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*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,  
December 16, 1887.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be open to the Public on and after Monday, the 26th instant, on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, between the hours of eleven and three, under the usual Regulations.

(PLEURO-PNEUMONIA.)

**A**T the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 16th day of December, 1887.

By Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

**T**HE 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 eighteenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

*C. L. Peel.*

## SCHEDULE.

An Area in the parish of Ore, in the petty sessional division of Hastings, in the Eastern Division of the county of Sussex, comprised within the following boundaries, that is to say, from the Tunnel on the north side of London-road near Ivy Cottage, along Ivy House-lane to Chownes Hill-lane, thence in a straight line in an easterly direction to the South Eastern Railway at the point where the stream crosses the said Railway, and thence along the said Railway to the Tunnel at London-road aforesaid.

*Foreign Office, December 8, 1887.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Henry Austin Lee, Esq., of the Foreign Office, to be an Acting Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service while employed abroad.

*Foreign Office, December 15, 1887.*

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Adolphe Aimé Louis Gabriel Denis de Trobriand as Consul at Gibraltar for the French Republic.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. William Burrell as Vice-Consul at Glasgow for His Majesty the Emperor of Austria.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Anastatius G. Kephalas as Vice-Consul at Sierra Leone for His Majesty the King of the Hellenes.

*Downing Street, December 14, 1887.*

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Viscount Gormanston, K.C.M.G. (Governor of the Leeward Islands), to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of British Guiana.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Charles Bullen Hugh Mitchell, K.C.M.G. (Governor of Fiji and Her Majesty's High Commissioner for the Western Pacific), to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Leeward Islands.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Sir John Bates Thurston, K.C.M.G., Lieutenant-Governor of Fiji, to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of that Colony.

Her Majesty has further been pleased to appoint Sir John Bates Thurston, K.C.M.G., to be Her Britannic Majesty's High Commissioner for the Western Pacific.

*Downing Street, December 15, 1887.*

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint William Frederick Haynes Smith, Esq., C.M.G., Attorney-General of British Guiana, to administer temporarily the Government of the Leeward Islands.

*Education Department, Whitehall,  
December 14, 1887.*

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued an order this day for the dissolution, under Section 41 of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, of the School Board for the undermentioned Parish:—

Throston (extra-municipal) ... Durham

*Whitehall, December 6, 1887.*

THE Queen has been pleased to grant unto David Davies Jones, a minor, of the age of eighteen years and upwards, on the petition of his father, David Jones, of Warborne, in the parish of Boldre, in the county of Southampton, Gentleman, Her Royal licence and authority that he, the said David Davies Jones, may take and henceforth use the surname of Arderne in lieu and in substitution of that of Jones, and that he may bear the arms of Arderne quarterly with those of his own family; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

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

(H. 8552.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, December 15, 1887.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch, dated 11th instant, from Her Majesty's Representative at Copenhagen, stating that in consequence of the prevalence of contagious maladies in Chili, Florida, Jamaica, Martinique, and Guadaloupe, the Minister of Justice has added these countries to the list of those arrivals from which are subject to inspection, and has made the usual prohibitory order about imports therefrom.

Quarantine against ships arriving from ports in Sicily and Sardinia, and Italian ports situated between Cape Ste. Maria de Leuca and Cape Misène, also from ports in Austro-Hungary, has been abolished, as has also the usual prohibitory order concerning imports therefrom.

(H. 8563.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, December 15, 1887.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch, dated 9th instant, from the Austro-Hungarian Ambassador at this Court, notifying that the reserve of observation of seven days against arrivals from Sicily has been abolished in Austro-Hungarian ports, and a medical visit substituted.

(H. 8564.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, December 15, 1887.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs the following copy of a Telegram, dated 14th instant, from Her Majesty's Representative at Constantinople:—"Arrivals from all ports of Sicily admitted to free pratique after medical visit, but those from Sardinia undergo quarantine of five days. Above measures apply to departures on and after 1st instant."

(H. 8565.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, December 15, 1887.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs the following copy of a Telegram, dated 14th instant, from Her Majesty's Representative at Lisbon:—"All Italian ports and Sicily suspected of cholera from December 1st. Sardinia still infected."

*Admiralty, 13th December, 1887.*

*Royal Marine Light Infantry.*

Captain and Brevet Major and Barrack-Master William Edward Despard has been placed on the Retired List, at his own request. Dated 8th December, 1887.

*Admiralty, 14th December, 1887.*

*Royal Marine Light Infantry.*

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Robert William Francis Holt has been appointed Barrack-Master, vice Despard, to Retired List, and has been placed on half-pay. Dated 8th December, 1887.

*War Office, Pall Mall,*

*16th December, 1887.*

*Royal Engineers, Colonel Charles Edward Cumberland, C.B., retires on retired pay, with the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 17th December, 1887.*

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel William Keith, half-pay, retires upon retired pay and compensation. Dated 17th December, 1887.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Henry Darley Crozier, half-pay, retires on retired pay and compensation, with the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 17th December, 1887.

Major Henry Philip Constantine Dillon retires upon retired pay, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 17th December, 1887.

*India Office, 16th December, 1887.*

THE Queen has approved of the following admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India:—

#### BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

*To be Lieutenants.*

Lieutenant Leslie Charles Fryer, from the Wiltshire Regiment. Dated 12th March, 1885, but to rank from 1st July, 1881.

Lieutenant Arthur William Cripps, from the Leinster Regiment. Dated 21st November, 1885, but to rank from 9th September, 1882.

Lieutenant Robert Venour Davidson, from the Leinster Regiment. Dated 11th June, 1886, but to rank from 25th August, 1883.

Lieutenant Edward Hurlock Watson, from the Dorsetshire Regiment. Dated 5th May, 1886, but to rank from the 23rd August, 1884.

Lieutenant William Martin Cubitt, from the Cheshire Regiment. Dated 30th April, 1886, but to rank from the 23rd August, 1884.

#### MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

*To be Lieutenants.*

Lieutenant Mark Antony Tuite, from the Hampshire Regiment. Dated 4th October, 1884, but to rank from 2nd March, 1879.

Lieutenant Thomas Shaw Johnson, from the Bedfordshire Regiment. Dated 5th April, 1886, but to rank from 6th February, 1884.

Lieutenant William Nevile Campbell, from the Royal Munster Fusiliers. Dated 9th April, 1886, but to rank from 6th February, 1884.

The Queen has also approved of the retirement from the Service of the undermentioned Officers of the Staff Corps:—

Colonel Robert Francis Firth, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 20th August, 1887.

Colonel Colin Mackenzie, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 15th October, 1887.

Colonel Richard Carruthers Budd, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 15th December, 1887.  
Colonel Edmund Ghuznee Morrogh, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st October, 1887.

The undermentioned Officers have been granted a step of honorary rank on retirement :—

*To be Major-Generals.*

Colonel Robert Francis Firth, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 20th August, 1887.  
Colonel Colin Mackenzie, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 16th October, 1887.  
Colonel Richard Carruthers Budd, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 15th December, 1887.  
Colonel Edmund Ghuznee Morrogh, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 1st October, 1887.

War Office, 16th December, 1887.

MILITIA.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

5th Brigade, Welsh Division, Captain J. J. Bonsall to be Major. Dated 12th November, 1887.  
3rd Brigade, South Irish Division, Lieutenant-Colonel R. M. Studdert is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 17th December, 1887.

INFANTRY.

3rd Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Lieutenant J. C. Tristram resigns his Commission. Dated 17th December, 1887.  
5th Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Edmund Butler Charteris, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1887.  
4th Battalion, the Lincolnshire Regiment, Tudor Lay, Esq., late Lieutenant, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Captain. Dated 17th December, 1887.  
3rd Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment, Lieutenant R. A. Falconer, from the 3rd Battalion, the Royal Dublin Fusiliers, to be Captain. Dated 17th December, 1887.  
4th Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment, Alexander Cross Hall, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1887.  
3rd Battalion, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), Captain R. H. Hayward is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 17th December, 1887.  
4th Battalion, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), Henry Gathorne Hill, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1887.  
3rd Battalion, the Cheshire Regiment, Charles Wordsworth Tyler, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1887.  
3rd and 4th Battalions, the Cameronians (Scottish Rifles), Captain R. Greig is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 17th December, 1887.  
3rd Battalion, the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), Eric William Morris, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1887.  
6th Battalion, the King's Royal Rifle Corps, Colonel Robert Wills (retired), to be appointed Honorary Colonel of the Regiment, vice Rowley, deceased. Dated 17th December, 1887.  
3rd and 4th Battalions, the Manchester Regiment, Arthur Ramsay Robinson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1887.  
4th Battalion, the Royal Irish Rifles, Hugh Andrew White, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1887.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

East Lothian, John Alexander Miller, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1887.

Yorkshire Hussars, Edwin Wilfrid Greenwood, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1887.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

ARTILLERY.

1st Aberdeenshire, The seniority of the undermentioned Second Lieutenants is as follows, and not as stated in the London Gazette of the 25th November, 1887, viz. :—

John Poynter Miller.  
John C. Ogston Couper.  
Macbeth Moir Duncan.

1st Ayrshire and Galloway, Lieutenant A. McCubbin resigns his Commission; also is granted the honorary rank of Captain, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 17th December, 1887.

Lieutenant W. Burns to be Captain. Dated 17th December, 1887.

4th Volunteer (Cinque Ports) Brigade, Cinque Ports Division, Royal Artillery, The Reverend Henry Bartram, B.A., to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 17th December, 1887.

1st Cumberland, The Reverend Robert Duncan, M.A., to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 17th December, 1887.

1st Volunteer (Devonshire) Brigade, Western Division, Royal Artillery, Lieutenant T. B. Eastley to be Captain. Dated 17th December, 1887.

1st Fifeshire, Robert Balfour Graham, Gent., to be Acting Surgeon. Dated 17th December, 1887.

1st Forfarshire, Lieutenant T. H. Smith to be Captain. Dated 17th December, 1887.

1st Gloucestershire, Captain and Honorary Major T. H. Yabbicom, to be Major. Dated 17th December, 1887.

1st Lanarkshire, Captain W. Jarvie is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 17th December, 1887.

Lieutenant J. Taylor to be Captain. Dated 17th December, 1887.

3rd Lancashire, The services of Captain Thomas Walker are dispensed with. Dated 17th December, 1887.

5th Lancashire, James Yates Foster, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1887.

3rd Middlesex, Captain (Quartermaster) Edward Buckland is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 17th December, 1887.

1st Newcastle-on-Tyne, Quartermaster R. Cave resigns his Commission. Dated 17th December, 1887.

1st Renfrew and Dumbarton, Lieutenant J. Lade resigns his Commission. Dated 17th December, 1887.

1st Volunteer (Sussex) Brigade, Cinque Ports Division, Royal Artillery, Lieutenant R. H. Topham resigns his Commission. Dated 17th December, 1887.

ENGINEER.

1st Gloucestershire (the Western Counties), Lieutenant C. W. H. Paul resigns his Commission. Dated 17th December, 1887.

## RIFLE.

- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry*, Major Frederick Albert Champion (retired) to be Major. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry*, Captain W. H. L. Clark is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 2nd (Prince of Wales's) Volunteer Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment*, Lieutenant A. B. Hutchings resigns his Commission. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Essex Regiment*, Lieutenant W. W. Daw resigns his Commission. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Essex Regiment*, Major F. Chancellor is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 9th Lanarkshire*, Captain and Honorary Major J. Paul resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 1st Lancashire*, Algernon John Pilkington, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 5th Lancashire (the Liverpool Rifle Volunteer Brigade)*, Lieutenant J. Greenshields resigns his Commission. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 15th Lancashire*, Major-General W. de W. R. Thackwell, C.B., to be appointed Honorary Colonel of the Corps. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 19th Lancashire (Liverpool Press Guard)*, Luther Watts, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment)*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel David Gamble, C.B., to be appointed Honorary Colonel of the Battalion. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 1st London (City of London Rifle Volunteer Brigade)*, Captain J. B. Adams is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- Captain James Alexander Skene Thomson, 2nd Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), to be Adjutant, vice Major C. Wortham, the King's Royal Rifle Corps, whose time has expired. Dated 2nd January, 1888.
- 2nd (South) Middlesex*, William Leonard Wells, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment)*, William Henry Holtum, Gent., to be Quartermaster. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 14th Middlesex (Inns of Court)*, Lieutenant J. A. Scott resigns his Commission; also is granted the honorary rank of Captain, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 16th Middlesex (London Irish)*, Lieutenant H. W. Anderson to be Captain. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 17th (North) Middlesex*, Major M. Barron is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 4th Volunteer Battalion, the South Wales Borderers*, John Addams Williams, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 1st (Renfrewshire) Volunteer Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders)*, Captain and Honorary Major J. McEwen resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the South Staffordshire Regiment*, Captain Newton Seymour Allen, 2nd Battalion, to be Adjutant, vice Honorary Major Mitford, placed on retired pay. Dated 7th December, 1887.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment)*, The Reverend F. H. Beaven to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment)*, Lieutenant-Colonel James Searle resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 4th Volunteer Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment*, The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—  
E. J. Hart. Dated 17th December, 1887.  
G. A. Wright. Dated 17th December, 1887.  
H. S. Streatfeild. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 1st Sutherland (the Sutherland Highland)*, Lieutenant D. Munro resigns his Commission. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Worcestershire Regiment*, Surgeon T. E. Underhill, from the 1st Volunteer Battalion, the South Staffordshire Regiment, to be Surgeon. Dated 17th December, 1887.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment)*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel George Garnett-Orme, whose resignation was announced in the London Gazette of the 9th December, 1887, is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement.

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

His Honour Judge Gwilym Williams to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th December, 1887.

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

John Foster, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 12th December, 1887.

John Darell-Blount, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 12th December, 1887.

TREASURY WARRANT.

WE, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in pursuance of the Acts relating to Her Majesty's Post Office, and in exercise of all powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant, made on the representation of Her Majesty's Postmaster-General (testified by his signing the same), and under the hands of two of us, the said Commissioners, order, direct, and declare as follows:—

*Definitions.*

1. In this Warrant:—

- (1.) The expression "Parcel" means a Postal Packet which is posted as a Parcel in accordance with the provisions of this Warrant, or any Warrant amending the same.
- (2.) The expression "United Kingdom" includes the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man.

*Places between which Parcels may be Transmitted.*

2. From and after the date when this Warrant comes into operation, Parcels may, subject to the provisions of this Warrant, be transmitted by post between the United Kingdom and Malta by way of Italy and France.

*Rates of Postage.*

3. On all Parcels not exceeding seven pounds in weight, posted in the United Kingdom, addressed to Malta, or posted in Malta addressed to the United Kingdom and transmitted by post under this Warrant there shall be charged and paid a postage of two shillings and ten pence.

*Maximum Dimensions and Weight.*

4. Except by permission of the Postmaster-General no Parcel, the dimensions of which shall exceed in length two feet, or in length and girth measured together four feet (such girth being measured round the thickest part of such Parcel), shall be conveyed or tendered for conveyance by post under this Warrant.

5. No parcel which shall exceed seven pounds in weight shall be conveyed or tendered for conveyance by post under this Warrant.

*Prepayment.*

6. The postage chargeable under this Warrant on Parcels posted in the United Kingdom, shall in all cases (except as otherwise provided in this Warrant), be prepaid at the time of posting, and such prepayment shall in the United Kingdom be effected by means of adhesive postage stamps, or at such Post Offices within such hours and under and subject to such regulations as the Postmaster-General shall from time to time prescribe, in money.

*Times of Posting.*

7. Parcels intended to be transmitted by post may, in the United Kingdom, be posted on any day of the week except Sunday, but shall not be posted on Sundays, or in England or Ireland on Christmas Day or Good Friday, and in Scotland on either of the two Sacramental Fast Days, except in the cases next hereinafter mentioned, that is to say:—

Where the delivery of Parcels on Sundays, or any of the other days aforesaid, at certain Post Offices, to addressees calling for the same, may hereafter be specially authorized by the Postmaster-General, the posting of Parcels on Sundays, or such other days as aforesaid, at such offices respectively, shall also be permitted within such times and in such manner as may be directed by the Postmaster-General.

*Mode of Posting.*

8. Except as otherwise provided in this Warrant, all Parcels shall, in the United Kingdom, be posted by being handed in at a Post Office, in the manner hereinafter provided, within the hours during which such office shall be open to the public for the posting of Parcels.

*Posting at Post Offices.*

9. The following provisions shall apply to the posting of Parcels at any Post Office in the United Kingdom, that is to say:—

- (1.) It shall be the duty of a person bringing a Parcel to hand it to an officer on duty at the counter in such office.
- (2.) Such Parcel must bear the name and address of the sender and the exact direction of the addressee, and must be packed in a manner adequate for the length of the journey and for the protection of the contents. The parcel must also be so packed as to prevent any tampering with its contents without leaving an obvious trace of its violation and must be sealed by means of sealing wax, lead, or otherwise, with some impress or mark of the sender. Such Parcel must also be accompanied by or have affixed to it a declaration of such kind, and stating the contents of the Parcel in such manner and form, and with such other particulars as the Commissioners of Customs and the Postmaster-General may prescribe.
- (3.) Such Parcel shall be measured and weighed by such officer, and (if such Parcel do not exceed the limits of measurement or weight hereinbefore mentioned) the postage thereof shall be prepaid as hereinbefore provided, and shall be verified by such officer, and no such Parcel shall be forwarded by the Post without the before-mentioned requirements being complied with; and if any such Parcel shall be left at a Post Office without such requirements being complied with, such Parcel shall be detained, and may be returned or given up to the sender thereof, or otherwise dealt with or disposed of in any manner authorized by this Warrant.

*Collection of Parcels.*

10. The Postmaster-General may, if he think fit, from time to time authorize such officers as he may direct to receive Parcels for the Post under such regulations and conditions as he may from time to time prescribe.

*Irregular Posting of Parcels.*

11. Any Packet transmissible by Parcel Post from the United Kingdom to Malta which, from any words or marks thereon, or other external evidence, appears to have been intended for transmission as a Parcel, but which has not been tendered for transmission as a Parcel, but has been posted in a Post Office Letter Box, or otherwise than according to the manner hereinbefore prescribed for the posting of Parcels, may, in the discretion of the Postmaster-General, either be detained and returned or given up to the sender, or if the said Packet is fully prepaid with the letter or Book Packet rate of postage, and otherwise conforms to the regulations as to the Letter or Book Post, may be forwarded as a Letter or Book Packet (as the case may be).

*Return and Disposal of Undelivered Parcels.*

12. With regard to—

- (a.) Parcels which are addressed to a Post Office in the United Kingdom to be called for, or to a place in the United Kingdom beyond the limits of the free postal delivery of any town or district, or to a ship at any port in the United Kingdom, and which are not called for or delivered within such reasonable times as the Postmaster-General may from time to time prescribe; and
- (b.) Parcels which cannot be delivered in the United Kingdom for want of a true direction, or by reason that the addressee is dead, or cannot be found, or has refused the same, or has refused to pay any charges thereon, or for any other sufficient reason:

The following provisions shall apply, that is to say:—

- (1.) The Parcel shall, as the Postmaster-General may from time to time direct, be retained at or forthwith forwarded to such place as the Postmaster-General may from time to time appoint, and may, if necessary, be there opened and examined.
- (2.) Notice shall be given to the sender through the Post Office at Malta that the Parcel will, in default of any claim on the part of the addressee, be given up to the sender's agent upon personal application at such place as aforesaid, or, at the request of the sender, will be forwarded to a corrected address, or returned to him by post, in either cases upon payment of such charges as are hereinafter mentioned.
- (3.) The notice shall state that in default of the receipt by the Postmaster-General of an application for the Parcel during a period to be specified in such notice from some person who, in the Postmaster-General's judgment, is entitled to receive the Parcel, it will be disposed of in such manner as the Postmaster-General may direct.
- (4.) The Postmaster-General may, in his discretion, specify in any such notice, or otherwise, the periods during which Parcels may be returned to the senders thereof, and in so doing may have regard to the nature and contents of Parcels.
- (5.) Where in the case of a Parcel which cannot be delivered for want of a true direction, the sender corrects the address of the Parcel, the Parcel shall be forwarded to the corrected address, subject to the following conditions:—
  - (a.) Where the corrected address of the Parcel is within the same free delivery as the original address, and the Parcel is not, at the time of such correction, lying at a Returned Letter Office, no new charge shall be made with respect to the delivery of the Parcel.
  - (b.) Where the corrected address of the Parcel is not within the same free delivery as the original address, or the Parcel at the time of such correction is lying at a Returned Letter Office, there shall be paid a new and distinct rate of postage equal in amount to the rate of postage which would have been chargeable on such Parcel as an Inland Parcel.
- (6.) A Parcel shall not be given up or returned by post to the sender except upon payment by him of any charge for redirection or other charge to which the Parcel has become liable under the provisions of this Warrant, or of any such Regulations as are referred to in section 14 of "The Post Office (Parcels) Act, 1882."
- (7.) Where the sender requests a Parcel to be returned to him by post, such Parcel shall not be returned to the sender except upon payment by him of a new and distinct rate of postage, according to the rate fixed by this Warrant, and all other charges to which the Parcel has become liable.
- (8.) The Postmaster-General may require proof to his satisfaction that an applicant for a Parcel is entitled to receive the same.
- (9.) Where no application is made for a Parcel within the period specified in any such notice as aforesaid, or an applicant fails to prove to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General that he is entitled to receive the Parcel, or

refuses or fails to pay the charges to which the Parcel has become liable under this Warrant, the Parcel may be dealt with or disposed of in such manner as the Postmaster-General may in his discretion direct or authorize.

- (10.) If at any time while a Parcel remains in the possession of the Postmaster-General, it becomes offensive or injurious to any Officer of the Post Office or other person, or to other Parcels, it may forthwith be dealt with or disposed of in such manner as the Postmaster-General may in his discretion direct or authorize, notwithstanding that the provisions of this Warrant as to the return of such Parcel, have not been or have only partially been complied with.

#### *Re-direction of Parcels.*

13. Any Parcel may be re-directed from its original address, or any substituted address, within the United Kingdom, to any country or place with which a Parcel Post to or from the United Kingdom or Malta is established, and in every case of such re-direction there shall be charged on such Parcel in respect of such re-direction a new and distinct rate of postage according to the rates for the time being payable in respect of the transmission of a like Parcel from the United Kingdom to the country or place to which it may be re-directed, and such postage, if not paid at the time of such re-direction, shall be collected on the delivery of the Parcel to the addressee.

14. Any Parcel may be re-directed from its original address, or any substituted address, within the United Kingdom to any other address within the United Kingdom, and in every case of such re-direction there shall be charged on such Parcel in respect of each such re-direction, and (if not previously paid) paid by the addressee thereof in money upon the delivery of such Parcel, a new and distinct rate of postage, equal in amount to the rate of postage which would have been originally chargeable on such Parcel as an Inland Parcel.

#### *Remission of Re-direction Rates.*

15. The Postmaster-General may wholly remit the rate of postage for re-direction on any Parcel addressed to the United Kingdom, which may, on the request of the addressee thereof, be re-directed by an Officer of the Post Office, and again forwarded by post to the same person at any address within the limits of the same free postal delivery as the address from which such Parcel was so re-directed.

#### *Prohibitions.*

16. There shall not be posted or conveyed or delivered by post any Parcel—

- (1.) Consisting of or containing any indecent or obscene print, painting, photograph, lithograph, engraving, book or card, or any indecent or obscene article whether similar to the above or not; or
- (2.) Having thereon or on the cover thereof any words, marks, or designs of an indecent, obscene, or grossly offensive character.
- (3.) Consisting of or containing—
  - (a.) Any explosive substance.
  - (b.) Any dangerous substance.
  - (c.) Any filth.
  - (d.) Any noxious or deleterious substance.
  - (e.) Any sharp instrument not properly protected.
  - (f.) Except with the special permission of the Postmaster-General, any living creature.

(g.) Any article or thing whatsoever which is likely to injure other Parcels in course of conveyance, or any receptacle in which the same are conveyed, or an officer of the Post Office or other person who may deal with such Parcel.

Any such Parcel, if posted or tendered for conveyance by post may be detained, and either returned or given up to the sender thereof or dealt with or disposed of in such other manner as may be authorized by the Postmaster-General.

17. (1.) There shall not be posted or conveyed or delivered by post any Parcel consisting of or containing two or more Parcels or other Postal Packets (of the same or of different descriptions) addressed to different persons at different addresses, and any such Parcel if posted or tendered for conveyance by post, may be detained, and either returned or given up to the sender thereof, or dealt with or disposed of as the Postmaster-General may authorize.

*Non-compliance with Regulations.*

18. In any case not in this Warrant expressly provided for, where any Parcel shall be posted or tendered for conveyance by post which in any respect infringes or fails to comply with the Regulations in this Warrant contained, or any of them, such Parcel may, at the option of the Postmaster-General, either be dealt with as in this Warrant provided, with reference to Parcels which cannot be delivered, or be dealt with or disposed of in such manner as the Postmaster-General may in his discretion direct or authorize.

*Provision for Safety of Parcels.*

19. In any case where any officer of the Post Office may find it necessary or expedient for the safety or protection of Parcels that any Parcel should be forwarded or delivered by some later despatch or delivery than that for which the same was posted or despatched, or intended to be posted or despatched respectively, he may delay the despatch or delivery of such Parcel, or make such other and special arrangements as to the despatch or delivery thereof, not, however, involving a greater delay than 24 hours in the whole, as may be deemed by such officer necessary or expedient in the circumstances of the case.

*Parcels not to interfere with Letter Post.*

20. Where the despatch or delivery from a Post Office in the United Kingdom of letters would be delayed by the despatch or delivery therefrom at the same time of Parcels, such Parcels, or any of them, may be detained in the Post Office until the despatch or delivery next following that by which they would ordinarily be despatched or delivered.

*Postmaster-General not liable for Loss or Damage.*

21. Nothing contained in or done under or in pursuance of this Warrant shall render the Postmaster-General liable, either personally or in his official capacity, to any action or other legal proceeding in respect or in consequence of any loss or damage of any Parcel, whether such loss or damage be occasioned by or arise from any act or neglect of any officer of the Post Office or any other person.

*Customs Regulations.*

22. Parcels intended to be transmitted by post under the provisions of this Warrant shall not be posted, forwarded, conveyed, or delivered, except subject to such Regulations as are referred to in section 14 of "The Post Office (Parcels) Act, 1882."

*Remission of Postage.*

23. The Postmaster-General may, in any case

in which he may consider it just or reasonable so to do, remit any postage or any sum made payable under this Warrant.

*Commencement of Warrant.*

24. This Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

Dated this ninth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

*Sidney Herbert,*

*Herbert Eustace Maxwell,*

Two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

*Henry Cecil Raikes,*

Her Majesty's Postmaster-General.

**TREASURY WARRANT.**

WE, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in pursuance of the Acts relating to Her Majesty's Post Office, and in exercise of all powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant, made on the representation of Her Majesty's Postmaster-General (testified by his signing the same), and under the hands of two of us, the said Commissioners, order, direct, and declare as follows:—

*Repeal.*

1. There shall be repealed, revoked, and annulled, on and as from the day upon which this Warrant comes into operation, so much of the Warrant of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, dated the 19th day of August, 1887, as relates to the transmission of parcels by post, between the United Kingdom and Tunis.

*Definitions.*

2. In this Warrant

(1.) The expression "Parcel," means a postal packet, which is posted as a parcel in accordance with the provisions of this Warrant, or any Warrant amending the same.

(2.) The expression "United Kingdom," includes the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man.

*Places between which Parcels may be transmitted.*

3. From and after the date when this Warrant comes into operation, parcels may, subject to the provisions of this Warrant, be transmitted by post between the United Kingdom and the several places mentioned in Part I of the schedule hereto, by way of France, and also between the United Kingdom and the several places mentioned in Part II of the said schedule.

*Rates of Postage.*

4. On all parcels transmitted by post under this Warrant, from the United Kingdom to the several places mentioned in the said schedule, there shall be charged and paid according to the weight of such parcels respectively, the several rates of postage specified in such schedule.

*Maximum Dimensions and Weight.*

5. Except by permission of the Postmaster-General, there shall not be conveyed, or tendered for conveyance by post under this Warrant, any parcel exceeding the following dimensions and weight, respectively, viz:—

(1.) Any Parcel addressed to any place mentioned in Part I of the schedule hereto, which shall in length exceed two feet, or in length and girth measured together, four feet, or which shall exceed seven pounds in weight.

(2.) Any Parcel addressed to any place mentioned in Part II of the schedule hereto

which shall exceed in any direction, two feet, or which shall exceed eleven pounds in weight.

*Prepayment.*

6. The postage chargeable, according to the respective rates hereinbefore-mentioned, shall, in all cases (except as otherwise provided in this Warrant), be prepaid at the time of posting; and such prepayment shall, in the United Kingdom, be effected by means of adhesive postage stamps, or at such post offices, within such hours, and under and subject to such regulations as the Postmaster-General shall from time to time prescribe, in money.

*Times of Posting.*

7. Parcels intended to be transmitted by post, may, in the United Kingdom, be posted on any day of the week except Sunday, but shall not be posted on Sundays, or in England or Ireland on Christmas Day or Good Friday, and in Scotland on either of the two Sacramental Fast Days, except in the cases next hereinafter mentioned, that is to say:—

Where the delivery of Parcels on Sundays, or any of the other days aforesaid, at certain Post Offices, to addressees calling for the same, may hereafter be specially authorized by the Postmaster-General, the posting of Parcels on Sundays, or such other days as aforesaid, at such offices respectively, shall also be permitted within such times and in such manner as may be directed by the Postmaster-General.

