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THE following Treaty, Declaration, and Protocol were signed to day:—

CONVENTION respecting the Suppression of Sugar Bounties between Great Britain, Germany, Austria-Hungary, Belgium, Spain, Italy, the Netherlands, and Russia.

Signed at London, August 30, 1888.

THE High Contracting Parties, desiring to insure by reciprocal engagements the total suppression of open or disguised bounties on the exportation of sugar, have resolved to conclude a Convention to this effect, and have named as their Plenipotentiaries:

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, the Right Honourable Robert Arthur Talbot Gascoyne Cecil, Marquis of Salisbury, Earl of Salisbury, Viscount Cranborne, Baron Cecil, Peer of the United Kingdom, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, Member of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, &c., &c.; and Baron Henry de Worms, Member of Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies, &c., &c.;

His Majesty the Emperor of Germany, King of Prussia, &c., in the name of the German Empire, the Count Hatzfeldt Wildenburg, his Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary; and M. Jaehnigen, Superior Privy Councillor of Finance and Director of the Administration of Taxes and Customs at Hanover.

His Majesty the Emperor of Austria, King of Bohemia, &c., and Apostolic King of Hungary, the Count de Kuefstein, his Chamberlain and Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary, Hereditary Member of the House of Lords of Austria, Knight of the Second Class of the Imperial Order of the Iron Crown, &c., &c.;

His Majesty the King of the Belgians, Baron Solvyns, his Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary, Grand Cross of his Order of Leopold; M. Guillaume, Director-General of Direct Taxes, Customs, and Excise in his Ministry of Finance, Grand Officer of his Order of Leopold; and M. Du Jardin, Inspector-General of Direct Taxes, Customs, and Excise in his Ministry of Finance, Officer of his Order of Leopold;

His Majesty the King of Spain, and in his name the Queen Regent of the Kingdom, M. del

Mazo, his Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, Senator of the Kingdom, Grand Cross of the Royal Order of Charles III, Grand Cross of the Order of Isabella the Catholic, &c., &c.; M. Batanero, Deputy of the Cortes of the Kingdom, Grand Cross of the Order of Isabella the Catholic, &c., &c.; and M. Dupuy de Lome, his Minister Resident, Commander of the Number of the Royal Order of Charles III;

His Majesty the King of Italy, the Count di Robilant, his Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, Grand Cross of the Order of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus, Grand Cross of the Order of the Crown of Italy, Knight Commander of the Military Order of the House of Savoy; and M. Catalani, his Councillor of Embassy, Knight Commander of the Order of the Crown of Italy, Officer of the Order of St. Maurice and St. Lazarus;

His Majesty the King of the Netherlands, the Baron Gevers, his Chargé d'Affaires *ad interim* in London; and M. William Arnold Peter Verkerk Pistorius, Knight of the Order of the Netherlands Lion, &c., &c., Director-General of Direct Taxes, Customs, and Excise in his Ministry of Finance;

His Majesty, the Emperor of All the Russias, M. Bouteneff, his Chargé d'Affaires in London, and M. Kamensky, his Real Councillor of State, Agent of his Ministry of Finance in London;

Who, having exchanged their full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed on the following Articles:—

ARTICLE I.

The High Contracting Parties engage to take such measures as shall constitute an absolute and complete guarantee that no open or disguised bounty shall be granted on the manufacture or exportation of sugar.

ARTICLE II.

The High Contracting Parties engage:—

To levy the tax on the quantities of sugar intended for consumption without granting on exportation any drawback or repayment of duties, or any writing off which can give rise to any bounty.

To this end, they engage to place in bond, under the permanent supervision both by day and by night of the Revenue authorities, sugar factories and factories which are also refineries, as well as factories for the extraction of sugar from molasses.

For this purpose, factories shall be so con-

structed as to give every guarantee against any surreptitious carrying away of sugar, and the said authorities shall have power to enter all parts of the factories.

Controlling books shall be kept on one or more of the processes of manufacture, and finished sugars shall be placed in special storehouses giving all proper guarantees of security.

As an exception to the principle mentioned in the first paragraph of this Article, repayment or writing off may be granted of the tax on sugar used in the manufacture of chocolate and other produce intended to be exported, provided no bounty is produced thereby.

ARTICLE III.

The High Contracting Parties engage to place sugar refineries under the same system as sugar factories.

Each country may nevertheless keep a refining account, as a means of control, by the system of saccharimetry or any other supplementary control, in order to prevent a bounty on exportation.

ARTICLE IV.

Her Britannic Majesty's Government agree not to impose differential duties on cane or beet sugar imported from countries, provinces beyond the seas, Colonies, or foreign possessions taking part in the Convention. As long as the Convention lasts, therefore, no higher duties shall be imposed on beet-root sugar than on cane sugar on importation into the United Kingdom or into the Colonies and foreign possessions of the British Empire taking part in the Convention. It is agreed, moreover, that sugar imported into the United Kingdom from the countries, provinces beyond the seas, Colonies, and foreign possessions taking part in the Convention shall not be subject to duties which shall not equally apply to similar sugar of national origin or manufacture.

ARTICLE V.

The High Contracting Parties and their provinces beyond the seas, Colonies, or foreign possessions which do not tax sugar, or which grant on the exportation of raw sugar, refined sugar, molasses, or glucose, neither drawback, repayment, nor writing off of duties or quantities, are absolved from abiding by the provisions of Articles II and III so long as they maintain one of these systems. In case of any change they shall adopt the system established by Articles II and III.

Russia, which levies the tax at one single rate on the whole amount manufactured, and which grants on the exportation of all kinds of sugar a repayment not exceeding such rate, is put on the same footing as the Powers specified in the preceding paragraph, so long as its present system is maintained.

ARTICLE VI.

The High Contracting Parties engage to establish a permanent International Commission charged with watching the execution of the provisions of the present Convention.

This Commission shall be composed of Delegates of the different Powers; a Permanent Bureau will be connected with it.

The Delegates shall be instructed:—

(a.) To ascertain whether the Laws, Orders, and Regulations respecting taxes on sugar are in harmony with the principles laid down in the preceding Articles, and whether in practice any open or disguised bounty is granted on the exportation of sugar, molasses, or glucose.

(b.) To pronounce an opinion on contested points ("questions litigieuses").

(c.) To consider ("d'instruire") requests for admission to the Union made by States not having taken part in the present Convention.

The Permanent Bureau shall collect, translate, arrange, and publish information of all kinds respecting legislation on and statistics of sugar, not in contracting countries only, but in all other countries as well.

In order to insure the execution of the preceding provisions, the High Contracting Parties shall transmit, through the diplomatic channel, to Her Britannic Majesty's Government, which shall forward them to the Commission, the Laws, Orders, and Regulations on the taxation of sugar which are or may be in force in their respective countries, as well as statistical information relative to the object of the present Convention.

Each of the High Contracting Parties may be represented on the Commission by a Delegate, or by a Delegate and an Assistant Delegate.

The first meeting of the Permanent Commission shall be held in London after the coming into force of the present Convention.

The Commission shall be charged with controlling and examining only. It shall draw up a Report on all questions submitted to it, and forward the same to Her Britannic Majesty's Government, which shall communicate it to the Powers interested, and, at the request of any one of the High Contracting Powers, shall convoke a Conference which shall take such decisions or measures as circumstances demand.

The expenses incurred on account of the establishment and working of the Permanent Bureau and of the Commission—excepting the salaries or expenses of the Delegates, who will be paid by their respective countries—shall be borne by all the contracting countries, and shall be divided among them in a manner to be determined by the Commission.

ARTICLE VII.

From the date of the present Convention coming into force all raw sugar, refined sugar, molasses, or glucose coming from any countries, provinces beyond the seas, Colonies, or foreign possessions maintaining the system of open or disguised bounties on the manufacture or exportation of sugar shall be excluded from the territories of the High Contracting Parties.

Any Contracting Power shall, in order to exclude from its territory raw sugar, refined sugar, molasses, or glucose that has benefited by open or disguised bounties, take the measures necessary therefor, either by prohibiting these articles altogether or by levying thereon a duty which must necessarily exceed the amount of the bounty, and which shall not be levied on sugar not bounty-fed coming from the contracting countries.

The High Contracting Parties shall concert as to the measures which the Commission may consider necessary in order to obtain these results, and to prevent bounty-fed sugar passing in transit through one of the contracting countries from enjoying any of the advantages of the Convention.

The fact of the existence in any country, province beyond the seas, Colony, or foreign possession of a system involving open or disguised bounties on raw sugar, refined sugar, molasses, or glucose shall be established by the decision of a majority of the Signatory Powers of the present Convention. In the same manner, the minimum amount of the bounties in question shall be determined.

It is agreed that privileges under the most-

favoured-nation clause existing in other Treaties shall not be pleaded with a view to evading the consequences of the application of the second paragraph of the present Article, even on the part of such signatory States as may hereafter withdraw from the Convention.

ARTICLE VIII.

States which have not taken part in the present Convention may adhere to the same on their request, provided their Laws and Regulations in the matter of sugar are in agreement with the principles of the present Convention, and have been previously submitted for the approval of the High Contracting Parties in the manner laid down in Article VI.

ARTICLE IX.

The present Convention shall be put in force from the 1st September, 1891.

It shall remain in force for ten years from that day, and in case no one of the High Contracting Parties shall have notified, twelve months before the expiration of the said period of ten years, its intention of terminating the effects thereof, it will remain in force for another year, and so on from year to year.

Each of the High Contracting Parties may, however, by denouncing the Convention twelve months beforehand, put an end to it, as regards such Power, at the expiration of the second, fourth, sixth, and eighth years of the said period of ten years.

In case one of the Signatory Powers shall denounce the Convention, such denunciation shall affect that Power only; but the other Powers are entitled, until the 31st October of the year in which denunciation takes place, to notify their intention of retiring from the 1st August of the following year.

Should more than one Power wish to retire, a Conference of the Contracting Powers shall meet in London within three months to determine what steps should be taken.

ARTICLE X.

The provisions of the present Convention shall be applied to the provinces beyond the seas, Colonies, and foreign possessions of the High Contracting Parties.

In case one of such provinces beyond the seas, Colonies, and foreign possessions of the High Contracting Parties should wish to retire separately from the Convention, a notification to that effect will be made to the Contracting Powers by the Government of the mother country, in the manner and with the consequences shown in Article IX.

ARTICLE XI.

The execution of the reciprocal engagements contained in the present Convention is, in so far as necessary, subject to the formalities and rules established by the Constitutions of each of the contracting countries.

The present Convention shall be ratified, and the ratifications exchanged in London, on the 1st August, 1890, or sooner if possible.

In witness whereof, the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the present Convention and have attached their seals thereto.

Done at London, the 30th August, 1888.

(Signed) SALISBURY.
HENRY DE WORMS.
VON HATZFELDT.
JAEHNIGEN.
KUEFSTEIN.
SOLVYNS.
GUILLAUME.

DU JARDIN.
C. DEL MAZO.
ANTO. BATANERO.
DUPUY DE LOME.
C. ROBILANT.
T. CATALANI.
W. GEVERS.
PISTORIUS.
BOUTENEFF.
G. KAMENSKY.

DECLARATION.

Declaration annexed to the Convention of August 30, 1888.

THE Plenipotentiaries assembled to sign the Convention for the suppression of export bounties on sugar have agreed to the following Declaration:—

Eight months after the signature of the Convention, to which the present Declaration is annexed, there shall meet a Special Commission, at which all the States interested may be represented, with instructions to examine the existing Laws or drafts of Laws for bringing the Convention into force. The Commission in question shall make to the British Government, which shall communicate it to the other Governments interested, a Report, showing in what particulars existing or intended legislation in one or other of the contracting countries shall, if necessary, be changed in order to bring it into harmony with the stipulations of the present Convention.

Two months at least before the Special Commission meets, the Laws put in by the different Powers, as suppressing all bounties, shall be communicated to the various signatory Governments.

In faith whereof, the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the present Declaration.

Done at London, the 30th August, 1888.

(Signed) SALISBURY.
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BOUTENEFF.
G. KAMENSKY.

PROTOCOL.

Protocol annexed to the Convention of August 30, 1888.

The Plenipotentiaries of the Powers which have signed the Convention of the 30th August, 1888, or which have taken part in the Conference, have taken act of the following Declarations:—

Declaration of Austria-Hungary.

Austria-Hungary, which has always held that a Convention for the suppression of bounties on the exportation of sugar ought to include all countries of importance as producers or consumers of sugar, gives, although this condition is not yet fulfilled, her adhesion to the present Convention, so as not to compromise the understanding to be arrived at. But, having regard to the effect which may be

caused by the abstention of one or more European countries of importance, as producers or consumers of sugar, she can give her signature only with the condition that the adhesion of these countries shall be secured at the moment of the Convention coming into operation, and she reserves, in default of this adhesion, the right to examine and decide whether she is or is not able to put the Convention into execution at the time indicated in Article IX.

(Signed) KUEFSTEIN.

Declaration of the Brazilian Government.

The Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of Brazil in London makes the following Declaration in the name of his Government:—

“The Government of Brazil adheres in principle to the Convention, while reserving the right to adhere formally thereto after its final adoption by the Signatory Powers.”

(Signed) PENEDO.

Declaration of the Danish Government.

The Danish Plenipotentiary makes the following Declaration in the name of his Government:—

“The King's Government adheres to all the provisions of the Convention, as finally adopted on the 28th August, 1888, with the exception of Article VII, the terms of which would not be in agreement with the obligations undertaken in our existing Treaties. The King's Government reserves the right to adhere thereto later, under Article VIII.”

(Signed) BARNER.

Declaration of the French Government.

The French Plenipotentiary makes the following Declaration in the name of his Government:—

“The Government of the French Republic adheres in principle to the Convention of the 30th August, 1888, respecting the suppression of bounties, and reserves the right of adhering to it definitively in accordance with Article VIII, after the adhesion of all the countries producing raw or refined sugar, and after communication to it of the Laws by which it is intended to afford complete and absolute security against the granting of any open or disguised bounty on the manufacture or export of sugar.”

(Signed) WADDINGTON.

Declaration of the Swedish Government.

The British Plenipotentiaries are authorized to make the following Declaration:—

“The Swedish Government, whilst reserving the right to adhere to the Convention later, does not think it right at this moment to depart from the attitude of reserve which it has observed hitherto.”

(Signed) SALISBURY.
HENRY DE WORMS.

Declaration of the Egyptian Government.

The British Plenipotentiaries declare further that the Egyptian Government has expressed the intention of adhering to the Convention.

(Signed) SALISBURY.
HENRY DE WORMS.

Done at London, the 30th August, 1888.

(Signed) SALISBURY.
HENRY DE WORMS.
VON HATZFELDT.
JAEHNIGEN.
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(PLEURO-PNEUMONIA.)

AT the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 29th day of August, 1888.

By Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

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

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

2. This Order shall take effect from and immediately after the thirty-first day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

Herbert M. Suft.

SCHEDULE.

An Area in the parish of St. Leonard, in the Eastern Division of the county of Sussex, comprised within the following boundaries, that is to say, The Haven from Sheep Wash Bridge on the Hastings and Bexhill-road to the Horse Bridge over the said Haven leading from Wilting Farm to Pebsham, continuing from the Horse Bridge in a straight line to Wilting Railway Bridge, from thence by the Railway from Battle to Hastings to Filsham Bridge over the said Railway, and thence by the road leading from Hollington to Bulverhythe as far as the said Sheep Wash Bridge.

(PLEURO-PNEUMONIA.)

AT the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 31st day of August, 1888.

By Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

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

1. The following Area (namely),—the whole of Hewick Farm, situate in the township of Copt Hewick, and the whole of Sharow Farm situate in the township of Sharow, both in the West Riding

of the county of York, and in the occupation of the Reverend Samuel Hopper Powell,—which was declared by Order of Council to be an Area infected with pleuro-pneumonia, is hereby declared to be free from pleuro-pneumonia, and that Area shall, as from the commencement of this Order, cease to be an Area infected with pleuro-pneumonia.

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

Herbert M. Suft.

Foreign Office, August 30, 1888.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Hermann Hagens as Consul for the Town and Port of Bassein, including Diamond Island, to reside at Bassein, for the German Empire.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. William Henry Simms as Consul for the Province of Canterbury and County of Westland, New Zealand, to reside at Christchurch, for the German Empire.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. J. L. Bowes as Consul at Liverpool for His Imperial Majesty the Mikado.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. William T. Walthall as Consul at Demerara for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Peter Philip Guiton as Vice-Consul at Jersey for His Majesty the Emperor of Austria.

*Education Department, Whitehall,
August 30, 1888.*

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

Houghton and Wyton... .. Hunts

(S. 1861).

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),
Whitehall Gardens, August 30, 1888.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, copy of a recent Decree made by the President of the French Republic, prescribing regulations to be observed by foreign fishing vessels when in the territorial waters of France and Algeria. The following is a translation of such Decree:—

THE President of the French Republic, on the report of the Minister of Marine and Colonies,

In view of the Law of the 1st March, 1888, prohibiting foreigners from fishing in the territorial waters of France and Algeria;

In view of the opinion of the Council of Admiralty, under date of 12th June, 1888;

The Council of State having been heard, decrees:—

ART. 1. Independently of the general prescriptions which may be enacted as regards the traffic within French territorial waters, foreign sailing or steam boats furnished with fishing implements are, under the penalties provided by Article 11 of the law of 1st March, 1888, subjected to the following rules, when within the limits fixed by Article 1 of the law and by the decrees issued in pursuance of that Article.

ART. 2. They must carry marks (name, numbers, or letters) which will enable their identity to be recognised from without.

Such marks may not be either covered, effaced, or altered.

ART. 3 They must be provided with official papers issued by the proper authorities of their own country, attesting their nationality, verifying their exterior marks, and giving the names of their owners, and of their captains or masters.

These papers must be exhibited on the first request of the authorities designated by Article 4 of the law of 1st March, 1888.

ART. 4. During their stay in territorial waters, they must hoist at the mast head a blue flag at least 65 centimetres (2 feet 2 inches) high by 97 centimetres (3 feet 3 inches) long.

By night they are required to carry such lights as are in accordance with regulation for French boats.

ART. 5. Foreign fishing boats are forbidden to impede the navigation at the entrances of ports and roadsteads, as well as the practice and manœuvres of vessels of war, the public service, or the fishing operations of French boats.

Consequently, they are required to comply with any direction to withdraw which may be given to them by the French authorities.

ART. 6. The Minister of Marine and Colonies is charged with the execution of the present decree, which shall be published in the "Journal Officiel," and inserted in the "Bulletin des Lois" and the "Bulletin Officiel of the Marine."

Made at Fontainebleau, the 19th August, 1888.

CARNOT.

By the President of the Republic,
KRANTZ,
Minister of Marine and Colonies.

Admiralty, 28th August, 1888.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Colonel-Commandant Ardley Henry Falwasser Barnes to be Major-General, vice Jones, to Supernumerary List, on appointment as Deputy Adjutant-General, Royal Marines. Dated 29th August, 1888.

Admiralty, 29th August, 1888.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 1st April, 1881—Fleet Surgeon George Henry Madeley has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Admiralty, 30th August, 1888.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 22nd February, 1870, and 30th April, 1877—

Fleet Engineer William Giles has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank, at his own request.

India Office, 31st August, 1888.

THE Queen has approved of the following Admissions to the Indian Medical Service:—

To be Surgeons. Dated 31st March, 1888:—

BENGAL.

Daniel Grove Marshall.
David Macbeth Moir.
Harry Frederick Whitchurch.
James Reid Roberts.
Frederick William Gee.
Kanta Prasad.
Patrick Wilkins O'Gorman.
William Henry Gray.
George Thomas Mould.

MADRAS.

Allan Ewen Grant.
Frank Charles Pereira.

BOMBAY.

James Graham Hojel.
Henry Charles Lefler Arnim.
George Sloane Thomson.

ERRATUM.

The first Christian name of Surgeon C. E. L. Gilbert, Bengal Medical Service, is *Clarence*, and not as shown in the London Gazette of 6th March, 1888.

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 each of the Warrants of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, dated respectively the 22nd day of August, 1885, and the 17th day of June, 1886, as relates to the transmission of Parcels by post between the United Kingdom and the Straits Settlements and Hong Kong.

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 Straits Settlements and Hong Kong.

Rates of Postage.

4. On all Parcels transmitted by post under this Warrant between the United Kingdom and the Straits Settlements, there shall be charged and paid the following rates of postage, that is to say:—

On every Parcel not exceeding one pound in weight ninepence (or the equivalent thereof for the time being in the currency of the Straits Settlements).

On every Parcel exceeding one pound and not exceeding eleven pounds in weight for the first pound nine pence (or such equivalent as aforesaid), and for every additional pound or fraction of a pound in weight six pence (or such equivalent as aforesaid).

5. On all Parcels transmitted by post under this Warrant between the United Kingdom and Hong Kong, there shall be charged and paid the following rates of postage, that is to say:—

On every Parcel not exceeding one pound in weight ten pence (or the equivalent thereof for the time being in the currency of Hong Kong).

