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*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
January 26, 1897.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Friday, the 26th February next, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to His Royal Highness at the Levee shall be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her Majesty.

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEVEE TO BE HELD AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE, ON BEHALF OF HER MAJESTY.

By Her Majesty's Command,

Gentlemen who propose to attend Her Majesty's Levee, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with The Queen's Page in attendance in the Corridor, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to His Royal Highness.

PRESENTATIONS.

Gentlemen who propose to present others must send in writing the name of such Gentlemen to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, not later than *two days* previous to the Levee, in order that the Lord Chamberlain may submit the names to Her Majesty, when, if they are approved, Presentation Cards will be forwarded. Forms for the purpose can be obtained at the Lord Chamberlain's Office.

Gentlemen who wish to be presented officially should communicate with the heads of their Department, who will provide them with the necessary cards and instructions.

It is particularly requested that the names of the Gentlemen to be presented be *very distinctly written* on the Presentation Cards delivered to the Lord Chamberlain at the Levee, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to His Royal Highness.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at half-past one o'clock.

LATHOM,
Lord Chamberlain.

*Chancery of the Royal Victorian Order,
St. James's Palace, January 30, 1897.*

THE Queen has been pleased to make the following appointments to the Royal Victorian Order:—

To be Knight Commander.

General Lynedoch Gardiner, C.B., Colonel Commandant, Royal Horse Artillery, Groom in Waiting and Extra Equerry to the Queen.

To be a Member of the Fourth Class.

Maurice Muther, Esq., German Secretary to Her Majesty.

Foreign Office, January 30, 1897.

IT is hereby notified that, on the 28th instant, Monsieur Crisanto Medina presented, through the Marquess of Salisbury, K.G., Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, his Letters of Credence as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Greater Republic of Central America.

Whitehall, February 1, 1897.

THE Queen has been pleased to order a Congé d'Élire to pass the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, empowering the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Peterborough to elect a Bishop of that See, the same being void by the translation of the Right Reverend Father in God Doctor Mandell Creighton to the See of London; and Her Majesty has been pleased to recommend to the said Dean and Chapter the Honourable and Reverend Edward Carr Glyn, D.D., Vicar of Kensington, to be by them elected Bishop of the said See of Peterborough.

Crown Office, February 2, 1897.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Forfar.

Captain John Sinclair, in the place of James Martin White, Esq., who hath accepted the Stewardship of the Chiltern Hundreds.

(S. 602.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),
London, February 1, 1897.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of a Notice issued by the Governor of Malta, intimating that the importation is forbidden, before disinfection, of the following articles, viz.:—Soiled wearing apparel, bedding materials, hides, feathers, leather, bones, and jute goods.

(S. 603.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),
London, February 1, 1897.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of a Telegram from the Governor of Gibraltar, reporting that vessels from India will not get pratique, and will not be allowed to land passengers or goods. Mails and specie will be landed in quarantine, and coals and provisions supplied in quarantine.

(S. 606.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),
London, February 1, 1897.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Representative at Lisbon, reporting that all ships coming directly or indirectly from Indian ports, from those of the Sea of Oman and of Persian Gulf, as well as all cargo and luggage, will be subjected to rigorous disinfection and passengers and crews placed in strict quarantine.

(S. 619.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),
London, February 1, 1897.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram, dated 30th ultimo, from Her Majesty's Representative at Tunis, reporting that ships coming directly or indirectly from India will be refused communication for coaling or otherwise.

(S. 622.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),
London, February 1, 1897.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Representative at Copenhagen, reporting that the Government of the Danish Antilles have substituted a sanitary inspection for the five days' quarantine imposed on arrivals from the Island of Martinique.

(S. 623.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),
London, February 1, 1897.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of a Telegram, dated 28th ultimo, from the Governor of Malta, of which the following is a copy, viz.:—"From 6th February inclusive, vessels from India, having no cases of plague or suspected cases of plague on board, will communicate with Comino Island, where passengers can be landed to undergo 21 days' quarantine, their clothes and linen being disinfected. Such vessels will coal at Cominotto Islet."

Admiralty, 29th January, 1897.

Lieutenant on probation James Olden Hatcher has been confirmed in the rank of Lieutenant on the Supplementary List of Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 31st October, 1895.

Admiralty, 30th January, 1897.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant Courtenay Edwin Stainer has been confirmed as a Sub-Lieutenant on the Supplementary List of Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 6th January, 1897.

Chaplain the Reverend Henry Somerset Fitzroy, B.A., LL.B., has been appointed a Naval Instructor in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 23rd January, 1897.

Admiralty, 1st February, 1897.

Royal Naval Reserve.

THE following Gentleman to be a Sub-Lieutenant:—
Charles Peter Wilson. Dated 31st October, 1895.

War Office, Pall Mall,

2nd February, 1897.

1st Life Guards, Lieutenant John Spencer Cavendish, from 3rd Battalion the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant B. D'A. Corbet, resigned. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

Lieutenant Harold Greenwood Henderson, from 3rd Battalion Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment), to be Second Lieutenant, vice R. V. L. Lloyd-Philipps, promoted. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

2nd Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Cecil Pellew Bradshaw, from 3rd Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant N. M. Smyth, seconded. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

10th Hussars, Second Lieutenant A. L. Cave from 4th Hussars, to be Second Lieutenant, vice the Honourable G. B. Portman, promoted. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

Royal Engineers, Captain Bruce B. Russell to be Major, in succession to Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel A. C. Alexander, placed on half-pay. Dated 18th January, 1897.

Captain Robert L. C. Brooker retires from the Service receiving a gratuity. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

Lieutenant Charles G. Burnaby to be Captain, vice B. B. Russell. Dated 18th January, 1897.

Gentleman Cadet Arthur Richard Careless Sanders, from the Royal Military Academy, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Buffs (East Kent Regiment), Captain Corry L. Connellan retires from the Service receiving a gratuity, with permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

The King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment), Second Lieutenant Eustace M. Townsend resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

The Northumberland Fusiliers, Lieutenant Frederick S. Dawson is seconded for service as Adjutant of the Malay States' Guides. Dated 1st October, 1896.

The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant H. S. Toppin is ante-dated to 1st October, 1896, vice F. S. Dawson.

The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Major Arthur H. Coles, D.S.O., retires on retired pay. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

Captain Charles J. Cockburn to be Major, vice A. H. Coles, D.S.O. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

The Devonshire Regiment, Captain Thomas A. H. Davies, D.S.O., to be Major, vice J. Browne, retired. Dated 15th January, 1897.

Captain Frederick C. Briggs to be Major, vice G. M. Bullock, promoted. Dated 18th January, 1897.

The Bedfordshire Regiment, Second Lieutenant W. E. C. Hood to be Lieutenant, vice E. I. de S. Thorpe, seconded. Dated 21st November, 1896.

The Royal Irish Regiment, Second Lieutenant Charles P. Nicolas resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

Quartermaster and Honorary Major Thomas Hamilton is placed on retired pay. Dated 28th January, 1897.

Quartermaster Sergeant James Joseph Fox to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, vice Honorary Major T. Hamilton. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

The Lancashire Fusiliers, Second Lieutenant E. C. Brierley to be Lieutenant, vice H. P. Keelan, seconded. Dated 14th September, 1896.

The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Crawford, on completion of his period of service in command of a Battalion, is placed on half-pay. Dated 1st February, 1897. Major Thomas M. G. Thackeray to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice H. Crawford. Dated 1st February, 1897.

The Worcestershire Regiment, Second Lieutenant B. K. W. Bacon to be Lieutenant, vice R. T. C. Calvert, seconded. Dated 27th January, 1897.

The East Lancashire Regiment, Second Lieutenant P. Lonsdale to be Lieutenant, vice A. B. Battye, seconded. Dated 31st October, 1896.

The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, Captain Rupert Stewart is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Volunteers. Dated 14th January, 1897.

Second Lieutenant H. W. Fife to be Lieutenant, vice R. Ducat, seconded. Dated 31st August, 1896.

The Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment), Captain Charles G. Stewart is seconded for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 2nd January, 1897.

The Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Second Lieutenant W. L. F. Blake to be Lieutenant, vice A. C. Edwardes, seconded. Dated 22nd October, 1896.

Gentleman Cadet Francis Harry Stapleton, from the Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenant, vice W. L. F. Blake. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

The King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), Second Lieutenant L. B. H. Haworth to be Lieutenant, vice L. M. R. Deas, seconded. Dated 13th September, 1896.

The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), Second Lieutenant W. St. C. Muscroft to be Lieutenant, vice W. J. P. Preston, seconded. Dated 24th October, 1896.

Colour-Sergeant Charles McKey, from Grenadier Guards, to be Second Lieutenant, on augmentation, in recognition of his services during the recent operations in the Soudan. Dated 18th November, 1896.

The King's Royal Rifle Corps, Supernumerary Captain C. Ashburnham to be Captain, vice H. A. Kinloch, promoted. Dated 18th January, 1897.

Captain James E. B. Martin retires on retired pay. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

The Manchester Regiment, Second Lieutenant W. W. C. Stevenson to be Lieutenant, vice E. H. Gorges, promoted. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

The Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), Second Lieutenant A. W. S. Ewing to be Lieutenant, vice R. S. Hutchison, appointed Adjutant. Dated 9th January, 1897.

The York and Lancaster Regiment, Lieutenant Clifford M. FitzGerald to be Captain, vice F. M. Shadwell, deceased. Dated 8th September, 1896.

The Durham Light Infantry, Captain R. M. D'Arcy-Hildyard is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Volunteers. Dated 1st January, 1897.

The Highland Light Infantry, Lieutenant James W. A. Cowan to be Captain, vice the Honourable H. J. Anson, promoted. Dated 20th January, 1897.

Second Lieutenant T. F. Murray to be Lieutenant, vice J. W. A. Cowan. Dated 20th January, 1897.

The Gordon Highlanders, The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 11th January, 1897:—

St. John Meyrick, vice R. D. Sinclair-Wemyss, seconded.

Walter Campbell, Adjutant, to complete establishment.

Second Lieutenant H. S. Wedderburn to be Lieutenant, vice St. J. Meyrick. Dated 11th January, 1897.

The Royal Irish Rifles, Captain Ponsonby M. L. Carew, about to be appointed to the Militia, retires on retired pay under Article 509, Royal Warrant, 11th March, 1896. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

The Connaught Rangers, Supernumerary Lieutenant Arthur J. B. Church to be Lieutenant, vice E. L. Laursen, resigned. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

The Royal Dublin Fusiliers, Second Lieutenant H. W. Higginson to be Lieutenant, vice G. Chrystie, seconded. Dated 23rd October, 1896.

Army Service Corps, The undermentioned Officers are transferred on probation. Dated 1st October, 1896:— *Lieutenants*.

Herbert S. Buckle, Royal Marine Light Infantry. Henry C. F. Cumberlege, Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Edward G. Evans, the King's Own (Royal Lancashire Regiment).

Julian M. Young, the Lancashire Fusiliers.

William K. Tarrer, the Cheshire Regiment.

Second Lieutenants.

Frank B. M. Chatterton, the Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment).

Horace W. W. O. Carey, the Royal Warwickshire Regiment.

Herbert A. Porter, 19th Hussars.

George C. D. Masterson, the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment).

Harry S. Wright, the Royal Munster Fusiliers.

Lawrence S. Roberts, the King's (Liverpool Regiment).

Staff, Colonel M. Protheroe, C.B., C.S.I., Indian Staff Corps, Aide-de-Camp to the Queen, to be Assistant Military Secretary (for Indian Affairs) at Head-Quarters, vice General J. J. H. Gordon, C.B., Indian Staff Corps, who has vacated that appointment. Dated 1st February, 1897.

Colonel the Honourable G. H. Gough, C.B., from half-pay, to be Private Secretary to Field-Marshal the Right Honourable G. J., Viscount Wolseley, K.P., G.C.B., G.C.M.G., Commander-in-Chief. Dated 26th January, 1897.

Captain F. S. Robb, the Durham Light Infantry, from Staff Captain at Head-Quarters, to be a Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General at Head-Quarters, vice Major F. R. C. Carleton, the Durham Light Infantry, whose period of service in that appointment is about to expire. Dated 15th February, 1897.