*Mode of Posting.*

8. Except as otherwise provided in this Warrant all Parcels shall, in the United Kingdom, be posted by being handed in at a Post Office in the manner hereinafter provided, within the hours during which such office shall be open to the public for the posting of Parcels.

*Posting at Post Offices.*

9. The following provisions shall apply to the posting of Parcels at any Post Office in the United Kingdom, that is to say:—

- (1.) It shall be the duty of a person bringing a Parcel to hand it to an officer on duty at the counter in such office.
- (2.) Such Parcel must bear the name and address of the sender and the exact direction of the addressee, and must be packed in a manner adequate for the length of the journey, and for the protection of the contents. The Parcel must also be so packed as to prevent any tampering with its contents without leaving an obvious trace of its violation, and must be sealed by means of sealing-wax, lead, or otherwise with some impress or mark of the sender. Such Parcel must also be accompanied by or have affixed to it a declaration of such kind, and stating the contents of the Parcel in such manner and form and with such other particulars as the Commissioners of Customs and the Postmaster-General may prescribe.
- (3.) Such Parcel shall be measured and weighed by such officer, and (if such Parcel do not exceed the limits of measurement or weight hereinbefore mentioned), the postage thereof, according to the rates fixed by this Warrant shall be prepaid as hereinbefore mentioned and shall be verified by such officer, and no such Parcel shall be forwarded by the post without the beforementioned requirements being complied with; and if any such Parcel shall be left at a Post Office without such requirements being complied with, such Parcel shall be detained, and may be returned

or given up to the sender thereof, or otherwise dealt with or disposed of in any manner authorized by this Warrant.

*Collection of Parcels.*

10. The Postmaster-General, may, if he think fit, from time to time authorize such of his officers as he may direct, to receive Parcels for the post under such regulations and conditions as he may from time to time prescribe.

*Irregular Posting of Parcels.*

11. Any Packet transmissible by Parcel Post from the United Kingdom, which from any words or marks thereon or other external evidence appears to have been intended for transmission as a Parcel, but which has not been tendered for transmission as a Parcel, but has been posted in a Post Office Letter-box, or otherwise than according to the manner hereinbefore prescribed for the posting of Parcels, may, in the discretion of the Postmaster-General either be detained and returned or given up to the sender, or if the said Packet is fully prepaid with the Letter or Book Packet rate of postage, and otherwise conforms to the regulations as to the Letter or Book Post, may be forwarded as a Letter or Book Packet, as the case may be.

*Return and Disposal of Undelivered Parcels.*

12. With regard to—

- (a.) Parcels which are addressed to a Post Office in the United Kingdom to be called for, or to a place in the United Kingdom beyond the limits of the free postal delivery of any town or district, or to a ship at any port in the United Kingdom, and which are not called for or delivered within such reasonable times as the Postmaster-General may from time to time prescribe; and
- (b.) Parcels which cannot be delivered in the United Kingdom for want of a true direction, or by reason that the addressee is dead, or cannot be found, or has refused the same, or has refused to pay any charges thereon, or for any other sufficient reason;

The following provisions shall apply, that is to say:—

- (1.) The Parcel shall, as the Postmaster-General may from time to time direct, be retained at or forthwith forwarded to such place as the Postmaster-General may from time to time appoint, and may, if necessary, be there opened and examined.
- (2.) Notice shall be given to the sender through the Post Office of the country in which the Parcel was posted, that the Parcel will, in default of any claim on the part of the addressee, be given up to the sender's agent upon personal application at such place as aforesaid, or at the request of the sender will be returned to him by Post upon payment of such charges as are herein-after mentioned.
- (3.) The notice shall state that in default of the receipt by the Postmaster-General of an application for the Parcel, during a period to be specified in such notice from some person who, in the Postmaster-General's judgment, is entitled to receive the Parcel, it will be disposed of in such manner as the Postmaster-General may direct.
- (4.) The Postmaster-General may, in his discretion, specify in any such notice, or otherwise, the periods during which Parcels may be returned to the senders thereof, and in so doing may have regard to the nature and contents of Parcels.



(5.) Where in the case of a Parcel which cannot be delivered for want of a true direction, the sender corrects the address of the Parcel, the Parcel shall be forwarded to the corrected address, subject to the following conditions:—

(a.) Where the corrected address of the Parcel is within the same free delivery as the original address, and the Parcel is not at the time of such correction lying at a Returned Letter Office no new charge shall be made with respect to the delivery of the Parcel.

(b.) Where the corrected address of the Parcel is not within the same free delivery as the original address, or the Parcel at the time of such correction is lying at a Returned Letter Office, the sender shall pay a new and distinct rate of postage equal in amount to the rate of postage which would have been chargeable on such Parcel as an Inland Parcel.

(6.) A Parcel shall not be given up or returned by post to the sender except upon payment by him of any charge for redirection or other charge to which the Parcel has become liable under the provisions of this Warrant, or of any such Regulations as are referred to in section 14 of "The Post Office (Parcels) Act, 1882."

(7.) Where the sender requests a Parcel to be returned to him by post, such Parcel shall not be returned to the sender except upon payment by him of a new and distinct rate of postage, according to the rates fixed by this Warrant, and all other charges to which the Parcel has become liable.

(8.) The Postmaster-General may require proof to his satisfaction that an applicant for a Parcel is entitled to receive the same.

(9.) Where no application is made for a Parcel within the period specified in any such notice as aforesaid, or an applicant fails to prove to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General that he is entitled to receive the Parcel, or refuses or fails to pay the charges to which the Parcel has become liable under this Warrant, the Parcel may be dealt with or disposed of in such manner as the Postmaster-General may direct or authorize.

(10.) If at any time while a Parcel remains in the possession of the Postmaster-General, it becomes offensive or injurious to any officer of the Post Office or other person, or to other Parcels, it may forthwith be dealt with or disposed of in such manner as the Postmaster-General may in his discretion direct or authorize, notwithstanding that the provisions of this Warrant as to the return of such Parcel have not been or have only partially been complied with.

#### *Charge for Re-direction.*

13. Any Parcel may be re-directed from its original address, or any substituted address, within the United Kingdom, to any country or place with which a Parcel Post to or from the United Kingdom or the several places mentioned in the Schedule hereto is established, and in every case of such re-direction there shall be charged on such Parcel in respect of such re-direction a new and distinct rate of postage according to the rates for the time being payable in respect of the transmission of a like Parcel from the United Kingdom to the country or place to which it may be re-directed, and such postage, if not paid at the time of such re-direction, shall be collected on the delivery of the Parcel to the addressee.

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14. Any Parcel may be re-directed from its original address, or any substituted address, within the United Kingdom to any other address within the United Kingdom, and in every case of such re-direction there shall be charged on such Parcel in respect of each such re-direction, and (if not previously paid) paid by the addressee thereof in money upon the delivery of such Parcel, a new and distinct rate of postage, equal in amount to the rate of postage which would have been originally chargeable on such Parcel as an Inland Parcel.

#### *Remission of Re-direction Rates.*

15. The Postmaster-General may wholly remit the rate of postage for re-direction on any Parcel addressed to the United Kingdom which may, on the request of the addressee thereof, be re-directed by an Officer of the Post Office, and again forwarded by post to the same person at any address within the limits of the same free postal delivery as the address from which such Parcel was so re-directed.

#### *Prohibitions.*

16. There shall not be posted or conveyed or delivered by post any Parcel—

(1.) Consisting of or containing any indecent or obscene print, painting, photograph, lithograph, engraving, book or card, or any indecent or obscene article whether similar to the above or not; or

(2.) Having thereon or on the cover thereof any words, marks, or designs of an indecent, obscene, or grossly offensive character.

(3.) Containing or bearing any letter or communication in the nature of a letter.

(4.) Containing any article or thing not authorized by the Customs or other laws of the several countries mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

(5.) Consisting of or containing—

(a.) Any explosive substance.

(b.) Any dangerous substance.

(c.) Any filth.

(d.) Any noxious or deleterious substance.

(e.) Any sharp instrument not properly protected.

(f.) Except with the special permission of the Postmaster-General, any living creature.

(g.) Any article or thing whatsoever which is likely to injure other Parcels in course of conveyance or any receptacle in which the same are conveyed or an officer of the Post Office or other person who may deal with such Parcel.

Any such Parcel, if posted or tendered for conveyance by post, may be detained, and either returned or given up to the sender thereof or dealt with or disposed of in such other manner as may be authorized by the Postmaster-General.

17. There shall not be posted or conveyed or delivered by post any Parcel consisting of or containing two or more Parcels or other Postal Packets (of the same or of different descriptions) addressed to different persons at different addresses, and any such Parcel, if posted or tendered for conveyance by Post, may be detained and either returned or given up to the sender thereof, or dealt with or disposed of as the Postmaster-General may authorize.

#### *Non-compliance with Regulations.*

18. In any case not in this Warrant expressly provided for, where any Parcel shall be posted or tendered for conveyance by post which in any respect infringes or fails to comply with the regulations in this Warrant contained, or any of them, such Parcel may, at the option of the Postmaster-

General, either be dealt with as in this Warrant provided, with reference to Parcels which cannot be delivered, or be dealt with or disposed of in such manner as the Postmaster-General may in his discretion direct or authorize.

*Provision for Safety of Parcels.*

19. In any case where any officer of the Post Office may find it necessary or expedient for the safety or protection of Parcels that any Parcel should be forwarded or delivered by some later despatch or delivery than that for which the same was posted or despatched, or intended to be posted or despatched respectively, he may delay the despatch or delivery of such Parcel, or make such other and special arrangements as to the despatch or delivery thereof, not, however, involving a greater delay than 24 hours in the whole, as may be deemed by such officer necessary or expedient in the circumstances of the case.

*Parcels not to interfere with Letter Post.*

20. Where the despatch or delivery from a Post Office in the United Kingdom of letters would be delayed by the despatch or delivery therefrom at the same time of Parcels, such Parcels, or any of them, may be detained in the Post Office until the despatch or delivery next following that by which they would ordinarily be despatched or delivered.

*Postmaster-General not liable for Loss or Damage.*

21. Nothing contained in or done under or in pursuance of this Warrant shall render the Postmaster-General liable, either personally or in his

official capacity, to any action or other legal proceeding in respect of or in consequence of any loss or damage of any Parcel, whether such loss or damage be occasioned by or arise from any act or neglect of any officer of the Post Office or any other person.

*Customs Regulations.*

22. Parcels intended to be transmitted by post under the provisions of this Warrant shall not be posted, forwarded, conveyed, or delivered, except subject to such Regulations as are referred to in section 14 of "The Post Office (Parcels) Act, 1882."

*Remission of Postage.*

23. The Postmaster-General may, in any case in which he may consider it just or reasonable so to do, remit any postage or any sum made payable under this Warrant.

*Commencement of Warrant.*

24. This Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

Dated this tenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

*Sidney Herbert,*

*Herbert Eustace Maxwell,*

Two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

*Henry Cecil Raihes,*

Her Majesty's Postmaster-General.

THE SCHEDULE.

PART I.

Places to which Parcels transmitted.	Not exceeding Three Pounds in Weight.	Exceeding Three Pounds and not exceeding Seven Pounds.
Tripoli ... ..	One shilling and ten pence half-penny	Two shillings and three pence half-penny
Tunis ... ..		
Senegal ... ..	Two shillings and four pence ...	Two shillings and nine pence
Guadaloupe ... ..	Three shillings and two pence ...	Three shillings and seven pence
Martinique ... ..		
French Guiana ... ..		
Reunion ... ..		
Diego Suarez ... ..		
Mayotte ... ..	Three shillings and seven pence	Four shillings
Nossi-Bé ... ..	Four shillings ... ..	Four shillings and five pence
St. Marie de Madagascar		
Cochin China ... ..		
New Caledonia ... ..		
Annam ... ..	Four shillings and five pence ...	Four shillings and ten pence
Tonquin ... ..	Two shillings and four pence ...	Two shillings and nine pence
Austrian or French Post Offices at ports in Turkey	Two shillings and six pence ...	Two shillings and eleven pence
Austrian or French Post Offices at places in the interior of Turkey		

PART II.

Places to which Parcels transmitted.	Not exceeding Three Pounds in Weight.	Exceeding Three Pounds and not exceeding Seven Pounds.	Exceeding Seven Pounds and not exceeding Eleven Pounds.
Danish West Indies, viz.:—St. Croix, St. John, and St. Thomas	One shilling and nine pence	Three shillings ...	Four shillings and three pence
Dutch East Indies... ..	Two shillings ...	Three shillings and three pence	Four shillings and six pence

## TREASURY WARRANT.

WE, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in pursuance of the Acts relating to Her Majesty's Post Office, and in exercise of all powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant, made on the representation of Her Majesty's Postmaster-General (testified by his signing the same), and under the hands of two of us, the said Commissioners, order, direct, and declare as follows:—

*Definitions.*

1. In this Warrant:—

- (1.) The expression "Parcel" means a Postal Packet, which is posted as a Parcel, in accordance with the provisions of this Warrant, or any Warrant amending the same.
- (2.) The expression "United Kingdom" includes the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man.

*Places between which Parcels may be transmitted.*

2. From and after the date when this Warrant comes into operation Parcels may, subject to the provisions of this Warrant, be transmitted by post between the United Kingdom and the British Colonies of Gambia, Sierra Leone, the Gold Coast, and Lagos, and the German Colony of the Cameroons, and by way of the United Kingdom between the said British Colonies and the several countries mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

*Rates of Postage between United Kingdom and Gambia, &c.*

3. On all Parcels posted in the United Kingdom, addressed to Gambia, Sierra Leone, the Gold Coast, or Lagos, or posted in those Colonies, addressed to the United Kingdom, and transmitted by post under this Warrant, there shall be charged and paid the following rates of postage (that is to say):—

On every Parcel not exceeding one pound in weight, nine pence.

On every Parcel exceeding one pound and not exceeding eleven pounds in weight, for the first pound nine pence, and for every additional pound or fraction of a pound in weight nine pence.

*Rates of Postage from United Kingdom to Cameroons.*

4. On all Parcels posted in the United Kingdom addressed to the Cameroons, and transmitted by post under this Warrant, there shall be charged and paid the following rates of postage (that is to say):—

On every Parcel not exceeding three pounds in weight, three shillings and two pence.

On every Parcel exceeding three pounds and not exceeding seven pounds in weight, three shillings and eight pence.

*Rates of Postage from Gambia, &c., to places in Schedule viâ United Kingdom.*

5. On all Parcels transmitted by post under this Warrant from the said British Colonies to any country mentioned in the said Schedule by way of the United Kingdom, there shall be charged and paid according to the weight of such Parcels respectively, the several rates of postage specified in such schedule.

*Maximum Dimensions and Weight of Parcels.*

6. There shall not be conveyed or tendered for conveyance by post under this Warrant any Parcel exceeding the following dimensions and weights respectively, that is to say:—

- (1.) Any Parcel posted in the United Kingdom addressed to the said British Colonies, or

posted in the said British Colonies addressed to the United Kingdom, which shall exceed in length three feet six inches, or in length and girth combined, six feet, or which in the case of such Parcels and of Parcels posted in or addressed to Belgium, the Netherlands, Luxemburg, or Norway, shall exceed eleven pounds in weight.

- (2.) Any Parcel posted in or addressed to the Cameroons, or any country mentioned in the Schedule hereto, except Algeria, Corsica, Italy, or Tunis, which shall exceed in any direction two feet, or which in the case of Parcels posted in or addressed to the Cameroons shall exceed seven pounds in weight.

- (3.) Any Parcel posted in or addressed to Algeria, Corsica, Italy, or Tunis, which shall exceed in length two feet, or in length and girth combined four feet, or which in the case of Parcels posted in or addressed to any country mentioned in the said Schedule, except Belgium, the Netherlands, Luxemburg, and Norway shall exceed six pounds in weight.

*Prepayment.*

7. The postage chargeable according to the respective rates hereinbefore mentioned shall in all cases (except as otherwise provided in this Warrant) be prepaid at the time of posting, and such prepayment shall in the United Kingdom be effected by means of adhesive postage stamps

*Times of Posting.*

8. Parcels intended to be transmitted by post may, in the United Kingdom, be posted on any day of the week except Sunday, but shall not be posted on Sundays, or in England or Ireland, on Christmas Day or Good Friday, and in Scotland on either of the two Sacramental Fast Days, except in the cases next hereinafter mentioned, that is to say:—

Where the delivery of Parcels on Sundays, or any of the other days aforesaid, at certain Post Offices, to addressees calling for the same, may hereafter be specially authorized by the Postmaster-General, the posting of Parcels on Sundays, or such other days as aforesaid, at such offices respectively, shall also be permitted within such times and in such manner as may be directed by the Postmaster-General.

*Mode of Posting.*

9. Except as otherwise provided in this Warrant, all Parcels shall in the United Kingdom be posted by being handed in at a Post Office, in the manner hereinafter provided, within the hours during which such office shall be open to the public for the posting of Parcels.

*Posting at Post Offices.*

10. The following provisions shall apply to the posting of Parcels at any Post Office in the United Kingdom, that is to say:—

- (1.) It shall be the duty of a person bringing a Parcel to hand it to an officer on duty at the counter in such office.
- (2.) Such Parcel must be accompanied by or have affixed to it a declaration of such kind, and stating the contents of the Parcel in such manner and form and with such other particulars as the Commissioners of Customs and the Postmaster-General may prescribe.
- (3.) Such Parcel shall be measured and weighed by such officer, and (if such Parcel do not exceed the limits of measurement or weight hereinbefore mentioned) the postage thereof according to the rates hereinbefore men-

tioned shall be prepaid as hereinbefore provided, and shall be verified by such officer, and no such Parcel shall be forwarded by the post without being accompanied by or having affixed thereto such declaration as aforesaid, and until such Parcel has been so measured and weighed, and the postage chargeable thereon shall have been properly paid; and if any such Parcel shall be left at a Post Office without being accompanied by or having affixed thereto such declaration and without being so measured and weighed and the postage chargeable thereon properly paid as aforesaid, such Parcel shall be detained, and may be returned or given up to the sender thereof or otherwise dealt with or disposed of in any manner authorized by this Warrant.

*Collection of Parcels.*

11. The Postmaster-General may, if he think fit, from time to time authorize such officers as he may direct to receive Parcels for the Post under such regulations and conditions as he may from time to time prescribe.

*Irregular Posting of Parcels.*

12. Any Packet transmissible by Parcel Post from the United Kingdom to the said British Colonies or the Cameroons, which from any words or marks thereon, or other external evidence appears to have been intended for transmission as a parcel, but which has not been tendered for transmission as a Parcel, but has been posted in a Post Office letter-box or otherwise than according to the manner hereinbefore prescribed for the posting of Parcels may, in the discretion of the Postmaster-General, either be detained and returned or given up to the sender, or be dealt with as follows, that is to say:—

- (1.) If the said Packet is fully prepaid with the Letter or Book Packet rate of postage, and otherwise conforms to the Regulations as to the Letter or Book Post, the same may be forwarded as a Letter or Book Packet (as the case may be).
- (2.) If the said Packet is not fully prepaid with the Letter or Book Packet rate of postage the same may be forwarded to its destination as a Parcel charged with the sum of one penny in addition to all other postage payable upon such Packet as a Parcel. Provided that the postage prepaid upon any such Packet shall be allowed in part payment of any postage or other sum charged under this clause.

*Return and Disposal of Undelivered Parcels.*

13. With regard to

- (a.) Parcels which are addressed to a Post Office in the United Kingdom to be called for, or to a place in the United Kingdom beyond the limits of the free postal delivery of any town or district, or to a ship at any port in the United Kingdom, and which are not called for or delivered within such reasonable times as the Postmaster-General may from time to time prescribe; and
- (b.) Parcels which cannot be delivered in the United Kingdom for want of a true direction, or by reason that the addressee is dead, or cannot be found, or has refused the same, or has refused to pay any charges thereon, or for any other sufficient reason.

The following provisions shall apply, that is to say:—

- (1.) The Parcel shall, as the Postmaster-General may from time to time direct, be retained at or forthwith forwarded to such

place as the Postmaster-General may from time to time appoint, and may, if necessary, be there opened and examined.

- (2.) Where the name and address of the sender can be ascertained from the Parcel or the declaration accompanying the same, notice shall be given by post to the sender through the Post Office of the place at which the Parcel was posted, that the Parcel will, in default of any claim on the part of the addressee, be given up to the sender or his agent upon personal application at such place as aforesaid, or at the request of the sender will be forwarded to a corrected address or returned to him by post in either case upon the conditions hereinafter mentioned.
- (3.) Where the name and address of the sender cannot be ascertained from the Parcel, notice shall be publicly given (by affixing the same at such place or places, or in such other manner as the Postmaster-General may direct), and notice shall also be given to the Post Office of the place at which the Parcel was posted, that the Parcel will in default of any claim on the part of the addressee, and upon payment of such charges as are hereinafter mentioned, be given up upon the personal application of the sender or his agent, or be returned to the sender by post.
- (4.) In any case the notice shall state that in default of the receipt by the Postmaster-General of an application for the Parcel, during a period to be specified in such notice from some person who, in the Postmaster-General's judgment, is entitled to receive the Parcel, it will be disposed of in such manner as the Postmaster-General may direct.
- (5.) The Postmaster-General may, in his discretion, specify in any such notice, or otherwise, the periods during which Parcels may be returned to the senders thereof, and in so doing may have regard to the nature and contents of Parcels.
- (6.) Where in the case of a Parcel which cannot be delivered for want of a true direction, the sender corrects the address of the Parcel, the Parcel shall be forwarded to the corrected address, subject to the following conditions:—
  - (a.) Where the corrected address of the Parcel is within the same free delivery as the original address, and the Parcel is not at the time of such correction lying at a Returned Letter Office, no new charge shall be made with respect to the delivery of the Parcel.
  - (b.) Where the corrected address of the Parcel is not within the same free delivery as the original address, or the Parcel at the time of such correction is lying at a Returned Letter Office, there shall be paid a new and distinct rate of postage equal in amount to the rate of postage which would have been chargeable on such Parcel as an Inland Parcel.
- (7.) A Parcel shall not be given up or returned by post to the sender except upon payment by him of any charge for redirection or other charge to which the Parcel has become liable under the provisions of this Warrant, or of any such Regulations as are referred to in section 14 of "The Post Office (Parcels) Act, 1882."
- (8.) Where the sender requests a Parcel to be returned to him by post, such Parcel shall not be returned to the sender except upon

payment by him of a new and distinct rate of postage, according to the rates fixed by this Warrant, and in such case the said rate of postage and all other charges to which the Parcel has become liable if not prepaid by the sender shall be collected on the delivery of the Parcel to him.

- (9.) The Postmaster-General may require proof to his satisfaction that an applicant for a Parcel is entitled to receive the same.
- (10.) Where no application is made for a Parcel within the period specified in any such notice as aforesaid, or an applicant fails to prove to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General that he is entitled to receive the Parcel, or refuses or fails to pay the charges to which the Parcel has become liable under this Warrant, the Parcel may be dealt with or disposed of in such manner as the Postmaster-General may in his discretion direct or authorize.
- (11.) If at any time while a Parcel remains in the possession of the Postmaster-General it becomes offensive or injurious to any officer of the Post Office, or other person, or to other Parcels, it may forthwith be dealt with or disposed of in such manner as the Postmaster-General may in his discretion direct or authorize, notwithstanding that the provisions of this Warrant as to the return of such Parcel, have not been or have only partially been complied with.

*Re-direction of Parcels.*

14. Any Parcel may be re-directed from its original address, or any substituted address, within the United Kingdom, to any country or place with which a Parcel Post to or from the United Kingdom or the said British Colonies or the Cameroons is established, and in every case of such re-direction there shall be charged on such Parcel in respect of such re-direction a new and distinct rate of postage according to the rates for the time being payable in respect of the transmission of a like Parcel from the United Kingdom to the country or place to which it may be re-directed, and such postage, if not paid at the time of such re-direction, shall be collected on the delivery of the Parcel to the addressee.

15. Any Parcel may be re-directed from its original address, or any substituted address, within the United Kingdom to any other address within the United Kingdom, and in every case of such re-direction there shall be charged on such Parcel in respect of each such re-direction, and (if not previously paid) paid by the addressee thereof in money upon the delivery of such Parcel, a new and distinct rate of postage, equal in amount to the rate of postage which would have been originally chargeable on such Parcel as an Inland parcel.

*Remission of Re-direction Rates.*

16. The Postmaster-General may wholly remit the rate of postage for re-direction on any Parcel addressed to the United Kingdom which may, on the request of the addressee thereof, be re-directed by an Officer of the Post Office, and again forwarded by post to the same person at any address within the limits of the same free postal delivery as the address from which such Parcel was so re-directed.

*Prohibitions.*

17. There shall not be posted or conveyed or delivered by post any Parcel:—

- (1.) Consisting of or containing any indecent or obscene print, painting, photograph, lithograph, engraving, book or card, or any

indecent or obscene article whether similar to the above or not, or

- (2.) Having thereon or on the cover thereof any words, marks, or designs of an indecent, obscene, or grossly offensive character.
- (3.) Containing or bearing in the case of a Parcel posted in or addressed to the Cameroons any letter or communication in the nature of a letter.
- (4.) Consisting of or containing:—
- (a.) Any explosive substance.
- (b.) Any dangerous substance.
- (c.) Any filth.
- (d.) Any noxious or deleterious substance.
- (e.) Any sharp instrument not properly protected.
- (f.) Except with the special permission of the Postmaster-General any living creature.
- (g.) Any article or thing whatsoever which is likely to injure other Parcels in course of conveyance or any receptacle in which the same are conveyed or an officer of the Post Office or other person who may deal with such Parcel.

Any such Parcel, if posted or tendered for conveyance by post, may be detained, and either returned or given up to the sender thereof or dealt with or disposed of in such other manner as may be authorized by the Postmaster-General.

18. (1.) There shall not be posted or conveyed or delivered by post any Parcel consisting of or containing two or more Parcels or other Postal Packets (of the same or of different descriptions) addressed to different persons at different addresses.

(2.) If any such Parcel be posted or tendered for conveyance by post the contents thereof, so far as the same consist of Parcels may be forwarded to the addressees of such Parcels charged with new and distinct rates of postage according to the rates fixed by this Warrant, and so far as the same consist of other Postal Packets may be treated and charged as unpaid Postal Packets, or such Parcel may be otherwise dealt with or disposed of as the Postmaster-General may authorize.

*Non-compliance with Regulations.*

19. In any case not in this Warrant expressly provided for, where any Parcel shall be posted or tendered for conveyance by post which in any respect infringes or fails to comply with the regulations in this Warrant contained, or any of them, such Parcel may, at the option of the Postmaster-General, either be dealt with as in this Warrant provided, with reference to Parcels which cannot be delivered, or be dealt with or disposed of in such manner as the Postmaster-General may in his discretion direct or authorize.

*Provision for Safety of Parcels.*

20. In any case where any officer of the Post Office may find it necessary or expedient for the safety or protection of Parcels that any Parcel should be forwarded or delivered by some later despatch or delivery than that for which the same was posted or despatched, or intended to be posted or despatched respectively, he may delay the despatch or delivery of such Parcel, or make such other and special arrangements as to the despatch or delivery thereof, not, however, involving a greater delay than 24 hours in the whole, as may be deemed by such officer necessary or expedient in the circumstances of the case.

*Parcels not to interfere with Letter Post.*

21. Where the despatch or delivery from a Post Office in the United Kingdom of letters would be delayed by the despatch or delivery therefrom at the same time of Parcels, such Parcels, or any of

them, may be detained in the Post Office until the despatch or delivery next following that by which they would ordinarily be despatched or delivered.

*Postmaster-General not liable for Loss or Damage.*

22. Nothing contained in or done under or in pursuance of this Warrant shall render the Postmaster-General liable, either personally or in his official capacity, to any action or other legal proceeding in respect or in consequence of any loss or damage of any Parcel, whether such loss or damage be occasioned by or arise from any act or neglect of any officer of the Post Office or any other person.

*Customs Regulations.*

23. Parcels intended to be transmitted by post under the provisions of this Warrant shall not be posted, forwarded, conveyed, or delivered, except subject to such Regulations as are referred to in section 14 of "The Post Office (Parcels) Act, 1882."

*Remission of Postage.*

24. The Postmaster-General may, in any case in which he may consider it just or reasonable so to do, remit any postage or any sum made payable under this Warrant.

*Regulations as to Parcels to places in Schedule.*

25. Except where in this Warrant is otherwise expressly provided all Parcels transmitted under this Warrant between the said British Colonies and the countries mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall be posted, forwarded, conveyed, and delivered under and subject to the provisions of this Warrant, and to the provisions of the Warrants respectively relating to the Parcel Post between the United Kingdom and the several countries mentioned in the Schedule hereto, so far as such provisions are applicable.

*Commencement of Warrant.*

26. This Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

Dated this tenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

*Sidney Herbert,*

*Herbert Eustace Maxwell.*

Two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

*Henry Cecil Raikes,*

Her Majesty's Postmaster-General.

THE SCHEDULE.

	Not exceeding Two Pounds in weight.	Exceeding Two Pounds and not exceeding Six Pounds.	Exceeding Six Pounds and not exceeding Eleven Pounds.
Algeria ... } Corsica ... }	Three shillings ...	Four shillings and eight pence	
Austria-Hungary } Denmark ... } Heligoland... } Switzerland }	Two shillings and nine pence	Four shillings and five pence	
Belgium ...	Two shillings and five pence	Four shillings and one penny	Five shillings and eleven pence
France ...	Two shillings and seven pence	Four shillings and three pence	
Germany ...	Two shillings and four pence	Four shillings	
The Netherlands ...	Two shillings and two pence	Four shillings and one penny	Five shillings and eleven pence
Italy ...	Two shillings and eleven pence	Four shillings and seven pence	
Luxemburg ...	Two shillings and five pence	Four shillings and one penny	Six shillings and two pence
Norway ...	Two shillings and one penny	Four shillings ...	Five shillings and ten pence
Sweden ...	Two shillings and five pence	Four shillings and ten pence	
Tunis ...	Three shillings and two pence	Four shillings and ten pence	

TREASURY WARRANT.