On every Parcel exceeding one pound and not exceeding eleven pounds in weight for the first pound ten pence (or such equivalent as aforesaid), and for every additional pound or

fraction of a pound in weight six pence (or such equivalent as aforesaid).

Maximum Dimensions and Weight.

6. Except by permission of the Postmaster-General no Parcel, the dimensions of which shall exceed in length three feet six inches, or in length and girth measured together six feet (such girth being measured round the thickest part of such parcel), or which shall exceed eleven pounds in weight, shall be conveyed or tendered for conveyance by post under this Warrant.

Prepayment.

7. The postage chargeable according to the rates hereinbefore respectively 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.

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 respective 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 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.

11. 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.

12. 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.

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.) Notice shall be given to the sender through the Post Office of the colony in 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 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.
- (3.) 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.
- (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.

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 either of the said Colonies 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 any article or thing not authorized by the customs or other laws of either of the said Colonies.
- (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. 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.

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 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.

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, 1892."

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.

Commencement of Warrant.

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

Dated this twenty-fifth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

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:—

Interpretation Clause.

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 "Danish West Indies" means and includes the following places, viz.:—St. Croix, St. John, and St. Thomas.

(3.) The expression "British West Indies" means and includes the following Colonies, viz.:—Barbados, British Guiana, Grenada, Jamaica, Leeward Islands, St. Lucia, St. Vincent, Tobago, and Trinidad.

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 Danish West Indies and the British West Indies.

Rates of Postage.

3. On all Parcels transmitted by Post under this Warrant, from the British West Indies to the Danish West Indies there shall be charged and paid the following rates of postage (that is to say):—

On every Parcel not exceeding two pounds in weight one shilling.

On every Parcel exceeding two pounds and not exceeding seven pounds in weight, one shilling and sixpence.

And on every parcel exceeding seven pounds and not exceeding eleven pounds in weight, two shillings and four pence.

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 the Danish West Indies and the British West Indies respectively so far as such provisions are applicable.

Commencement of Warrant.

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

Dated this twenty-eighth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight.

*Herbert Eustace Maxwell,
Sidney Herbert,*

Two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

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

Civil Service Commission, August 29, 1888.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that at an Open Competitive Examination for Boy Clerkships in the Lower Division of the Civil Service, held on the 12th and 13th July, 1888, notice of which Examination was given in the London Gazette of the 25th May, 1888, the undermentioned Candidates obtained the first sixty-three places:—

No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.
1	Hogg, Walter ...	Edinburgh
2	Page, Charles James ...	London
3	Burnett, John ...	Aberdeen
4	Clarke, Frederick Thomas	London
5	Robb, George ...	Aberdeen
6	Smart, Joseph Walter ...	London
7	Douglas, Alfred ...	Edinburgh

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No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.
8	Garden, James ...	Aberdeen
9	McGillivray, James Angus	Aberdeen
10	Dawes, James Maitland ..	London
11	Golding, George Wash- ington	London
12	Sweeny, Charles Frederick	Dublin
13	Robertson, Alexander ...	Edinburgh
14	Twort, Walter George ...	London
15	Gates, Charles Joseph ...	London
16	Alcock, Alfred Charles ..	London
17	Smith, Cyril ...	London
18	Arnold, William Pierson	London
19	Gowar, Herbert Meaden...	London
20	Pool, Augustus Frank ...	London
21	Howie, William ...	Edinburgh
22	Findlay, William...	Aberdeen
23	Winyard, Richard Charles	London
24	Geyer, Frederick Charles Adolphus	London
25	Aldridge, Samuel ...	London
26	Turner, Samuel Edgar ...	London
27	Ellercamp, Harvey Leonard	London
28	Thornley, Reginald Ernest	London
29	Kelly, Frederick Richard	London
30	Scott, Samuel Willie ...	London
31	Coucher, Frank ...	London
32	Plaisted, Joseph Selwyn ...	London
33	Hill, John ...	London
34	Sheriff, George Lister ...	London
35	Spanton, Ernest Frederick	London
36	Bailey, Joseph Mallinson	London
37	Beard, Joseph James ...	London
38	Wildish, Ernest Alexander	London
39	Wheeler, Edgar Charles Frohawk	London
40	Lee, Edwin ...	London
41	Witting, Frank ...	London
42	Crouch, Robert William	London
43	Gillett, Frank ...	London
44	Barnes, Shirley George ...	London
45	Hancock, Arthur Frederick	London
46	Palmer, Percy ...	London
47	Fullerton, Alfred Victor	London
48	Godfrey, George Edward	London
49	Dixon, Joseph George ...	London
50	Cook, William Frederick	London
51	Tombleson, Frederick Binns	London
52	Morris, Robert Oliver ...	London
53	Nicholson, John ...	Edinburgh
54	Watson, Alfred Edward...	London
55	Hobbs, Thomas Henry ...	London
56	Jones, Richard Edward Palmer	London
57	Taylor, Arthur Thomas ...	London
58	Murphy, Frederick ...	London
59	Gower, Walter ...	London
60	Maloney, Patrick Joseph	Dublin
61	Culpin, Herbert Miall ...	London
62	Jeffreys, William Rees ...	London
63	Moir, Edward George ...	London

Civil Service Commission, August 31, 1888.

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

August 27, 1888.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Telegraph Learner, London,
Florence Jane Bishop.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Elizabeth Frances Cobb (Henley-on-Thames), Adie Agnes Ellis (Liverpool), Walter Hanson (Kettering), Maggie Lyall (Dingwall), Herbert Ernest Frederic Raistrick (Huddersfield), Arthur Harry Walter Southgate (Ipswich).

Postmen, Thomas Henry Archer (Dartford), Thomas Fairfax (Malvern), William Ferris, otherwise William Townsend (Wantage), William Robert Freeston (Hastings), Henry Jones (Ormskirk), Francis Herbert Layton (Hastings), Henry Donkin Owen (Hastings), Ernest James Porter (Cambridge), Andrew Shearer (Glasgow).

August 28, 1888.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Telegraph Learner, London, George Foster.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Postman, London, William Thomas Culver.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, John Buckland (Taunton), Louisa Horne (Witney), Charles Worsley Nash (Brighton).

Postmen, Frederick Bridgeland (Hastings), John Doyle (Chester), James Alexander McGregor (Aberfeldy), Henry Joseph Pope (Hastings), James Starling (Wickham Market).

August 29, 1888.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Consular Service: Vice-Consul, Volo, Augustus Alfred Cornwallis Eliot Merlin.

Customs: Boatman, Liverpool, William Joseph Crothers.

Inland Revenue: Preventive Man, Alexander Mackenzie.

Public Record Office, England: Workman, John Thompson Banyard.

Post Office: Skilled Lineman, Joseph Williams.

Sorter, London, Charles Ernest James Wheeler.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, George William Fleming (Bury, Lancashire), George Green (Northampton).

Postmen, Thomas William Berrington (Bedford), George William Cork (Hastings), Peter Ferbrache (Guernsey), William Openshaw (Bolton), Charles Frederick Victor Pomphrey (Hastings), Charles Price (Hastings), Edward Redman (Hastings), John Richard Dewar Sherry (Glasgow), Charles Thompson (Bedford), James Henry Vinson (Barnet), Samuel Wilkins (Bedford).

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYIST.
Isaac Rees Davies.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 249 of the year 1888.)

BALTIC ENTRANCE.—GREAT BELT.

(1.) *Shoals Westward and Southward of As Ness, Siælland.*

THE Danish Government has given notice, dated 8th August, 1888, of the existence of the following shoals westward of As Ness, western coast of Siælland:—

(1.) A shoal of small extent, composed of stones, with a depth of 18 feet, is situated with As Ness Perch Beacon bearing N. 75° E., distant 5½ cables, and Reef Ness Lighthouse N. 11° E.

Position, lat. 55° 39' N., long. 10° 52' 30" E.

(2.) A shoal of small extent, composed of

stones, with a depth of 20 feet, is situated with As Ness Perch Beacon bearing N. 43° E., distant 2¼ cables, and Reef Ness Lighthouse N. 7° E.

Position, lat. 55° 39' N., long. 10° 53' E.

(3.) A depth of 4 fathoms has been found on the shoal marked 4¼ on the chart, situated with As Ness Perch Beacon bearing N. 70° E., distant 1½ miles, and Reef Ness Lighthouse N. 18° E.

Position, lat. 55° 38' 30" N., long. 10° 51' 30" E.

Also, has given notice, dated 15th August, 1888, of the existence of a rock about 1¼ miles north-eastward of Elephant Ground, southward of As Ness:—

(4.) This rock is steep to with a depth of 19 feet over it, and is situated with Romsø Lighthouse bearing S. 75° W., distant 6 miles, and Ryggen Perch Beacon N. 49° W.

Position, lat. 55° 33' 30" N., long. 10° 57' 15" E.

[The bearings are magnetic. Variation 12° Westerly in 1888].

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,

21st August, 1888.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Baltic Sea, No. 2842a (1-4); Great and Little Belts, No. 2116 (1-4); the Kattegat, No. 2114 (1, 2, 3); entrance to the Great and Little Belts, No. 2229 (1, 2, 3). Also, Danish Pilot, 1885, pages 177, 178, 181.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 250 of the year 1888.)

SCOTLAND, WEST COAST; AND ORKNEYS.

Alterations in Certain Buoys and Beacons.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 151 of 30th May, 1888, on intended alterations in the course of the summer of 1888, in the under-mentioned buoys; and alterations in the colour of the undermentioned beacons, on the west coast of Scotland, and in the Orkneys, in accordance with the Uniform System of Buoyage, 1883:—

Further information has been received from the Commissioners of Northern Lighthouses, dated 13th August, 1888, that the alterations have been carried out:—

Buoys.

1. Easdale Sound, North Rock Buoy.—Is a can buoy, painted black.

2. Easdale Sound, South Entrance Buoy.—Is a can buoy, painted black.

3. Kerrera Sound—Ferry Rock Buoy.—Is a spherical buoy, painted red and white in horizontal stripes, and surmounted with iron staff and St. George's Cross.

4. Kerrera Sound, Middle Bank Buoy.—Is a conical buoy, painted red.

5. Raasay Sound, McMillan Rock Buoy.—Is a spherical buoy, painted red and white in horizontal stripes, and surmounted with iron staff and St. George's Cross.

6. Orkneys, Hoy Sound, Barr Rock Buoy.—Is a conical buoy, painted red.

Beacons.

7. Easdale Sound, North and South Rocks Beacons.—Are coloured red.

8. Easdale Sound, Middle Rock Beacon.—Is coloured black.

9. Little Minch, Sgeir Graitich Beacon.—Is coloured red.

10. Little Minch, Sgeir na Mule Beacon.—Is coloured black.

11. Orkneys, Hoy Sound, Stromness Skerry Beacon.—Is coloured black.

12. Orkneys, Pentland Firth, Stromá Skerries Beacon, and Lother Beacon.—Are coloured black.

By command of their Lordships,
W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
22nd August, 1888.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Firth of Lorn, with plans of Easdale Sound and part of Kerrera Sound, No. 2476 (1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8); Isle of Syke, with adjacent sounds and locks, No. 2551 (5, 10); Sound of Raasay, No. 2498 (5); southern portion of Orkney Islands, No. 2180b (6, 11, 12); Hoy Sound, No. 2568 (6, 11); Scotland, west coast, No. 2635 (9, 10); Arduamurchan to Summer Isles, No. 2475 (9, 10); Scotland, north coast, with plans of Hoy Sound and Pentland Firth, No. 2397b (6, 11, 12); Ord of Caithness to Thurso Bay, No. 2181 (6, 11, 12); Pentland Firth, No. 2162 (12). Also, Sailing Directions for West Coast of Scotland, Part II, 1886, pages 220, 213, 39, 97, 98; North Sea Pilot, Part I, 1887, pages 183, 188, 209; and North Sea Pilot, Part II, 1885, pages 33, 39.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 251 of the year 1888.)

NORTH SEA.—JUTLAND—WEST COAST.

(1.) *Liimfiord—Alterations in Tidal Signals at Thybo Rön Beacon.*

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 129 of 14th May, 1888, on tidal signals shown from Thybo Rön Beacon, southern side of Rön Channel, entrance to Liimfiord:—

The Danish Government has given notice, dated 8th August, 1888, that on 15th August, 1888, and until the pilot and light-vessel is withdrawn, the following tidal signals will be shown from Thybo Rön Beacons:—

A red flag is hoisted on the low beacon as soon as the flood stream begins to run into Rön Channel, usually about 3 hours before high water, and is shown as long as the stream is running into that channel.

A frame hoisted on the yard indicates a depth of 5 feet on the bar; each additional foot being indicated by an additional frame, and each half-foot by a frame hoisted half way up; five frames indicate a depth of 9 feet and upwards on the bar.

DENMARK.

(2.) *Pilot Signals.*

Also, has given notice, that on 1st July, 1888, the following Code of Pilot Signals came into operation in Danish waters:—

Commanders of vessels desiring to call a pilot, must make the following signals, either separately or together:—

By day:—1. The Jack or other national flag usually worn by merchant vessels, with a white border one-fifth the breadth of the flag, hoisted at the fore.

(2.) The signal P.T. (Want a Pilot), of the International Code of Signals.

By night:—(1.) A blue light shown every 15 minutes.

(2.) A white flashing light, shown at short or frequent intervals above the bulwarks for about a minute at a time.

By command of their Lordships,
W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
22nd August, 1888.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Liimfiord, No. 2325 (1). Also, North

Sea Pilot, Part IV, 1887, page 293; and Danish Pilot, 1885.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 252 of the year 1888.)

WEST INDIES.

TRINIDAD ISLAND—EAST COAST.

Shoal reported North-eastward of Mayaro Point.

INFORMATION has been received that the Commander of the British steam-vessel "New York City" reports the existence of a shoal, on which that vessel struck on 8th April, 1888, situated with the north-eastern extreme of Mayaro Point bearing about S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ W., distant about two miles.

Position, lat. $10^{\circ} 21' 30''$ N., long. $60^{\circ} 56' W.$
[The bearing is magnetic. Variation $1\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ Easterly in 1888.]

By command of their Lordships,
W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
22nd August, 1888.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—West India Islands and Caribbean Sea, sheet II, No. 762; Trinidad Island, eastern portion, No. 483b. Also, West India Pilot, Vol. I, 1883, page 104.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 253 of the year 1888.)

UNITED STATES—EAST COAST.—NARRAGANSETT BAY.

Shoals in Entrance to Western Passage and Sakonnet Channel, and Depth on Tennessee Rock.

THE United States Government has given notice, dated 31st July, 1888, of the existence of the undermentioned shoals, found in the entrance to Western passage and Sakonnet Channel during a recent survey of the entrances to Narragansett Bay:—

(1.) A shoal with a depth of 14 feet is situated on the western side of the entrance to Western passage, with Whale Rock Lighthouse bearing N.E. by E. $\frac{1}{4}$ E., distant $8\frac{1}{2}$ cables, and Bass Rock N. by W.

Position, lat. $41^{\circ} 26' 10''$ N., long. $71^{\circ} 26' 25'' W.$

(2.) A depth of 18 feet was found off Coggeshall Ledge, south-eastern point of the Neck, Rhode Island.

(3.) A shoal with a depth of 10 feet is situated north-eastward of Sachuest Neck on the western side of Sakonnet Channel, with Flint Point bearing S.W. $\frac{3}{4}$ S., distant $4\frac{1}{2}$ cables, and Wood Castle N.W. $\frac{3}{4}$ N.

Position, lat. $41^{\circ} 29' 30''$ N., long. $71^{\circ} 14' W.$

(4.) Also, that a depth of 17 feet has been found on Tennessee Rock, south-eastward of Brenton Point, southern point of Rhode Island.

Position, lat. $41^{\circ} 26' 10''$ N., long. $71^{\circ} 20' 50'' W.$
[The bearings are magnetic. Variation $10\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ Westerly in 1888.]

By command of their Lordships,
W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
23rd August, 1888.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Bay of Fundy to Block Island, No. 5492; Nantucket Shoals to Block Island, No. 2890; Narragansett Bay, No. 2892. Also, Sailing Directions for the East Coast of the United States, 1882, pages 92–94; and Hydrographic Notice, No. 7 of 1888, on principal ports on the East Coast of the United States, page 14.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 254 of the year 1888.)

NOVA SCOTIA.—SOUTH-EAST COAST.—RUGGED ISLAND HARBOUR APPROACH.

(1.) *Automatic Signal Buoy South-eastward of Gull Rock Lighthouse.*

THE Canadian Government has given notice, dated 27th June, 1888, that an automatic signal buoy has been placed south-eastward of Gull Rock Lighthouse, approach to Rugged Island Harbour, south-east coast of Nova Scotia:—

This buoy is an automatic whistle buoy, painted red, with the letter **L** in white on it; it is situated with Gull Rock Lighthouse bearing N.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ N., distant $3\frac{1}{2}$ miles, and eastern extreme of Ram Island N. by E. $\frac{3}{4}$ E.

Position, lat. $43^{\circ} 37' 30''$ N., long. $65^{\circ} 1' 45''$ W.

NOTE.—From this buoy a N.N.W. course leads nearly midway between Blow Breaker and the $4\frac{1}{2}$ fathom patch south-westward of it, thence to the southern end of Cranberry Island, which can be approached with comparative safety, with the careful use of the lead, in foggy weather.

BAY OF FUNDY.—WESTERN SHORE.

(2.) *Fixed Beacon Light—Northern Side of Dipper Harbour Entrance.*

Also, dated 13th July, 1888, that on 1st July, 1888, a beacon light was exhibited from a lighthouse recently erected on an islet on the northern side of the entrance to Dipper Harbour, western shore of Bay of Fundy,

The light is a fixed white light, visible between the bearings of N.W. and N. by E.; it is elevated 30 feet above high water, and should be seen in clear weather from a distance of 6 miles.

The lighthouse is square in shape, with a red roof.

Position, lat. $45^{\circ} 5' 30''$ N., long. $66^{\circ} 25'$ W.

[The bearings are magnetic, and are given from seaward.

Variation (1), $18\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$, (2) $20\frac{1}{4}^{\circ}$ Westerly in 1888.]

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,

23rd August, 1888.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Halifax to Delaware, No. 2670 (1, 2); Cape Sable to Sambro Island, No. 730 (1); Baccaro Point to Ram Island, No. 340 (1); Bay of Fundy, sheet I, No. 352 (2). Also, Admiralty List of Lights on the Eastern Coasts of North America, 1888, page 58; and Sailing Directions for the S.E. Coast of Nova Scotia and Bay of Fundy, 1885, pages 143, 146, 224.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 255 of the year 1888.)

MEDITERRANEAN.—CORSICA.—EAST COAST.

Bastia.—Extension of Mole in Course of Construction at Port St. Nicolas.

INFORMATION has been received through the Board of Trade, dated 10th August, 1888, that the mole of Port St. Nicolas, Bastia, eastern coast of Corsica, is now partially lengthened for a distance of about 300 feet beyond the lighthouse (exhibiting a red light), which previously marked the extremity of this mole.

Vessels entering Port St. Nicolas should therefore give the lighthouse on this mole a good berth.

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer,

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,

22nd August, 1888.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Ports and anchorages in Corsica, with plan of Bastia, No. 1126. Also Mediterranean

Pilot, Vol. II, 1885, pages 123, 124; and Hydrographic Notice, No. 13 of 1886, Mediterranean Pilot, Vol. II, page 3.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 256 of the year 1888.)

UNITED STATES.—EAST COAST.

MOUNT DESERT ISLAND.—EAST COAST.

(1.) *Temporary Automatic Signal Buoy Southward of Egg Rock Lighthouse.*

THE United States Government has given notice, dated 6th August, 1888, that an automatic signal buoy has been placed, for the summer, southward of Egg Rock, entrance to Frenchman Bay, eastern side of Mount Desert Island:—

This buoy is an automatic whistle buoy, painted black, with E. R. on it in large white letters. It is moored in 16 fathoms with Egg Rock Lighthouse bearing N.N.E. $\frac{1}{2}$ E., distant one mile, and Shoodic Point E.S.E.

Position, lat. $44^{\circ} 20' 15''$ N., long. $68^{\circ} 8' 40''$ W.

LONG ISLAND SOUND.—NEW HAVEN HARBOUR.

(2.) *Alteration in Fog Signal at South-west Ledge Lighthouse.*

Also, that on August 20th, 1888, the following alteration would be made in the fog signal at South-west Ledge Lighthouse, entrance to New Haven Harbour, northern shore of Long Island Sound:—

The signal is a Daboll trumpet, which during thick or foggy weather will give blasts of six seconds' duration during intervals of thirty seconds. Should the trumpet be disabled, a bell will be sounded by machinery once every fifteen seconds.

Position, lat. $41^{\circ} 13' 55''$ N., long. $72^{\circ} 54' 40''$ W.

FLORIDA.—CUMBERLAND SOUND.

