangeroo Lighthouse, S. 62° W.

NORWAY.

(2.) *Regulations Regarding Pilot Vessels.*

Information has been received, that the following alteration has been made in Article IX of the Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, on the Coasts of Norway:—

Pilot vessels cruising off the coasts of Norway, for pilotage purposes, are not obliged to carry a white light at the masthead visible all round the horizon, but must exhibit a flare-up light at intervals of not more than fifteen minutes; also, on the approach of any vessel, a bright white light, visible all round the horizon, must be shown in sufficient time to prevent collision.

GULF OF FINLAND.

(3.) *Revel Port—Red Light on Breakwater.*

The Russian Government has given notice, that a light is exhibited from the extremity of the Breakwater, near the new Naval Harbour, Revel Road:—

The light is a fixed red light, elevated 14 feet above the sea.

Approximate position, lat. 59° 27¼' N., long. 24° 48' E.

(4.) *Intended Re-exhibition of Lights.*

Also, has given notice, that the undermentioned lights in the Gulf of Finland, and entrance to the Gulf of Bothnia, will shortly be re-exhibited:—

1. The lights near the inner channels of Aspö; in the fairway of Gustavsverd, at Kobbak (Kobbaklintarne), and near Led Sound and Nyhamin, will be re-exhibited on 20th July, 1887.

2. All other lights which were exhibited during the spring of 1887, and discontinued on 20th May, will be re-exhibited on 1st August, 1887.

[The bearings are magnetic. Variation 13½° Westerly in 1887.]

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
30th June, 1887.

This Notice affects (4 temporarily), the following Admiralty Charts:—Elbe, Weser, and Jade Rivers, No. 1875 (1); Revel Roadstead, with plan of Revel Harbours, No. 2227 (3); Hango Head to South Quarken, No. 2297 (4); plan of Led Sound, No. 2356 (4). Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the North Sea, &c., 1887, page 86, No. 490*b*, page 94; North Sea Pilot, Part IV, 1887, page 212; Norway Pilot, Part I, 1854; Norway Pilot, Part II, 1880; Sailing Directions for the Baltic Sea and Gulf of Finland, 1854, pages 75–78, 116; and Bothnia Pilot, 1855, pages 85–88.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 177 of the year 1887.)

MEDITERRANEAN—ADRIATIC.—DALMATIA.

Narenta River Entrance—Alterations in Lights.

THE Austrian Government has given notice, dated 24th May, 1887, that the following alterations have been made in the light exhibited on the Eastern Mole Head, Narenta River Entrance, and that the light on the Western Mole Head is discontinued:—

The Eastern Mole Head Light is a fixed light, showing red over Narenta Channel through an arc of 136°, or from the bearing of N. 13° W. to S. 57° E. approximately, leading clear of all shoals near the entrance of the river; and white in other directions towards the river, indicating the limits of shoals and sand banks. It is elevated 34 feet above the sea, 27 feet above the ground, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of six miles.

From information recently received, the Eastern Mole Head is situated about one cable W. $\frac{1}{2}$ N. of the position hitherto charted. The extremity of the shoal ground north-westward of the river entrance is now marked by a beacon, from which the Eastern Mole Lighthouse bears S. 57° E., distant one mile.

NOTE.—The day marks at Narenta River Entrance are as heretofore, viz.:—

On the Eastern Mole Head.—A shed surmounted by a framework and cone (point downwards), the whole painted green.

On the Western Mole Head.—A shed surmounted by a framework and ball (two discs crosswise), the whole painted red.

[The bearings are magnetic, and are given from seaward. Variation 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ ° Westerly in 1887.]

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
1st July, 1887.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Plan:—Approaches to Stagno Piccolo and Klek Bay, on Sheet of Plans, No. 1582. Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the Mediterranean, 1887, No. 519*d*; and Mediterranean Pilot, Vol. III, 1880, pages 192, 193.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 178 of the year 1887.)

ENGLAND—WEST COAST.

(1.) *Cardigan Bay—Flashing Light at Dovey River Entrance.*

INFORMATION has been received through the Trinity House, London, that a light is exhibited from a lighthouse recently erected on Nantygweithiwh, near Mynydd Buchan, north side of Dovey River Entrance:—

The light is a flashing white light, showing a flash every five seconds. It is visible seaward from the bearing of E. by N. $\frac{3}{4}$ N. to S.E. $\frac{1}{2}$ E.,

and should be seen in clear weather from a distance of 12 miles.

The lighthouse is situated with the following bearing and distance:—

Aberdovey Church, S. 54° E., distant 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ cables.

Position, lat. 52° 33 $\frac{1}{4}$ ' N., long. 4° 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ ' W.

(2.) *River Dee—Red Lights on Railway Bridge.*

Information has been received that the under-mentioned lights will be exhibited during the construction of the railway bridge over the River Dee, about one mile above Connah Quay, St. Mark:—

1. A fixed red light, visible up and down the river, will be exhibited from the extremity of the staging projecting from the south bank into the middle of the river.

2. Two fixed red lights will be exhibited from the staging on the north side of the river; one from the eastern extremity showing up the river, and one from the western extremity showing down the river.

[The bearings are magnetic, and those concerning the visibility of the light are given from seaward. Variation 19 $\frac{3}{4}$ ° Westerly in 1887.]

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,

5th July, 1887.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—New Quay to Holyhead, No. 1411 (1); Aberdovey Harbour, on sheet of plans, No. 1487 (1); Holyhead to Liverpool, eastern sheet, No. 1170*b* (2). Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the British Islands, 1887, pages 50, 46; and Sailing Directions for the West Coast of England, 1884, pages 46, 121, 130.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 179 of the year 1887.)

ENGLAND—SOUTH COAST.—SPITHEAD.

Regulations in Connection with Naval Review.

THE Naval Commander-in-Chief at Portsmouth has, on behalf of the Admiralty, issued the following regulations to be observed by all vessels at Spithead and in its vicinity on the occasion of the Naval Review to be held on 23rd July, 1887:—

1. In order to reduce as far as possible the chances of collision, the Directors of Steamship Companies, owners of steam vessels, yachts, &c., are earnestly requested to give directions to the masters of their ships to follow closely the instructions herein laid down, and to pay implicit attention to the requests of the officers of the patrol tugs and boats, who will be specially charged with the duty of keeping clear the review ground.

2. The speed of steam vessels when within the columns is to be limited to five knots.

3. Her Majesty's ships conveying visitors, &c., will burn the best Welsh coal; all steam vessels present are requested to take the same precautionary measure, so that smoke may not obstruct the view of the fleet nor cause danger of collision. Vessels neglecting to follow this rule will be removed to a distance.

4. Previous to the hour fixed for the Review, private steam vessels, steam yachts and sailing vessels are to be permitted to pass between the columns under the following regulations:—

5. Up to 11 A.M., no special restrictions are necessary.

6. From 11 A.M. to 1 P.M., and again after Her Majesty has left, the course of vessels through the different columns of men of war, is to be as follows:—

North of the northern column of the large ships composing the squadrons, and between them and the flotillas of small ships, from west to east.

Between the columns of large ships composing the squadrons, from east to west.

South of the southern column of the large ships composing the squadrons, and between them and the line of troop ships, from west to east.

Vessels in each case are, on arriving at the end of the column, to turn to the southward.

Vessels wishing to make a second tour of the columns, are to proceed to the south of the troop ships' line, and re-enter the lines as above.

7. After one P.M. (on a signal gun being fired from H.M.S. "Inflexible"), no private steam vessel is to enter the Review ground, and all sailing vessels and boats are to be clear of the lines by the same time.

8. The Review ground is considered to be the space included by a line drawn round the men of war at anchor, including the line of troop-ships, at the distance of about two cables from the outermost ships.

The approaches to the Review ground from Cowes, south of the Ryde Middle, and from the south-eastward as far as the line joining the Horse and Norman Forts, are also to be kept clear of vessels and boats, to enable the procession of Royal yachts to pass.

9. The anchorage between the limits of lines drawn S.W. by S. from East and West Sturbridge Buoys will be reserved for steam vessels that are on the special Admiralty List. All other large merchant steam vessels are to anchor between the East Sturbridge Buoy and the Norman Fort, keeping within the limits shown on the plan of the Review published by the Admiralty, and to be had of all sellers of Admiralty Charts.

10. Small vessels must anchor upon or close to the Mother Bank, Ryde Middle, Horse and Dean Sands.

11. During the time Her Majesty is reviewing the Fleet, no steam vessel, sailing vessel, or boat, will be permitted to cross the lines of the ships of war, nor pass between the columns, nor to occupy any part of the Fairway Channel, south of Ryde Middle, between Cowes and the western limit of the Fleet, nor of the main channel between Spithead and St. Helen's Road.

No vessel will be permitted to follow the procession of Royal yachts.

12. Vessels desiring to see the illuminations should be in their positions by 8.30 P.M.

13. During or after the illumination of the Fleet on the evening of the 23rd July, special care must be taken that no vessel anchors to the eastward of the Fleet in the approach to the harbour channel or in any part of the channel itself.

14. Great caution is to be observed by the smaller vessels and sailing craft entering the main channel to Portsmouth Harbour from the Swashway.

NOTE.—Nothing in this notice is to be construed as absolving vessels from closely observing the provisions of the "Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea."

By command of their Lordships,
W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
5th July, 1887.

This Notice has reference to the Admiralty Plan of the Position of the Fleet at Spithead on 23rd July, 1887.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 180 of the year 1887.)

ENGLAND—SOUTH COAST—SPITHEAD.
Temporary Buoys in Connection with Naval Review.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on 11th July, 1887, and subsequently, small buoys will be moored at Spithead, to mark the proposed positions of Her Majesty's vessels forming the Fleet for the Naval Review which will take place on the 23rd July, 1887.

Mariners are therefore cautioned to be on their guard when navigating these waters, especially at night, in order not to foul these buoys, which will be removed after the Review.

By command of their Lordships,
W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
7th July, 1887.

This Notice has reference to the Admiralty Plan of the Position of the Fleet at Spithead on 23rd July, 1887.

INCOME TAX.

WHEREAS it has become necessary to renew the lists of persons to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners appointed to act in the division of Whitby Strand, in the North Riding of the county of York, as Commissioners for the general purposes of the Acts of Parliament for granting to Her Majesty duties on profits arising from property, professions, trades, and offices; Now we, two of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, in pursuance of the powers vested in us in that behalf, do hereby convene a meeting of the Land Tax Commissioners for the county aforesaid, being respectively qualified to act as such Commissioners, to be holden at the Tax Office, Grape-lane, Whitby, on Wednesday, the 13th day of July, 1887, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of choosing fit and proper persons to be Commissioners to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners for the general purposes of the Income Tax for the division of Whitby Strand aforesaid.

Chas. Keith-Falconer.
F. L. Robinson.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House,
London, July 11, 1887.

Registration of Births and Deaths.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of the provisions of the twenty-first section of an Act passed in the thirty-eighth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Births and Deaths Registration Act, 1874," I, Sir Brydges Powell Henniker, Bart., Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in England, have, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, ordered and declared that on and after the 1st day of August next, the parishes in the Shipston-on-Stour District shall be re-arranged into three Sub-Districts, viz.:—The "Blockley" Sub-District, comprising the parishes of Admington, Blockley, Bourton, Campden, Clopton, Ebrington, Hidcote, Mickleton, Quinton, and Stretton-on-Fosse; the "Shipston-on-Stour" Sub-District, comprising the parishes of Barcheston, Batsford, Burmington, Cherrington, Lower Lemington, Moreton, Shipston, Stourton, Sutton, Tidmington, Todenham, Whichford, Walford Great, and Walford Little; and the "Halford" Sub-District, comprising the parishes of Brailes, Butlers Marston, Compton Wyniates, Halford, Honington, Idlicote, Ilmington, Oxhill, Pillerton Hersey,

Pillerton Priors, Tredington, Tysoe, and Whatcote.—Witness my hand this 8th day of July, 1887.

Brydges P. Henniker, Registrar-General.
General Register Office,
Somerset House, London.

Registration of Births and Deaths.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of the provisions of the twenty-first section of an Act passed in the thirty-eighth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Births and Deaths Registration Act, 1874," I, Sir Brydges Powell Henniker, Bart., Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in England, have, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, ordered and declared that on and after the 1st day of August next, the parishes in the Docking District shall be re-arranged into two Sub-Districts, viz.:—The "Burnham" Sub-District, comprising the parishes of Waterden, South Creake, North Creake, Burnham Thorpe, Burnham Sutton-cum-Burnham Ulph, Burnham Westgate, Burnham Overy, Burnham Norton, Burnham Deepdale, Brancaster, Stanhoe, Barwick, Barmer, Bagthorpe, Syderstone, East Rudham, Broomsthorpe West Rudham, and New Houghton; and the "Snettisham" Sub-District, comprising the parishes of Titchwell, Choseley, Thornham, Holme - next - the - Sea, Hunstanton-with-Barrett Ringstead, Ringstead St. Peter and St. Andrew or Great Ringstead, Heacham, Sedgford, Snettisham, Ingoldisthorpe, Dersingham, Sherborne, Anmer, Great Bircham, Bircham, Bircham Tofts, Bircham Newton, Fring, and Docking.—Witness my hand this 8th day of July, 1887.

Brydges P. Henniker, Registrar-General.
General Register Office,
Somerset House, London.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Saint Gabriel's and Saint Raphael's Church and Sacristy, situate at Tonypany, in the parish of Ystradyfodwg, in the county of Glamorgan, in the district of Pontypridd, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 20th day of June, 1887, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.—Witness my hand this 23rd day of June, 1887.

G. Spickett, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Christian Lay Church, situate at Church-street, Spennymoor, in the parish of Whitworth, in the county of Durham, in the district of Auckland, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 1st day of July, 1887, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.—Witness my hand this 2nd day of July, 1887.

Thomas Dean, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Elm-road Baptist Chapel, situate at the corner of the Elm-road, Penge-road, in the parish of Beckenham, in the county of Kent, in the district of Bromley, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 15th day of June, 1887, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the 18th section of the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.—Witness my hand this 4th day of July, 1887.

R. Gordon Mullen, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on the 8th day of July, 1887, the Chief Registrar signed an award for the dissolution of the Moilliet's Arms Inn Mutual Investment and Loan Society, Register No. 2244, held at Moilliet's Arms Inn, Cranford-street, Smethwick, in the county of Stafford, and that such Society is thereby dissolved, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears, proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Society, to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

J. M. Ludlow, Chief Registrar.
28, Abingdon-street, Westminster.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on the 9th day of July, 1887, the Chief Registrar signed an award for the dissolution of the Rose of England Friendly Society, Register No. 447, held at the Crown Inn, Gilmorton, in the county of Leicester, and that such Society is thereby dissolved, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears, proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Society, to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

J. M. Ludlow, Chief Registrar.
28, Abingdon-street, Westminster.

Highgate Archway Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of the 4th section of the Act of the 47th year of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria (1884), chapter 21 (Local), intituled "An Act for the winding up of the affairs and the dissolution of the Highgate Archway Company" (commonly designated 'the Highgate Archway Act, 1884') that all the debts, liabilities, and engagements of the said Highgate Archway Company have been paid, satisfied, or discharged, and that their net surplus moneys have been distributed in accordance with the said Act, and that their affairs are wound up.—Dated this 8th day of July, 1887.

E. A. Paterson, 55, Fellows-road, Haverstock Hill, London, N.W., Clerk and Solicitor to the said Company.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division. In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Derby and Derbyshire Newspaper Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, was, on the 8th day of July, 1887, presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by the New Oriental Bank Corporation Limited, creditors of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before Mr. Justice Kay, on Saturday, the 23rd day of July, 1887; 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 said 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 the 9th day of July, 1887.

Hollams, Son, and Coward, Mincing-lane, E.C., Solicitors for the Petitioners.

AVERAGE PRICE of Wheat, Barley, and Oats per Quarter (Imperial Measure), as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise at each of the undermentioned Towns during the week ended Saturday, the 9th July, 1887.

| Towns. | Wheat. | | Barley. | | Oats. | |
|-----------------------------|--------|----|---------|----|-------|-------|
| | s. | d. | s. | d. | s. | d. |
| London ... | 34 | 3 | 21 | 7 | 17 | 10 |
| Uxbridge ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Chelmsford ... | 34 | 9 | | | | |
| Colchester ... | 35 | 3 | | | | |
| Romford ... | 36 | 6 | | | | |
| Maldon ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Saffron Walden ... | 32 | 2 | | | 14 | 6 |
| Braintree ... | 34 | 5 | | | 18 | 6 |
| Hertford .. | 33 | 8 | | | | |
| Royston (Herts.) ... | 34 | 0 | | | | |
| Hitchin ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Bishop's Stortford ... | 33 | 7 | | | | |
| Aylesbury ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Newport Pagnell ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Oxford ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Banbury ... | 32 | 3 | | | | |
| Bicester ... | 31 | 0 | | | | |
| Warminster ... | 36 | 7 | | | | |
| Devizes ... | 35 | 5 | | | | |
| Salisbury ... | 36 | 10 | | | | |
| Marlborough ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Swindon (Wilts) ... | 31 | 10 | | | | |
| Reading ... | 37 | 1 | | | | |
| Abingdon ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Didcot ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Hungerford ... | 33 | 11 | | | 16 | 8 |
| Newbury (Berks) ... | 35 | 8 | | | | |
| Wallingford ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Guildford ... | 37 | 8 | | | | |
| Farnham (Surrey) ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Kingston (Surrey) ... | 38 | 6 | | | | |
| Croydon (Surrey) ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Reigate ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Maidstone ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Canterbury ... | 37 | 0 | | | | |
| Dartford ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Ashford (Kent) ... | 36 | 3 | | | | |
| Rochester (Kent) ... | 37 | 6 | | | | |
| Tenterden ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Tunbridge ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Chichester ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Lewes ... | 36 | 6 | | | | |
| Hayward's Heath ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Brighton ... | 38 | 0 | | | | |
| Horsham ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Winchester ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Andover ... | 34 | 0 | | | 15 | 6 |
| Basingstoke ... | 40 | 1 | | | | |
| Fareham ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Newport (Hants) ... | 37 | 0 | | | | |
| Ringwood ... | 36 | 7 | 23 | 0 | | |
| Southampton ... | 38 | 0 | | | | |
| Blandford ... | 33 | 0 | | | | |
| Bridport ... | 32 | 0 | | | | |
| Dorchester (Dorset) ... | 32 | 0 | | | | |
| Shaftesbury ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Wareham ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Plymouth ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Totnes ... | 32 | 10 | | | | |
| Tavistock ... | | | 24 | 0 | | |
| Exeter ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Kingsbridge ... | 34 | 6 | | | | |
| Barnstaple ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Truro ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Launceston ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Penzance ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Bristol .. | Nil. | | | | | |
| Taunton ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Bridgewater ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Frome ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Bath ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Yeovil ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Monmouth ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Chepstow ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Newport (Mon.) ... | 34 | 6 | | | | |
| Gloucester ... | 32 | 0 | | | | |
| Cirencester ... | 32 | 4 | | | | |
| Tewkesbury ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Shrewsbury ... | 33 | 9 | | | | |
| Bridgenorth ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Market Drayton ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Hereford ... | 33 | 4 | | | | |
| Wolverhampton ... | 34 | 4 | | | | |
| Burton-on-Trent ... | ... | | | | | 22 4 |
| Worcester ... | 33 | 1 | | | | |
| Chester ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Derby ... | 35 | 2 | | | | |
| Chesterfield ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Coventry ... | 33 | 9 | | | | |
| Birmingham ... | 32 | 9 | | | | |
| Rugby ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Stratford-on-Avon ... | 31 | 0 | | | | |
| Leicester ... | 31 | 8 | | | | |
| Loughborough ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Melton Mowbray ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Oakham ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Northampton ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Peterborough ... | 31 | 7 | 18 | 4 | 14 | 6 |
| Kettering ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Bedford ... | 33 | 11 | | | | |
| Luton (Bedford) ... | 32 | 7 | | | | |
| Huntingdon ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| St. Ives (Hunts.) ... | 31 | 8 | | | | |
| St. Neots (Hunts.) ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Cambridge ... | 33 | 4 | | | | |
| Ely (Cambridge) ... | 31 | 5 | | | | |
| Wisbeach ... | 31 | 11 | 16 | 8 | | |
| Ipswich ... | 36 | 4 | | | | |
| Woodbridge ... | 31 | 3 | | | | |
| Sudbury (Suffolk) ... | 35 | 4 | | | | |
| Hadleigh (Suffolk) ... | 35 | 0 | | | | 19 0 |
| Stowmarket ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Bury St. Edmunds ... | 33 | 10 | | | | |
| Beccles ... | 34 | 7 | | | | |
| Bungay ... | 34 | 9 | | | | |
| Halesworth ... | 35 | 10 | | | | |
| Framlingham ... | 35 | 4 | | | | |
| Eye (Suffolk) ... | 35 | 0 | | | | |
| Norwich ... | 33 | 0 | | | | |
| Yarmouth (Norfolk) ... | 34 | 11 | | | | |
| Lynn ... | 32 | 4 | | | | |
| Watton (Norfolk) ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Diss ... | 31 | 8 | | | | |
| East Dereham ... | 32 | 0 | | | | |
| Harleston (Norfolk) ... | 34 | 10 | | | | |
| Holt (Norfolk) ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Fakenham ... | 32 | 10 | | | | |
| North Walsham (Norfolk) ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Lincoln ... | 34 | 1 | | | | 18 7 |
| Gainsborough ... | 35 | 3 | | | | |
| Brigg ... | ... | | | | | 15 10 |
| Louth ... | 32 | 11 | | | | |
| Boston ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Sleaford ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Stamford ... | 33 | 4 | | | | |
| Spalding ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Grantham ... | 33 | 5 | | | | |
| Nottingham ... | Nil. | | | | | |
| Newark ... | Nil. | | | | | |

| Towns. | Wheat. | | Barley. | | Oats. | |
|-----------------------|--------|----|---------|----|-------|----|
| | s. | d. | s. | d. | s. | d. |
| Mansfield | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Worksop | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Ulverstone | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Preston (Lancashire) | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Warrington | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Manchester | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Garstang | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Kendal | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Carlisle | 34 | 7 | 22 | 8 | 21 | 1 |
| Penrith | ... | | ... | | 20 | 7 |
| Egremont (Cumb'land) | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Newcastle-on-Tyne ... | 34 | 0 | ... | | 17 | 1 |
| Alnwick | 34 | 0 | ... | | ... | |
| Berwick | 34 | 5 | 21 | 0 | 19 | 7 |
| Durham | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Stockton-on-Tees ... | 34 | 0 | ... | | ... | |
| Darlington | 35 | 7 | ... | | ... | |
| Sunderland | 33 | 4 | ... | | ... | |
| York | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Leeds | 34 | 9 | ... | | ... | |
| Wakefield | 34 | 0 | ... | | ... | |
| Bridlington | 33 | 1 | ... | | 15 | 5 |
| Beverley | 33 | 4 | ... | | ... | |
| Howden | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Sheffield | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Hull | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| New Malton | 33 | 1 | ... | | ... | |
| Bedale | 38 | 1 | ... | | ... | |
| Knaresborough | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Northallerton | 35 | 5 | ... | | 18 | 7 |
| Ripon... .. | ... | | ... | | 19 | 6 |
| Doncaster | 33 | 7 | ... | | 16 | 4 |
| Goole... .. | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Snaith | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Easingwold | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Scarborough | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Selby | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Thirsk | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Penistone | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Denbigh | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Wrexham | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Carnarvon | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Haverfordwest | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Carmarthen | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Cardiff | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Cardigan | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Brecon | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |
| Montgomery | Nil. | | ... | | ... | |

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
Mr. Justice Chitty.