WE, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in pursuance of the Acts relating to Her Majesty's Post Office, and in exercise of all powers enabling us in this behalf, do, by this Warrant, made on the representation of Her Majesty's Postmaster-General (testified by his signing the same), and under the hands of two of us, the said Commissioners, order, direct, and declare as follows:—

*Interpretation Clause.*

1. In this Warrant the expression "Parcel" means a Postal Packet which is posted as a Parcel

in accordance with the provisions of this Warrant, or any Warrant amending the same.

*Places between which Parcels may be transmitted.*

2. From and after the date when this Warrant comes into operation Parcels may, subject to the provisions of this Warrant, be transmitted by post between Cyprus and the British Post Offices at Constantinople and Smyrna.

*Rates of Postage.*

3. On all Parcels transmitted by post under this Warrant between Cyprus and the British Post Offices hereinbefore mentioned there shall be

charged and paid the following rates of postage, that is to say :—

On every Parcel not exceeding three pounds in weight, one shilling.

On every Parcel exceeding three pounds, and not exceeding seven pounds, in weight, two shillings.

On every Parcel exceeding seven pounds, and not exceeding eleven pounds, in weight, three shillings.

*Provisions of other Warrants to Apply.*

4. Every such Parcel shall be subject to the provisions of the respective Warrants of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury relating to the Parcel Post between the United Kingdom and Cyprus, between the United Kingdom and the British Post Office at Constantinople, and between the United Kingdom and the British Post Office at Smyrna, as far as such provisions are applicable.

*Commencement of Warrant.*

5. This Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

Dated this twelfth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

*Herbert Eustace Maxwell.*  
*Sidney Herbert,*

Two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

*Henry Cecil Raikes,*  
Her Majesty's Postmaster-General.

**GENERAL ORDER** of the Local Government Board: Altering General Consolidated Order. Out-door Labour Test :—

**Thrapston Union.**

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Thrapston Union, in the counties of Northampton and Huntingdon :—

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

And to all others whom it may concern.

WE, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf, hereby Order, with respect to the relief of the Poor in the said Thrapston Union, as follows :—

**ARTICLE 1.**—Subject to the provisions of the General Order of the Poor Law Commissioners dated the Twenty-first day of December, One thousand eight hundred and forty-four, in force, in the Union, every able-bodied male pauper who receives relief within the Union, and is relieved out of the Workhouse, shall be relieved in the following manner ; that is to say :—

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

No such pauper shall receive relief from the Guardians, or any of their officers, or any Overseer of any Parish in the Union, while he is employed for wages or other hire or remuneration by any person ; but every such pauper so relieved shall be set to work by the Guardians.

**ARTICLE 2.**—The Guardians shall, within fourteen days after the day when this Order comes into force, and from time to time afterwards as the Local Government Board may require, report to the Local Government Board the place or places at which able-bodied male paupers shall be so set to work in the Union, the

sort or sorts of work in which they or any of them shall be employed, the times and mode of work, and all such other matters relating to the employment of such able-bodied paupers as the said Guardians shall deem material to be communicated to the Local Government Board, or as the Local Government Board shall require.

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

And whereas provision is made in a General Order of the Poor Law Commissioners, bearing date the Twenty-fourth day of July, One thousand eight hundred and forty-seven, in force in the said Union, for the appointment of an officer, to be termed a Superintendent of Out-door Labour, and for the continuance in office of such officer, and it is expedient that further provision should be made as hereinafter mentioned ;

We therefore further Order, that if at any time the number of able-bodied male paupers requiring relief shall be so small as to render the services of a Superintendent of Out-door Labour unnecessary, the Guardians may dispense with the services of such an officer.

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

L. S.

*Chas. T. Ritchie,*  
President.

*S. B. Provis,* Assistant Secretary.

*Civil Service Commission, December 16, 1887.*

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

*December 12, 1887.*

**WITHOUT COMPETITION.**

*Customs: Boatman, Newcastle,* John Archibald Ross.

*Secretary for Scotland's Office, Messenger,* John Wren.

*Post Office: Sorters, London,* George Clarke, Patrick Flanagan.

*Postmen, London,* James Batchelor, Charles William Biss, Joseph Henry Knight.

*Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners,* Joseph Albert Clark (Liverpool), John William Kenyon (Newcastle-on-Tyne), Jane Kernahan (Belfast), Edward Morris Oakley (Worcester), Hedley Vickers Riches (Birmingham), James Waldren (Birmingham).

*Postmen,* Henry George Anderson (Canterbury), George Brock Butcher (Guildford), Freddy Chappel (New Barnet), John Culmer (Canterbury), Walter Herbert Day (Romford), George Cant Herbert (Gloucester), Walter Jones (Preston), Kish King (Abingdon), Alexander Page or Summers (Kirkcaldy), John Alfred Robinson (Sheffield), William Thomas, otherwise William, Tapp (Tunbridge Wells), Samuel Weston (Ormskirk).

December 13, 1887.

**AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.**

*Customs: Out-Door Officer, Robert Dowse.*

**WITHOUT COMPETITION.**

*Customs: Waterman, London, Charles Henry Boyne.*

*Post Office: Postman, London, Thomas Patrick Ryan.*

*Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Lucy Andrews (Canterbury), Ernest Albert Somerville (Ufracombe).*

*Postmen, John Calcutt (Oxford), Samuel Edward Kingsbury (Harwich), George Turner (Lewes).*

December 14, 1887.

**AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.**

*Post Office: Female Sorter, London, Mary Crosbie.*

**WITHOUT COMPETITION.**

*Admiralty: Her Majesty's Dockyard, Halifax, Policeman, Patrick McAvooy.*

*National Debt Office: Messenger, David Dean Forrester.*

*Post Office: Postmen, London, Arthur Charles Andrews, Thomas Fredrick Brown, Henry Richard Charles Hulse, George William Tooke.*

*Junior Tracer, Dublin, William James Reid.*

*Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, John Griffiths (Cardiff), Harry Loyns (Cardiff), Arthur Twinn (Cambridge).*

*Postmen, John Stewart Ferguson (Perth), Patrick King (Limerick), Henry Luck (Guildford).*

**NOTICE TO MARINERS.**

(No. 329 of the year 1887.)

**ENGLAND—SOUTH-EAST COAST.—THE DOWNS.**  
*Alteration in Positions of North-west Goodwin, North-west Bunt, and Bunt Head Buoys.*

NOTICE is given, that from a recent survey of the Downs, by Staff-Commander W. E. Archdeacon, R.N., it has been found that considerable alterations have taken place in the formation of the Goodwin Sands and adjacent shoals. The most prominent is the entire disappearance of the Bunt Head Shoal:—

In consequence of the above, the undermentioned changes have been made in the buoyage by the Trinity House, London:—

North-west Goodwin Buoy has been moved one cable E. by S.  $\frac{1}{2}$  S., and now lies in  $10\frac{1}{2}$  fathoms, at low water spring tides, with the following marks, bearings, and distance:—

St. George's Church Tower, its width eastward of the Obelisk at Ramsgate, and a large chimney eastward of the Church, touching the western side of Albion House, N.N.W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  W.

South Foreland High Lighthouse, its height eastward of East Bottom Semaphore, or midway between the Semaphore and two houses eastward of it, S.W.  $\frac{1}{2}$  W.

Goodwin Knoll Buoy, E.N.E., distant  $2\frac{9}{10}$  miles.

North-west Bunt Buoy has been moved 3 cables E. by N.  $\frac{1}{4}$  N., and now lies in  $6\frac{1}{4}$  fathoms at low water spring tides, with the following marks, bearings, and distance:—

\* A large chimney, nearly midway between Thanet Mill and St. George's Church, also in the centre of the Harbour Mouth at Ramsgate, N.  $\frac{3}{4}$  W., Westerly.

Upper Deal Mill, its width towards the southern end of Deal Hospital, W. by S.  $\frac{3}{4}$  S.

Gull Light-vessel, N.  $\frac{1}{4}$  E., distant  $1\frac{1}{10}$  miles.

Bunt Head Buoy has been moved  $3\frac{3}{4}$  cables

N.E. by E.  $\frac{1}{2}$  E., and now lies in  $4\frac{1}{2}$  fathoms at low water spring tides, with the following marks, bearings, and distance:—

The second mill, southward of Sandown Castle, in line with the northern end of the first row of houses southward of Deal-terrace, W. by N.  $\frac{1}{2}$  N., Northerly.

The first house, southward of Upper Deal Mill, midway between the Mill and St. Saviour's Church, W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  S., Southerly.

Gull Light-vessel, N. by E.  $\frac{3}{4}$  E., distant 2 miles.

[The bearings are magnetic. Variation  $16\frac{3}{4}$ ° Westerly in 1887.]

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,

6th December, 1887.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—North Sea, No. 2182a; English Channel No. 1598, 2675a; Dover and Calais to Orfordness, No. 1406; Dungeness to the Thames, No. 1895; the Downs, No. 1828. Also, Channel Pilot, Part I, 1886, page 283.

**NOTICE TO MARINERS.**

(No. 330 of the year 1887.)

**SOUTH AMERICA.—EAST COAST.—BRAZIL.**

*Shoals in Abrolhos Channel.*

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 150, of 14th June, 1883, on Orénoque Shoal, reported by the Commander of the French Steam-vessel "Orénoque" to lie with Abrolhos Rocks Lighthouse bearing S.  $\frac{1}{4}$  W., distant 11 miles; and No. 119 (2), of 5th July, 1884, on a report by the Commander of the French Steam-vessel "La France," of the existence of two shoals lying near the fairway of Abrolhos Channel:—

The Brazilian Government has given notice, dated 11th October, 1887, of the existence of the following shoals in Abrolhos Channel, resulting from a recent examination:—

1. A shoal, composed of coral, and having depths of 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  fathoms at low water, of irregular shape, and about one square mile in extent, has been found to lie with Abrolhos Rocks Lighthouse bearing south, distant 13 miles.

Position, lat.  $17^{\circ} 44' 40''$  S., long.  $38^{\circ} 43' 40''$  W.

NOTE.—This shoal (Banco Marajo) is considered identical with Orénoque Shoal, also with the northern of the two shoals touched on by the Steam-vessel "La France"; the position given is some two miles N.N.W. of that given for the Steam-vessel "Orénoque" striking, and some  $1\frac{1}{2}$  N.W. by W. of "La France" touching ground, and has been accepted as the position where both those vessels struck.

2. Also, two shoals, composed of coral, and having each a depth of 6 fathoms at low water, lie with Abrolhos Rocks Lighthouse bearing south, distant  $10\frac{1}{2}$  miles, and S. by E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  E., distant four miles respectively.

Positions, lat.  $17^{\circ} 47' 15''$  S., long.  $38^{\circ} 43' 20''$  W.; lat.  $17^{\circ} 53' 45''$  S., long.  $38^{\circ} 43' 00''$  W.

3. Also, a shoal, composed of coral, and having a depth of one fathom at low water, lies with Abrolhos Rocks Lighthouse bearing S.S.W.  $\frac{3}{4}$  W., distant  $\frac{4}{10}$  miles nearly.

Position, lat.  $17^{\circ} 56' 15''$  S., long.  $38^{\circ} 40' 45''$  W.

4. Also, two shoals, composed of coral, and having each a depth of  $2\frac{1}{2}$  fathoms at low water, lie with Abrolhos Rocks Lighthouse bearing S. by W.  $\frac{3}{4}$  W., distant  $1\frac{1}{4}$  miles, and S. by W.  $\frac{1}{4}$  W., distant three-quarters of a mile respectively.

Positions, lat.  $17^{\circ} 56' 20''$  S., long.  $38^{\circ} 41' 5''$  W. lat.  $17^{\circ} 56' 50''$  S., long.  $38^{\circ} 41' 15''$  W.



[The bearings are magnetic. Variation  $9\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  Westerly in 1887.]

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
6th December, 1887.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Pernambuco to Victoria, No. 529; Abrolhos Rocks with the adjacent coast from San Mateo to Itacolomis Reef, with plan of Abrolhos Rocks Anchorages, No. 904. Also, South America Pilot, Part I, 1885, pages 105, 106.

#### NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 331 of the year 1887.)

UNITED STATES—MAINE.

- (1.) *Nash Island Lighthouse, Alteration in Fog Signal.*

THE United States Government has given notice, dated 12th November, 1887, that the following alteration has been made in the fog signal at Nash Island Lighthouse, East Coast of Maine:—

The signal is a bell, which, during thick or foggy weather, will be struck once, and twice alternately, at intervals of twenty seconds.

Position, lat.  $44^{\circ} 28' N.$ , long.  $67^{\circ} 45' W.$

SOUTH AMERICA—EAST COAST.—VENEZUELA.

- (2.) *River Orinoco—Withdrawal of Light-vessel, at Entrance.*

With reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 92, of 23rd May, 1884, on the re-establishment of a light-vessel in Boca Grande, Entrance of River Orinoco, Venezuela:—

Information has been received from the Senior Naval Officer at Barbados, on the authority of a Master of the steam-vessel "El Callao," dated 21st October, 1887, that the above light-vessel has been withdrawn from the position in which she has hitherto been moored, and is now stationed about 12 miles up the River Orinoco, near Cangrejo Island, where she is used as a station for the river pilots.

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer,

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
8th December, 1887.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Bay of Fundy to Block Island, No. 2492 (1); Trinidad to Surinam, No. 1801 (2). Also, Admiralty List of Lights on the Eastern Shores of North America, 1887, Nos. 508, 1151; Sailing Directions for the principal ports on the East Coast of the United States, 1882, page 11; and the West India Pilot, Vol. I, 1883, page 72.

#### NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 332 of the year 1887.)

RED SEA—WESTERN SHORE.

- (1.) *Musawwa Harbour Entrance—Fixed Lights on Ras Abd-el-Kadir, and Northward of Ras Mudur, also various intended Lights.*

INFORMATION has been received from Lieutenant and Commander A. W. Paget, Her Majesty's ship "Starling," dated 4th November, 1887, that a light is exhibited from a temporary wooden lighthouse, erected on the south-eastern point of Ras Abd-el-Kadir, northern side of entrance to Musawwa Harbour:—

The light is a fixed white light, elevated 35 feet.

Position, lat.  $15^{\circ} 37' 13'' N.$ , long.  $39^{\circ} 27' 25'' E.$

Also, a light is exhibited from a boat, moored alongside the beacon buoy, at the northern extreme of the shoal northward of Ras Mudur, southern side of entrance to Musawwa Harbour:—

No. 25767.

The light is a fixed red light, elevated about 6 feet above the water.

Position, lat.  $15^{\circ} 37' 5'' N.$ , long.  $39^{\circ} 27' 32'' E.$

Information has also been received, that it is the intention of the Italian Government to establish permanent lights at Difnein Island, and Ras Harb (or on Dahret Island opposite), in North Musawwa Channel; on Ras Abd-el-Kadir, entrance to Musawwa Harbour; on Shummâ Island, in South Musawwa Channel; and probably on Ras Shakh, in lat.  $14^{\circ} 37' N.$ , long.  $41^{\circ} 10' E.$

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
8th December, 1887.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Red Sea, No. 8d, No. 8e; Jebel Teir to Perim Island, No. 143; Musawwa Channel, No. 164; Musawwa Harbour, No. 460. Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the Mediterranean, &c., 1887, page 68; Red Sea Pilot, 1883, pages 106, 107; and Supplement, 1886, to Red Sea Pilot, pages 25, 26.

#### NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 333 of the year 1887.)

MEDITERRANEAN—IONIAN SEA.—CORFU—  
NORTH CHANNEL.

- (1.) *Tignoso, Alteration in Character of Light.*

THE Hellenic Government has given notice, that on 18th November, 1887, the following alteration would be made in the character of the light exhibited from Tignoso, south-western side of North Channel, Corfu Island:—

The light is a fixed white light, varied by a red flash every minute; it is elevated 100 feet above the sea, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of 15 miles.

The illuminating apparatus is dioptric, or by lenses, and of the fifth order.

Position, lat.  $39^{\circ} 47' N.$ , long.  $19^{\circ} 58' E.$

MOREA—WEST COAST.

- (2.) *Strovathi Islands, Alteration in Character of Light on Stamphani Island.*

Also, that on the same date, the following alteration would be made in the character of the light exhibited from the west end of Stamphani Island, Strovathi Islands, west coast of Morea:—

The light is a fixed white light, varied by a red flash every minute; it is elevated 127 feet above the sea, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of 17 miles.

The illuminating apparatus is dioptric, or by lenses, and of the fourth order.

Position, lat.  $37^{\circ} 15' N.$ , long.  $21^{\circ} 0' E.$

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
8th December, 1887.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Mediterranean Sea, No. 449 (1, 2); Mediterranean Sea, eastern part, No. 2158b (1, 2); Adriatic Sea, No. 1440 (1); Gulf of Cattaro to Corfu, No. 2701 (1); Corfu Channels, No. 206 (1); Kastro Tornese to Venetico Island, No. 207 (2). Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the Mediterranean, 1887, Nos. 552, 575; and Mediterranean Pilot, Vol. III, 1880, pages 265, 320.

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, do hereby grant and appropriate out of our common fund to the benefice of Llanafan

Fawr with Llanafan Fechan and Llanfihangel-bryn-Pabuan, in the county of Brecknock, and in the diocese of Saint David's, one capital sum of one thousand and five hundred pounds sterling, to be applicable towards defraying the cost of providing a new parsonage or house of residence for the said benefice, according to plans and a specification approved or to be approved by us, such capital sum, or the balance thereof unapplied to such purpose, to remain in the meantime in our hands at interest after the rate of two pounds and ten shillings per centum per annum, and such interest to be paid to the Incumbent for the time being of the said benefice of Llanafan Fawr with Llanafan Fechan and Llanfihangel-bryn-Pabuan.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this eighth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby grant and convey to the Incumbent of the vicarage of Saint James, Muswell Hill, in the county of Middlesex, and in the diocese of London, and to his successors, Incumbents of the same vicarage, all our estate and interest in that piece or parcel of land, situate within the new parish of Saint James, Muswell Hill, within the original limits of the parish of Hornsey, in the said county of Middlesex, and the messuage or dwelling-house and other buildings standing thereon, together with the appurtenances thereunto belonging, which said piece or parcel of land and hereditaments (now and for some time since in the occupation of the Incumbent for the time being of the aforesaid vicarage), were conveyed to us, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, under and by virtue of a certain deed of indenture, dated the thirty-first day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven, and made between Charles Dixon, of Hurst Place, in the parish of Bexley, in the county of Kent, Esquire, Joseph Stubbs, of Mecklenburgh-square, in the county of Middlesex aforesaid, Esquire, and Frederick William Courthope, of Number 9, Park-road, Stockwell, in the county of Surrey, Esquire, Trustees under the will of William Dixon, late of Blackheath, in the county of Kent aforesaid, deceased, of the one part, and us, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, of the other part, which said deed is intended to be deposited in the registry of the said diocese of London, together with this instrument, after the publication of the latter in the London Gazette: To have and to hold the said piece or parcel of land, and the messuage or dwelling-house and other buildings standing thereon, together with the appurtenances thereunto belonging, to the use of the said Incumbent and his successors for ever.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this eighth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, sections five and eleven, do hereby grant and appropriate out of our common fund to the vicarage of North Hykeham, in the county of Lincoln, and in the diocese of Lincoln, one capital sum of one

hundred and one pounds eighteen shillings and four pence, such capital sum to be applied by us in discharging the amount payable to the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne for the augmentation and maintenance of the Poor Clergy, under two subsisting mortgages of the said vicarage which were effected by deeds bearing date the fifteenth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight and the fourteenth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one respectively, for the purpose of providing a parsonage or house of residence for the said vicarage of North Hykeham, and for the purpose of altering and enlarging the same parsonage house and building stables in connection therewith.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this eighth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby, subject as hereinafter mentioned, grant to the Incumbent of the vicarage or benefice of South Milton, in the county of Devon, and in the diocese of Exeter, and to his successors, Incumbents of the same vicarage or benefice, one yearly sum or stipend of forty pounds, such yearly sum or stipend to be payable out of the common fund under our control, and to be calculated as from the twenty-seventh day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and to be receivable in equal half-yearly portions, on the first day of May and on the first day of November in each and every year: Provided always, that if at any time lands, tithes, or other hereditaments sufficient, in our opinion, to produce the said yearly sum or stipend, or any part thereof, shall be annexed by us to the said vicarage or benefice, in substitution for such yearly sum or stipend, or for such part thereof, our liability for the payment of such yearly sum or stipend, or of such part thereof, as the case may be, shall thereupon and thereafter cease and determine.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our common seal, this eighth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

(L.S.)

WE, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, acting in pursuance of the Act of the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and eleven, section five, do hereby grant and convey to the Incumbent of the vicarage of Saint Paul, Ramsgate, in the county of Kent, and in the diocese of Canterbury, and to his successors, Incumbents of the same vicarage, all that piece or parcel of land and hereditaments, together with the appurtenances thereunto belonging, particularly described in the schedule hereunto annexed, and now vested in us under and by virtue of a certain deed of indenture dated the thirty-first day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and made between George Tunbridge, of Ramsgate aforesaid, Gentleman, of the first part, William Woodgate Martin, of Ramsgate aforesaid, Builder, of the second part, the Reverend Charles Edward Eastgate, of Ramsgate aforesaid, Clerk in Holy Orders, of the third part, and us, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England of the fourth part, which said deed is intended to be deposited

in the Registry of the said diocese of Canterbury, together with this instrument, after the publication of the latter in the London Gazette: To have and to hold the said piece or parcel of land and hereditaments, with their appurtenances, to the use of the said Incumbent and his successors for ever: Provided always, that the Incumbent for the time being of the same vicarage of Saint Paul, Ramsgate, shall be entitled to receive from us, or on our account, the net amount of the rents, profits, and proceeds of the said piece or parcel of land and hereditaments for and in respect of the period intervening between the said thirty-first day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and the date of the publication of these presents in the London Gazette.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our common seal, this eighth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

(L.S.)

*Schedule.*

All that piece or parcel of land containing one thousand and ten square yards, or thereabouts, situate on the East Cliff, in the new parish of Saint Paul, Ramsgate, within the ancient limits of the parish of Saint George, Ramsgate, in the county of Kent, being part of an estate known or formerly known as the Wingham Lodge Estate, which is bounded on or towards the north-west by Mews-road; on or towards the north-east by other hereditaments belonging to George Tunbridge, of Ramsgate aforesaid, Gentleman, and contracted to be sold to William Woodgate Martin, of Ramsgate aforesaid, Builder, on or towards the south-east by Albion-terrace, and on or towards the south-west by hereditaments in the occupation of the Misses Fullagar and others, all which said piece or parcel of land is more particularly delineated on the plan hereunto annexed, and is thereon coloured green.

**INSTRUMENT** assigning a Particular District to the Church of Saint Cuthbert, Earl's Court, Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, and Diocese of London.

To all to whom these presents shall come the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England and the Right Honourable and Right Reverend Frederick, Bishop of the Diocese of London, send greeting:

WHEREAS a church has lately been built within the limits of the new parish of Saint Philip, Earl's Court, Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, and in the diocese of London, by and at the expense of certain well disposed persons, who have, with the approbation of us, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, and of the said Frederick, Bishop of the said diocese of London, secured to the said new church an endowment and a repair fund, in accordance with the provisions of the several Acts of Parliament called "The Church Building Acts," or of some of them, and particularly of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her present Majesty, chapter ninety-seven.

And whereas under the powers or authorities contained in the said Acts or in some of them, and in the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her said Majesty, chapter fifty-five, we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, have, with the consent of the said Frederick, Bishop of the said diocese of London, by an instrument bearing date on or about the seventeenth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, declared

that the perpetual right of patronage of, and of nominating a Minister to serve, the said new church from time to time and at all times whenever it should be requisite to nominate a Minister to serve the same should, from and after the consecration of such church, be vested in, and be exercised by, and belong to the Right Honourable Claude Bowes Lyon, Earl of Strathmore and Kinghorne, the Right Honourable John Duke, Baron Coleridge, the Right Honourable Charles Lindley, Viscount Halifax, the Reverend Henry Parry Liddon, Doctor of Divinity, Canon of the Cathedral Church of Saint Paul, in London, and the Reverend Arthur Christopher Thynne, Rector of Kilkhampton, in the county of Cornwall, Clerk in Holy Orders, as Trustees.

And whereas the said church has since been consecrated, and is called "The Church of Saint Cuthbert, Earl's Court, Kensington."

And whereas we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, deem it expedient that a particular district, to comprise a part of the said new parish of Saint Philip, Earl's Court, Kensington, should be assigned to the said church of Saint Cuthbert, Earl's Court, Kensington, and also that banns of matrimony should be published, and that marriages, baptisms, churchings, and burials should be solemnized or performed at such church.

Now know ye, that we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in exercise and execution of the powers or authorities for this purpose contained in the several Acts of Parliament called "The Church Building Acts" as aforesaid, or in some of them, and particularly in the Act of the first and second years of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, chapter thirty-eight, in the said Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her said Majesty, chapter ninety-seven, and in the said Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her said Majesty, chapter fifty-five, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling us in this behalf, do hereby, with the consent of the said Frederick, Bishop of the said diocese of London (testified by his being a party to and executing these presents), assign to the said church of Saint Cuthbert, Earl's Court, Kensington, as a particular district, all that part of the said new parish of Saint Philip, Earl's Court, Kensington, which is described in the schedule hereunder written, and is delineated and set forth upon the map or plan hereunto appended, and do direct that the same shall be called "The Particular District of Saint Cuthbert, Earl's Court, Kensington."

And we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, with the like consent of the said Frederick, Bishop of the said diocese of London (testified as aforesaid), in further exercise and execution of the powers or authorities contained in the said Acts of Parliament called "The Church Building Acts," or in some of them, and particularly in the said Act of the first and second years of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, chapter thirty-eight, in the Act of the third and fourth years of Her present Majesty, chapter sixty, in the Act of the seventh and eighth years of Her said Majesty, chapter fifty-six (such two lastly-mentioned Acts being also two of "The Church Building Acts" before named), in the said Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her said Majesty, chapter ninety-seven, and in the said Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her said Majesty, chapter fifty-five, and of all other powers or authorities in anywise enabling us in this behalf, do hereby determine

and declare that banns of matrimony shall be published, and that marriages, baptisms, churchings, and burials shall be solemnized or performed at the church of the said particular district of Saint Cuthbert, Earl's Court, Kensington, and do hereby order and direct that all the fees, dues, offerings, or other emoluments to be received in respect of such publication of banns of matrimony, and of such solemnization or performance of marriages, baptisms, churchings, and burials at the same church shall, from and after the next avoidance of the vicarage of the said new parish of Saint Philip, Earl's Court, Kensington, belong to the Incumbent for the time being of the said particular district of Saint Cuthbert, Earl's Court, Kensington: Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as expressing any intention on the part of us, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, to concur in or approve the taking of any fee for the performance of the said office of baptism, or for the registration thereof.

In witness whereof we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, have hereunto affixed our common seal, and the said Frederick, Bishop of the said diocese of London, has hereunto set his hand and affixed his episcopal seal, this twenty-fourth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

*Seal of the Ecclesiastical Commissioners. (L.S.)*  
F. London. (L.S.)

*Schedule.*

The Particular District of Saint Cuthbert, Earl's Court, Kensington, being:—

All that part of the new parish of Saint Philip, Earl's Court, Kensington, in the county of Middlesex and in the diocese of London, wherein the present Incumbent of such new parish now possesses the exclusive cure of souls, which is bounded on the north-west in part by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Philip, Earl's Court, Kensington, from the new parish of Saint Mathias, Earl's Court, in the county and diocese aforesaid, at the point where Earl's Court-road is joined by Cromwell-road and by West Cromwell-road, and extending thence south-westward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of twenty chains, or thereabouts, to the boundary at the junction of the same road with Warwick-road, which boundary divides the said new parish of Saint Philip, Earl's Court, Kensington, from the new parish of Saint Barnabas, Kensington, in the county and diocese aforesaid. All which said hereinbefore-described part of the new parish of Saint Philip, Earl's Court, Kensington, is bounded upon the remaining sides other than the part of the north-west as hereinbefore described, that is to say, upon the remaining part of the north-west, upon the south-west, upon the south, upon the south-east, and upon the north-east, as follows: upon the remaining part of the north-west by the new parish of Saint Barnabas, Kensington aforesaid, upon the south-west by the new parish of Saint Mary, North End, and by the consolidated chapelry or new parish of Saint Andrew, Fulham Fields, both which last-named cures are in the county and diocese aforesaid, and upon the south, south-east, and north-east by the new parish of Saint Matthias, Earl's Court aforesaid.

INCOME TAX.

