

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

Mr. Justice Kekewich.

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1867; and in the Matter of the Companies Act, 1877; and in the Matter of the Workmen's Institute and Refreshment Rooms Company Limited and Reduced.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition presented to the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, on the 11th day of May, 1891, for confirming a Special Resolution, reducing the capital of the above Company from £10,000 to £5,000, is directed to be heard before the Honourable Mr. Justice Kekewich, on the 20th day of June, 1891. Any creditor or shareholder of the Company desiring to oppose the making of an Order for the reduction of the capital 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 shareholder of the Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charges for the same.—Dated this 2nd day of June, 1891.

LOVELL, SON, and PITFIELD, 3, Gray's-inn-square, London, W.C.; Agents for
PEARCE, PARIS, and SMITH, Southampton, Solicitors for the Company.

In the Matter of the Azoff Coal 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 12th day of May, 1891, confirming the reduction of the capital of the abovenamed Company from £165,000 to £69,320, 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 3rd day of June, 1891; and further take notice, that the said Minute is in the words and figures following:—
“The capital of the Azoff Coal Company Limited is £69,320, divided into 15,000 preference shares of £1 each, and 54,320 ordinary shares of £1 each, of which 10,010 preference and 43,280 ordinary shares have been and are to be deemed to be fully paid up, and the residue of both the preference and ordinary shares are unissued, and nothing is to be deemed paid up thereon, instead of the former capital of £165,000, divided into 15,000 preference shares of £1 each, and 15,000 original shares of £10 each, of which 10,010 preference and 10,840 original shares were fully paid up, and 1,400 original shares were paid up to the amount of £7 per share, and the residue of both preference and original shares were not in issue.”—Dated this 4th day of June, 1891.

BLUNT and LAWFORD, 95, Gresham-street, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Company.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACTS, 1878 TO 1890.

RETURN of the Number of Cattle Slaughtered in Great Britain by order of the Board of Agriculture under The Contagious Diseases (Animals) (Pleuro-Pneumonia) Act, 1890, during the Week ended May 30th, 1891.

PLEURO-PNEUMONIA.

	Number of Cattle Slaughtered as diseased, including those which were found after Slaughter to be diseased.	Number of Cattle Slaughtered as having been in contact with Cattle affected or as having been otherwise exposed to infection.	Number of Cattle Slaughtered as suspected, but found free from Pleuro-Pneumonia.
ENGLAND.			
COUNTY.*			
Bedford ... ..	...	14	...
Derby... ..	...	...	1
Kent (ex. London) ... ..	...	39	...
Lancaster	15	120	...
London	1	...	...
Northampton (ex. Soke of Peterborough). ... ..	...	14	...
Northumberland	6	64	...
Surrey (ex. London) ... ..	...	26	...
York, West Riding ... ..	...	150	...
SCOTLAND.			
COUNTY.*			
Aberdeen	1	23	...
Forfar ... ..	...	1	...
Midlothian ... ..	...	...	2
TOTAL ...	23	451	3

* 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. Board of Agriculture, 5th June, 1891.