In the Matter of the Woolley Coal Company Limited and Reduced, and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1867 and 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition has been presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, for confirming a resolution of the above Company for reducing its capital from £100,000 to £21,000. A list of the persons admitted to have been creditors of the Company on the 30th day of June, 1887, may be inspected at the offices of the Company, at Woolley, in the county of York, or at the office of Mr. J. P. Gardner, of Cannock, Solicitor, at any time during usual business hours on payment of the charge of one shilling. Any person who claims to have been on the last-mentioned day and still to be a creditor of the Company, and who is not entered on the said list, and claims to be so

entered, must, on or before the 2nd day of August, 1887, send in his name and address, and the particulars of his claim, and the name and address of his Solicitor (if any), to the said J. P. Gardner, at Cannock, Staffordshire, or in default thereof he will be precluded from objecting to the proposed reduction of capital.—Dated this 8th day of July, 1887.

J. J. and C. J. Allen, of 20, Bedford-row, W.C.; Agents for
J. P. Gardner, of Cannock, Solicitor for the said Company.

In the Matter of the Llanelly and Mynydd Mawr Railway Company, and in the Matter of the Railway Companies Act, 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on the 7th day of July, a scheme of arrangement between the above-named Company and their creditors, which scheme does not contain provisions for settling and defining the rights of shareholders as among themselves, but contains powers for raising additional loan capital, to an amount not exceeding £25,000, was filed in the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, and a copy of the said scheme will be furnished to any person requiring the same, by the undersigned, or at the office of the Company, at Llanelly, Carmarthen, on payment of the regulated charges for the same.

Deacon, Gibson, and Medcalf, Leadenhall-chambers, 4, St. Mary Axe, in the city of London; Agents for
Johnson and Stead, of Llanelly, Carmarthen, Solicitors for the Company.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
Mr. Justice North.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Japanese Village and Oriental Trading Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, was, on the 8th day of July, 1887, presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by James Willing the younger, of 125, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, a creditor of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Honourable Mr. Justice North, on the 23rd day of July, 1887; and that 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 the 11th day of July, 1887.

J. C. Harrison, 57, Chancery-lane, W.C.,
Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
Mr. Justice Chitty.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Flint Coal and Cannel Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Mr. Justice Chitty has fixed Thursday, the 14th day of July, 1887, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at his chambers, Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, as the time and place for the appointment of an Official Liquidator of the above-named Company.—Dated this 1st day of July, 1887.

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, Imperial Measure, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise, in the Week ended 9th July, 1887, conformably to the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37.

| | QUANTITIES SOLD. | | AVERAGE PRICE. | |
|--------|------------------|------|----------------|----|
| | Qrs. | Bus. | s. | d. |
| Wheat | 16,737 | 2 | 34 | 2 |
| Barley | 195 | 2 | 20 | 11 |
| Oats | 1,052 | 0 | 17 | 0 |

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1883 to 1886.

| Corresponding Week in | QUANTITIES SOLD | | | | | | AVERAGE PRICE. | | | | | |
|-----------------------|-----------------|------|---------|------|-------|------|----------------|----|---------|----|-------|----|
| | WHEAT. | | BARLEY. | | OATS. | | WHEAT. | | BARLEY. | | OATS. | |
| | Qrs. | Bus. | Qrs. | Bus. | Qrs. | Bus. | s. | d. | s. | d. | s. | d. |
| 1883 | 33,476 | 0 | 449 | 1 | 2,112 | 1 | 42 | 2 | 29 | 2 | 24 | 1 |
| 1884 | 26,606 | 6 | 177 | 6 | 2,908 | 2 | 36 | 9 | 28 | 2 | 23 | 1 |
| 1885 | 28,491 | 0 | 425 | 4 | 1,919 | 7 | 33 | 8 | 28 | 8 | 22 | 4 |
| 1886 | 29,821 | 4 | 226 | 7 | 1,114 | 2 | 30 | 9 | 23 | 5 | 20 | 1 |

Commercial Department, Board of Trade,
July 9, 1887.

R. GIFFEN.

AN ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of Agricultural Produce Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 9th July, 1887, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

| | Quantities. | |
|--|---------------|-----------|
| | 1886. | 1887. |
| Animals living :— | | |
| Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves | Number | 10,825 |
| Sheep and Lambs | " | 24,736 |
| Swine | " | 804 |
| Dead Meat :— | | |
| Bacon | cwts. | 65,164 |
| Beef, salted and fresh | " | 20,844 |
| Hams | " | 15,953 |
| Meat unenumerated, salted and fresh | " | 133 |
| " " preserved | " | 11,891 |
| Mutton, fresh | " | 25,453 |
| Pork, salted (not Hams) and fresh | " | 4,752 |
| Poultry and Game | Value £ | 1,907 |
| Rabbits | cwts. | 126 |
| Butter | " | 32,245 |
| Butterine | " | 9,520 |
| Cheese | " | 53,827 |
| Eggs | Great Hundred | 161,178 |
| Lard | cwts. | 16,622 |
| Vegetables :— | | |
| Onions, raw | Bushels | 21,989 |
| Potatoes | cwts. | 308,539 |
| Unenumerated | Value £ | 16,968 |
| Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour :— | | |
| Wheat | cwts. | 1,402,302 |
| Barley | " | 57,177 |
| Oats | " | 337,347 |
| Pease | " | 56,377 |
| Beans | " | 10,000 |
| Maize | " | 889,640 |
| Wheat Meal and Flour | " | 356,139 |

Statistical Office, Custom House, London,
July 11, 1887.

S. SELDON,
Principal.

COTTON STATISTICS ACT, 1869.

RETURN of the Number of BALES of COTTON Imported and Exported at the Various Ports of the United Kingdom during the Week and 27 Weeks ended 7th July, 1887.

| Ports. | IMPORTS. | | | | | | EXPORTS. | | | | | |
|--------------------------------|------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|----------------|
| | American. | Brazilian. | East Indian. | Egyptian. | Miscellaneous. | TOTAL. | American. | Brazilian. | East Indian. | Egyptian. | Miscellaneous. | TOTAL. |
| Week ended 7th July, 1887. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Liverpool | 4,372 | 7,965 | 8,192 | 1,843 | 24 | 22,396 | 1,578 | ... | 665 | ... | 310 | 2,553 |
| London | ... | ... | 3,274 | ... | 1,741 | 5,015 | ... | ... | 9,755 | ... | ... | 9,755 |
| Hull | 1,068 | ... | 880 | 460 | ... | 2,358 | 1,811 | 227 | 990 | ... | ... | 3,028 |
| Other Ports | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 50 | ... | ... | ... | 15 | 65 |
| Total | 5,440 | 7,965 | 12,296 | 2,303 | 1,765 | 29,769 | 3,439 | 227 | 11,410 | ... | 325 | 15,401 |
| 27 Weeks ended 7th July, 1887. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Liverpool | 1,443,086 | 250,117 | 268,759 | 127,776 | 20,761 | 2,110,499 | 74,865 | 348 | 42,616 | 2,839 | 8,203 | 128,871 |
| London | 156 | ... | 169,765 | 17 | 3,405 | 173,283 | 3,748 | ... | 133,464 | ... | 2,059 | 139,271 |
| Hull | 23,695 | 13 | 8,205 | 2,458 | ... | 34,371 | 40,648 | 30,667 | 18,129 | 5,259 | 58 | 94,761 |
| Other Ports | 10,966 | ... | ... | ... | 99 | 11,065 | 6,100 | ... | 3,853 | ... | 85 | 9,538 |
| Total | 1,477,903 | 250,130 | 446,669 | 130,251 | 24,265 | 2,329,218 | 125,361 | 31,015 | 197,562 | 8,098 | 10,405 | 372,441 |

Dated July 8, 1887.

R. GIFFEN,
Commercial Department; Board of Trade.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act seventh and eighth Victoria, cap. 32, of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES of the several Banks of Issue in ENGLAND and WALES, in Circulation during the Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of July, 1887.

PRIVATE BANKS.

| Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue. | | | Average Amount. |
|--|------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------|
| | | | £ |
| Ashford Bank | Ashford ... | Pomfret and Co. | 4360 |
| Aylesbury Old Bank | Aylesbury ... | Cobb and Co. | 13105 |
| Baldock Bank and Baldock and Biggleswade Bank | Biggleswade ... | Wells, Hogge, and Co | 9683 |
| Barnstaple Bank | Barnstaple ... | Marshall and Co. | 1830 |
| Bedford Bank | Bedford ... | Barnard and Co. | 18636 |
| Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank and Oxford Bank | Bicester ... | Tubb and Co. | 8334 |
| Boston Bank | Boston ... | Garfit and Co. | 31849 |
| Broseley and Bridgnorth and Bridgnorth and Broseley Bank | Broseley ... | Pritchard and Co. | 7367 |
| Buckingham Bank | Buckingham ... | Bartlett and Co... .. | 10739 |
| Bury and Suffolk Bank, Sudbury Bank, and Stowmarket Bank | Bury St. Edmunds | Oakes, Bevan, and Co. | 22531 |
| Banbury Bank | Banbury... .. | J. C. and A. Gillett and Co. | 10334 |
| Banbury Old Bank | Banbury... .. | Cobb and Son | 8963 |
| Bedfordshire Leighton Buzzard Bank | Leighton Buzzard | Bassett, Son, and Co. | 17431 |
| Brecon Old Bank | Brecon ... | Wilkins and Co. | 9765 |
| Cambridge Bank | Cambridge ... | Mortlock and Co. | 11245 |
| Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank | Cambridge ... | Messrs. Fosters | 27575 |
| Canterbury Bank | Canterbury ... | Hammond and Co. | 9091 |
| Colchester Bank | Colchester ... | Round, Green, and Co... .. | 9301 |
| Colchester and Essex Bank, and Witham and Essex Bank, and Hadleigh Suffolk Bank | Colchester ... | Mills and Co. | 18075 |
| City Bank, Exeter | Exeter ... | Milford and Co... .. | 5922 |
| Derby Bank | Derby ... | Samuel Smith and Co | 7287 |
| Darlington Bank, Durham Bank, and Stockton-on-Tees Bank | Darlington ... | Backhouse and Co | 46632 |
| Devonport Bank | Devonport ... | Hodge and Co. | 2501 |
| Dorchester Old Bank and Dorsetshire Bank... .. | Dorchester ... | Williams and Co. | 20730 |
| East Riding Bank | Beverley... .. | Beckett and Co... .. | 55575 |
| Essex Bank and Bishop's Stortford Bank | Chelmsford ... | Sparrow, Tufnell, and Co. | 24330 |
| Exeter Bank | Exeter ... | Sanders and Co... .. | 11754 |
| Faversham Bank | Faversham ... | Hilton and Co. | 2643 |
| Godalming Bank | Godalming ... | Mellersh and Co. | 5290 |
| Grantham Bank | Grantham ... | Hardy and Co. | 7672 |
| Hull Bank and Kingston-upon-Hull Bank | Hull ... | Smith Brothers and Co. | 10175 |
| Huntingdon Town and County Bank | Huntingdon ... | Veasey and Co. | 12010 |
| Harwich Bank | Harwich... .. | Cox, Cobbold, and Co. | 2334 |
| Hertfordshire, Hitchin Bank | Hitchin ... | Sharples and Co. | 22443 |
| Ipswich Bank | Ipswich .. | Bacon and Co. | 11095 |
| Ipswich and Needham Market Bank, Suffolk, Hadleigh Bank, Manningtree and Mistley Bank, and Woodbridge Bank... .. | Ipswich .. | Gurneys, Alexanders, and Co. | 30685 |
| Kentish Bank | Maidstone ... | Wigan, Mercer, and Co. | 10852 |
| Kington and Radnorshire Bank | Kington .. | Davies and Co. | 12067 |
| Kendal Bank | Kendal ... | Wakefield, Crewdson, and Co... .. | 35588 |
| Leeds Bank .. | Leeds ... | Beckett and Co. | 52520 |
| Leeds Union Bank | Leeds ... | Wm. Wms. Brown and Co. | 31060 |
| Leicester Bank | Leicester ... | T. and T. T. Paget | 11112 |
| Lincoln Bank | Lincoln ... | Smith, Ellison, and Co... .. | 58800 |

| Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue. | | | | Average Amount. |
|---|----------------|-----|----------------------------------|-----------------|
| | | | | £ |
| Llandovery Bank, Lampeter Bank, and Llandilo Bank ... | Llandovery | ... | D. Jones and Co. .. | 15753 |
| Lymington Bank ... | Lymington | ... | St. Barbe and Co. ... | 900 |
| Lynn Regis and Lincolnshire Bank ... | Lynn Regis | ... | Gurneys and Co. ... | 14509 |
| Lynn Regis and Norfolk Bank ... | Lynn Regis | ... | Jarvis and Co. ... | 5449 |
| Macclesfield Bank ... | Macclesfield | ... | Brocklehurst and Co. ... | 3728 |
| Miners' Bank ... | Truro | ... | Willyams and Co. ... | 9506 |
| Monmouth Old Bank ... | Monmouth | ... | Bromage and Co. ... | 923 |
| Newark Bank ... | Newark | ... | Samuel Smith and Co. ... | 6644 |
| Newark and Sleaford Bank, and Sleaford and Newark Bank | Sleaford | .. | Handley, Peacock, and Co. ... | 15879 |
| Newbury Bank ... | Newbury | ... | Slocock, Matthews, and Co. ... | 6537 |
| Newmarket Bank ... | Newmarket | ... | Hammond and Co. ... | 8758 |
| Norwich and Norfolk and Fakenham Banks ... | Norwich | ... | Gurneys, Birkbecks, and Co. ... | 52617 |
| Naval Bank, Plymouth ... | Plymouth | ... | Harris, Bulteel, and Co. ... | 9525 |
| New Sarum Bank ... | Sarum | ... | Pinckney Brothers ... | 2249 |
| Nottingham Bank ... | Nottingham | ... | Samuel Smith and Co. ... | 20376 |
| Oswestry Bank and Oswestry Old Bank | Oswestry | ... | Croxon and Co.... | 3273 |
| Oxford Old Bank ... | Oxford | ... | Parsons and Co. ... | 25805 |
| Old Bank, Tonbridge, Tonbridge and Tonbridge Wells Old Bank, Tonbridge and Tonbridge Wells and Sevenoaks Bank ... | Tonbridge | ... | Beechings and Co. ... | 8777 |
| Oxfordshire Witney Bank ... | Witney | ... | Gilletts and Clinch .. | 3611 |
| Pease's Old Bank, Hull, the Hull Old Bank and Beverley Bank | Hull | ... | Pease and Sons ... | 34610 |
| Penzance Bank ... | Penzance | ... | Batten and Co. ... | 3000 |
| Reading Bank ... | Reading | ... | Simonds and Co. ... | 14745 |
| Reading Bank ... | Reading | ... | Stephens, Blandy, and Co. ... | 15764 |
| Richmond Bank ... | Richmond | ... | Roper and Co. ... | 3834 |
| Royston Bank ... | Royston | ... | Fordham and Co. ... | 4601 |
| Rye Bank ... | Rye | ... | Curteis, Pomfret, and Co. ... | 2650 |
| Saffron Walden and North Essex Bank | Saffron Walden | ... | Gibson, Tuke, and Co. ... | 11863 |
| Scarborough Old Bank ... | Scarborough | ... | Woodall and Co. ... | 12599 |
| Salop Old Bank ... | Shrewsbury | ... | Eyton and Co. ... | 14652 |
| Sittingbourne and Milton Bank ... | Sittingbourne | ... | Vallance and Co. ... | 681 |
| Southampton Town and County Bank | Southampton | ... | Maddison and Co. ... | 4198 |
| Stamford and Rutland Bank ... | Stamford | ... | Eaton, Cayley, and Co.... | 7851 |
| Tavistock Bank ... | Tavistock | ... | Gill, Morshead, and Co. ... | 3250 |
| Thornbury Bank ... | Thornbury | .. | Harwood and Co. ... | 3811 |
| Thrapston and Kettering Bank, Northamptonshire... | Thrapston | ... | Eland and Eland ... | 4125 |
| Tring Bank and Chesham Bank ... | Tring | ... | Butcher and Sons ... | 10298 |
| Uxbridge Old Bank ... | Uxbridge | ... | Hull, Smith, and Co. ... | 3969 |
| Wallingford Bank ... | Wallingford | ... | Hedges, Wells, and Co. ... | 1655 |
| Warwick and Warwickshire Bank ... | Warwick | ... | Greenway and Co. ... | 12932 |
| Wellington Somerset Bank ... | Wellington | ... | Fox Brothers and Co. .. | 5355 |
| West Riding Bank, Wakefield, and Pontefract Bank ... | Wakefield | .. | Leatham, Tew, and Co. ... | 23294 |
| Whitby Old Bank ... | Whitby | ... | Simpson, Chapman, and Co. ... | 5231 |
| Winchester, Alresford, and Alton Bank | Winchester | ... | Bulpett and Co. ... | 3819 |
| Weymouth Old Bank and Dorchester Bank ... | Weymouth | ... | Eliot and Co. ... | 6955 |
| Wisbech and Lincolnshire Bank ... | Wisbech | ... | Gurney and Co. ... | 15600 |
| Wiveliscombe Bank ... | Wiveliscombe | ... | W. Hancock and Son ... | 1049 |
| Worcester Old Bank and Tewkesbury Old Bank ... | Worcester | ... | Berwick, Lechmere, and Co. ... | 22122 |
| Yarmouth and Suffolk Bank, and Halesworth and Suffolk Bank | Yarmouth | ... | Gurneys, Birkbeck, and Co. ... | 22095 |
| Yarmouth, Norfolk, and Suffolk Bank | Great Yarmouth | | Sir E. H. K. Lacon, Bt., and Co. | 5323 |

JOINT STOCK BANKS.

| Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue. | Average Amount. |
|---|--------------------------------|
| | £ |
| Bank of Westmorland | Kendal 9635 |
| Barnsley Banking Company Limited | Barnsley... .. 5155 |
| Bradford Banking Company Limited | Bradford 35269 |
| Bank of Whitehaven Limited | Whitehaven 20197 |
| Bradford Commercial Banking Company Limited | Bradford 19512 |
| Burton, Uttoxeter, and Ashbourne Union Bank Limited... .. | Burton-upon-Trent 23393 |
| Cumberland Union Banking Company Limited | Carlisle 34746 |
| Coventry Union Banking Company | Coventry 6853 |
| County of Gloucester Banking Company Limited | Cheltenham 45649 |
| Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company Limited | Carlisle 23017 |
| Carlisle City and District Bank Limited | Carlisle 16305 |
| Derby and Derbyshire Banking Company Limited | Derby 8105 |
| Halifax Joint Stock Banking Company Limited... .. | Halifax 15747 |
| Huddersfield Banking Company Limited | Huddersfield 27979 |
| Hull Banking Company Limited | Hull 29554 |
| Halifax Commercial Banking Company Limited... .. | Halifax 10367 |
| Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company Limited | Halifax 6820 |
| Knaresborough and Claro Banking Company Limited | Knaresborough 19354 |
| Lancaster Banking Company | Lancaster 50583 |
| Leicestershire Banking Company Limited | Leicester 38415 |
| Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company Limited... .. | Lincoln 42271 |
| Leamington Priors and Warwickshire Banking Company Limited | Leamington Priors 4860 |
| Moore and Robinson's Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited | Nottingham 17794 |
| Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited | Nottingham 20425 |
| Northamptonshire Banking Company Limited | Northampton 10635 |
| North and South Wales Bank Limited | Liverpool 46712 |
| Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company Limited | Leicester... .. 35457 |
| Sheffield Banking Company Limited | Sheffield 21529 |
| Stamford, Spalding, and Boston Banking Company Limited | Stamford 30629 |
| Stuckey's Banking Company, Bristol Somersetshire Bank, and Somersetshire Bank... .. | Langport 190430 |
| Sheffield and Hallamshire Banking Company | Sheffield... .. 11700 |
| Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company Limited | Sheffield... .. 21578 |
| Swaledale and Wensleydale Banking Company Limited | Richmond 39959 |
| Wolverhampton and Staffordshire Banking Company | Wolverhampton 4739 |
| Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank Limited | Wakefield 11924 |
| Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company | Whitehaven 20200 |
| Wilts and Dorset Banking Company Limited | Salisbury 62056 |
| West Riding Union Banking Company Limited | Huddersfield 22750 |
| Worcester City and County Banking Company Limited... .. | Worcester 1456 |
| York Union Banking Company Limited | York 58001 |
| York City and County Banking Company Limited | York 86135 |
| Yorkshire Banking Company Limited | Leeds 100722 |

Inland Revenue Office, July 9, 1887.