WHEREAS by the Taxes Management Act, 1880 (43 and 44 Vict., ch. 19), power is given for increasing in certain cases the number of persons appointed, under the provisions made by the Income Tax Act of 1842, Commissioners for the general purposes of the Income Tax, and persons to supply vacancies amongst such Commissioners in each district or division in Great Britain; and it appearing to the Board of Inland Revenue that the number of persons so appointed for the division of North Erpingham, in the county of Norfolk, is insufficient for the proper discharge of the business therein arising under the Tax Acts, the said Board hereby authorize the increase in the number of the Commissioners for the said division to any number not exceeding ten, and of persons to supply vacancies amongst such Commissioners to any number not exceeding ten: and we, the undersigned, two members of the said Board, do hereby convene a meeting of the persons appointed for putting in execution within the said county, an Act passed in the 38th year of the reign of King George the Third, intituled "An Act for granting an aid to His Majesty by a Land Tax to be raised in Great Britain for the service of the year 1798," being respectively qualified to act as Commissioners in the execution of the last-mentioned Act, to be holden at the Police Station, in Cromer, on Monday, the 2nd day of January, 1888, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of choosing and appointing, according to the regulations of the said Income Tax Act of 1842, such number of fit and proper persons to be Commissioners for general purposes for the said division of North Erpingham, and of persons to supply vacancies amongst such Commissioners, as may be sufficient to increase the number of such Commissioners to any number not exceeding ten, and of persons to supply vacancies amongst such Commissioners to any number not exceeding ten.

*Chas. Keith-Falconer.*  
*Sidney F. Osborne.*

Inland Revenue, London, December 13, 1887.

Thames Conservancy.

Proposed Bye-laws for the further Amendment of the Bye-laws for the Regulation and Management and Improvement of the Navigation of the River Thames, made by the Conservators of the River Thames, and allowed by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council, on the 18th day of March, 1880.

WHEREAS the Conservators of the River Thames caused the above-mentioned proposed Bye-laws to be published in the London Gazette of the 11th day of October, 1887, and as an advertisement in the Times newspaper of the 12th day of October and the 19th day of October, 1887.

And whereas the said Conservators did, during one month at least after such publication, afford to all persons the opportunity of making, in writing or otherwise, objections to or representations respecting such proposed Bye-laws.

And whereas the said Conservators, having taken into consideration the only representation made to them concerning the said proposed Bye-laws (there having been no objections thereto), have deemed it inexpedient to make, and have abstained from making any alteration in, or addition to, the said proposed Bye-laws.

Now, notice is hereby given, that the said Conservators have submitted such proposed Bye-laws for the allowance of Her Majesty in Council,

by leaving the same, on the 14th day of December, 1887, with the Assistant-Secretary, Harbour Department, Board of Trade, Whitehall-gardens, London. And notice is also hereby given, that during one month after the 24th day of December, 1887, any person may, by petition, submit to Her Majesty in Council any objection to, or representation respecting, such proposed Bye-laws.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1887.

By Order,

*James H. Gough*, Secretary to the Conservators of the River Thames.  
41, Trinity-square, Tower Hill, London.

In the Matter of the Trent Navigation Company. NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above-named Company are required, on before the 31st day of January, 1888, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their claims, to Samuel Lack Mason, of No. 5, Arthur-street East, in the city of London, the Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are to come in and prove their said 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. The liquidation of the Trent Navigation Company is consequent on its undertaking having been acquired by the Trent (Burton-upon-Trent and Humber) Navigation Company, by an Act passed in the last session of Parliament.—Dated this 9th day of December, 1887.

*Hollams, Son, and Coward*, Mincing-lane, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Liquidator.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division. In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the New Temple Normanton Coal and Coke Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the High Court of Justice, was, on the 12th day of December, 1887, presented to the High Court of Justice, by John Caudwell, of Amber Mill, in the parish of Shirland, in the county of Derby, Miller and Farmer, a creditor of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Right Honourable Mr. Justice Kay, on the 14th day of January, 1888; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Acts, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1887.

*Stevens and Co.*, 22, Bedford-row, London, W.C.; Agents for  
*John Cutts*, Chesterfield, Solicitor for the Petitioner.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Patent Cube Fire-Lighter 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, or that the voluntary winding up may be continued subject to the supervision of the Court, was, on the 13th day of December, 1887, presented to Mr. Justice Stirling, by John Fletcher Wiles, of No. 3, Park-place, Old Charlton, in the county of Kent, Insurance Broker, a

contributory of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before Mr. Justice Stirling, on the 14th day of January, 1888; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the 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.

*Allan Burnett*, Devereux-court, Temple, London, Solicitor 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 New British Iron Company Limited.

BY an Order made by his Lordship Mr. Justice Chitty in the above matters, dated the 6th day of December, 1887, on the petition of the New British Iron Company Limited, Edmund Round, of the Inner Temple, London, Barrister-at-Law, Edward Lonsdale Beckwith, of Millfield, Chislehurst, in the county of Kent, Esq., and John Henry Daniell, of 4, Lombard-street, in the city of London, Esq., it was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the New British Iron Company Limited 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 Judge should think fit; and the creditors, contributories, and Liquidator of the said Company, and all other persons interested, were to be at liberty to apply to the Judge at Chambers as there might be occasion; and it was ordered that Edwin Waterhouse, the Provisional Official Liquidator appointed by the Order of the 4th November, 1887, be discharged; and it was ordered that the costs of the petitioners, and of William West and William Thomas Wythes of the application, be taxed by the Taxing Master, and paid out of the assets of the said Company.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1887.

*Freshfield and Williams*, 5, Bank-buildings, London, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, dated the 25th day of July, 1887, and made in the matter of *ex parte* the undertaking of the Skegness, Chapel, St. Leonards, and Alford Tramways Bill, and in the matter of the Skegness, Chapel, St. Leonards, and Alford Tramways Act, 1883, and in the matter of the Skegness, Chapel, St. Leonards, and Alford Tramways (Abandonment) Act, 1887, and in the matter of the Parliamentary Deposit Act, any landowners or other persons who have been subjected to injury or loss in consequence of the compulsory powers of taking property conferred upon the above-named Company by the above-mentioned Act of 1883, and for which injury or loss no compensation, or inadequate compensation, has been paid, are, on before the 24th day of January, 1888, to come in and prove their claims at the chambers of Mr. Justice Chitty, Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Wednesday, the 1st day of February, 1888, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 13th day of December, 1887.

New South Wales Government Debentures for £1,000,000, issued under the authority of the Act 31 Victoria, No. 11 of the Colonial Legislature.

Sixteenth Yearly Drawing of £20,000.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following are the numbers of the above debentures drawn for payment, in conformity with the terms of the said debentures, on Monday, the 12th December, 1887, in the presence of Mr. John Bridges, Notary Public of the city of London.

And notice is further given, that the debentures so drawn will cease to bear interest from the 31st December instant, and on and after which date they will be payable on presentation at the London and Westminster Bank Limited, No. 41, Lothbury, E.C., where the debentures and interest coupons must be left three clear days for examination.

N.B.—If any coupons for undue interest shall be found wanting, they will be deducted from the amount of the debentures at the time of payment.

Numbers and Particulars of Debentures:—

SERIES A 3.								
27	621	1127	1645	2199	2720	3095	3476	
108	622	1184	1766	2208	2796	3183	3490	
116	664	1222	1841	2236	2850	3206	3606	
228	785	1257	1905	2407	2860	3208	3679	
259	839	1355	2013	2488	2862	3224	3760	
309	865	1375	2023	2504	2868	3225	3817	
375	875	1445	2047	2572	2878	3229	3819	
470	1019	1500	2089	2580	2943	3253	3851	
504	1098	1530	2093	2701	3008	3271	3902	
587	1102	1536	2095	2714	3058	3315	3982	
80 Debentures of £100 each	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	£8,000
SERIES B 3.								
	61	272	352	424	502	557	604	
	207	284	368	449	521	581	693	
14 Debentures of £500 each	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	£7,000
SERIES C 3.								
	38	72	73	108	197			
5 Debentures of £1,000 each	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	£5,000
								£20,000

W. Astle, Manager of the London and Westminster Bank Limited, as Agents for the Government of New South Wales.

Present—JOHN BRIDGES, Notary Public, of the firm of Duff, Bridges, and Watts, 5, Nicholas-lane, Lombard-street, London.  
London, 12th December, 1887.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 14th day of December, 1887.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

	£		£
Notes issued	35,410,930	Government Debt	11,015,100
		Other Securities	5,184,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion	19,210,930
		Silver Bullion	—
	£35,410,930		£35,410,930

Dated the 15th day of December, 1887.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

	£		£
Proprietors' Capital	14,553,000	Government Securities	14,010,785
Rest	3,068,647	Other Securities	18,976,969
Public Deposits (including Exchequer, Savings Banks, Commissioners of National Debt, and Dividend Accounts)	4,700,076	Notes	11,831,990
Other Deposits	23,671,668	Gold and Silver Coin	1,346,752
Seven Day and other Bills	173,105		
	£46,166,496		£46,166,496

Dated the 15th day of December, 1887.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered in the Week ended 14th December, 1887.

Countries from which Imported.	Imported into the United Kingdom.					
	GOLD.			SILVER.		
	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Germany ... ..	...	...	...	...	73,000	73,000
Belgium ... ..	2,080	...	2,080	1,905	13,700	15,605
France ... ..	3,158	95	3,253	462,279	2,500	464,779
Gold Coast ... ..	...	1,224	1,224	4,389	...	4,389
China (including Hong Kong)	466	780	1,246	...	...	...
Mexico, South America (except Brazil), and West Indies ...	37,764	3,221	40,985	261,252	437,093	698,345
United States ... ..	...	...	...	...	430,976	430,976
Other Countries ... ..	2,220	1,576	3,796	2,496	33,253	35,749
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aggregate of the Importations registered in the Week ... }	45,688	6,896	52,584	732,321	990,522	1,722,843
Declared Value of the said Importations ... .. }	£ 177,578	£ 26,806	£ 204,384	£ 132,669	£ 183,183	£ 315,852

Countries to which Exported.	Exported from the United Kingdom.							
	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.
	British.	Foreign.			British.	Foreign.		
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	
Denmark ... ..	...	...	12,988	12,988	...	...	...	
Germany ... ..	...	...	13,140	13,140	...	...	...	
France ... ..	...	50	...	50	...	800	10,900	
Portugal ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	2,610	64,958	
British East Indies ... ..	...	...	5,950	5,950	...	...	452,884	
Brazil ... ..	1,825	...	...	1,825	...	...	...	
Other Countries ... ..	...	115	...	115	1,274	...	1,274	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Aggregate of the Exportations registered in the Week ... }	1,825	165	32,078	34,068	1,274	3,410	528,742	
Declared Value of the said Exportations ... .. }	£ 7,100	£ 642	£ 125,000	£ 132,742	£ 350	£ 670	£ 103,783	

Statistical Department, Custom House, London,  
December 15, 1887.

G. METCALFE.

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

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1867, and of the Companies Act, 1877, and in the Matter of the Swindon Junction Hotel Company Limited and Reduced.

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 £50,000 to £25,000. A list of the persons admitted to have been creditors of the Company on the 5th day of December, 1887, may be inspected at the offices of the Company, at Queen's Royal Hotel, Swindon, in the county of Wilts, or at the office of their Solicitors, Messrs. Saunders, Hawksford, Bennett, and Co., 68, Coleman-street,

in the city of London, at any time during usual business hours, on payment of the charge of 1s. 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 26th day of January, 1888, send in his name and address, and the particulars of his claim, and the name and address of his Solicitor (if any), to the undersigned, at 68, Coleman-street, in the city of London, or in default thereof he will be precluded from objecting to the proposed reduction of capital.—Dated this 13th day of December, 1887.

Saunders, Hawksford, Bennett, and Co.,  
68, Coleman-street, London, E.C., Soli-  
citors for the Company.

## CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1878.

RETURN of the NUMBER of PLACES in GREAT BRITAIN upon which Contagious or Infectious Disease (except Sheep-Scab) has been reported to have existed during the Week ended December 10th, 1887, with particulars relating thereto.

## PLEURO-PNEUMONIA.

—	Farms or other Places.			Cattle Attacked.		Diseased Cattle.				Cases which existed in previous Weeks not reported until this Week.	
	Number reported upon this Week which have been previously reported upon.	Number upon which Fresh Outbreaks have been reported to have taken place during the Week.	Total Number reported upon during the Week.	Remaining diseased from the previous Week.	Attacked during the Week.	Killed.	Died.	Recovered.	Remaining.	Fresh Outbreaks.	Cattle Attacked.
<b>ENGLAND.</b>											
<b>COUNTY.*</b>											
Buckingham ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Essex ...	4	1	5	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...
Kent (ex. Metro- polis).	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Lancaster ...	5	...	5	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...
Middlesex (ex. Metropolis).	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Norfolk ...	1	...	1	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...
Surrey (ex. Me- tropolis).	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
York, West Rid- ing.	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
The Metropolis ...	2	...	2	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	...
<b>SCOTLAND.</b>											
<b>COUNTY.*</b>											
Edinburgh... ..	3	...	3	...	7	7	...	...	...	...	...
Fife ... ..	7	...	7	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...
Forfar ... ..	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kinross ... ..	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lanark ... ..	2	...	2	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...
Perth ... ..	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL ...</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>

## ANTHRAX.

—	Farms or other Places.			Animals Attacked.		Diseased Animals.				Cases which existed in previous Weeks not reported until this Week.	
	Number reported upon this Week which have been previously reported upon.	Number upon which Fresh Outbreaks have been reported to have taken place during the Week.	Total Number reported upon during the Week.	Remaining diseased from the previous Week.	Attacked during the Week.	Killed.	Died.	Recovered.	Remaining.	Fresh Outbreaks.	Animals Attacked.
<b>ENGLAND.</b>											
<b>COUNTY.*</b>											
Norfolk ... ..	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	1
Notts ... ..	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Somerset ... ..	1	1	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL ...</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>



SWINE-FEVER.

	Farms or other Places.			Swine Attacked.		Diseased Swine.				Cases which existed in previous Weeks not reported until this Week.	
	Number reported upon this Week which have been previously reported upon.	Number upon which Fresh Outbreaks have been reported to have taken place during the Week.	Total Number reported upon during the Week.	Remaining diseased from the previous Week.	Attacked during the Week.	Killed.	Died.	Recovered.	Remaining.	Fresh Outbreaks.	Swine Attacked.
<b>ENGLAND.</b>											
<b>COUNTY.*</b>											
Bedford ... ..	4	1	5	16	5	6	2	...	13	...	...
Berks ... ..	1	1	2	...	23	12	11	...	...	...	...
Buckingham ...	8	4	12	3	19	2	12	...	8	...	...
Cambridge (ex. Liberty of the Isle of Ely).	6	1	7	11	8	6	3	...	10	...	...
Chester ... ..	...	2	2	...	5	2	3	...	...	...	...
Derby ... ..	...	2	2	...	12	10	2	...	...	...	...
Devon ... ..	1	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Dorset ... ..	3	1	4	2	16	15	1	...	2	...	...
Essex ... ..	24	5	29	85	30	2	10	19	84	...	...
Gloucester ... ..	6	3	9	34	6	...	7	1	32	...	...
Hants ... ..	3	6	9	2	42	18	8	...	18	...	...
Hertford ... ..	2	3	5	2	18	13	3	...	4	...	...
Huntingdon ...	2	...	2	30	...	...	2	...	28	...	...
Kent (ex. Metropolis).	2	4	6	8	6	14	...	...	...	1	7
Lancaster ... ..	11	2	13	...	22	19	3	...	...	...	...
Leicester ... ..	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Middlesex (ex. Metropolis).	3	...	3	5	3	8	...	...	...	...	...
Monmouth ... ..	5	...	5	21	1	...	7	...	15	...	...
Norfolk ... ..	5	2	7	...	34	19	15	...	...	...	...
Northampton (ex. Soke of Peterborough).	23	4	27	57	51	15	36	3	54	2	13
Notts ... ..	...	2	2	...	5	5	...	...	...	...	...
Oxford ... ..	1	1	2	1	3	...	...	...	4	...	...
Salop ... ..	10	2	12	11	2	...	5	...	8	...	...
Somerset ... ..	14	...	14	52	32	18	35	6	25	...	...
Stafford ... ..	4	2	6	5	13	...	2	...	16	...	...
Suffolk ... ..	14	6	20	45	119	14	28	10	112	1	12
Surrey (ex. Metropolis).	2	...	2	20	1	1	5	...	15	...	...
Sussex, Eastern Division.	4	2	6	2	5	3	3	1	...	...	...
" Western Division.	1	1	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
Warwick ... ..	5	2	7	11	7	...	2	...	16	...	...
Wilts ... ..	3	2	5	...	10	7	3	...	...	...	...
Worcester ... ..	2	1	3	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
York, East Riding.	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" North Riding.	...	2	2	...	2	1	1	...	...	...	...
" West Riding.	23	7	30	30	36	8	22	3	33	...	...
Liberty of the Isle of Ely.	6	2	8	5	11	1	1	3	11	...	...
Soke of Peterborough.	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
The Metropolis...	1	...	1	...	7	3	4	...	...	...	...
<b>WALES.</b>											
<b>COUNTY.*</b>											
Carnarvon ... ..	...	2	2	...	15	8	7	...	...	...	...
Denbigh ... ..	1	2	3	1	2	3	...	...	...	...	...
Glamorgan ... ..	...	1	1	...	6	6	...	...	...	2	8
Montgomery ...	1	1	2	1	6	...	...	...	7	...	...
<b>SCOTLAND.</b>											
<b>COUNTY.*</b>											
Aberdeen ... ..	...	2	2	...	5	1	1	...	3	...	...
Edinburgh ... ..	...	1	1	...	8	6	2	...	...	...	...
Forfar ... ..	1	...	1	7	5	...	3	...	9	...	...
Perth ... ..	1	1	2	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL ...</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>605</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>528</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>40</b>

## GLANDERS.

	Farms or other Places.			Horses Attacked.		Diseased Horses.				Cases which existed in previous Weeks not reported until this Week.	
	Number reported upon this Week which have been previously reported upon.	Number upon which Fresh Outbreaks have been reported to have taken place during the Week.	Total Number reported upon during the Week.	Remaining diseased from the previous Week.	Attacked during the Week.	Killed.	Died.	Recovered.	Remaining.	Fresh Outbreaks.	Horses Attacked.
ENGLAND.											
COUNTY.*											
Hertford ... ..	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
Middlesex (ex. Metropolis).	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
The Metropolis ...	5	8	13	...	15	15	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL ...	6	9	15	...	16	15	...	...	1	...	...

## FARCY.

	Farms or other Places.			Horses Attacked.		Diseased Horses.				Cases which existed in previous Weeks not reported until this Week.	
	Number reported upon this Week which have been previously reported upon.	Number upon which Fresh Outbreaks have been reported to have taken place during the Week.	Total Number reported upon during the Week.	Remaining diseased from the previous Week.	Attacked during the Week.	Killed.	Died.	Recovered.	Remaining.	Fresh Outbreaks.	Horses Attacked.
ENGLAND.											
COUNTY.*											
Bedford ... ..	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
The Metropolis ...	2	6	8	...	10	9	...	...	1	...	...
TOTAL ...	2	7	9	...	11	9	...	...	2	...	...

\* Counties include such Boroughs and Burghs as are locally situated within the limits of the Counties, or, if surrounded by two or more Counties, then they are included in the County with which they have the longest common boundary. Berwick-upon-Tweed is included in Northumberland.

Agricultural Department, Privy Council Office, 16th December, 1887.

In the Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster.—Manchester District.  
In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1867, and of the Companies Act, 1877; and in the Matter of Manchester Edison Swan Company Limited (formerly named the Manchester and District Edison Electric Light Company Limited); and in the Matter of the Court of Chancery of Lancaster Act, 1850; and of the Court of Chancery of Lancaster Act, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an Order of the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster, made in the above-mentioned matters, on the 21st day of November, 1887, it was ordered that the Special Resolution passed at a General Meeting of the said Company, held on the 5th day of September, 1887, and confirmed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, held on the 3rd day of October, 1887, and which Special Resolution was in the words and figures following, that is to say:—"That the capital of the Company be reduced from £600,000, divided into 50,000 A shares of £10 each, and 10,000 B shares of £10 each, to £550,000, divided into 50,000 A shares of £9 each, and 10,000 B shares of £10 each, and that such reduction be effected by cancelling capital which has been lost, or is unrepresented by available assets, to the extent of £1 per share upon

each of the 20,000 A shares, which have been issued and are now outstanding, and by reducing the nominal amount of all the A shares in the Company's capital from £10 to £9 per share," should be, and the same was thereby, confirmed; and it was ordered that the addition of the words "and Reduced" to the name of the Company be dispensed with altogether. And notice is hereby also given, that the said Order has been produced to the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, and an office copy thereof delivered to him, together with a Minute approved by the Court, in the words and figures following, namely:—"The capital of Manchester Edison Swan Company Limited is £550,000, divided into 50,000 A shares of £9 each, and 10,000 B shares of £10 each. At the time of the registration of this Minute 20,000 of the said A shares are deemed to have £1 per share paid up thereon, and the remaining 30,000 A shares have never been issued, the whole of the said 10,000 B shares are deemed fully paid up"; and such Order and Minute have been duly registered by the said Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.—Dated this 9th of December, 1887.

Needham, Parkinson, and Slack, 10, York-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Company.

Lead Office, December 13, 1887.

**T**HE Court of Assistants of the Corporation of the Governor and Company for Smelting-down Lead with Pit Coal and Sea Coal, do hereby give notice, that a General Court of Election of a Governor, Deputy-Governor, and eight Assistants for the year ensuing, will be held at the Company's Office, 9, Martin's-lane, Cannon-street, on Tuesday, the 3rd January next, from twelve o'clock at noon till one o'clock in the afternoon; and that the Transfer Book will be shut on Thursday, the 22nd instant, and opened again on Wednesday, the 4th January next.

John Elliott, Secretary.

The West African Gold Fields Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the West African Gold Fields Limited, duly convened and held at the offices of the Company, No. 10, Pancras-lane, in the city of London, on Thursday, the 17th day of November, 1887, the subjoined 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 5th day of December, 1887, the subjoined Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

“That this Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Alfred Rhys Morgan be appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.

“That the Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized to consent to the registration of a new Company, to be called the Apatim Gold Company Limited, or such other name as may hereafter be agreed upon, with a Memorandum and Articles of Association, which have already been prepared, and which will be produced at the Meeting.

“That the Draft Agreement submitted to this Meeting, and expressed to be made between this Company and its Liquidator, of the one part, and on behalf of the said intended Apatim Gold Company Limited, of the other part, be and the same is hereby approved; and that the Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement with such new Company when incorporated, in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect.

Dated this 13th day of December, 1887.

E. D. Oppert, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Windsor Hemp and Wire Rope Company Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at Cardiff, on the 5th day of December, 1887, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

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

And at the same Meeting, John Edward Gunn, of No. 64, Saint Mary-street, Cardiff, Accountant, was appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1887.

W. F. Gillett, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

Towler and Co. Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the offices of Mr. Harold Bremner, 1, Victoria-street, Liverpool, Solicitor, on Wednesday, the 14th day of December, 1887, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

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

And at the same Meeting, David Towler, of 13, Rocky-lane, Walton-on-the-Hill, in the county of Lancaster, and George William Pickup, of 61, Lord-street, Liverpool, Solicitor, were appointed Liquidators for the purposes of such winding up, at a remuneration of 25 per cent. on the nett receipts, and a sum of £10 per year to cover all office rents and travelling expenses.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1887.

Wm. Dixon, Chairman.

Southern Counties Union Insurance Company Limited.

**T**HE following Special Resolutions were passed at a General Meeting of the Shareholders held at the offices of the Company, No. 162, North-street, Brighton, on the 16th November, 1887, and confirmed at a subsequent Meeting held at the same place, on the 5th December, 1887:—

“That this Company, having disposed of its business to the National Provincial Plate Glass Insurance Company Limited, London, be wound up as speedily as possible.

“That Mr. J. Gleaves, Chief Clerk of the Brighton and Sussex Union Fire Insurance Company Limited, be and hereby is appointed Liquidator of the Company.”

Wm. Dawson Savage, J.P., Chairman.

Anglo-American Menagerie and Riding School Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held at the office of the Boston Waterworks Company, No. 1, High-street, Boston, on Thursday, the 26th day of January next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up of the Company has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators.—Dated the 14th day of December, 1887.

John Shaw, }  
George Herliess, } Liquidators.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1883, and in the Matter of the Kapanga Gold Mining Company of New Zealand Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that an Extraordinary and Final General Meeting of the Members of the above Company will be held, pursuant to section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, at the offices of the undersigned, William John Lavington, Dashwood House, No. 9, New Broad-street, in the city of London, one of the Liquidators of the said Company, on Wednesday, the 18th day of January, 1888, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for the purpose of having the accounts of the final winding up laid before them by the Liquidators, showing the manner in which such winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of passing the same, and hearing any explanation that may be given to them 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.

J. C. Bolton, }  
W. J. Lavington, } Liquidators.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1880, and in the Matter of Andrew Rymer and Co. Limited.—In Liquidation.

**N**OTICE 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 offices of Messrs. Harper Brothers, 39, Crutchedfriars, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 17th day of January, 1888, at half-past five 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 this 14th day of December, 1887.

Alfred C. Harper, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1880; and of the Primary Battery Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the affairs of the above-named Company having been fully wound up, a General Meeting of the Members of the said Company will be held on Monday, the 16th day of January, 1888, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the registered office of the said Company, situate at Palace-chambers, Bridge-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, at which an account made up by the Liquidators of the said Company, showing the manner in which such winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, will be laid before them, and for the purpose of hearing any explanation that may be given by the said Liquidators.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1887.

J. Glode Stapelton, }  
T. J. Jones, } Liquidators.  
Henry Harker, }

Joseph Heaword Limited.

**N**OTICE 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 Ducie-buildings, Bank-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on Tuesday, the 17th day of January, 1888, at half-past two 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 14th day of December, 1887.

H. M. Whitefield, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Saint Anne's Conservative Club Limited.—In Liquidation.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 17th day of January, 1888, to send in their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to David Gibson, of No. 1, South John-street, in the city of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Chartered Accountant, the Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are to come in and prove their said debts or claims, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution

made before such debts or claims are proved.—Dated this 10th day of December, 1887.

Snowball and Lewes, Central-buildings,  
41, North John-street, Liverpool, Soli-  
citors for the said Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1880. The London Land Company Limited.

In Liquidation.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors or other persons having any claims upon the above-named Company are hereby required to send in particulars thereof to me the undersigned, the Solicitor for the Liquidators in the voluntary winding up of the said Company, on or before the 6th day of January next; and notice is also hereby given, that after that day the said Liquidators will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Company among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.—Dated this 6th day of December, 1887.

G. Fletcher Jones, 12, Old Jewry-chambers,  
London, E.C., Solicitor for the said  
Liquidators.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1886, and of the Ascot and Sunningdale Estate Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the above-named Company will be held at No. 6, Clement's-lane, Lombard-street, on Tuesday, the 17th day of January, 1888, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the purpose of having the Liquidator's accounts, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, laid before such Meeting, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated this 15th day of December, 1887.

Blount, Lynch, and Petre, Fitzalan House,  
Arundel-street, Strand, Solicitors for  
Herman Lescher, of 6, Clement's-lane,  
Lombard-street, Accountant, the Liqui-  
dator of the Ascot and Sunningdale  
Estate Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Richard Hartley, Richard Robinson Osborne, Henry James Gordon Ross, and John George Abdale, carrying on business as Solicitors, at No. 4, New-court, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Hartley, Ross, and Abdale, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 14th day of December, 1887. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Henry James Gordon Ross.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1887.

J. R. Hartley. H. J. Gordon Ross.  
R. R. Osborne. John G. Abdale.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has been carried on by Alfred Hodgett and Clara Catherine Andrews, under the firm of Hodgett and Company, at 66, Chatsworth-road, Clapton Park, and at 106, Wick-road, Hackney, both in the county of Middlesex, in the trade or business of Drapers and Milliners, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and notice is hereby further given, that the said businesses will henceforth be carried on by the said Clara Catherine Andrews alone.—As witness our hands this 18th day of December, 1887.

Alfred Hodgett.  
C. C. Andrews.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, James Fergusson Jamieson and James John Keliher, as Proprietors of the Newspaper known as the Volunteer Record and Shooting News, at No. 33, King William-street, in the city of London, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 1st day of November, 1887; and that all the debts owing to and from the said copartnership will be received and paid by the said James John Keliher.—Dated this 9th day of December, 1887.

J. F. Jamieson.  
J. J. Keliher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Allen Atkinson and Allen Edward Atkinson, carrying on business as Law Stationers, at No. 6, Quality-court, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Atkinson and Sons, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 19th day of November, 1887. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John Allen Atkinson.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1887.

*John A. Atkinson.  
Allen E. Atkinson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Charles Spencer Crowder and George Adney Payne, carrying on business at the Paragon Music Hall, formerly known as Lusby's Music Hall, situate in Mile End-road, in the county of Middlesex, and at the Canterbury Music Hall, situate in Westminster Bridge-road, in the county of Surrey, Music Hall Proprietors and Licensed Victuallers, under the style or firm of Crowder and Payne, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 30th day of July, 1887.—Dated this 13th day of December, 1887.

*Chas. S. Crowder.  
G. A. Payne.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between Alexander Lamont Henderson and William Middleton Ashman, at 3, Amersham-road, New Cross, in the county of Kent, Photographers, was, on the 14th day of November, 1887, dissolved by mutual consent. The business will henceforth be carried on by the said Alexander Lamont Henderson alone, and all debts due or owing to or from the business will be received and paid by him.—Dated this 7th day of December, 1887.

*A. L. Henderson.  
W. M. Ashman.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Masters and John Massie, carrying on business under the name or style of Masters and Massie, as Contractors for the Removal of Household Furniture and General Carriers, at New-road, Gravesend, in the county of Kent, was dissolved, on the 30th day of November, 1887, by mutual consent. All debts due to and from the said late partnership will be received and paid by the said George Masters, who will for the future carry on the said business on his own account and for his own benefit.—Dated this 1st day of December, 1887.