Lieutenant R. S. W. Jackson, 11th Hussars, to be Aide-de-Camp to the Right Honourable Sir J. W. Ridgeway, K.C.B., K.C.S.I., Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Ceylon. Dated 24th January, 1896.

Royal Military College, Major J. S. Talbot, the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), to be Assistant Commandant and Secretary, vice Lieutenant-Colonel M. Wynyard, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 22nd January, 1897.

Captain L. A. H. Hamilton, the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), to be an Instructor, vice Major W. C. W. Rawlinson, the Lincolnshire Regiment, who has vacated that appointment. Dated 27th January, 1897.

Army Medical Staff, Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel William M. James retires on retired pay. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

Army Ordnance Department, Captain W. B. Wallace, the Suffolk Regiment, to be an Assistant-Inspector, vice Major the Honourable A. Lambart, Royal Artillery, retired. Dated 21st January, 1897.

Army Pay Department, Captain G. B. Smith, from the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), having resigned his combatant Commission, to be Paymaster, with the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 1st September, 1892.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel John R. M. Chard, V.C., Royal Engineers, to be Colonel. Dated 8th January, 1897.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Davidson, Indian Staff Corps, to be Colonel. Dated 25th November, 1896.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

The undermentioned Colonels are transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List:—
Charles J. O. Chambers. Dated 17th January, 1897.

Sir Benjamin P. Bromhead, Bart., C.B. Dated 18th January, 1897.

The undermentioned Majors are granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel whilst serving as Regimental Commandants, Indian Army:—

Edward R. Penrose. Dated 8th September, 1896.

Robert C. Andrews. Dated 28th October, 1896.

John E. C. Thatcher. Dated 8th November, 1896.

The undermentioned Captains are granted the temporary rank of Major whilst serving as Regimental Seconds-in-Command, Indian Army:—

Alfred Poingdestre. Dated 8th September, 1896.

Richard Wapshare. Dated 10th November, 1896.

George W. Priesley. Dated 12th November, 1896.

MEMORANDA.

Colonel Edward A. Brind, on vacating the appointment of Chief Recruiting Staff Officer, is placed on half-pay. Dated 1st February, 1897.

Colonel Frederick J. Fane, half-pay, is placed on retired pay. Dated 30th January, 1897.

Lieutenant-Colonel Montagu Wynyard, on completion of his period of service on the Staff, is placed on half-pay. Dated 22nd January, 1897.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert F. Willoughby on completion of his period of service on the Staff, is placed on retired pay. Dated 1st February, 1897.

Captain A. R. Stuart, Royal Artillery, is granted the local rank of Major whilst commanding the Sierra Leone Company of Royal Artillery. Dated 23rd December, 1896.

Lieutenant J. M. Reddie, the Worcestershire Regiment, is granted the local rank of Captain whilst employed under the British North Borneo Company. Dated 1st February, 1897.

Deputy-Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Alexander Lawson, Bombay Establishment, is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 1st October, 1896.

ARMY MEDICAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Surgeon-Captain James Drummond, M.D., 3rd Durham Volunteer Artillery (Western Division, Royal Artillery), to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

War Office, 2nd February, 1897.

MILITIA:

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

The Fife Artillery (Southern Division), Captain and Honorary Major R. Davidson to be Major, vacating at the same time his appointment as Instructor of Artillery. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

The West of Scotland Artillery (Southern Division), Lieutenant D. L. Crawford resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

The Wicklow Artillery (Southern Division), Captain T. E. MacD. Madden is appointed Instructor of Artillery. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

INFANTRY.

4th Battalion, the Lincolnshire Regiment, Lieutenant Sir B. G. D. Sheffield, Bart., resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment, Arthur Joseph Groves Hargreaves, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

4th Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment, Peter Rupert Bassett, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Leicestershire Regiment, Duncan Hamilton Blunt, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

4th Battalion, the Royal Irish Regiment, Robert James Rees-Mogg, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Cheshire Regiment, Lieutenant E. W. Griffith resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Gloucestershire Regiment, Cyril Francis Hawley, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Worcestershire Regiment, William Alexander Gordon, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th January, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment, Thomas Harry Saunders Marchant, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

4th Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

H. V. B. Byles. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

E. P. Philipson-Stow. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

R. M. Heath. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

R. F. Peel. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

E. Seymour. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

H. M. Thomson. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

W. A. Spooner. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

H. Maddick. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Sussex Regiment, Nigel William Dawnay, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment, Captain H. S. Whalley-Tooker resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

4th Battalion, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Charles Hunter Browning, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

3rd Battalion, Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment), John Urlwin, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

4th Battalion, the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), Captain Ponsonby May Lynn Carew, retired pay, late 1st Battalion, Royal Irish Rifles, to be Captain. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), Edward James Edwards, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

7th Battalion, the King's Royal Rifle Corps, Lieutenant-Colonel E. C. C. Hartopp is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

Major R. Story is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

Robert Francis Dalrymple, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the York and Lancaster Regiment, Walter Swire, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

4th Battalion, the Highland Light Infantry, Lieutenant A. W. Jones resigns the appointment of Instructor of Musketry to the Battalion. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

Lieutenant W. Mearns is appointed Instructor of Musketry to the Battalion. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

3rd Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, the Duke of Albany's), Alexander Brown Robertson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 26th January, 1897.

6th Battalion, the Royal Irish Rifles, Captain Harold Martin Cliff, the Royal Irish Rifles, to be Adjutant, vice Major A. T. Swaine, who has been appointed second in command of his Line Battalion. Dated 21st January, 1897.

4th Battalion, Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), Captain and Instructor of Musketry V. F. F. Malley, from the 3rd Battalion, the Connaught Rangers, to be Captain, and to be appointed Instructor of Musketry to the Battalion. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Munster Fusiliers, Second Lieutenant D. F. MacCarthy Morrogh to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

4th Battalion, the Royal Munster Fusiliers, The Honourable John Gilbert Eveleigh-de-Moleyns to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

West Kent (Queen's Own), Lieutenant R. Stewart-Savile resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

Nottinghamshire (Sherwood Rangers), Supernumerary Captain and Honorary Major H. F. Huntsman resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

Westmoreland and Cumberland, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel H. P. Senhouse resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

LIGHT HORSE.

1st Fifehire, John McLauchlan Young, Gent., to be Veterinary Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

ARTILLERY.

1st Lanarkshire, James Valentine Dunn, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

1st Aberdeenshire, The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

J. P. R. White. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

A. L. Miller. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

1st Worcestershire and Warwickshire, Lieutenant-Colonel W. Ottley is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

ROYAL ENGINEERS (VOLUNTEERS).

1st Flintshire (Buckley), Second Lieutenant J. P. Gibson resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

1st Hampshire, William Blaikie Mason, Gent., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

1st Lanarkshire, Major E. R. Crawford to be Lieutenant-Colonel under the provisions of paragraph 55A of the Volunteer Regulations, 1896. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

Captain W. Jackson is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

1st Sussex, Second Lieutenant H. A. Hinds resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

RIFLE.

5th Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Captain J. M. Inches resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

7th Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), William Robert Martine, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

8th Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Captain R. Goldie is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Second Lieutenant A. Curling Hope to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Lieutenant R. W. Walden, from the 4th Volunteer Battalion, the Royal West Surrey Regiment, to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment, Ernest John Rolfe, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

- 2nd (Prince of Wales's) Volunteer Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment*, William Henry May, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment*, Captain W. W. Gascoyne resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 3rd (Cambridgeshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment*, Surgeon-Captain F. P. F. Ransom, M.D., resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 4th (Cambridge University) Volunteer Battalion the Suffolk Regiment*, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Lieutenants:—
Henry Gordon Comber. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
Richard Leigh Clare Hobson. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
Leonard Bushby Hopper. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
Percival Hugh de Santo Crowle. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment)*, Lieutenant R. A. Shepherd resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Leicestershire Regiment*, Captain and Honorary Major E. H. Hopton resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Lancashire Fusiliers*, Second Lieutenant C. Bowen to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Lancashire Fusiliers*, Captain Francis Lee Baird Smith, the Royal Scots, to be Adjutant, vice Captain R. W. Deane, the Lancashire Fusiliers, whose period of service expires. Dated 8th February, 1897.
- 2nd (Earl of Chester's) Volunteer Battalion, the Cheshire Regiment*, Lieutenant C. E. Bromley to be Captain. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 4th Volunteer Battalion, the Cheshire Regiment*, Captain and Honorary Major J. Schofield resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
Ralph Bennett Sidebottom, Gent., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers*, Major J. S. Hughes is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant Colonel. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
Captain and Instructor of Musketry G. R. Ashley to be Major, vacating at the same time the appointment of Instructor of Musketry to the Battalion. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
Second Lieutenant C. T. Allard to be Captain. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the East Lancashire Regiment*, Lieutenant E. L. Carus to be Captain. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 1st (Cumberland) Volunteer Battalion, the Border Regiment*, Surgeon-Lieutenant C. W. Graham is appointed Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- Cadet Corps attached to the 2nd (Duke of Connaught's Own) Volunteer Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment*, Lieutenant A. E. Gibson, 3rd Volunteer Battalion the Hampshire Regiment, to be Honorary Captain. Dated 3rd February, 1887.
- 5th (Isle of Wight, "Princess Beatrice's") Volunteer Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment*, His Royal Highness George Frederick Ernest Albert Duke of York, K.G., K.T., is appointed to the Honorary Colonelcy of the Battalion. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 4th (Perthshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders)*, Guy Thomas Speir, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
Acting Chaplain the Reverend W. Blair, D.D., retires under the provisions of paragraph 111 of the Volunteer Regulations, 1896. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 6th (Fifeshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders)*, Alexander Murray Lornie, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
John Alexander Porteous, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment)*, The undermentioned Officers resign their Commissions:—
Captain W. J. Boyes (Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel, retired pay). Dated 3rd February, 1897.
Lieutenant G. A. Dowrie. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 17th (North) Middlessex*, Burnett Brodziak, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 1st London*, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants (Supernumerary):—
Matthew Jervoise Jarvis. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
David Clark. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry*, Surgeon-Major J. Mitchell to be Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 3rd (Sunderland) Volunteer Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry*, Robert Bell Harrison, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
John Clarke Fenwick, Gent., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 3rd (The Blythwood) Volunteer Battalion, the Highland Light Infantry*, Lieutenant-Colonel T. Glen is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
Major R. B. Shaw is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 1st (Inverness-shire Highland) Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders*, Captain H. R. Adam resigns his Commission; also is granted the honorary rank of Major, with permission to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 4th (Stirlingshire) Volunteer Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders)*, Second Lieutenant A. Black to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.
- 7th (Clackmannan and Kinross) Volunteer Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders)*, Lieutenant R. B. Archibald resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

7th Middlesex (London Scottish), Second Lieutenant G. A. Malcolm to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

16th Middlesex (London Irish), Andrew William Quinlan, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

19th Middlesex (St. Giles's and St. George's, Bloomsbury), Second Lieutenant H. de C. Matthews resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

CADET BATTALION.

1st Cadet Battalion, the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), Honorary Captain G. D. M. Hughes resigns his appointment. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

MEMORANDUM.

VOLUNTEER INFANTRY BRIGADE.

Cheshire and Lancashire Brigade, Captain J. A. Edelstein, 1st Volunteer Battalion South Lancashire Regiment, is appointed Supply and Transport Officer to the Brigade. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Southampton.

Sir Joseph Wallis O'Bryen Hoare, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 29th January, 1897.

Charles Foyle Randolph, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 29th January, 1897.

Herman Le Roy Lewis, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 29th January, 1897.

Treasury Chambers, February 2, 1897:

THE Chancellor of the Exchequer has appointed the Right Honourable Sir George Otto Trevelyan, Bart., to be Steward and Bailiff of the Manor of Northstead.

Monday, the 25th day of January, 1897.

In the High Court of Justice.—Queen's Bench Division.

In the Matter of the Act 59 and 60 Victoria, chapter 51, and in the Matter of Alexander Chaffers.