(3.) *Automatic Signal Buoy Eastward of the Bar, and withdrawal of Can Buoy.*

Also, that on or about August 15th, 1888, an automatic signal buoy would be placed about one mile eastward of the bar, entrance to Cumberland Sound:—

This buoy is an automatic whistle buoy, painted black, with the letter **F** on it; moored in $6\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms with Amelia Island Lighthouse bearing S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ W., distant $4\frac{3}{10}$ miles, and southern point of Cumberland Island W. $\frac{1}{8}$ S.

Position, lat. $30^{\circ} 43' 10''$ N., long. $81^{\circ} 22' 30''$ W.

The can buoy, painted black and white in vertical stripes, hitherto moored about half a mile westward of the above position, has been withdrawn.

[The bearings are magnetic. Variation 1, 17° , 2, 9° Westerly; 3, 2° Easterly in 1888.]

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,

25th August, 1888.

This Notice affects (1) temporarily, the following Admiralty Charts:—Halifax to Delaware, No. 2670 (1, 2); Gouldsborough Bay to Little Spoon Island, &c., No. 903 (1); Block Island to Great Egg Harbour, No. 2480 (2); Long Island Sound, western part, No. 2755 (2); New Haven Harbour, &c, No. 2479 (2); St. Andrew Sound to St. John River, No. 853 (3); Sapelo Sound to Little Bahama Bank, No. 269 (3). Also, Admiralty List of Lights on the eastern coasts of North America, 1888, No. 673; Sailing Directions for the principal ports on the east coast of the United States, 1882, pages 16, 106, 201; and, Hydrographic Notice, No. 7 of 1888, on the east coast of the United States, page 29.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 257 of the year 1888.)

BALTIC—SWEDISH COAST.—KALMAR SOUND.
Oscarshamm—Flashing White and Red Lights on
Homhällan and Ovädersudden.

THE Swedish Government has given notice, dated 15th August, 1888, that on 22nd August, 1888, a light would be exhibited from a lighthouse (Grimskallon) recently erected on Homhällan, northern side of entrance to Oscarshamm, Kalmar Sound:—

The light is a flashing white and red light, showing white flashes over an arc of 3° , or between the bearings of N. $80\frac{1}{2}^\circ$ W. and N. $77\frac{1}{2}^\circ$ W.; and red flashes over an arc of $20\frac{1}{2}^\circ$, or between the bearings of N. $77\frac{1}{2}^\circ$ W. and N. 57° W. It is elevated 23 feet above the sea, and in clear weather the white light should be visible 10 miles, the red light 6 miles.

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

The lighthouse, painted white, is 15 feet high.

Position, lat. $57^\circ 16' 25''$ N., long. $16^\circ 29' 5''$ E.

Also, that on the same date a light would be exhibited from a lighthouse recently erected on Ovädersudden, southern side of entrance to Oscarshamm:—

The light is a flashing white and red light, showing white flashes over an arc of 4° , or between the bearings of S. 61° W. and S. 65° W.; and red flashes over an arc of 13° , or between the bearings of S. 65° W. and S. 78° W. It is elevated 11 feet above the sea, and in clear weather the white light should be visible 6 miles, the red light 4 miles.

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

Position, lat. $57^\circ 15' 54''$ N., long. $16^\circ 28' 35''$ E.

NOTE.—Entering Oscarshamm at night, vessels should keep in the sector of white flashing light shown from the lighthouse on Homhällan, until the sector of white flashing light shown from Ovädersudden Lighthouse is entered, after which vessels should keep in that sector of light until abreast Klubb Beacon.

[The bearings are magnetic, and are given from seaward. Variation, $8\frac{1}{2}^\circ$ Westerly in 1888.]

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
25th August, 1888.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Kalmar Sound and Oland Island, No. 2251; ports on the east coast of Sweden, with plan of Oscarshamm, No. 2377. Also, Admiralty List of Lights on the eastern shores of the North Sea, 1888, page 220; and Baltic Sea and Gulf of Finland, 1854, page 33.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 258 of the year 1888.)

CHINA—EAST COAST.—PE-CHILI STRAIT.

Port Arthur—Fixed Light in Inner Harbour.

INFORMATION has been received, that on 1st January, 1888, a light was exhibited from a lighthouse erected on the point southward of the Knoll, Inner Harbour of Port Arthur, northern shore of Pe-Chili Strait:—

The light is a fixed white light, elevated 103 feet above the sea, and should be visible in clear weather from a distance of 10 miles.

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

The lighthouse, painted in black and white horizontal bands, is 24 feet high.

Position, lat. $38^\circ 47' 50''$ N., long. $121^\circ 15' 30''$ E.

NOTE.—The depth in the passage over the bar is 25 feet. The bank at the northern extreme of Tigers Tail, the spit on the west side of Port Arthur, has been dredged to a depth of 25 feet; and it is intended to dredge the Inner Harbour, which is at present 25 feet deep, to a depth of 29 feet.

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
25th August, 1888.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Hong Kong to Liao-tung Gulf, No. 1262; Pe-Chili and Liao-tung Gulfs, No. 1256; Pe-Chili Strait and Hope Sound, with plan of Port Arthur, No. 1392. Also, Admiralty List of Lights in South Africa, &c., 1888, page 100; and, China Sea Directory, Vol. III, 1884, page 602.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 259 of the year 1888.)

SCOTLAND—EAST COAST.—MONTROSE HARBOUR.
(1) Amended Particulars of Occasional Beacon
Leading Lights South-Eastward of Rossie Island.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 239 of 14th August, 1888, on the exhibition of green leading lights when vessels are expected to enter the harbour at night, from beacons erected near Rossie Island, Montrose Harbour, River South Esk:—

The following information, relative to the positions of the above beacons, has been received from Lieutenant W. J. W. Barnard, R.N., Inspecting Officer of Montrose Coast Guard Division:—

The front beacon is situated with the eastern point of Rossie Island bearing N.W., distant 100 yards, and Panmure Barracks flagstaff E. by N. $\frac{3}{8}$ N.

The rear beacon bears W. by N. Nly, distant 330 yards from the front beacon.

Position, front beacon, lat. $56^\circ 42' 5''$ N, long. $2^\circ 28' 6''$ W.

NOTE.—These beacons or lights in line, bearing W. by N. Nly, lead up the harbour, from the bar to nearly as far as the mooring buoys off the dock.

IRELAND—EAST COAST.—WEXFORD HARBOUR
APPROACH.

(2) South Shear—Alterations in Buoyage.

THE Commissioners of Irish Lighthouses have given notice, dated 14th August, 1888, that, resulting from an examination by Staff Commander W. E. Archdeacon, R.N., in charge of Admiralty Survey; the following alterations have been made in the positions of the undermentioned buoys, owing to the extension in a southerly direction of Long Bank, northern side of South Shear, southern approach to Wexford Harbour:—

South Long Bank Buoy has been moved $2\frac{1}{2}$ cables S. by W., and is now moored in 6 fathoms, with the following bearings and distance:—

Greenmore Point Windmill, W. $\frac{3}{4}$ S., distant $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles.

Tuskar Rock Lighthouse, S.S.E., Ely.

Holdens Bed Buoy has been moved $2\frac{1}{2}$ cables S. 6° W., and is now moored in $7\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms, with the following bearings and distance:—

Greenore Point Windmill, S.W. $\frac{3}{8}$ S., Sly., distant nearly $1\frac{3}{4}$ miles.

Rosslare Cliff Lighthouse, W. by N. $\frac{3}{4}$ N.

NOTE.—Vessels entering South Bay at night by South Shear, should keep Rosslare Cliff light just open southward of Rosslare Pier permanent light, bearing N.W. by W. $\frac{1}{2}$ W., to clear the South Long Bank Buoy.

[The bearings are magnetic. Variation (1) 20° ; (2) $21\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ Westerly in 1888].

By command of their Lordships,
W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer,
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
27th August, 1888.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Scotland, north and east coasts, south sheet, with plan of Montrose, No. 2397a (1); Eyemouth to the Tay, No. 1407 (1); Montrose Harbour, No. 1444 (1); Ireland, No. 1824a (2); Irish Channel, No. 1825b (2); Brattin Head to Wexford, No. 2049 (2); Wexford to Wicklow, No. 1787 (2); approaches to Wexford, No. 1772 (2). Also, Admiralty List of Lights in the British Islands, 1888, page 76; North Sea Pilot, Part II, 1885, page 153; Sailing Directions for the Coast of Ireland, Part I, 1885, page 84; and, Hydrographic Notice, No. 8 of 1888, Coast of Ireland, Part I, page 5.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 260 of the year 1888.)

NEW ZEALAND—MIDDLE ISLAND.

BLIND BAY—NELSON.

(1.) *Alteration in Southern Limit of Visibility of Sector of Red Light—Boulder Bank Lighthouse.*

THE Government of New Zealand has given notice, dated 28th June, 1888, that on 16th July, 1888, the following alteration would be made in the southern limit of visibility of the sector of red light shown from Boulder Bank Lighthouse, Nelson:—

The arc of visibility of the sector of red light has been increased, and is now visible over an arc of 60° , or between the bearings of E. by N. and N. by E. $\frac{3}{4}$ E.; the southern limit passing close westward of the bell buoy south-westward of the extremity of Boulder Bank.

Position, lat. $41^{\circ} 15' 15''$ S., long. $173^{\circ} 17' 10''$ E.

(2.) *Temporary Alteration in Character of Bell Buoy South-Westward of Boulder Bank.*

Also, that on the same date, and for a period of three months, the following alteration will be made in the character of the bell buoy, in Bolton Hole, south-westward of Boulder Bank:—

This buoy will exhibit a white light, but mariners are cautioned not to place any reliance on this light, especially in bad weather, as from its exposed position it is very likely to be extinguished.

Position, lat. $41^{\circ} 16' 10''$ S., long. $173^{\circ} 16' 20''$ E.

MIDDLE ISLAND—WEST COAST.

(3.) *Grey River—Caution to Vessels Entering.*

Also, that in order to prevent collisions occurring on the bar, or in Grey River, west coast of Middle Island, mariners are cautioned not to take the bar inwards when the outer red light is obscured, or when another vessel is on the bar.

[The bearings are magnetic, and are given from seaward. Variation 15° Easterly in 1888.]

By command of their Lordships,
W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer,
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
27th August, 1888.

This Notice affects (2) temporarily, the following Admiralty Charts:—Cape Foulwind to D'Urville Island, No. 2616 (1); Nelson anchorages, No. 2185 (1, 2); River Waiau to Cape Foulwind, No. 2591 (3). Also, Admiralty List of Lights in South Africa, &c., 1888, No. 848; New Zealand Pilot, 1883, pages 191, 339; and Supplement 1887, to New Zealand Pilot, pages 15, 16.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Brentwood Tabernacle, situate at King's-road, Brentwood, in the parish of Brentwood, in the county of Essex, in the district of Billericay, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 17th day of August, 1888, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.—Witness my hand this 23rd day of August, 1888.

Charles C. Lewis, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Nazeing Chapel, situate at Middle-street, in the parish of Nazeing, in the county of Essex, in the district of Epping, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 22nd day of August, 1888, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.—Witness my hand this 23rd day of August, 1888.

John W. Windus, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Primitive Methodist Chapel, situate at Street, in the parish of Street, in the county of Somerset, in the district of Wells, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 21st day of August, 1888, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, cap. 85.—Witness my hand this 25th day of August, 1888.

Alfred Geo. Russ, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on the 28th day of August, 1888, the Chief Registrar signed an award for the dissolution of the Isle of Wight Benefit Society, Register No. 171, held at the Lamb Inn, Saint James'-square, Newport, Isle of Wight, in the county of Southampton, and that such Society is thereby dissolved, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears, proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Society, to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

Edward W. Brabrook, acting as Chief Registrar.

28, Abingdon-street, Westminster.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1867 and 1877, and in the Matter of the Wigan Tramways Company Limited and Reduced.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, dated the 2nd day of July, 1888, confirming the reduction of the capital of the above-named Company from £70,000 to £49,000, and the Minute (approved by the Court) showing, with respect to the capital of the Company as altered, the several particulars required by the above statutes, were registered by the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies on the 24th day of August, 1888; and further take notice, that the said Minute is in the words and figures following:—“The capital of the Wigan Tramways Company Limited is £49,000, divided into 7,000 shares of £7 each. At the time of the registration of this Minute 4,981 of the said shares have been issued, of which shares 4,886 are to be deemed to be paid up, 15 shares are deemed to be paid up to the extent of £5 per share, 4 shares are to be deemed to be paid up to the extent of £1 5s.

per share, 10 shares are deemed to be paid up to extent of £1 per share, and 66 shares are to be deemed to have been forfeited and cancelled, and upon the remaining shares nothing is to be deemed paid up."—Dated this 25th day of August, 1888.

W. R. Darlington, 4, Serjeants'-inn, Fleet-street, London; Agent for
Darlington and Sons, Wigan, Solicitors for the Company.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division. In the Matter of the National Safe Deposit Company Limited and Reduced, and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1867 and 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, dated the 9th day of August, 1888, confirming the reduction of the capital of the above-named Company from £296,000 to £198,000, together with a Minute (approved by the Court), showing, with respect to the capital of the Company as altered, the several particulars required by the above statutes, were registered by the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies on the 24th day of August, 1888. And further take notice, that the said Minute is in the words and figures following.—Minute approved by the Court:—"The capital of the Company is £198,000, divided into 20,000 preference shares of £5 each, on 19,900 of which the sum of £1 per share, and on the remaining 100 of which 2s. 6d. per share has been and is to be deemed to be paid up, and 24,500 ordinary shares of £4 each, 40 of which have been forfeited to and are capable of re-issue by the Company, and on the remaining 24,460, of which the sum of £4 per share has been and is to be deemed paid up."

—Dated this 28th day of August, 1888.
Ashurst, Morris, Crisp, and Co., of 6, Old Jewry, London, E.C., Solicitors for the said Company.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and of the Rae (Transvaal) Gold Mining Company Limited.

BY an Order made by Mr. Justice Denman for Mr. Justice Kay in the above matter, dated the 22nd day of August, 1888, on the petition of George Louis Scarampi Maggiolini, a creditor of the said Company, it was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the Rae (Transvaal) Gold Mining Company Limited be continued, but subject to the supervision of this Court.

Vallance and Co., Lombard House, E.C., Solicitors for the said Petitioner.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, dated the 27th July, 1888, made in the matter of the Barrow-in-Furness Tramways Order, 1884, any landowner or other persons whose property has been interfered with or otherwise rendered less valuable by the commencement, construction, or abandonment of the said tramway, or any portion thereof, and any road authorities who have incurred expense in taking up any tramway or materials connected therewith, placed by the Barrow-in-Furness Tramway Company in or on any road vested in or maintainable by such road authorities respectively, or in making good any damage caused to such road by the construction or abandonment of such tramway, are, on or before the 22nd day of September, 1888, to come in and prove their claims at the chambers of the Vacation Judge acting for Mr. Justice Stirling, Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Tuesday, the 2nd day of October, 1888, at twelve of the clock at noon, at the chambers of the said Vacation Judge, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 22nd day of August, 1888.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Wednesday, the 29th day of August, 1888.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

	£		£
Notes issued	35,669,595	Government Debt	11,015,100
		Other Securities	5,184,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion	19,469,595
		Silver Bullion	—
	£35,669,595		£35,669,595

Dated the 30th day of August, 1888.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

	£		£
Proprietors' Capital	14,553,000	Government Securities	15,017,396
Rest	3,326,567	Other Securities	18,821,479
Public Deposits (including Ex- chequer, Savings Banks, Com- missioners of National Debt, and Dividend Accounts)	3,558,044	Notes	11,264,875
Other Deposits	24,837,617	Gold and Silver Coin	1,364,965
Seven Day and other Bills... ..	193,487		
	£46,468,715		£46,468,715

Dated the 30th day of August, 1888.

F. May, Chief Cashier.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 8 and 9 Vict., cap. 38, of the Amount of BANK NOTES authorized by Law to be issued by the several Banks of Issue in SCOTLAND, and the Average Amount of Bank Notes in Circulation, and of Coin held during the four Weeks ended Saturday, the 18th day of August, 1888.

[Name and Title as set forth in Licence.	Name of the Firm.	Head Office or Principal Place of Issue.	Circulation authorized by Certificate.	Average Circulation during four Weeks ended as above.			Average Amount of Coin held during four Weeks ended as above.		
				£5 and upwards.	Under £5.	Total.	Gold.	Silver.	Total.
			£						
Bank of Scotland	{ The Governor and Company of the Bank } of Scotland	Edinburgh...	343418	263147	613887	877034	613676	72630	686306
Royal Bank of Scotland	Royal Bank of Scotland	Edinburgh...	216451	236003	508703	744706	571827	68582	640409
British Linen Company	British Linen Company	Edinburgh...	438024	182205	480454	662659	301236	56807	358043
Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Commercial Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh...	374880	209916	558201	768117	465244	62621	527865
National Bank of Scotland Limited	National Bank of Scotland Limited	Edinburgh...	297024	183192	454035	637227	396479	50364	446843
Union Bank of Scotland Limited ...	Union Bank of Scotland Limited ...	Edinburgh...	454346	229064	543413	772477	376904	68612	445546
Town and County Bank Limited ...	Town and County Bank Limited ...	Aberdeen ...	70133	91097	121454	212551	159230	13504	172734
North of Scotland Bank Limited ...	North of Scotland Bank Limited ...	Aberdeen ...	154319	154523	198540	353063	247938	20505	268443
Clydesdale Bank Limited	Clydesdale Bank Limited	Glasgow ...	274321	177061	371067	548128	296877	63188	360065
Caledonian Banking Company Limited	Caledonian Banking Company Limited	Inverness ...	53434	28800	70101	98901	47729	7040	54769

I hereby certify, that each of the Bankers named in the above Return, who have in Circulation an Amount of Notes beyond that authorized in their Certificate (with the exception of) have held an Amount of Gold and Silver Coin, not less than that which they are required to hold during the period to which this Return relates.

Dated this 30th day of August, 1888.

J. S. PURCELL, Registrar of Bank Returns.

SUPPLEMENT TO

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act seventh and eighth Victoria, cap. 32, of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES, of the several Banks of Issue in ENGLAND and WALES, in Circulation during the Week ended Saturday, the 18th day of August, 1888.

The undermentioned Parties having omitted to transmit their Accounts in proper time to be inserted in the Gazette of Tuesday, the 28th day of August, 1888.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
Winchester, Alresford, and Alton Bank ...	Winchester ...	Bulpett and Co. ...	£ 1,645

J. S. PURCELL, Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House, August 30, 1888.

AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered in the Week ended 29th August, 1888.

Countries from which Imported.	Imported into the United Kingdom.					
	GOLD.			SILVER.		
	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Germany	186	307	493	...	20,500	20,500
Belgium	4,134	...	4,134	2,341	9,142	11,483
France	35,930	22,970	58,900	29,743	46,905	76,648
Spain	266	...	266	...	18,400	18,400
Cape of Good Hope and Natal	3,666	2,593	6,259	...	...	...
China and Hong Kong	3,874	5,973	9,847	...	...	...
Australia	76,922	...	76,922	1,091	...	1,091
Mexico, South America (except Brazil), and West Indies ...	95	1,114	1,209	28,412	363,544	391,956
United States, Atlantic ... ..	...	1,702	1,702	...	189,714	189,714
Other Countries	508	853	1,361	420	1,339	1,759
Aggregate of the Importations } registered in the Week ... }	125,581	35,512	161,093	62,007	649,544	711,551
Declared Value of the said } Importations }	£ 486,865	£ 139,749	£ 626,614	£ 11,777	£ 115,601	£ 127,378

Countries to which Exported.	Exported from the United Kingdom.							
	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.
	British.	Foreign.	Ounces.	Ounces.	British.	Foreign.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Germany ... .. .	...	...	...	...	...	81,000	81,000
France ... .. .	...	...	...	...	30,070	...	30,070
Portugal	38,550	...	38,550	...	...	950	950
British East Indies ... .. .	...	2,360	2,360	...	330,000	258,435	588,435
Hong Kong ... .. .	...	...	...	...	174,572	...	174,572
Queensland ... .. .	...	...	...	208,363	...	...	208,363
Mexico, South America (except Brazil), and West Indies ...	771	...	771	...	...	5,217	5,217
Brazil ... .. .	...	...	...	...	...	51,570	51,570
Other Countries	18	...	18	1,456	1,367	593	3,416	
Aggregate of the Exportations } registered in the Week ... }	39,339	2,360	41,699	209,819	536,009	397,765	1,143,593	
Declared Value of the said } Exportations }	£ 153,070	£ 10,000	£ 163,070	£ 57,700	£ 90,046	£ 74,404	£ 222,150	

Statistical Department, Custom House, London, August 30, 1888.

G. METCALFE.

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 August 25th, 1888, with particulars relating thereto.

PLEURO-PNEUMONIA.