*George Masters.  
John Massie.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Samuel Thomas Midgley and Ellis Crowther Midgley, under the firm of S. T. Midgley and Son, formerly at Halifax, and lately at Leeds, in the county of York, in the trade or business of Leather Merchants and Boot Manufacturers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and notice is hereby further given, that as from the date hereof the said business will be carried on by the said Ellis Crowther Midgley and Arthur Walter Midgley, under the firm of S. T. Midgley and Sons, and all debts will be received and all liabilities paid by the said Ellis Crowther Midgley and Arthur Walter Midgley.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1887.

*S. T. Midgley.  
E. C. Midgley.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel Gaunt and William Edmund Baldwin, of Leeds and Guiseley, carrying on business as Cloth Manufacturers, at Guiseley and Leeds, under the style or firm of Baldwin and Co., has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 10th day of September, 1887. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said William Edmund Baldwin.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1887.

*W. E. Baldwin.  
Samuel Gaunt.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting and carried on by John Rippon and George Frederick Rippon, under the title of George Frederick Rippon and Company, at the city of Peterborough, as Lime Burners, Merchants, and Dealers in Building Materials, is dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 31st day of August, 1887. The Lime Business will be carried on by John Rippon, and the debts in respect thereof are payable to him; and the remaining portion of the business will be continued by, and the debts in respect thereof payable to, the said George Frederick Rippon.—Dated the 5th day of December, 1887.

*John Rippon.  
George Frederick Rippon.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Jackson and Joseph Jackson, carrying on business as Farmers at Folkton and Buckton, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Messrs. William and Joseph Jackson, was, on the 10th day of December, 1887, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 10th day of December, 1887.

*William Jackson.  
Joseph Jackson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Enoch Smith the elder and Enoch Smith the younger, carrying on business as Waste Dealers, at Buttershaw, in the parish of Bradford, and county of York, under the style or firm of Enoch Smith and Co., was, on the 1st day of November last, dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Enoch Smith the elder, who will in future carry on the said business on his own account, under the style or firm of Enoch Smith and Co.—Dated this 12th day of December, 1887.

*Enoch Smith, senr.  
Enoch Smith, junr.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James William Ashton and Robert Allen Gardner, as Pickle and Sauce Manufacturers, at Gorton Brook, near Manchester, under the style of Ashton and Gardner, was this day dissolved. All debts will be paid by the said James William Ashton, who will carry on the business on his own account.—Dated this 12th day of December, 1887.

*James William Ashton.  
Robert Allen Gardner.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between the undersigned Francis Walker and William Keen, in the business of Tailors and Outfitters, at No. 215, High-street West, in the borough of Sunderland, in the county of Durham, under the style or firm of F. Walker and Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on under the same style by the said Francis Walker, by whom all debts due to and from the firm will be received and paid.—Dated this 13th day of December, 1887.

*Francis Walker.  
William Keen.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Isaac Griffiths and William George Mobley, carrying on business as Italian Warehousemen and Provision Dealers, at Llandudno, in the county of Carnarvon, under the style of Griffiths and Mobley, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said firm will be received and paid respectively by the said William George Mobley.—Dated this 7th day of December, 1887.

*William George Mobley.  
Isaac Griffiths.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Arthur Charles Pierce and Daniel Burnett, carrying on business at 9A, Basement, City-buildings, Liverpool, as Commission Agents, under the style or firm of A. C. Pierce and Co., has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the date hereof.—As witness our hands this 30th day of November, 1887.

*Arthur Charles Pierce.  
Daniel Burnett.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel William Gay and Frank Willis, carrying on business as Boot and Shoe Makers, at Warmley, in the county of Gloucester, under the style or firm of Gay and Willis, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 15th day of October, 1887. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Samuel William Gay.—Dated this 15th day of October, 1887.

*Samuel William Gay.  
Frank Willis.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Charles Henry Shelley, Adelaide Norris, Widow, and Isabella Mary Ann Norris, Spinster, at 32, West-street, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, as Dealers in Fancy Goods, under the style of Shelley and Norris, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing from or due to the late firm will be discharged or received by the said Charles Henry Shelley and Adelaide Norris.—Dated the 8th day of December, 1887.

*Charles H. Shelley.  
Adelaide Norris.  
Isabella Mary Ann Norris.*

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Joseph Inchley and Thomas Inchley, as Engineers and Machinists, at the Park Works, Miles-street, Birmingham, under the firm of Joseph Inchley and Sons, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All the debts owing to and by the partnership will be received and paid by the said Joseph Inchley.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1887.

*Joseph Inchley.*  
*Thomas Inchley.*

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Agostino Vassalli and Frederick Pellegrino Vassalli, carrying on business as Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Hardware, Toys, and Fancy Goods, in New Market-street, Leeds, in the county of York, under the style or firm of A. and F. P. Vassalli, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 10th day of December now instant. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by our father, Pellegrino Vassalli, who will in future carry on the said business in New Market-street, Leeds aforesaid, on his own account.—Dated this 13th day of December, 1887.

*A. Vassalli.*  
*F. P. Vassalli.*

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Charles Haddon Osborne and Charles William Deacon, carrying on business as Straw Hat Manufacturers, at Cheapside, Luton, in the county of Bedford, under the style or firm of Osborne and Deacon, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 30th day of November, 1887.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1887.

*Chas. H. Osborne.*  
*Chas. W. Deacon.*

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Benn, Alfred Benn, Harrison Benn, William Henry Benn, Joe Benn, and Arthur Benn, carrying on business as Spinners and Manufacturers, at Becks Mill and Cannon Mill, Great Horton, and Beck Mill, Clayton, all in the parish of Bradford, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Joseph Benn and Sons, was dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 30th day of June, 1887. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Alfred Benn, Harrison Benn, William Henry Benn, Joe Benn, and Arthur Benn, who will in future carry on the business on their own account, under the said style or firm of Joseph Benn and Sons.—As witness our hands this 12th day of December, 1887.

*Joseph Benn.* *William Henry Benn.*  
*Alfred Benn.* *Joe Benn.*  
*Harrison Benn.* *Arthur Benn.*

**EDMUND HENRY KNOWLES, Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vict., cap. 35.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of Edmund Henry Knowles, late of Chester-road, Erdington, in the county of Warwick, Gentleman (who died on the 27th day of May, 1887, and of whose personal estate letters of administration were granted by the Birmingham District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 13th day of September, 1887, to Carey Knowles), are hereby required to send written particulars of such claims to the undersigned, Solicitors for the said administratrix of the deceased, on or before the 10th day of January, 1888, after which date the said administratrix will distribute the assets of the deceased, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have received notice.—Dated this 10th day of December, 1887.

BARLOW, SMITH, and PINSENT, 39, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

**HENRY CHAMBERLAIN, Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vict., cap. 35.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of Henry Chamberlain, late of Nailsworth Mills, Nailsworth, in the county of Gloucester, Solicitor (who died on the 26th day of August, 1887, and of whose personal estate letters of administration were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 24th day of November, 1887, to Walter William Chamberlain), are hereby required to send written particulars of such claims to the undersigned, Solicitors for the said administrator of the deceased, on or before the 10th day of January, 1888, after which date the said administrator will distribute the assets of

the deceased, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice.—Dated this 10th day of December, 1887.

BARLOW, SMITH, and PINSENT, 39, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Administrator.

**WILLIAM MILLWARD HOBDAV, Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vict., cap. 35.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of William Millward Hobday, late of Monkspath Priory, Shirley, in the county of Warwick, Gentleman (who died on the 18th day of September, 1887, and whose will was proved in the Birmingham District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 17th day of November, 1887, by Lucy Hobday, Mellor Brown, and Richard Alfred Pinsent, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send written particulars of such claims to the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors of the deceased, on or before the 10th day of January, 1888, after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have received notice.—Dated this 10th day of December, 1887.

BARLOW, SMITH, and PINSENT, 39, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Executors.

**RALPH DOCKER, Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vict., cap. 35.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of Ralph Docker, late of St. Clair, Alcester-road, Moseley, in the county of Worcester, Solicitor (who died on the 10th day of November, 1887, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 10th day of December, 1887, by Ludford William Docker and Frank Dudley Docker, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send written particulars of such claims to the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors of the deceased, on or before the 10th day of January, 1888, after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have received notice.—Dated this 10th day of December, 1887.

BARLOW, SMITH, and PINSENT, 39, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Executors.

**WASHINGTON PIRRIE, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Washington Pirrie, late of Upper Parliament-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 4th day of January, 1887, and whose will was duly proved in the Liverpool District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 27th day of July, 1887, by Essie Anna Pirrie, Widow, William Pirrie Sinclair, Merchant, and John Tate, Merchant, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims to the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 31st day of January, 1888, after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not have had notice.—Dated the 13th day of December, 1887.

BATESON, BRIGHT, and WARR, 14, Castle-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Executors.

**JOHN ST. LAWRANCE BEAUFORT, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of the said John St. Lawrance Beaufort, late of Prestwich, near Manchester, co. Lanc. (who died there on the 1st of December, 1887), are hereby required to send in their claims on or before the 15th of January, 1888, to the undersigned, one of the executors, who will then proceed to distribute and appropriate the estate and effects of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to those claims only of which the executors shall then have had notice; and the executors will not after that time be liable for the estate and assets so distributed and appropriated, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims they shall not then have had due notice.—Dated December 13, 1887.

W. M. BEAUFORT, 18, Piccadilly.

**GEORGE CRADOCK, 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 George Cradock, late of Westfield House, near Wakefield, in the county of York, Wire Rope Manufacturer, deceased (who died on the 3rd day of May, 1887, and whose will, with three codicils thereto, was proved by Frederick Haigh, of West Kirby, in the county of Chester, Provision Merchant, Elizabeth Cradock, of Wakefield aforesaid, the Widow of the said deceased, and Edwin Middleton, of Outwood, near Wakefield aforesaid, Commercial Traveller, two of the executors and the executrix named in the third codicil to the said will, on the 7th day of December, 1887, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the said Frederick Haigh, Elizabeth Cradock, and Edwin Middleton, or to the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 1st day of April, 1888; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executors and executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors and executrix 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 15th day of December, 1887.

**NORTH and SONS, 4, East-parade, Leeds, Solicitors for the said Executors and Executrix.**

**ELIZABETH MARY PELL, Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., c. 35.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Elizabeth Mary Pell, late of Quarry Field, Leamington Priors, in the county of Warwick, Widow, deceased (who died on the 28th day of October, 1887, and whose will was proved in the Birmingham District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 21st day of November, 1887, by William Stephenson Bennett and Eliza Frances Bennett, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 15th day of January, 1888, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 13th day of December, 1887.

**W. and W. C. HANNAY, 18, Portland-street, Leamington, Solicitors for the Executors.**

**SAMUEL SHAW, 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 Samuel Shaw, late of Brooklands, Stainland, near Halifax, in the county of York, Esq., J.P., deceased (who died on the 5th day of October, 1887, and whose will, with one codicil thereto, was proved by John Edward Shaw, of Green Bank, Holywell Green, near Halifax aforesaid, Manufacturer, the Son of the said deceased, Joseph Shaw Sleath, of Holywell Mount, Holywell Green aforesaid, Manufacturer, the Nephew of the said deceased, Frederick Whitley Thomson, of 21, Milton-place, Halifax aforesaid, Card Maker, and Frederic Henry Wright, of Thornes, near Wakefield, in the said county, Woollen Spinner, the executors named in the said will, on the 12th day of December, 1887, in the District Registry at Wakefield attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the said John Edward Shaw, Joseph Shaw Sleath, Frederick Whitley Thomson, and Frederic Henry Wright, or to the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 1st day of April, 1888; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they

shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 15th day of December, 1887.

**NORTH and SONS, 4, East-parade, Leeds, Solicitors for the said Executors.**

**JOHN LAYTON, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and such persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Layton, late of 39, Canonbury-square, Islington, and 8, Ely-place, Holborn, both in the county of Middlesex, Solicitor, deceased (who died on the 4th day of March, 1883, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 10th day of May, 1883, by George Layton, of 41, Ullet-road, Sefton Park, Liverpool, Solicitor, the Reverend Henry Layton, of St. Stephen's Vicarage, Honnslow, Clerk, and Charles Edward Layton, of 8, Ely-place aforesaid, Solicitor, the executors therein named), are requested to send in particulars thereof, in writing, to the undersigned, Charles Edward Layton, on or before the 31st day of January, 1888, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall have had notice; and the said executors, will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1887.

**CHARLES EDWARD LAYTON, 12, Marlborough-crescent, Bedford-park, Chiswick, W., one of the said Executors.**

**SUSAN RANSOM FIELD, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of Susan Ransom Field, late of Cromer, in the county of Norfolk, Spinster (who died on the 3rd day of September, 1887, and whose will was proved in the Norwich District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 11th day of October, 1887, by Sanders Spencer, of Holywell Manor, St. Ives, in the county of Huntingdon, Gentleman, and John Rayner, of the Chantry Court, Saint Stephen, in the city of Norwich, Gentleman, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, and demands to the said executors, at the office of their Solicitors, the Chantry, Norwich, on or before the 15th day of January, 1888, after the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that the said executors will not be liable or accountable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 13th day of December, 1887.

**KEITH, BLAKE, and CO., Solicitors for the said Executors.**

**JAMES WARD PARKER, 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 James Ward Parker, formerly of No. 2, Heskett-villas, Lordship-road, but late of Lauriston, No. 132, Bethune-road, Stoke Newington, in the county of Middlesex, Commission Agent, deceased (who died on the 26th day of October, 1887, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 10th day of December, 1887, by Rebecca Parker, of Lauriston, No. 132, Bethune-road, Stoke Newington aforesaid, Widow, the sole executrix therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executrix, on or before the 31st day of January, 1888, 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 15th day of December, 1887.

**F. J. and G. J. BRAIKENRIDGE, 16, Bartlett's-buildings, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Executrix.**

[Miss SARAH COOPER, Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, chapter 35. ALL creditors and other persons having any claim upon the estate of Sarah Cooper, late of 2, Lancaster-villas, Albert-road, South Norwood, in the county of Surrey, deceased (who died on the 28th day of November, 1887, at 2, Lancaster-villas aforesaid, and probate of whose will was granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 6th day of December instant, to Alfred Booker and George Edward Booker, the executors therein named), are requested to send particulars of their claims, addressed to the said executors, at their residence, 1, Albert-road, South Norwood aforesaid, on or before the 31st day of January, 1888, after which time the said executors will distribute the assets of the said Sarah Cooper, deceased, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been received.—Dated 14th December, 1887.

EDMUND DEAN, 37, Walbrook, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Executors.

ALLEN MALLINSON, 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 Allen Mallinson, late of Huddersfield, in the county of York, Woollen Spinner, deceased (who died on the 1st day of July, 1887, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 2nd day of December, 1887, by Joseph Whitfield, of Huddersfield aforesaid, Commission Agent, and Evan Stock Hilton, of the same place, Waste Puller and Scribbler, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 1st day of March, 1888, 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 14th day of December, 1887.

MILLS and BIBBY, Estate-buildings, Huddersfield, Solicitors for the Executors.

SYDNEY GEORGE HINTON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Sydney George Hinton, late of 162, High-street, Poplar, in the county of Middlesex (who died on the 13th day of March, 1887, and whose will was proved by Luther Hinton and Luther William Hinton, the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 12th day of September, 1887), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to me, the undersigned, as Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 10th day of January, 1888; and notice is hereby given, that at the expiration of that time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 9th day of December, 1887.

J. W. MARSH, 2, Fen-court, Fenchurch-street, E.C., Solicitor for the said Executors.

JAMES TEEVAN, Esq., 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 debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of the above-named James Teevan, late of No. 18, Chesham-place, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., deceased (who died on the 1st day of November, 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 9th day of December, 1887, by George Basil Eyston, of Stamford-place, Faringdon, in the county of Berks, Esq., Henry Stourton, of Holme Hall, in the county of York, Esq., Richard Barry O'Brien, of the Temple, in the

city of London, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, and Philip Witham, of Gray's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, at our offices, situate at No. 1, Gray's-inn-square, in the county of Middlesex, on or before the 1st day of February, 1888; and notice is hereby given, that after that date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for any assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 13th day of December, 1887.

WARD, MILLS, WITHAM, and LAMBERT, J., Gray's-inn-square, London, W.C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

Mr. ROBERT BATEMAN THORPE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of Robert Bateman Thorpe, formerly of Boston, but late of Skirbeck, both in the county of Lincoln, Butcher, deceased (who died on the 31st day of August, 1887, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved in the Lincoln District Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 11th day of November, 1887, are requested to send the particulars of their debts or claims to us, on behalf of the executors of the will of the said deceased, on or before the 29th instant, at the expiration of which time the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for any part of the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not have received notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 12th day of December, 1887.

WAITE, MARRIS, and RICE, Boston, Solicitors for the Executors.

Re JOSEPH EDWARD BINNS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of Joseph Edward Binns, late of Raglan-road, Woodhouse, Leeds, in the county of York, Builder (who died on the 15th day of October, 1887, and whose will was proved, on the 2nd day of December, 1887, in the District Registry at Wakefield of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Hannah Binns, Edward Thomas Binns, and Joseph Huxley, the executors therein named), are required to send, in writing, the particulars of their claims to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of April, 1888, after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 13th day of December, 1887.

MIDDLETON and SONS, Calverley-chambers, Victoria-square, Leeds, Solicitors for the said Executors.

KATHARINE JANE SEYMER, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vict., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims upon the estate of Katharine Jane Seymer, late of Downlea Cottage, Witchampton, in the county of Dorset, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 21st June, 1886, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 26th August, 1886, by James Bernard Paynter, of Yeovil, in the county of Somerset, Gentleman, one of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to us, the undersigned, at Yeovil, on or before the 1st January, 1888, after which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not be liable or accountable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 9th day of December, 1887.

NEWMAN, PAYNTER, GOULD, and WILLIAMS, Yeovil, and 1, Clement's-inn, London, Solicitors for the said Executor.



Mrs. FANNY MYDDELTON BIDDULPH, Deceased.  
Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Mrs. Fanny Myddelton Biddulph, late of No. 26, Grosvenor-place, in the county of Middlesex, Widow (who died on the 4th day of November, 1887, and whose will, with one codicil thereto, was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 10th day of December, 1887, by George Tournay Biddulph, of No. 43, Charing Cross, in the said county, Esq, the sole executor therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to the said executor on or before the 31st day of January next, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice.—Dated this 15th day of December, 1887.

WALKER, MARTINEAU, and CO., 36, Theobald's-road, Gray's Inn, Solicitors for the said Executor.

WILLIAM ANGE POOLE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of William Ange Poole, late of 40, Bolsover-street, Great Portland-street, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, deceased (who died on or about the 25th day of September, 1887, and whose will was proved by Elizabeth Bacon, of Langley, near Slough, in the county of Buckingham, Widow, and Harry Turner, of the same place, Nurseryman, the executrix and executor therein named, on the 24th day of November, 1887, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their claims and demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 19th day of January, 1888, after which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executors shall then have notice; and that 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 debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 15th day of December, 1887.

BEAUMONT, SON, and RIGDEN, 33, Chancery-lane, London, W.C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

TERESA NEWCOMEN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Teresa Newcomen, late of the Cottage Hospital, North Ormesby, in the county of York, deceased (who died on the 29th day of April, 1887, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 5th day of July, 1887, by Charles Montgomerie Newcomen, of Olliver, near Richmond, in the county of York, Gentleman, the executor therein named), are hereby required to send in particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to the said executor, under cover, addressed to me, the undersigned, Solicitor for the said executor, on or before the 7th day of January, 1888, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not be liable or accountable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 12th day of December, 1887.

FRED. BREWSTER, of 9, Albert-road, Middlesex, Solicitor for the Executor.

JOSEPH TUCK, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Joseph Tuck, late of Ilfracombe, in the county of Devon, Out-fitter, deceased (who died on the 15th day of August, 1887, and of whose personal estate letters of administration were granted by the District Registry at Exeter of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 26th day of September, 1887, to Eliza Nosworthy Tuck, of Ilfracombe aforesaid, the Widow of the deceased),

are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 20th day of January 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 shall then have had notice.—Dated this 12th day of December, 1887.

CLARK and SMITH, Malmesbury, Wilts, Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

MARY UNDERWOOD, 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 Mary Underwood, late of Somerleyton-street, in the hamlet of Heigham, in the county of the city of Norwich, Widow, deceased (who died on the 4th day of October, 1887, and whose will was proved in the Norwich District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 26th day of November, 1887, by John Valentine Huson, of the said city of Norwich, Brazier, and Henry Robert Cooke, of the said city, Ironmonger's Assistant, 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 19th day of January, 1888, 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 12th day of December, 1887.

HERBERT GOODCHILD, 27, Castle Meadow, Norwich, Solicitor for the said Executors.

Re JAMES BUTTERWORTH, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims upon or against the estate of James Butterworth, late of the White House, Denshaw Vale, in the county of York, Calico Printer (who died on the 5th day of April, 1886, and whose will was proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Wakefield, on the 3rd day of September, 1886, by James Henry Butterworth, William Butterworth, and the Reverend Thomas Gartside Butterworth, the Sons of the said, deceased, the executors in the said will named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to us, the undersigned, on or before the 31st day of January, 1888, after which day the said executors will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 12th day of December, 1887.

JEPSON and SON, 6, Booth-street, Mosley-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Executors.

WILLIAM WILKINSON, 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 William Wilkinson, late of No. 11, St. John's-terrace, in Bowling, in the parish of Bradford, in the county of York, Coal Merchant, deceased (who died on the 29th day of August, 1887, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Wakefield of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 15th day of September, 1887, by Jonathan Wilkinson, of Wakefield-road, in Bradford aforesaid, Assistant Overseer, the surviving executor therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 1st day of February, 1888, 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 13th day of December, 1887.

GAUNT and HINES, 16, Tyrrel-street, Bradford, Solicitors for the said Executor.

**ELIZABETH WOOLLEY, Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, chap. 35. **NOTICE** is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of Elizabeth Woolley, late of Holton, in the county of Somerset, Housekeeper (who died 9th day of September, 1887), are required to send particulars thereof, in writing, to me, the undersigned, executor, on or before 29th instant, after which day the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 6th day of December, 1887.

**GEORGE APLIN**, Spring-gardens, Spalding, Executor.

**WILLIAM YARWOOD, Deceased.**

**NOTICE** is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35, that all creditors or other persons having claims affecting the estate of William Yarwood, late of Glenside, Newton Heath, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Tanner (who died on the 21st of March, 1887, and letters of administration to whose estate were granted by the District Registry at Manchester, on the 15th day of August, 1887, to Elizabeth Yarwood, his Widow), are required, on or before the 1st day of February next, to send in their respective claims to Mr. John Cooper, of the firm of Cooper and Sons, the Solicitors for the said administratrix, at his office, No. 94A, King-street, in the city of Manchester, or in default they will be peremptorily excluded from payment.—Dated the 12th day of December, 1887.

**COOPER and SONS**, Solicitors.

**ROBERT THOMPSON, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Robert Thompson, late of No. 4, Carlisle-place, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Provision Dealer, retired from business, deceased (who died on the 18th day of November, 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 7th day of December, 1887, by William Thompson and Thomas Lauderdale, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 1st day of February, 1888, after which day 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.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1887.

**WILKINSON and MARSHALL**, 32, Grainger-street West, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitors for the Executors.

**JOHN SIMMONDS, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of John Simmonds, late of Ditchling, Sussex, deceased (who died at Ditchling, Sussex, on the 22nd day of August, 1887, and whose will was proved at the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 4th day of November, 1887, by J. C. Simmonds, one of the executors), are hereby required to send in their debts, claims, or demands to the said executor, at his residence, Triangle House, Triangle, Hackney, London, E., on or before the 14th day of January, 1888, after which day the said executor will proceed to distribute and appropriate the estate and effects of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not, after that time, be liable for the estate and assets so distributed and appropriated, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose debts or claims he shall not then have had due notice.—Dated this 13th day of December, 1887.

**J. C. SIMMONDS**, Executor.

**Re JOHN BUTTERWORTH, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims upon or against the estate of John Butterworth, late of Junction, near Delph in Saddleworth, in the county of York, Calico Printer (who died on the 10th day of September, 1887, and whose will was proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Wakefield, on the 5th day of November, 1887, by Edmund James Butterworth, the Son of the said

deceased, and Joel Berkeley, two of the executor<sup>s</sup> named in the said will), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims to us, the undersigned, on or before the 31st day of January, 1888, after which day the said executors will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 12th day of December, 1887.

**JEPSON and SON**, 6, Booth-street, Mosley-street, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Executors.

**JOHN HENRY LUKIS, Deceased.**

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Henry Lukis, late of No. 1, Royal Exchange-buildings, in the city of London, Underwriter, deceased (who died on the 30th day of October last), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for Julia Madeleine Lukis, the executrix named in the deceased's will, on or before the 20th day of January next, after which date the said executrix will 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.—Dated this 13th day of December, 1887.

**FREDC. S. HIGSON**, 28, Booth-street, Manchester, Solicitor for the Executrix.

**Mrs. MARY OAKES, Deceased.**

Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Vict., cap. 35.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all persons having any claim against the estate of Mrs. Mary Oakes, of the Laurels, Knutsford, in the county of Chester, deceased (who died on the 11th November, 1887, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry on the 8th December, 1887), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims to us, the undersigned, on or before the 16th January next, after which day the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 13th day of December, 1887.

**J. and E. H. GALSWORTHY**, 12, Old Jewry-chambers, E.C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

**Miss ELIZABETH CLEGG, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Elizabeth Clegg, late of Bentfield, Aigburth, in the county of Lancaster, Spinster (who died on the 5th July, 1887, and whose will and codicils were proved in the District Registry at Liverpool of the High Court of Justice, Probate Division, on the 28th November last, by the executrix therein named), are required to send in their respective claims or demands, in writing, to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the executrix, on or before the 31st of January, 1888, after which day the estate will be distributed, regard being had only to the claims or demands of which the said executrix shall then have had notice.—Dated this 12th December, 1887.

**GARNETT and TARBET**, 54, Castle-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the Executrix.

**SOPHIA PRATT, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and others having any claim or demand against the estate of Sophia Pratt, late of 14, Park-place, St. James's, Widow, Proprietress of Pratt's Club, deceased (whose will and codicil have been duly proved in the High Court of Justice, on the 7th day of December, 1887, by Eleanor Bulkeley, the surviving executrix therein named), are required to send written particulars thereof to the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executrix, on or before the 10th day of January next, after which date the said executrix will distribute the assets, having regard only to the claims of which she shall have had notice.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1887.

**HENRY TYRRELL**, 3, Raymond-buildings, Gray's-inn, Solicitor for the Executrix.

**ELLEN OLNEY, Deceased.**

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

**THE** creditors of Ellen Olney, late of Devonshire Lodge, Balham, in the county of Surrey, Spinster (who died on the 29th day of July, 1887), are required to send particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, on or before the 31st day of January, 1888, after which time the administratrix will distribute the assets of the deceased, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice.—Dated the 13th day of December, 1887.

**C. G. WOODROFFE**, 18, Great Dover-street, Southwark, London, Solicitor for the Administratrix.

## ROWLAND JONES, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, chapter 35. NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Rowland Jones, late of 245, Whitechapel-road, Middlesex, Dairyman (who died on the 26th October last, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 16th November last, by Elizabeth Jones and David Humphreys, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send, in writing, particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to me, the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of January next, 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 and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1887.

E. VERNOR MILES, Wool Exchange, Coleman-street, E.C., Solicitor for the Executors.

Royal Exchange Shipping Company Limited.  
Monarch Line.

PURSUANT to an Order of Mr. Justice Chitty, made in the consolidated actions of Ward v. the Royal Exchange Shipping Company Limited, 1887, W., No. 2; Utley v. same, 1887, U., No. 1; Buchanan v. same, 1887, B., No. 24; and Webster v. same, 1887, W., No. 19; and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and in the Matter of Royal Exchange Shipping Company Limited, and dated the 14th day of December, 1887. Tenders are invited for the purchase of the sailing ship "Eastern Monarch," belonging to the defendant Company, with stores and things belonging thereto.

Tenders are to be sent to George Augustus Crowder, Esq., Chief Clerk to Mr. Justice Chitty, at his chambers, situate at the Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, not later than three o'clock on Monday, the 19th day of December, 1887.

The tenders will not be made public, but will be opened by the Chief Clerk, at the chambers of Mr. Justice Chitty, on Thursday, the 22nd day of December, 1887, at three o'clock in the afternoon, when the persons having tendered may, if they think fit, attend personally or by their Solicitors.

