

dicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 10th day of January, 1888.

In the Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster.—Manchester District.
In the Matter of the Nutsford Vale Bleaching and Dyeing Company Limited; and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1883; and in the Matter of the Court of Chancery of Lancaster Act, 1850, and of the Court of Chancery of Lancaster Act, 1854.

THE Vice-Chancellor has by an Order, dated the 16th day of December, 1887, appointed John Joseph Graham, of No. 77, King-street, in the city of Manchester, Chartered Accountant, to be Official Liquidator of the above-named Company.—Dated this 10th day of January, 1888.

Rummage Sale.
Red Lion and Three Cranes Wharf,
Upper Thames-Street.

London, January 10, 1888.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the Acts of Parliament for the Regulations of Legal Quays, 9th, 10th, 11th, 21st and 22nd Vic., that a Clearance Sale will be held on Wednesday, 25th January, 1888, at twelve o'clock noon, at the London Commercial Sale-rooms, Mincing-lane, when sundry goods will be put up for public auction, and the proceeds thereof applied to the payment of rates and charges due thereon, unless the said goods are cleared, and rates and charges paid before the day of sale. Catalogues can be obtained on 20th January, of Messrs. Robert Lyon and Co., Brokers, 2, St. Peter's-alley, Cornhill, E.C.

Major and Field, Bonded Wharfingers.

The Union Bank of Australia Limited.
1, Bank-Buildings, Lothbury,
London, E.C., January 10, 1888.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Special General Meeting of the Proprietors of this Bank will be held at this office, on Monday, the 30th instant, at one o'clock precisely, for the purpose of receiving the Half-yearly Report of the Directors, and of making certain alterations in and additions to the Company's Deed of Settlement,—that is to say, amending clauses 2 and 6, repealing clause 7, repealing clauses 16 and 17 and substituting others, amending clause 21, repealing clauses 33, 34, 42, 43, 53, 54, 55, and 56, and substituting others, repealing clause 58, amending clause 62, repealing clauses 63, 65, 67, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, and 75, and substituting others, amending clause 76, repealing clause 79, and substituting others, amending clauses 81 and 86, repealing clauses 93 and 97, repealing clauses 98, 106, and 109, and substituting others, amending clause 120, repealing clauses 121, 122, 124, 125, and 126, and adding certain new clauses relating to notices served upon the Proprietors. Copies of the Resolutions which it is intended to propose for this purpose will be sent to the Proprietors prior to the Meeting.

Proprietors whose names are registered in the books of the Bank on 31st December ultimo, will be entitled to the Dividend to be declared at the above meeting, in respect of the number of shares standing in their names at that date.

The Dividend Warrants will be transmitted by post as usual, with the exception of those for which Proprietors notify their intention to call.

By order of the Board,
W. R. Mewburn, Manager.

Van Diemen's Land Company.
31, Finsbury-Circus, London,
January 12, 1888.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Special General Meeting of the Van Diemen's Land Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 31, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London, on the 30th day of January, 1888, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering, and, if thought fit, of passing a resolution or resolutions authorizing the Directors of the Company to distribute the sum of £50,000 out of the surplus of the purchase money received from the Emu Bay and Mount Bischoff Railway Company Limited, after payment off of the First and Second Mortgage Debentures, and determining, pursuant to section 5 of the Van Diemen's Land Company's Act, 1877, whether such distribution shall be by way of return of capital or by way of dividend.

By order of the Board,
W. Brookes, Secretary.

Bass, Ratcliff, and Gretton Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of Bass, Ratcliff, and Gretton Limited, duly convened and held at the offices of the said Company, Burton-on-Trent, in the county of Stafford, on the 23rd day of December, 1887, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 9th day of January, 1888, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

“That it is desirable to reconstitute Bass, Ratcliff, and Gretton Limited, and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily; and that the Right Honourable Lord Burton and Richard Ratcliff, John Gretton, Robert Ratcliff, and Charles John Clay, Esqrs., be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purposes of such winding up.”
Burton, Chairman.

American Rock Drilling Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the offices of the Company, 102, Quayside, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 21st day of December, 1887, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 6th day of January, 1888, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

“That the American Rock Drilling Company Limited be wound up voluntarily; and that Mr. John Edward Davidson be appointed Liquidator.”
Wilton Allhusen, Chairman.

The Aberavon Tin Plate Co. Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at No. 5, Castle-street, Swansea, on Tuesday, the 10th day of January, 1888, 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 under the supervision of the Court; and Samuel Taylor, F.C.A., of 5, Castle-street, Swansea, Chartered Accountant, was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.”

Dated the 10th January, 1888.

R. M. Lloyd, Chairman.