UPON the application of, and upon hearing Her Majesty's Attorney-General, and upon reading the several affidavits of Alfred Thomas Hare and the Exhibit therein referred to, and Robert Henry Gardner and the Exhibit therein referred to, and upon hearing Mr. Corrie Grant of Counsel for the above-named Alexander Chaffers—

It is ordered that no legal proceedings shall be instituted by the said Alexander Chaffers in the High Court, or any other Court, unless he obtains the leave of the High Court, or some Judge thereof, and satisfies the Court or Judge that such legal proceeding is not an abuse of the process of the Court, and that there is *prima facie* ground for such proceeding.

By the Court.

FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACTS, 1878 to 1895.

IN pursuance of section 1 of "The Rules Publication Act, 1893," notice is hereby given that the Secretary of State for the Home Department proposes, at the expiration of forty days from the publication of this notice, to make an

Order under section 39 of "The Factory and Workshop Act, 1895," directing that in certain factories and workshops different branches or departments of work may, so far as regards the period of employment of children, young persons and women, be treated as different factories or workshops.

Copies of the draft of the proposed Order may be obtained from the Factory Department, Home Office, Whitehall.

Whitehall, February 2, 1897.

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Whitehall, February 2, 1897.

GENERAL ORDER of the Local Government Board:—Instruction of Children in Workhouses and in Separate and District Schools:—

To the Guardians of the Poor of the several Poor Law Unions for the time being in England and Wales;—

To the Boards of Management of the several District Schools formed under the Poor Law Amendment Act, 1844, and the Acts amending the same;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by certain General and other Orders issued by the Poor Law Commissioners, the Poor Law Board, and by Us, the Local Government Board, provision has from time to time been made as regards the instruction and school attendance of children in the Workhouses and Separate Workhouse Schools of Poor Law Unions in England and Wales, and in District Schools provided by Boards of Management constituted under the provisions of the Poor Law Amendment Act, 1844, and the Acts amending the same;

And whereas it is expedient that further provision as hereinafter mentioned should be made in regard to the instruction and school attendance of children in Workhouses, Separate Workhouse Schools, and District Schools:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf, hereby Order as follows:—

ARTICLE I.—From and after the first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, the following Regulations shall apply to all children who are inmates for the time being of any Workhouse or any Poor Law School as defined by this Order; and from and after the said date any provision in any of the Orders above referred to which is inconsistent with this Order shall be rescinded.

Provided that these Regulations shall not apply to any child who is receiving instruction at a Public Elementary School.

ARTICLE II.—Except on Sundays, Christmas Day, and Good Friday, and during the holidays fixed by the Board of Guardians or Board of Management, as the case may be, including any day fixed as a weekly holiday, and subject as hereinafter mentioned in Article III, every child in good health between the ages of three and seven years shall receive, during the ordinary school hours, at least three hours of instruction in every day, and every child in good health between the ages of seven and fourteen years shall receive, during the ordinary school hours, at least four hours of instruction in every day: Provided—

(1.) That, if two half-days shall have been fixed as weekly half-holidays instead of one whole day as a weekly holiday, every child shall on such days receive instruction for half the time only hereinbefore prescribed by this Article.

(2.) That instruction shall be given, in the case of children between the ages of three and seven years in equal periods in the morning and afternoon, or during not less than two hours in the morning and one hour in the afternoon, and in the case of children between the ages of seven and fourteen years in equal periods in the morning and afternoon, or during not less than three hours in the morning and one hour in the afternoon.

(3.) That of the time occupied in any week in the instruction in needlework which may be included in the instruction of girls, at least two-thirds shall be occupied in plain needlework, knitting, and cutting out and making garments, and not more than one-third in mending.

ARTICLE III.—A child over the age of eleven years, or such older age as may hereafter be fixed by law as the age at which a child may obtain partial exemption from the obligation to attend school, who shall have passed the Fourth Standard of examination under the code of Regulations of the Education Department for the time being in force may be withdrawn from instruction during half of the time for which under Article II such instruction is to be received; but no child shall be entirely withdrawn from instruction unless such child shall have attained the age of fourteen years.

ARTICLE IV.—In every case where a child may be receiving instruction for half only of the time fixed for the ordinary school hours, the attendance of such child for the purposes of instruction shall be for not less than two consecutive hours; provided that if two half-days shall have been fixed as weekly half-holidays instead of one whole day as a weekly holiday, the attendance of the child on such days shall be for not less than one undivided hour.

ARTICLE V.—(1.) No child under the age of eleven years shall be employed in industrial training or manual or industrial work for more than one hour in any day.

(2.) No child over the age of eleven years receiving instruction for the whole time required by Article II shall be employed in industrial training or manual or industrial work for more than three hours in any day.

(3.) No child who may be receiving instruction for half only of the time fixed for the ordinary school hours shall be employed in industrial training or manual or industrial work for more than five hours in any day.

(4.) No child wholly withdrawn from instruction shall be employed in industrial training or

manual or industrial work for more than eight hours in any day.

ARTICLE VI.—The time in every case for attendance at classes for instruction may include an interval for recreation of not more than fifteen minutes in an attendance of three hours and of not more than ten minutes in an attendance of a shorter period of time. An attendance of two hours or more shall include an interval for recreation of not less than ten minutes.

ARTICLE VII.—The Board of Guardians or Board of Management shall cause the children in the Workhouse or Poor Law School to receive religious instruction required by the Orders in force in the Poor Law Union or District, and the time occupied in such instruction shall not be included in the time occupied in instruction in pursuance of this Order.

ARTICLE VIII.—The Board of Guardians or Board of Management, as the case may be, shall fix one day in each week as a weekly holiday, or two half-days in each week as weekly half-holidays, and may, if they think fit, cause the school to be closed for all purposes of instruction for a period not exceeding six weeks, inclusive of public holidays, in any year, or for periods not exceeding in the whole six weeks in the year, for holidays, in addition to the weekly holiday or half-holidays.

ARTICLE IX.—The Board of Guardians or Board of Management, as the case may be, shall prepare separate Time Tables for the infants, boys, and girls, in which shall be stated the division of each day of the week, except Sunday, into the hours of instruction, religious instruction, industrial training, manual or industrial work, recreation, and meals for the children. The hours of religious instruction on Sunday, and the weekly holiday or half-holidays shall also be entered. Each time table shall be hung up in some conspicuous place where it will be open to the inspection of the children to which it relates.

ARTICLE X.—Nothing in this Order shall be deemed to relieve any Board of Guardians or Board of Management or any child from any duty or liability imposed by the Elementary Education Acts, or by any bye-laws made under those Acts and in force in the school district in which the workhouse or Poor Law school is situate.

ARTICLE XI.—In this Order the expression "Poor Law School" includes any School belonging to a Poor Law Union which is under distinct management from that of the Workhouse, whether the school buildings are part of the Workhouse Premises or, being separate from the Workhouse, are situated either within or without the limits of the Poor Law Union; or any District School belonging to a Board of Management formed under the Poor Law Amendment Act, 1844, and the Acts amending the same; the expression "Instruction," except in the term "Religious Instruction," means instruction in any of the subjects for which grants may be made under the Code of Regulations of the Education Department for the time being in force except cookery, laundry work, dairy work, or cottage gardening.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this thirtieth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.



Henry Chaplin,

President.

Hugh Owen, Secretary.

THE NATURALIZATION ACT, 1870.

LIST of ALIENS to whom Certificates of Naturalization or of Readmission to British Nationality have been granted by the Secretary of State under the provisions of the Act 33 Vic., cap. 14, and have been registered in the Home Office pursuant to the Act during the Month of January, 1897.

Name.	Country.	Date of Certificate.	Place of Residence.
Barbeau, Josephine Marie Christine Adelaide	France ...	2nd January, 1897 ...	Isle of Wight, Albury St. Lawrence, Whitwell, near Ventnor
Baumann, Victor	Germany ...	12th January, 1897 ...	Surbiton, Surrey, Fairlight, Fassett-road
Beek, Morris	Russia ...	23rd December, 1896	London, 39, Gun-street, Brushfield-street
Bérnheim, Homance	France ...	28th December, 1896	London, 9, Stanley-crescent, Kensington
Black, Daniel	Russia ...	14th January, 1897 ...	Liverpool, 16, Erskine-street
Breuninger, William	Germany ...	18th January, 1897 ...	Bradford, 150, Listerhills-road
Bruhn, Carl Christian	Germany ...	17th November, 1896	South Shields, 5, Village-terrace, Westoe
Cohen, Mark	Russia ...	6th January, 1897 ...	Sunderland, 15, Church-street
Ehrler, George	Germany ...	21st December, 1896	London, 24, Heath-street, Barking
Eichenstam, Joseph	Russia ...	8th September, 1896	London, 95, Davis - mansions, Goulston-street
Freedman, Samuel	Russia ...	29th December, 1896	Glasgow, 103, Glebe-street
Goldberg, Harris	Russia ...	9th December, 1896 ...	London, 16, Mortimer-crescent, West Hampstead
Goldstein, Emil	Germany ...	12th January, 1897 ...	London, 22, Maxilla - gardens, Notting Hill
Grunewald, Henry	Germany ..	28th December, 1896	Paisley, the Cross
Guttenberg, Aaron	Russia ...	12th January, 1897 ...	Great Grimsby, Cleethorpes-road
Hamm, William	Germany ...	28th December, 1896	Liverpool, 123, Wavertree-road
Hirsch, Emil	Germany ...	4th January, 1897 ...	London, 4, Steeles-road, Haverstock Hill
Hoefler, Rupert	Germany ...	22nd December, 1896	Devonport, 23, Marlborough-street
Hohenrlin, Christian George	Germany ...	21st December, 1896...	Colne, Lancashire, 56, Market-street
Jacobson, Julius	Russia ...	15th December, 1896	London, 102, Pentonville-road, Clerkenwell
Justus, Ernest Hermann	Germany ...	4th January, 1897 ...	London, 209, Camberwell-grove
Kauffmann, Frederick William	Germany ...	5th January, 1897 ...	Sheffield, 32, Havelock-square
Klockenbusch, Heinrich Anton	Germany ...	21st December, 1896	Rochford, Essex, the Old Ship Inn
Kristonson, Carl	Sweden ...	17th March, 1896 ...	London, 3, Fenchurch-avenue
Levi, Joel	Russia ...	22nd December, 1896	Brighton, 10, St. James's-avenue
Margolinski, Levine	Russia ...	15th December, 1896	London, 22, Osborn-street, White-chapel
Marzi, Nikolaus	Germany ...	29th December, 1896	London, 21, Haddon-street West, Greenwich
Michaels, Solomon	Russia ...	5th November, 1896...	London, 26, Samuel-street, St. George's East
Mosbacher, Philip	Germany ...	12th January, 1897 ...	London, 3, Randolph - crescent, Maida Vale
Nachez, Tivadar	Austria-Hungary...	28th December, 1896	London, 1, York - mansions, Princes-street, Cavendish-square
Otto, Samuel	Russia ...	23rd December, 1896	London, 5, Hutchison - avenue, Middlesex-street
Petry, Johann	Germany ...	6th January, 1897 ...	London, 14, Sander-street, St. George's East
Reisig, John Frederick	Germany ...	6th January, 1897 ...	Liverpool, 4, Pembroke-place
Rosenthal, Isidor	Germany ...	28th November, 1896	Kingston-upon-Hull, 1 and 2, Anne-street
Saetah, Lazarus	Russia ...	29th December, 1896...	London, 69, New-road, White-chapel
Sinclair, Louis	France ...	20th January, 1897 ...	Hampstead, Daydawn, Netherhall-gardens
Storn, Ludwig	Germany ...	31st December, 1896...	Cheltenham, Ferndale, Charlton Kings
Stierlen, Wilhelm	Germany ...	19th January, 1897 ...	London, 3, Leicester - street, Leicester-square
Tadema, Anna Alma	Belgium ...	12th January, 1897 ...	London, 17, Grove End-road, St. John's Wood
Tessa, Louis	France ...	18th January, 1897 ...	Leeds, 11, Darby-street
Tropp, Isaac	Russia ...	14th January, 1897 ...	Liverpool, 6, Clarence-street

Name.	Country.	Date of Certificate.	Place of Residence.
Volpi, Frederick William Alfred	Germany ...	18th January, 1897 ...	Weybridge, Surrey, Rosslyn House, Otlands Park
Voss, Hermann Heinrich Christian	Germany ...	12th November, 1896	South Shields, 21, Baring-street
Wise, Moses	Russia ...	27th October, 1896 ..	Kingston-upon-Hull, 57, Wincolmelee

Home Office, Whitehall, February 1, 1897.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 1ST FEBRUARY 1897.)