Particulars of sale, with conditions and form of tender, may be obtained (gratis) of Edward Hart, the Receiver, 14, Moorgate-street, in the city of London; of Messrs. William A. Crump and Son, of 10, Philpot-lane, in the city of London, Solicitors; of Messrs. Broomhead, Wightman, and Moore, Solicitors, Sheffield; of Messrs. Linklater and Co., 2, Bond-court, Walbrook, in the city of London, Solicitors; and of Messrs. Ingle, Cooper, and Holmes, 20, Threadneedle-street, in the city of London, Solicitors.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action of Willes v. Wooldridge, 1887, W., 1415, with the approbation of Mr. Justice Chitty, by Mr. Thomas Lavington, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Castle and Ball Hotel, at Marlborough, in the county of Wilts, on Tuesday, the 10th day of January, 1888, at three o'clock precisely, in the afternoon, in one lot:—

Certain freehold dwelling-house, with garden and business premises, including shop, office, corn, hay, and straw stores, and stable, together with a malthouse, stores, and kiln complete, the whole being situate on the north side of the High-street, in Marlborough aforesaid, and is bounded by the properties of Miss Hammond on the east, the Marquess of Ailesbury on the north, and the Mayor and Corporation of Marlborough on the west.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis) of Messrs. Merriman, Pike, and Merriman, Solicitors, 25, Austin Friars, E.C.; Messrs. Wood, Bigg, and Nash, Solicitors, 6, Raymond-buildings, Gray's-inn, W.C.; Messrs. Merrimans and Gwillim, Solicitors, Marlborough; or of the Auctioneer, Marlborough, Devizes, and Swindon; and at the place of sale.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in a cause Re Joseph Johnson, deceased, Tiplady v. Johnson, with the approbation of Mr. Justice Stirling, by Mr. Thomas Wetherell, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Waterloo Hotel, Old Elvet, Durham, on Thursday, the 12th January, 1888, at three for four p.m. precisely, in one lot:—

A freehold piece or parcel of meadow land, situate at Potter's-lane, in the parish of St. Oswald, in the county of Durham, of area of 5 acres 2 roods and 4 perches, or thereabouts, with wooden shed or cow byer thereon.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had of Messrs. Patrick and Son, Solicitors, Durham; Mr. T. Maddison, jun., Solicitor, Durham; Messrs. Edell and Powell, Solicitors, 38, King-street, Cheapside, London;

and Messrs. Dangerfield and Blythe, Solicitors, 26, Craven-street, Charing Cross, London; and of the Auctioneer, at 47, Sadler-street, Durham.

## Robert Tippler.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, dated the 18th of December, 1886, made in the action of Pratt v. Willis, the persons claiming to be entitled to the dividends on the debts found due to Robert Tippler, of Great Tower-street, in the city of London, Colonial Broker, as surviving partner of Joseph Vandewall, deceased, by the Master's Report, dated 7th May, 1841, made in this action, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 14th day of January, 1888, to come in and prove their claims at the chambers of Mr. Justice North, Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Wednesday, the 18th day of January, at twelve o'clock, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 8th day of December, 1887.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, in the matter of the estate of John Lumsden, deceased, Gilbert v. Lumsden, 1887, L., 1549, the creditors and other persons having any claim or demand upon or against the estate of John Lumsden, late of Sun-street, Waltham Abbey, in the county of Essex, Draper, Wine, Spirit, and Provision Merchant, deceased, who died on the 3rd 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 2nd day of March, 1887, by Clara Emma Lumsden (in the will written Clara Emma Stamford), one of the executors named in the said will, are hereby required to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Robert L. Ratcliff, of 110, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, Solicitor for the said executrix, on or before the 14th day of January, 1888, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before Mr. Justice North, at his chambers, in the Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, on the 3rd day of February, 1888, at one o'clock in the afternoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1887.

MEDCALF and MEDCALF, 63, Finsbury-pavement, in the city of London, Plaintiffs Solicitors.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors, dated the 10th day of September, 1887, and made between Lewis Smith, of South-parade, Halifax, in the county of York, Cotton Merchant (the Debtor), of the first part, Jonas Dearnley Taylor, of Halifax aforesaid, Chartered Accountant (the Trustee), of the second part, and the several persons and companies whose names and seals respectively are affixed to the schedule thereto, being creditors of the said debtor, of the third part.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors of the above-named Lewis Smith who have not sent in particulars of their claims against the said debtor, are required to send particulars, in writing, of their names and addresses, and of their claims, to Jonas Dearnley Taylor, Townhall-buildings, Halifax aforesaid, on or before the 20th day of December, 1887, after which date the said Jonas Dearnley Taylor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said debtor among the creditors of whose claims he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for any part of the assets of the said debtor to any person of whose claims he shall not have had notice.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1887.

L. H. LONGBOTTOM, 4, Carlton-street, Halifax, in the county of York, Solicitor for the said Trustee.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. A SECOND and Final Dividend of 0½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a special resolution for liquidation by arrangement of the affairs of James Higginbottom, of No. 23, Longston-buildings, Cannon-street, in the city of Manchester, and also of Rue des Pretres, Ghent, in the Kingdom of Belgium, and 21, Rue Prefontaine, Rouen, in the Republic of France, Cotton and Cotton Waste Dealer, residing at Dorset House, Heaton Chapel, near the said city, and will be paid at the offices of Messrs. Herbert Kidson and Co., Chartered Accountants, 5, St. James's-square,

Manchester, on Friday, the 23rd instant, or any subsequent Friday, between the hours of eleven o'clock in the forenoon and three o'clock in the afternoon.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1887.

HERBERT KIDSON,  
CHAS. KENDAL, Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

**A** SECOND and Final Dividend of 3d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of proceedings for liquidation by arrangement or composition with creditors, instituted by William James Morris, late of North Clifton, in the county of Nottingham, Farmer, but now of Brant Broughton, in the county of Lincoln, of no occupation, and will be paid by me, at No. 1, High-pavement, Nottingham, on Thursday, the 22nd day of December, 1887, and following Wednesdays.—Dated this 12th day of December, 1887.

HENRY B. THORPE, Official Receiver, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Henry Wood and Charles Thomas Wood, Co-partners, trading as J. and C. Wood, at No. 5, Prince-street, in the city and county of Bristol, African Merchants, the said John Henry Wood, residing at No. 3, Halebank, Saint Matthew's-road, Kingsdown, in Bristol aforesaid, and the said Charles Thomas Wood at Clyde Brow, No. 14, Clyde-road, at Redland, also in Bristol, and trading as a Wine and Cigar Merchant, at No. 5, Prince-street aforesaid, Dealers and Chapmen.

Separate Estate of John Henry Wood.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a Meeting of the creditors of the above-named John Henry Wood will be held at the offices of Messrs. Tribe, Clarke, and Co., Albion-chambers, Bristol, on Friday, the 23rd day of December, 1887, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the following purposes:—1. Auditing the Trustee's account of receipts and payments; 2. Considering the remuneration of the Trustee, and granting him such sum as shall be deemed fair and reasonable; 3. Declaring a Final Dividend among the several creditors; 4. To consider and, if necessary, pass a resolution on any other matter that may be thought expedient; 5. To fix a date for close of liquidation and release of the Trustee.—Dated, Albion-chambers, Bristol, 12th December, 1887.

S. TRYON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Henry Wood and Charles Thomas Wood, Co-partners, trading as J. and C. Wood, at No. 5, Prince-street, in the city and county of Bristol, African Merchants, the said John Henry Wood residing at No. 3, Halebank, Saint Matthew's-road, Kingsdown, in Bristol aforesaid, and the said Charles Thomas Wood at Clyde Brow, No. 14, Clyde-road, at Redland, also in Bristol, and trading as a Wine and Cigar Merchant, at No. 5, Prince-street aforesaid, Dealers and Chapmen.

Separate Estate of Charles Thomas Wood.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Charles Thomas Wood will be held at the offices of Messrs. Tribe, Clarke, and Co., Albion-chambers, Bristol, on Friday, the 23rd day of December, 1887, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon, for the following purposes:—1. Auditing the Trustee's account of receipts and payments; 2. Considering the remuneration of the Trustee, and granting him such sum as shall be deemed fair and reasonable; 3. Declaring a Final Dividend among the several creditors; 4. To consider and, if necessary, pass a resolution on any other matter that may be thought expedient; 5. To fix a date for close of liquidation and release of the Trustee.—Dated, Albion-chambers, Bristol, 12th December, 1887.

S. TRYON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the High Court of Justice, in Bankruptcy. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of James Francis Gallatin, formerly of Downing College, Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge, afterwards of 45, Saint James's-place, in the city of Westminster, then of 79, Cadogan-place, in the county of Middlesex, then of the Saint James's Hotel, Piccadilly, and lately residing at Hem-mead Hall, Cuckfield, in the county of Sussex, but

now residing at 44, Saint James's-place, in the said city of Westminster, Gentleman, of no occupation.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named James Francis Gallatin who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 31st day of December, 1887, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, William Hurlbatt, of 8, Old Jewry, in the city of London, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1887.

WM. HURLBATT, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of William Watmough, of 76, Dudley Hill-road and Nelson-street, Dudley Hill-road, in Eccleshill, in the parish of Bradford, in the county of York, Contractor.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named William Watmough who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 24th day of December, 1887, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Joshua Bolton, 2 and 3, the Exchange Tower, Bradford, in the county of York, Chartered 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 14th day of December, 1887.

JOSHUA BOLTON, Trustee.

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Boston, transferred from the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Peterborough.

**A** FIRST and Final Dividend of 1s. 6½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of West Matthew Clark, of Weston, in the county of Lincoln, Farmer and Grazier, adjudicated bankrupt on the 22nd day of January, 1883, and will be paid by me, at my office, No. 8, Bridge-street, Boston, on and after Saturday, the 17th day of December, 1887, between the hours of ten and four o'clock.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1887.

CHARLES LUCAS, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1883.

The Bankruptcy (Discharge and Closure) Act, 1887.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax. In the Matter of Samuel Walter Shaw, of Staniland, near Halifax, in the county of York, Merchant and Commission Agent, a Bankrupt.

**A**N Order of Discharge was this day granted to Samuel Walter Shaw, formerly of Staniland, near Halifax aforesaid, Merchant and Commission Agent, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 19th day of July, 1879.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1887.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Sunderland. In the Matter of Richard Routledge, of 8, Esplanade West, Bishopwearmouth, in the county of Durham, Solicitor, adjudicated a Bankrupt on the 9th day of December, 1882.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named bankrupt will be held at the offices of Mr. Henry Rawlings, No. 59, John-street, Sunderland, on Monday, the 19th day of December, 1887, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:—1. To appoint, if deemed necessary, two members of the Committee of Inspection, in places of Henry Tonkinson, deceased, and Samuel Alcock, a bankrupt; 2. In the alternative, to receive and pass the accounts and remuneration of the Trustee under the said bankruptcy; 3. Declaration of First and Final Dividend; 4. To pass any other resolution, and transact any other business incidental to the meeting, and the business thereof competent to the creditors to pass and transact.—Dated this 8th day of December, 1887.

PINKNEY and BOLAM, Sunderland, Solicitors for Henry Rawlings, Trustee.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at York.

A Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of Edwin William Beetham, late of Leyburn, in the county of York, Bank Manager, adjudicated a bankrupt on the 10th day of August, 1883. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 24th day of December, 1887, will be excluded.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1887.

L. Broderick, Trustee.

THE BANKRUPTCY (DISCHARGE AND CLOSURE) ACT, 1887.

APPLICATION FOR DEBTOR'S DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Adjudication.	Day and Hour fixed for Hearing.
Haines, Joseph Charles ... ..	34, Duke-street, Manchester-square, 100, Wigmore-street, and 35, Oakley-road, Essex-road, Islington	Auctioneer and House Agent ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy, No. 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London	Sept. 24, 1870 ...	Jan. 13, 1888, at 11 o'clock

**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.
4636	Allery, William Adrian ...	63, Oxford-street, Middlesex ... ..	Tailor ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 18, 1887	1317 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887	844	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (G.)
4637	Berger, Gustav ... ..	Lately trading at 50, Fore-street, London, now 104, Antil-road, Bow, Middlesex	Hairdresser ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Dec. 13, 1887	1414 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887	849	Debtor's	
4638	Blamey, William, and Grose, Samuel	Whittingstall-road, Stukeley Park, Fulham, Middlesex	Builders ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 10, 1887	1279 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887	848	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (G.)
4639	Brush, William Osborne	83, Princes-road, Lambeth, Surrey ... ..	Coffee-house Keeper ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Dec. 12, 1887	1411 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	842	Debtor's	
4640	Canterbury, The Right Honourable Henry Charles Manners Sutton, Viscount	Boscombe Tower, Bournemouth, Hampshire, then 12, Queensbury-place, South Kensington, now the Glendower Hotel, South Kensington, both in Middlesex	A Peer of the Realm ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 15, 1887	1301 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887	845	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (G.)
4641	Cox, A. C. W. ... ..	Lately residing at 36, Duke-street, St. James, Middlesex, present residence the Petitioning Creditors are unable to ascertain	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Oct. 11, 1887	1151 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887	847	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (G.)
4642	Denman, Francis Philip...	Residing at 264, Burdett-road, Limehouse, and carrying on business at 100A, Bow Common-lane, and 11, Duckett-street, Mile End-road, all in Middlesex, formerly 80, South Clerk-street, Edinburgh, previously Kelvin Side, Glasgow, sometime of 10, Pault-road, Brixton, Surrey, and 28, Elgin-crescent, Bayswater, Middlesex	Physician, Surgeon, and Accoucheur	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Dec. 13, 1887	1415 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887	855	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (F.)
4643	Egleton, Robert Tanner...	Residing at 8, Montreal-terrace, Kilburn, and trading at 43, Great James-street, Lisson-grove, Marylebone, both in Middlesex, and 12, Wormwood-street, London	Oil and Colour Man and Oilman's Valuer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Dec. 14, 1887	1424 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887	854	Debtor's	
4644	Emery, Henry ... ..	Lynn Regis, Lausanne-road, Hornsey, and lately residing at 3, Nestrop-villas, Canon-bury, both in Middlesex	Travelling Rug Manufacturer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 26, 1887	1342 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887	853	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (G.)

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4645	Frogley, Fredrick Walter	Long Bridge-road, Barking, lately trading at 18, Beckton-road, Canning Town, both in Essex	Lately Grocer, now out of business	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Dec. 13, 1887	1418 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887	851	Debtor's	
4646	Greig, William James ... Greig, John Henry, and Greig, George Alexander (trading as Greig Brothers) ...	22, Margery Park-road, Forest Gate, Essex 95, Woodford-road, Essex 73, Woodford-road, Essex 558, Commercial-road East, 66 and 66½, Broad-street, Ratcliff, and Butcher-row, Ratcliff, all in Middlesex	Ironmongers ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Dec. 13, 1887	1419 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887	852	Debtor's	
4647	Hurley, Morris ...	Volunteer-yard, Nailour-street, Caledonian- road, Middlesex	Cab Proprietor ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Dec. 12, 1887	1413 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	843	Debtor's	
4648	Johnson, William ...	Now Her Majesty's Prison, Holloway, Mid- dlesex, lately residing at 113, Gordon-road, Peckham, Surrey	Auctioneer's Clerk ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Dec. 13, 1887	1416 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887	850	Debtor's	
4649	Quartly, William...	16, Argyle-square, King's Cross, Middlesex ...	Bookmaker and Betting Man	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Dec. 13, 1887	1417 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887	846	Debtor's	
4650	Rose, F. J. ...	The Bull's Head, Denmark Hill, Surrey ...	Publican ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 15, 1887	1297 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	841	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.)
4651	Hall, Joseph ...	76, Oxford-road, Dukinfield, Cheshire ...	Grocer ...	Ashton - under- Lyne and Staly- bridge	Dec. 14, 1887	17 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887	12	Debtor's	
4652	Walker, Thomas ...	Great Missenden, Buckinghamshire ...	Wheelwright ...	Aylesbury ...	Dec. 13, 1887	11 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887	9	Debtor's	
4653	Dowell, Charles ...	The Black Boy, Staniforth-street, Birming- ham, Warwickshire	Licensed Victualler ...	Birmingham ...	Nov. 20, 1887	131 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887	129	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.)
4654	Lambert, Joseph (trading as Lambert and Co.) ...	26, Smallbrook-street, Birmingham, Warwick- shire	Tobacconist ...	Birmingham ...	Oct. 22, 1887	111 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	128	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (A.)

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4655	Hartley, John ... ..	75, Springside, Rawtenstall, Lancashire, formerly residing at 22, Bacup-road, Rawtenstall, and formerly at 22, Bacup-road, and Kay-street, Rawtenstall	Potato Merchant and Hay and Straw Dealer	Blackburn ...	Dec. 14, 1887	22 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887	22	Debtor's	
4656	Bracewell, John ... ..	Knarrs, Laneshaw Bridge, Colne, Lancashire	Farmer ... ..	Burnley ...	Dec. 14, 1887	20 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887	20	Debtor's	
4657	Elliott, Thomas Lewis ...	High-street, Ashford, Kent, Coombe Farm, Hastingleigh, Kent, and the King's Arms, Beech-street, Barbican, London	Maltster, Farmer, and Licensed Victualler	Canterbury ...	Dec. 13, 1887	81 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887	79	Debtor's	
4658	Tyhurst, Richard ... ..	West View House, Herne Bay, Kent ... ..	Job Master, Livery Stable Keeper, Carrier and Railway Agent	Canterbury ...	Dec. 12, 1887	80 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	78	Debtor's	
4659	Grey, Thomas ... ..	77, Windsor-road, Penarth, Glamorganshire...	Builder ... ..	Cardiff ... ..	Dec. 12, 1887	55 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	51	Debtor's	
4660	Harris, David ... ..	29, Bridge-street, Cardiff, Glamorganshire ...	Provision Dealer... ..	Cardiff ... ..	Dec. 3, 1887	51 of 1887	Dec. 10, 1887	49	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (D.)
4661	Jones, John ... ..	Ogmore-villas, Ogmore Vale, Glamorganshire	Contractor ... ..	Cardiff ... ..	Dec. 12, 1887	54 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	50	Debtor's	
4662	Wyatt, William Gilbert...	13, High-street, South Norwood, Surrey ...	Builder, Contractor, Decorator, and Plumber	Croydon ...	Dec. 7, 1887	39 of 1887	Dec. 9, 1887	32	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (D.)
4663	Jackson, Mary Ann ... ..	90, Graham-street, Derby ... ..	Provision Dealer and Beer Retailer, Widow	Derby ... ..	Dec. 14, 1887	51 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887	48	Debtor's	
4664	Spencer, Thomas Cornelius	Ockbrook, Derbyshire ... ..	Tailor and Draper ...	Derby ... ..	Dec. 7, 1887	50 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	47	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (A.)
4665	Appleyard, Joseph ... ..	Warwick-road Mill, Batley Carr, Yorkshire ...	Woollen Manufacturer ...	Dewsbury ...	Dec. 12, 1887	43 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	43	Debtor's	
4666	Dart, John ... ..	13, Johnston-terrace, Morice Town, Devonport, Devonshire	Builder ... ..	East Stonehouse	Nov. 29, 1887	63 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	53	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (E.)
4667	Haynes, Thomas ... ..	4, Westwell-street, Plymouth, Devonshire ...	Fish Buyer ... ..	East Stonehouse	Dec. 14, 1887	72 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887	54	Debtor's	



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4668	Willcocks, George ...	40, William-street, Morice Town, Devonport, Devonshire	Coal Merchant ... ..	East Stonehouse	Dec. 12, 1887	71 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	52	Debtor's	
4669	Whatley, Thomas ...	Mitcheleam, Gloucestershire ... ..	Solicitor ... ..	Gloucester ...	Dec. 13, 1887	32 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887	25	Debtor's	
4670	Barron, Francis J. ...	Lately residing at 88, Sinclair-road, Kensington, Middlesex, now residing at 1, the Avenue, Blackheath, Kent,	Gentleman, of no occupation	Greenwich ...	Nov. 25, 1887	29 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887	27	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (G.)
4671	Smith, Harwood ...	59, Wellington-street, Woolwich, Kent, lately trading at 117 and 137, High-street, Plumstead, and 37, Chapel-street, Woolwich, Kent	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Greenwich ...	Dec. 10, 1887	31 of 1887	Dec. 10, 1887	26	Debtor's	
4672	Rowson, Samuel ...	10, Cambridge-terrace, Cleethorpes, Lincolnshire	Smack Owner ... ..	Great Grimsby	Dec. 12, 1887	63 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	63	Debtor's	
4673	Watson, Albert Edward	194, Ayscough-street, Great Grimsby, Lincolnshire	Insurance Agent and Grocer	Great Grimsby	Dec. 10, 1887	62 of 1887	Dec. 10, 1887	62	Debtor's	
4674	Grimmer, Henry ...	Burgh Saint Peter, Norfolk ... ..	Carpenter ... ..	Great Yarmouth	Dec. 13, 1887	45 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887	44	Debtor's	
4675	Buchanan, John ...	Sutton, Yorkshire, and 3, Prince's Dock-chambers, Kingston-upon-Hull	Engineer and Dealer in Machinery	Kingston-upon-Hull	Dec. 12, 1887	71 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	63	Debtor's	
4676	Littledike, George, jun... ..	65 and 73, Queen-street, Kingston-upon-Hull	Wholesale Confectioner...	Kingston-upon-Hull	Dec. 12, 1887	72 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	64	Debtor's	
4677	Kennington, William ...	The White Horse Inn, Bedford-street, Loughborough, Leicestershire	Licensed Victualler ...	Leicester ...	Dec. 14, 1887	83 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887	78	Debtor's	
4678	Gallimore, Thomas Morley Watkins (trading as Thomas Gallimore and Co.)	60, Bridge-street, Gainsborough, Lincolnshire	Brass Founder and Brass Finisher	Lincoln ...	Dec. 12, 1887	30 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	28	Debtor's	
4679	Cruickshank, Gass, and Company	Chapel-chambers, 23, Chapel-street, Liverpool	Merchants and Ship Owners	Liverpool ...	Nov. 19, 1887	143 of 1887	Dec. 9, 1887...	125	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (G.)

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4680	Gordon, Samuel David ...	10, Upper Baker-street and 104, Pembroke-place, Liverpool, Lancashire, and lately residing at 33, West Derby-street, Liverpool	Furniture Dealer ...	Liverpool ...	Dec. 12, 1887	148 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	123	Debtor's	
4681	Howarth, Francis Gaskell	New Ferry, Cheshire, and carrying on business at Imperial-chambers, Dale-street, Liverpool, lately carrying on business with Joseph Bottomley, as Bottomley and Howarth, at Moorfields, Liverpool	Auctioneer and Valuer ...	Liverpool ...	Dec. 12, 1887	149 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	124	Debtor's	
4682	Tunstall, Walker... ..	The Subway, 15A, Water-street, Liverpool, Lancashire, and 68, Buchanan-road, Seacombe, Cheshire	Wine and Spirit Merchant	Liverpool ...	Nov. 18, 1887	142 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887	126	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (D.)
4683	Yates, William ... ..	Kemberton, Salop ... ..	Farmer ... ..	Madeley, Shropshire	Dec. 12, 1887	10 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	10	Debtor's	
4684	Burns, William ... ..	Residing at 84, James-street, Jarrow, and trading at 5, Grange-road, Jarrow, county of Durham	Grocer and Provision Merchant	Newcastle-on-Tyne	Nov. 29, 1887	93 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	93	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (D.)
4685	Storey, Henry ... ..	339, Shields-road, Byker, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Formerly Auctioneer, now Commission Agent	Newcastle-on-Tyne	Dec. 14, 1887	98 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887	94	Debtor's	
4686	Essex, Charles ... ..	High-street, Rothwell, Northamptonshire ...	Carpenter and Wheelwright	Northampton ...	Dec. 8, 1887...	35 of 1887	Dec. 8, 1887...	34	Debtor's	
4687	Learoyd, Samuel... ..	Rise House Farm, South Stainley, Yorkshire	Farmer ... ..	Northallerton ...	Dec. 9, 1887...	22 of 1887	Dec. 9, 1887...	19	Debtor's	
4688	Mason, Frank ... ..	3, Balton-street, Lower West-street, and formerly of 9, Alfred-street, both in Oldham, Lancashire	Self Actor Minder ...	Oldham... ..	Dec. 12, 1887	34 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	26	Debtor's	
4689	Cave, Thomas ... ..	29, Walton-street and 73, Saint Aldates-street, both in Oxford	Baker ... ..	Oxford ... ..	Dec. 12, 1887	34 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	31	Debtor's	
4690	Torre, Nicholas Kirkby...	Kingston-crescent, Landport, Hampshire ...	Clerk in Holy Orders ...	Portsmouth ...	Dec. 10, 1887	44 of 1887	Dec. 10, 1887	44	Debtor's	
4691	Chapman, Henry Salmon	Queen-street, Filey, Yorkshire... ..	Innkeeper ... ..	Scarborough ...	Dec. 13, 1887	53 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887	49	Debtor's	

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4692	Maugham, Arthur ...	West Melton, Yorkshire ... ..	Publican ... ..	Sheffield ...	Dec. 14, 1887	94 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887	91	Debtor's	
4693	Salisbury, James Edward	Taplin-road, Hillsborough, Sheffield, Yorkshire, and Bradway, Derbyshire	Stay Busk Manufacturer	Sheffield ...	Dec. 14, 1887	93 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887	90	Debtor's	
4694	Humby, John ... ..	74 and 75, East-street, Southampton... ..	Toy Dealer ... ..	Southampton ...	Dec. 13, 1887	23 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887	21	Debtor's	
4695	Fothergill, Richard ...	Residing and trading at 22, Linthorpe-road, Middlesborough, Yorkshire, and trading at 134A, High-street, Stockton, county of Durham	Tobacco Manufacturer ...	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	Dec. 10, 1887	70 of 1887	Dec. 10, 1887	70	Debtor's	
4696	Kent, Henry George ...	Formerly Haughton-le-Skerne, now 3, Haughton-road - terrace, Darlington, both in the county of Durham	Formerly Commercial Traveller, now Stock Taker	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	Dec. 13, 1887	71 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887	62	Debtor's	
4697	Rodgers, Francis ...	27, Green-street, Bank Top, Darlington, county of Durham	Grocer and Beer Retailer	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	Dec. 13, 1887	72 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887	63	Debtor's	
4698	Turner, Thomas ... ..	Whitby, Yorkshire ... ..	Jet Ornament Manufacturer	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	Nov. 26, 1887	60 of 1887	Dec. 9, 1887...	60	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (A.) (G.)
4699	Stranks, John Alfred ...	26, Old-square, Warwick ... ..	Butcher ... ..	Warwick ...	Dec. 14, 1887	34 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887	33	Debtor's	
4245	Cansfield, Samuel Hartley	Residing at Apsley House, Saltaire-road, Shipley, and trading at Albion Works, Idle, Yorkshire	Printer and Engraver ...	Bradford ...	Nov. 15, 1887	77 of 1887	Nov. 15, 1887	74	Debtor's	

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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.
Back, Usher ...	77, Blackfriars-road, Southwark, Surrey, and Christchurch-street, East Greenwich, Kent	Rope and Twine Manufacturer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1350 of 1887	Dec. 23, 1887	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Portugal-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London	Jan. 25, 1888	11.30 A.M.	34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C.	
Butler, Francis ...	92, Edith-grove, Fulham-road, Earl's Court, Middlesex	Architect ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1141 of 1887	Dec. 23, 1887	11 A.M.	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London	Jan. 25, 1888	11.30 A.M.	34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C.	Nov. 21, 1887
Ellis, Edwin ...	10, North - crescent, Bedford-square, Middlesex	Artist ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1325 of 1887	Dec. 23, 1887	2.30 P.M.	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London	Jan. 20, 1888	2 P.M.	34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C.	
Frederick, George Henry	61, Church-street, Camberwell, Surrey	Cheesemonger ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1316 of 1887	Dec. 23, 1887	12 noon	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London	Jan. 20, 1888	2 P.M.	34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C.	Nov. 29, 1887
Galloway, Walter Read	46, Peckham Rye, Surrey ...	Wine and Spirit Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1267 of 1887	Dec. 23, 1887	1 P.M.	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London	Jan. 20, 1888	2 P.M.	34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C.	Nov. 14, 1887
Holmes, Frank ...	18, Wood-street, London, and 152, Southwark-bridge-road, Surrey	Warehouseman's Clerk	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1078 of 1887	Dec. 23, 1887	11 A.M.	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London	Jan. 20, 1888	2 P.M.	34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C.	Dec. 2, 1887
Davies, Lewis ...	Residing and trading at 10, Graig-row, Nantymoel, and formerly 9, Graig-row, Nantymoel, Glamorganshire	Boot and Shoe Maker and Dealer	Cardiff ...	50 of 1887	Dec. 30, 1887	11 A.M.	Office of the Official Receiver, 3, Crockherbtown, Cardiff	Jan. 6, 1888	10.30 A.M.	Townhall, Cardiff	Dec. 9, 1887
Sealey, Thomas ...	1, Green - street, Canton, Cardiff, trading at 56 and formerly at 63, St. Mary-street, Cardiff	Furniture Dealer and Warehouseman	Cardiff ...	49 of 1887	Dec. 31, 1887	12 noon	Office of the Official Receiver, 3, Crockherbtown, Cardiff	Jan. 6, 1888	10.30 A.M.	Townhall, Cardiff	Nov. 26, 1887
Thomas, William ...	Formerly the Milton Hotel, Cardiff, Glamorganshire, and late the Friendship Hotel, Bute-terrace, Cardiff	Licensed Victualler	Cardiff ...	48 of 1887	Dec. 30, 1887	2.30 P.M.	Office of the Official Receiver, 3, Crockherbtown, Cardiff	Dec. 16, 1887	10.30 A.M.	Townhall, Cardiff	Nov. 26, 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.
Jackson, Mary Ann ...	90, Graham-street, Derby ...	Provision Dealer and Beer Retailer, Widow	Derby ... ..	51 of 1887	Dec. 23, 1887	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, St. James's-chambers, Derby	Jan. 16, 1888	10.30 A.M.	County Hall, St. Mary's - gate, Derby	
Spencer, Thomas Cornelius	Ockbrook, Derbyshire ...	Tailor and Draper	Derby ... ..	50 of 1887	Dec. 23, 1887	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, St. James's-chambers, Derby	Jan. 16, 1888	10.30 A.M.	County Hall, St. Mary's - gate, Derby	Dec. 13, 1887
Jacobs, Elijah ..	Commercial-street, Cinderford, Gloucestershire	Clothier and Out-fitter	Gloucester ...	31 of 1887	Dec. 23, 1887	3 P.M.	Bell Hotel, Gloucester	Jan. 18, 1888	11.30 A.M.	Shirehall, Gloucester	
Grimmer, Henry ...	Burgh Saint Peter, Norfolk	Carpenter and Wheelwright	Great Yarmouth	45 of 1887	Dec. 24, 1887	1 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich	Jan. 30, 1888	11 A.M.	Townhall, Great Yarmouth	
Lascelles, George ...	16, Tiger-street, Newtown, Leeds, Yorkshire	Carting Agent ...	Leeds ... ..	89 of 1887	Dec. 28, 1887	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 22, Park-row, Leeds	Jan. 3, 1888	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Leeds	Dec. 10, 1887
O'Neill, Terence ...	63, Tramway-street, Roundhay-road, Leeds, Yorkshire, lately residing in lodgings at 38, Roscoe-road, Leeds, and formerly trading at 29, Tarlton-street, Liverpool, Lancashire	Tailors' Cutter, formerly Tailor	Leeds ... ..	88 of 1887	Dec. 28, 1887	12 noon	Official Receiver's Office, 22, Park-row, Leeds	Jan. 3, 1888	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Leeds	Dec. 7, 1887
Makepeace, Charles ...	North-street, Leighton Buzzard, Bedfordshire	Shoemaker ...	Luton ... ..	16 of 1887	Dec. 23, 1887	12.30 P.M.	The Elephant and Castle Hotel, Linslade, Buckinghamshire	Jan. 26, 1888	2 P.M.	Court - house, Luton, Bedfordshire	Dec. 14, 1887
Yates, William ...	Kemberton, Salop ... ..	Farmer ... ..	Madeley ... ..	10 of 1887	Jan. 4, 1888	1.30 P.M.	County Court Offices, Madeley	Jan. 4, 1888	12 noon	County Court, Madeley	