J. S. PURCELL, Registrar of Bank Returns.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of Rixon's Iron and Brick Company Limited.

BY an Order made in the above matters by Mr. Justice Chitty, dated the 2nd day of July, 1887, on the petition of Thomas Ritson, of Wellingborough, in the county of Northampton, Coal and Coke Merchant, carrying on business as J. Lowrey and Co., a creditor of the said Company, it was ordered that the voluntary winding up of Rixon's Iron and Brick Company should be continued, but subject to the supervision of the Court; and it was further ordered that the costs of the petitioner, of the said Company, and of the Leicestershire Banking Company, and of the said creditors supporting the petition of the application be taxed by the Taxing Master and paid out of the assets of the Company, and in such taxation only one set of costs is to be allowed to the said creditors supporting the petition; and of the proceedings under the said winding up are to be adopted as the said Judge shall think fit; and the creditors, contributories, and Liquidators of the said Company, and all other persons interested, to be at liberty or apply to the said Judge at Chambers as there may be occasion.—Dated this 11th day of July, 1887.

Miller, Smith and Bell, 3, Salters Hall-court, Cannon-street, in the city of London, Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
Liverpool District Registry.

Mr. Justice Kekewich.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862, 1867, and 1877, and in the Matter of the Castle Gate Steamship Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition for confirming a reduction, reducing the capital of the above Company from £33,000 to £22,000, was, on the 6th day of July, 1887, presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, and is now pending; and that the 6th day of August, 1887, has been fixed as the day on which the said petition shall be heard.

H. Forshaw and Hawkins, 2, Harrington-street, Liverpool, Solicitors to the Company.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
Liverpool District Registry.

Mr. Justice Kekewich.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862, 1867, and 1877, and in the Matter of the Castle Hill Steamship Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition for confirming a reduction, reducing the capital of the above Company from £28,500 to £14,250, was, on the 6th day of July, 1887, presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, and is now pending; and that the 6th day of August, 1887, has been fixed as the day on which the said petition shall be heard.

H. Forshaw and Hawkins, 2, Harrington-street, Liverpool, Solicitors to the Company.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
Liverpool District Registry.

Mr. Justice Kekewich.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862, 1867, and 1877, and in the Matter of the Castledale Steamship Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition for confirming a reduction, reducing the capital of the above Company from £44,325 to

£29,550, was, on the 6th day of July, 1887, presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice; and is now pending; and that the 6th day of August, 1887, has been fixed as the day on which the said petition shall be heard.

H. Forshaw and Hawkins, 2, Harrington-street, Liverpool, Solicitors to the Company.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
Liverpool District Registry.

Mr. Justice Kekewich.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862, 1867, and 1877, and in the Matter of the Castle Eden Steamship Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition for confirming a reduction, reducing the capital of the above Company from £44,325 to £29,550, was, on the 6th day of July, 1887, presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, and is now pending; and that the 6th day of August, 1887, has been fixed as the day on which the said petition shall be heard.

H. Forshaw and Hawkins, 2, Harrington-street, Liverpool, Solicitors to the Company.

Lead Office, July 5, 1887.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Court of the Corporation of the Governor and Company for Smelting down Lead with Pit Coal and Sea Coal, will be held at the Company's Office, 9, Martin's-lane, Cannon-street, London, on Tuesday, the 26th July instant, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, being a Half-yearly General Court, to receive the accounts for the half-year, and to consider of declaring a Dividend.

The Transfer Book will be shut on Thursday, the 21st instant, and opened again on Wednesday, the 27th instant, following.

By order of the Court of Assistants,

John Elliott, Secretary.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and of the Transvaal Prospecting Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the offices of the Company, 26, Austin Friars, in the city of London, on the 16th day of June, 1887, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 6th day of July, 1887, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed, viz. :—

(a.) "That in view of the formation of a new Company, bearing, or intended to bear, the same name as that of this Company, and having for its objects, among other things, the acquisition of the undertaking and assets of this Company (after providing for any dividend or bonus to be declared for division amongst the present Shareholders), this Company be wound up voluntarily.

(b.) "That for the purposes of such winding up, the present Directors of this Company, namely, Frederick Charles Debonaire Haggard, Carl Theodore von Buch, and George Field Tavenor, be appointed the Liquidators of the Company, and those gentlemen having signified their consent to act, they be so appointed, with remuneration of one hundred guineas each.

(c.) "That in the event of difference of opinion between the Liquidators, in any matters arising under winding up, the decision of a majority of the Liquidators be absolutely conclusive and binding.

(d.) "That the Liquidators be authorized to consent to the registration of a new Company, bearing the same name as that of this Company, and to be formed with a nominal capital of £100,000, divided into 100,000 shares of £1 each, having, for its object, among other things, the acquisition of the undertaking of this Company (after providing for any dividend or bonus as aforesaid).

(e.) "That William James Thompson, John Hampton Hale, William James Ingram, Henry Foote, and Joseph Taylor, or such as may consent to act or be appointed a Committee of Consultation to act as the vote of the majority may determine, three to form a quorum, with the Liquidators in settling and approving the terms of an agreement between this Company and a Trustee on behalf of the proposed new Company, providing (amongst other things) for the transferring to, and vesting in, the new Company the entire undertaking, and the assets of this Company, excepting and reserving out of such assets such portion thereof as by any resolution may have been already passed, shall be required to pay and satisfy any dividend or bonus upon the nominal capital of the Company, in consideration of the allotment to the Liquidators for distribution among the shareholders of this Company in proportion to their holdings of 60,000 fully paid shares in the new Company, or at the option of the new Company, cash at par value in lieu of any portion of such shares up to 30,000, and in consideration of the new Company undertaking and paying all the existing liabilities (if any) of this Company, and all costs, charges, and expenses of, and incident to, this resolution, and carrying the same into effect, including the remuneration of the said Liquidators, and together with the costs of settling and approving the memorandum and articles of association to be prepared for the incorporation of the new Company, and of and incident to the preparation and completion of the said agreement of purchase.

(f.) "That upon the terms of the memorandum and articles of association being approved as aforesaid, the Liquidators be authorized, on behalf of this Company, to enter into an agreement with a Trustee on behalf of the new Company as aforesaid."

July 11th, 1887.

F. C. D. Haggard, *Chairman*.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts and of
M. Nadin Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the said Company, Water-street, Rochdale, on the 7th day of July, 1887, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed:—

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

2. "That Mr. Ambrose Brook, of Stoneyfield, Rochdale, Marble Mason, and Mr. George Henry Russell, of 49, Hanging Ditch, Manchester, Accountant, be and are hereby appointed Liquidators of the said Company."

Ambrose Brook, *Chairman*.

The Patent Stopper Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the offices of the Company, 7, Westminster-chambers, Westminster, on the 22nd day of June, 1887, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent

Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 7th day of July, 1887, they were duly confirmed:—

1. "That it is desirable that a transfer of the business of the Company be effected under section 161 of the Companies Act, 1862, on the terms of the draft contract initialled by the Chairman, submitted to the Meeting, which contract is hereby approved of, and that the said contract be adopted and carried into effect accordingly, subject to such modifications (if any) as may hereafter seem desirable to the Board.

2. "That the Company be wound up voluntarily, under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and that Charles Houghton Brown, of 7, Westminster-chambers aforesaid, the Secretary of the Company, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up, and authorized to execute the proposed contract for the transfer of the liabilities, business, and property of the Company, and to carry the same into effect."

Henry Brown, *Chairman*.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1883.

The Violeta Gold Placer Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above Company, held at the Great Eastern Hotel, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 1st day of June, 1887, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at another Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, held at the registered offices of the Company, 80, Cornhill, in the city of London, on the 17th day of the same month, the said Special Resolution was duly confirmed, as required by the Companies Act, 1862, viz.:—

"That the Violeta Gold Placer Limited be wound up voluntarily."

James Todd, *Chairman*.

The Marple Gas Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held at the office of the Marple Gas Works, Marple Bridge, near Stockport, on Tuesday, the 16th day of August next, at half-past seven o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated this 8th day of July, 1887.

Joel Wainwright, *Liquidator*.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Longwitton and Greenleighton Coal and Lime Company Limited.—In Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held at the offices of James Lorimer Oliver, 32, Grainger-street West, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on Monday, the 15th day of August, 1887, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and docu-

ments of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated the 5th day of July, 1887.

James L. Oliver, Liquidator for the said Company.

The Millers' and General Fire Insurance Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held at the Queen's Hotel, Birmingham, on Thursday, the 18th day of August, 1887, at half-past twelve p.m., for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators; and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidators thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated this 8th day of July, 1887.

H. Barlow,
William Arundel,
Henry Wright,
J. H. Parkes, } Liquidators.

The New Zealand and Colonial Consignment Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held at 15, Dowgate-hill, Cannon-street, E.C., on Monday, the 15th of August, 1887, at one o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also of determining, by Extraordinary Resolution, the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated the 7th day of July, 1887.

R. M. Stephenson, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Chislehurst Coffee Tavern Company Limited.—In Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Contributors of the above-named Company will be held on Monday, the 15th day of August, 1887, at twelve o'clock noon, at 41, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London, for the purpose of laying before the contributors the account of the liquidation.—Dated this 5th day of July, 1887.

F. H. Janson, Liquidator.

Warren's Oil Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 31st day of August, 1887, 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 us, the undersigned on behalf of the Liquidators of the said Company, and if so required, by notice in writing from such Liquidators, or from us, on their behalf, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims, at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 9th day of July, 1887.

Neish and Howell, of 66, Watling-street, E.C., Solicitors for the Liquidators.

In the Matter of the Reddish Pottery Company Limited.—In Voluntary Liquidation.

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 12th day of August next, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names of their Solicitors (if any) to George Henry Russell, of the firm of Russell and Walmsley, 49, Hanging Ditch, Manchester, Accountants, the Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required by him, verify and prove the said debts and claims to his satisfaction, within such time as he, by notice in writing, may appoint, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 9th day of July, 1887.

John A. Ledgard, 1, King-street and 93, Deansgate, Manchester, Solicitor for the said Liquidator.

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

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862, 1867, and 1877; and in the Matter of the Chancery of Lancaster Acts, 1850 and 1854; and in the Matter of Martin Rourke and Co. Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held at the offices of Messrs. Boote and Edgar, No. 20, Booth-street, Manchester, Solicitors, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, on Tuesday, the 16th day of August, 1887, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated the 8th day of July, 1887.

John Edgar, Liquidator.

TAKE notice, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Walter Porter and John Stevens, both of the Old Tiger's Head and New Tiger's Head, Lee, in the county of Kent, Licensed Victuallers and Mineral Water Manufacturers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 7th day of July, 1887.

Walter Porter.
John Stevens.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Rowland Legg and Sidney Aroher Legg, carrying on business as Woolstaplers, at 198, Hermondsey-street, in the county of Surrey, under the style of Thomas Legg and Son, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 27th day of June, 1887.

T. R. Legg.
Sidney A. Legg.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, William Heathfield and William Henry Heathfield, in the profession of Solicitors, at 44, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, under the style or firm of Heathfield and Son, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 9th day of June, 1887.

Wm. Heathfield.
W. H. Heathfield.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Albert Hill and Charles Swannell, carrying on business as Hay, Corn, Potato, and Vegetable Merchants, at No. 3, Warehouse, King's Cross, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of C. Swannell and Co., has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 30th day of June, 1887. All debts due and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Charles Swannell.—Dated this 8th day of July, 1887.

Albert Hill.
Chas. Swannell.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Benjamin Hannan and Henry Thomas, trading together under the style or firm of Hannan and Co., as Brokers and Commission Merchants in Grain and Grain Futures, at Leadenhall-buildings, in the city of London, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 2nd day of June, 1887; and that all debts due to or from the said firm will be received and paid by the said Benjamin Hannan, who will continue the said business on his own account.—Dated this 4th day of July, 1887.

Henry Thomas.
B. Hannan.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel Pinnock and George Pinnock, carrying on business as Grocers, at 24, Broad-green, West Croydon, in the county of Surrey, was dissolved, by mutual consent, on the 25th day of March, 1884. All debts due to or owing by the same firm will be received and paid by the said Samuel Pinnock, who will continue to carry on the said business on his own behalf, under the said style of Pinnock and Son.

George Pinnock.
Samuel Pinnock.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Harriott Coke and Philip Phelps, carrying on business as Surgeons, at Ashford, in the county of Kent, under the style or firm of Coke and Phelps, was dissolved, on the 30th day of June, 1887, by mutual consent; and that the business in future will be carried on by the said William Harriott Coke alone. All debts owing from or due to the late firm will be discharged or received by the said William Harriott Coke.—Dated the 30th day of June, 1887.

William Harriott Coke.
Philip Phelps.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Edward Caddy, John Cutts, and Arthur George Bingley, carrying on business as Patent Fire Bar Manufacturers, at New Basford, in the borough of Nottingham, under the style or firm of Caddy and Co., has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 11th day of May, 1887. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Thomas Edward Caddy.—Dated this 6th day of July, 1887.

Thos. E. Caddy.
John Cutts.
Arthur George Bingley.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Frederick Bennett and Herbert Dove King, carrying on the business of Surgeons, at Linton, in the county of Cambridge, under the style or firm of Bennett and King, was, on the 12th day of June last, dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 22nd day of June, 1887.

Fredk. Bennett.
H. D. King.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry John Nicholls and Emma Gibson, under the style or firm of Henry Nicholls and Co., at 39, Norton-street, in the city of Liverpool, in the trade or business of Wholesale Jewellers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 30th day of June, 1887.

Henry J. Nicholls.
Emma Gibson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for sometime past been carried on by William Halliwell and Sarah Binns, under the style or firm of Halliwell and Binns, at 1, Leeds-road, Nelson-in-Marsden, in the county of Lancaster, in the trade or business of Flour and Corn Merchants, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 30th day of June, 1887.

William Halliwell.
Sarah Binns.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, John Stephenson Rowntree and Thomas Hills, under the style of Rowntree, Hills, and Company, in the business of Grocers, Italian Warehousemen, and Provision Dealers, in Pavement, in the city of York and elsewhere, in the said city and in the county of York, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business of the partnership will be carried on by the said John Stephenson Rowntree, by whom all debts due to and owing by the partnership will be respectively received and paid.—Dated this 2nd day of July, 1887.

John S. Rowntree.
Thomas Hills.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting between us the undersigned, James Lewis Robertson and William Henry Nicholls, carrying on the business of Dental Surgeons, at Cheltenham and Cirencester, in the county of Gloucester, and at Monmouth, in the county of Monmouth, under the style or firm of Robertson and Nicholls, was dissolved, by mutual consent, from the 31st day of December, 1886. All debts due and owing to and by the said partnership on that date (not already discharged), will be received and paid by the said James Lewis Robertson, who will continue to carry on the said business at Cheltenham and Cirencester, under his own name, and the business at Monmouth will continue to be carried on by the said William Henry Nicholls alone.—Dated this 8th day of July, 1887.

J. L. Robertson.
W. H. Nicholls.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Askham and Blanche Etchells Naylor (feme sole), carrying on business at Clough Works, Sheffield, in the county of York, as Saw Manufacturers, under the style or firm of George Naylor and Company, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Blanche Etchells Naylor, who will henceforth carry on the business on her own account under the aforesaid style or firm of George Naylor and Company.—Dated this 29th day of June, 1887.

William Askham.
Blanche Etchells Naylor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned, Nelson Gibbon and Emsley Gibbon, at Frizinghall, in the parish of Bradford, in the county of York, under the firm of W. and E. Gibbon, Greengrocers and Potato Salesmen, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 9th day of May, 1887.—Dated this 8th day of July, 1887.

Nelson Gibbon.
Emsley Gibbon.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Kirkland Kemp and Alfred Taylor, in the trade or business of Ink and Sealing Wax Manufacturers, carried on by us at Nos. 29 and 31, Granby-row, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, under the firm of Kemp and Taylor, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the undersigned, Alfred Taylor, by whom the business will in future be carried on at Nos. 29 and 31, Granby-row, Manchester aforesaid.—Dated this 8th day of July, 1887.

William Kirkland Kemp.
Alfred Taylor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Harald Hjalmar Rich Jensen, William Barton Mears, and Joseph Brunt, and carried on by us at Victoria-street, Burton-on-Trent, in the county of Stafford, under the style or firm of the Anglo-German Rye Yeast Company, has been this day dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Joseph Brunt.—Dated this 18th day of June, 1887.

Harald Hjalmar Rich Jensen.
William Barton Mears.
Joseph Brunt.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edwin Thornton and William Smith, carrying on business as Painters and Paper Hangers, at 14, Twycross-street, in the town of Leicester, under the style or firm of Thornton and Smith, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 20th day of May, 1887. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Edwin Thornton.—Dated this 9th day of July, 1887.

Edwin Thornton.
William Smith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Bernard and George Bernard, of 148, Meadow-lane, in the borough of Leeds, in the county of York, carrying on business as Printers, Bookbinders, Stationers, and Booksellers, at 148, Meadow-lane aforesaid, under the style or firm of Bernard and Co., was, on the 10th day of September last, dissolved, by mutual consent; and that all debts owing to and from the said firm will be received and paid by the said John Bernard.—Dated this 8th day of July, 1887.

John Bernard.
Geo. Bernard.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between us the undersigned, Walter Woodroofe and John Hill, at the Queen's-mews, George-street, Manchester, as Livery Stable Proprietors, under the style of Woodroofe and Hill, was, on the 9th day of July, 1887, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing from or due to the late firm will be discharged or received by the said Walter Woodroofe, who for the future will carry on the business on his own account.—Dated the 9th day of July, 1887.

*Walter Woodroofe.
John Hill.*

Re WALTER SMITH, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Walter Smith, late of the North Foreland Inn, Rochester, in the county of Kent, Licensed Victualler, deceased (who died on the 14th day of March, 1887, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 23rd day of April, 1887, by Harriet Smith, of the North Foreland Inn aforesaid, the executrix therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executrix, on or before the 23rd day of July, 1887, after which date the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice; and she will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of July, 1887.

**J. ARTHUR W. GREATHEAD, 10, The Banks,
Rochester, Kent, Solicitor for the Executrix.**

The Estate of the late ESTHER COCHRANE.

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 persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Esther Cochrane, late of the Heath, near Stourbridge, in the county of Worcester, Widow, deceased (who died on the 14th day of May, 1887), are hereby required to send particulars thereof to Charles Cochrane, Esq., of Green Royle, Pedmore, near Stourbridge, one of the executors of the will of the said deceased, dated the 14th day of July, 1877, and proved on the 18th day of June, 1887, by the executors, Charles Cochrane and Joseph Braham Cochrane, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on or before the 21st day of July, 1887, at the expiration of which said time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice at the time of distribution.—Dated this 7th day of July, 1887.

**BERNARD, KING, and SONS, Solicitors for the
Executors of the said Esther Cochrane.**

Re GEORGE RIDLEY, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of George Ridley, late of Tofts Bank, in the parish of Haydon Bridge, in the county of Northumberland, Retired Tailor, deceased (who died on the 11th day of July, 1885, and of whose personal estate letters of administration were granted by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, at the District Registry attached to the Probate Division thereof at Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 29th day of July, 1885, to Hannah Dodd, of Hexham, in the said county of Northumberland, Widow), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said administratrix, on or before the 26th day of July, 1887, after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice; and she will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to

any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 8th day of July, 1887.

L. C. and H. F. LOCKHART, Hexham, Northumberland, Solicitors for the Administratrix.

HARRIET LANSLEY, 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 Harriet Lansley, late of the Cross Keys Inn, Holywell, in the county of Flint, Widow, deceased (who died on or about the 17th December, 1881, and whose will was proved by Thomas Thomas, Newspaper Reporter, Joseph Peters, Woolstapler, and James Hughes, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer, all of Holywell aforesaid, the executors therein named, on the 18th March, 1882, 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, Solicitor for the executors, on or before the 1st August, 1887; and notice is hereby also given, that after that 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 the executors shall then have notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st July, 1887.

H. A. COPE, of Holywell, Solicitor for the Executors.

WILLIAM NEALE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of William Neale, late of Yeovil, in the county of Somerset, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 20th day of February, 1887, and whose will was proved in the Taunton District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 7th day of June, 1887, by Henry Shorland Watts, of Yeovil aforesaid, Gentleman, and Joseph Brutton, of Yeovil aforesaid, Common Brewer, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their claims or demands to the said executors, or to us, the undersigned, as their Solicitors, on or before the 31st day of August, 1887; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 6th day of July, 1887.