COLINTON (MIDLOTHIAN) DISTRICT SWINE-FEVER ORDER OF 1897.

THE Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 and 1896, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

Restriction on Movement of Swine out of or into Scheduled District.

1. Swine shall not be moved out of or into the District described in the Schedule to this Order, and hereinafter referred to as the Scheduled District, except as expressly authorized by this Order.

Movement of Swine out of Scheduled District for Immediate Slaughter.

2.—(1.) Swine (not being in a Swine-Fever Infected Place) and their movement not being prohibited by Notice of an Inspector of a Local Authority or of the Board given under any Order of the Board) may be moved out of the Scheduled District in a suitable vehicle to a slaughter-house situate in Midlothian (county of Edinburgh), or in the burgh of Edinburgh, or in the burgh of Leith, or in the burgh of Musselburgh, for the purpose of immediate slaughter with a Movement Licence of the Local Authority of Midlothian (county of Edinburgh), which Licence shall be in force for not more than two days inclusive of the day of issue and shall specify the name and address of the person to whom the Licence is granted, the number and description of the swine to be moved, and the name or description of the place or premises from which and the slaughter-house to which the swine are to be moved.

(2.) The swine shall, before the movement is commenced, be marked by and at the expense of the owner by the painting with an indelible composition of red colour of a broad line down the back and another broad line across the loins of each of the swine thus +, each line being not less than nine inches long.

(3.) The swine moved out of the Scheduled District under this Article shall be accompanied by the Licence required by this Article, and shall be moved by the nearest available route and shall be slaughtered after their arrival at the slaughter-house without unnecessary delay.

Cleansing and Disinfection of Vehicle used for Movement of Swine.

3.—(1.) Any vehicle which has been used for the conveyance of swine under the preceding Article, shall immediately after each occasion of such use be cleansed and disinfected by and at

the expense of the owner of the vehicle as follows:

- (i.) The floor of the vehicle and all other parts thereof with which the swine, or their droppings, have come in contact shall be scraped and swept, and the scrapings and sweepings, and all dung, sawdust, litter, and other matter shall be effectually removed therefrom; then
 - (ii.) The same parts of the vehicle shall be thoroughly washed or scrubbed or scoured with water; then
 - (iii.) The same parts of the vehicle shall have applied to them a coating of limewash.
- (2.) The scrapings and sweepings of the vehicle, and all dung, sawdust, litter, and other matter removed therefrom, shall forthwith be well mixed with quicklime, and be effectually removed from contact with animals.

Movement of Swine into Scheduled District.

4.—(1.) Swine may be moved into the Scheduled District with a Movement Licence of the Local Authority for Midlothian (county of Edinburgh), which Licence shall be in force for not more than four days inclusive of the day of issue and shall specify the name and address of the person to whom the Licence is granted, the number and description of the swine to be moved, and the name or description of the place or premises from which and the place and premises to which the swine are to be moved, and shall only be granted on a Declaration of the owner of the swine or of his agent authorized in writing for this purpose, which Declaration shall be countersigned by an Inspector of the Local Authority of the District from which the swine are to be moved, who shall so far as practicable previously satisfy himself as to the correctness of the Declaration.

(2.) The Declaration shall be to the effect—

- (a.) that the swine to be moved have been on the premises from which they are to be moved for a period of at least twenty-eight days immediately before the granting of the Licence, and that no other pig has been brought on to those premises within such period; and
- (b.) that the swine have not during the period of twenty-eight days as aforesaid been in any way exposed to the infection of swine-fever; and
- (c.) that the swine are not in a Swine-Fever Infected Place and their movement is not prohibited by Notice of an Inspector of a Local Authority or of the Board given under any Order of the Board.

(3.) The swine moved into the Scheduled District under this Article shall be accompanied by the Licence and Declaration required by this Article, and shall be moved by the nearest available route and without unnecessary delay.

Movement of Swine between 7 P.M. and 5 A.M. Prohibited.

5. It shall not be lawful for any person to move any swine along a highway or thoroughfare within the Scheduled District between the hours of 7 P.M. and 5 A.M.

Saving for Regulations of Local Authority.

6. Movement of swine under this Order is subject to any Regulation made by a Local Authority under any Order of the Board for prohibiting or regulating the movement of swine into the District of the Local Authority, but nothing in any such Regulation shall permit the movement of swine in contravention of this Order.

Movement of Swine by Licence of Board.

7. Notwithstanding anything in this Order, a Licence for the movement of swine may be granted by an Inspector of the Board or a person authorized by the Board to grant the same, but such Licence will only be granted where the Board, after inquiry, are satisfied that exceptional circumstances render the granting thereof necessary or expedient.

Granting of Movement Licences.

8.—(1.) The Local Authority for Midlothian (county of Edinburgh) may appoint fit and proper persons for the purpose of granting, subject to the provisions of this Article, Movement Licences for the purposes of this Order.

(2.) Provided that a Movement Licence granted under this Order shall not be available if granted by the owner of the swine to be moved, or by his agent, or by the owner or consignee of the swine, or by the occupier of the farm or premises or slaughter-house from or to which the swine are to be moved, or by any individual member of an Executive Committee or Sub-Committee of the Local Authority.

Delivery of Declarations.

9.—(1.) A Licence granted under this Order for the movement of swine into the Scheduled District is not available except when accompanied by the Declaration on which it is granted.

(2.) The person granting such Licence under this Order shall, for the identification of the Declaration produced to him, mark the same by signing his name thereon, with the date of the production thereof to him.

(3.) The person granting such Licence shall deliver the Declaration produced to him, when so marked, with the Licence, to the person receiving the Licence from him.

Production of Licences; Names and Addresses.

10.—(1.) Any person in charge of a pig being moved, where under this Order a Movement Licence is necessary, shall, on demand of a Justice, or of a constable, or of an Inspector or other officer of the Board or of a Local Authority, produce and show to him the Licence, if any, necessary for the movement, and shall allow it to be read and a copy of or extract from it to be taken by the person to whom it is produced.

(2.) Any person so in charge shall, on demand as aforesaid, give his name and address to the Justice, or constable, or Inspector or other officer.

Local Authority to enforce Order.

11. The provisions of this Order, except where it is otherwise provided, shall be executed and enforced by the Local Authority.

Offences.

12.—(1.) If a pig is moved in contravention of this Order, or of the conditions of a Movement Licence thereunder, the owner of the pig, and the person for the time being in charge thereof, and

the person causing, directing, or permitting the movement, and the person moving or conveying the pig, and the consignee or other person receiving or keeping it knowing it to have been moved in contravention as aforesaid, and the occupier of the place from which the pig is moved, shall, each according to and in respect of his own acts and defaults, be deemed guilty of an offence against the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894.

(2.) If a pig is not marked as required by this Order, the owner, consignee, or other person for the time being in charge thereof, shall, each according to and in respect of his own acts and defaults, be deemed guilty of an offence against the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894.

(3.) If anything is done or omitted to be done in contravention of this Order in respect of the cleansing and disinfection of any vehicle used for the movement of swine, the owner, or other person for the time being in charge of the vehicle, shall, each according to and in respect of his own acts and defaults, be deemed guilty of an offence against the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894.

(4.) If any person, with a view to unlawfully evade or defeat the operation of this Order, by washing, or in any other manner, takes out, effaces, or obliterates, or attempts to take out, efface, or obliterate, any mark painted on any pig as required by this Order, the person doing the same, and the person causing, directing, or permitting the same to be done, and the owner of the pig, and the person for the time being in charge thereof, shall, each according to and in respect of his own acts and defaults, be deemed guilty of an offence against the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894.

(5.) If a pig is not slaughtered as required by this Order, the person to whom the Licence is granted, and the owner of the pig, and the person for the time being in charge thereof, and the person failing to cause the same to be so slaughtered, shall, each according to and in respect of his own acts and defaults, be deemed guilty of an offence against the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894.

(6.) If a person in charge of a pig being moved, where under this Order a Movement Licence is necessary, on demand made under this Order, fails to give his true name and address, or gives a false name or address, he shall be deemed guilty of an offence against the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894.

Interpretation.

13. In this Order—

“The Board” means the Board of Agriculture:
“Swine-Fever Infected Place” means a place for the time being declared to be infected with swine-fever under any Order of the Board:
Other terms have the same meaning as in the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894.

Commencement.

14. This Order shall come into operation on the fifteenth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Short Title.

15. This Order may be cited as the COLINTON (MIDLOTHIAN) DISTRICT SWINE-FEVER ORDER of 1897.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this first day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

L. S.

T. H. Elliott,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

A district comprising portions of the parishes of Colinton and Corstorphine in Midlothian (county of Edinburgh) bounded on the east by the west side of Morningside-road from the city of Edinburgh boundary to the parish boundary of Colinton near Lothianburn, thence on the south and west by the boundary of the parish of Colinton so far as the road leading from the said parish boundary to Sighthill, thence in a northerly direction along the west side of the said road to where it joins the Gorgie-road near Sighthill, thence along the south side of Gorgie-road to the boundary of the city of Edinburgh, and along the city boundary to Morningside-road aforesaid.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Board of Agriculture, 4, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.

Civil Service Commission, February 2, 1897.

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

January 28, 1897.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Inland Revenue: Assistant of Excise, Alfred John William Edward Benjamin.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION AND UNDER CLAUSE VII OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL OF 4TH JUNE, 1870.

Post Office: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor Class), Alfred Percy Awbery.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Office of Works: Gate-keeper in Hyde Park, Thomas Griffin.

Post Office: Postmen, London, Richard Mills, Arthur Neills.

Porter, London, Henry Richard Tappenden.

Sorting Clerk, Dublin, Peter Paul Gumbriell.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Glasgow, John McIntyre, Robert Semple Mailler, John Murray.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Thomas Edmonds (Birmingham), Emily Kate Griffiths (Haverfordwest).

Postmen, Andrew Coates (Coventry), John Francis Darch (Wellington), William Herbert Jones (Ruabon), John William Horton (West Bromwich), William George Lawson (Aberdeen), Mark Lord (Manchester), James McBeath (Banff), Jesse Raymond Orme (Windsor), James Philip (Aberdeen), Peter Ralph (Helston), James Witney (Uxbridge), John Woodhall (West Bromwich).

January 29, 1897.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Male Sorters, London, Thomas Murray, Arthur Rayson.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Foreign Office: Attaché in the Diplomatic Service or Clerk on the Establishment, Claud Frederick William Russell.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Portsmouth Dockyard, Shipwrights, William John Bunday, William George Gover, Bartholomew Ellis Hollett, John Miller, James John Pafford Mills, Charles George Palmer, Samuel Christopher Robertson, John Edward White, Alfred Thomas Williams.

Joiner, Frederick Downer.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I, Frank Edward Cowd.

Post Office: Tube Attendant, London, William Patrick James Ward.

Postmen, London, Charles Richard Durant, James Augustus Edwards, Stephen Fox, John Richard Ridler, Alfred Edwin Walter.

Porter, London, William Thomas Muttitt.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Glasgow, John James Bush, Peter Clarke, Hector McLean, John Wotherspoon.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Herbert Reginald Ayers (Whitby), Elsie Mary Matheson (Birmingham), Frederick John Rolfe (Ely), Ethel Beatrice Taylor (Bridport), Cyril Hubert Thrall (Torquay), James Wilson (Enniskillen).

Postmen, Robert William Davies (Chester), Frederic Elbourn (Uxbridge), Thomas Evans (Bath), Alfred Hartley (Manchester), John Arthur Hedley (Ashbourne), Ernest Johnson (Manchester), George Peperell (Dover), George Salter (Bristol), Charles Frederick Shakespeare (Birmingham), Frederick Stubbs (Chesterfield), George Thompson (Bakewell), Joseph Charles Wade (Liverpool).