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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.
Burns, William ...	Residing at 84, James-street and trading at 5, Grange-road, Jarrow, county of Durham	Grocer and Provision Merchant	Newcastle - on - Tyne	93 of 1887	Dec. 23, 1887	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Pink - lane, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Dec. 29, 1887	11 A.M.	County Court, Westgate-road, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Dec. 14, 1887
Storey, Henry ...	339, Shields - road, Byker, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Formerly Auctioneer, now Commission Agent	Newcastle - on - Tyne	98 of 1887	Dec. 28, 1887	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Pink-lane, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Dec. 29, 1887	11 A.M.	County Court, Westgate-road, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Dec. 14, 1887
Mason, Frank ...	3, Belton-street, Lower West-street, formerly 9, Alfred-street, Oldham, Lancashire	Self Actor Minder	Oldham ...	34 of 1887	Dec. 23, 1887	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Priory-chambers, Union-street, Oldham	Jan. 24, 1888	12.30 P.M.	Townhall, Oldham	Dec. 13, 1887
Thompson, Frank D.	Fratton-street, Landport, Hampshire	Assistant Engineer in the Royal Navy	Portsmouth ...	38 of 1887	Jan. 2, 1888	3 P.M.	166, Queen - street, Portsea	Jan. 2, 1888	12 noon	Court - house, Portsmouth	Dec. 13, 1887
Torre, Nicholas Kirkby	Cambridge House, Kingston-crescent, Landport, parish of Portsea, Hampshire	Clerk in Holy Orders	Portsmouth ...	44 of 1887	Jan. 2, 1888	3.30 P.M.	166, Queen - street, Portsea	Jan. 2, 1888	12 noon	Court - house, Portsmouth	Dec. 13, 1887
Blewitt, Benjamin ...	Residing at the Queen's Head Inn, Pensnett, parish of Kingswinford, Staffordshire, and carrying on business at the Queen's Head Inn, Pensnett, and at Pensnett	Publican and Farmer	Stourbridge ...	10 of 1887	Dec. 29, 1887	10.30 A.M.	Talbot Hotel, Stourbridge	Dec. 29, 1887	11 A.M.	Court - house, Stourbridge	Nov. 29, 1887
Hubbold, Heber ...	The Four Furnaces Inn, Pensnett, Staffordshire	Brewer, Licensed Victualler, and Farmer	Stourbridge ...	11 of 1887	Dec. 29, 1887	10 A.M.	Talbot Hotel, Stourbridge	Dec. 29, 1887	11 A.M.	Court - house, Stourbridge	Nov. 29, 1887
Ledbury, William ...	The village and parish of Oldswinford, Worcester-shire	Builder and Contractor	Stourbridge ...	12 of 1887	Dec. 23, 1887	3 P.M.	Talbot Hotel, Stourbridge	Dec. 29, 1887	11 A.M.	Court - house, Stourbridge	Dec. 14, 1887
Roberts, Edwin ...	The Oaks, Lewin-road, Streatham, Surrey	Engineer ...	Wandsworth ...	38 of 1887	Dec. 30, 1887	12 noon	109, Victoria-street, Westminster	Dec. 22, 1887	12 noon	Court - house, Wandsworth	

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date fixed for proceeding with Examination.	Hour.	Place.
Brisley, Mary ... ..	Wellington Inn, Sheerness, Kent ...	Licensed Victualler ... ..	Rochester ... ..	11 of 1886	Dec. 29, 1887 ...	2 P.M.	Court-house, Eastgate, Rochester

ADJUDICATIONS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Ballingall, Emily (trading as James Ballingall and Sons)	160, Camden-road and 38 and 40, Great College-street, Camden Town, both in Middlesex	Pianoforte Manufacturer and Steam Sawyer, Widow	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1358 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887 ...	Dec. 1, 1887
Blamey, William, and Grose, Samuel	Whittingstall-road, Stukeley Park, Fulham, Middlesex	Builders	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1279 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887 ...	Nov. 10, 1887
Brown, Joseph	1, Belvedere-crescent, Belvedere-road, Lambeth, and 21, King's-road, Wimbledon, both in Surrey	Timber Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1396 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887 ...	Dec. 9, 1887
Brush, William Osborne	83, Princes-road, Lambeth, Surrey	Coffee-house Keeper	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1411 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887 ...	Dec. 12, 1887
Dearling, George	10, the Broadway, Crouch End, Hornsey, Middlesex	Ironmonger	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1386 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887 ...	Dec. 8, 1887
Egleton, Robert Tanner	Residing at 8, Montreal-terrace, Kilburn, and trading at 43, Great James-street, Lisson-grove, Marylebone, both in Middlesex, and 12, Wormwood-street, London	Oil and Colour Man, and Oilman's Valuer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1424 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887 ...	Dec. 14, 1887
Frogley, Frederick Walter	Long Bridge-road, Barking, lately trading at 18, Beckton-road, Canning Town, both in Essex	Lately Grocer, out of business	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1418 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887 ...	Dec. 13, 1887
Hurley, Morris	Volunteer-yard, Nailour-street, Caledonian-road, Middlesex	Cab Proprietor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1413 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887 ...	Dec. 12, 1887
Johnson, William	Now Her Majesty's Prison, Holloway, Middlesex, lately residing at 113, Gordon-road, Peckham, Surrey	Auctioneer's Clerk	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1416 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887 ...	Dec. 13, 1887
Mallett, Edgar, and Woods, Frederick William Matten	31, Soho-square, Middlesex	Printers	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1244 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887 ...	Nov. 3, 1887
Marr, David	254, High Holborn, Middlesex	Surgical Instrument Maker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1401 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887 ...	Dec. 9, 1887
Norman, George Boulter Bathurst	22, Great Marlborough-street and 6, Edith-grove, Fulham-road, both in Middlesex	Solicitor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1251 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887 ...	Nov. 4, 1887
Quartly, William	16, Argyle-square, King's Cross, Middlesex	Bookmaker and Betting Man	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1417 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887 ...	Dec. 13, 1887



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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Stone, Jabez ... ..	10 and 12, Railway-arches, Blenheim-grove, Rye-lane, and 13, Choumert-grove, both in Peckham, Surrey	Stonemason ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1391 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887 ...	Dec. 8, 1887
Woodward, Walter ... ..	28 and 49, Wilson-street, Finsbury, Middlesex, and 51, Fleet-street, New Swindon, Wiltshire	Furniture and General Merchant, trading with Christopher Cotching, as Cotching and Co.	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1306 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887 ...	Nov. 17, 1887
Hall, Joseph ... ..	76, Oxford-road, Dukinfield, Cheshire ... ..	Grocer ... ..	Ashton-under-Lyne and Stalybridge	17 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887 ...	Dec. 14, 1887
Abels, Frank ... ..	Late 136, now 133, High-street, Bordesley, Birmingham, Warwickshire	Tailor ... ..	Birmingham ...	126 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887 ...	Nov. 14, 1887
Toye, Charles... ..	6, Stafford-street, Birmingham, Warwickshire ... ..	Boot and Shoe Dealer [ ... ..	Birmingham ...	129 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887 ...	Nov. 22, 1887
Hartley, John ... ..	75, Springside, Rawtenstall, Lancashire, formerly residing at 22, Bacup-road, Rawtenstall, and formerly trading at 23, Bacup-road and Kay-street, Rawtenstall	Potato Merchant and Hay and Straw Dealer	Blackburn ... ..	22 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887 ...	Dec. 14, 1887
Ackroyd, Edwin (trading] as E. Ackroyd and Co.)	7, Charles-street and 43, Daisy-hill-lane, Manningham, both in Bradford, Yorkshire	Cigar and Stuff Merchant ... ..	Bradford ... ..	84 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887 ...	Nov. 30, 1887
Cansfield, Samuel Hartley ... ..	Residing at Apsley House, Saltaire-road, Shipley, and trading at Albion Works, Idle, Yorkshire	Printer and Engraver ... ..	Bradford ... ..	77 of 1887	Dec. 10, 1887 ...	Nov. 15, 1887
Bracewell, John ... ..	Knarrs, Laneshaw Bridge, Colne, Lancashire ... ..	Farmer ... ..	Burnley ... ..	20 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887 ...	Dec. 14, 1887
Pilcher, Frank ... ..	Fordwich, Kent ... ..	Carpenter ... ..	Canterbury ... ..	75 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887 ...	Nov. 17, 1887
Jones, John ... ..	Ogmore-villas, Ogmore Vale, Glamorganshire ... ..	Contractor ... ..	Cardiff ... ..	54 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887 ...	Dec. 12, 1887
Jackson, Mary Ann ... ..	90, Graham-street, Derby... ..	Provision Dealer and Beer Retailer, Widow	Derby ... ..	51 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887 ...	Dec. 14, 1887
Spencer, Thomas Cornelius ... ..	Ockbrook, Derbyshire ... ..	Tailor and Draper ... ..	Derby ... ..	50 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887 ...	Dec. 7, 1887
Appleyard, Joseph ... ..	Warwick-road Mill, Batley Carr, Yorkshire ... ..	Woollen Manufacturer ... ..	Dewsbury ... ..	43 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887 ...	Dec. 12, 1887

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Whatley, Thomas	Mitcheldean, Gloucestershire	Solicitor	Gloucester	32 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887	Dec. 13, 1887
Rowson, Samuel	10, Cambridge-terrace, Cleethorpes, Lincolnshire	Smackowner	Great Grimsby	63 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	Dec. 12, 1887
Watson, Albert Edward	194, Ayscough-street, Great Grimsby, Lincolnshire	Insurance Agent and Grocer	Great Grimsby	62 of 1887	Dec. 10, 1887	Dec. 10, 1887
Littledike, George, jun.	63 and 73, Queen-street, Kingston-upon-Hull	Wholesale Confectioner	Kingston-upon-Hull	72 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	Dec. 12, 1887
Gallimore, Thomas Morley Watkins (trading as Thomas Gallimore and Co.)	60, Bridge-street, Gainsborough, Lincolnshire	Brass Founder and Brass Finisher	Lincoln	30 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	Dec. 12, 1887
Manley, William	Lord's Close Farm, Fazakerley, Lancashire	Contractor	Liverpool	128 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	Oct. 14, 1887
Tunstall, Walker	The Subway, 15A, Water-street, Liverpool, Lancashire, and 68, Buchanan-road, Seacombe, Cheshire	Wine and Spirit Merchant	Liverpool	142 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887	Nov. 18, 1887
Yates, William	Kemberton, Salop	Farmer	Madeley, Shropshire	10 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	Dec. 12, 1887
Burns, William	Residing at 84, James-street, Jarrow, and trading at 5, Grange-road, Jarrow, county of Durham	Grocer and Provision Merchant	Newcastle-on-Tyne	93 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887	Nov. 29, 1887
Storey, Henry	339, Shields-road, Byker, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Formerly Auctioneer, now Commission Agent	Newcastle-on-Tyne	98 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887	Dec. 14, 1887
Layfield, Alfred	Church Mill, Richmond, Yorkshire, lately residing at Wetherby, Yorkshire	Corn Miller	Northallerton	21 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887	Dec. 5, 1887
Learoyd, Samuel	Rise House Farm, South Stainley, Yorkshire	Farmer	Northallerton	22 of 1887	Dec. 9, 1887	Dec. 8, 1887
Essex, Charles	High-street, Rothwell, Northamptonshire	Carpenter and Wheelwright	Northampton	35 of 1887	Dec. 14, 1887	Dec. 8, 1887
Mason, Frank	3, Belton-street, Lower West-street, and formerly of 9, Alfred-street, both in Oldham, Lancashire	Self Actor Minder	Oldham	34 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887	Dec. 9, 1887

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Thompson, Frank D. ....	Fratton-street, Landport, Hampshire ... ..	Assistant Engineer in the Royal Navy	Portsmouth ... ..	38 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887 ...	Nov. 26, 1887
Torre, Nicholas Kirkby ... ..	Kingston-crescent, Landport, Hampshire ... ..	Clerk in Holy Orders... ..	Portsmouth ... ..	44 of 1887	Dec. 10, 1887 ...	Dec. 10, 1887
Chapman, Henry Salmon ... ..	Queen-street, Filey, Yorkshire ... ..	Innkeeper ... ..	Scarborough ... ..	53 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887 ...	Dec. 13, 1887
Kent, Henry George... ..	Formerly Haughton - le - Skerne, now 3, Haughton-road- terrace, Darlington, both in the county of Durham	Formerly Commercial Traveller, now Stock Taker	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	71 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887 ...	Dec. 12, 1887
Rodgers, Francis ... ..	27, Green-street, Bank Top, Darlington, county of Durham...	Grocer and Beer Retailer' ... ..	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	72 of 1887	Dec. 13, 1887 ...	Dec. 12, 1887
Turner, Thomas ... ..	Whitby, Yorkshire ... ..	Jet Ornament Manufacturer... ..	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	60 of 1887	Dec. 9, 1887. ...	Nov. 26, 1887.
Draper, Joseph ... ..	Bridge Wharf, Battersea, Surrey... ..	Packing Case Maker ... ..	Wandsworth ... ..	37 of 1887	Dec. 12, 1887 ...	Nov. 14, 1887

**NOTICES OF INTENDED DIVIDENDS.**

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Barnes, Henry ... ..	216, Old Kent-road, Surrey ... ..	Lead and Glass Merchant ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	711 of 1887	Jan. 6, 1888 ...	Charles Baker ...	19 and 21, Queen Victoria-street, E.C.
Crabbe, George ... ..	18, Lena-gardens, Middlesex, late Holyrood House, Beckenham, Kent, and lately trading at 147, Leadenhall-street, London, as the Vicarton Estates Company and the Ceylon Plantations Company						
Crabbe, Herbert George ... and Crabbe, Alexander ...	18, Lena-gardens, Middlesex, late Wolverstone Lodge, Beckenham, Kent 18, Lena-gardens, Middlesex, late Cambridge House, Esher, Surrey						
George Crabbe and Co.) ...	147, Leadenhall-street, London ... ..	Merchants and Commission Agents	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	104 of 1885	Dec. 31, 1887 ...	William Hurlbatt ...	8, Old Jewry, London, E.C.
Crabbe, George ... .. (Separate Estate)	18, Lena-gardens, Middlesex, late Holyrood House, Beckenham, Kent, and lately trading at 147, Leadenhall-street, London, as the Vicarton Estates Company and the Ceylon Plantations Company	Merchant and Commission Agent, trading with Herbert George Crabbe and Alexander Crabbe, as George Crabbe and Co.	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	104 of 1885	Dec. 31, 1887 ...	William Hurlbatt ...	8, Old Jewry, London, E.C.
Crabbe, Herbert George ... (Separate Estate)	18, Lena-gardens, Middlesex, late, Wolverstone Lodge, Beckenham, Kent	Merchant and Commission Agent, trading with George Crabbe and Alexander Crabbe, as George Crabbe and Co.	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	104 of 1885	Dec. 31, 1887 ...	William Hurlbatt ...	8, Old Jewry, London, E.C.
Crabbe, Alexander ... (Separate Estate)	18, Lena-gardens, Middlesex, late Cambridge House, Esher, Surrey	Merchant and Commission Agent, trading with George Crabbe and Herbert George Crabbe, as George Crabbe and Co.	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	104 of 1885	Dec. 31, 1887 ...	William Hurlbatt ...	8, Old Jewry, London, E.C.
Harper, William John ...	Lately trading at 67, Camden-road, Middlesex, now residing at 151, Brecknock-road, Middlesex	Tailor, at present out of business	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1335 of 1886	Dec. 26, 1887 ...	Edward P. Wilson ...	11, Old Jewry-chambers, London, E.C.
Mayhead, James William	212, Well-street, Hackney, Middlesex ... ..	Cheesemonger and Poulterer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1084 of 1887	Jan. 3, 1888 ...	R. P. Harding, Chief Official Receiver	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C.
Tippett, George Frederick John	19A, Colville-road, Notting Hill, Middlesex ...	Builder ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	458 of 1884	Dec. 31, 1887 ...	William Edmonds ...	8, Old Jewry, London, E.C.
Garrett, Frank ... ..	Longden Farm, Tredington, Worcestershire ...	Farmer ... ..	Banbury ... ..	8 of 1886	Dec. 31, 1887 ...	The Official Receiver ...	1, Saint Aldates, Oxford

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Mitchell, Francis Henry ...	East Hill, Oakleigh Park, Whetstone, Middlesex	Clerk in the Royal Courts of Justice	Barnet ... ..	3 of 1887	Jan. 7, 1888 ...	Joseph J. Saffery ...	14, Old Jewry-chambers, E.C.
Hurst, Harry ... ..	37, Westgate-street, Bath ... ..	Pork Butcher and Bacon Curer	Bath ... ..	25 of 1887	Jan. 7, 1888 ...	Henry William Bowles	41, Broad-street, Bath
Alderson, John ... ..	11, Hudson Fold and Oddfellows' Hall Stables, both in Shipley, Yorkshire	Carter ... ..	Bradford ... ..	50 of 1887	Jan. 6, 1888 ...	J. Arthur Binns, Official Receiver	31, Manor-row, Bradford
Richens, James ... ..	London-road, Isleworth, Middlesex ... ..	Market Gardener ... ..	Brentford ... ..	27 of 1886	Dec. 31, 1887 ...	Allen Henry Stoneham	Official Receiver, 28 and 29, St. Swithin's-lane, London, E.C.
Smith, Arthur ... ..	Barrow Hill Mills, Heybridge, Essex ... ..	Miller ... ..	Chelmsford ... ..	28 of 1886	Dec. 28, 1887 ...	Robert H. Eve... ..	Maldon, Essex
Swinford, John ... ..	20, Swindon-street, Cheltenham, Gloucestershire	Whitesmith ... ..	Cheltenham... ..	16 of 1887	Dec. 30, 1887 ...	Charles Scott, Official Receiver	15, King-street, Gloucester
Whetton, Charles... ..	14, High-street, Rugby, Warwickshire . .	Photographer and Picture Dealer	Coventry ... ..	17 of 1886	Dec. 30, 1887 ...	Henry Suffolk ... ..	West Orchard, Coventry
Swann, Richard ... (Separate Estate)	South Normanton, Derbyshire ... ..	Grocer and Wine and Spirit Merchant, lately trading with Stephen Stocks, as Swann and Stocks, Colliery Proprietors	Derby ... ..	11 of 1887	Jan. 5, 1888 ...	The Official Receiver ...	St. James's-chambers, Derby
Stocks, Stephen ... (Separate Estate)	South Normanton, Derbyshire ... ..	Out of business, lately trading with Richard Swann, as Swann and Stocks, Colliery Proprietors	Derby ... ..	11 of 1887	Jan. 5, 1888 ...	The Official Receiver ...	St. James's-chambers, Derby
Barraclough, John . .	Wheat Sheaf Inn, America Moor, Morley, Yorkshire	Innkeeper ... ..	Dewsbury ... ..	12 of 1887	Dec. 30, 1887 ...	Edgar Ernest Deane ...	Official Receiver, Bank-chambers, Batley
Sykes, Henry ... ..	Northgate, Dewsbury, Yorkshire ... ..	Plumber ... ..	Dewsbury ... ..	14 of 1887	Dec. 30, 1887 ...	Edgar Ernest Deane ...	Official Receiver, Bank-chambers, Batley
Honey, John (trading as John Honey and Co.)	3, Verney-place, Sidwell-street, and 20, North-street, both in Exeter	Engineer and Ironmonger ...	Exeter ... ..	45 of 1887	Jan. 3, 1888 ...	The Official Receiver ...	13, Bedford-circus, Exeter

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description...	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Astley, Charles James Dukinfield	Welholme-road, Bargate, Great Grimsby, Lincolnshire, trading at the Fish Dock, Great Grimsby, and at Corporation-street, Birmingham, also lately trading at 30, North-street, Portslade, near Brighton, Sussex	Smack Owner, also trading as a Fish Merchant and Fish Dealer, in partnership with others, as the Grimsby Smack Owners' Direct Supply Association	Great Grimsby	25 of 1886	Dec. 31, 1887	Robert Hodgson	16, Parliament-street, Hull
Dawson, William Wellbury	8, West-parade, Great Grimsby, Lincolnshire, and trading at 22, Market-place, Great Grimsby	Oil and Manure Manufacturer	Great Grimsby	37 of 1887	Dec. 30, 1887	Thomas Laming	43, Victoria-street, Great Grimsby
Allerton, Samuel Chambers	Lowestoft, Suffolk...	Boat Builder and Smack Owner	Great Yarmouth	38 of 1887	Dec. 31, 1887	H. P. Gould, Official Receiver	8, King-street, Norwich
Fielding, David (trading as Holroyde and Fielding)	Dudwell Cottage, Salterhebble, near Halifax, Yorkshire, 49, Drake-street, Rochdale, Lancashire, and Onecliffe Mills, West Vale, near Halifax	Cotton Spinner and Doubler	Halifax	30 of 1887	Dec. 27, 1887	James Duff	Chartered Accountant, Barum House, Harrison-road, Halifax
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	84 of 1887	Dec. 31, 1887	Frederick Gittins, Official Receiver	35, Victoria-street, Liverpool
Sykes, Benjamin	16, Dingle-lane, Texteth Park, Liverpool, and 74, Balliol-road, Bootle, near Liverpool, both in Lancashire, lately residing and trading at the Victoria Hotel, Great Georges-road, Waterloo, Lancashire	Gentleman, formerly Licensed Victualler	Liverpool	88 of 1887	Jan. 4, 1888	William Leach Jackson	10, Dale-street, Liverpool
Briscoe, Henry John (trading as Briscoe, Son, and Co.)	Rose-villas, 7, Alexandra-mount, Litherland, Lancashire, and 53, Moorfields, Liverpool	General Merchant and Produce Broker	Liverpool	102 of 1887	Dec. 31, 1887	Frederick Gittins, Official Receiver	35, Victoria-street, Liverpool
Cain, James	Chapel House Inn, Skelmersdale, Lancashire	Innkeeper	Liverpool	101 of 1887	Dec. 31, 1887	Frederick Gittins, Official Receiver	35, Victoria-street, Liverpool
Griffiths, Eliza	Lately residing at 88, Whiterock-street, and trading separately from her Husband at 19, Queen-square, both in Liverpool, Lancashire	Fruit Dealer, Wife of William Griffiths	Liverpool	149 of 1886	Dec. 31, 1887	Frederick Gittins, Official Receiver	35, Victoria-street, Liverpool
Lyth, Charles	The Crown Brewery, Cooper's-row, Waterloo, Lancashire	Brewer and Beer Retailer	Liverpool	59 of 1887	Dec. 31, 1887	Frederick Gittins, Official Receiver	35, Victoria-street, Liverpool

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Smith, James Bramwell (trading as J. B. Smith, jun.)	Residing at 98, Allington-street, St. Michael's, township of Toxteth Park, Liverpool, Lancashire, and trading at 5, Thomas-street, Liverpool, lately residing at 19, Priory-road, Anfield, near Liverpool	Joiner and Builder ...	Liverpool ...	53 of 1887	Dec. 31, 1887 ...	Frederick Gittins, Official Receiver	35, Victoria-street, Liverpool
Chatwin, George Henry ...	47, Moore-street, Congleton, Cheshire ...	Master Fustian Cutter ...	Macclesfield...	18 of 1886	Dec. 29, 1887 ...	The Official Receiver ...	23, King Edward-street, Macclesfield
Jones, Richard ...	Alsager, Cheshire ...	Tailor ...	Macclesfield...	14 of 1886	Dec. 29, 1887 ...	The Official Receiver ...	23, King Edward-street, Macclesfield
Swindells, Edwin ...	Lately residing at 9, Longacre-street, Macclesfield, now at 101, High-street, Sutton, Macclesfield, and trading at Crossall-street, and Elizabeth-street, Macclesfield, formerly trading with William Hoyle, as Swindells and Hoyle	Engineer and Machinist ...	Macclesfield...	11 of 1887	Dec. 27, 1887 ...	George Ibeson ...	76, Derby-street, Macclesfield
Black, Francis Daniel ...	4, Clarkefield-terrace, Fountain-street, Cheetam Hill, near Manchester, Lancashire, lately residing and trading at 7, Albert-road, Plymouth-grove, Chorlton-upon-Medlock, Manchester	Butter Importer and Commission Agent	Manchester...	92 of 1887	Dec. 30, 1887 ...	Christopher Jenkins Dobb	Ogden's-chambers, Bridge-street, Manchester.
Roberts, Charles, and Staniar, James Peter (trading as Roberts and Staniar)	34, Princess-street, Manchester ...	Merchants ...	Manchester ...	88 of 1886	Jan. 10, 1888 ...	David Smith ...	22, Booth-street, Manchester
Robinson, Edward ...	4, Longford-terrace, Chester-road, Stretford, Lancashire, and Oldham-road Market, Manchester	Potato Dealer ...	Manchester ...	78 of 1887	Dec. 30, 1887 ...	Christopher Jenkins Dobb	Ogden's-chambers, Bridge-street, Manchester
Duke, William ...	Newark-upon-Trent, Nottinghamshire ...	Builder, Contractor, and Merchant	Nottingham...	56 of 1886	Jan. 3, 1888 ...	Robert White ...	Chartered Accountant, Newark-upon-Trent
Darley, Henry Sylvester ...	Sowdon Lodge, Lymptone, Exeter, Devonshire, lately residing at 15, Oriol-street, Oxford	Gentleman ...	Oxford ...	21 of 1887	Dec. 31, 1887 ...	Official Receiver ...	1, St. Aldates, Oxford
Masters, John ...	65, East-street, Sittingbourne, Kent, and Adelaide Dock, Murston-next-Sittingbourne, Kent	Barge Builder ...	Rochester ...	16 of 1887	Dec. 31, 1887 ...	Official Receiver ...	High-street, Rochester

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Mitchell, Charles ...	Swinton, Yorkshire ... ..	Farmer and Sheep Jobber ...	Scarborough ...	28 of 1887	Dec. 21, 1887 ...	A. W. Walker ...	York and East Riding Bank, Malton
Cox, Edward Caleb ...	Milton, Hampshire, lately residing and trading at the Cricketers' Arms, North Stoneham, Hampshire	Of no occupation, late Licensed Victualler and Farmer	Southampton ...	19 of 1887	Dec. 31, 1887 ...	Official Receiver ...	4, East-street, Southampton
Reynolds, David Freelove	Bowen's Arms Public-house, Llansamlet Higher, Swansea, Glamorganshire	Licensed Victualler ...	Swansea ...	22 of 1887	Dec. 28, 1887 ...	W. Rosser, Official Receiver	6, Rutland-street, Swansea
Treble, John, and Treble, Samuel (trading as J. and S. Treble) ...	Merton-road, Wandsworth, Surrey ...	Builders and House Decorators	Wandsworth ...	42 of 1885	Jan. 13, 1888 ...	Official Receiver ...	109, Victoria-street, Westminster, S.W.
Bayes, William John ...	6, Kingsgate-street, Winchester, and Eastleigh, both in Hampshire	Builder ... ..	Winchester ...	11 of 1887	Dec. 31, 1887 ...	Official Receiver ...	4, East-street, Southampton
Carrick, William ...	The Queen Brewery, Upper Brook-street, Winchester, Hampshire	Brewer ... ..	Winchester ...	2 of 1887	Dec. 31, 1887 ...	Official Receiver ...	4, East-street, Southampton
Watson, Henry ...	Church-street, Basingstoke, Hampshire ...	Builder ... ..	Winchester ...	9 of 1887	Dec. 31, 1887 ...	Official Receiver	4, East-street, Southampton



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Denham, William Graham	7, Scott's-terrace, Trafalgar-road, Old Kent-road, Surrey, and trading with William Cooke at 15, Monkwell-street, London, and Tabard Works, Peckham, Surrey, as Denham and Cooke	Umbrella Furniture Manufacturer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	56 of 1887	1s. 8½d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of the Chief Official Receiver, 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London
Fielding, Thomas David (trading as Fielding and Co.)	116, Hackney-road, Middlesex, and 84, Wool Exchange, Coleman-street, London	Commission Agent ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	532 of 1885	2½d.	On account of First Dividend of 1s. 4d.	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of the Official Trustee, 34, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London
Stone, Edward ...	29, Crosby Hall-chambers, Bishopsgate, London, and Hythe, Kent	Builder ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1060 of 1884	1s.	Second	Dec. 29, 1887 ...	Offices of the Trustee, Mr. John Henry Tilly, Chartered Accountant, 37, Queen Victoria-street, London, E.C.
Escauriza, Juan de ...	Glebe Side, Preston, Sussex ...	Of no occupation ...	Brighton ...	94 of 1886	3s. 4d.	First	Dec. 21, 1887 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Lower, Samuel Henry ...	37, Albion-hill, Brighton, Sussex ...	Baker ...	Brighton ...	30 of 1887	2s. 10d.	First	Dec. 29, 1887 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Reed, John Liddell ...	Braidley, near Haltwhistle, Northumberland, formerly Haltwhistle, Northumberland	Farmer and Butcher, formerly Grocer and Ironmonger	Carlisle ...	19 of 1887	1s. 2d.	First	On and after Dec. 20, 1887	Official Receiver's Offices, 34, Fisher-street, Carlisle
Stockbridge, William ...	Barclose, parish of Scaleby, Cumberland, formerly West Clift, parish of Kirklington, Cumberland	Innkeeper, formerly Farmer	Carlisle ...	18 of 1887	6½d.	First and Final	On and after Dec. 20, 1887	Official Receiver's Offices, 34, Fisher-street, Carlisle
Davies, William ...	Cloth Hall, Ferryside, Carmarthenshire ...	Draper and Grocer ...	Carmarthen ...	19 of 1887	5s. 4½d.	First and Final	Dec. 21, 1887 ...	Offices of the Official Receiver, 11, Quay-street, Carmarthen
Dry, Mary Griffiths, and Dry, Jane (trading as The Misses Dry) ...	Brentwood, Essex, late Sunbury, Middlesex	School Proprietors ...	Chelmsford ...	21 of 1887	2s. 6d.	First and Final	Dec. 19, 1887 ...	Official Receiver's Office, Trinity-chambers, Colchester
Woodley, James Wilkinson	Belle Vue, London-road, Enfield, Middlesex	Merchant's Clerk... ..	Edmonton ...	16 of 1885	1s. 8d.	First	Jan. 2, 1888 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 28 and 29, St. Swithin's-lane, London, E.C.