**H. S. and S. WATTS, Yeovil, Somerset, Solicitors
for the said Executors.**

Re JOSHUA WALTHAM, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Joshua Waltham, formerly of Goxhill, in the county of Lincoln, but late of Hessele, in the East Riding of the county of York, Marine Engineer, deceased (who died on the 31st day of March, 1885, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 23rd day of February, 1887, by Charles Waltham, of Hessele aforesaid, Master Mariner, and James Allen Jackson, of the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Gentleman, the executors named in the said will), are hereby requested to send in the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 20th day of August next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties legally entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have notice; and the said executors will not be liable or responsible for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of July, 1887.

**J. A. JACKSON and SON, 22, Parliament-street,
Hull, Solicitors for the Executors.**

MARY ANN HEBDEN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Mary Ann Hebden, formerly of 15, Lansdowne-place, Hove, in the county of Sussex, but late of No. 1, Rochester-gardens, Hove aforesaid, Widow (who died on the 18th day of March, 1887, at No. 1, Rochester-gardens aforesaid, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 1st day of July, 1887, by the Reverend Ben. Littlewood, Clerk in Holy Orders, John Rule Daniell, and Florence Marion Hebden), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 13th day of August, 1887, after which the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall have had notice; and will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 5th day of July, 1887.

FREDERIC CLIFT, 12, Pancras-lane, Queen-street, Cheapside, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Executors.

The Reverend DUNCKLEY THOMAS, Deceased.

Pursuant to Stat. 22 and 23 Victoria, chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands against the estate of the Reverend Dunkley Thomas, B.A., an Ordained Clergyman of the Church of England, formerly of No. 181, Gloucester-road, Regent's Park, London, N.W., but late of No. 1, Maldon-crescent, Haverstock Hill, in the county of Middlesex (who died on the 18th day of May, 1887, and whose will was proved by Edward Thomas Fowler, of Clifton, in the city and county of Bristol, Gentleman, the executor therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 1st day of July, 1887), are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned, the Solicitor for the executor, on or before the 25th day of August next; and notice is hereby also given, that after such date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and that he will not be liable to any persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed.—Dated this 9th day of July, 1887.

JAS. POMEROY, 51, Corn-street, Bristol, Solicitor for the said Executor.

EMERSON CHARNLEY, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Emerson Charnley, late of 33, Copland-terrace, in the city and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, deceased (who died on the 9th day of March, 1887, and whose will was proved in the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 25th day of April, 1887, by Louisa Jane Errington, of 80, Fern-avenue, Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, the administratrix cum testamento annexo of the deceased), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said administratrix, on or before the 9th day of September next, after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which she then shall have had notice; and she will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of July, 1887.

ARNOTT, SWAN, and WALKER, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitors for the Administratrix.

DAVID BALLENY, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of David Balleny, late of Little Greencroft, Consett, in the county of Durham, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 4th day of January, 1887, and whose will was proved in the District Registry of the Probate Division

of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Durham on the 18th June, 1887, by Edmund William Ellison Balleny, of Little Greencroft aforesaid, the executor therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executor, on or before the 30th day of July, 1887, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 23rd day of June, 1887.

THOMAS WM. WELFORD, Jr., Parliament-street, Consett, Solicitor for the Executor.

THOMAS BACON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Bacon, late of Boston, in the county of Lincoln, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 9th day of June, 1886, and whose will was proved in the Lincoln District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 31st day of August, 1886, by Thomas Slator, of Boston aforesaid, Merchant, one of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executor, on or before the 23rd day of August next, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 11th day of July, 1887.

HENRY HARWOOD, 24, Church-street, Boston, Solicitor for the Executor.

THEODOSIA STANTON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of Theodosia Stanton, late of West Ferry, in the parish of Uxston, in the county of Lincoln, Widow, deceased (who died on the 10th day of June, 1885, and probate of whose will was granted by the Lincoln District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 24th day of February, 1886, to Thomas Clark, the executor named in the said will), are required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executor, on or before the 2nd day of August, 1887, after the expiration of which time the said executor will proceed to deal with the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and that the said executor will not after the date named be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 2nd day of July, 1887.

ALFRED M. SHARP, Epworth, near Doncaster, Solicitor for the said Executor.

MARGARETTE ANN LEE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Margarette Ann Lee, late of 3, Field-terrace, and 33, Spencer-road, Wandsworth, Surrey, Widow, deceased (who died 19th March, 1887, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry, on 25th May, 1887, by Henry William Noakes, one of the executors), are hereby required to send written particulars of their claims to us on or before 11th August, 1887, when the executor will distribute the estate of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets of the deceased so distributed to any persons of whose claims he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 6th day of July, 1887.

LESLIE ANTILL and ARNOLD, 1, Gresham-buildings, Guildhall, E.C., Solicitors for the said Executor.

Re JOHN WILLIAM BEADLE, Deceased.
Pursuant to 22 and 23 Vict., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John William Beadle, late of No. 20A, Aldermanbury, in the city of London, and of 121 (formerly No. 53), St. John's-road, Deptford, in the county of Kent, General Merchant, deceased (who died on the 8th day of March, 1887, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 15th day of April, 1887, by Christopher Edwards, of Vincent House, Paradise-row, Stoke Newington, one of the executors therein named, the other executor having renounced probate), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executor, on or before the 30th day of July instant, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 8th day of July, 1887.

WM. MORLEY, 145, Cheapside, London, E.C.,
Solicitor for the said Executor.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Mary Seymour, of 30, Caledonia-place, Clifton, in the city and county of Bristol, Widow (who died on the 16th day of April, 1887, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Bristol of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 29th day of June, 1887, by Captain James Francis Daubeny, Lieutenant-Colonel Albert James Hesketh Daubeny, and Captain Giles Andrew Daubeny, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 1st day of September next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the said assets of the said deceased, 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 6th day of July, 1887.

E. and E. A. HARLEY, Small-street, Bristol,
Solicitors for the said Executors.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Shem Comden, late of Ryde, in the Isle of Wight, in the county of Hants, Baker and Confectioner, deceased (who died on the 26th day of March, 1887, and whose will was proved in the Winchester District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 1st day of July, 1887, by William Herbert Cromwell, W. Moody, and Caroline Randle Jolliffe, all of Ryde aforesaid, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 6th day of October, 1887, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, 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 4th day of July, 1887.

CHAS. G. VINCENT, 4, St. Thomas-street, Ryde,
Solicitor for the Executors.

GEORGE TRISTRAM TINN, Deceased.
Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, c. 35.
NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon the estate of George Tristram Tinn, late of the city and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Surgeon Dentist (who died on the 6th day of June, 1887, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved by Charles William Tinn

and Edwin Alfred Tinn, the executors, on the 29th day of June, 1887, in the District Registry at Newcastle-upon-Tyne of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims to the said executors, at our offices as below, on or before the 1st day of September, 1887, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 6th day of July, 1887.

JOEL and PARSONS, 1, Newgate-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitors for the Executors.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of Hannah Morris, late of Barford, in the county of Warwick, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 17th day of June, 1887, and whose will was proved in the Birmingham District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 7th day of July, 1887, by Elias Thornycroft Jackson, of Barford aforesaid, Yeoman, the sole executor therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 2nd day of September, 1887, after which 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, and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and for the assets, or any part thereof, so administered or distributed he will not be liable to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 8th day of July, 1887.

CHARLES HANDLEY and BROWN, 10, Northgate-street, Warwick.

Re JOSS HALL, Deceased.
Pursuant to Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to 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 Joss Hall, late of Hightown, in the parish of Birstall, in the county of York, Butcher, deceased (who died on the 9th day of March, 1887, and whose will was proved in the Wakefield District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 7th day of June, 1887, by William Hanson, of Normanton, in the county of York, Boiler Maker, and Henry Hall, of Robert Town, in the parish of Birstall, in the said county, Card Maker, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to the said executors, under cover, addressed to me, the undersigned, Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 25th day of July, 1887, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable or accountable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of July, 1887.

BENJN. J. OATES, Cheapside, Heckmondwike,
Solicitor for the said Executors.

JAMES JONES, Deceased.
Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, c. 35.
NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claim against the estate of James Jones, late of Salford, and of Croft, near Warrington, both in the county of Lancaster, Chemist and Druggist, deceased (who died on the 15th day of January, 1874, and whose will was proved by Hannah Jones, since deceased, and William Deakin Jones, the executors therein named, on the 8th day of May, 1874, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate), are required, before the 9th day of August next, to send in particulars thereof to the undersigned, after which the surviving executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice.—Dated this 9th day of July, 1887.

HENRY JAMES WIDDOWS, 2, Ridgefield, Manchester, Solicitor for the surviving Executor.

PAUL EMILE CHAPPUIS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Paul Emile Chappuis, late of No. 69, Fleet-street, in the city of London, and of No. 42, Endymion-road, Brixton Hill, in the county of Surrey, Manufacturer of Patent Reflectors, deceased (who died on the 20th day of May, 1887, and whose will was duly proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 28th day of June, 1887, by Arthur Skitt and William Purdie Treloar, the executors therein named), are required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, and demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 31st day of August, 1887, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of July, 1887.

DUFFIELD and BRUTY, 6, Tokenhouse-yard, London, E.C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

JOHN BISHOP, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Bishop, late of No. 27, Hunt-street, Pelham-street, Brick-lane, Spitalfields, in the county of Middlesex, Silk Weaver, out of business, deceased (who died on the 23rd day of September, 1886, and in respect of whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were granted by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, at the Principal Registry of the Probate Division thereof, on the 20th day of October, 1886, to Samuel Bishop, of 487, Hackney-road, in the county of Middlesex, Pawnbroker), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said administrator, on or before the 15th day of August, 1887, after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 11th day of July, 1887.

THOS. JAS. PHIPPS, 89, Farringdon-street, London, Solicitor for the Administrator.

RICHARD FREDERICK STEVENS, Esq., Deceased.
Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vict., c. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors having any claims or demands against the estate of Richard Frederick Stevens, formerly of Southampton, but late of No. 9, Grenville-street, Brunswick-square, Middlesex, and of Lincoln's-inn, Esq., Barrister-at-Law (who died on the 20th May, 1887, intestate, and to whose estate letters of administration were taken out on the 30th June, 1887, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division, by Major George Morton Stevens, R.A.), and all others having any claims or demands against the estate of the said Richard Frederick Stevens, are to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to Messrs. Dimond and Son, No. 95, Wimpole-street, London, W., Solicitors for the said George Morton Stevens, on or before the 31st instant, at the expiration of which time the said George Morton Stevens will distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice; and will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 6th day of July, 1887.

DIMOND and SON, 95, Wimpole-street, W.

ALEXANDER BASSETT, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Alexander Bassett, late of Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Civil Engineer, deceased (who died on the 8th day of April last, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the

15th day of June following, by Emma Mary Bassett, Alexander Barker Bassett, and Robert Cecil Bassett, the executrix and executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 30th day of September next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, 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 4th day of July, 1887.

STANTON and BASSETT, 9, Gloucester-square, Southampton, Solicitors for the said Executors.

CHARLES PETERS MOODY, Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of Charles Peters Moody, late of Stapleton Manor, Martock, in the county of Somerset, Gentleman (who died on the 17th day of March last, and whose will was proved on the 21st day of June last by Eliza Miriam Moody and William Moody, two of the executors), are hereby required to send particulars of their claims and demands to me, the undersigned, on or before the 31st day of July inst., after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 8th day of July, 1887.

HENRY B. BATTEN, Church-street, Yeovil, Solicitor for the Executors.

WILLIAM HENRY CUNNINGHAM, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demand upon or against the estate of William Henry Cunningham, late of 122, Amherst-road, Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, but previously of Cottons, Romford, in the county of Essex, Gentleman (who died on the 21st day of October, 1886, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 12th day of February, 1887, by me, the undersigned, Henry Edmond Cunningham, the acting executor thereof), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the said Henry Edmond Cunningham, on or before the 13th day of August, 1887, at the expiration of which time I, the said Henry Edmond Cunningham, will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, or will otherwise deal therewith, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which I shall then have had notice; and I shall not be answerable or liable for the assets so distributed, or otherwise dealt with, to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand I shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of July, 1887.

H. E. CUNNINGHAM, 7, Aldersgate-chambers, Aldersgate, E.C., Solicitor.

ROBERT DAVID ROBERTSON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Robert David Robertson, late of No. 45, Gloucester-street, Queen's-square, Bloomsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Jeweller (who died on the 29th day of January, 1887, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 13th May, 1887, by William Clutterbuck and William Wells, the executors thereof), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executor, on or before the 16th day of August, 1887, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, or will otherwise deal therewith, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be answerable or liable for the assets so distributed, or otherwise dealt with, to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of July, 1887.

H. E. CUNNINGHAM, 7, Aldersgate-chambers, Aldersgate, E.C., Solicitor.

WILLIAM WOOD, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35.

THE creditors of William Wood, late of Little Bedford-street, North Shields, in the county of Northumberland, Baker (who died at North Shields aforesaid on the 25th day of September, 1886), are, on or before the 1st day of August next, required to send particulars of their debts and claims to me, the undersigned; and notice is hereby given, that the executor of the said William Wood will, after the said 1st day of August next, proceed to distribute the assets of the said William Wood, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 5th day of July, 1887.

HORATIO A. ADAMSON, 99, Howard-street, North Shields, Solicitor for the said Executor.

ANDREW WILLIAM JOHNSTON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors of Andrew William Johnston, late of North Hill Farm, Highgate, Middlesex, Wheelwright, deceased (who died on the 16th day of June last intestate, and of whose effects letters of administration were, on the 6th day of July, 1887, granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice to Margaret Johnston, of 50, North-road, Highgate aforesaid, Spinster), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims to the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said administratrix, on or before the 10th day of August next, after which date the administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice.—Dated this 11th day of July, 1887.

ORTON SMITH, 11, Kempley-road, Hampstead, N.W., Solicitor for the said Administratrix.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in the actions of *Madle v. Beach*, 1886, M., No. 1840, *Madle v. Wright*, 1886, M., No. 1839, *Payne v. Wright*, 1886, P., No. 1548, *Jones v. Beach*, 1886, J., No. 885, and *Bennell v. Beach*, 1886, B., No. 3044, with the approbation of Mr. Justice Kay, the Judge to whose Court the said action is attached, in three lots, by Charles Perry Whiteley, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Mart, Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, the 22nd day of July, 1887, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely:—

Long leasehold property, being Nos. 1 and 2, Love-ridge-road and No. 11 (formerly No. 6), Ariel-street, Kilburn, in the county of Middlesex, held on underleases for mortgage terms of about 90 years unexpired.

Particulars whereof may be had (gratis) of Phelps, Sidgwick, and Biddle, Solicitors, 18, Gresham-street, E.C.; at the Mart; and at the Auctioneer's office, 76, Queen-street, Cheapside, E.C.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Judgment of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action in the matter of the estate of Frederick Chifferiel, deceased, *Chifferiel v. Watson*, 1883, C., 3155, with the approbation of Mr. Justice North, by Mr. Bentley James Bridgewater (of the firm of Messrs. Debenham, Tewson, Farmer, and Bridgewater), the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Mart, Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, on Friday, the 29th July, 1887, at two o'clock precisely, in three lots, the following valuable estates:—

Lot 1. A spacious family residence, the Bungalow, Avenue-road, Worcester Park, Surrey, with stabling, lodge, gardener's cottage, and pleasure grounds, in all about 2A. 2R. 23P., of which 1A. 1R. 33P. is leasehold for 21 years from Midsummer, 1880, at a rent of £12 per annum; the remainder being freehold.

Lot 2. A freehold shop, No. 2, Redcross-road, Worcester Park, Surrey, leased till Lady Day, 1896, at £40 per annum.

Lot 3. About 21A. 1R. 21P. of freehold or accommodation land, situate in the parish of Cuddington, Surrey, and having a considerable frontage to Cuddington-avenue, and affording several sites for the erection of gentlemen's residences.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be obtained of Messrs. Beaumont and Son, Solicitors, 23, Lincoln's-inn-fields, W.C.; at the Mart; and of the Auctioneer, No. 80, Cheapside, London, E.C.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in the matter of the estate of Matilda Smart, Widow, deceased, *White v. Smart*, 1886, S., No. 1495, with the approbation of Mr. Justice North, by Mr. Edward Butcher, of the firm of Butcher and Son, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the King's Head Hotel, at Epsom, in the county of Surrey, on Wednesday, the 3rd day of August,

1887, at four o'clock in the afternoon, precisely, in three lots:—

Certain freehold and copyhold estates, situate in the parish of Epsom, in the county of Surrey, comprising nine freehold cottages, situate at Pyke's Hill, Epsom, and a copyhold messuage, situate in East-street, Epsom.

May be viewed by permission of the tenants, and particulars and conditions of sale may be obtained (gratis) of George Henry White, Solicitor, Court House, Epsom; Messrs. Letts Brothers, 8, Bartlett's-buildings, London; at the place of sale; and of Messrs. Butcher and Son, Auctioneers, Estate, and Land Agents, Epsom.

WHEREAS by an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in a certain action of *Taylor v. Taylor* (1886, T., No. 381), and dated the 28th day of February, 1887, it was ordered that the hereditaments situate at Old Radford, in the town and county of the town of Nottingham, and at Carlton, in the county of Nottingham, in England, which John Taylor, formerly of Old Radford aforesaid, by his will and codicil gave and devised (in events which have happened) equally between such of the children of his son, John Taylor, as should be living at the death of such son, or to the lawful issue (if any) of any such child or children who should die before becoming entitled as aforesaid, should be sold. And whereas in pursuance of the said Order, the said hereditaments have been sold, and the money produced by such sale has been paid into Court to the credit of the said action. Notice is hereby given, that the person or persons claiming to be the child or lawful issue of Henry Taylor, formerly of Nottingham, in the Kingdom of England, who afterwards emigrated to and resided at Chicago, and subsequently at San Francisco, both in the United States of America, who it is believed followed the occupation of a Wire Worker, and who died at San Francisco aforesaid in or about September, 1874, are to come in before Mr. Justice North, at his Chambers, in the Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, in England, on or before the 29th day of October, 1887, and establish his, her, or their claim to participate in such money and the net rents and profits of the said hereditaments, and that in default thereof the said money and rents and profits (less costs of action) will, after the 29th day of October, 1887, be distributed in such manner and among such parties as to the Court shall appear to be most in accordance with the rights of the persons whose claims to participate therein have been established. Monday, the 31st day of October, 1887, at twelve of the clock at noon at the said Chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.

Anns-Tombs-Shepherd-Loadman.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in the matter of the estate of Thomas Anns, deceased, and in an action *Gauntlett v. Clark*, 1886, A., No. 1606, the persons claiming to be children or other issue of brothers and sisters of the testator Thomas Anns, late of No. 9, North Crescent, Bedford-square, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, who died on or about the 10th day of February, 1848, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 1st December, 1887, to come in and prove their claims at the chambers of Mr. Justice North, at the Royal Courts of Justice, London, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded, from the benefit of the said order. Thursday the 16th December, 1887, at 12 o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 8th July, 1887.

PURSUANT to a Judgment of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in an action re *Lawrence's Estate*, Ashby against Lawrence, 1887, L., 1229, the creditors of Charles Lawrence, deceased, late of the town and county of the town of Southampton, Lead Merchant and Ship Chandler, who died in or about the month of April, 1887, are, on or before the 31st day of August, 1887, to send by post, prepaid, to Francis Henry Candy, of the firm of Candy and Candy, of Southampton, the Solicitors of the defendant, Frances Lawrence, 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 Judgment. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before Mr. Justice North, at his chambers, the Royal Courts of Justice, London, on the 25th day of October, 1887, at one o'clock in the afternoon, being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 8th day of July, 1887.

LOVELL, SON, and PITFIELD, 3, Gray's-inn-square, London; Agents for

PEARCE, PARIS, and SMITH, Southampton, Plaintiff's Solicitors.

PURSUANT to a Judgment of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in the matter of the estate of John Croome, deceased, and in an action, *Snailum v. Hawkins*, 1887, C., 1365, the creditors of the said John Croome, deceased, late of Kingswood, near Wotton-under-Edge, in the county of Gloucester, Gentleman, who died on the 10th day of November, 1886, are, on or before the 1st day of September, to send, by post, to Mr. Arthur Henry Chanter, of Wotton-under-Edge aforesaid, a member of the firm of Turner and Chanter, of the same place, the solicitors of the defendant James Hawkins, the executor of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and description, 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 Mr. Justice Chitty, at his chambers, the Royal Courts of Justice, London, on Tuesday, the 25th day of October, 1887, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 9th day of July, 1887.

J. and W. MAUDE, Arundel House, Victoria Embankment, London, W.C.; Agents for
MANN and RODWAY, Trowbridge, Plaintiff's Solicitors.

COUNTY COURTS' JURISDICTION.

PURSUANT to an Order of the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford, made in an action *Hanson against Parker*, the creditors of, or claimants against, the estate of Martha Parker, late of Hall-lane, Windhill, in the parish of Calverley, in the county of York, the Wife of Jesse Parker, who died in or about the month of June, 1884, are, on or before the 3rd day of August, 1887, to send by post, prepaid, to the Registrars of the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them. In default thereof they may be excluded from any benefit in the estate. Every creditor holding any security is to produce or transmit the same to the Registrars aforesaid, on or before the 4th day of August, 1887, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 7th day of July, 1887.