January 30, 1897.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Inland Revenue: Stamper, Herbert Hanton.

Prisons Department, England: Compounder, Ernest Palmer.

Post Office: Postmen, London, William George Nelson, Edward Arthur Webb.

Sorting Clerk, Dublin, Edward John James Mullin.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Percy Clark (Halifax), Frederick William Ellis (Glasgow), Elizabeth Grierson (Hawick).

Postmen, Manchester, Jim Brough, Henry Owen, Harry James Whitehead.

Postman, Norwich, William Hall.

UNDER CLAUSE VII OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL OF 4TH JUNE, 1870.

Home Office: Clerk to Her Majesty's Inspectors of Explosives, Charles Richard Malcolm.

Civil Service Commission, February 2, 1897.

IN pursuance of the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 12th February, 1876, the Civil Service Commissioners hereby announce that the undermentioned Appointments, Transfer, and Promotions in the Civil Service, were notified to them in the month of January, 1897 :—

APPOINTMENTS.

Admiralty, Oswyn Alexander Ruthven Murray to be Clerk (Class I).

Ernest John Baker and Frederick Charles Leest to be Assistant Surveyors (Second Grade), in the Department of the Director of Engineering and Architectural Works, at the Head Office and the Outports.

Agriculture, Board of, William Wilkinson Smart to be Veterinary Inspector.

Alfred May and William Vessey to be Assistant Veterinary Inspectors.

Chelsea Hospital, John James Hague to be Dispenser.

Consular Service, Edward Thomas Frederick Crowe to be Student Interpreter in China, Japan, or Siam.

Customs, Cosby Martyn Bishop to be Tabulator or Assistant Clerk (Abstractor Class).

Foreign Office, John Lawrence Baird and Claud Frederick William Russell to be Attachés in the Diplomatic Service or Clerks on the Establishment of the Foreign Office.

Home Office, Leonard Walter Thomas to be appointed to the Temporary Staff Post of Clerk in Charge of the Statistical Branch, Factory Department.

Charles Richard Malcolm to be Clerk to Her Majesty's Inspectors of Explosives.

Inland Revenue, Herbert Grimshaw Bell and Frederick Charles Lambert to be Clerks of the First Division, Legacy Duty Office, London.

Patrick Harding to be Clerk of the First Division, Legacy Duty Office, Dublin.

Albert Saker to be Record Keeper (Excise).

Post Office, John Idwal Williams to be Postmaster (Trefriw).

Johanna Elishua Morris (Downpatrick) and Isabella Steven (Methil) to be Postmistresses.

Evangeline Mary Wittrick to be Female Clerk.

John Abbott, Patrick Bourke, Edward John (otherwise Edmond John) Cleary, Patrick Dempsey, William Joseph Farrelly, Peter Paul Gumbriell, James Jordan, Martin Joseph Kehoe, Patrick Joseph McCormack, Edward John James Mullin, James Francis Sheridan, James Joseph Smyth, John Sullivan, Patrick Sweeney, and George Charles Young to be Sorting Clerks, Dublin.

Alfred Percy Awbery, Arthur Morgan Langlois, and Frederick Patrick Pelham to be Assistant Clerks (Abstractor Class).

Prisons Department (England), James Gourlay to be Farm Bailiff.

Ernest Palmer to be Compounder.

Clerks of the Second Division.

Agriculture, Board of, Reginald Henry Monnickendam and (for temporary duty) John Chown.

Deeds, Registry of (Ireland), William Edwin Mylam and James Anderson Trotter.

Home Office, Charles Joseph Byrne.

Inland Revenue, William Jones (Edinburgh).

Post Office, James Kerr and Walter James Scott.

Public Works Office (Ireland), Thomas Mellefont Steele.

Scotland, Office of the Secretary for, (for temporary duty), Arthur Sparkes Cotton and Guy Sutton Osborne.

Trade, Board of, William Arthur Howell Fisher and Frederick James Lockhart.

Boy Clerks.

Education Department, Arthur Stanfield.

Works, Office of, Robert James Webster, Edinburgh.

TRANSFER, with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury:—

Inland Revenue, Thomas Fullerton Larcom, Clerk of the Second Division, from the Post Office.

PROMOTIONS under Clause XVIII of the Order in Council of 12th February, 1876:—

Inland Revenue, Walter Edwin Redding, Clerk of the Second Division, to be Clerk of the First Division in the Legacy Duty Office, Edinburgh.

John Augustine Carroll and Michael Kelly, Clerks of the Second Division, to be Clerks of the First Division in the Legacy Duty Office, Dublin.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

(Nos. 53 to 67 of the year 1897.)

[The bearings are magnetic, and those concerning the visibility of lights are given from seaward.]

No. 53.—GULF OF BOTHNIA—SWEDISH SHORE.

Intended Buoyage of Shoals South-Westward of Rödskallen.

THE Swedish Government has given notice, dated 13th January, 1897, that the buoyage of certain shoals south-westward of Rödskallen will be as follows, in the spring of 1897:—

1. The buoy marking the east side of Svalans Grund (3 fathoms), in approximately lat. $65^{\circ} 15' 0''$ N., long. $22^{\circ} 11' 30''$ E., will be altered to a black and white spar buoy, surmounted by a black ball.

2. The shoal, with a depth of $3\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms on it, situated in approximately lat. $65^{\circ} 15' 40''$ N., long. $22^{\circ} 12' 0''$ E., will be marked on its east side by a small black and white spar buoy, surmounted by two black balls.

3. The shoal, with a depth of $3\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms on it, in approximately lat. $65^{\circ} 13' 5''$ N., long. $22^{\circ} 13' 10''$ E., will be marked on its east side by a large black and white spar buoy, surmounted by two black brooms.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Tome Point round the head of the gulf to Tauvo, No. 2302. Also, Baltic Pilot, Part II, 1896, page 402.

No. 54.—BALTIC—NORTH QUARKEN.

Intended Buoy Marking Shoal South-Eastward of Sydostbrotten.

THE Swedish Government has given notice, that in the spring of 1897, a spar buoy, surmounted by a cross, will be placed near the shoal (3 fathoms) situate about N.E. by E. $\frac{1}{2}$ E., distant $2\frac{3}{4}$ miles, from Sydostbrotten Light-vessel, or approximately in lat. $65^{\circ} 20' 35''$ N., long. $20^{\circ} 13' 30''$ E.

[Variation 6° Westerly in 1897.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Stiernö Point to Fiäderäg, No. 2300. Also, Baltic Pilot, Part II, 1896, page 377.

No. 55.—BALTIC—SWEDISH SHORE.

Söderhamn Approach—Intended Buoyage of Certain Shoals.

THE Swedish Government has given notice that in the spring of 1897 certain shoals in the approach to Söderhamn will be buoyed as follows:—

1. A shoal, recently found, with a depth of 10 feet on it, situated in the fairway southward of Lilla Finngrundet, in approximately lat. $61^{\circ} 14' 35''$ N., long. $17^{\circ} 20' 50''$ E., will be marked on its east side by a plain spar buoy.

2. The buoy (red spar) marking (Grimskärs) Storgrund will be replaced by a ball, moored in approximately lat. $61^{\circ} 12' 25''$ N., long. $17^{\circ} 17' 5''$ E.

3. A shoal, recently found, with a depth of 13 feet on it, situated south-westward of Hält Mickel, in approximately lat. $61^{\circ} 12' 30''$ N., long. $17^{\circ} 14' 0''$ E., will be marked on its west side by a plain spar buoy.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—South Quarken to Hornslandet, No. 2296. Also, Baltic Pilot, Part II, 1896, pages 347-349.

No. 56.—ENGLAND—SOUTH COAST.

Swanage Bay—Lights on Pier.

INFORMATION has been received from the Engineer to the Swanage Pier Company, that

the undermentioned two lights are exhibited from Swanage pier:—

1. The light at the extremity of the north arm of the pier is a fixed red light, elevated 23 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of three miles.

Approximate position, lat. $50^{\circ} 36' 30''$ N., long. $1^{\circ} 56' 55''$ W.

2. The light at the extremity of the south arm of the pier is a fixed red light, elevated 13 feet above high water, and visible three miles in clear weather.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Portland to Christchurch, No. 2615. Also, List of Lights, Part I, 1896, page 20; and Channel Pilot, Part I, 1893, page 192.

No. 57.—WALES—WEST COAST.

Sunken Rock in Pwllheli Road.

INFORMATION has been received from the Trinity House, London, dated 19th January, 1897, of the existence of a rock, about 75 feet in diameter, with a depth of 7 feet on it at low water springs, situated in a position with Gimlet Rock (A) bearing N. 83° W., distant 7 cables; Morfa House, N. 14° E.; and Abererch Church N. 8° E.

Approximate position, lat. $52^{\circ} 53' 5''$ N., long. $4^{\circ} 22' 40''$ W.

The symbol for a rock with less than 6 feet water, with the words "Seven Ft. Rk." written against it, has been placed in the above position on the Admiralty Charts.

[Variation 19° Westerly in 1897.]

The Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—New Quay to Holyhead, No. 1411; Barmouth to South Stack, No. 369; St. Tudwall's and Pwllheli Roads, No. 1505. Also, Sailing Directions for the West Coast of England, 1891, page 262.

No. 58.—SCOTLAND—WEST COAST—ISLE OF SKYE.

Loch Dunvegan—Buoy Marking Bo Na Famachd.

THE Commissioners of Northern Lighthouses have given notice that a conical buoy, painted red, has been placed in a depth of $4\frac{1}{2}$ fathoms, on the eastern side of Bo Na Famachd, a rock at the head of Loch Dunvegan, westward of Dunvegan Castle.

Approximate position, lat. $57^{\circ} 26' 45''$ N., long. $6^{\circ} 35' 45''$ W.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Plan:—Loch Dunvegan on Sheet No. 1202. Also, Sailing Directions for the West Coast of Scotland, 1894, page 484.

No. 59.—CHINA SEA.

Singapore Road—Alteration in Position of Quarantine Anchorage.

INFORMATION has been received from the Master Attendant at Singapore, that the Quarantine Anchorage is now northward of Peak Island, and not as stated in China Sea Directory, Vol. I, 1896, page 225.

Approximate position, Peak Island, latitude $1^{\circ} 13' 20''$ N., longitude $103^{\circ} 51' 45''$ E.

The words "Quarantine Anchorage" have been written on the plan about $3\frac{1}{2}$ cables northward of Peak Island.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Plan:—Singapore Road, No. 1995. Also, China Sea Directory, Vol. I, 1896, page 225.

No. 60.—JAPAN—NIPON.

Kamaishi Harbour—Beacon Washed Away.

INFORMATION has been received from the Commander-in-Chief on the China Station, dated 10th December 1896, that the beacon (red pillar, &c.) previously standing on the sunken rock in the middle of Kamaishi harbour, has been washed away.

Approximate position, on Chart No. 806, lat. $39^{\circ} 16' 0''$ N., long. $141^{\circ} 55' 5''$ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Sendai Bay to Miyako Bay, No. 806; Kamaishi Harbour on sheet No. 208. Also, China Sea Directory, Vol. IV, 1894, page 333.

No. 61.—SHETLAND ISLES.

Mainland—Beacon on Inner Voder.

THE Northern Lighthouse Board has given notice that a cylindrical beacon, constructed of concrete, in three tiers, and surmounted by an iron cage, the whole 20 feet high, has been erected on Inner Voder, South Nesting Bay, east side of Mainland.

Approximate position, lat. $60^{\circ} 16' 30''$ N., long. $1^{\circ} 4' 40''$ W.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Shetland Isles, Sheet 2, No. 1118b; Also, North Sea Pilot, Part I, 1894, page 35.

No. 62.—ENGLAND—EAST COAST.

Sunken Wreck Westward of North Haisborough Light-vessel.

INFORMATION has been published in the Shipping Gazette that the wreck of a steam-vessel lies sunk, with two masts showing about 20 feet above water, in a position dangerous to shipping, with North Haisborough (Haisbro') Light-vessel bearing about east, distant $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles.

Approximate position, to be considered doubtful, lat. $52^{\circ} 58'$ N., long. $1^{\circ} 31\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

[Variation 16° Westerly in 1897.]