—	Farms or other Places.			Healthy Cattle on Infected Premises.	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.	Slaughtered, or Removed for slaughter.	Remaining diseased from the previous Week.	Attacked during the Week.	Killed.	Died.	Recovered.	Remaining.	Fresh Outbreaks.	Cattle Attacked.
ENGLAND.												
COUNTY.*												
Buckingham ...	1	...	1	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cumberland ...	3	...	3	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Derby ...	1	...	1	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dorset ...	...	1	1	...	...	8	8	...	...	...	...	...
Essex... ..	...	1	1	...	...	5	5	...	...	...	...	...
Kent (ex. Metro- polis).	1	...	1	21	2	...	2	...	...	...	1	2
Lancaster... ..	1	1	2	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Stafford ...	1	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surrey (ex. Me- tropolis).	...	1	1	7	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Sussex, Eastern Division.	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
York, West Rid- ing.	3	1	4	13	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...
SCOTLAND.												
COUNTY.*												
Aberdeen ...	4	...	4	55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Edinburgh ...	2	1	3	23	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Elgin, or Moray	1	...	1	50	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...
Forfar ...	1	1	2	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Lanark ...	...	1	1	14	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...
Perth ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL ...	20	9	29	219	2	26	28	...	...	...	1	2

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.
ENGLAND.											
COUNTY.*											
Dorset... ..	...	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
Hants ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Leicester ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Worcester ...	1	...	1	5	...	...	...	5	...	...	...
TOTAL ...	3	1	4	5	1	...	1	5	...	...	...

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.
ENGLAND.											
COUNTY.*											
Bedford	4	3	7	6	22	8	5	1	14	...	...
Buckingham ...	15	3	18	7	15	7	4	1	10	1	1
Cambridge (ex. Liberty of the Isle of Ely).	1	1	2	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...
Chester	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Cornwall	1	1	2	...	5	4	1	...	...	...	...
Derby ... ..	...	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
Devon	2	...	2	2	...	...	...	1	1	...	...
Dorset	6	1	7	...	10	9	1	...	...	...	...
Durham	8	4	12	10	4	2	7	...	5	...	...
Essex	28	1	29	39	6	6	9	39	41	...	...
Gloucester	10	9	19	18	22	1	9	6	24	...	...
Hants	4	7	11	7	20	14	13	...	...	1	2
Hereford ... ..	...	1	1	...	3	2	1	...	1	...	...
Hertford	5	...	5	7	...	3	1	2	1	2	5
Huntingdon ...	1	1	2	...	3	2	1	...	...	...	...
Kent (ex. Metropolis).	8	7	15	40	52	14	12	5	61	...	...
Lancaster	17	8	25	7	12	12	4	...	3	...	...
Leicester	4	5	9	...	6	2	3	...	1	...	...
Lincoln, Parts of Lindsey.	1	3	4	3	7	5	2	...	3	...	...
Middlesex (ex. Metropolis).	6	3	9	...	12	11	1	...	...	...	...
Monmouth	4	1	5	3	2	...	...	...	5	...	...
Norfolk	5	7	12	2	53	37	4	...	14	1	1
Northampton (ex. Soke of Peterborough).	27	1	28	103	3	3	28	2	73	5	30
Notts	3	2	5	9	2	10	1	...	...	...	...
Oxford	6	3	9	14	9	5	9	2	7	1	7
Rutland	2	1	3	...	19	6	13	...	...	...	...
Salop	32	6	38	33	8	...	4	3	34	2	2
Somerset	16	6	22	42	37	6	18	5	50	...	...
Stafford	23	14	37	28	38	21	20	2	28	1	2
Suffolk	16	3	19	76	10	13	12	32	29	2	7
Surrey (ex. Metropolis).	1	...	1	10	...	...	1	...	9	...	...
Sussex, Eastern Division.	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" Western Division.	4	1	5	8	7	5	5	...	5	...	...
Warwick	11	3	14	19	13	10	4	8	10	...	...
Westmorland ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wilts	21	3	24	34	10	26	12	5	1	4	17
Worcester	6	4	10	...	6	2	4	...	...	...	...
York, East Riding.	3	4	7	1	29	22	4	...	4	...	...
" North Riding.	5	4	9	3	12	1	8	1	5	...	...
" West Riding.	54	31	85	95	55	10	37	22	81	...	...
Soke of Peterborough.	1	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
The Metropolis...	1	1	2	...	41	33	...	...	8	...	...
WALES.											
COUNTY.*											
Carnarvon ... ..	...	2	2	...	2	2	...	...	...	2	2
Glamorgan	3	...	3	17	...	...	1	...	16	...	...
Montgomery ...	6	...	6	6	...	...	...	2	4	...	...
SCOTLAND.											
COUNTY.*											
Ayr	2	...	2	4	...	...	...	2	2	...	...
Edinburgh ... ..	...	1	1	...	5	5	...	...	...	...	...
Wigtown	2	...	2	15	...	...	2	...	13	...	...
TOTAL ...	378	157	535	720	564	320	265	141	558	22	76

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.*											
Derby	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Middlesex (ex. Metropolis).	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Warwick ... ..	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
Wilts	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
The Metropolis ...	7	5	12	6	13	17	...	1	1	2	2
SCOTLAND											
COUNTY.*											
Lanark	1	...	1	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL ...	10	7	17	7	17	21	...	1	2	2	2

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.*											
Middlesex (ex. Metropolis).	1	1	2	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...
Warwick ... ..	...	3	3	...	4	2	1	...	1	...	...
Worcester ... ..	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
The Metropolis ...	5	7	12	2	12	13	...	1	1	...	2
TOTAL ...	6	12	18	3	18	17	1	1	2	...	2

RABIES.

	Number of Cases reported during the Week.	Number of Diseased Animals Killed during the Week.		Number Died from the disease during the Week.	Cases which existed in previous Weeks not reported until this Week.
		Dogs.	Other Animals.		
ENGLAND.					
COUNTY.*					
Lancaster	2	2	...	...	...
York, West Riding	1	1	...	...	...
The Metropolis	1	1	...	...	...
TOTAL	4	4	...	...	...

* 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, 31st August, 1888.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

Mr. Justice Denman, Vacation Judge for Mr. Justice Kay.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Western Insurance Company Limited.

BY an Order made in the above matters by Mr. Justice Denman, Vacation Judge, dated the 15th day of August, 1888, on the petition of Archibald Ross, of No. 5, East India-avenue, in the city of London, Insurance Broker, carrying on business at the same place as A. Ross and Company, as a Ship and Insurance Broker, it was ordered that the Western Insurance Company Limited be wound up by this Court, under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.—Dated this 29th day of August, 1888.

Waltons, Bubb, and Johnson, 101, Leadenhall-street, E.C., Solicitors for the Petitioner.

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

In the Matter of the Liverpool Neatsfoot Oil Company Limited; and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and in the Matter of Court of Chancery of Lancaster Act, 1850; and in the Matter of the Court of Chancery of Lancaster Act, 1854.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster, was, on the 27th day of August, 1888, presented in the Liverpool District Registry to the Right Honourable the Chancellor of the Duchy and County Palatine of Lancaster, by Thomas William Langley, of 13, Church-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Gentleman, a shareholder of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before Francis Willis Taylor, Esq., the Deputy of the Right Honourable the Chancellor of the Duchy and County Palatine of Lancaster, on Tuesday, the 11th day of September, 1888, at the Chancery Office, Winckley-street, Preston, in the county of Lancaster, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon; 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 27th day of August, 1888.

Alexander Wilson, of 4, Cook-street, Liverpool, Solicitor for the Petitioner.

- CANDLES.

TENDERS will be received until noon, on Thursday, the 20th September, for about 390,000 lbs. of CANDLES, of different kinds, for the Royal Victoria Yard, Deptford.

Manufacturers only will be accepted.

Forms of tender containing conditions of contract and all particulars may be obtained on personal application at this office, or by letter addressed "Director of Navy Contracts, Admiralty, Whitehall, S.W."

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, August 22, 1888.

In the Matter of Brown Bayley, Dixon, and Co. Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at No. 9, Bank-street, Leeds, on the 7th day of August, 1888, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 23rd day of August, 1888, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed, viz.:—

"That it is desirable to carry the agreement (dated the 29th June, 1888, made between William James Armitage, on behalf of this Company, of the first part, William James Armitage of the second part, and Brown Bayley's Steel Works Limited of the third part, for the sale of the Company's undertaking, partly for cash and partly for shares in the purchasing Company for distribution among the Members of this Company) into effect, and to procure the dissolution of this Company, and accordingly that this Company be wound up voluntarily; and that William James Armitage, the Chairman of the Company, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up, and that the said Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized to carry the said agreement into effect, and to distribute among the Members of this Company, according to their rights and interests, the cash and shares in Brown Bayley's Steel Works Limited which shall be available for distribution under the said agreement."

Dated this 23rd day of August, 1888.

Wm. Jas. Armitage, Chairman.

Gleadow, Dibb, and Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company, Silvester-street, Hull, in the county of York, on the 19th day of June, 1888, 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 4th day of July, 1888, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1883; and that Arthur Knocker Dibb, of the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Esq., be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

H. Cooper Gleadow, Chairman.

James Jagger and Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the Company's office, Netherthong, near Huddersfield, in the county of York, on the 16th day of July, 1888, 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 31st day of July, 1888, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily."

James Jagger, Chairman.

The Fresh Milk Supply Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Company, duly convened and held at No. 17, King's Arms-yard, Coleman-street, in city of London, on the 28th day of August, 1888, the following Resolution was duly passed as an Extraordinary Resolution:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Meeting that the Company can no longer continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Augustus Edwin Hibberd, No. 17, King's Arms-yard, Coleman-street, in the city of London, Chartered Accountant, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator of the Company for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated 28th August, 1888.

W. E. Aylwin, *Chairman.*

In the Matter of the Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1876, and of the Co-operative Furnishing Society Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Society, duly convened and held at City-buildings, Manchester, on the 27th day of July, 1888, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Society, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 17th day of August, 1888, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed, viz. :—

"That the Society be wound up by voluntary liquidation."

E. Vansittart Neale, *Chairman.*

In the Matter of Kay and Richardson Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at No. 1, King John's-chambers, in the town of Nottingham, on the 26th day of July, 1888, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 20th day of August, 1888, the following Resolutions were duly confirmed, namely :—

1. "That the Company be wound up voluntarily."

2. "That Duncan Frederick Basden, of the town of Nottingham, Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

Dated this 29th day of August, 1888.

Saml. H. Sanders, *Chairman.*

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, and of the Colossus Silver Lead Ore Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the offices of Mr. Thomas Mottershead, Chartered Accountant, Westminster-buildings, 37, Brown-street, Manchester, on Tuesday, the 14th day of August, 1888, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed :—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that the Colossus Silver Lead Ore Company Limited cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same."

And at the same Meeting Mr. Thomas Mottershead, of 37, Brown-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Chartered Accountant, was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.—*Dated this 14th day of August, 1888.*

Joseph L. Lees, *Chairman.*

Simpson and Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, held at No. 54, Chiswell-street, Finsbury, on the 20th day of June, 1888, the following Special Resolution was passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary Meeting of the said Company, held at 54, Chiswell-street aforesaid, on

the 6th day of July, 1888, the said Resolution was duly confirmed, namely :—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily."

"That William Wells Ridley and Charles Simpson be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purpose of such winding up, without remuneration."

"That the Company be reconstructed with enlarged powers, and that for such purpose a new Company be registered under a title identical with that of the Company, and that the Liquidators be empowered to assent to the registration of such new Company under that title, and with the memorandum and articles of association now submitted to the meeting and identified by the signature of the Chairman, which memorandum and articles of association are hereby approved."

"That the undertaking, businesses, assets, debts, liabilities, contracts, and engagements of the Company be transferred to the new Company, upon the terms of a draft contract submitted to and approved by this meeting, and which is identified by the signature of the Chairman, subject to such variations as may be approved by the Liquidators with the assent of a meeting of the members, and that the Liquidators be empowered to enter into and effectuate such agreement, with or without such variations."

"That the Liquidators be empowered to deliver the books, accounts, and documents of the Company to the new Company."

Dated the 30th day of August, 1888.

W. Wells Ridley, *Chairman.*

The Companies Act, 1862.

The Hastings Cottage Improvement Society Limited (Incorporated 1861).

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held at the office of Messrs. Young and Son, Solicitors, Bank-buildings, Hastings, on Thursday, the 11th day of October, 1888, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators.—*Dated the 29th day of August, 1888.*

Arthur B. Cotton, }
W. Hay Murray, } *Liquidators.*

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Lancashire Collieries Association Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, will be held on Thursday, the 4th day of October, 1888, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of Mr. John Byrne, one of the Liquidators, situate at 19, Castle-street, in the city of Liverpool, in order that there may be laid before the said Company an account, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company has been disposed of, and in order that the said Company may hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators; and also in order that an Extraordinary Resolution may be passed for determining the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the said Company, and of the Liquidators, shall be disposed of.—*Dated the 29th day of August, 1888.*

Grace and Smith, *Liverpool, Solicitors for the Liquidators.*

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that a *General and Final Meeting of the above-named Company will be held at the offices of Messrs. Russell and Walmsley, Accountants, of 49, Hanging Ditch, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, on the 3rd day of October, 1888, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, for the purpose of having the Liquidators' 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 Liquidators.*—Dated this 28th day of August, 1888.

Ambrose Brook, }
Geo. H. Russell, } *Liquidators.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, Meier Wallenstein and Jacob Wallenstein, carrying on business at Nos. 28 and 29, Cheapside, London, under the style of J. and M. Wallenstein, as Manufacturers and Merchants, has been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by Jacob Wallenstein, under the style of J. Wallenstein and Co., to whom all debts owing to the firm are to be paid, and by whom all the partnership debts will be paid.—As witness our hands this 27th day of August, 1888.

Meier Wallenstein.
Jacob Wallenstein.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore carried on by the undersigned John Dawson and John Baptist Patrick Long, as Publishers, at 18, Bouverie-street, Fleet-street, in the city of London, under the style of Digby and Long, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or by such late firm will be received and paid by the said John Baptist Patrick Long.—Dated this 27th day of August, 1888.

John Dawson.
John B. P. Long.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edwin Hodge Banks, Edward Tyson, Paul Henry Nihill, Charles Faithfull Criswick, and Robert Stroud, carrying on business as Merchants, under the style or firm of Banks and Company, at 37, Charterhouse-square, in the city of London, and in the city of Melbourne, in the Colony of Victoria, has been dissolved, as and from this 31st day of July, 1888, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Edwin Hodge Banks, who retires from the firm.—Dated this 31st day of July, 1888.

Edwin H. Banks. P. H. Nihill.
Edward Tyson. Robert Stroud.
C. F. Criswick.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Gavin Thomson and Alfred Geere, carrying on business as Indiarubber and Colonial Brokers, at 10 and 11, Mincing-lane, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Thomson, Geere, and Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 28th day of August, 1888.

Gavin Thomson.
Alfred Geere.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel Ernest Dobson and Walter Stoneham, carrying on business as Auctioneers and Estate Agents, at St. Margaret's, in the county of Middlesex, under the firm or style of Dobson and Stoneham, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 18th day of August, 1888. And that all debts due and owing to or by the aforesaid late firm will be received and paid by the said Walter Stoneham; and that in future such business will be carried on by the said Walter Stoneham.—As witness our hands this 28th day of August, 1888.

Samuel E. Dobson.
Walter Stoneham.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting between us the undersigned, William Henry Urwick, Stanley Dent, William Francis Urwick, and William Dent the younger, as Wine Merchants, at No. 34, Great Tower-street, in the city of London, under the style of Dent, Urwick, and Dent, has been this day dissolved so far as regards the said Stanley Dent, who retires therefrom.—Dated this 31st day of August, 1888.

W. H. Urwick. W. F. Urwick.
Stanley Dent. Wm. Dent, junr.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edward Alfred Barton and William Coley, carrying on business as Laundrymen, at Hermes Hill, Rising Hill-street, Pentonville, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of E. A. Barton and Co., has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 29th day of August, 1888. All debts due and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Edward Alfred Barton.—Dated this 29th day of August, 1888.

E. A. Barton.
W. Coley.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert John Waller, Charles Bullen Waller, and Pickford Robert Waller, carrying on at Lyall-street, Belgrave-square, King's-road, Chelsea, and elsewhere, in the county of Middlesex, the business of Builders, under the firm of Waller and Sons, has been dissolved, so far as regards the said Charles Bullen Waller, as from the 25th day of December, 1887. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Robert John Waller and Pickford Robert Waller, by whom the business will in future be carried on under the style of Waller and Son.—Dated this 9th July, 1888.

R. J. Waller.
Charles B. Waller.
Pickford R. Waller.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Alfred Yates Springthorpe and Charles Henry Millard, carrying on business in copartnership at 355 and 357, Goswell-road, London, E.C., as Woollen and Trimming Merchants, formerly under the style or firm of C. H. Millard and Co., but lately under the style or firm of Millard and Springthorpe, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts owing to and by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Charles Henry Millard alone, who will in future carry on the said business at the above address on his own account under the style or firm of C. H. Millard and Co.—Dated this 29th day of August, 1888.

A. Y. Springthorpe.
C. H. Millard.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Albert Amsden and James Amsden, carrying on business as Boot and Shoe Manufacturers, at No. 73, Aldersgate-street and No. 111, London Wall, both in the city of London, No. 12, Green-street, St. Martin-in-the-Fields, No. 149, High-street, Stoke Newington, and No. 68, High Holborn, all in the county of Middlesex, and at High-street, Streatham, in the county of Surrey, under the style or firm of A. and J. Amsden, has been dissolved as and from the 30th day of June, 1888. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said James Amsden, who will continue the said businesses under the same style of A. and J. Amsden.—Dated this 28th day of August, 1888.

Albert Amsden.
James Amsden.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us and carried on by us the undersigned, John Bragg and Thomas Hogarth Wilkin, at 43, Harrington-street, in the city of Liverpool, as Provision Merchants, under the style or firm of Bragg and Wilkin, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 1st day of July, 1888. All debts due and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Thomas Hogarth Wilkin, who will continue to carry on the said business alone under the said style of Bragg and Wilkin.—Dated this 27th day of August, 1888.

John Bragg.
Thomas Hogarth Wilkin.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, Samuel Smith and William Smith, in the trade or business of Butchers, at 25, Tanner's-hill, Broadway, Deptford, and 88, Loampit-vale, Lewisham, both in the county of Kent, under the firm of S. and W. Smith, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and in future the business at 25, Tanner's-hill, Broadway, Deptford, will be carried on by the said Samuel Smith on his separate account, and who will pay and receive all debts due and owing in respect of such business; and the business at 88, Loampit-vale, Lewisham, will be carried on by the said William Smith on his separate account, and who will pay and receive all debts due and owing in respect of such business.—Witness our hands this 27th day of August, 1888.

Samuel Smith.
William Smith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Frederick Heaven and John Ernest Walker, as Wholesale Hardwaremen, Factors, and Commission Agents, and Importers of Foreign Merchandise, at No. 73, Pershore-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, under the style or firm of Heaven and Walker, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 25th day of August, 1888.

*George Frederick Heaven.
John Ernest Walker.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Francis Arthur Nodal and Charles Spence Brooke, at No. 10, Newmarket-lane, Manchester, as Printers, Publishers, and Stationers, under the style or firm of Frank Nodal and Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Frank Arthur Nodal, at the above address, where the business will, in future be carried on by him alone.—Dated this 27th day of August, 1888.

*Frank A. Nodal.
Charles Spence Brooke.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, William Idle and Charles Idle, in the trade or business of Beer-house Keepers, at the Rabbits, West Thurrock, Essex, was, on the 3rd instant, dissolved by mutual consent; and that in the future the said business will be carried on by the said Charles Idle on his separate account.—Witness our hands this 24th day of August, 1888.

*William Idle.
Charles Idle.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Matthew Herbert Tildesley and Thomas Pardoe, carrying on business as Builders and Contractors, at Willenhall, in the county of Stafford, under the style or firm of Tildesley and Pardoe, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 20th day of August, 1888.—Dated this 28th day of August, 1888.

*M. H. Tildesley.
Thomas Pardoe.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Pietro John Bordessa and Thomas Morris, carrying on business as Coal and-Coke Merchants, at No. 5, Coal Exchange, in the city of Chester, under the style or firm of Bordessa and Morris, has been dissolved as from the 31st day of July, 1888. All debts due to or owing by the firm, it has been arranged will be received or paid by Messrs. Wakefield and Enoch, Corn Exchange-chambers, Chester.—Dated the 22nd day of August, 1888.

*P. J. Bordessa.
Thomas Morris.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Evans and Francis Rees Evans, carrying on business as Grocers and Provision Merchants and Beer, Wine, and Spirit Merchants, at Twyn-square, Usk, in the county of Monmouth, under the style or firm of W. Evans and Co., otherwise W. and F. R. Evans, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 12th day of July, 1888. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Francis Rees Evans.—Dated this 27th day of August, 1888.