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Rust, Henry James (Separate Estate)	Westgate-street, Gloucester...	Ironmonger, trading with Edward Thomas Smith, as H. J. Rust, Smith, and Co.	Gloucester	31 of 1886	10½d.	First and Final	Dec. 21, 1887	Hoole's-chambers, Bank-street, Sheffield
Taylor, William	3, George street, Stroud, Gloucestershire	Tailor and Hatter	Gloucester	19 of 1887	9s. 0½d.	First and Final	Dec. 17, 1887	15, King-street, Gloucester
Redman, Mark	Herne Villa, Upper Harefield-road, Brockley, Kent, and Tanner's Hill, Deptford, Kent	Contractor and Builder	Greenwich	32 of 1886	1s.	Composition, Final Instalment	Dec. 20, 1887	Official Receiver, 109, Victoria-street, Westminster
Taylor, Samuel	Wakefield-road, Moldgreen, near Huddersfield, Yorkshire	Hosier and Stocking Knitter	Huddersfield	19 of 1887	1s. 4½d.	First and Final	Dec. 20, 1887, from 2 to 4	Offices of the Official Receiver, New-street, Huddersfield
Chapman, William	Residing at Grimston, Norfolk, and trading at Grimston and Leziate, Norfolk	Farmer	King's Lynn	5 of 1887	1½d.	First and Final	Dec. 17, 1887	Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich
Heafford, John Richard	31, Swan-street, Loughborough, Leicestershire	Milliner	Leicester	46 of 1887	2s. 6d.	First and Final	Dec. 19, 1887	28, Friar-lane, Leicester
Mercer, Alfred	High-street, Lutterworth, Leicestershire	Surgeon's Assistant	Leicester	41 of 1887	6½d.	First and Final	Dec. 19, 1887	28, Friar-lane, Leicester
Griffiths, Evan (Separate Estate)	31, David-street, Liverpool, Lancashire	Revolving Shutter and Window Blind Manufacturer, trading with George Finning, as Griffiths and Finning	Liverpool	148 of 1886	20s. and 4 per cent. interest	First and Final	Dec. 16, 1887	Offices of the Official Receiver, 35, Victoria-street, Liverpool
Hand, Charles Robert	28, Wavertree-road, Liverpool	Printer	Liverpool	11 of 1887	1½d.	Second and Final	Dec. 16, 1887	Offices of the Official Receiver, 35, Victoria-street, Liverpool
Nelson, William	84, Great Mersey-street, Kirkdale, Liverpool, Lancashire, lately residing and trading at 68, Seaforth-road, Seaforth, Lancashire	Engineer's Assistant, lately Tallow Chandler and General Dealer	Liverpool	89 of 1887	1s. 1½d.	First and Final	Dec. 19, 1887	Offices of the Official Receiver, 35, Victoria-street, Liverpool
Warttig, Edward	Residing and trading at 2, Tulketh-street, Southport, Lancashire, formerly also trading at 2A, Nevill-street, Southport, Lancashire	Pork Butcher	Liverpool	27 of 1887	3s. 0½d.	First and Final	Dec. 14, 1887	Offices of the Official Receiver, 35, Victoria-street, Liverpool

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Carson, Alexander ...	17, Shudehill and 6, Thornilly-brow, Shudehill, Manchester, residing in apartments at 29, Rhodes-street, Bradford, near Manchester	Importer ... ..	Manchester ... ..	57 of 1886	3d.	Final	Dec. 17, 1887 ...	5, Winckley-street, Preston
Jones, John ... ..	13, Broad-street, Welshpool, Montgomeryshire	Grocer ... ..	Newtown ... ..	5 of 1887	10½d.	First	Dec. 23, 1887 ...	Official Receiver's Office, Llanidloes
Notley, Walter Samuel ...	Hepworth, Suffolk ... ..	Farmer ... ..	Norwich ... ..	30 of 1886	3s.	First and Final	On and after Dec. 20, 1887	8, King-street, Norwich
Williams, John ... ..	Lisburne House, Gilfach Goch, Glamorganshire	Grocer and Butcher ...	Pontypridd ... ..	15 of 1886	1s. 1d.	First and Final	Dec. 21, 1887 ...	Official Receiver's Office, Merthyr Tydfil
H 2 Williams, Peter, and Williams, David (trading as Peter Williams and Co.)	12, Dunraven-street, Tonypandy, Glamorganshire	Grocers ... ..	Pontypridd ... ..	15 of 1887	3s. 2d.	First	Dec. 21, 1887 ...	Official Receiver's Office, Merthyr Tydfil
Hibbs, George ... ..	The New Inn, High-street, Swanage, Dorsetshire	Licensed Victualler, Cabinet Maker, and Carpenter	Poole... ..	25 of 1887	7s. 4d.	First and Final	Dec. 21, 1887 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Salisbury
Weston, George Henry ...	1, Trinity-terrace, Bournemouth ... ..	Fruiterer and Green-grocer	Poole... ..	10 of 1886	6s. 2d.	First and Final	On and after Nov. 28, 1887, between 11 and 3	67, Old Christ Church-road
Nielsen, Ditleff Christian Vilhelm	6, 8, and 10, Fuller's Market and 12, Cheap-side, Lake-road, Landport, Hampshire	Grocer and Provision Merchant	Portsmouth ... ..	28 of 1887	3s.	First	Dec. 30, 1887 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 166, Queen-street, Portsea
Thornton, John ... ..	114, High-street, Chatham, Kent ... ..	Tailor and Army Outfitter	Rochester ... ..	23 of 1887	5s. 3½d.	First and Final	Dec. 20, 1887 ...	Official Receiver's Office, High-street, Rochester
Green, Elias ... ..	Stalbridge, Dorsetshire, and Fareham, Hampshire	Pianoforte and General Dealer	Salisbury ... ..	18 of 1887	2s. 8d.	First and Final	Dec. 21, 1887 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Salisbury
Witt, William ... ..	High-street, Fordingbridge, Hampshire ...	Butcher and Cattle Dealer	Salisbury ... ..	15 of 1886	2½d.	Second and Final	Dec. 21, 1887 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Salisbury
Drury, Appleby ... ..	110, Victoria-road, Scarborough, Yorkshire	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Scarborough. ...	7 of 1887	0¾d.	First and Final	Dec. 24, 1887 ...	Office of C. S. Clarke, Accountant, 44, Huntriss-row, Scarborough

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Thomas, John ... ..	Carlharrack, Gwennap, Cornwall ... ..	Farmer ... ..	Truro... ..	33 of 1887	5s. 9½d.	First and Final	Dec. 24, 1887 ...	Official Receiver's Office, Boscawen-street, Truro
Talling, William... ..	Fore-street, Lostwithiel, Cornwall... ..	Boot and Shoe Maker ... ..	Truro... ..	38 of 1887	2s. 5¾d.	First and Final	Dec. 24, 1887 ...	Official Receiver's Office, Boscawen-street, Truro
Saunders, William Phillip	Lately 163, High-street, Deal, Kent, now Tonbridge, Kent	Boot Salesman ... ..	Tunbridge Wells ... ..	3 of 1887	1s. 1¼d.	First and Final	Dec. 29, 1887 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Bishop, Henry ... ..	Lately carrying on business at 118, Disraeli-road, Putney, Surrey, now residing at 19, Harleyford-road, Kennington, Surrey	Builder ... ..	Wandsworth ... ..	39 of 1886	2s.	First and Final	Any day after Dec. 17, 1887	Office of Mr. A. G. Ditton, Solicitor, 11, Queen Victoria-street, E.C.
Ferguson, William ... ..	36, Wigan-lane, Moot Hall-buildings, Wallgate, 167, Scholes, and 101, Wallgate, all in Wigan, and 6, Warrington-road, Newtown, and Beech Tree Farm, Appley Bridge, all in Lancashire	Grocer ... ..	Wigan ... ..	6 of 1886	4½d.	Second and Final	Dec. 19, 1887 ...	Offices of the Trustee, Mr. James Eckersley, Chartered Accountant, 46, Pall Mall, Manchester
Walmisley, William ... ..	Residing at 88, St. Luke's-road, Southport, and carrying on business at the Houghwood Colliery, Billinge Higher End, lately residing at Castle Hill, Wigan-road, and Platt-lane, all in Hindley, and at College-street, St. Helen's, and formerly carrying on business at the Castle Hill Colliery, Hindley, and at the Grange Hill Colliery, Hindley, all in Lancashire	Colliery Proprietor ... ..	Wigan ... ..	7 of 1886	1s. 2¾d.	First and Final	Dec. 27, 1887 ...	Office of the Official Receiver, Bolton
Marks, Thomas ... ..	60, High-street, Maidenhead, Berkshire ... ..	Baker and Grocer ... ..	Windsor ... ..	2 of 1887	4s. 3d.	First and Final	Dec. 20, 1887 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 109, Victoria-street, Westminster
Banner, Elijah ... ..	Star Iron Works, Heath Town, and Bushbury-road, Wolverhampton, Staffordshire	Ironmaster and Carrier... ..	Wolverhampton ... ..	47 of 1886	10d.	First and Final	Dec. 21, 1887 ...	Trustee's Office, 22, Darlington-street, Wolverhampton

APPLICATIONS FOR DEBTORS' DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Day fixed for Hearing.
Noah, Robert Phillips ... ..	71, Alexandra-road, St. John's Wood, Middlesex ...	Financial Agent and Promoter of Companies	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1058 of 1884	Jan. 26, 1888, 11 A.M.
Simson, Joseph Kingsbury (trading as J. K. Simson and Co.)	97, Patshull-road, Kentish Town, lately trading at 163, Gower-street, both in Middlesex	Wholesale Importers of Musical Instruments	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	742 of 1887	Jan. 24, 1888, 11.30 A.M.
Taylor, Edward Brown ... ..	9, Oat-lane, London ... ..	Trimming Manufacturer ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	834 of 1887	Jan. 21, 1888, 11.30 A.M.
Briley, Frederick John ... ..	280, Coventry-road, Birmingham, Warwickshire ...	Builder ... ..	Birmingham ...	61 of 1885	Jan. 23, 1888, 2 P.M.
Chatfield, Albert Samuel ... ..	Hampton-in-Arden, Warwickshire ... ..	Butler, trading with William Sutton, as William Sutton, Coal Dealers	Birmingham ...	89 of 1887	Jan. 12, 1888
Wallis, Arthur Gray ... ..	45, Gough-road, Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire, trading at 28 and 29, Upper Priory, Birmingham, as the Birmingham Sanitary Association	... ..	Birmingham ...	44 of 1886	Jan. 12, 1888, 10 A.M.
Miller, Arthur Henry ... ..	57, Bonchurch-road, Hassocks Gate, Sussex... ..	Builder ... ..	Brighton ... ..	63 of 1885	Jan. 13, 1888, 12 noon
Ingram, Charles Wesley (trading as G. W. Jones, Ingram, and Co.)	Residing at Penarth, Glamorganshire, and trading at Pier Head-chambers, Cardiff	Shipbroker, Iron Ore Merchant, and Timber Merchant	Cardiff ... ..	6 of 1887	Jan. 10, 1888
Collin, George ... ..	Spread Eagle-lane, English-street, Carlisle ... ..	Innkeeper ... ..	Carlisle ... ..	35 of 1887	Jan. 11, 1888, 11 A.M. Court-house, Carlisle
August, William Henry ... ..	152, High-street, Croydon, Surrey ... ..	Grocer ... ..	Croydon ... ..	28 of 1887	Jan. 10, 1888, 12 noon, Townhall, Croydon
Potterton, Edward, and ... .. Gould, Robert William (trading as Potterton, Gould, and Company)	Roseneath, Armson-road, East Molesey, Surrey Mill House, Avern-road, East Molesey, Surrey Hampton Court Joinery Works, East Molesey, Surrey	Timber Merchants, Builders, and Joiners...	Kingston, Surrey ...	16 of 1887	Jan. 13, 1888, 3.30 P.M., Kingston
Williams, Thomas ... ..	62 and 64, Collingwood-street, Liverpool, Lancashire, residing at 26, Aubrey-street, Liverpool	Wheelwright and Blacksmith ... ..	Liverpool ... ..	140 of 1885	Jan. 13, 1888, 11 A.M.

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE.

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.
Basteri, Anthony William (trading as A. W. Basteri and Co.)	Lately 17, Chalk Farm-road, Middlesex, and 54, Kennington Park-road, Surrey	Cheesemonger ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	853 of 1887	Nov. 16, 1887	Discharge suspended for eighteen months. Bankrupt to be discharged as from the 16th May, 1889	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 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; and had brought on his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculations
Blows, John (described in the petition as A. Blowes)	Peckham Rye, Surrey... ..	Furniture Van Proprietor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	453 of 1887	Nov. 16, 1887	Discharge suspended for nine months. Bankrupt to be discharged as from the 16th August, 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
Speller, William Henry	Artois Works, Blackfriars-road, 19, Suffolk-grove, Blackfriars, and Beauchamp House, Beauchamp-road, Clapham Junction, all in Surrey	Engineer ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	844 of 1884	Nov. 15, 1887	Discharge suspended for six months. Bankrupt to be discharged as from the 15th May, 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; and had within three months preceding the date of the Receiving Order, when unable to pay his debts as they became due, given an undue preference to a creditor
Clarke, Henry ... ..	14, St. Jude's-place, Plymouth, Devonshire	Builder ... ..	East Stonehouse ...	28 of 1886	Oct. 19, 1887	Discharge suspended for three months	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 the bankruptcy; and had continued to trade when, had he kept proper books of account, he would have known that he was insolvent

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS 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.
Creed, Richard ...	73, Queen's-road, Hastings, Sussex	Bootmaker ...	Hastings ...	10 of 1885	Nov. 21, 1887	Discharge suspended for six months. Bankrupt to be discharged as from the 21st May, 1888	Bankrupt had brought on his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculations
Kenworthy, Lewis ...	Horn and Trumpet Inn, Hewdley, Worcestershire	Licensed Victualler and Fruit Dealer	Kidderminster ...	6 of 1887	Nov. 22, 1887	Discharge suspended for six months. Bankrupt to be discharged as from the 22nd May, 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; and had brought on his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculations
Lindsay, James Henry Cox (trading as Lindsay and Co.)	Late 6, Bancroft's-buildings, Old Hall-street, now 3, India-buildings, Water-street, Liverpool, and residing at the Horse Side, Grove-road, Liscard, Cheshire	Metal and Hardware Merchant	Liverpool ...	70 of 1886	Oct. 28, 1887	Discharge refused ...	Bankrupt 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 ground of expectation of being able to pay them; had brought on his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculation and unjustifiable extravagance in living; and had on a previous occasion made a statutory arrangement with his creditors
Cwen, George ...	Ironbridge, parish of Madeley, Salop	Beerhouse Keeper ...	Madeley, Shropshire	6 of 1887	Nov. 16, 1887	Discharge granted subject to the following conditions, viz.:—Bankrupt to pay to the Official Receiver a sufficient sum to pay the creditors 15s. in the pound	Bankrupt had put one of his creditors to unnecessary expense by a frivolous and vexatious defence to an action properly brought against him, and had within three months' preceding the date of the Receiving Order, when unable to pay his debts as they became due, given an undue preference to some of his creditors

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.
Crookes, Charles	Beighton, Derbyshire	Licensed Victualler, Joiner, and Carpenter	Sheffield	26 of 1887	Nov. 24, 1887	Discharged suspended for one calendar month. Bankrupt to be discharged as from the 24th December, 1887	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



APPOINTMENTS OF TRUSTEES.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Trustee's Name.	Address.	Date of Certificate of Appointment.
Prince, George ... ..	55, Pont-street, Belgravia, Middlesex ...	Secretary to the Prince's Club	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1088 of 1887	Jackson, Benjamin...	28, Fenchurch-street, E.C.	Dec. 7, 1887
Smith, Thomas Dawson ...	82, Hamilton-street and William-street, both in Birkenhead, and Willmer-road, Tranmere, all in Cheshire, and 47, Tithe-barne-street, Liverpool, Lancashire	Nurseryman and Seedsman	Birkenhead ... ..	20 of 1887	Goodchild, Frederick Charles	25, Old Jewry, London, Secretary of the Nursery and Seed Trade Association Limited	Dec. 12, 1887 .
Cansfield, Samuel Hartley ...	Residing at Apsley House, Saltaire-road, Shipley, and trading at Albion Works, Idle, Yorkshire	Printer and Engraver ...	Bradford ... ..	77 of 1887	Wright, James Clough	Market-street, Bradford, Accountant	Dec. 10, 1887
Green, Walter Joseph ...	52, Fleet-street, Bury, lately residing and trading at 16, Oldham-street, Manchester, Lancashire	Mantle Manufacturer ...	Manchester ... ..	91 of 1887	Browning, George ...	18, King-street, Chcapside, London, E.C.	Dec. 10, 1887
Wightman, George ... ..	Byard-lane, Bridlesmith-gate, Nottingham	Fancy Box Manufacturer ...	Nottingham ... ..	100 of 1887	Mellors, Robert ...	1, High-pavement, Nottingham	Dec. 12, 1887
Honour, John ... ..	Marston, Oxfordshire... ..	Builder ... ..	Oxford ... ..	30 of 1887	Gray, Walter ...	Oxford ... ..	Dec. 11, 1887
Kirby, Stephen, and... Kirby, Thomas	Buskhill Farm, Leavening, Yorkshire ...	Farmers ... ..	Scarborough ... ..	45 of 1887	Spaven, William Robinson	1, Byland-terrace, Malton...	Dec. 13, 1887

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Baines, Thomas (trading as F. Baines and Co.)	26, Great Castle-street, Oxford-circus, Middlesex	Tailor ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	548 of 1884	Charles James Singleton	8, Staple-inn, London, W.C.	Chartered Accountant	Dec. 12, 1887
Frank, E. (trading as E. Frank and Co.)	46 and 47, Redcross-street, London, and 18, Marquess-road, Canonbury, Middlesex	Fancy Goods Importer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1180 of 1886	Henry Kendrick ...	10, Pancras-lane, E.C. ...	Accountant ... ..	Dec. 13, 1887
Millington, Thomas Alexander (trading as T. Millington and Co.)	43, Commercial-street, Middlesex, and Avenue House, Walthamstow, Essex	Lead and Glass Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	135 of 1885	Wm. Orton Attree ...	52, Gracechurch-street, E.C.	Chartered Accountant	Dec. 12, 1887
Tiden, Lorentz ... ..	11, Queen Victoria-street, London, and 24, Queensborough-terrace, Bayswater, Middlesex	Merchant ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	438 of 1885	Drury, Frank and Gulland, David ...	11, Queen Victoria-street, London, E.C. 6, Dowgate-hill, London, E.C.	Chartered Accountant Merchant	Dec. 12, 1887
Chambers, Arthur ... ..	128, Lorne-terrace, Blackburn, Lancashire, and 44, King William-street, Blackburn, Lancashire	Hatter and Outfitter ...	Blackburn ... ..	23 of 1885	William Stavert ...	1, Piccadilly, Manchester	Accountant ... ..	Dec. 12, 1887
Szapira, Jacob ... ..	45 and 46, North-street and 80, King's-road, Brighton, and Havelock-road, Hastings, all in Sussex	Jeweller ... ..	Brighton ... ..	100 of 1884	Ralph Raphael ...	47, Moorgate-street, E.C.	Solicitor ... ..	Dec. 13, 1887
Wensley, James ... ..	7, Cumberland-street, Bristol ...	Music Seller ... ..	Bristol ... ..	41 of 1886	William Henry Parsons	City-chambers, Nicholas-street, Bristol	Accountant ... ..	Dec. 12, 1887
Giles, Frederick William ...	Chilham, Kent ... ..	Builder ... ..	Canterbury ... ..	41 of 1886	Edmund Ballard ...	41, Bank-street, Ashford, Kent	Auctioneer ... ..	Dec. 12, 1887
Burrows, George ... ..	Late the Eight Bells Hotel, Church-street, now St. George's-street, both in Cheltenham, Gloucestershire	Late Innkeeper, now out of occupation	Cheltenham ... ..	9 of 1886	Henry George Margrett	11, Grosvenor - place, Cheltenham	Accountant ... ..	Dec. 12, 1887
Boam, Amos ... ..	King's Head Hotel, Ilkeston, Derbyshire	Licensed Victualler ...	Derby ... ..	24 of 1886	Thomas Leman ...	Long-row, Nottingham ...	Chartered Accountant	Dec. 12, 1887
Megson, Graham, and Megson, John (trading as Graham Megson and Co.) ...	Intake-lane, Ossett Wesley-street, Ossett Yorkshire ... ..	Mungo Manufacturers	Dewsbury ... ..	10 of 1886	Wm. Patterson ...	Wellington-road, Dewsbury	Rag Merchant ... ..	Dec. 12, 1887

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Johnson, Francis ... ..	Grosvenor Hotel, Westgate-street, Ipswich, and 23, Rendlesham-road, Ipswich, Suffolk	Innholder and Wine and Spirit Merchant	Ipswich ... ..	10 of 1886	George Scolding ... ..	Diss, Norfolk ... ..	Accountant ... ..	Dec. 13, 1887
McTear, George, and Horrocks, Thomas Embleton (trading as McTear and Horrocks) ... ..	Derby Park, Rock Ferry, Cheshire 24, St. Mary's-road, Crumpsall, near Manchester 11, Upper William-street, Liverpool	Felt Manufacturers ... ..	Liverpool ... ..	22 of 1886	Henry Grosvenor Nicholson	100, King-street, Manchester	Chartered Accountant	Dec. 12, 1887
Tapsfield, Arthur ... ..	Park Farm, East Farleigh, Kent...	Farmer ... ..	Maidstone ... ..	4 of 1886	Edward Allen ... ..	King Edward - road, Rochester	Accountant ... ..	Dec. 12, 1887
Chambers, Thomas (trading as Tom Chambers)	31, High - street, Grantham, Lincolnshire	Hatter, Hosier, and Outfitter	Nottingham... ..	53 of 1886	Edwin Playster Steeds	20, Friar-lane, Leicester...	Chartered Accountant	Dec. 12, 1887
Solomon, Levi Percy ... ..	High-street, West Bronwich, Staffordshire	Jacket and Mantle Warehouseman, and General Fancy Draper	Oldbury ... ..	25 of 1886	Percy Mason ... ..	29 and 30, King-street, Cheapside, London, E.C.	Chartered Accountant	Dec. 12, 1887
Hammas, James ... ..	Garford, parish of Marcham, Berkshire	Farmer ... ..	Oxford ... ..	19 of 1886	Arthur Edwin Preston	Abingdon... ..	Chartered Accountant	Dec. 13, 1887
Solomon, Levi ... ..	29 and 29½, Corn Market-street, Oxford	Jeweller and Tobacconist	Oxford ... ..	18 of 1886	Walter Gray... ..	30, New Inn Hall-street, Oxford	Auctioneer ... ..	Dec. 12, 1887
Walton, William ... ..	Islip, Oxfordshire ... ..	Farmer ... ..	Oxford ... ..	16 of 1885	John Seary ... ..	1, Queen-street, Oxford ...	Clothier ... ..	Dec. 13, 1887
Boden, George ... ..	Pond-street Station, and Grove-road, Millhouses, both in Sheffield, Yorkshire	Coal and Stone Merchant	Sheffield ... ..	13 of 1887	George Franklin ... ..	Imperial-chambers, Norfolk-row, Sheffield	Chartered Accountant	Dec. 12, 1887
Souster, George James ... ..	Barnard's Green and 2 and 3, Colonnade, Great Malvern, Worcestershire	Bookseller and Stationer	Worcester ... ..	13 of 1886	Francis Nicholls ... ..	14, Old Jewry-chambers, London, E.C.	Chartered Accountant	Dec. 12, 1887
Chapman, James ... ..	Moor Farm, Great Ouseburn, Yorkshire	Farmer ... ..	York ... ..	4 of 1887	William Morton Brewer	Borobridge ... ..	Bank Manager ... ..	Dec. 12, 1887

**NOTICE TO DEBTOR IN LIEU OF PERSONAL SERVICE OF BANKRUPTCY NOTICE AND PETITION, AND OF APPLICATION TO COMMIT FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT.**

Debtor's Name.	Debtor's Address.	Debtor's Description.	Court.	No.	Nature of Notice of which Substituted Service directed.	Date thereof.	If a Petition or Application to Commit, Date of Hearing.	Name and Description of Person giving Bankruptcy Notice, or by whom Petition is Presented, or by whom Application to Commit is being made.
Arnull, Charles ... ..	Station-road, Newmarket, Cambridgeshire	Trainer of Race Horses	Cambridge ... ..	11 of 1887	Application to commit for concealment of certain goods, forming part of bankrupt's estate, after the presentation of a Bankruptcy Petition against him, to wit:—six silver dinner-rings, four silver salt cellars, four silver candlesticks, snuffers, and snuff tray, a case containing knives and plated forks, and also a horse, with a view of preventing or delaying possession of them being taken by the Trustee, and for removal of the said horse, then being above the value of £5, after the making of the Receiving Order, without the leave of the Official Receiver or Trustee	Dec. 10, 1887 ...	Dec. 21, 1887, at 2 P.M.	Thomas Wibrow Brown, as Trustee of the property of the bankrupt

Pursuant to the Act and Rules, notices to the above effect have been received by the Board of Trade,  
**JOHN SMITH**, Inspector-General in Bankruptcy.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1883.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Winchester.

In Bankruptcy. No. 14 of 1886.

Re George and Sarah Powell, Hay-place, South Hay, Stubbs, Hoggate, Isington, and Camises Farms, all in the parish of Binsted, Hampshire, Farmers and Hop Growers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that there being in the hands of the Trustee in the above bankruptcy a surplus, estimated at £77 16s., arising from the separate estate of George Powell, one of the bankrupts, and there being no separate creditors of such bankrupt, it is the intention of such Trustee, at the expiration of ten days from the appearance of this notice in the Gazette, to transfer such surplus to the credit of the joint estate in the said bankruptcy.—Dated this 12th day of December, 1887.

J. ALFRED EGGAR, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1883.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Winchester.

In Bankruptcy. No. 14 of 1886.

Re George and Sarah Powell, Hay-place, South Hay, Stubbs, Hoggate, Isington, and Camises Farms, all in the parish of Binsted, Hampshire, Farmers and Hop Growers.

NOTICE is hereby given, that there being in the hands of the Trustee in the above bankruptcy a surplus, estimated at £89 6s. 6d., arising from the separate estate

of Sarah Powell, one of the bankrupts, and there being no separate creditors of such bankrupt, it is the intention of such Trustee, at the expiration of ten days from the appearance of this notice in the Gazette, to transfer such surplus to the credit of the joint estate in the said bankruptcy.—Dated this 12th day of December, 1887.

J. ALFRED EGGAR, Trustee.

THE estates of C. J. Rannie and Company, Drysalters, 105, Virginia-place, Glasgow, and Christopher James Rannie, Drysalter, 105, Virginia-place there, the sole Partner of said firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual, were sequestrated on the 13th day of December, 1887, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 13th day of December, 1887.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Friday, the 23rd day of December, 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 13th day of April, 1888.

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