EDMUND LEE, Registrar.

Re Edwin Catlow.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for Benefit of Creditors.

WHEREAS by indenture, dated the 10th day of February, 1887, and made between Edwin Catlow, of 134, Kirkgate, Leeds, in the county of York, Hatter (thereinafter called the debtor), of the first part, John Wood Pickard, of 18, Albion-street, Leeds, aforesaid, Chartered Accountant (thereinafter called the Trustee), of the second part, and the creditors of the said debtor, of the third part, the said debtor assigned to the said Trustee all his estate and effects whatsoever upon trust for the benefit of his creditors. Notice is hereby given, that the Trustee is about to declare a First and Final Dividend, and that all creditors who have not yet given the Trustee notice of their claims are required to send particulars thereof to the said John Wood Pickard, at his said address, on or before the 9th day of August, 1887, otherwise they will be excluded from participation in such Dividend.—Dated this 8th day of July, 1887.

CHAS. WHITELEY, 19, Albion-street, Leeds, Solicitor for the said Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Chesterfield.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Beard, lately residing at the Saint Helen's Inn, in Chesterfield, in the county of Derby, and carrying on the business of a Licensed Victualler thereat, and now residing at the Stonegravel Nurseries, near Chesterfield aforesaid, and also carrying on the business of a Market Gardener and Nurseryman, at the said Stonegravel Nurseries, and also at the Brimington Nurseries, near Chesterfield aforesaid, and also trading under the style of William Beard and Co., as a Clothier, Draper, Furniture Dealer, and Boot and Shoe Dealer, at Chesterfield aforesaid.

THE creditors of the above-named William Beard who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 30th day of July, 1887, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Edward Mitchell, of 19, Marsden-street, Chesterfield, in the county of Derby, Accountant, the Trustee under the liquidation, or

in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 9th day of July, 1887.

EDWARD MITCHELL, Trustee.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of the Sunderland 25th Universal Building Society; and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and in the Matter of the Building Societies Act, 1874.

BY an Order made in the above matters by his Honour Judge Meynell, the Judge of the above-named County Court, dated the 2nd day of July instant, it was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the Sunderland 28th Universal Building Society be continued, but subject to the supervision of the Court, and any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding up might be adopted as the Court should think fit; and the creditors, contributories, and Liquidators of the said Building Society, and all other persons interested, were to be at liberty to apply to the Court as there might be occasion. And it was further ordered that the costs of the petitioner, and of the said contributories supporting the petition, be taxed by the Taxing Master, and paid out of the assets of the said Building Society.—Dated this 9th day of July, 1887.

GEO. S. LAWSON, No. 10, Villiers-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Solicitor for the Petitioner.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of the Sunderland 29th Universal Building Society; and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and in the Matter of the Building Societies Act, 1874.

BY an Order made in the above matters by his Honour Judge Meynell, the Judge of the above-named County Court, dated the 2nd day of July instant, it was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the Sunderland 29th Universal Building Society be continued, but subject to the supervision of the Court, and any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding up might be adopted as the Court should think fit; and the creditors, contributories, and Liquidators of the said Building Society, and all other persons interested, were to be at liberty to apply to the Court as there might be occasion. And it was further ordered that the costs of the petitioner, and of the said contributories supporting the petition, be taxed by the Taxing Master, and paid out of the assets of the said Building Society.—Dated this 9th day of July, 1887.

GEO. S. LAWSON, No. 10, Villiers-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Solicitor for the Petitioner.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of the Sunderland 30th Universal Building Society; and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and in the Matter of the Building Societies Act, 1874.

BY an Order made in the above matters by his Honour Judge Meynell, the Judge of the above-named County Court, dated the 2nd day of July instant, it was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the Sunderland 30th Universal Building Society be continued, but subject to the supervision of the Court, and any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding up might be adopted as the Court should think fit; and the creditors, contributories, and Liquidators of the said Building Society, and all other persons interested, were to be at liberty to apply to the Court as there might be occasion. And it was further ordered that the costs of the petitioner, and of the said contributories supporting the petition, be taxed by the Taxing Master, and paid out of the assets of the said Building Society.—Dated this 9th day of July, 1887.

GEO. S. LAWSON, No. 10, Villiers-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Solicitor for the Petitioner.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of the Sunderland 31st Universal Building Society; and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and in the Matter of the Building Societies Act, 1874.

BY an Order made in the above matters by His Honour Judge Meynell, the Judge of the above-named County Court, dated the 2nd day of July instant, it was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the Sunderland 31st Universal Building Society be continued, but subject to the supervision of the Court, and any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding up might be adopted as the Court should think fit; and the creditors, contributories, and Liquidators of the said Building Society, and all other persons interested, were to be at liberty to apply to the Court as there might be occasion. And it was further ordered that the costs of the petitioner, and of the said contributories supporting the petition,

be taxed by the Taxing Master, and paid out of the assets of the said Building Society.—Dated this 9th day of July, 1887.

GEO. S. LAWSON, No. 10, Villiers-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Solicitor for the Petitioner.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of the Sunderland 32nd Universal Building Society; and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and in the Matter of the Building Societies Act, 1874.

By an Order made in the above matters by his Honour Judge Meynell, the Judge of the above-named County Court, dated the 2nd day of July instant, it was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the Sunderland 32nd Universal Building Society be continued, but subject to the supervision of the Court, and any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding up might be adopted as the Court should think fit; and the creditors, contributories, and Liquidators of the said Building Society, and all other persons interested, were to be at liberty to apply to the Court as there might be occasion. And it was further ordered that the costs of the petitioner, and of the said contributories supporting the petition, be taxed by the Taxing Master, and paid out of the assets of the said Building Society.—Dated this 9th day of July, 1887.

GEO. S. LAWSON, No. 10, Villiers-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Solicitor for the Petitioner.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of the Sunderland 33rd Universal Building Society; and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and in the Matter of the Building Societies Act, 1874.

By an Order made in the above matters by his Honour Judge Meynell, the Judge of the above-named County Court, dated the 2nd day of July instant, it was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the Sunderland 33rd Universal Building Society be continued, but subject to the supervision of the Court, and any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding up might be adopted as the Court should think fit; and the creditors, contributories, and Liquidators of the said Building Society, and all other persons interested, were to be at liberty to apply to the Court as there might be occasion. And it was further ordered that the costs of the petitioner, and of the said contributories supporting the petition, be taxed by the Taxing Master, and paid out of the assets of the said Building Society.—Dated this 9th day of July, 1887.

GEO. S. LAWSON, No. 10, Villiers-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Solicitor for the Petitioner.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of the Sunderland 34th Universal Building Society; and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and in the Matter of the Building Societies Act, 1874.

By an Order made in the above matters by his Honour Judge Meynell, the Judge of the above-named County Court, dated the 2nd day of July instant, it was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the Sunderland 34th Universal Building Society be continued, but subject to the supervision of the Court, and any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding up might be adopted as the Court should think fit; and the creditors, contributories, and Liquidators of the said Building Society, and all other persons interested, were to be at liberty to apply to the Court as there might be occasion. And it was further ordered that the costs of the petitioner, and of the said contributories supporting the petition, be taxed by the Taxing Master, and paid out of the assets of the said Building Society.—Dated this 9th day of July, 1887.

GEO. S. LAWSON, No. 10, Villiers-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Solicitor for the Petitioner.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of the Sunderland 35th Universal Building Society; and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and in the Matter of the Building Societies Act, 1874.

By an Order made in the above matters by his Honour Judge Meynell, the Judge of the above-named County Court, dated the 2nd day of July instant, it was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the Sunderland 35th Universal Building Society be continued, but subject to the supervision of the Court, and any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding up might be adopted as the Court should think fit; and the creditors, contributories, and Liquidators of the said Building Society, and all other persons interested, were to be at liberty to apply to the Court as there might be occasion.

And it was further ordered that the costs of the petitioner, and of the said contributories supporting the petition, be taxed by the Taxing Master, and paid out of the assets of the said Building Society.—Dated this 9th day of July, 1887.

GEO. S. LAWSON, No. 10, Villiers-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Solicitor for the Petitioner.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of the Sunderland 36th Universal Building Society; and in the matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and in the Matter of the Building Societies Act, 1874.

By an Order made in the above matters by his Honour Judge Meynell, the Judge of the above-named County Court, dated the 2nd day of July instant, it was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the Sunderland 36th Universal Building Society be continued, but subject to the supervision of the Court, and any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding up might be adopted as the Court should think fit; and the creditors, contributories, and Liquidators of the said Building Society, and all other persons interested, were to be at liberty to apply to the Court as there might be occasion. And it was further ordered that the costs of the petitioner, and of the said contributories supporting the petition, be taxed by the Taxing Master, and paid out of the assets of the said Building Society.—Dated this 9th day of July, 1887.

GEO. S. LAWSON, No. 10, Villiers-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Solicitor for the Petitioner.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of the Sunderland 37th Universal Building Society; and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and in the matter of the Building Societies Act, 1874.

By an Order made in the above matters by his Honour Judge Meynell, the Judge of the above-named County Court, dated the 2nd day of July instant, it was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the Sunderland 37th Universal Building Society be continued, but subject to the supervision of the Court, and any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding up might be adopted as the Court should think fit; and the creditors, contributories, and Liquidators of the said Building Society, and all other persons interested, were to be at liberty to apply to the Court as there might be occasion. And it was further ordered that the costs of the petitioner, and of the said contributories supporting the petition, be taxed by the Taxing Master, and paid out of the assets of the said Building Society.—Dated this 9th day of July, 1887.

GEO. S. LAWSON, No. 10, Villiers-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Solicitor for the Petitioner.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the High Court of Justice, in Bankruptcy. In the Matter of James King, of No. 27, Malva-road, Wandsworth, in the county of Surrey, Builder, a Bankrupt.

The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court sitting in Bankruptcy, No. 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on Thursday, the 21st day of July, 1887, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon.—Dated this 11th day of July, 1887.

THE estates of Isabella Thomson, wife of Thomas McDonald, carrying on business for her own behoof, under the style or firm of the People's Boot-maker, at Nos. 22, 23, and 24, Albert-place, Leith-walk, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on 8th July, 1887, by the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles, at Edinburgh.

The first deliverance is dated the 8th July, 1887.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock, on Friday, the 22nd day of July, 1887, within Dowell's Rooms, No. 18, 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 9th November, 1887.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

GEORGE JACK, S.S.C.,
Dalkeith, Agent.

NOTICE.

THE estates of William Crawford and Company, Engineers, 12, Ruby-street, Glasgow, and William Crawford, 224, Baltic, Glasgow, the only known Partner of the said Firm, were sequestrated on 8th July, 1887, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated 8th July, 1887.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Friday, 22nd July, 1887, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's-place, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before 8th November, 1887.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

McGRIGOR, DONALD, and CO.,
172, St. Vincent-street, Glasgow, Agents.
Glasgow, 8th July, 1887.

THE estates of Thomas Whitelaw, Parochial School Master, in the parish of Canonbie, in the county of Dumfries, were sequestrated on the 8th day of July, 1887, by the Sheriff of Dumfries and Galloway at Dumfries.

The first deliverance is dated the 8th day of July, 1887.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on the 21st day of July, 1887, within the Queensberry Hotel, Dumfries.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 8th day of November, 1887.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

J. McW. HAIRSTENS, Solicitor,
No. 29, Buccleuch-street, Dumfries, Agent.

THE estates of James Watson, China Merchant, West End, Grantown, in the county of Elgin, were sequestrated on the 7th day of July, 1887, by the Sheriff-Substitute of Inverness, Elgin, and Nairn, at Elgin.

The first deliverance is dated the 27th day of July, 1887.

The meeting to elect the Trustees and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Saturday, the 16th day of July, 1887, within the Gordon Arms Hotel, in Elgin.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 7th day of November, 1887.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

FORSYTH and STEWART, Solicitors, Elgin, Agent.

THE estates of James Turnbull, sometime Grocer and Wine Merchant, No. 1, Marchmont-crescent, Edinburgh, and now Provision Merchant, in Crail, were sequestrated on the 7th day of July, 1887, by the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills.

The first deliverance is dated 7th July, 1887.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Monday, the 18th day of July, 1887, within Dowell's Rooms, 18, 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 7th day of November, 1887.

The sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the Sheriffdom of the Lothians and Peebles, at Edinburgh.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

W. TAIT, S.S.C.,
7, North St. David-street, Edinburgh, Agent.

THE estates of William Affleck, Accountant, in Glasgow, were sequestrated on 5th day of July, 1887, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 4th day of June, 1887.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, on Monday, the 18th day of July, 1887, within the Faculty Hall, Saint George's-place, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 5th day of November, 1887.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

J. and D. F. COLQUHOUN,
158, St. Vincent-street, Glasgow.
Glasgow, 7th July, 1887.

THE estates of Peter Jamieson, lately Merchant, Lerwick, and carrying on business under the style of Peter Jamieson and Company, Merchants, Lerwick, now residing at No. 7, Hope-terrace, Leith, were sequestrated on the 8th day of July, 1887, by the Court of Session.

No. 25720.

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The first deliverance is dated the 8th day of July, 1887.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock, afternoon, on Monday, the 18th day of July, 1887, within Dowell's Rooms, No. 18, 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 8th day of November, 1887.

The sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff Court of the Sheriffdom of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

BOYD, JAMIESON, and KELLY, W.S.,
Leith, Agents.

In the High Court of Justice, in Bankruptcy.

No. 528 of 1887.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Notice dated the 3rd day of March, 1887.

To Cecil Devereux Holmes, late of Downner, Harrow, in the county of Middlesex, but whose present residence the Judgment Creditors are unable to ascertain.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Notice has been issued against you by this Court on the request of Messrs. Bowring, Arundel, and Co., of 39, Old Bond-street, in the county of Middlesex, Hosiers, and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette and in the Naval and Military Gazette newspapers shall be deemed to be service of the Bankruptcy Notice upon you. The Bankruptcy Notice can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated this 1st day of July, 1887.

WILLIAM HAZLITT, Registrar.

In the High Court of Justice, in Bankruptcy.

No. 1478 of 1887.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Notice, dated the 17th day of June, 1887.

To Sir Harry Paul Barrard, Baronet, late of Laurel Bank House, Fulham, in the county of Middlesex, but whose present residence the Judgment Creditor is unable to ascertain.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Notice has been issued against you in this Court on the request of Frederick William Flight, of No. 90, High-street, Winchester, in the county of Hants, Tailor, and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette and in the Times newspaper shall be deemed to be service of the Bankruptcy Notice upon you. The Bankruptcy Notice can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated the 8th day of July, 1887.

WILLIAM HAZLITT, Registrar.

In the High Court of Justice, in Bankruptcy.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition, filed the 30th day of June, 1887.

To G. D. Petrie, of 1, De Vere-gardens, Kensington, in the county of Middlesex.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Petition has been presented against you to this Court by the General Stock Exchange Limited, of 48, St. James's-street, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette and in the Times newspaper 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 29th day of July, 1887, at twelve o'clock at noon, on which day you are required to appear, and if you do not appear the Court may make a Receiving Order against you in your absence. The petition can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated this 8th day of July, 1887.

WILLIAM HAZLITT, Registrar.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In Bankruptcy. No. 66 of 1887.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition filed the 18th day of June, 1887.

To Henry Goold, of 6, Union-passage, Birmingham, and also of Berkswell, both in the county of Warwick, Silk Mercer.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Petition has been presented against you to this Court by Ryland and Sons Limited, of New High-street, Manchester, and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette and in the Birmingham Daily Post newspaper 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 22nd day of July, at two o'clock in the afternoon, on which day you are required to appear, and if you do not appear the Court may make a Receiving Order against you in your absence. The petition can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated this 9th day of July, 1887.

EDWIN PARRY, Registrar.

THE BANKRUPTCY ACT, 1883.
RECEIVING ORDERS.

| No. | Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | Date of Filing Petition. | No. of Matter. | Date of Receiving Order. | No. of Receiving Order. | Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition. | Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition. |
|------|---|--|--|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|--|--|
| 2537 | Coulthard, Richard ... | Late the Farnham Castle, 29, Trinity-lane, London, now residing at 145, Fenchurch-street, London | Late Licensed Victualler, now of no occupation | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | July 7, 1887... | 777 of 1887 | July 7, 1887... | 487 | Debtor's | |
| 2538 | Foulger, Thomas (formerly carrying on business as the Estates Development Agency) | Creey, Anerley-road, Crystal Palace, Surrey, formerly Lombard-street, London | Insurance Agent, formerly Land Agent | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | July 8, 1887... | 784 of 1887 | July 8, 1887... | 492 | Debtor's | |
| 2539 | Malet, Francis Blundell Warre | 36, Roland-gardens, South Kensington, Middlesex | Gentleman | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | June 13, 1887 | 668 of 1887 | July 8, 1887... | 491 | Creditor's... | Sec. 4-1 (D.) |
| 2540 | Robertson, W. | 1, Brabant-court, London | Tea Merchant | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | June 13, 1887 | 676 of 1887 | July 7, 1887... | 489 | Creditor's... | Sec. 4-1 (G.) |
| 2541 | Van den Berg, John (trading as T. De Roo) | 108, Tredegar-road, Bow, Middlesex | Boot and Shoe Manufacturer | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | July 9, 1887... | 791 of 1887 | July 9, 1887... | 493 | Debtor's | |
| 2542 | Viscardini, Giovanni ... | Residing at 9, John-street, Bedford-row, and trading at 69, Mount Pleasant, Clerkenwell, Middlesex | Cabinet Maker | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | July 7, 1887... | 775 of 1887 | July 7, 1887... | 486 | Debtor's | |
| 2543 | Wright, Samuel (trading as S. Wright and Company) | 6, Lilypot-lane, Noble-street, London | Warehouseman | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | June 17, 1887 | 697 of 1887 | July 7, 1887... | 490 | Creditor's... | Sec. 4-1 (G.) |
| 2544 | Rooke, George Walter ... | 36, George-street, Wombwell, lately trading at High-street, Wombwell, Yorkshire | Butcher | Barnsley | July 8, 1887... | 17 of 1887 | July 8, 1887... | 15 | Debtor's | |
| 2545 | Lewis, Edwin Charles ... | 12, Kingston-buildings, 15, York-street, and 38, Southgate-street, all in Bath | Auctioneer, Accountant, and Pork Butcher | Bath | June 9, 1887 | 9 of 1887 | July 9, 1887... | 12 | Creditor's... | Sec. 4-1 (D.), (E.) |
| 2546 | Bliss, Robert Enoch ... | 98, Gooch-street and 4, Colmore-row, Birmingham, Warwickshire | Fruiterer and Confectioner | Birmingham ... | July 7, 1887... | 76 of 1887 | July 7, 1887... | 69 | Debtor's | |

RECEIVING ORDERS—*continued.*

| No. | Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | Date of Filing Petition. | No. of Matter. | Date of Receiving Order. | No. of Receiving Order. | Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition. | Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition. |
|------|---|---|---|-----------------|--------------------------|----------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|--|--|
| 2547 | Solomon, Nathan ... | Heath-street, Birmingham, Warwickshire ... | Glazier | Birmingham ... | June 17, 1887 | 65 of 1887 | July 7, 1887... | 68 | Creditor's... | Sec. 4-1 (D.) |
| 2548 | Summers, Frederick George, and Summers, Edward Horatio (trading as Summers Bros.) ... | 42, Reservoir-road, Birmingham, Warwick- shire, and trading at Easy-row, Birmingham Highfield-road, Harborne, Staffordshire Tudor Works, Ladywood-road, Birmingham | Coal Merchant Glass Bevellers and Silverers | Birmingham ... | July 8, 1887... | 77 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | 70 | Debtor's | |
| 2549 | Hopkins, George Hewitt | Elmington Farm, Henbury, Gloucestershire... | Farmer | Bristol | July 7, 1887... | 38 of 1887 | July 7, 1887... | 37 | Debtor's | |
| 2550 | Huddart, Jane | Moorhouse, near Carlisle, Cumberland ... | Beerhouse Keeper, Widow | Carlisle... .. | July 8, 1887... | 23 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | 20 | Debtor's | |
| 2551 | Thompson, James | Solway Hotel, Silloth, Cumberland | Hotel Keeper | Carlisle... .. | July 9, 1887... | 24 of 1887 | July 9, 1887... | 21 | Debtor's | |
| 2552 | Townsend, George Henry (trading as George Townsend) | Pontcarreg Factory, in the county of the borough of Carmarthen | Woollen Manufacturer ... | Carmarthen ... | July 8, 1887... | 16 of 1887 | July 8, 1887... | 15 | Debtor's | |
| 2553 | Gardner, Robert | Galleywood Common, Great Baddow, Essex | Poultry Dealer | Chelmsford ... | July 8, 1887 ... | 17 of 1887 | July 8, 1887... | 15 | Debtor's | |
| 2554 | Higgins, Howard... .. | 46, Owen-street, Tipton, Staffordshire ... | Painter, Decorator, and Picture Mouldings Dealer | Dudley | July 5, 1887... | 13 of 1887 | July 5, 1887... | 13 | Debtor's | |
| 2555 | Chalice, Richard David... | Formerly 10, James-street, then 22, Exeter- street, then 57, Baring-street, now 1, Sal- tram-cottages, Zion-street, all in Plymouth, Devonshire | Painter and House Decorator | East Stonehouse | July 7, 1887... | 27 of 1887 | July 7, 1887... | 23 | Debtor's | |
| 2556 | Cridge, John Richard ... | The Queen's Hotel, Torquay, Devonshire ... | Hotel Proprietor... .. | Exeter | July 7, 1887 ... | 26 of 1887 | July 7, 1887... | 26 | Debtor's | |
| 2557 | Endacott, William | Fore-street, Bovey Tracey, also trading at 72A, Queen-street, Newton Abbott, both in Devonshire | Tailor | Exeter | July 8, 1887 ... | 27 of 1887 | July 8, 1887... | 27 | Debtor's | |