*William Evans.
Francis Rees Evans.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Abraham Graham and Henry Thornton, carrying on business as Fruit Preservers, at Lee-street, in Ravens-thorpe-in-Mirfield, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Graham and Thornton, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Abraham Graham, who will in future carry on the business on his own account under the style or firm of A. Graham and Co.—Dated this 29th day of August, 1888.

*Abraham Graham.
Henry Thornton.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edwin Woodhouse and Joe Jackson, carrying on business at Farsley and Leeds, both in the county of York, as Cloth Manufacturers, under the style or firm of Edwin Woodhouse and Co., has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 1st day of August, 1888.—Dated this 29th day of August, 1888.

*Edwin Woodhouse.
J. Jackson.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Dowler Green, George Thomas Williams, and John Bate, carrying on business at Nos. 10, 12, 14, Edmund-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, No. 8, New Broad-street, in the city of London, and No. 11, St. Giles-street, Northampton, in the county of Northampton, and as T. Dowler Green and Co., 121, Corporation-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, as Gas Engineers and Contractors, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 31st of May, 1888.—Dated this 25th day of August, 1888.

*Thomas Dowler Green.
George Thomas Williams.
John Bate.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Jabez Hoad and Charles Morris, under the firm of Morris and Hoad, at Nihfield, in the county of Sussex, in the trade or business of Market Gardeners, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 29th day of August, 1888.

*Charles Morris.
Jabez Hoad.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, Thomas Gill Tyler and Harry Grenville Tanner, in the profession of Solicitors, as practised by us at No. 1, Lincoln's-inn, Corporation-street, Birmingham, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 24th day of August, 1888.

*Thos. G. Tyler.
H. G. Tanner.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Reginald Crapper and William Wood the younger, carrying on business as Iron and Brass Founders and Machinists, under the style or firm of Crapper and Wood, at the Birchill's Foundry and Machine Works, Walsall, in the county of Stafford, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the day of the date hereof. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said William Wood.—Dated this 23rd day of August, 1888.

*J. R. Crapper.
Wm. Wood, jun.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership formerly subsisting between us the undersigned, John Alfred Hunt and Richard Chapman Allen, carrying on business as Brickmakers, at Hoddesdon, in the county of Hertford, under the style or firm of Hunt and Allen, has been dissolved, by mutual consent, as and from the 29th day of September, 1887. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John Alfred Hunt.—Dated this 25th day of August, 1888.

*John Alfred Hunt.
Richard Chapman Allen.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership theretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Brainerd Radcliffe and Thomas Briggs Brown, carrying on business together in copartnership, under the firm of Radcliffe and Brown, at No. 28, Chapel-street, in the city of Liverpool, as Commission Merchants, was dissolved, by mutual consent, as on and from the 30th day of November, 1885. The said business has since been and still is carried on by the said Brainerd Radcliffe alone, at Chapel-street aforesaid.—Dated this 29th day of August, 1888.

*Brainerd Radcliffe.
Thomas B. Brown.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Heywood and Benjamin Heywood, in the business of Woollen Cloth Merchants, under the style or firm of W. and B. Heywood, at No. 11, High-street, and as Heywood Brothers, at No. 11A, High-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and from the said late firm will be received and paid by the said William Heywood, who will henceforth carry on the said business on his own account solely, but under the old styles of W. and B. Heywood and Heywood Brothers as heretofore.—Dated this 29th day of August, 1888.

*William Heywood.
Benjamin Heywood.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between James Henry Brittain and Alfred Brittain, at Eccles, carrying on business as Slaters and General Contractors, was dissolved, by mutual consent, as from the 31st day of August, 1888.

*James Henry Brittain.
Alfred Brittain.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between Paul Frind and Thomas Roose, Wool Brokers, of Eberle-street, Liverpool, carrying on business as Paul Frind and Roose, has been, as from the 1st day of May, 1883, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 25th day of August, 1888.

Paul Frind.
Thomas Roose.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Joshua Godwin and William Ogilvie Kinmond, as Auctioneers, Surveyors, House and Estate Agents, at Palace-chambers, Hastings, Sussex, under the name of Joshua Godwin, was this day dissolved, by mutual consent, so far as regards the said William Ogilvie Kinmond, who this day retired from the business; and that all debts due and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Joshua Godwin.—As witness our hands this 24th day of August, 1888.

Joshua Godwin.
W. O. Kinmond.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Solomon Davis and John Bolton the younger, as Glass Manufacturers at the Dial Glass Works, Audnam, Stourbridge, in the county of Worcester, under the style or firm of John Davis and Co., was this day dissolved, by mutual consent, on the retirement from the business of the undersigned, John Bolton the younger. The business will in future be carried on by the said William Solomon Davis alone, under the same style or firm of John Davis and Co. All debts due and owing to or by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said William Solomon Davis.—Dated this 25th day of August, 1888.

John Bolton, jun.
William Solomon Davis.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between Barnett Samuels, Eli Guertz, and Marks Rosenberg, of 126, Suffolk-street, Birmingham, Slipper Makers, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, the said Marks Rosenberg retiring from the business.—Dated the 21st day of August, 1888.

Barnett Samuels.
Eli Guertz.
The
Marks X Rosenberg.
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NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas May and John Harrison, carrying on business as Napkin Ring, &c., Manufacturers, at 85, Parade, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, under the style or firm of Thomas May and Co., was dissolved, on the 18th day of April, 1888, by mutual consent. The said business has since that time been carried on by the said John Harrison alone, to whom all debts due to the firm must be paid. The said business will in future be carried on by the said John Harrison alone, under the style or firm of Thos. May and Co.—Dated this 16th day of July, 1888.

Jno. Harrison.
Thomas May.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between William Tennant, of Mill-street, Leeds, in the county of York, Rag Merchant, and James Wood, of Bardsey, near Leeds aforesaid, Traveller and Salesman, carrying on business as Wool, Waste, Shoddy, Mungo, and Rag Merchants, at Water Hall, Leeds aforesaid, under the style or firm of James Wood and Co., has been dissolved, pursuant to a power contained in the articles of partnership, as and from the 30th day of July last. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said William Tennant, at Mill-street aforesaid.—Dated this 23rd day of August, 1888.

Wm. Tennant.

DANIEL ARNOLD, 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 upon or against the estate of Daniel Arnold, late of No. 91, Coronation-road, Bedminster, in the city and county of Bristol, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 18th day of July last, and of whose personal estate letters of administration were granted to John Arnold, the Brother of deceased, by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 15th day of August, 1888), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said administrator, on or before

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the 1st day of October next, after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice; and that the said administrator will not be liable for such assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of August, 1888.

BEALE and MARTIN, Townhall-chambers,
Reading, Berks, Solicitors for the said Administrator.

EDWARD JOHN COUSINS, 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 Edward John Cousins, late of No. 45, Old Palace-road, in the hamlet of Heigham, in the county of the city of Norwich, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 24th day of March, 1888, and whose will was proved in the Norwich District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 5th day of May, 1888, by George Pipe Goodchild, of No. 1, West-parade, in the hamlet of Heigham aforesaid, Gentleman, and George Richard St. Quintin, of King-street, in the said city of Norwich, Baker, 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 30th day of September, 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 30th day of August, 1888.

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

Re ELIZA WOLSTENHOLME, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Eliza Wolstenholme, late of 658, Grimesthorpe-road, Sheffield, in the county of York, Widow, deceased (who died on the 29th day of January, 1888, and of whose personal estate letters of administration were granted to Jonathan Wilkinson and Ann Cooper, on the 2nd day of March, 1888, in the Wakefield District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to one of us, the undersigned, as Solicitors for the said administrators, on or before the 2nd day of October next; and notice is also hereby given, that after that day the said administrators will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said administrators shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of August, 1888.

GEO. J. SIMPSON, Hartshead-chambers, Sheffield; and
ARTHUR NEAL, 10, Figtree-lane, Sheffield.
Joint Solicitors for the said Administrators.

GEORGE DURANT CUMMING, Deceased.
Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria,
chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of George Durant Cumming, late of No. 21, Charleville-road, West Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, a Clerk in the Western Branch of the Bank of England, deceased (who died on the 23rd June, 1888, and letters of administration of whose personal estate were granted to Sarah Elizabeth Luke, out of the Principal Probate Registry, on the 7th August, 1888), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, Solicitor for the said administratrix, on or before the 10th day of October 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 22nd day of August, 1888.

HENRY WILCOCKS HOOPER, 7, Bedford-circus,
Exeter, Solicitor for the said Administratrix.

JOSEPH ROBINSON, Deceased.

Pursuant to Act of Parliament of the 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 persons having any claims or demands against or affecting the estate of Joseph Robinson, late of Selby, in the county of York, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 17th day of May, 1888, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Wakefield of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, Probate Division, on the 20th day of August, 1888, by John Robinson, of Brayton, in the county of York, Agricultural Foreman, and Joseph Robinson, of the same place, Potato Merchant, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in full particulars of their debts, claims, and demands to us, the undersigned, at our offices in Selby, in the said county, on behalf of the said executors, on or before the 1st day of October next, after which day the said executors will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said testator amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so administered or distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of August, 1888.

BANTOFT and SON, Selby, Solicitors for the said Executors.

JOHN BROWN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Brown, late of 29, Trevor-square, Knightsbridge, in the county of Middlesex, Retired Draper, deceased (who died there on the 14th day of June, 1888, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 20th day of August, 1888, by John Graham, of Forglen, Castle Douglas, Esq., and Duncan Forbes Dallas, of 3, Queen-street, Edinburgh, Solicitor before the Supreme Courts of Scotland, the surviving executors therein named), are hereby required to send full particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 30th day of September next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or 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 and demands they shall not then have had notice; and all parties indebted to the deceased are requested to pay the sums due by them also to the undersigned within the same period.—Dated this 22nd day of August, 1888.

GORDON, PRINGLE, DALLAS, and CO, 3, Queen-street, Edinburgh, Solicitors for the Executors.

EDWARD BARRETT CURTEIS and FRANCES CURTEIS, Widow, respectively, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of Edward Barrett Curteis, late of Leasam, Rye, in the county of Sussex, Esq. (who died on the 14th December, 1879, and probate of whose will and codicils was granted, on the 13th January, 1880, by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, to Frances Curteis, his Widow, and sole executrix named in the said will and codicils, who is now deceased, and whose executrix and executor are Anne Mary Curteis, Spinster, and Howard Warburton Elphinstone, Esq., or against the estate of the said Frances Curteis, late of Leasam aforesaid, Widow, who died on the 21st August, 1887, and probate of whose will was granted, on the 25th October, 1887, by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, to the said Anne Mary Curteis and Howard Warburton Elphinstone, the executrix and executor named in the said will), are requested to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, or demands against the said estates respectively to Mr. William Ford, a member of the firm of Messrs. Ford, Ranken, Ford, and Co., at their offices, situate at No. 4, South-square, Gray's-inn, London, W.C., the Solicitors for the said executrix and executor, on or before the 1st November, 1888; and notice is hereby given, that after the said 1st November, 1888, the assets of the said Edward Barrett Curteis and Frances Curteis

respectively will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the debts, claims, and demands only of which the said executrix and executor shall then have had notice; and notice is hereby further given, that the said executors will not be answerable or liable for the assets of either of the said estates so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had any notice.—Dated this 29th day of August, 1888.

FORD, RANKEN, FORD, FORD, and CHESTER, Solicitors for the said A. M. Curteis and H. W. Elphinstone.

The Reverend FRANCIS BALLARD WELLS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of the Reverend Francis Ballard Wells, late of Woodchurch Rectory, in the county of Kent, deceased (who died on the 21st day of March, 1888, and probate of whose will was granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 24th day of July, 1888, to William Howley Wells, the surviving executor therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 1st day of October next, after which date the said executor will distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice.—Dated this 27th day of August, 1888,

HARDISTY, RHODES, and HARDISTY, 48, Great Marlborough-street, W.

ARTHUR STUART WILLIAMS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Arthur Stuart Williams, late of Red House, Winchester, in the county of Southampton, Esq. (who died on the 25th day of July, 1888, and whose will was proved by the Reverend Richard Williams, Clerk, and Herbert Walter Williams, Esq., the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 21st day of August, 1888), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 31st day of October, 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 debts, claim, or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of August, 1888.

MARKBY, WILDE, and JOHNSON, 9, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C., Solicitors for the Executors.

ELIZABETH VICTORIA WALLIS, 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 Elizabeth Victoria Wallis, late of Albert House School, Albert-road, Southport, in the county of Lancaster, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 7th day of December, 1887, and whose will was proved in the Liverpool District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 10th day of February, 1888, by the Reverend Sparks Bellett Sealy, of Gosberton, in the county of Lincoln, and Cuthbert Thomas Holt, of the town of Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge, 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 29th day of September next, 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 the 29th day of August, 1888.

ALLEYNE BROWN, 33, Chapel-street, Southport, Solicitor for the Executors.

WILLIAM HELMORE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of William Helmore, late of Woodgrange-road, Forest Gate, in the county of Essex, deceased (who died on the 8th June, 1888, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice by Mark Helmore, William Reynolds Helmore, and Edward Fancourt Mutter, the executors therein named, on the 18th of July, 1888), are hereby required to send in full particulars of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 28th October, 1888, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt, claim, or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of August, 1888.

W. R. HELMORE, 57, Bishopsgate-street, Within, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Executors.

Mrs. HENRIETTA ESTHER EBBELS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Henrietta Esther Ebbels, late of 24, Cressy-place, Stepney Green, London, Middlesex, Widow, deceased (who died July 11th, 1888, and whose will and codicil were duly proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by me, John Thomas Jessup, of 91, Redman's-road, Stepney, London, E., Stationer, the sole executor), are hereby required to send, in writing, the full particulars of their claims and demands to me, the undersigned, as such sole executor, on or before the 29th of September next, after which date I shall proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties legally entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which I shall have then had notice.—Dated this 26th day of August, 1888.

JOHN THOMAS JESSUP, 91, Redman's-road, Stepney, London, E., Sole Executor.

WILLIAM COTTLE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Cottle, late of Melksham, in the county of Wilts, Farmer (who died on the 28th day of May, 1887, and whose will was proved by Justly William Awdry, of Chippenham, in the county of Wilts, Gentleman, George White, of Melksham, in the said county of Wilts, Cheese Factor, and William Newman Cottle, of Melksham aforesaid, Farmer, the executors therein named, in the Salisbury District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 14th day of July, 1887), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, and demands to me, the undersigned, as Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 8th day of October, 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 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 28th day of August, 1888.

JUSTLY WILLIAM AWDRY, Chippenham, Wilts, Solicitor for the said Executors.

Mrs. AGNES LITTLEWOOD, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Agnes Littlewood (wife of Edwin Littlewood), late of the Bishop Blaize Inn, Highgate, Kendal, in the county of Westmoreland, Innkeeper, deceased (who died on the 3rd day of August, 1888, and whose will was proved in the Carlisle District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the

16th day of August, 1888, by John Robinson, of 19, Aynam-road, Kendal, and Edwin Hetherington, of Highgate, Kendal, the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to the undersigned, on or before the 20th day of October, 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 or 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 22nd day of August, 1888.

C. G. THOMSON and WILSON, Finkle-street, Kendal, Solicitors for the Executors.

JOHN SUNLEY, 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 John Sunley, late of No. 11, Brunswick-square, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman (who died on the 7th day of July, 1888, and whose will was proved by George Frederick Davies and George Gaywood, the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 4th day of August, 1888), 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 1st day of October, 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 23rd day of August, 1888.

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

JOHN MCCONNELL, Esq., 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 John McConnell, late of Oak House, Richmond, in the county of Surrey, Esq. (who died on the 29th day of June, 1888, and whose will was proved by Sir George Edward Dallas, Bart., the executor therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 23rd day of July, 1888), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 27th day of September, 1888; and notice is hereby given, that at the expiration of that time the said executor 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 he shall then have had notice; and that he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of August, 1888.

LAWRENCE, GRAHAM, and LONG, 6, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, London, Solicitors for the said Executor.

MARK SKELTON WARD, Deceased.

Notice pursuant to the 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35.

ALL persons having any claims against the estate of Mark Skelton Ward, late of the Swan Inn, Croydon, Surrey, Licensed Victualler (who died on the 10th day of May, 1888, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 11th day of June, 1888, by John William Price, of Union Bank-chambers, Lincoln's-inn, Solicitor, and James Waterfall Russell, of Croydon aforesaid, Licensed Victualler, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars of their claims to the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 10th day of October next, after which date the assets of the said deceased will be distributed as directed by his will, having regard only to such claims as shall then have been received.—Dated this 28th day of August, 1888.

KENDALL, PRICE and FRANCIS, Union Bank-chambers, Lincoln's-inn, Solicitors for the said Executors.

The Honourable Lady CHARLOTTE ANNE SCARLETT, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, chapter 35. NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having claims against the estate of the Honourable Lady Charlotte Anne Scarlett, late of Elfinward, Hayward's Heath, in the county of Sussex, and of Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, Widow, deceased (who died on the 9th day of February, 1888, and letters of administration to whose personal estate, with her will annexed, were granted to Thomas Hughes and Edmund Salwey Ford, on the 17th day of August, 1888, by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims to the said Thomas Hughes and Edmund Salwey Ford, at the offices of the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 30th September, 1888, after which day they will distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of August, 1888.

ROBINS, BURGESS, HAY, WATERS, and LUCAS, 9, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, Solicitors for the said Administrators.

WEBSTER WILLIAM BOLLAND, 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 Webster William Bolland, late of No. 2, Eyre-place, Armley, near Leeds, in the county of York, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 12th day of July, 1888, and whose will was proved in the Wakefield District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 7th day of August, 1888, by Benjamin Anderson and Thomas Cowling, 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 such executors, on or before the 15th day of October next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of August, 1888.

WADE, BILBROUGH, BOOTH, and CO., 8, Piccadilly, Bradford, Solicitors for the said Executors.

JOSEPH BURCH, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Joseph Burch, late of Myrtle Cottage, Henwick, in the county of Worcester, Yeoman (who died at Myrtle Cottage, Henwick aforesaid, on the 19th 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 14th day of May, 1888, by Peter Alfred Coombe and William Alfred Salsbury, the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 17th day of October, 1888, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims and demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of August, 1888.

A. R. HUDSON, Pershore, Worcestershire, Solicitor for the said Executors.

LOUISA TATNER, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty, Queen Victoria, 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 Louisa Tatner, late of the Eagle Brewery, Slough, in the county of Buckingham, Widow, deceased (who died on the 19th day of July, 1888, and whose will was proved by John Cleave, of No. 28, Varden's-road, New Wandsworth, Surrey, Gentleman, the surviving executor named in the said will, in the District Registry at Oxford, on the 10th day of August, 1888), are required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to the said executor, at the office of Messrs. Darvill and Last, of Windsor, in the county of Berks, Solicitors, on or before the 31st day of October, 1888, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased

amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of August, 1888.

DARVILL and LAST, Windsor, Berks, Solicitors for the said Executor.

Mr. ABRAHAM TAYLOR, Deceased.

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

ALL persons having claims against the estate of Abraham Taylor, formerly of Canterbury, Kent, Licensed Victualler, then of the Pier Hotel, Eastbourne, Sussex, and late of Lingfield, Surrey (who died on the 7th June, 1888, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry, on 13th August, 1888, by Harriett Taylor, Charles Hugh Haine, and John Stone, the executors), are required to send particulars of their claims to the said Charles Hugh Haine, at Bath Villa, Eastbourne, Sussex, before the 12th October, 1888, after which date the executors will distribute the estate of the deceased, without regard to the debts or claims of which they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 21st August, 1888.

PEARLESS and SONS, East Grinstead, Sussex Solicitors for the said Executors.

Miss ANNA EMMA GOWER, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and others having any debts or claims against the estate of Anna Emma Gower, late of Bulleys, or Ivy Cottage, Littlehempston, Devon, Spinster (who died at 2, Tremorvah, Paignton, Devon, on the 13th of July last, and whose will was proved on the 15th of August instant, by William Lewes Gower and Herbert Brakespear Gower, the executors), are required to send written particulars of all debts and claims to us, before the 1st day of October next, after which date the executors will distribute the assets, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and will not be liable for any other debt or claim.—Dated this 30th day of August, 1888.

COOPER, WALKER, and HALL, 7, Birch-in-lane, London, Solicitors for the Executors.

Mr. HENRY MICHAEL ANSELL, 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 Henry Michael Ansell, late of Manthorpe, near Bourne, in the county of Lincoln, Farmer and Grazier, deceased (who died on the 16th day of December, 1887, and whose will was proved by Edward Morley Ansell, of the Cornhill, in the city of Lincoln, Grocer, the acting executor therein named, on the 20th of June last, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the said Edward Morley Ansell, or to the undersigned, his Solicitors, on or before the 10th day of October next; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and that he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of August, 1888.