This Notice temporarily affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Orfordness to Blakeney, &c., No. 1630. Also, North Sea Pilot, Part III, 1889, page 206.

No. 63.—SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN.

Search for Dangers reported near Rotumah Island.

INFORMATION has been received from Captain A. M. Field, Her Majesty's surveying vessel "Penguin," that he has recently searched unsuccessfully for the undermentioned reported dangers:—

1. Shoal reported west of Rotumah Island in lat. $12^{\circ} 31'$ S., long. $176^{\circ} 41'$ E.:—

This shoal, on which the natives of Rotumah were said to fish, was searched for in vain; depths of 1,700 to 1,800 fathoms being found in the locality.

From enquiries made of the natives on Rotumah it is believed no such shoal exists, as they knew nothing of it, and moreover would be most unlikely to fish on a bank so far to leeward of the island.

It was probably an exaggerated account of the shallow water stretching off the south-west part of the island, and has therefore been expunged from the Admiralty Charts.

2. Eagleston Reef, reported as being in latitude $12^{\circ} 20'$ S.; longitude $177^{\circ} 50'$ E., was searched for without any indication being found of the existence of a shoal in the locality; the depths near its supposed position being from 1,650 to 1,900 fathoms.

If a shoal exists it must be eastward of the meridian of $178^{\circ} 10'$ E.

The position of this shoal on the Admiralty chart has consequently been transferred to lat.

12° 20' S., long. 178° 15' E., with P. D. placed against it.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Pacific Ocean, No. 2683; Atlantic and Indian Oceans, No. 2483; Pacific, South-west Sheet, No. 780; Ellice Islands to Phoenix Island, No. 1830; Fiji Islands to Samoa Islands, No. 1829. Also, Sailing Directions for the Pacific Islands, Vol. II, 1891, page 220.

No. 64.—NEW ZEALAND—NORTH ISLAND.

Unsuccessful Search for Vision Rock.

INFORMATION has been received from Captain A. M. Field, Her Majesty's surveying vessel "Penguin," dated 4th December, 1896, of an unsuccessful search for Vision Rock, reported in 1885 as situated about 15 miles E. by S. from the northern of the Tawhiti Rahi (Poor Knights), or approximately in lat. 35° 35½' S., long. 175° 1½' E..

The rock has already been searched for unsuccessfully on several occasions by the New Zealand Government steam-vessel "Stella."

Captain Field reports that the "Penguin" sounded over an area of 120 square miles in the reported locality of Vision Rock, and found no indication of a danger, the least depth obtained being 160 fathoms, amongst general depths of 180 fathoms.

The weather was very favourable for the search and the light so good that it is most probable any danger would have been seen, had it existed.

During the search with the wind against the current, a strong tide ripple was observed from a distance that would have led anyone to believe that a shoal existed, but on sounding over the spot no irregularity whatever was found in the depth.

Vision Rock has consequently been expunged from the Admiralty Charts.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—New Zealand, No. 1212; Hokianga to Tutukaka, No. 2525; Tutukaka Harbour to Mayor Island, No. 2543. Also New Zealand Pilot, 1891, page 42.

No. 65.—INDIA—WEST COAST.

Bombay Harbour—Alteration in North Channel Beacon Light.

THE Government of India has given notice that, on 1st January, 1897, the two lights shown from North Channel Beacon, fixed red over fixed green would be altered to a single fixed white light, visible from N. 40° W., through west and south, to N. 69° E.

Approximate position, lat. 18° 57' 5" N., long. 72° 51' 20" E.

[Variation 1° Easterly in 1897.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Bombay Harbour, No. 2621; Port of Bombay, No. 655. Also, List of Lights, Part VI, 1896, No. 118a; West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1891, page 223; and Hydrographic Notice, No. 6 of 1895, relating to that work, page 13.

No. 66.—UNITED STATES—NEW JERSEY.

Sunken Wreck South-Eastward of Barnegat Lighthouse.

THE United States Government has given notice, dated 9th January, 1897, that the Master of the schooner "Henry W. Cramp" reports that a vessel lies sunk, with the masts showing about 20 feet above water, in a dangerous position,

about S.E. by S., distant 10 miles, from Barnegat Inlet Lighthouse.

Approximate position, lat. 39° 38½' N., long. 73° 58' W.

[Variation 8° Westerly in 1897.]

This Notice temporarily affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Halifax to the Delaware, No. 2670; Nantucket I. to Great Egg Harbour, No. 2480. Also, Sailing Directions for the Principal Ports on the East Coast of the United States, 1882, page 141.

No. 67.—GULF OF MARTABAN.

(1.) *Amended Position of Krishna Shoal Light-vessel.*

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 51 of 1896:—

The Government of India has given notice, dated 21st December, 1896, that Krishna Shoal Light-vessel (group-flashing white light) is now moored N. 50° E., distant 2½ miles, from the position given in the above Notice, or approximately in lat. 15° 37' 30" N., long. 95° 36' 30" E.

(2.) *Baragua Flats Light-vessel and Position Buoy.*

Also that, the watch buoy (black) of Baragua Flats Light-vessel is moored in a depth of five fathoms, in approximately lat. 15° 29' 45" N., long. 95° 11' 30" E.

And Baragua Flats Light-vessel Light is visible in clear weather from a distance of 12 miles.

[Variation 3° Easterly in 1897.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Koronge Island to White Point, No. 823. Also, List of Lights, Part VI, 1896, Nos. 211, 210a; Bay of Bengal Pilot, 1892, page 321; and Hydrographic Notice, No. 4 of 1895, relating to that work, page 25.

By command of their Lordships,
W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
28th January to 1st February, 1897.

County Borough of St. Helens.

St. Helens and District Tramways.

Notice as to Lease of the said Tramways.

NOTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made to the Board of Trade for their approval, under the provisions of the Tramways Act, 1870, to the demise by lease of the Undertaking authorized by the St. Helens and District Tramways Acts, 1879 and 1883, from the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the borough of St. Helens to the New St. Helens and District Tramways Company, Limited, upon terms and conditions as follows, viz.:—

1. Term, 21 years.
2. Rent, £2,300 in first year, rising by successive stages to £3,250 during last seven years of term.
3. Rates, taxes and ground rents to be paid by the lessees.
4. Lessors to have the right to use the tramways for their own purposes, but without prejudice to, or interference with, tram service of lessees.
5. Lessees to maintain at fares, and at intervals of time not greater than at present, a punctual and regular service.
6. Lessees not to assign or underlet.
7. Extensions to be made by lessors and to be leased to the lessees subject to arbitration by the Board of Trade.
8. Lessors to relay and repave tramways as aforesaid.

9. Lessors to have power to require or sanction use of electric or other new motive power; and in case of such requirement or sanction to provide the necessary equipment on certain specified terms; and, lessees to provide the necessary rolling stock.

10. Proviso for re-entry on non-payment of rent or non-observance of covenants; and

11. Proviso for arbitration in case of dispute.

A copy of the said lease is deposited for public inspection, and can be seen at the office of the Town Clerk, in the Town Hall in the said borough, at any time during office hours.

Any objections or representations with respect to such proposed lease may be made by letter, addressed to the Assistant Secretary, Railway Department, Board of Trade, Whitehall-gardens, London, S.W., on or before the 6th day of March, 1897.

Dated this 28th day of January, 1897.

W. J. JEEVES, Town Clerk, St. Helens.

J. MASSEY, Solicitor for the said Company, St. Helens.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named Wesleyan Methodist Chapel situated at Highway in the parish of Lanteglos-by-Fowey in the county of Cornwall in the registration district of Liskeard being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the thirteenth day of November 1896 duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 21st day of January 1897.

ALBERT C. L. GLUBB Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Methodist New Connexion Church situated at Snow-street in the parish of Saint John in the county borough of Newcastle-upon-Tyne in the registration district of Newcastle-upon-Tyne being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the fifteenth January 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this fifteenth January 1897.

MORISON JOHNSTON Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Christ Church situated at Cranbrook-road in the parish of Ilford in the county of Essex in the registration district of Romford being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 22nd day of January 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 22nd day of January 1897.

WILL. SHORT Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Baptist Church situated at Nelson-street in the parish of Lancaster in the county of Lancaster in the registration district of Lancaster being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 28th day of January 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85, being substituted for the Baptist Chapel, White Cross-street, Lancaster now disused.—Witness my hand this 28th day of January 1897.

JOSEPH ENNION Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Spiritual Church situated at Cobden-street, Pendleton in the parish of Salford in the county borough of Salford in the registration district of Salford being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 28th day of January 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 28th day of January 1897.

F. TOWNSON Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Box Chapel situated at Box in the parish of Box in the county of Wilts in the registration district of Chippenham being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 28th day of January 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 28th day of January 1897.

P. DELMÉ AWDREY Superintendent Registrar.

Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Greatworth Co-operative Industrial Society Limited, Register No. 1631 held at Greatworth in the county of Northampton is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 20th day of January 1897 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.

E. W. BRABROOK, Chief Registrar.

28, Abingdon-street, Westminster,
the 20th day of January 1897.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division
Mr. Justice Romer acting for Mr. Justice
Vaughan Williams.
No. 00278 of 1896.

In the Matter of the Mexican Southern Railway Limited and Reduced and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1867 and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Order of the High Court of Justice (Chancery Division) dated the 11th day of January 1897 confirming the reduction of the capital of the above named Company from £2,000,000 to £1,000,000, 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 27th day of January 1897. And further take notice that the said Minute is in the words and figures following that is to say:—"The capital of the Mexican Southern Railway Limited and Reduced henceforth is £1,000,000 divided into £550,000 preference stock and £450,000 ordinary stock instead of the former capital of £2,000,000 divided into £1,000,000 preference stock and £1,000,000 ordinary stock. At the time of the registration of this Minute the whole of the nominal amount of the said £550,000 preference stock and of the said £450,000 ordinary stock is, and is to be deemed to be fully paid up."—Dated the 28th day of January 1897.

ASHURST MORRIS CRISP and Co. 17
Throgmorton-avenue London E.C. Soli-
citors for the Company.

*Colonial Secretary's Office.***JAMAICA CHANCERY DEPOSITS.—NOTICE.**

PURSUANT to an Act of the Legislature of Jamaica, 19 Victoria caput 5 section 5, notice is hereby given that the several sums of money mentioned in the Schedule to this Notice annexed were paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the Island of Jamaica, there to remain subject and liable to any Order of the Court of Chancery of the said Island, and that the said several sums of money so remain in such matters causes or suits in the books or office of the said Treasurer and that no proceedings have been had in the said matters causes or suits in respect thereto for twenty years last past, nor any application for the payment of the said sums respectively for a period of twenty years.

And notice is hereby further given that if no claim be made or right to such money substantiated to the satisfaction of the Supreme Court of Judicature within two years from the date of the first publication of this Notice in Great Britain the said moneys will become the absolute property of the public of the said Island.

Dated at Kingston Jamaica this 1st day of April 1896.

SCHEDULE.

Name of Suit.	Date of Last Proceeding.	Amount at Credit.
		£ s. d.
Dignum vs. Gordon	30th September, 1872	895 12 2
Tuckett vs. Tuckett	25th March, 1875	3 9 0
Harris vs. Goddard	30th March, 1872	28 14 10
Allwood vs. Vidal	30th March, 1872	20 13 11
Re T. MacBayne	5th April, 1873	43 15 7
Re John Dobson	28th January, 1876	785 9 1

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of **BRITISH CORN**, Imperial Measure*, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise in the Week ended 30th January, 1897, conformably with the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37.

						QUANTITIES SOLD.	AVERAGE PRICE.
						Qrs. Bus.	s. d.
Wheat						55,878 1	31 3
Barley						91,993 1	24 7
Oats... ..						17,823 4	16 8

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1893 to 1896.