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RECEIVING ORDERS—*continued.*

| No. | Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | Date of Filing Petition. | No. of Matter. | Date of Receiving Order. | No. of Receiving Order. | Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition. | Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition. |
|------|---|--|---|-------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|--|--|
| 2558 | Goddard, Arthur ... | Late 9, Silverdale-buildings, Sydenham, Kent, now a Prisoner in Her Majesty's Prison, Wandsworth Common, Surrey | Builder | Greenwich ... | June 23, 1887 | 14 of 1887 | July 8, 1887... | 12 | Creditor's... | Sec. 4-1 (H.) |
| 2559 | Smith, George James ... | 24, Cranston-road, Forest Hill, parish of Lewisham, Kent, lately trading at Brockley, Kent | Late Builder, now of no occupation | Greenwich ... | July 8, 1887... | 15 of 1887 | July 8, 1887... | 13 | Debtor's | |
| 2560 | Noblet, Thomas ... | The Lichfield Pottery Company, Lichfield-street Works, Hanley, Staffordshire | | Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall | June 20, 1887 | 16 of 1887 | July 8, 1887... | 15 | Creditor's... | Sec. 4-1 (G.) |
| 2561 | Platt, Samuel ... | The Five Road Ends Inn, Silverdale, Staffordshire | Bearhouse Keeper and Miner | Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall | July 9, 1887... | 18 of 1887 | July 9, 1887... | 16 | Debtor's | |
| 2562 | Sykes, Joseph ... | Damside, Huddersfield | Finisher | Huddersfield ... | July 5, 1887... | 11 of 1887 | July 7, 1887 | 9 | Creditor's... | Sec. 4-1 (A.) |
| 2563 | Evans, William ... | New Inn, Fownhope, Herefordshire | Publican and Painter ... | Hereford ... | July 9, 1887... | 12 of 1887 | July 9, 1887... | 7 | Debtor's | |
| 2564 | Otter, Fred ... | Formerly the Rosebud Inn, Roundhay-road, Leeds, now in lodgings at 105, Hope-street, Leeds, Yorkshire | Late Publican, now Journeyman Tailor | Leeds | July 7, 1887... | 37 of 1887 | July 7, 1887... | 35 | Debtor's | |
| 2565 | Jacobskötter, William ... | 17, Ullet-road, Toxteth Park, Lancashire, formerly carrying on business with Christopher George Mill, at 9, Alexandra-buildings, Ormond-street, Liverpool, as Jacobskötter and Co. | Mercantile Manager, late General Merchant | Liverpool ... | July 6, 1887... | 82 of 1887 | July 8, 1887... | 73 | Creditor's... | Sec. 4-1 (F.) |
| 2566 | Crute, Stephen ... | Grange Mount, Albert-road, West Kirby, Cheshire, and 24, Walker-street, Liverpool, Lancashire, lately residing and trading at 23, Baker-street, Liverpool | Slater and Plasterer ... | Liverpool ... | July 8, 1887... | 85 of 1887 | July 8, 1887... | 74 | Debtor's | |
| 2567 | Suter, William Henry ... | Lately carrying on business at 17A, South Castle-street, Liverpool, Lancashire, with Alfred Byford, as Suter and Co., and residing at 15, Huntly-road, Fairfield, near Liverpool | Late Ship and Insurance Broker and Insurance Agent, now out of business | Liverpool ... | July 7, 1887... | 84 of 1887 | July 7, 1887 | 72 | Debtor's | |
| 2568 | Pearson, George (trading as George Robertson Pearson) | Residing at 10, Bensham-crescent, and carrying on business at Redheugh, both in Gateshead, county of Durham | Cement Manufacturer and Commission Agent | Newcastle-on-Tyne | July 9, 1887... | 50 of 1887 | July 9, 1887... | 49 | Debtor's | |

RECEIVING ORDERS—continued.

| No. | Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | Date of Filing Petition. | No. of Matter. | Date of Receiving Order. | No. of Receiving Order. | Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition. | Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition. |
|------|-----------------------------|---|---|------------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|--|--|
| 2569 | Rowe, John | Park-street, Bletchley, Buckinghamshire ... | Draper, Clothier, Book-seller, Stationer, and Boot Warehouseman | Northampton ... | June 25, 1887 | 21 of 1887 | July 5, 1887 ... | 20 | Creditor's... | Sec. 4-1 (D.) |
| 2570 | Cashmore, Stephen ... | Bromford-lane, West Bromwich, Staffordshire | Licensed Victualler ... | Oldbury ... | July 7, 1887 ... | 16 of 1887 | July 7, 1887 ... | 16 | Debtor's | |
| 2571 | Hilliard, William Benjamin | The Lower Wharf, Wallingford, Berkshire, and Moulsoford Station, Berkshire | Coal, Coke, and Salt Merchant | Oxford | July 9, 1887 ... | 19 of 1887 | July 9, 1887 ... | 18 | Debtor's | |
| 2572 | Peyton, George Edward | St. George's-road, Portsmouth | Carriage Manufacturer ... | Portsmouth ... | July 5, 1887 ... | 23 of 1887 | July 5, 1887 ... | 23 | Debtor's | |
| 2573 | Crisp, John | Stockton-on-Tees, county of Durham ... | Commission Agent ... | Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesbrough | July 8, 1887 ... | 40 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | 37 | Debtor's | |
| 2574 | Rielly, Hugh Joseph ... | Trading at Portrack-lane, Stockton-on-Tees, county of Durham, and residing at the Blue Posts Inn, High-street, Stockton-on-Tees | Grocer and Provision Dealer and Innkeeper | Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesbrough | June 30, 1887 | 38 of 1887 | July 7, 1887 ... | 36 | Creditor's... | Sec. 4-1 (D.) |
| 2575 | Beilby, James | Tavistock-street, Leamington Priors, Warwickshire | Gilder and Picture Frame Maker | Warwick | July 7, 1887 ... | 21 of 1887 | July 7, 1887 .. | 21 | Debtor's | |
| 2576 | Eland, John Hugh Nottingham | Priory House, Poppleton, Yorkshire | Dealer in Horses... .. | York | July 8, 1887 ... | 40 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | 38 | Debtor's | |
| | | <i>The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 10th May, 1887.</i> | | | | | | | | |
| 1792 | Trimm, Richard Curtis ... | Hersham, Walton-on-Thames, Surrey ... | Contractor | Kingston, Surrey | March 26, 1887 | 9 of 1887 | April 15, 1887 | 11 | Creditor's... | Sec. 4-1 (G.) |

FIRST MEETINGS AND PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS.

| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. | Date of First Meeting. | Hour. | Place. | Date of Public Examination. | Hour. | Place. | Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration. |
|--------------------------------|---|---|-------------------------------------|-------------|------------------------|-----------|---|-----------------------------|------------|--|--|
| Bradbury, Samuel William | Residing at 1, New Oxford-street, Middlesex, lately residing and trading at Philip-lane, London, and before at Walton-on-Thames, Surrey, formerly of Llandovery, South Wales, and of Birkenhead, Cheshire | Commercial Traveller, lately Licensed Victualler, and formerly a Sheep Dip Manufacturer | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 721 of 1887 | July 19, 1887 | 11 A.M. | 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London | July 27, 1887 | 12 noon | 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C. | June 29, 1887 |
| Carlton, Edwin | Lately 7, Powis-gardens, Bayswater, Middlesex, present residence the Petitioning Creditors are unable to ascertain | ... | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 609 of 1887 | July 19, 1887 | 12 noon | 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London | July 27, 1887 | 11.30 A.M. | 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C. | |
| Haines, Joseph Charles | Now 57, Southampton-row, Holborn, now or late of Belle Vue Mansion, 41, King's-road, Brighton, Sussex | House and Estate Agent Boarding-house Keeper | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 658 of 1887 | July 21, 1887 | 12 noon | Bankruptcy - buildings, Portugal-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields London | July 29, 1887 | 2 P.M. | 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C. | July 6, 1887 |
| Halford, Frederick Benjamin | 26, Cleveland-gardens, Hyde Park, Middlesex, previously trading at 22 and 23, Redcross-street, London, and at Manchester, Liverpool, Dublin, Edinburgh, Leith, and Belfast | Out of business, lately a Director of B. Hyam and Co. Limited, and previously trading with Benjamin Halford, Edward Eleazor Halford, and Adolphe Abraham Halford, as B. Hyam and Son, Clothiers | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 646 of 1887 | July 20, 1887 | 11 A.M. | Bankruptcy - buildings, Portugal-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London | July 29, 1887 | 1 P.M. | 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C. | |
| Jardine, Arthur Murray | Lately Kilnwick Hall, Kilnwick-on-the-Wolds, York, now 21, Euston-square, Middlesex | Gentleman | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 479 of 1887 | July 19, 1887 | 2.30 P.M. | 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London | July 29, 1887 | 1 P.M. | 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C. | June 14, 1887 |
| Keat, Aldwyn Pelham | 8, George-yard, Lombard-street, London | Solicitor | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 402 of 1887 | July 20, 1887 | 2.30 P.M. | 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London | July 28, 1887 | 11.30 A.M. | 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C. | June 14, 1887 |

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| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. | Date of First Meeting. | Hour. | Place. | Date of Public Examination. | Hour. | Place, | Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration. |
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| Liardet, J. Evelyn ... | 16, London-street, London, lately residing at 170, Holland-road, Kensington, and 17, Oriel-road, Hammersmith, both in Middlesex, previously 4, Breakspear's-road, Brockley, Kent | | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 596 of 1887 | July 21, 1887 | 11 A.M. | Bankruptcy - buildings, Portugal-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London | July 28, 1887 | 12 noon | 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C. | |
| Preece, William Thomas | 240A, Seven Sisters'-road and 50, Isledon-road, Holloway, Middlesex | Job and Post Master | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 624 of 1887 | July 19, 1887 | 11 A.M. | Bankruptcy - buildings, Portugal-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London | July 28, 1887 | 11.30 A.M. | 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C. | |
| Simmons, Frederick | 40, Garden-row, London-road, Southwark, Surrey | Engineer | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 680 of 1887 | July 20, 1887 | 11 A.M. | 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London | July 26, 1887 | 12 noon | 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C. | July 5, 1887 |
| Simson, Joseph Kinsbury (trading as J. K. Simson and Co.) | 97, Patshull-road, Kentish Town, lately trading at 163, Gower-street, both in Middlesex | Wholesale Importer of Musical Instruments | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 742 of 1887 | July 21, 1887 | 11 A.M. | 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London | July 26, 1887 | 12.30 P.M. | 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C. | |
| Whatley, George Edward Stuart | Lately residing at Abingdon, Berks, now residing at 14, Elm-grove, Hammersmith, Middlesex | Accountant's Clerk | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 703 of 1887 | July 20, 1887 | 12 noon | 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London | July 26, 1887 | 12 noon | 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C. | June 22, 1887 |
| Cannings, John ... | 38, Bromsgrove-street, Birmingham, Warwickshire | Grindery Dealer and Bootmaker | Birmingham ... | 61 of 1887 | July 22, 1887 | 3 P.M. | 25, Colmore - row, Birmingham | July 29, 1887 | 2 P.M. | County Court, Birmingham | June 11, 1887 |
| Street, William ... | 77, Hope-street, Birmingham, Warwickshire | Leather Seller ... | Birmingham ... | 63 of 1887 | July 22, 1887 | 11 A.M. | 25, Colmore - row, Birmingham | July 29, 1887 | 2 P.M. | County Court, Birmingham | July 1, 1887 |
| Newbould, Joseph (trading as Newbould, E.) | Formerly residing and trading at 141, Leeds-road, Bradford, now residing at 13, Alice-street, Lumb-lane, and trading at 106, Westgate, Bradford | Formerly Grocer and Provision Dealer, now Bread Baker, Confectioner, and Flour Dealer | Bradford ... | 45 of 1887 | July 19, 1887 | 11 A.M. | Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford | Aug. 5, 1887 | 10 A.M. | County Court, Manor - row, Bradford | |

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| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. | Date of First Meeting. | Hour. | Place. | Date of Public Examination. | Hour. | Place. | Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration. |
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| Thwaite, Sam Hartley | Residing and trading at Low Moor, parish of Bradford, Yorkshire | Grocer, Tea Dealer, and Provision Merchant | Bradford | 46 of 1887 | July 19, 1887 | 12 noon | Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford | Aug. 5, 1887 | 10 A.M. | County Court, Manor - row, Bradford | |
| Hopkins, George Hewitt | Elmington Farm, Henbury, Gloucestershire | Farmer | Bristol | 38 of 1887 | July 21, 1887 | 3.30 P.M. | Office of the Official Receiver, Bank-chambers, Bristol | July 22, 1887 | 12 noon | Guildhall, Bristol | |
| Treharne, William | Rhiewglyn, near Tynnewydd, Ogmere Valley, Glamorganshire, and Pontycymmer Garw Valley, Glamorganshire | Builder | Cardiff | 23 of 1887 | July 19, 1887 | 12 noon | Office of the Official Receiver, 3, Crockherbtown, Cardiff | July 15, 1887 | 10.30 A.M. | Townhall, Cardiff | June 27, 1887 |
| Huddart, Jane | Moorhouse, near Carlisle, Cumberland | Beerhouse Keeper (Widow) | Carlisle | 23 of 1887 | July 21, 1887 | 12 noon | Official Receiver's Offices, 34, Fishers-street, Carlisle | July 21, 1887 | 11 A.M. | Court - house, Carlisle | July 8, 1887 |
| Thompson, James | Solway Hotel, Silloth, Cumberland | Hotel Keeper | Carlisle | 24 of 1887 | July 25, 1887 | 12 noon | Official Receiver's Offices, 34, Fishers-street, Carlisle | July 25, 1887 | 11 A.M. | Court - house, Carlisle | |
| Brown, William | Formerly 107, Church-street, Croydon, then 1, Hartingdon - terrace, Lavender Hill, then 51, Ratray - road, Brixton, then 95, Oakfield-road, Penge, all in Surrey, now 53, Trinity-road, Beckenham, Kent | Grocer and General Dealer | Croydon | 25 of 1887 | July 20, 1887 | 3 P.M. | 109, Victoria-street, Westminster | Aug. 5, 1887 | 2 P.M. | Townhall, Croydon | July 4, 1887 |
| Palfreyman, Robert | Litton, Derbyshire | Grocer | Derby | 28 of 1887 | July 20, 1887 | 1 P.M. | Official Receiver's Offices, St. James's-chambers, Derby | Aug. 8, 1887 | 10.30 A.M. | County-hall, St. Mary's - gate, Derby | July 7, 1887 |
| Endacott, William | Fore-street, Bovey Tracey, also trading at 72A, Queen - street, Newton Abbot, both in Devonshire | Tailor | Exeter | 27 of 1887 | July 22, 1887 | 11 A.M. | Offices of Thomas Andrew, Official Receiver, 13, Bedford-circus, Exeter | Aug. 18, 1887 | 10.30 A.M. | Castle of Exeter, Exeter | July 8, 1887 |
| Gray, Thomas Henry | Arundel House, Apsley-road, Great Yarmouth, Norfolk, and Southtown, Suffolk | Corn Merchant | Great Yarmouth | 25 of 1887 | July 23, 1887 | 12 noon | Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich | Aug. 15, 1887 | 11 A.M. | Townhall, Great Yarmouth | July 8, 1887 |

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| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. | Date of First Meeting. | Hour. | Place. | Date of Public Examination. | Hour. | Place. | Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration. |
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| Pyefinch, Henry Vanderwall | 25, Regent-road, Great Yarmouth, Norfolk | Gentleman ... | Great Yarmouth | 27 of 1887 | Aug. 15, 1887 | 10 A.M. | Office of Mr. L. Blake, South Quay, Great Yarmouth | Aug. 15, 1887 | 11 A.M. | Townhall, Great Yarmouth | July 8, 1887 |
| Wigg, William Smith | 4, Regent-street, Great Yarmouth, Norfolk | Jeweller ... | Great Yarmouth | 26 of 1887 | July 20, 1887 | 3 P.M. | Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich | Aug. 15, 1887 | 11 A.M. | Townhall, Great Yarmouth | |
| Sykes, Joseph ... | Damside, near Huddersfield, Yorkshire | Finisher !... .. | Huddersfield ... | 11 of 1887 | July 21, 1887 | 11 A.M. | Offices of Messrs. Haigh and Son, Solicitors, New-street, Huddersfield | Aug. 8, 1887... | 11 A.M. | County Court, Queen - street, Huddersfield | |
| Pearson, George (trading as George Robertson Pearson) | Residing at 10, Bensham-crescent, Gateshead, county of Durham, and carrying on business at Redheugh, Gateshead | Cement Manufacturer and Commission Agent | Newcastle - on - Tyne | 50 of 1887 | July 23, 1887 | 11 A.M. | Official Receiver's Office, Pink-lane, Newcastle-on-Tyne | July 21, 1887 | 11 A.M. | County Court, Westgate-road, Newcastle-on-Tyne | |
| King, George Jacob ... | 47, Lawrence-street, Northampton | Builder and Contractor | Northampton ... | 20 of 1887 | July 20, 1887 | 4 P.M. | County Court-buildings, Northampton | Aug. 2, 1887... | 12 noon | County Hall, Northampton | July 9, 1887 |
| Blatherwick, Thomas | Residing and trading at 12, Wright-street, and lately residing and trading at 44, Birkin-terrace, Saint Ann's Well-road, both in Nottingham | Painter and Paper Hanger, lately trading with Henry Brown, as Blatherwick and Brown | Nottingham ... | 74 of 1887 | July 20, 1887 | 11 A.M. | Official Receiver's Offices, 1, High-pavement, Nottingham | July 19, 1887 | 10 A.M. | County Court-house, Petergate, Nottingham | |
| Disbury, Thomas ... | 143 and 149, Market-street, Bacup, Lancashire, and Block - street, Sheffield, Yorkshire | Clothier, Broker, and Auctioneer | Oldham... .. | 21 of 1887 | July 19, 1887 | 3 P.M. | Official Receiver's Offices, Ogden's-chambers, Bridge-street, Manchester | July 26, 1887 | 1 P.M. | Townhall, Oldham | July 8, 1887 |
| Hemmings, William Isaac | The Cross Keys Inn, Market - place, Bicester, Oxfordshire, formerly trading at the Rose and Crown Inn, Charlton-by-Newbottle, Northamptonshire | Licensed Victualler | Oxford | 16 of 1887 | July 22, 1887 | 11.30 A.M. | Office of Official Receiver, 1, Saint Aldates, Oxford | Aug. 4, 1887... | 11.30 A.M. | County Hall Oxford | July 9, 1887 |

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| Palmer, George Hubbard | Pinchbeck, Lincolnshire ... | Boot and Shoe Maker | Peterborough ... | 23 of 1887 | July 25, 1887 | 2.30 P.M. | White Hart Hotel, Spalding | Aug. 3, 1887 ... | 12 noon | County Court, Peterborough | July 9, 1887 |
| Peyton, George ... | St. George's - road, Portsmouth, Hampshire | Carriage Manufacturer | Portsmouth ... | 23 of 1887 | July 20, 1887 | 3 P.M. | 166, Queen-street, Portsea | July 20, 1887 | 12 noon | Court - house, Portsmouth | July 6, 1887 |
| Mitchell, Charles ... | Swinton, Yorkshire ... | Farmer and Sheep Jobber | Scarborough ... | 28 of 1887 | July 20, 1887 | 11.30 A.M. | Talbot Hotel, New Malton, Yorkshire | Aug. 3, 1887 ... | 2.30 P.M. | Scarborough | |
| Evans, John Bruce ... | Sunnyside, Worksop, Nottinghamshire | Out of business ... | Sheffield ... | 54 of 1887 | July 20, 1887 | 10.30 A.M. | Corn Exchange, Worksop | July 28, 1887 | 11.30 A.M. | County Court Hall, Bank-street, Sheffield | July 8, 1887 |
| Weddall, Edwin ... | Crowle, Lincolnshire ... | Of no occupation | Sheffield ... | 50 of 1887 | July 20, 1887 | 1.15 P.M. | Guildhall, Doncaster | July 28, 1887 | 11.30 A.M. | County Court Hall, Bank-street, Sheffield | July 8, 1887 |
| Hitchman, William ... | 113, Queen's-road, East Grinstead, Sussex | Coal and Oil Dealer | Tunbridge Wells | 15 of 1887 | July 19, 1887 | 3 P.M. | Messrs. Spencer and Reeves' Office, Mount Pleasant, Tunbridge Wells | Aug. 4, 1887 ... | 2 P.M. | Townhall, Tunbridge Wells | July 8, 1887 |
| Roberts, Percy Edwin | 1, Priory-terrace, Tunbridge, Kent | Grocer ... | Tunbridge Wells | 14 of 1887 | July 19, 1887 | 2.30 P.M. | Messrs. Spencer and Reeves' Office, Mount Pleasant, Tunbridge Wells | Aug. 4, 1887 ... | 2 P.M. | Townhall, Tunbridge Wells | July 8, 1887 |
| Whiteley, George Henry | Formerly the Redoubt Inn, Westgate Common, afterwards, Chald-lane, and now residing with Mrs. Whiteley, Garden-street, all in Wakefield | Formerly Publican, now out of business | Wakefield ... | 18 of 1887 | July 19, 1887 | 11 A.M. | Official Receiver's Office, Bond-terrace, Wakefield | Aug. 4, 1887 ... | 11 A.M. | Court - house, Wakefield | July 9, 1887 |
| Canning, George Henry | Stratford-upon-Avon and Shotton, Warwickshire | Auctioneer and Valuer | Warwick ... | 20 of 1887 | July 21, 1887 | 11.30 A.M. | Offices of Messrs. Slatter, Son, and Gibbs, Solicitors, Stratford-upon-Avon | Aug. 9, 1887 ... | 2 P.M. | Shirehall, Warwick | |