B. SMITH and CO., Horbling, Lincolnshire, Solicitors.

HANNAH MORTIMER DREW FLAMANK, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims upon the estate of Hannah Mortimer Drew Flamank, late of Alwypn, Teignmouth, in the county of Devon, Widow (who died on the 24th day of June, 1887, and whose will was duly proved by William Wood and Henry Tracey Mudge, the executors), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims to us, on or before the 1st day of October 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 of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not afterwards be liable for any of the assets so distributed.—Dated this 28th day of August, 1888.

ANDREW, WOOD, and Co., 8, Great James-street, Bedford-row, London, Solicitors for the said Executors.

JAMES COATES, Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35. **N**OTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of James Coates, late of No. 385, Manchester-road, Denton, in the county of Lancaster, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 13th day of March, 1888, and whose will was proved, on the 5th day of April, 1888, in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, by Robert Edward Coates and William Henry Bottomley, the executors named in the said will), are requested to send, in writing, the particulars of their claims to the undersigned, on or before the 31st day of October next, after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of August, 1888.

J. TAYLOR HAMPSON, 17, Booth-street, Ashton-under-Lyne, Solicitor for the Executors.

CHARLES THOMAS GREENWAY, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35. **A**LL creditors and others having any claims against the estate of Charles Thomas Greenway, late of 2, Douglas-place, Walnut Tree-road, Greenwich, Kent, Gentleman (who died on the 6th February, 1881, and letters of administration to whose estate were, on the 16th June, 1885, granted by the Principal Registry, Probate Division, of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, to Edward Brown Thomas, Esq.), are hereby required to send particulars of such claims to me, the undersigned, Solicitor for the said administrator, before the 1st October, 1888, after which date he 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 29th August, 1888.

SAML. BARFIELD, 5, Plowden - buildings, Temple, Solicitor for the said Administrator.

In the High Court of Justice, in Bankruptcy.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Notice issued the 17th day of August, 1888, against Thomas William Tester, of 122, Gordon-road, Peckham, in the county of Surrey.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Notice has been issued by this Court at the instance of Frank Robson (trading as Wilcoxon and Co.), and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette and in the Times newspaper shall be deemed to be service of the said bankruptcy notice upon you. The notice can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated 23rd August, 1888.

H. S. GIFFARD, Registrar.

In the High Court of Justice, in Bankruptcy.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition, filed the 17th day of August, 1888.

To Charles Furber, late of 79, Mark-lane, in the city of London, Auctioneer and Surveyor, but whose present residence the Creditor is unable to ascertain.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Petition has been presented against you to this Court by Charlotte D'Olier Granville Gordon, commonly called Lady Granville Gordon, of 39, Green-street, Park-lane, in the county of Middlesex, and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette and in the Daily Telegraph newspaper shall be deemed to be service of the petition upon you; and further take notice, that the said petition will be heard at this Court on the 12th day of September, 1888, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon, on which day you are required to appear, and if you do not appear the Court may make a Receiving Order against you in your absence. The petition can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated 30th August, 1888.

H. S. GIFFARD, Registrar.

THE BANKRUPTCY (DISCHARGE AND CLOSURE) ACT, 1887.
APPLICATION FOR DEBTOR'S DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Adjudication or Resolution for Liquidation.	Day and Hour fixed for Hearing.
Lee, Thomas	Formerly of Grange-street, New Wortley, near Leeds, Yorkshire, lately carrying on business in partnership with Joseph Eastwood, under the style or firm of Lee and Eastwood, at Prince-street, New Wortley aforesaid, a debtor whose affairs have been liquidated by arrangement	Mason and Builder	Leeds	Feb. 20, 1879 ...	Oct. 13, 1888, 11 A.M.

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Adjudication or Resolution for Liquidation.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.
Mirfield, Matthew	Formerly of Holme-lane, near Bradford, and of Halifax, now of Moorville, Birkenshaw, near Leeds, all in Yorkshire	Formerly a Worsted Top Maker and Farmer, and also a Worsted Spinner, trading as John Redman and Co., now a Commission Agent	Bradford	June 14, 1878 ...	Aug. 7, 1888 ...	Discharge granted
Neal, John	Formerly of Donington-le-Heath, near Ashby-de-la-Zouch, Leicestershire, but now of Wigston-road, Leicester, in the same county	Formerly Builder and Licensed Victualler, but now Journeyman Builder	Nottingham	Nov. 25, 1878 ...	March 16, 1888	Discharge granted

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.
3274	Biddlecombe, Alfred John	The Railway Arch, Rye-lane, Peckham, Surrey	Tobacconist	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Aug. 4, 1888...	947 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888	607	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.)
3275	Eaton, C.	1, Balmoral-road, Leyton, Essex	Builder	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Aug. 7, 1888...	953 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888	614	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.)
3276	Etty, Henry, and Barrow, Benjamin Glanville	31, Page's-walk, Bermondsey, Surrey 65, Leipsic-road, Camberwell, Surrey Lately trading at 44 and 45, Grange-walk, Bermondsey, Surrey	Tanners, Curriers, and Leather Merchants	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Aug. 24, 1888	1039 of 1888	Aug. 27, 1888	606	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (F.)
3277	Hartas, Robert Fothergill	63, Old Broad-street, in the city of London ...	Stock Broker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Aug. 4, 1888...	945 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888	613	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.)
3278	Hornsby and Co. ...	Lately 4 and 5, Billiter House, Billiter-street, in the city of London, now 59, Ellington-street, Barnsbury, Middlesex	Exporters, General Commission and Shipping Agents	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	April 30, 1888	515 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888	612	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.)
3279	Hughes, D.	104, Denmark-hill, Camberwell, Surrey ...	Dairyman... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Aug. 10, 1888	971 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888	615	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.)
3280	Jeffcoat, James	London House-yard, Saint Paul's-church-yard, in the city of London, and 2, Leicester-villas, Willesden, Middlesex	Chemist	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Aug. 28, 1888	1048 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888	610	Debtor's	
3281	Larter, Thomas (trading as Thomas Hinton)	34, East-road, City-road, and 146, Mare-street, Hackney, formerly 33, Hackney-road, all in Middlesex	Furniture Dealer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Aug. 28, 1888	1046 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888	608	Debtor's	
3282	Portugal, Joaquim de Almeida, otherwise Joaquim-Maria de Almeida Portugal, otherwise Almeida, otherwise the Count de Palma	27, Great George-street, Westminster, and 16, Earls Court-square, both in Middlesex	Formerly in the Brazilian Navy, sometime a Merchant, and now a Company Promoter	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Aug. 2, 1888...	931 of 1888	Aug. 18, 1888	591	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.)
3283	Vincent, Robert Whyte (lately trading as Lindup and Vincent)	2, Martha-cottages, Downsell-road, Stratford, Essex, lately trading at 91, Hermit-road, Canning Town, Essex	Out of business, lately Grocer and Provision Dealer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy.	Aug. 29, 1888	1051 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888	611	Debtor's	

RECEIVING ORDERS—continued.

No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Position.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
3284	Davies, Richard ...	Penrhiw, Bethesda, Carnarvonshire ...	Quarry Overlooker ...	Bangor ...	Aug. 27, 1888	35 of 1888	Aug. 27, 1888	33	Debtor's	
3285	Griffith, Lewis ...	Braichmelyn, Bethesda, Carnarvonshire ...	Quarryman ...	Bangor ...	Aug. 27, 1888	34 of 1888	Aug. 27, 1888	32	Debtor's	
3286	Williams, Hugh ...	Abercaseg, Bethesda, Carnarvonshire ...	Quarryman ...	Bangor ...	Aug. 27, 1888	33 of 1888	Aug. 27, 1888	31	Debtor's	
3287	Williams, Hugh ...	Waen Golengoed Farm, St. Asaph, Flintshire	Farmer ...	Bangor ...	Aug. 15, 1888	31 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888	34	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (E.)
3288	Smerdon, John ...	10, Wolborough-street, Newton Abbot, Devonshire	Baker ...	Exeter ...	Aug. 27, 1888	44 of 1888	Aug. 27, 1888	40	Debtor's	
3289	Fryman, James Hercules	2, East Saint Mary's-gate, Great Grimsby, and residing at Abbey-terrace, Great Grimsby, Lincolnshire	Hairdresser ...	Great Grimsby	Aug. 28, 1888	32 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888	32	Debtor's	
3290	Lightfoot, Bertha Kate ...	St. Nicholas, Windsor-road, Bexhill, Sussex ...	No occupation ...	Hastings ...	Aug. 15, 1888	25 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888	20	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.)
3291	Davies, John ...	Broughton House, Ledbury-road, in the city of Hereford, the Ship Inn, Saint Owen-street, Hereford, and the Ship Brewery, Saint Owen-street, Hereford	Licensed Victualler, a Member of the firm of John Davies and Co., Common Brewers	Hereford ...	Aug. 27, 1888	11 of 1888	Aug. 27, 1888	5	Debtor's	
3292	Clark, John Henry ...	Wormald's-yard, Briggate, and Kingstongrove, Woodhouse-lane, Leeds, Yorkshire	Printer ...	Leeds ...	Aug. 28, 1888	67 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888	61	Debtor's	
3293	Clark, Samuel ...	59, Welford-road, Leicester ...	Carver and Gilder ...	Leicester ...	Aug. 29, 1888	87 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888	80	Debtor's	
3294	Lazarus, David ...	5, Augusta-street, Clarence-street, Cheekham, Manchester, Lancashire	Club Proprietor ...	Manchester ...	Aug. 13, 1888	48 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888	46	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.)
3295	Turner, William ...	343, Oldham-road, in the city of Manchester	Licensed Broker and Packer	Manchester ...	Aug. 28, 1888	54 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888	45	Debtor's	
3296	Wilson, Esther ...	Residing at the Station Hotel, Killingworth, Northumberland, formerly trading there under the name of Esther Lowther, and latterly and at present trading under the name of Esther Wilson	Innkeeper, Wife of John Wilson	Newcastle - on - Tyne	Aug. 28, 1888	59 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888	59	Debtor's	

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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.
3297	Bastick, William Henry	9, High-street, Nottingham	Hatter	Nottingham ...	Aug. 27, 1888	86 of 1888	Aug. 27, 1888	82	Debtor's	
3298	Cox, Joseph	The Bird-in-Hand Inn, Hailey, near Witney, Oxfordshire	Publican and Tailor ...	Oxford	Aug. 27, 1888	12 of 1888	Aug. 27, 1888	10	Debtor's	
3299	Lloyd, John James, and Lloyd, Sarah Annie (trading as Lloyd and Co.)	High-street, Haverfordwest, Pembrokeshire	Ironmongers	Pembroke Dock	Aug. 27, 1888	15 of 1888	Aug. 27, 1888	15	Debtor's	
3300	Woosnam, David	88, William-street, Ystrad Rhondda, Glamorganshire	Shoemaker	Pontypridd ...	Aug. 28, 1888	22 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888	22	Debtor's	
3301	Fraser, George	Holt Wood, Wimborne Minster, Dorsetshire	Tranter	Poole	Aug. 29, 1888	23 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888	23	Debtor's	
3302	Tuck, Frederick	94, Sultan-road, Landport, Hampshire ...	Painter	Portsmouth ...	Aug. 27, 1888	33 of 1888	Aug. 27, 1888	33	Debtor's	
3303	Wiggins, George Thomas	Grange-street, St. Albans, Hertfordshire, lately residing and trading at Bowling-alley, Harpenden, Hertfordshire	Builder	St. Albans ...	Aug. 25, 1888	12 of 1888	Aug. 25, 1888	12	Debtor's	
3304	Leaney, Alfred George ...	Tisbury, Wiltshire	Veterinary Surgeon ...	Salisbury ...	Aug. 28, 1888	16 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888	15	Debtor's	
3305	Timbrell, John Thompson	33, Llangafelach-road, Brynhyfrydd, near Swansea, Glamorganshire	Grocer and Baker ...	Swansea ...	Aug. 28, 1888	22 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888	22	Debtor's	
3306	Verrier, Elizabeth, and ... Verrier, John William ... (trading as E. Verrier and Son) ...	10, East Reach, Taunton, Somersetshire ... Late Viney-street, now Saint James-street, Taunton	Widow Builders, Carpenters, Joiners, and Under- takers	Taunton ...	Aug. 28, 1888	14 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888	7	Debtor's	
3307	Carbis, Richard	Newtown, Ludgvan, Cornwall	Potato and Brocoli Buyer	Truro	Aug. 29, 1888	16 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888	14	Debtor's	
3308	Simm, Joseph	Stubshaw Cross, Ashton-in-Makerfield, Lancashire	Provision Dealer	Wigan	Aug. 28, 1888	11 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888	13	Debtor's	

RECEIVING ORDERS—continued.

No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
3309	Cadwallader, William Henry	Compton, near Wolverhampton, Staffordshire, lately trading at Compton, near Wolverhampton	Clerk and Book-keeper, lately Maltster	Wolverhampton	Aug. 29, 1888	36 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888	30	Debtor's	
3310	Dodd, Benjamin Jenkins	The Faelfa Shop, High-street, Rhosllanerchrugog, Denbighshire	Boot and Shoe Dealer, and Draper	Wrexham ...	Aug. 29, 1888	17 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888	14	Debtor's	
8001	Grigg, Walter Thomas ...	31, High-street, Newport, Isle of Wight ...	Draper	Newport and Ryde	Aug. 1, 1888	24 of 1888	Aug. 1, 1888	15	Debtor's	

The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 7th August, 1888.

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.
Barnett, Alfred ...	Late 9, Herbert-street, Newport, and the Gaiety Theatre, Charles-street, Newport, both in Monmouthshire, but now of the Cape of Good Hope, South Africa	Money Lender's Clerk, and Music Hall Proprietor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	629 of 1888	Sept. 7, 1888	11 A.M.	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's - inn - fields, London	Oct. 19, 1888...	11 A.M.	34, Lincoln's - inn - fields, London, W.C.	
Fuchs, John Richard (trading as Richard Fuchs)	160, Drury-lane, Middlesex, lately 110 and 166, Drury-lane, Middlesex	Baker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	956 of 1888	Sept. 7, 1888...	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Portugal-street, Lincoln's - inn - fields, London	Oct. 19, 1888...	11 A.M.	34, Lincoln's - inn - fields, London, W.C.	Aug. 20, 1888
F 2 Sears, William Norman (lately trading as the Anglo-Canadian Sign Company)	Late 144, High Holborn, Middlesex, lately carrying on business at 20, Clerkenwell - green, London, present residence unknown	Late the General Manager of the Patent Letter and Enamel Company, Limited, lately Vendor of Enamelled Letters and Signs	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	880 of 1888	Sept. 12, 1888	12 noon	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's - inn - fields, London	Oct. 16, 1888...	11 A.M.	34, Lincoln's - inn - fields, London, W.C.	
Siever, R. Standish ...	Late 1, Burlington - gardens, Middlesex, present residence the Petitioners have been unable to ascertain	Gentleman	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	786 of 1888	Sept. 7, 1888...	11 A.M.	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's - inn - fields, London	Oct. 11, 1888...	12 noon	34, Lincoln's - inn - fields, London, W.C.	
Smith, John Godwin (trading as C. Smith and Son, and as J. Wright and Co.)	5, New Burlington-street and 5 and 6, Old Burlington-mews, both in Middlesex, and Baston Cottage, Tunbridge Wells, Kent, and Muxelwell Farm, Pembury, Kent	Gold Laceman, and Accountment Manufacturer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	926 of 1888	Sept. 7, 1888...	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Portugal-street, Lincoln's - inn - fields, London	Oct. 16, 1888...	11 A.M.	34, Lincoln's - inn - fields, London, W.C.	
White, C.	Lately trading at 48, Church-street, Kensington, Middlesex, present address unknown	Printer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	812 of 1888	Sept. 7, 1888...	12 noon	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's - inn - fields, London	Oct. 11, 1888...	12 noon	34, Lincoln's - inn - fields, London, W.C.	
Wise, Jacob	Brook-street, Watlington, Oxfordshire	Ironfounder and General Smith	Aylesbury ...	10 of 1888	Sept. 10, 1888	11.30 A.M.	1, St. Aldates, Oxford	Sept. 5, 1888	11 A.M.	County Hall, Aylesbury	Aug. 25, 1888

FIRST MEETINGS AND PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS—*continued.*

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.
Want, George ...	Shenley, Hertfordshire ...	Builder	Barnet	5 of 1888	Sept. 7, 1888	11 A.M.	No. 16 Room, 30 and 31, St. Swithin's-lane, London, E.C.	Sept. 12, 1888	11 A.M.	Townhall, Barnet	Aug. 25, 1888
Scrine, Francis ...	Holt, in the parish of Bradford, Wiltshire	Mason, formerly and Builder	Bath	17 of 1888	Sept. 14, 1888	12 noon	Offices of the Official Receiver, Bank-chambers, Bristol	Oct. 4, 1888 ...	11.30 A.M.	Guildhall, Bath	
Ward, Francis ...	38, Scotland-road, Blackburn, Lancashire	Draper	Blackburn	7 of 1888	Sept. 11, 1888	2 P.M.	County Court-house, Blackburn	Oct. 9, 1888 ...	11.30 A.M.	County Court-house, Blackburn	Aug. 17, 1888
Haste, Robert Brook	Temple Gate, Bristol ...	Woolbroker	Bristol	54 of 1888	Sept. 14, 1888	12.30 P.M.	Offices of the Official Receiver, Bank-chambers, Bristol	Oct. 12, 1888	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	Aug. 27, 1888
Myers, William ...	41, Hall-street, formerly 32, West-street, Colne, Lancashire										
Myers, Pickles and Boothman, John (trading as William Myers and Co.)	41, Hall-street, formerly 32, West-street, Colne 21, Clayton-street, Colne	Cotton Manufacturers	Burnley	18 of 1888	Sept. 10, 1888	3 P.M.	Crown Hotel, Colne	Oct. 18, 1888	11 A.M.	Court - house, Burnley	
Mason, James ...	Dalham, Suffolk	Grocer and Draper, Dealer in Earthenware and Tin-ware, Flourseller and Baker	Cambridge	19 of 1888	Sept. 7, 1888	3 P.M.	Angel Hotel, Bury St. Edmunds	Sept. 19, 1888	11 A.M.	Guildhall, Cambridge	Aug. 27, 1888
Clark, George Frederick	58, Curzon-street and 12, Newlands-street, both in Derby, Derbyshire	Carriage Builder ...	Derby	39 of 1888	Sept. 7, 1888	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, St. James's-chambers, Derby	Oct. 15, 1888	10.30 A.M.	County-hall, St. Mary's - gate, Derby	Aug. 28, 1888
Smerdon, John ...	10, Wolborough-street, Newton Abbott, Devonshire	Baker	Exeter	44 of 1888	Sept. 10, 1888	3 P.M.	Offices of the Official Receiver, 13, Bedford-circus, Exeter	Sept. 13, 1888	11 A.M.	The Castle, Exeter	Aug. 27, 1888
Kendall, Stephen Messenger	22, John-street, New Clee, Lincolnshire	Fisherman	Great Grimsby ...	30 of 1888	Sept. 12, 1888	12 noon	Office of the Official Receiver, 3, Haven-street, Great Grimsby	Sept. 12, 1888	11 A.M.	Townhall, Great Grimsby	Aug. 9, 1888

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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.
Pickernell, Jonathan Case	4, George-place, George-lane, Lewisham, Kent	Carman and Contractor	Greenwich	25 of 1888	Sept. 10, 1888	12 noon	109, Victoria-street, Westminster.	Oct. 12, 1888	1 P.M.	County Court, Greenwich	Aug. 24, 1888
Geer, Charles Henry	52, Kenilworth-road, Saint Leonards-on-Sea, Sussex	Schoolmaster	Hastings	38 of 1888	Sept. 7, 1888	3.30 P.M.	Messrs. Young and Goodwin's Office, Bank - buildings, Hastings	Sept. 24, 1888	2.30 P.M.	Townhall, Hastings	Aug. 27, 1888
Key, Auckland Evin-son	West Marina, St. Leonards-on-Sea, Sussex	Carriage Builder	Hastings	37 of 1888	Sept. 7, 1888	3 P.M.	Messrs. Young and Goodwin's Office, Bank - buildings, Hastings	Sept. 24, 1888	2.30 P.M.	Townhall, Hastings	Aug. 22, 1888
Atkinson, John	The Slip Inn, Market-place, Kendal, Westmorland	Innkeeper	Kendal	12 of 1888	Sept. 11, 1888	3.30 P.M.	37, Stramongate, Kendal	Sept. 11, 1888	10 A.M.	Court - house, Townhall, Kendal	July 19, 1888
Bennett, John	The Criffel Hotel, Silloth, Cumberland, late High Dungeon, Ghyll Hotel, Great Langdale, Westmorland	Licensed Victualler	Kendal	13 of 1888	Sept. 11, 1888	2.30 P.M.	37, Stramongate, Kendal	Sept. 11, 1888	10 A.M.	Court - house, Townhall, Kendal	July 21, 1888
Benson, Michael	High Green, Troutbeck, Westmorland	Retired Farmer	Kendal	14 of 1888	Sept. 11, 1888	1.30 P.M.	37, Stramongate, Kendal	Sept. 11, 1888	10 A.M.	Court - house, Townhall, Kendal	Aug. 18, 1888
Thackray, Charles	Morley, and 13, Park-place, Leeds, both in Yorkshire	Cloth Manufacturer	Leeds	66 of 1888	Sept. 11, 1888	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park-row, Leeds	Sept. 25, 1888	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Leeds	
Edelston, Peter	Residing at Lower King-street, Blackpool, Lancashire, now and lately carrying on business at 10, Norfolk-street, Manchester, as Salesman for Messrs. H. C. Outram and Co., of 10, Norfolk-street, Manchester, Cotton Manufacturers	Salesman	Manchester	46 of 1888	Sept. 7, 1888	11.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Ogden's-chambers, Bridge-street, Manchester	Oct. 3, 1888	12 noon	The Court-house, Quay - street, Manchester	Aug. 20, 1888
Turner, Henry	Residing and trading at 5, Garratt-street, Oldham-road, Manchester, Lancashire	Baker and Flour Dealer	Manchester	51 of 1888	Sept. 7, 1888	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, Ogden's-chambers, Bridge-street, Manchester	Oct. 3, 1888	12 noon	Court - house, Quay - street, Manchester	Aug. 22, 1888

