must be signed by the person or firm or his or their Solicitor (if any) and must be served, or if posted, must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above named not later than two o'clock in the afternoon of the 30th day of January 1897.

In the High Court of Justice.-Companies (Winding-up). Mr. Justice Romer acting for Mr. Justice Vaughan Williams. No. 00287 of 1896.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the West Indian and British Guiana Ice Company Limited.

BY an Order made by Mr. Justice Romer (acting for Mr. Justice Vaughan Williams) in the above matters dated the 11th day of January 1897 on the petition of Annie de Courcy Bower the wife of Arthur William Frederick de Courcy Bower of 87 Cadogan-place in the county of Middlesex Gentleman a creditor and contributory of the above named Company praying that an Order might be made for the continuance of the voluntary winding-up of the said Company but subject to the supervision of the Court. It was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the West Indian and British Guiana Ice Company Limited be continued but subject to the supervision of the Court and any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding up might be adopted as the Court should think fit. And it was ordered that William George Jeffreys the Liquidator in the voluntary winding up of the said Company should on the 11th day of February 1897 and in each succeeding month file with the Registrar Companies (Windingup) a report in writing as to the position of and progress made with the winding up of the said Company and with the realization of the assets thereof and as to any other matters connected with the winding up as the Court might from time And it was ordered that no bills to time direct. of costs charges or expenses or special remuneration to any Solicitor employed by the Liquidator of the said Company or any remuneration charges or expenses of such Liquidator or of any Manager Accountant Auctioneer Broker or other person be paid out of the assets of the said Company unless such costs charges expenses or remuneration shall have been taxed or allowed by the Registrar Companies (Winding-up). And it was ordered that all such costs charges expenses and remuneration be taxed and ascertained accordingly. And it was ordered that the costs of the petitioner and of the said Company and of the said creditors and contributories supporting the said petition of the said petition be taxed and paid out of the assets of the said Company but in such taxation only one set of costs was to be allowed between the petitioner and the said creditors and contributories supporting the petition. And the creditors contributories and Liquidator of the said Company and all other persons interested were to be at liberty to apply to the Court as there might be occasion. -Dated the 21st day of January 1897.

S. J. R. STAMMERS 27 and 28 Basinghallstreet London E.C. Solicitor for the said Petitioner.

12 the Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster.-Manchester District. Companies (Winding-up).

1897. Letter S. No. 8956. In the Matter of S. H. Swire and Company Limited and in the Matter of the Companies Court of Chancery of Lancaster Acts 1850 to 1890.

TOTICE is hereby given that a petition IN for the winding up of the above named Company by the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster was on the 19th day of January 1897 presented to the said Court by Marian Maiden of Timperley Fold Hurst in the county of Lancaster Spinster carrying on business as a Colliery Proprietor and Coal Dealer at the Broad Oak Colliery Ashton-under-Lyne in the said county of Lancaster under the style or firm of the Broad Oak Colliery Company and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at St. George's Hall Liverpool in the county of Lancaster on Monday the 1st day of February 1897 at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order on the said petition may 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 under-signed, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

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Solicitor to the Petitioner.

Note.--Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above named notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person or if a firm the name and address of the firm and must be signed by the person or firm or his or their Solicitor (if any) and must be served or if posted must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above named not later than 2 o'clock in the afternoon of the 30th day of January 1897.

## Law Life Assurance Society. 187, Fleet-Street, London, E.C.,

January 22, 1897. OTICE is hereby given, that a Special General Meeting of the Proprietors of the N Law Life Assurance. Society will be held at the Society's office, No. 187, Fleet-street, London, E.C., on Friday, the 19th day of February, 1897, at one o'clock in the afternoon, when there will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution of the Society the resolution already passed at the Special General Meeting of the Society held on the 20th day of January, 1897, for altering the regulations of the Society (1) by abolishing, as from an early date, the restrictions confining proprietorship of the Society to members of the profession of the law resident in the United Kingdom, (2) by enlarging the discretion of the Directors to refuse proposed transferees of shares, (3) by shortening in the case of certain General Meetings the length of previous notice by advertisement required, and (4) by diminishing the proportion of the profits of the Assurance Fund that is hereafter to be divisible amongst the Proprietors, and making a corresponding increase in the proportion of such profits that is to be divisible amongst the holders of policies effected with the Society on and after the 1st day of January, 1897.

And notice is hereby also given, that imme-diately after the conclusion of the above Special General Meeting, the Ordinary General Meeting Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the of the Proprietors of the Society will be held at