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| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. | Date of First Meeting. | Hour. | Place. | Date of Public Examination. | Hour. | Place. | Date of Order if any, for Summary Administration. |
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| Eland, John Hugh Nottingham | Priory House, Poppleton, Yorkshire | Dealer in Horses... | York | 40 of 1887 | July 22, 1887 | 1 P.M. | Official Receiver's Office, York | July 29, 1887 | 11 A.M. | Guildhall, York | July 8, 1887 |
| <i>The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 5th July, 1887.</i> | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pickup, Abraham Richardson (trading as Edward Pickup) | 25, Seed-hill, Huddersfield, Yorkshire | Tobacconist ... | Huddersfield ... | 10 of 1887 | July 21, 1887 | 3 P.M. | Offices of Messrs. Haigh and Son, Solicitors, New- street, Huddersfield | Aug. 8, 1887 ... | 11 A.M. | County Court, Queen - street, Huddersfield | July 1, 1887 |

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ADJUDICATIONS.

| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. | Date of Order. | Date of Petition. |
|---|--|---|-------------------------------------|-------------|------------------|-------------------|
| Dedman, Francis (trading as Dedman and Co., and as the National Discount Trading Company) | Residing at 4, Coulter-road, Hammersmith, and trading at 91 and 93, Princes-road, Notting Hill, and at 14, Devonshire-road, Chiswick, all in Middlesex, 14, Charlwood-street, Pimlico, 84, Silchester-road, Notting Hill, and 51, Bingfield-street, King's Cross, all in Middlesex | Grocer and Provision Dealer ... | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 755 of 1887 | July 6, 1887 ... | June 30, 1887 |
| Gribble, Charles (trading as Gribble and Co.) | Vauxhall Cross, South Lambeth-road, Surrey, and residing at Hope Villa, Belle Ville-road, Wandsworth Common, Surrey | Importer of Doors, Mouldings, and Trellis Work, lately trading with Arthur Wellington Peaty | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 647 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | June 9, 1887 |
| Hough, Edward Jordan | 72, Bishopsgate-street, London | Merchant | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 400 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | April 4, 1887 |
| Kent, Aldwyn Pelham | 3, George-yard, Lombard-street, London | Solicitor | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 402 of 1887 | July 9, 1887 ... | April 5, 1887 |
| Lee, Charles, and Simon, Ludwig (trading as Charles Lee and Co.) | Cromwell-avenue, Hornsey, Middlesex, now or lately trading at 78, Milton-street, London | Fine Art Publishers | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 556 of 1887 | July 6, 1887 ... | May 14, 1887 |
| Martin, Henry (trading as John Hassall) | Northbury, Barking, Essex, trading at 64, Saint Paul's-churchyard, London | Brush and Comb Manufacturer and Sponge Merchant | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 597 of 1887 | July 6, 1887 ... | May 25, 1887 |
| Whatley, George Edward Stuart | Lately residing at Abingdon, Berks, now residing at 14, Elm-grove, Hammersmith, Middlesex | Accountant's Clerk | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 708 of 1887 | July 6, 1887 ... | June 20, 1887 |
| Rooke, George Walter | 86, George-street, Wombwell, lately trading at High-street, Wombwell, Yorkshire | Butcher... .. | Barnsley | 17 of 1887 | July 9, 1887 ... | July 8, 1887 |
| Bliss, Robert Enoch... .. | 98, Gooch-street and 4, Colmore-row, Birmingham, Warwickshire | Fruiterer and Confectioner | Birmingham | 76 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | July 7, 1887 |
| Dick, Robert James | Residing at Hamstead-road, Handsworth, Staffordshire, trading at 46, Hylton-street, and as James Smith and Co., at 62, Branston-street, both in Birmingham, Warwickshire | Jeweller and Factor | Birmingham | 60 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | June 7, 1887 |
| Stafford, Francis James | 47, Grenville-place and 67, Western-road, both in Brighton, Sussex | Bootmaker | Brighton | 48 of 1887 | July 7, 1887 ... | June 18, 1887 |
| Atkinson, Joseph Thomas Clayton | Trading at 2, Tucker-street, Bristol, and residing at 7, Francis-place, Kingsdown, Bristol | Rag Merchant... .. | Bristol | 37 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | June 30, 1887 |
| Hopkins, George Hewitt | Elmington Farm, Henbury, Gloucestershire | Farmer | Bristol | 38 of 1887 | July 7, 1887 ... | July 7, 1887 |

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| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. | Date of Order. | Date of Petition. |
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| Tomkins, William | Formerly 4, Passage-street, now 1, Redcross-street, both in the parish of Saint Philip and Jacob, Bristol | Formerly Marine Store Dealer, now Haulier | Bristol | 36 of 1887 | July 9, 1887 ... | June 30, 1887 |
| Huddart, Jane | Moorhouse, near Carlisle, Cumberland | Beerhouse Keeper, Widow | Carlisle | 23 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | July 8, 1887 |
| Gardner, Robert | Galleywood Common, Great Baddow, Essex | Poultry Dealer | Chelmsford | 17 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | July 8, 1887 |
| Barnard, Christopher John | The Villa, Swindon, Gloucestershire, lately residing at Apperley House, Apperley, Gloucestershire | Late Major in the Army | Cheltenham | 17 of 1887 | July 7, 1887 ... | June 29, 1887 |
| Tiffin, Reuben | Moorland Close, near Cockermouth, Cumberland | Cattle Dealer | Cockermouth and Workington | 7 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | June 29, 1887 |
| Maskell, William | North-street, Colchester | General Dealer | Colchester | 15 of 1887 | July 5, 1887 ... | July 1, 1887 |
| Palfreyman, Robert | Litton, Derbyshire | Grocer | Derby | 28 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | June 22, 1887 |
| Bate, William Luke | 76, High-street, Totnes, Devon | | East Stonehouse | 26 of 1887 | July 7, 1887 ... | July 5, 1887 |
| Chalice, Richard David | Formerly 10, James-street, then 22, Exeter-street, then 57, Baring-street, now 1, Saltram-cottages, Zion-street, all in Plymouth, Devonshire | Painter and House Decorator | East Stonehouse | 27 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | July 7, 1887 |
| Endacott, William | Fore-street, Bovey Tracey, also trading at 72A, Queen-street, Newton Abbot, both in Devonshire | Tailor | Exeter | 27 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | July 8, 1887 |
| Constance, James | 27, Southgate-street, Gloucester | General Draper | Gloucester | 18 of 1887 | July 7, 1887 ... | July 4, 1887 |
| Goddard, Arthur | Late 9, Silverdale-buildings, Sydenham, Kent, now a Prisoner in Her Majesty's Prison, Wandsworth Common, Surrey | Builder | Greenwich | 14 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | June 23, 1887 |
| Smith, George James | 24, Cranston-road, Forest Hill, parish of Lewisham, Kent, lately trading at Brockley, Kent | Late Builder, now of no occupation | Greenwich | 15 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | July 8, 1887 |
| Evans, William | New Inn, Fownhope, Herefordshire | Publican and Painter... .. | Hereford | 12 of 1887 | July 9, 1887 ... | July 9, 1887 |

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| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. | Date of Order. | Date of Petition. |
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| Otter, Fred | Formerly the Rosebad Inn, Roundhay-road, Leeds, Yorkshire, now in lodgings at 105, Hope-street, Leeds | Late Publican, now Journeyman Tailor | Leeds | 37 of 1887 | July 7, 1887 ... | July 7, 1887 |
| Crute, Stephen | Grange Mount, Albert-road, West Kirby, Cheshire, and 24, Walker-street, Liverpool, Lancashire, lately residing and trading at 23, Baker-street, Liverpool | Slater and Plasterer | Liverpool | 85 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | July 8, 1887 |
| McKinna, William | 23, Cazneau-street, Liverpool | Wholesale and Retail Baker and Flour Dealer | Liverpool | 79 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | July 1, 1887 |
| Ingles, Joseph | The Shakespeare Hotel, Consett, county of Durham | Innkeeper | Newcastle-on-Tyne... | 48 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | July 6, 1887 |
| Ridsdale, John George | 4, Bigg Market, Newcastle-on-Tyne | Hardwareman and General Dealer ... | Newcastle-on-Tyne... | 46 of 1887 | July 9, 1887 ... | July 6, 1887 |
| Whitworth, Charles Henry | Newport Pagnell Mills, Buckinghamshire | Miller and Farmer | Northampton | 19 of 1887 | July 7, 1887 ... | June 9, 1887 |
| Disbury, Thomas | 143 and 149, Market-street, Bacup, Lancashire, and also Block-street, Sheffield, Yorkshire | Clothier, Broker, and Auctioneer ... | Oldham | 21 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | July 4, 1887 |
| Tazewell, William George | Her Majesty's ship "Anson," now lying at Portsmouth | Engineer | Pembroko Dock | 17 of 1887 | July 9, 1887 ... | June 4, 1887 |
| Palmer, George Hubbard | Pinchbeck, Lincolnshire | Boot and Shoe Maker | Peterborough | 23 of 1887 | July 9, 1887 ... | July 6, 1887 |
| Peyton, George Edward | St. George's-road, Portsmouth | Carrriage Manufacturer | Portsmouth | 23 of 1887 | July 5, 1887 ... | July 4, 1887 |
| Carter, Thomas | 4, Lord's-walk and 5, Park-view-terrace, St. Thomas'-road, both in Preston, Lancashire | Plumber, Glazier, and Painter | Preston | 9 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | June 15, 1887 |
| Evans, John Bruce | Sunnyside, Worksop, Nottinghamshire | Out of business | Sheffield | 54 of 1887 | July 9, 1887 ... | June 28, 1887 |
| Crisp, John | Stockton-on-Tees, county of Durham | Commission Agent | Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough | 40 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | July 8, 1887 |
| Hitchman, William | 113, Queen's-road, East Grinstead, Sussex | Coal and Oil Dealer | Tunbridge Wells | 15 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | July 5, 1887 |

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| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. | Date of Order. | Date of Petition. |
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| Roberts, Percy Edwin | 1, Priory-terrace, Tonbridge, Kent | Grocer | Tunbridge Wells ... | 14 of 1887 | July 7, 1887 ... | July 2, 1887 |
| Dowling, Reginald Blewitt... | 153, Ramsden-road, Balham, Surrey | Esquire... .. | Wandsworth ... | 14 of 1887 | July 5, 1887 ... | May 11, 1887 |
| Eland, John Hugh Nottingham | Priory House, Poppleton, Yorkshire | Dealer in Horses | York | 40 of 1887 | July 8, 1887 ... | July 8, 1887 |
| <i>The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 21st June, 1887.</i> | | | | | | |
| Trimm, Richard Curtis | Hersham, Walton-on-Thames, Surrey | Contractor | Kingston, Surrey ... | 9 of 1887 | June 17, 1887 ... | March 26, 1887 |

ORDERS ON APPLICATION TO APPROVE COMPOSITION OR SCHEME.

| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. of Matter. | Date of Order. | Nature of Scheme or Composition sanctioned or Order made. |
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| Jelks, William | 275, Holloway-road, Middlesex ... | Furniture Dealer | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 1294 of 1886 | July 1, 1887 ... | Composition of 10s. in the pound, by two instalments, 8s. and 2s. respectively, the first instalment of 8s. to be paid on approval by the Court, and 2s. within two months from same date. All preferential debts, costs, and charges to be paid in full, to secure payment thereof and of the first instalment of the Composition by a deposit with the Official Receiver of a sum sufficient to discharge same; second instalment guaranteed by Messrs. Kynaston and Co. and Edward Taplin and Co. Receiving Order rescinded |
| Boyce, John Cox | Cornwell, Oxfordshire | Clerk in Holy Orders, Rector of Cornwell | Oxford | 1 of 1887 | June 23, 1887 ... | The yearly grant of £150 now paid to debtor by the Justices of the West Riding of Yorkshire to be received by Mr. Alfred A. Webb, of Chipping Norton, Draper, as Trustee, who shall therefrom make the following payments:—First, the costs, charges, fees, and expenses in the bankruptcy. Second, payment in full of all debts directed by the Bankruptcy Act, 1883, to be paid in priority to other debts. Third, £50 per annum to be divided rateably between the unsecured creditors who have proved their debts, until they shall have been paid 10s. in the pound, the same to be paid in full satisfaction of their respective claims, and the balance, if any, of the yearly grant to be paid to the debtor. Should the grant, as is possible, be withheld from the Trustee, he shall receive in lieu thereof the rent of the debtor's glebe farm from the tenant for the time being in occupation thereof, and apply it in conformity with the above scheme. Upon the Court approving this scheme, the said Alfred A. Webb shall be appointed Trustee, with a Committee of Inspection, at a remuneration to be fixed by the Committee of Inspection, subject to the approval of the Board of Trade. The provisions of section 22 of the Bankruptcy Act, 1883, shall, so far as the same are applicable, apply to the Committee under this scheme. The Receiving Order is rescinded. The Order of Adjudication is annulled |
| Gardner, William, and Davies, Charles Rowland ... | The Rectory Farm, Chadlington, Oxfordshire, and the Rainbow Farm, Barton-on-the-Heath, Warwickshire | Farmers | Oxford | 5 of 1887 | June 23, 1887 ... | A Composition of 5s. 6d. in the pound. Debtors' estate to be vested in the Official Receiver, as Trustee, without giving security, and the Composition to be paid by the Trustee to the creditors in one sum within a week from the date of the Order of approval, together with all costs and Trustee's and other charges, and all preferential |

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| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. of Matter. | Date of Order | Nature of Scheme or Composition sanctioned or Order made. |
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| Moon, Emery Cornelius | ... Pocklington, East Riding of Yorkshire | Miller and Farmer ... | ... York ... | 21 of 1887 | July 1, 1887 ... | <p>debts in full. The debtors to find security for the payment of the Composition to the satisfaction of the Official Receiver within one month after the 23rd day of March, 1887, and after payment of the amount the bankruptcy be annulled. The Receiving Order is rescinded</p> <p>A Composition of 12s. 6d. in the pound on all unsecured debts, and to pay all preferential debts, costs, and fees in full. Composition to be secured to the satisfaction of the Official Receiver, and Composition, preferential debts, costs, and fees to be paid forthwith. Receiving Order rescinded</p> |

NOTICES OF INTENDED DIVIDENDS.

| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. | Last Day for Receiving Proofs. | Name of Trustee. | Address. |
|---|---|--|-------------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------------|---|--|
| Godlonton, William Henry | 51, Kingsland-road and 28, High-street, Stoke Newington, both in Middlesex, and Princes-road, Buckhurst Hill, Essex | Blind Manufacturer and Upholsterer | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 281 of 1887 | July 23, 1887 ... | Ernest Henry Collins... | 19A, Coleman-street, London, E.C. |
| Mears, Henry | 14, Old Kent-road, Surrey... .. | Fancy Dealer... .. | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 592 of 1887 | July 28, 1887 ... | E. P. Harding, Chief Official Receiver | 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C. |
| Ockleford, James | 352, Mare-street, Hackney, Middlesex | Fishmonger | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 1238 of 1886 | July 28, 1887 ... | E. P. Harding, Chief Official Receiver | 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C. |
| Crocker, Henry | Halwell, Devonshire | Innkeeper and Farmer | Barnstaple | 8 of 1885 | July 27, 1887 ... | George Philpott, Official Receiver | 9, Middle-street, Taunton |
| Beale, Nevinson Inch | Bear Hotel, Devizes, Wilts | Hotel Keeper | Bath | 1 of 1887 | July 30, 1887 ... | William Nott | 15, High-street, Devizes, Chartered Accountant |
| King, William | Smallfield, Burstow, Surrey | Builder | Croydon | 4 of 1887 | July 26, 1887 ... | Cecil Mercer, Official Receiver | 109, Victoria-street, Westminster |
| Ward, Walter, and Ward, Ellis (trading as E. P. D. Ward and Company) | Bradford-road and Tate Naylor-street, Dewsbury Oxford-road, Dewsbury Bradford-road, Dewsbury | Woollen Manufacturers | Dewsbury | 57 of 1885 | July 26, 1887 ... | William Martello Gray | 1, Ivegate, Bradford, Yorkshire |
| Cole, Joseph, and French, Alfred Samuel (trading as Cole and French)... | 113, High-street, Guildford, Surrey | Grocers and Wine and Spirit Merchants | Guildford and Godalming | 16 of 1886 | July 26, 1887 ... | William Izard | 147, Cannon-street, E.C. |
| Styles, John | Peakes Farm, Chiddingly, Sussex | Farmer | Lewes and Eastbourne | 23 of 1886 | July 25, 1887 ... | Harry Mee | 4, Albion-place, Southampton |
| Price, Edward (Separate Estate) | Trebarris, Glamorganshire | Builder and Contractor, trading with Rosser Lewis Jones, as Jones and Price | Merthyr Tydfil | 13 of 1886 | July 27, 1887 ... | W. L. Daniel, Official Receiver | 64, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil |
| Barwood, George | Now 4, Pentonville, Newport, Monmouthshire, late High-street, Abersychan, and Clarence-street, Pontypool, Monmouthshire | Tea and General Dealer | Newport, Mon. | 63 of 1886 | July 28, 1887 ... | George Henry Llewellyn, Official Receiver | 12, Tredegar-place, Newport, Monmouthshire |
| Corbyn, William Napier | Now Graig Olway Farm, Usk, Monmouthshire, late Pencaird, Neath, Glamorganshire | Late Farmer, Cattle Dealer, and Colliery Manager, now Farmer and Cattle Dealer | Newport, Mon. | 66 of 1886 | July 28, 1887 ... | George Henry Llewellyn, Official Receiver | 12, Tredegar-place, Newport, Monmouthshire |

NOTICES OF INTENDED DIVIDENDS—*continued.*

| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. | Last Day for Receiving Proofs | Name of Trustee. | Address. |
|-------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|------------|-------------------------------|---|---|
| Roberts, Edward ... | 1, Robert-street, Newport, Monmouthshire ... | Grocer and Baker ... | Newport, Mon. ... | 50 of 1886 | July 28, 1887 ... | George Henry Llewellyn, Official Receiver | 12, Tredegar-place, Newport, Monmouthshire |
| Clouting, John Revett ... | Thetford, Norfolk ... | Surgeon and Apothecary ... | Norwich ... | 4 of 1887 | July 30, 1887 ... | Frederick Deeves Pepper | Old Bank Court, Queen-street, Norwich |
| Lebbell, Isaac ... | Scoulton, Norfolk ... | Blacksmith ... | Norwich ... | 5 of 1887 | July 30, 1887 ... | H. P. Gould, Official Receiver | 8, King-street, Norwich |
| Brown, Charles ... | Residing in lodgings in the house of Mrs. Williamson, 2, Portland-street, Mansfield, Nottinghamshire, and trading at James's-yard, Bridge-street, Mansfield | Ale and Porter Merchant ... | Nottingham ... | 40 of 1887 | July 28, 1887 ... | Thomas Leman ... | Chartered Accountant, 1, Greyhound-street, Nottingham |
| 1 2 Nuttall, Frederick ... | 325, Chapel-street, Salford, Lancashire ... | Grocer ... | Salford ... | 1 of 1887 | July 26, 1887 ... | Samuel Tilzey ... | 79, Mosley-street, Manchester |
| Fricker, Frank Edward ... | The Old Custom House, 27, Wind-street, Swansea, Glamorganshire | Clothier and Outfitter ... | Swansea ... | 56 of 1886 | July 23, 1887 ... | The Official Receiver ... | 6, Rutland-street, Swansea |
| Ormandy, John ... | Mountbarrow, near Ulverston, Lancashire ... | Farmer ... | Ulverston and Barrow-in-Furness | 40 of 1887 | July 25, 1887 ... | H. G. Pearson, Official Receiver | 2, Paxton-terrace, Barrow-in-Furness |
| Randle, Henry ... | Bridge-street, Runcorn, Cheshire ... | Draper ... | Warrington ... | 1 of 1887 | July 26, 1887 ... | Theodore Gregory ... | 26, Mosley-street, Manchester |

NOTICES OF DIVIDENDS.

| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. | Amount per Pound. | First, or Final, or Otherwise. | When Payable. | Where Payable. |
|--|--|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|---|---|
| Ebbs, Margaret (trading as Joseph Ebbs) | 9, Northwick-terrace, Maida Hill, Middlesex | Builder, Widow | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 508 of 1884 | 1s. 5d. | First and Final | Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2 | Offices of the Official Trustee, 34, Lincoln's - inn - fields, London |
| King, Charles Joseph ... | 33A, Red Lion-square, Middlesex | Hairdressers' Sundryman | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 1214 of 1886 | 1s. 7d. | First and Final | Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2 | Offices of the Chief Official Receiver, 33, Carey - street, Lincoln's-inn, London |
| Kingsford, Charles Tomson, and Reynolds, Ernest Alfred (trading as Kingsford and Reynolds) | 32, Handen-road, Lee, Kent Arden House, Mount Pleasant-lane, Upper Clapton, Middlesex, lately residing at Downs Park-road, Lower Clapton, Middlesex | Produce Brokers | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 1354 of 1886 | 6s. 8d. | Composition. | Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2 | Offices of the Chief Official Receiver, 33, Carey - street, Lincoln's-inn, London |
| Lynd, William | 101, Uxbridge-road, Shepherd's Bush, Middlesex | Electrical Engineer | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 1168 of 1886 | 8d. | First and Final | Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2 | Offices of the Chief Official Receiver, 33, Carey - street, Lincoln's-inn, London |
| Rowell, William Hannay | 9, Murray-street, Camden-square, Middlesex | Builder | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 303 of 1887 | 2s. 1½d. | First and Final | Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2 | Offices of the Chief Official Receiver, 33, Carey - street, Lincoln's-inn, London |
| Turnbull, Emma (trading as George and Son) | 213, 215, 217, and 219, High-street, Camden Town, 1, Wellington-street, Camden Town, and 6, Bartholomew-road, Kentish Town, all in Middlesex | Furnishing Ironmonger, Widow | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 390 of 1884 | 5½d. | Second and Final | July 21 or 22, 1887, or any subsequent Wednesday or Thursday between 10 and 2 | Offices of the Metal Trades' Association, 37, Upper Thames-street, London |
| Verdin, Albert | The Running Horses, 42, Blackfriars-road, Surrey | Licensed Victualler | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 1371 of 1886 | 1s. 9d. | Second and Final | Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2 | Offices of the Official Trustee, 34, Lincoln's - inn - fields, London |
| Ashton, John Thomas ... | 63, Melbourne-street, Stalybridge, Cheshire | Draper | Ashton-under-Lyne and Stalybridge | 2 of 1887 | 3½d. | First and Final | July 12, 1887 ... | Official Receiver's Offices, Ogden's - chambers, Bridge-street, Manchester |
| Holt, Thomas | 104, Stockport-road, Ashton-under-Lyne, Lancashire, and trading at 104, Stockport-road, Ashton-under-Lyne | Cabinet Maker | Ashton-under-Lyne and Stalybridge | 1 of 1887 | 2s. 6½d. | First and Final | July 12, 1887... .. | Official Receiver's Offices, Ogden's - chambers, Bridge-street, Manchester |

NOTICES OF DIVIDENDS—continued.

| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. | Amount per Pound. | First, or Final, or Otherwise. | When Payable. | Where Payable. |
|---|---|--|----------------------|---------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| Statham, Jonathan (trading as Thorp and Statham) | Residing at Burrage House, Bingley, and trading at Dowley Gap, near Bingley, Yorkshire | Stuff Finisher | Bradford | 4 of 1887 | 3s. 5d. | First and Final | July 18, 1887 ... | Trustee's Offices, 33, Kirkgate, Bradford |
| Wilkinson, Henry, and ... Wilkinson, Arthur ... (trading as Henry Wilkinson and Son) | 80, Otley-road, Shipley Earl-street, Shipley, Yorkshire | Coal Merchants | Bradford | 67 of 1885 | 2½d. | First and Final | On and after Dec. 31, 1886 | Office of J. A. Heselton, Trustee, 9, Market-street, Bradford |
| Wilkinson, Henry ... (Separate Estate) | 80, Otley-road, Shipley | Coal Merchant, trading with Arthur Wilkinson, as Henry Wilkinson and Son | Bradford | 67 of 1885 | 1s. 11½d. | First and Final | On and after Jan. 3, 1887 | Office of J. A. Heselton, Trustee, 9, Market-street, Bradford |
| Evans, Thomas | Lancynadda, Llanllawddog, Carmarthen-shire | Late Farmer and Carpenter, now Carpenter and Labourer | Carmarthen | 19 of 1886 | 2s. 11½d. | First and Final | July 20, 1887 ... | Offices of the Official Receiver, 11, Quay-street, Carmarthen |
| Turner, Joseph | Hawarden, Flintshire | Manufacturing Chemist | Chester | 11 of 1886 | 1s. 4½d. | First and Final | July 23, 1887 ... | 29, Eastgate-row (North), Chester |
| Scott, William | Boningale Farm, parish of Boningale, Salop, and Boston West, parish of Boston, Lincolnshire | Farmer | Madeley | 1 of 1887 | 7s. 7½d. | First and Final | July 18, 1887 ... | Office of J. J. Sudbury, Official Receiver, Ludlow |
| Spencer, Edward Alfred | 277, Waterloo-road, Hightown, Manchester, and 17, Garnett-street, Hightown, Manchester | Pianoforte and Musical Instrument Dealer, Jeweller, and Agent | Manchester | 12 of 1885 | 10d. | Second and Final | July 21, 1887 ... | Offices of Messrs. Percy Mason and Co., 29 and 30, King-street, Cheapside, London, E.C., Chartered Accountants |
| Nisbeck, George | Pontymister, Monmouthshire | Grocer and Baker | Newport, Mon. | 48 of 1886 | 6d. (1s. 8d. on new proofs) | Supplemental | July 19, 1887 ... | Office of Official Receiver, 12, Tredegar-place, Newport, Monmouthshire |
| Ray, George Edward ... | Theatre-street and Surrey-street, Norwich | Solicitor | Norwich | 4 of 1886 | 7d. | First | July 15, 1887 ... | F. D. Pepper's, Queen-street, Norwich |
| Solomon, Percy Levi ... | High-street, West Bromwich, Staffordshire | Jacket and Mantle Warehouseman and General Fancy Draper | Oldbury | 25 of 1886 | 7½d. | First and Final | July 21, 1887 ... | Offices of Messrs. Percy Mason and Co., 29 and 30, King-street, Cheapside, London, E.C., Chartered Accountants |
| Watson, James | Surfleet Fen, Lincolnshire | Farmer | Peterborough | 9 of 1885 | 1s. 1d. | First and Final | August 4, 1887 ... | The Angel Inn, Bourn, Lincolnshire |

NOTICES OF DIVIDENDS—continued.

| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. | Amount per Pound. | First, or Final, or Otherwise. | When Payable. | Where Payable. |
|---|---|---|--|---------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|---|
| Hannay, John | Hinton Hall, Lea Cross, Salop | Surgeon | Shrewsbury | 8 of 1885 | 2s. 2d. | First | July 18, 1887. ... | Office of F. Cariss, Trustee, Mill-street, Ludlow |
| Tildesley, Thomas | High-street, Newport, Salop | Grocer, Provision, and Ale and Porter Dealer | Stafford | 9 of 1887 | 5s. 10d. | First | July 18, 1887 ... | Office of J. J. Sudbury, Official Receiver, Ludlow |
| Isaacs, George | 10, Gosford-street, Middlesborough | Clothier | Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough | 60 of 1886 | 4s. 9d. | First and Final | July 20, 1887 ... | Office of the Official Receiver, 8, Albert-road, Middles- borough |
| Brazendale, Archibald | Market-street, Pocklington, Yorkshire | Boot and Shoe Maker | York | 51 of 1885 | 1s. 1d. | Second and Final | July 15, 1887 ... | Official Receiver's Office, York |
| Cordingley, Charles Wil- liam | Kirkgate, Tadcaster, Yorkshire | Furnishing Ironmonger... | York | 44 of 1886 | 1s. 8d. | First and Final | July 15, 1887 ... | Official Receiver's Office, York |
| Creaser, Henry, and Eccles, William | 9, Buckingham-street, York 5, Skeldergate, York Trading at 5½, the Crescent, Blossom- street, York | Joiners and Builders | York | 48 of 1886 | 1s. 9½d. | First and Final | July 15, 1887 ... | Official Receiver's Office, York |
| Terry, John | High-street, Knaresborough, Yorkshire | Grocer | York | 20 of 1887 | 8s. 9d. | First and Final | July 15, 1887 ... | Official Receiver's Office, York |
| Ward, Daniel | Stockton-lane, Heworth, Yorkshire | Farmer | York | 4 of 1886 | 1½d. | First and Final | July 15, 1887 ... | Official Receiver's Office, York |

APPLICATIONS FOR DEBTORS' DISCHARGE.

| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. | Day fixed for Hearing. |
|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|--------------|---|
| Baxter, John Edward | Ivy House, Munster Park, Fulham, Middlesex | | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 253 of 1887 | August 10, 1887, 11 A.M. |
| Esdaile, Edward Margrave, and Peaty, Arthur Wellington (trading as Esdaile and Company) | 11, Highbury-terrace, Middlesex Fermehurst, Kingston Vale, Surrey | Machine Sawyers and Timber Merchants ... | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 93 of 1887 | August 5, 1887, 11 A.M. |
| Hart, John | Kimberley, South Africa, and 259, Gresham House, Old Broad-street, London | Merchant, trading with Emanuel Saber, as Hart, Saber, and Co. | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 1251 of 1886 | August 12, 1887, 11 A.M. |
| Lansley, George | London-street, Paddington, Middlesex, late the Bath and Cheltenham Hotel, London-street, Paddington | Horse Dealer and Livery Stable Keeper, late Hotel Proprietor, Horse Dealer, and Livery Stable Keeper | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 436 of 1887 | August 11, 1887, 11 A.M. |
| Martin, George, jun. | 84, Bowles-road, Old Kent-road, Surrey, and Herman Wharf, Bowles-road, Old Kent-road, Surrey | Stone Merchant | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 1376 of 1886 | August 11, 1887, 11 A.M. |
| Taylor, Richard Carter | Hyde Park Hotel, 554, Oxford-street, formerly 242, Oxford-street, and 1, Hyde Park-place, St. Marylebone, Middlesex | Licensed Victualler and Hotel Proprietor.. | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 456 of 1887 | August 9, 1887, 11 A.M. |
| Turnpenny, Walter Daniel Talbot (trading as W. D. T. Turnpenny and Co.) | 8, Red Lion-court, Cannon-street, London, residing at 42, Linden-grove, Nunhead, Surrey | Button and Braid Manufacturer | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 179 of 1887 | August 9, 1887, 11 A.M. |
| Neate, George | 103 and 104, Temple-street, and residing at 4, Stanley-terrace, Bath-road, both in Bristol | Coach Builder and Wheelwright | Bristol | 2 of 1887 | August 19, 1887, 11 A.M., Guild-hall, Bristol |
| Toft, Eli | Youlgreave, Derbyshire | Blacksmith | Derby | 17 of 1887 | August 8, 1887 |
| Bromfield, Charles | 37, Northernhay-street, Exeter | Manufacturing Stationer | Exeter | 51 of 1886 | August 13, 1887, 10.30 A.M. |
| Loft, Joseph | 43, Francis-street East, Kingston-upon-Hull ... | Painter | Kingston-upon-Hull | 50 of 1886 | August 8, 1887, 2 P.M., Court-house, Townhall, Hull |
| Styles, John | Peake's Farm, Chiddingly, Sussex | Farmer | Lewes and East-bourne | 23 of 1886 | August 9, 1887 |
| Clegg, Charles | 74A, King-street, Manchester, Lancashire | Architect | Manchester | 1 of 1887 | August 6, 1887, 10.30 A.M. |

APPLICATIONS FOR DEBTORS' DISCHARGE—*continued.*

| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. | Day fixed for Hearing. |
|--------------------------------|---|--|----------------------|---------------|---|
| Minton, Hampden Alfred | Lyndurst, Albert Park, Wilmslow, Cheshire... .. | Warehouseman, trading with William Augustus Charles Minton, as Wm. A. C. Minton and Co. | Manchester | 15 of 1887 | August 6, 1887, 10.30 A.M. |
| Brooks, Joseph | 14, Brunswick-street, West Hartlepool, county of Durham | Fruit Merchant | Sunderland | 4 of 1887 | August 4, 1887 |
| Wright, James | Carlton-street, Castleford, and Station Glass Works, Knottingley, both in Yorkshire | Glass Bottle Manufacturer and Accountant | Wakefield | 9 of 1886 | August 2, 1887 |
| Stanley, John Albert | 33, Archery-terrace, Leamington, Warwickshire | Veterinary Surgeon's Assistant | Warwick | 4 of 1886 | August 9, 1887 |
| Snow, Charles | 100, High-street, Winchester, Hampshire | Confectioner | Winchester | 3 of 1885 | August 10, 1887, 10 A.M., Castle, Winchester |
| Goodhall, James Richard | 42 and 43, Queen-street, and Stafford-street, Wolverhampton | Grocer and Provision Dealer (trading in Queen-street, Wolverhampton, as the South Staffordshire Supply Stores) | Wolverhampton | 19 of 1884 | September 30, 1887, 12 noon, Court-house, Queen-street, Wolverhampton |

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

No. 25720.

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| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. | Date of Order. | Nature of Order made. | Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge. |
|-----------------------------|--|--|-------------------------------------|--------------|----------------|---|--|
| Godfrey, Charles ... | Kirkdale Lodge, Denmark Hill, Surrey | Vocalist | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 530 of 1886 | June 10, 1887 | Discharge suspended for fourteen months from the 16th day of July, 1886, the date of bankrupt's public examination. Bankrupt to be discharged as and from the 16th day of September, 1887 | Bankrupt had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business lately carried on by him as a Licensed Victualler, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy, and had brought on his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculations |
| Monfort, Joseph Frank | 61, Mark-lane and 53, Gracechurch-street, London, and at Almeria and Valencia, Spain, and residing at 16, Sunninghill-road, St. John's, Lewisham, Kent | Commission Agent, trading with Guillermo Recano, as Recano, Monfort, and Co. | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 1221 of 1886 | June 16, 1887 | Discharge granted | |
| Pettit, Alfred | 3, Percival-street, Clerkenwell, Middlesex | Cowkeeper | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 59 of 1887 | June 16, 1887 | Discharge suspended for twelve months. Bankrupt to be discharged as and from the 16th day of June, 1888 | Bankrupt had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; had contracted debts provable in the bankruptcy without having at the time of contracting them any reasonable or probable ground of expectation of being able to pay them; had on a previous occasion been adjudged bankrupt; and had been guilty of a fraudulent breach of trust |
| Salthouse, James White-side | 24 and 26, Old-street, Ashton-under-Lyne, and 132, Gorton-lane, West Gorton, both in Lancashire, 25, Lower Hillgate, Stockport, and Grosvenor-square, Stalybridge, both in Cheshire, and 30, Prospect-hill, Douglas, Isle of Man | Grocer and Tea Dealer and Hardware Dealer | Ashton-under-Lyne and Stalybridge | 5 of 1886 | April 28, 1887 | Discharge refused | Bankrupt had omitted to keep such books of account as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; had contracted debts provable in the bankruptcy without having at the time of |

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE—*continued.*

| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. | Date of Order. | Nature of Order made. | Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge. |
|--|---|---|--------------|---------------|----------------|---|--|
| Gray, Joseph ... | Formerly 143, Caledonia-street and 402, Thornton-road, now 33, Hollings-terrace, Hollings-road, all in Bradford | Late Coal Dealer and Butcher, now out of business | Bradford ... | 9 of 1886 | June 14, 1887 | Discharge suspended for twelve months | contracting them any reasonable or probable ground of expectation of being able to pay them; had brought on his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculations; and had within three months preceding the date of the Receiving Order given undue preference to three of his creditors Bankrupt had omitted to keep proper books of account, and had continued to trade knowing himself to be insolvent |
| Statham, Jonathan (trading as Thorp and Statham) | Residing at Burrage House, Bingley, and trading at Dowley Gap, near Bingley, Yorkshire | Stuff Finisher ... | Bradford ... | 4 of 1887 | June 14, 1887 | Discharge suspended three months | |
| Mutton, Thomas ... | 84, King's-road, Brighton, Sussex | Hatter ... | Brighton ... | 42 of 1886 | Dec. 31, 1886 | Discharge suspended for twelve months. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 31st day of December, 1887 | Bankrupt had brought on his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculations |
| Jefferis, Thomas ... | Kingswood Hill, Gloucestershire | Slaughterman ... | Bristol ... | 5 of 1887 | June 17, 1887 | Discharge suspended for six months, to take effect as from December 17, 1887 | Bankrupt had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and had on a previous occasion made a statutory composition with his creditors |
| Lawrence, Edward ... | Cock Hotel, Epping, Essex ... | Hotel and Livery Stable Keeper | Edmonton ... | 4 of 1886 | May 17, 1887 | Discharge suspended for six months. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 17th day of November, 1887 | Bankrupt had omitted to keep such books as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had traded with a knowledge of his insolvency; and had contracted debts provable in the bankruptcy without having at the time of contracting same reasonable or probable ground of expectation of being able to pay them |

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE—*continued.*

| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. | Date of Order. | Nature of Order made. | Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge. |
|---|--|------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------|-----------------|---|---|
| Nowell, William Winsor | Residing at 9, Chatsworth-terrace, Ellacombe, and trading at 4D, Lower Union-street, both in Torquay, Devonshire | Draper | Exeter | 6 of 1887 | June 9, 1887... | Discharge suspended for two months. Bankrupt to be discharged as from the 9th day of August, 1887. | Bankrupt had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent, and had on a previous occasion, that is to say in January, 1886, made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors |
| Bygott, John Story ... | Healing, Lincolnshire ... | Farmer and Milk Seller... | Great Grimsby ... | 86 of 1886 | June 17, 1887 | Granted to date from the time he pays the Official Receiver £50 | The bankrupt had omitted to keep such books of account as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years preceding his bankruptcy, having kept no books whatever; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; and had contracted debts provable in bankruptcy without having at the time reasonable or probable ground of expectancy of being able to pay them |
| Drummond, John Nelson | Lately residing at the Crescent, Leatherhead, Surrey, now residing at 14, King's-road, Kingston Hill, Surrey | Artist | Kingston, Surrey ... | 33 of 1886 | April 15, 1887 | Discharge granted on following condition: Debtor to consent to judgment being entered against him for £50, payable within two years | |
| Hinchliffe, George Joseph (trading as Hinchliffe and Son) | 16, Vicarage-lane, Rotherham, Yorkshire, and 33, High-street, Rotherham | Printer, Bookbinder, and Stationer | Sheffield | 89 of 1885 | June 16, 1887 | Suspended for three calendar months. Bankrupt to be discharged as from the 16th day of September, 1887 | Bankrupt in the year 1881 made a statutory arrangement with his creditors, under which he paid a composition of 12s. 6d. in the pound; bankrupt had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy |

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ADJUDICATION ANNULLED.

| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. of Matter. | Date of Adjudication. | Date of Annulment. | Grounds of Annulment. |
|------------------------|------------------------------|---|---------------|----------------|-----------------------|--------------------|---|
| Boyce, John Cox | Cornwell, Oxfordshire | Clerk in Holy Orders, Rector of Cornwell | Oxford | 1 of 1887 | Jan. 21, 1887 ... | June 23, 1887 ... | Approved by the Court of a scheme of arrangement |

APPOINTMENTS OF TRUSTEES.

| Debtor's Name. | Address. | Description. | Court. | No. | Trustee's Name. | Address. | Date of Certificate of Appointment. |
|---|--|---|-------------------------------------|-------------|--|--|-------------------------------------|
| Lazarus, Samuel | 35, Hatton-garden, Middlesex | Now or lately an Optician and Merchant | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 360 of 1887 | Hasluck, Lawrence... | 23, Holborn Viaduct, E.C., Chartered Accountant | July 2, 1887 |
| Chantry, George, and Brewster, Edmund (trading as Chantry, Brewster, and Co.) | 1, Bristol-road, Birmingham, Warwickshire | Tea Merchants | Birmingham... .. | 36 of 1887 | Sharp, Elkanah Mackintosh | Colmore-row, Birmingham, Chartered Accountant | July 8, 1887 |
| Mayon, William | Holloway Head, and Exeter-street, both in Birmingham, Warwickshire | Furniture Dealer and Brass Knob Manufacturer | Birmingham... .. | 51 of 1887 | Jaques, Charles Henry | 95, Colmore-row, Birmingham | July 8, 1887 |
| Taylor, David Glasier | 6, Park Hall - buildings, Crockherbtown, Cardiff, Glamorganshire | Silk Mercer and Dress and Mantle Maker | Cardiff | 18 of 1887 | Collison, Frederick Henry | 99, Cheapside, London ... | July 7, 1887 |
| Saul, John | Drumburgh and Glasson, parish of Bowness, Cumberland | Yeoman and Farmer | Carlisle | 20 of 1887 | Watson, James | Old Post Office-court, Carlisle, Accountant | July 8, 1887 |
| DesVignes, George Francis Gabriel | Chertsey Bridge Wharf, Chertsey, Surrey... | Steam Launch, Yacht, and Torpedo Boat Builder | Kingston, Surrey | 14 of 1887 | Knight, Howard Forester, and Calder, Hugh | Devonshire - chambers, Bishopsgate-street, E.C., Chartered Accountant Care of Messrs. Maudsley, Son, and Field, of 110, Westminster Bridge-road, Lambeth, Cashier | July 1, 1887 |

NOTICE OF RELEASE OF TRUSTEE.

| Debtor's Name. | Debtor's Address. | Debtor's Description. | Court. | No. of Matter. | Trustee's Name. | Trustee's Address. | Trustee's Description. | Date of Release. |
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| Dudin, John, the younger... | Grendon, Harcourt-road, Wallington, Surrey | Of no occupation ... | High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy | 1249 of 1886 | George Wingfield ... | 15A, Paternoster-row, London, E.C. | Chartered Accountant | July 8, 1887 |

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