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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.
Ridley, John ...	31, Northcote-street and 25, Newgate-street, both in Newcastle-on-Tyne	Mechanical and Electrical Engineer	Newcastle - on - Tyne	56 of 1888	Sept. 8, 1888	11.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Pink - lane, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Sept. 6, 1888	11 A.M.	County Court, Westgate-road, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Aug. 23, 1888
Wilson, Esther ...	Residing at the Station Hotel, Killingworth, Northumberland, formerly trading under the name of Esther Lowther, and latterly and at present trading under the name of Esther Wilson	Innkeeper, Wife of John Wilson	Newcastle - on Tyne	59 of 1888	Sept. 11, 1888	2.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Pink - lane, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Sept. 11, 1888	11 A.M.	County Court, Westgate-road, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Aug. 29, 1888
Thomas, Evan Wynne	38, Snowdon-street, Portmadoc, Carnarvonshire	Boot and Shoe Dealer	Portmadoc and Blaenau Festiniog	9 of 1888	Sept. 17, 1888	2 P.M.	Bankruptcy Office, Crypt - chambers, Chester	Sept. 28, 1888	1 P.M.	Court - house, Portmadoc	Aug. 24, 1888
Lansdell, David ...	The Boar's Head Inn, Rotherfield, Sussex, lately residing and carrying on business at Thorndale Farm, Ashburnham, Sussex, and formerly at Clifton Farm, Arlington, Sussex	Licensed Victualler, Farmer	Tunbridge Wells	22 of 1888	Sept. 7, 1888	12 noon	Star Hotel, Lewes ...	Sept. 13, 1888	2 P.M.	Townhall, Tunbridge Wells	Aug. 25, 1888
Carruthers, Thomas Acton, and Carruthers, George Murray (trading as Carruthers Brothers)...	52, Church - street and 5, Roose-road, Barrow-in-Furness, Lancashire	Printers and Publishers	Ulverston and Barrow-in-Furness	11B of 1888	Sept. 10, 1888	3 P.M.	Office of the Official Receiver, 2, Paxton-terrace, Barrow-in-Furness	Sept. 19, 1888	2.30 P.M.	Court - house, Townhall, Barrow-in-Furness	
Walton, George ...	64, Warwick-street, Leamington, Warwickshire	Tobacconist and Coal Merchant	Warwick ...	9 of 1888	Sept. 19, 1888	11 A.M.	Offices of Edward Thomas Peirson, Official Receiver, 17, Hertford-street, Coventry	Oct. 10, 1888	2 P.M.	Shirehall, Warwick	Aug. 23, 1888

ADJUDICATIONS.

Debtor's Name	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Baker, Alfred, the younger...	273, Regent-street, Middlesex	Chemist	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	821 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888	July 9, 1888
Biddlecombe, Alfred John	The Railway Arch, Rye-lane, Peckham, Surrey	Tobacconist	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	947 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888	Aug. 4, 1888
Cordell, Joseph Webb	2, Lascott's-road, Bowes Park, and 83, Rathbone-place, both in Middlesex	Clerk to a firm of Artists' Colourmen	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1014 of 1888	Aug. 27, 1888	Aug. 20, 1888
Johnson, Edward	93, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London...	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	522 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888	Receiving Order made under sec. 103 Aug. 28, 1888
Larter, Thomas (trading as Thomas Hinton)	34, East-road, City-road, and 146, Mare-street, Hackney, formerly 33, Hackney-road, all in Middlesex	Furniture Dealer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1046 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888	
Phillips, Joseph Edward Silvester	7, Wells-street, Jermyn-street, Middlesex	Clerk to a Limited Liability Company	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	891 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888	July 26, 1888
Vincent, Robert Whyte (lately trading as Lindup and Vincent)	2, Martha-cottages, Downsell-road, Stratford, lately trading at 91, Hermit-road, Canning Town, both in Essex	Out of business, lately Grocer and Provision Dealer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1051 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888	Aug. 29, 1888
Davies, Richard	Penrhiw, Bethesda, Carnarvonshire	Quarry Overlooker	Bangor	35 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888	Aug. 27, 1888
Griffith, Lewis	Braichmelyn, Bethesda, Carnarvonshire	Quarryman	Bangor	34 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888	Aug. 27, 1888
Williams, Hugh	Abercaseg, Bethesda, Carnarvonshire	Quarryman	Bangor	33 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888	Aug. 27, 1888
Mason, James	Dalham, Suffolk	Grocer and Draper, Dealer in Earthenware and Tinware, and Flour Seller and Baker	Cambridge	19 of 1888	Aug. 27, 1888	Aug. 25, 1888
Toward, Thomas	Shildon, county of Durham	Builder and Contractor	Durham	12 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888	Aug. 2, 1888
Smerdon, John	10, Wolborough-street, Newton Abbot, Devonshire	Baker	Exeter	44 of 1888	Aug. 27, 1888	Aug. 27, 1888
Fryman, James Hercules	2, East Saint Mary's-gate, Great Grimsby, and residing at Abbey Terrace, Great Grimsby	Hairdresser	Great Grimsby	32 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888	Aug. 23, 1888
Thompson, John Richard (trading as Thompson and Barker)	3, Cambridge-street and 91A, Queen-street, both in Kingston-upon-Hull	Hosier and Glover	Kingston-upon-Hull	38 of 1888	Aug. 27, 1888	Aug. 1, 1888

ADJUDICATIONS—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Clark, Samuel	59, Welford-road, Leicester	Carver and Guilder	Leicester	87 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888 ...	Aug. 29, 1888
Smith, Charles Edward	Arab's Tent, Didsbury, Lancashire					
Cocks, Samuel William	Sunnyside, Railway-road, Urmston, Lancashire					
Milne, Alexander	Carroll-street, Brooklyn, New York, one of the United States of North America					
Cowlshaw, George Mainwaring, and Cowlshaw, Herbert William (trading together in partnership as Cowlshaw, Nicol, and Co.)	Carroll-street, Brooklyn aforesaid Kenwood, Albert-road, Southport, Lancashire					
	16, Princess-street, Manchester, Ashenhurst Works, Black- ley, Lancashire, 13 and 14, Warwick-lane, Newgate-street, in the city of London, and at Broadway and 18th Street, in New York aforesaid	Manufacturers of Silk, Worsted, and Mixed Fabrics and Em- broiderers by Machinery	Manchester (trans- ferred from High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy)	49 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888 ...	July 27, 1888
Ridley, John	31, Northcote-street and 25, Newgate-street, both in New- castle-on-Tyne	Mechanical and Electrical Engineer	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	56 of 1888	Aug. 27, 1888 ...	Aug. 11, 1888
Smith, Frederick (trading as the New- castle and Hexham Trading Company)	Jubilee-buildings, Cattle Market, Hexham, Northumberland	Clothier	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	57 of 1888	Aug. 27, 1888 ...	Aug. 13, 1888
Grigg, Walter Thomas	31, High-street, Newport, Isle of Wight	Draper	Newport and Ryde...	24 of 1888	Aug. 16, 1888 ...	Aug. 1, 1888
Roberts, Joseph	Frog-street, Tenby, Pembrokeshire	Grocer and Baker	Pembroke Dock	14 of 1888	Aug. 27, 1888 ...	Aug. 18, 1888
Woosnam, David	88, William-street, Ystrad, Rhondda, Glamorganshire	Shoemaker	Pontypridd	22 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888 ...	Aug. 28, 1888
Fraser, George	Holt Wood, Wimborne Minster, Dorsetshire	Tranter	Poole... ..	23 of 1888	Aug. 29, 1888 ...	Aug. 29, 1888
Tuck, Frederick	94, Sultan-road, Landport, Hampshire	Painter	Portsmouth	33 of 1888	Aug. 27, 1888 ...	Aug. 27, 1888
Hinton, George William	7, Tyneham-road, Lavender Hill, Wandsworth, Surrey	Butcher... ..	Wandsworth	36 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888 ...	Aug. 22, 1888
Owen, J. G.	8, Vernon-road, Clapham-road, Surrey	No occupation... ..	Wandsworth	26 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888 ...	May 29, 1888
Simm, Joseph	Stubshaw Cross, Ashton-in-Makerfield, Lancashire	Provision Dealer	Wigan	11 of 1888	Aug. 28, 1888 ...	Aug. 28, 1888

ORDER ON APPLICATION TO APPROVE COMPOSITION OR SCHEME.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Order.	Nature of Scheme or Composition sanctioned or Order made.
Joy, William	Stone Hall, Little Clacton, Essex. ...	Farmer	Colchester	14 of 1888	Aug. 21, 1888 ...	To pay creditors who are entitled to preferential payments under section 40 of the Bankruptcy Act, 1883, in full, and the proper costs of these proceedings in cash within two weeks of acceptance and confirmation, and to pay to unsecured creditors a Composition of 5s. in the pound within two weeks of the said acceptance and confirmation, such payment to be guaranteed to the satisfaction of the Official Receiver. The Receiving Order is rescinded and bankruptcy annulled

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NOTICES OF INTENDED DIVIDENDS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Profts.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Stewart, William	59, Eastcheap, London, and 9, Edinburgh-terrace, Kensington, Middlesex	Tea Broker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1224 of 1886	Sept. 15, 1888 ...	Arthur Cooper... ..	14, George-street, Mansion House, London, E.C.
Marsh, James William (deceased)	Late Thame, Oxfordshire	Schoolmaster... ..	Aylesbury	5 of 1888	Sept. 18, 1888 ...	George Mallam	1, St. Aldate, Oxford
Beacher, George Frederick	Harcourt Lodge, Chapeltown, near Sheffield, Yorkshire	Mining Engineer	Barnsley	19 of 1887	Sept. 17, 1888 ...	William Henry Sheldon	Midland-chambers, Rotherham
Atkinson, James William	157, Varna-road, Edgbaston, Birmingham, Warwickshire, and trading at 29, Temple-row, Birmingham.	Merchant	Birmingham	15 of 1888	Sept. 17, 1888 ...	Luke Jesson Sharp, Official Receiver	Whitehall - chambers, 25, Colmore-row, Birmingham
Barry, Rosina (lately trading as R. Coley)	King's-road, King's Heath, Worcestershire, and Newhall-street, Birmingham, Warwickshire, lately residing at 135, Stratford-road, Birmingham, and 190, Moseley-road, Birmingham, both in Warwickshire, and trading at 209, Newhall-street, Birmingham	Shot Belt Manufacturer	Birmingham	29 of 1888	Sept. 17, 1888 ...	Luke Jesson Sharp, Official Receiver	Whitehall - chambers, 25, Colmore-row, Birmingham
Parker, George	120, Bissell-street, Birmingham, Warwickshire	Baker	Birmingham	116 of 1887	Sept. 17, 1888 ...	Luke Jesson Sharp, Official Receiver	Whitehall - chambers, 25, Colmore-row, Birmingham
Taylor, Edward	73, Park-road, Hockley, Birmingham, Warwickshire, also trading at 90, Stanhope-street, Birmingham, and lately at 54, Spring-hill, Birmingham	Grocer	Birmingham	25 of 1888	Sept. 19, 1888 ...	Luke Jesson Sharp, Official Receiver	Whitehall - chambers, 25, Colmore-row, Birmingham
Connolly, Peter	49, Newport-street, Bolton, Lancashire... ..	Provision Dealer	Bolton	43 of 1887	Sept. 17, 1888 ...	G. H. Russell	49, Hanging Ditch, Manchester
Edwards, John	2, Bond-street, Brighton, Sussex... ..	China and Glass Dealer	Brighton	51 of 1888	Sept. 18, 1888 ...	A. Mackintosh, Official Receiver	4, Pavilion - buildings, Brighton
Wright, William	32, Ann-street, Brighton, Sussex... ..	Butcher	Brighton	29 of 1888	Sept. 20, 1888 ...	A. Mackintosh, Official Receiver	4, Pavilion - buildings, Brighton
Saxby, George	48, High-street, Folkestone, Kent	Watchmaker and Jeweller	Canterbury	43 of 1886	Sept. 13, 1888 ...	George C. Conley	Foord, Folkestone
Banner, George	110, Horseley-heath, Tipton, Staffordshire, and 28, Providence-street, Great Bridge, Tipton	Grocer... ..	Dudley	24 of 1886	Sept. 21, 1888 ...	Official Receiver	Dudley
Roberts, Joseph	236, Horseley-heath, Tipton, Staffordshire	Boot and Shoe Maker	Dudley	25 of 1886	Sept. 21, 1888 ...	Official Receiver	Dudley

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Morris, Joseph George, and Morris, Thomas Henry	32, King-street, Dudley, Worcestershire, trading at the Dudley Arms-yard, Dudley	Cab and Car Proprietors ...	Dudley ...	14 of 1886	Sept. 21, 1888 ...	Official Receiver ...	Dudley
Morris, Joseph George ... (Separate Estate)	32, King-street, Dudley, Worcestershire, trading at the Dudley Arms-yard, Dudley	Cab and Car Proprietor ...	Dudley ...	14 of 1886	Sept. 21, 1888 ...	Official Receiver ...	Dudley
Morris, Thomas Henry ... (Separate Estate)	32, King-street, Dudley, Worcestershire, trading at the Dudley Arms-yard, Dudley	Cab and Car Proprietor ...	Dudley ...	14 of 1886	Sept. 21, 1888 ...	Official Receiver ...	Dudley
Whitehouse, Isaac ...	Late Coseley, parish of Sedgley, Staffordshire...	Coalmaster ...	Dudley ...	1 of 1886	Sept. 17, 1888 ...	Official Receiver ...	Dudley
Armener, John ...	171, Seaside-road, Eastbourne, Sussex ...	Fruiterer ...	Eastbourne Lewes and	5 of 1887	Sept. 15, 1888 ...	A. Mackintosh, Official Receiver	4, Pavilion - buildings, Brighton
Hurst, William ...	1, Pillory-place, Bradford-street, Old Town, Eastbourne, Sussex	Coal Dealer ...	Eastbourne Lewes and	7 of 1887	Sept. 19, 1888 ...	A. Mackintosh, Official Receiver	4, Pavilion - buildings, Brighton
Preston, Emily ...	Gordon House, Prince's-road, Great Yarmouth, Norfolk	Late School Proprietress, Widow	Great Yarmouth ...	20 of 1888	Sept. 15, 1888 ...	H. P. Gould, Official Receiver	8, King-street, Norwich
Welham, John Charles ...	Blackfriars Tavern, Blackfriars-road, Great Yarmouth, Norfolk	Licensed Victualler ...	Great Yarmouth ...	19 of 1888	Sept. 15, 1888 ...	H. P. Gould, Official Receiver	8, King-street, Norwich
Kimm, Henry, and Goddard, Thomas Henry... (carrying on business as Kimm and Goddard) ...	Bexhill, Sussex 17, Undercliff, St. Leonards-on-Sea, Sussex	Auctioneers and Commission Agents	Hastings ...	26 of 1887	Sept. 18, 1888 ...	A. Mackintosh, Official Receiver	4, Pavilion - buildings, Brighton
Barnett, William ...	63, Lea-street, Kidderminster, Worcestershire...	Beerhouse Keeper and Machine Labourer.	Kidderminster ...	14 of 1887	Sept. 21, 1888 ...	Official Receiver ...	Dudley
Preval, William ...	1, Junction-street, Hunslet-lane, Leeds, York- shire	Omnibus Proprietor ...	Leeds ...	2 of 1888	Sept. 18, 1888 ...	John Bowling, Official Receiver	22, Park-row, Leeds
Lines, John ...	102, Leicester-road, Wigston, Leicestershire ...	Paper Box Manufacturer ...	Leicester ...	33 of 1887	Sept. 14, 1888 ...	Charles Rogers ...	22, Low-pavement, Notting- ham
Scarlett, James Booth ...	4, Denton-terrace, Denton, Sussex ...	Mechanical Engineer ...	Lewes and East- bourne	6 of 1885	Sept. 15, 1888 ...	A. Mackintosh, Official Receiver	4, Pavilion - buildings, Brighton
Eskrigge, Robert Croft ... (Separate Estate)	Lately 20, Elm-road, Seaforth, now Beacons- field-road, Seaforth, Lancashire	Builder, trading with Richard Jackson Eskrigge, at 13, Ewart-road, Sea- forth, as R. C. and R. J. Eskrigge	Liverpool ...	43 of 1887	Sept. 15, 1888 ...	Frederick Gittins ...	Official Receiver, 35, Vic- toria-street, Liverpool

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Wales, Philip	10, Victoria-street, Crewe, Cheshire	Boot and Shoe Maker	Nantwich and Crewe	1 of 1888	Sept. 14, 1888 ...	Thomas Bullock, Official Receiver	Newcastle-under-Lyme
Malaghan, Patrick	23, Ash-street, New Benwell, Northumberland, and 103, Clayton-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Tailor and Woollen Draper... ..	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	43 of 1884	Sept. 19, 1888 ...	Peter Kerr Chesney ...	Market-street-chambers, 52, Market-street, Bradford, Yorkshire
Piddocke, Morris	Kirknewton, Wooler, Northumberland	Clerk in Holy Orders	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	35 of 1887	Sept. 14, 1888 ...	Arthur S. Maples, Official Receiver	Pink-lane, Newcastle-on-Tyne
Pepper, Frederick Deeves	113, Unthanks-road, Heigham, Norwich	Accountant	Norwich	35 of 1887	Sept. 15, 1888 ...	H. P. Gould, Official Receiver	8, King-street, Norwich
Field, Thomas Waller ..	Residing at Hamilton-street, and trading at Bottom-o'-th'-Moor, both in Oldham, Lancashire, formerly trading with Tom Whatmough, as Field and Whatmough	Ironmonger	Oldham	10 of 1888	Sept. 19, 1888 ...	Thomas Gill	Ivy Mount, Eccles, Manchester
Richards, Richard	Residing at 10, Morgan-street, and trading at 11, Morgan-street, at 48, Taff-street, and at the Hong Kong, High-street, all in Pontypridd, Glamorganshire	Grocer and Ale and Porter Dealer	Pontypridd	15 of 1888	Sept. 17, 1888 ...	Edward Thomas Collins	39, Broad-street, Bristol
Arkinstall, Florence Mary Adney Dicken	20, Lansdowne - crescent, Claremont Park, Blackpool, Lancashire	Lodging-house Keeper, Wife of William Arkinstall	Preston	19 of 1887	Sept. 12, 1888 ...	John Gill	Church-street, Blackpool
Gaze, James (trading as James Gaze and Co.)	37, Sussex-street and Lower Mill-street, Scarborough, Yorkshire	Fish Curer	Scarborough	42 of 1887	Sept. 15, 1888 ...	Charles E. Bradley, Chartered Accountant	8, Market - street, Scarborough
Green, John	126, Alfred-road, Brightside-lane, Sheffield, Yorkshire, now or lately trading with William Heaton, at 41, Greystock-street, Attercliffe-road, Sheffield, and at Bridgegate, Rotherham, Yorkshire, as Heaton and Green, Pawnbrokers and Salesmen	Pawnbroker and Salesman	Sheffield	69 of 1887	Sept. 17, 1888 ...	William Henry Sheldon	Midland-chambers, Rotherham
Wells, Jasper	Halesowen, Worcestershire	Lime and Coal Merchant	Stourbridge	1 of 1887	Sept. 21, 1888 ...	Official Receiver ...	Dudley
Cogan, John Slocombe	Late Dodington Hall, Bridgwater, now Bicknoller, both in Somersetshire	Gentleman	Taunton	7 of 1888	Sept. 15, 1888 ...	George Philpott, Official Receiver	9, Middle-street, Taunton
Card, Neville	Lately residing at 141, Camden-road, Tunbridge Wells, now of the Freehold, Hadlow, both in Kent	Tea Dealer, lately Grocer and Tea Dealer	Tunbridge Wells	11 of 1887	Sept. 19, 1888 ...	A. Mackintosh, Official Receiver	4, Pavilion - buildings, Brighton
Law, Robert	Sparrows Green, Wadhurst, Sussex, and late of Durgates, Wadhurst	Grocer, Draper, and General Dealer	Tunbridge Wells	20 of 1888	Sept. 20, 1888 ...	A. Mackintosh, Official Receiver	4, Pavilion - buildings, Brighton

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or Otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Bacon, Walter Henry ...	3, Bath-place, Kensington and 50, Norfolk-terrace, Bayswater, Middlesex	Fine Art Publisher ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1877 of 1877	4s. 6d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of the Chief Official Receiver, 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London
Gunn, Charles (trading as E. Lennon and Co.)	77, Chalk Farm-road, Chalk Farm, Middlesex	Bedding Manufacturer and Upholsterer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	552 of 1888	5d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of the Chief Official Receiver, 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London
Horrell, George Thomas	74, Great Eastern-street, Middlesex, and of South-place, Eldon-street, Finsbury, Middlesex, and residing at the Elms, High Ongar, Essex	Feather Merchant ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	697 of 1888	5s.	Composition	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of the Chief Official Receiver, 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London
Spearman, Edmund Robert	3, Bank-buildings, Lothbury, London ...	Secretary to the Public Works Loan Board	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	778 of 1888	8d.	Fifth	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of the Chief Official Receiver, 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London
York, George, and Trustrum, Walter John ... (trading as George York and Coy.) ...	25, Albany-street, Regent's Park, Middlesex 62, Gaisford-street, Kentish Town, Middlesex 28, Stanhope-street, Euston-road, and Little Titchfield-street, both in Middlesex, and 2, Printing-house-lane, London	Saw Mill Proprietors and Packing Case Makers	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	391 of 1888	1s. 10½d.	First and Final	Sept. 10, 1888 ...	Offices of Messrs. Pratt and Norton, 9 and 10, Old Jewry-chambers, E.C.
Long, Frederick William Henry, and Long, Walter Edward Leopold (trading as F. and W. Long) ...	Saint Margaret-street, Bradford, Wiltshire	Builders	Bath	12 of 1888	2½d.	First	Sept. 3, 1888 ...	Offices of Official Receiver, Bank-chambers, Corn-street, Bristol
Parkinson, William ...	6, Rock-terrace, Crawshawbooth, near Rawtenstall, Lancashire, and trading at Bold Venture Mill, Crawshawbooth	Cotton Manufacturer ...	Blackburn	2 of 1888	7s. 3d.	First and Final	Sept. 11, 1888 ...	14A, Faulkner-street, Manchester
Ward, William, and Ward, Joseph ...	Boston, Lincolnshire	Brush Manufacturers ...	Boston	8 of 1888	10s. 10½d.	First and Final	Sept. 5, 1888 ...	Office of the Trustee, Mr. Charles Lucas, Chartered Accountant, 8, Bridge-street, Boston
Ward, William ... (Separate Estate)	Boston, Lincolnshire	Brush Manufacturer ...	Boston	8 of 1888	20s.	First and Final	Sept. 5, 1888 ...	Office of the Trustee, Mr. Charles Lucas, Chartered Accountant, 8, Bridge-street, Boston

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Ward, Joseph ... (Separate Estate)	Boston, Lincolnshire ...	Brush Manufacturer ...	Boston ...	8 of 1888	10s. 1½d.	First and Final	Sept. 5, 1888 ...	Office of the Trustee, Mr. Charles Lucas, Chartered Accountant, 8, Bridge-street, Boston
Bray, Jane ...	Residing in lodgings at 1, Victoria-buildings, Idle-road, Undercliffe, and trading at 45, North-parade, both in Bradford, Yorkshire	Boot and Shoe Dealer, Spinster	Bradford ...	3 of 1888	1s.	First and Final	Sept. 3, 1888 ...	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford
Hargreaves, John (trading as William Hargreaves and Co., formerly trading as John Hargreaves and Co.)	Residing at 80, La Page-street, Leeds-road, and trading at Haigh's-yard, Manchester-road, both in Bradford	Wool and Waste Dealer...	Bradford ...	24 of 1887	9½d.	First and Final	Sept. 10, 1888 ...	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford
Moses, Portas ...	Residing at 146, Lumb-lane, and trading at 3 and 5, Darley-street, both in Bradford, Yorkshire	Grocer and Provision Merchant	Bradford ...	36 of 1888	3s. 2d.	First and Final	Sept. 13, 1888 ...	32, Godwin-street, Bradford
Broad, Thomas Peter ...	Percy Villa, Oakwood-road, Burgess Hill, Sussex	Gentleman ...	Brighton ...	60 of 1888	6s. 10d.	First and Final	Sept. 11, 1888 ...	Office of Official Receiver, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Morrison, George Staunton	3, Middle-street, Brighton, Sussex ...	Gentleman ...	Brighton ...	38 of 1886	1s. 6d.	Second	Forthwith ...	Offices of the Trustee, Frederick George Clark, Chartered Accountant, 56, Ship-street, Brighton
Barfield, John William ...	Dunstan Farm, Mickley, parish of Dronfield, Derbyshire	Farmer ...	Chesterfield ...	1 of 1888	2s. 6d.	First and Final	Sept. 3, 1888 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, St. James's-chambers, Derby
Humphreys, John Joseph	1, Green-lane and 53, Normanton-road, both in Derby	Fishmonger and Game Dealer	Derby ...	42 of 1887	1s. 9½d.	First and Final	Sept. 3, 1888 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, St. James's-chambers, Derby
Gould, Ebenezer Temple	Guildford House, 4, Compton-street, Eastbourne, Sussex	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Eastbourne and Lewes	2 of 1888	2s. 6d.	First	Aug. 28, 1888 ...	Mr. Oscar Berry's Offices, 6, Arthur-street East, London Bridge, E.C.
Greenfield, Frances Ann (deceased)	Late South-street, Eastbourne, Sussex ...	Coal Merchant ...	Eastbourne and Lewes	3 of 1888	8s. 11½d.	First and Final	Sept. 11, 1888 ...	Office of Official Receiver, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Robertson, Robert Arthur	7, Saint James's-terrace, Great Grimsby, Lincolnshire	Smackowner and Musician	Great Grimsby ...	28 of 1887	2s. 6d.	Second	Sept. 5, 1888 ...	Office of the Official Receiver, Trinity House-lane, Hull
Crowther, Joseph ...	Victoria-street, West Vale, near Halifax, Yorkshire	Late Rate Collector and General Dealer	Halifax ...	21 of 1887	9d.	First and Final	Sept. 5, 1888 ...	Official Receiver's Office, Town-hall-chambers, Halifax
Smith, Herbert ...	20, Chester-road, Akroydon, Halifax, Yorkshire	Mill Manager ...	Halifax ...	16 of 1887	4s. 6d.	First and Final	Sept. 5, 1888 ...	Official Receiver's Office, Town-hall-chambers, Halifax

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Garrood, Walter ...	North Lopham, Norfolk ...	Stonemason ...	Ipswich ...	14 of 1885	9s.	Second and Final	Sept. 4, 1888 ...	Offices of the Official Receiver, Ipswich
Munday, Frederick George	3, Broadway, Wimbledon, Surrey, also trading at 65, High-street, Sutton, Surrey, lately residing at 11, Eillingham-road, Shepherd's Bush, Middlesex, formerly of 103, Buckridge-avenue, Willesden, Middlesex	A Dealer in Sewing Machines, &c.	Kingston, Surrey ...	9 of 1888	9d.	First	Sept. 17, 1888 ...	Office of Allen H. Stoneham, 28 and 29, St. Swithin's-lane, London, E.C.
Lockwood, William (Separate Estate)	The Knoll, near Prescott, Lancashire ...	Chemical Manufacturer, trading with John Leith, as Lockwood and Leith	Liverpool ...	20 of 1888	3s. 2d.	First and Final	On and after Sept. 4, 1888	Office of the Trustee, George Nicholson, 24, North John-street, Liverpool
Reed, John ...	Residing and trading at 16, Preeson's-row, Liverpool, Lancashire, and trading at the Nelson Restaurant, 4, Preeson's-row, Liverpool	Bootmaker and Restaurant Keeper	Liverpool ...	9 of 1888	6s. 10½d.	First and Final	Sept. 3, 1888 ...	Office of the Official Receiver, 35, Victoria-street, Liverpool
Fathers, Joel ...	The Loggerheads, in the parish of Ashley, Staffordshire	Innkeeper... ..	Nantwich and Crewe	9 of 1888	13s. 2d.	First and Final	Sept. 4, 1888 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Newcastle-under-Lyme
Orwin, Wilson James ...	147, Percy-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne, and now or late residing at 1, Lovaine-place, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Corn and Flour Dealer ...	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	68 of 1886	11d.	Third and Final	Sept. 11, 1888 ...	Offices of the Trustee, Thomas Eyton, County-chambers, Westgate-road, Newcastle-on-Tyne
Layfield, Alfred ...	Church Mill, Richmond, Yorkshire, lately residing at Wetherby, Yorkshire	Corn Miller ...	Northallerton ...	21 of 1887	10s. 6d.	First and Final	Sept. 8, 1888 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 8, Albert-road, Middlesborough
Oxlee, John Arthur Osiris	Skipton-upon-Swale, Yorkshire ...	Clerk in Holy Orders ...	Northallerton ...	1 of 1884	4s.	Third	Sept. 8, 1888 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 8, Albert-road, Middlesborough
Buxton, Henry ...	Watton, Norfolk ...	Brazier ...	Norwich ...	26 of 1888	2s. 10d.	First and Final	Aug. 31, 1888 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich
Pratt, George ...	28, Saint Benedict's-street, Norwich ...	Shoe Manufacturer ...	Norwich ...	26 of 1887	7s. 1½d.	First and Final	Aug. 31, 1888 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich
Herrod, Walter ...	Late Newark, Nottinghamshire, now residing at 8, Rookwood-road, Nottingham	Corn Merchant ...	Nottingham...	27 of 1888	2s. 7d.	First	Sept. 10, 1888 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 1, High-pavement, Nottingham
Flintoft, John ...	3, Newton-street, and of the Commercial Sale Rooms, Flowergate, both in Whitby, Yorkshire	Auctioneer and Furniture Dealer	Stockton-on-Tees, and Middlesborough	24 of 1888	5s. 6d.	First and Final	Sept. 8, 1888 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 8, Albert-road, Middlesborough

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Hall, Francis	21, Baxtergate, Whitby, Yorkshire, and lately residing at 28, Flowergate, Whitby	Watchmaker and Jeweller	Stockton - on - Tees, and Middlesborough	3 of 1888	20s. and 4 per cent. interest	First and Final	Sept. 8, 1888	Office of the Official Receiver, 8, Albert-road, Middlesborough
Pilkington, George ...	10, Wood-street, Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham	Surgeon	Stockton - on - Tees, and Middlesborough	12 of 1886	3s.	Second	Sept. 8, 1888	Official Receiver's Office, 8, Albert-road, Middlesborough
Murray, David Alexander	2, Nile-street, Sunderland, county of Durham	Grocer and Provision Merchant	Sunderland	4 of 1888	3s.	First	Sept. 10, 1888	Official Receiver's Office, 21, Fawcett-street, Sunderland
Higgins, John	Pewsey, Wiltshire	Chemist and Druggist ...	Swindon	6 of 1888	20s.	First and Final	Sept. 10, 1888	Offices of Henry C. Tombs, Official Receiver, 32, High-street, Swindon
Shillam, Daniel	Goole, Yorkshire	Late Superintendent of Missions, now Editor of the Evangelist at Work	Wakefield	10 of 1888	4½d.	First and Final	Aug. 31, 1888	Official Receiver's Office, Bond-terrace, Wakefield
Tucker, Henry	Meare, Somersetshire	Farmer	Wells... ..	4 of 1888	8s. 6d.	First and Final	Sept. 3, 1888	Offices of Official Receiver, Bank-chambers, Bristol
<i>The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 24th August, 1888.</i>								
Mellor, Richard Foster ...	Towngate, Northowram, near Halifax, Yorkshire	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Halifax	12 of 1888	11½d.	First and Final	Sept. 1, 1888	Official Receiver's Office, Town-hall-chambers, Halifax

APPLICATIONS FOR DEBTORS' DISCHARGE.

No. 25851.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Day fixed for Hearing.
	Williams, Evan	2, Salem-terrace, Pwllheli, Carnarvonshire	Coal Merchant	Bangor	6 of 1888	Oct. 1, 1888, 12 noon, Court-house, Bangor
	Banks, Thomas James	Warwick House, Queen's-road, Buckhurst Hill, Essex	Draper	Chelmsford	13 of 1888	Oct. 1, 1888, 12 noon, Shirehall, Chelmsford
	Lister, Margaret	Batley, Yorkshire	Formerly Publican, now out of business, Widow	Dewsbury	63 of 1885	Oct. 19, 1888
	Brownlow, William	North Somercotes, Lincolnshire	Farmer, Grazier, and Grocer	Great Grimsby	9 of 1886	Oct. 12, 1888, 10 A.M., Townhall, Great Grimsby
	Acres, Barnard	Much Hadham, Hertfordshire, lately carrying on business at Olive's Farm, Hunsdon, Hertfordshire	No occupation, lately Farmer	Hertford	2 of 1888	Oct. 3, 1888, 12 noon, Shirehall, Hertford
G	Plumtree, Tom Betts	62, Graham-road, Wimbledon, Surrey	Builder	Kingston, Surrey	13 of 1888	Oct. 12, 1888, 3.30 P.M., Kingston, Surrey
	Soars, William	37, Saint Nicholas-street, Leicester	Builder and Fruiterer	Leicester	5 of 1888	Oct. 1, 1888, 10 A.M.
	Hale, Frank Cartwright Guest	Ludlow, Salop, and Leominster, Herefordshire	Tailor and Outfitter, trading with Frederick Yapp, as Frederick Yapp and Company	Leominster	2 of 1886	Oct. 18, 1888

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS 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.
Stevenson, William Edgar	23, Albemarle-street, Middlesex, and Saint Andrew's, Clevedon, Somersetshire	Gentleman	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	276 of 1888	Aug. 7, 1888...	Discharge granted	
Vale, George (trading as Vale Bros.)	318, Essex-road, Islington, Middlesex	Wine, Spirit, and Beer Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	527 of 1888	Aug. 7, 1888...	Discharge suspended for nine months. Bankrupt to be discharged as from the 8th 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; and had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent
Simpson, Wilfred ...	Pepperroyd Ironworks, Dewsbury, Yorkshire	Engineer, trading with Joseph Simpson, since deceased, as J. Simpson and Son	Dewsbury ...	2 of 1887	July 31, 1888	Discharge granted	
Stead, Thomas and Stead, Richard (trading as John Stead)	10, Roger-place, Skinner-lane, Leeds 26, Cobden-place, Leeds 57A, North-street, Leeds, Yorkshire	Tailors and Woollen Drapers	Leeds	65 of 1887.	June 14, 1888	Discharge suspended for three months	Bankrupts had omitted to keep their books of account in such manner as to sufficiently disclose their financial position within the three years immediately preceding their bankruptcy; and had continued to trade after knowing themselves to be insolvent
Faulkner, John	13, Great Ducie - street, Strangeways, Manchester	Electric Engineer ...	Manchester ...	7 of 1888	Aug. 4, 1888...	Discharge suspended for one month	Bankrupt had omitted to keep such books of account as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; and had on three previous occasions, viz., in the years 1854, 1864, and 1878, made statutory or other compositions or arrangements with his creditors
Parkinson, William James (trading as Blackburn and Parkinson)	Myerscough House, near Garstang, and trading at 8A, Mathew-street, Liverpool, both in Lancashire	Provision Merchant ...	Preston... ..	12 of 1888	Aug. 7, 1888...	Discharge suspended for three months. Bankrupt to be discharged as and from the 7th November, 1888	Bankrupt had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; and 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
Spiller, John	Eastbourne-terrace, East Beach, Taunton, Somersetshire	Builder	Taunton	2 of 1887	Aug. 7, 1888...	Discharge suspended for six months. Bankrupt to be discharged as and from 7th February, 1888	Bankrupt had omitted to keep any books of account whatever; had brought on his bankruptcy to a great extent by speculation in land, losing in one instance £181; and had given an undue preference to one Samuel Wilmot

ADJUDICATION ANNULLED.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Adjudication.	Date of Annulment.	Grounds of Annulment.
Joy, William	Stone Hall, Little Clacton, Essex	Farmer	Colchester	14 of 1888	July 4, 1888 ...	Aug. 21, 1888 ...	Approval of a Composition of 5s. in the pound

APPOINTMENTS OF TRUSTEES.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Trustee's Name.	Address.	Date of Certificate of Appointment.
Heard, Edward	Trading at City Wharf, New North-road, and residing at 46, Eagle Wharf-road, New North-road, Middlesex	General Contractor...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	691 of 1888	Foreman, Ebenezer Chambers	57, Gracechurch-street, E.C.	Aug. 23, 1888
Peel, George	14, Adelaide-road, Chalk Farm, Middlesex, lately residing and trading at 42, Chalk Farm-road, Middlesex, and lately trading at Windsor-chambers, 20, Great Saint Helens, in the city of London, and 69 and 70, Mark-lane, in the city of London	Manager to a Corn Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	864 of 1888	Foreman, Ebenezer Chambers	57, Gracechurch-street, E.C.	Aug. 23, 1888
Hughes-Hallett, C. M.	Oak Lodge, Crawley, Sussex	Gentleman	Brighton	65 of 1888	Pannell, William Henry	13, Basinghall-street, London	Aug. 29, 1888
Marshall, John (trading as John Marshall and Co.)	Residing at Ramsden Wood House, Walsden, near Todmorden, and trading at Spring Dye Works, Walsden, Lancashire, and 15, Sackville-street, Manchester	Dyer	Burnley	12 of 1888	Lees, Joseph Shaw...	Halifax, Accountant ...	Aug. 28, 1888
Pearson, Edward	29, the Market-place, South Shields, county of Durham	Draper	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	49 of 1888	Tatton, Thomas ... and Winter, John Martin	21, Nicholas-street, Portland-street, Manchester, Accountant 16, Market-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Chartered Accountant	Aug. 24, 1888
Attenborough, George, and... Herbert, Mary Ann (trading as Attenborough and Herbert)	20, Hamilton-road, Sherwood-rise, Nottingham 230, Arkwright-street, Nottingham	Formerly a Married Woman, now divorced from her Husband Fancy Hosiery and Mantle Manufacturers	Nottingham... ..	80 of 1888	Gath, Walter ...	12, Fletcher-gate, Nottingham, Chartered Accountant	Aug. 28, 1888
Matthews, Charles	98, Tettenhall-road, Wolverhampton, trading at Cleveland-road, Wolverhampton, Staffordshire	Iron Fencing Manufacturer	Wolverhampton ...	23 of 1888	Muras, Robert ...	Queen-street, Wolverhampton, Chartered Accountant	Aug. 28, 1888

NOTICE TO DEBTORS IN LIEU OF PERSONAL SERVICE OF BANKRUPTCY NOTICES AND PETITIONS, AND OF APPLICATIONS 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.
Bray, William Henry ...	Victoria House, Brighton-road, New Humberstone, Leicestershire	Builder	Leicester	85 of 1888	Creditor's petition ...	Aug. 28, 1888 ...	Sept. 7, 1888, 10 A.M.	John Underwood, of 23, Freeschool-lane, Leicester, Plumber and Glazier and Brickmaker, trading as Norman and Underwood
Richards, Charles Thomas	Loughborough-road, Belgrave, Leicestershire	Builder and Contractor	Leicester	86 of 1888	Creditor's petition ...	Aug. 29, 1888 ...	Sept. 10, 1888, 11 A.M.	Mary Ann Thornton, 4½, Wellington-street, Leicester, Plumber, Glazier, and Gasfitter

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 estates of William Blair, Bookseller and Stationer, 40, Wellgate, Dundee, were sequestrated on the 28th day of August, 1888, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the 16th day of August, 1888.

The meeting to elect the Trustees and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, afternoon, on Tuesday, the 4th day of September, 1888, within Lamb's Hotel, Reform-street, Dundee.

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 28th December, 1888.

The sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the county of Forfar at Dundee.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

J. and F. ANDERSON, W.S., 48, Castle-street, Edinburgh, Agents.

THE estates of John Alexander Livingston Campbell, late a Captain in the Royal Artillery, and who lately resided in Edinburgh, thereafter at South Hall,

Colintraive, Greenock, and at Rosegarth, Dunoon, but whose present residence is unknown, were sequestrated on the 28th day of August, 1888, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the 30th day of July, 1888.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock, on Friday, the 7th day of September, 1888, within Dowell's Rooms, No. 18, George-street, Edinburgh.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 28th day of December, 1888.

The sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff Court of the Sheriffdom of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

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