Corresponding Week in			QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICE.					
			WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
			Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1893			71,333 2	112,708 5	19,772 0	26 3	25 4	17 5						
1894			58,678 4	83,318 5	17,913 7	25 7	28 11	18 1						
1895			44,925 1	102,859 0	15,322 2	20 6	21 5	13 10						
1896			46,576 3	106,076 0	25,601 1	26 3	23 1	14 1						

* Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, provides that where returns of purchases of British Corn are made to the local inspector of Corn Returns in any other measure than the imperial bushel or by weight or by a weighed measure that officer shall convert such returns into the imperial bushel, and in the case of weight or weighed measure the conversion is to be made at the rate of sixty imperial pounds for every bushel of wheat, fifty imperial pounds for every bushel of barley, and thirty-nine imperial pounds for every bushel of oats.

Board of Agriculture, 4, Whitehall-place, London, S.W.,
January 30, 1897.

P. G. CRAIGIE.

AVERAGE PRICE of Wheat, Barley, and Oats per Quarter of Eight Bushels (Imperial Measure), as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise at each of the undermentioned Towns during the week ended Saturday, the 30th January, 1897.

Towns.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Towns.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
London ...	32 0	...	18 6	Horsham ...	31 9	...	17 6
Uxbridge ...	32 1	...	...	Pulborough ...	30 10	...	15 7
Romford ...	31 0	...	...	Chichester ...	31 9	38 4	16 4
Chelmsford ...	32 10	29 8	15 9	Newport (Hants) ...	...	31 3	...
Colchester ...	32 6	24 8	15 0	Fareham ...	...	27 0	...
Braintree ...	32 9	27 9	15 8	Southampton ...	31 10	...	...
Saffron Walden ...	30 1	25 4	16 7	Winchester ...	32 6	29 10	18 9
Bishop's Stortford ...	30 5	26 11	...	Basingstoke ...	31 8	25 3	17 2
Hertford ...	31 9	...	...	Andover ...	32 4	24 0	...
Royston (Herts) ...	31 1	26 6	...	Ringwood ...	Nil.	...	...
Hitchin ...	31 1	21 10	14 5	Wimborne ...	32 7	23 5	...
Luton (Bedford) ...	30 8	23 9	...	Wareham ...	Nil.	...	...
Bedford ...	29 11	26 10	18 7	Dorchester (Dorset) ...	33 0	25 5	17 0
St. Neots (Hunts) ...	30 5	23 5	16 2	Blandford ...	32 8	25 5	17 1
Huntingdon ...	Nil.	...	...	Bridport ...	Nil.	...	...
St. Ives (Hunts) ...	31 2	23 7	14 10	Honiton ...	Nil.	...	...
Wisbeach ...	30 2	17 11	17 0	Tiverton (Devon) ...	31 0	...	19 3
Ely (Cambridge) ...	30 0	21 0	15 10	Barnstaple ...	31 2	24 0	...
Cambridge ...	30 10	25 6	16 2	Exeter ...	Nil.	...	...
Haverhill ...	31 4	23 5	...	Newton Abbot ...	...	22 9	...
Sudbury (Suffolk) ...	33 3	24 7	...	Totnes ...	...	22 9	...
Hadleigh (Suffolk) ...	34 0	23 6	20 0	Kingsbridge ...	33 7	21 4	...
Ipswich ...	32 2	26 2	18 7	Plymouth ...	Nil.	...	...
Woodbridge ...	34 3	26 3	20 0	Okehampton ...	Nil.	...	...
Stowmarket ...	31 7	24 11	...	Liskeard ...	31 9	...	...
Bury St. Edmunds ...	31 6	25 9	...	Wadebridge ...	Nil.	...	...
Saxmundham ...	33 8	25 11	...	Truro ...	Nil.	...	...
Framlingham ...	33 0	26 9	...	Bridgwater ...	Nil.	...	...
Eye (Suffolk) ...	31 7	29 1	...	Taunton ...	32 6	25 10	18 7
Halesworth ...	32 6	30 8	18 0	Yeovil ...	...	25 10	16 7
Bungay ...	...	29 7	...	Frome ...	31 3	...	...
Beccles ...	31 7	29 9	16 6	Bath ...	23 3	...	...
Diss ...	31 8	29 10	...	Bristol ...	31 8	...	...
Harleston (Norfolk) ...	32 4	30 7	...	Warminster ...	31 9	28 6	16 9
Yarmouth (Norfolk) ...	32 0	26 9	16 1	Salisbury ...	32 5	26 6	17 4
Norwich ...	31 7	26 10	16 5	Devizes ...	31 0	27 7	...
North Walsham (Norfolk) ...	30 10	22 9	...	Swindon (Wilts) ...	31 3	27 6	...
Holt (Norfolk) ...	Nil.	...	...	Cirencester ...	31 5	19 9	17 0
Fakenham ...	30 7	20 11	15 11	Gloucester ...	33 2	20 7	...
East Dereham ...	31 2	23 3	13 6	Cheltenham ...	31 3	22 9	17 6
Watton (Norfolk) ...	30 5	27 1	16 3	Tewkesbury ...	32 9	22 5	...
Lynn ...	30 0	25 10	16 8	Chepstow ...	Nil.	...	...
Spalding ...	29 0	25 3	16 8	Newport (Mon.) ...	Nil.	...	...
Stamford ...	29 8	23 9	17 3	Monmouth ...	Nil.	...	...
Grantham ...	30 5	21 5	19 1	Ross ...	31 9	25 11	...
Sleaford ...	30 6	23 9	13 6	Hereford ...	31 6	23 9	20 11
Boston ...	30 8	31 2	17 4	Evesham ...	33 4	...	...
Louth ...	30 3	19 10	16 7	Worcester ...	32 4	26 7	21 3
Lincoln ...	31 0	25 2	16 10	Ludlow ...	Nil.	...	...
Gainsborough ...	31 5	25 8	...	Bridgnorth ...	...	22 2	...
Brigg ...	30 1	21 11	15 6	Shrewsbury ...	31 2	23 8	18 5
Hull ...	30 6	20 0	...	Oswestry ...	...	23 1	...
Howden ...	31 1	...	...	Market Drayton ...	30 10	20 0	15 4
Beverley ...	29 11	23 9	14 11	Wolverhampton ...	32 7	27 11	20 8
Bridlington ...	29 11	23 0	14 9	Stafford ...	30 6	24 2	17 10
Retford ...	31 9	31 4	18 8	Burton-on-Trent ...	...	34 5	...
Worksop ...	...	25 9	16 2	Derby ...	30 11	...	18 10
Mansfield ...	32 5	25 11	14 10	Sheffield ...	Nil.	...	...
Newark ...	31 10	24 7	15 2	Doncaster ...	31 10	24 5	16 4
Nottingham ...	31 10	22 11	16 9	Goole ...	...	17 10	14 0
Loughborough ...	30 1	24 0	16 0	Pontefract ...	...	21 6	15 5
Leicester ...	...	...	18 3	Wakefield ...	...	21 8	18 7
Melton Mowbray ...	23 7	16 4	18 3	Leeds ...	33 1	22 0	...
Oakham ...	...	15 2	14 0	Knarborough ...	...	17 11	15 4
Peterborough ...	29 11	23 1	16 11	Ripon ...	31 6	21 7	15 9
Kettering ...	29 0	17 2	...	York ...	31 6	21 10	15 5
Northampton ...	30 9	24 2	18 0	Easingwold ...	26 8	...	14 10
Daventry ...	Nil.	...	...	Malton ...	30 7	21 2	15 3
Coventry ...	30 8	26 1	19 7	Scarborough ...	29 1	20 5	14 11
Birmingham ...	31 5	17 0	...	Thirsk ...	...	20 8	14 5
Warwick ...	30 11	22 8	16 2	Bedale ...	...	...	15 9
Stratford-on-Avon ...	...	27 6	...	Northallerton ...	31 0	19 10	14 3
Banbury ...	31 4	22 5	15 1	Darlington ...	...	18 4	14 8
Oxford ...	31 0	26 7	...	Stockton-on-Tees ...	29 0	16 0	...
Bicester ...	30 6	23 2	15 3	Bishop Auckland ...	Nil.	...	...
Newport Pagnell ...	31 5	18 8	16 1	Sunderland ...	29 9	17 4	15 10
Aylesbury ...	29 2	30 5	...	Newcastle-on-Tyne ...	...	20 11	...
Abingdon ...	33 0	27 1	16 11	Alnwick ...	...	19 0	17 4
Didcot ...	Nil.	...	...	Berwick ...	28 6	...	15 5
Wallingford ...	31 7	31 2	22 0	Carlisle ...	25 6	...	...
Hungerford ...	32 8	22 11	...	Egremont (Cumberland) ...	Nil.	...	15 5
Newbury (Berks) ...	32 3	29 7	16 6	Penrith ...	...	...	...
Reading ...	32 1	31 3	...	Kendal ...	Nil.	...	14 2
Farnham (Surrey) ...	...	35 6	...	Garstang ...	29 4	...	...
Guildford ...	34 0	30 11	18 11	Preston (Lancashire) ...	29 7	...	...
Reigate ...	Nil.	...	...	Manchester ...	30 10	...	...
Kingston (Surrey) ...	Nil.	...	...	Warrington ...	31 9	...	17 6
Croydon (Surrey) ...	Nil.	...	...	Chester ...	32 0	...	...
Dartford ...	Nil.	...	...	Llangefni (Anglesey) ...	Nil.	...	...
Rochester (Kent) ...	Nil.	...	...	Carnarvon ...	...	...	13 10
Sandwich ...	Nil.	...	...	Denbigh ...	...	22 5	...
Canterbury ...	34 4	30 3	16 1	Wrexham ...	...	24 9	...
Ashford (Kent) ...	32 4	...	16 0	Welshpool ...	29 4	...	18 9
Maidstone ...	33 5	24 0	...	Cardigan ...	...	29 0	19 11
Tunbridge ...	...	...	19 0	Haverfordwest ...	...	...	17 3
Lewes ...	31 0	...	...	Carmarthen ...	Nil.	...	...
Brighton ...	31 0	24 0	18 1	Cardiff ...	Nil.	...	...
Hayward's Heath ...	31 4	...	...	Brecon ...	...	26 8	19 6

RECEIPTS into and ISSUES out of the EXCHEQUER, between the 1st April, 1896, and the 30th January, 1897.

REVENUE AND OTHER RECEIPTS.	Estimate for the Year 1896-97.	Total Receipts into the Exchequer from		EXPENDITURE AND OTHER ISSUES.	Estimate for the Year 1896-97 (including Supplementary Estimates).	Total Issues out of the Exchequer to meet Payments from	
		1st April, 1896, to 30th January, 1897.	1st April, 1895, to 1st February, 1896.			1st April, 1896, to 30th January, 1897.	1st April, 1895, to 1st February, 1896.
Balances in Exchequer on 1st April:—	£	£	£		£	£	£
Bank of England	—	8,163,964	5,516,355				
Bank of Ireland	—	811,237	784,472				
		8,975,201	6,300,827				
REVENUE.				EXPENDITURE.			
Customs	21,020,000	17,815,000	17,391,000	Permanent Charge of Debt... ..	25,000,000	23,031,229	22,546,444
Excise	27,000,000	23,223,000	22,716,000	Other Consolidated Fund Services	1,660,000	1,500,929	1,469,819
Estate, &c., Duties	9,775,000	8,922,000	9,660,000	Supply Services	73,434,000	58,155,441	56,078,971
Stamps	6,700,000	6,140,000	6,327,000		100,094,000		
Land Tax and House Duty	2,375,000	1,020,000	1,155,000	EXPENDITURE		82,687,599	80,095,234
Property and Income Tax	16,200,000	8,910,000	9,284,000				
Post Office	11,660,000	9,180,000	8,810,000				
Telegraph Service	2,940,000	2,465,000	2,405,000				
Crown Lands	415,000	365,000	365,000	OTHER ISSUES:			
Suez Canal Share Receipts	695,000	694,075	673,418	For Advances for Bullion, &c.		710,000	745,000
Miscellaneous	1,700,000	1,644,489	1,328,759	For Supply purposes (net amount)... ..		1,735,000	349,000
REVENUE	100,480,000	80,378,514	80,115,177	Under Imperial Defence Act, 1888... ..		—	58,000
Total, including Balance		89,353,715	86,416,004	“ Barracks Act, 1890		320,000	500,000
				“ Telegraph Acts, 1892 and 1896		138,000	113,550
				“ Naval Works Act, 1895		—	610,000
				“ Public Offices (Acquisition of Site) Act, 1895		75,000	—
				“ Uganda Railway Act, 1896		278,000	—
				Surplus Revenue of 1895-96 applied under the Naval Works Act, 1896		1,086,590	—
OTHER RECEIPTS.						87,030,189	82,470,784
Repayment of Advances for Bullion, &c.		580,824	873,893				
Under Barracks Act, 1890		—	500,000				
“ Telegraph Act, 1892		547,114	113,550				
“ Naval Works Act, 1895		—	375,000				
“ Uganda Railway Act, 1896		147,000	—				
Casual Receipts		3,468	3,465				
Totals		90,632,121	88,281,912	Balances in Exchequer—		3,601,932	5,811,128
				Bank of England	1897. 30th January, £		
				Bank of Ireland	1896. 1st February, £		
					3,263,262	5,467,105	
					338,670	344,023	
				Totals		90,632,121	88,281,912

Treasury, February 2, 1897.

ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of Agricultural Produce Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 30th January, 1897, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

					Quantities.	
					1896.	1897.
Animals living :—						
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves	...	...	...	Number	6,578	9,520
Sheep and Lambs	...	...	...	"	8,649	11,294
Swine	...	...	...	"	—	—
Fresh Meat :—						
Beef	...	...	...	cwts.	41,874	64,586
Mutton	...	...	...	"	51,989	42,888
Pork	...	...	...	"	5,856	8,240
Salted or Preserved Meat :—						
Bacon	...	...	...	"	91,056	107,793
Beef	...	...	...	"	1,468	2,975
Hams	...	...	...	"	20,678	22,338
Pork	...	...	...	"	7,276	5,249
Meat unenumerated, salted and fresh	...	...	...	"	2,681	4,663
Meat preserved, otherwise than by salting	...	...	...	"	25,060	29,230
Dairy Produce and Substitutes :—						
Butter	...	...	...	"	61,815	76,770
Margarine	...	...	...	"	19,156	18,302
Cheese	...	...	...	"	19,214	28,664
Milk and Cream, Fresh or Preserved, not	...	...	...
Condensed	...	...	...	...	Galls. 270	cwts. 51
Milk, Condensed	...	...	...	cwts.	10,525	10,983
Eggs	...	...	...	Great Hundred	141,709	240,073
Poultry and Game	...	...	...	Value £	26,604	20,096
Rabbits, dead (not tinned)	...	...	...	cwts.	3,880	4,281
Lard	...	...	...	"	27,517	25,549
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour :—						
Wheat	...	...	...	"	1,008,500	1,037,100
Wheat Meal and Flour	...	...	...	"	379,700	435,440
Barley	...	...	...	"	274,700	529,400
Oats	...	...	...	"	364,000	529,800
Pease	...	...	...	"	42,720	47,570
Beans	...	...	...	"	76,800	33,270
Maize or Indian Corn	...	...	...	"	695,000	1,136,400
Fruit, Raw :—						
Apples	...	...	...	Bush.	53,680	143,015
Oranges	...	...	...	"	255,740	227,072
Lemons	...	...	...	"	14,044	13,533
Cherries	...	...	...	"	—	—
Plums	...	...	...	"	—	—
Pears	...	...	...	"	440	921
Grapes	...	...	...	"	244	265
Unenumerated	...	...	...	"	13,350	11,783
Hay	...	...	...	Tons	2,098	1,283
Hops	...	...	...	cwts.	3,298	5,021
Vegetables :—						
Onions, raw	...	...	...	Bush.	144,257	145,888
Potatoes	...	...	...	cwts.	5,565	3,788
Unenumerated	...	...	...	Value £	11,361	17,527

Statistical Office, Custom House, London,
February 1, 1897.

T. J. PITTAR.

Lee Conservancy.

Lee Conservancy Office,
12, Finsbury-Circus, London, E.C.

NOTICE is hereby given, that William Robert Sheldon, Esquire, the Revising Barrister appointed by the Board of Trade to revise the list of persons claiming under the provisions of "The Lee Conservancy Act, 1868," to be Electors of Conservators Representatives of Landowners,

will hold the First Sitting for the revision of such list, at the Lee Conservancy Office, No. 12, Finsbury-circus, London, E.C., on Monday, the 15th day of February, 1897, between the hours of 4.30 and 5.30 o'clock in the afternoon.—Dated this 1st day of February, 1897.

By order of the Lee Conservancy Board,
GEO. CORBLE, Clerk.

COTTON STATISTICS ACT, 1868.

RETURN of the Number of BALES of COTTON Imported and Exported at the Various Ports of the United Kingdom during the Week and 4 Weeks ended 28th January, 1897.

PORTS.	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.
Week ended 28th January, 1897.												
Liverpool	101,419	...	1,755	7,294	1,124	111,592	390	...	564	1,142	35	2,181
London	264	...	...	...	...	264	2,723	...	767	...	...	3,490
Hull	1,856	...	...	...	...	1,856	1,398	...	...	225	...	1,628
Manchester	9,641	...	...	...	...	9,641	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Ports	192	...	...	...	...	192	81	...	...	...	...	81
Total	113,372	...	1,755	7,294	1,124	123,545	4,592	...	1,331	1,367	35	7,325
4 Weeks ended 28th January, 1897.												
Liverpool	442,122	742	3,255	35,377	5,736	487,232	3,380	...	794	7,761	368	12,303
London	264	...	*3,095	...	20	3,379	5,201	...	2,731	...	5	7,937
Hull	7,111	...	...	381	...	7,492	5,711	500	...	506	46	6,763
Manchester	30,078	...	...	9,079	...	39,157	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Ports	852	...	...	...	...	852	2,230	...	3	...	...	2,233
Total	480,427	742	6,350	44,837	5,756	538,112	16,522	500	3,528	8,267	419	29,236

Dated January 29, 1897.

* Corrected figures.

R. GIFFEN,
Commercial, Labour, and Statistical Department, Board of Trade.

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 23rd day of January, 1897.

PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.				Average Amount.
Ashford Bank	Ashford	Pomfret and Co.	£	3680
Aylesbury Old Bank	Aylesbury	Cobb, Bartlett, and Co.		6238
Banbury Bank	Banbury	Gillett and Co.		4841
Banbury Old Bank	Banbury	T. R. Cobb and Son		4917
Bedford Bank	Bedford	Barnard and Co.		12797
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank	Bicester	Tubb and Co.		9448
Buckingham Bank	Buckingham	Bartlett and Co.		5847
Bury and Suffolk Bank, Sudbury } Bank, and Stowmarket Bank }	Bury St. Edmunds	Oakes, Bevan, and Co.		13500
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank	Cambridge	Foster and Co.		19779
Canterbury Bank	Canterbury	Hammond and Co.		6535
City Bank, Exeter	Exeter	Milford and Co.		8619
Derby Bank	Derby	Samuel Smith and Co.		4351
Dorchester Old Bank and Dorset- } shire Bank }	Dorchester	R. R. Williams and Co.		15710
Exeter Bank	Exeter	Sanders and Co.		7976
Faversham Bank	Faversham	Hilton and Co.		2416
Ipswich Bank	Ipswich	Bacon and Co.		12175
Kingston-upon-Hull and Hull Bank	Kingston-upon-Hull	Smith Brothers and Co.		9269
Kington and Radnorshire Bank	Kington	Davies and Co.		9204
Leeds Old Bank	Leeds	Beckett and Co.		44167
Leeds Bank	Leeds	Wm. Wms. Brown and Co.		18404
Lincoln Bank	Lincoln	Smith, Ellison, and Co.		51361
Llandovery, Lampeter, and Llan- } dilo Banks }	Llandovery	D. Jones and Co.		8064
Naval Bank	Plymouth	Harris, Bulteel, and Co.		5102
Newark Bank	Newark	Samuel Smith and Co.		5931
Newmarket Bank	Newmarket	Hammond and Co.		5628
Nottingham Bank	Nottingham	Samuel Smith and Co.		14615
Oxford Old Bank	Oxford	Parsons and Co.		14400
Oxfordshire Witney Bank	Witney	Gillett and Co.		3500
Reading Bank	Reading	Simonds and Co.		10887
Reading Bank	Reading	Stephens, Blandy, and Co.		9527
Richmond Bank	Richmond	Roper and Co.		4050
Salisbury Old Bank	Salisbury	Pinckney Brothers		1609
Sleaford and Newark Bank, and } Newark and Sleaford Bank }	Sleaford	Peacock and Co.		10290
Tring, Aylesbury, and Chesham Bank	Tring	Butcher and Sons		7585
Uxbridge Old Bank	Uxbridge	Woodbridge and Co.		735
Wallingford Bank	Wallingford	Hedges, Wells, and Co.		1229
Wellington Somerset Bank	Wellington	Fox, Fowler, and Co.		2560
West Riding Bank, Wakefield; and } Pontefract Bank }	Wakefield	Leatham, Tew, and Co.		15980
Weymouth Old, Dorchester, and } Portland Bank }	Weymouth	Eliot, Pearce, and Co.		3321
Worcester, Great Malvern, and } Tewkesbury Old Bank }	Worcester	Berwick, Lechmere, and Co.		12385
Yarmouth, Norfolk, and Suffolk Bank	Great Yarmouth	Lacons, Youell, and Co.		3775
York and East Riding Bank	Beverley	Beckett and Co.		37180

JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.		Average Amount.
		£
Bank of Whitehaven Limited	Whitehaven ...	11398
Bradford Banking Company Limited	Bradford ...	20968
Bradford Commercial Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	Bradford ...	12476
Burton Union Bank Limited	Burton-upon-Trent ...	14495
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company Limited	Carlisle ...	22351
County of Gloucester Banking Company Limited	Cheltenham ...	28657
Cumberland Union Banking Company Limited	Carlisle ...	36310
Derby and Derbyshire Banking Company Limited	Derby ...	6530
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company Limited	Halifax ...	9281
Halifax Commercial Banking Company Limited	Halifax ...	8226
Halifax Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	Halifax ...	14530
Huddersfield Banking Company Limited	Huddersfield ...	22513
Knaresborough and Claro Banking Company Limited	Harrogate ...	19124
Lancaster Banking Company Limited	Lancaster ...	46457
Leicestershire Banking Company Limited	Leicester ...	31523
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company Limited	Lincoln ...	39650
Moore and Robinson's Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited	Nottingham ...	12263
North and South Wales Bank Limited	Liverpool ...	35285
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited	Nottingham ...	21339
Parce's Leicestershire Banking Company Limited	Leicester ...	21835
Sheffield and Hallamshire Bank Limited	Sheffield ...	7323
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	Sheffield ...	12687
Sheffield Banking Company Limited	Sheffield ...	11170
Stamford, Spalding, and Boston Banking Company Limited	Stamford ...	33926
Stuckey's Banking Company Limited	Langport ...	114074
Swaledale and Wensleydale Banking Company Limited	Richmond (Yorks) ...	35592
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank Limited	Wakefield ...	6349
West Riding Union Banking Company Limited	Huddersfield ...	11788
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	Whitehaven ...	19993
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company Limited	Salisbury ...	50978
York City and County Banking Company Limited	York ...	86968
Yorkshire Banking Company Limited	Leeds ...	90787
York Union Banking Company Limited	York ...	70159

Inland Revenue Office, 30th January, 1897.

J. S. PURCELL, Registrar of Bank Returns.

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

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1867 and 1877 and in the Matter of the Vizcaya Santander Mining Company Limited and Reduced.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for confirming a resolution reducing the capital of the Company from £95,000 to £47,500, was on the 22nd day of January 1897 presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice and is now pending and that the list of creditors of the Company is to be made out as for the 10th day of March 1897.

TARRY SHERLOCK and KING 17 Serjeants'-inn Fleet-street Solicitors to the Company.

In the Matter of Andrew Knowles and Sons Limited and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1867 and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Order of the High Court of Justice (Chancery Division) dated the 12th December 1896 confirm-

ing the reduction of the capital of the above named Company from £1,250,000 to £937,500 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 26th day of January 1897. And further take notice that the said Minute is in the words and figures following:—"The capital of Andrew Knowles and Sons Limited is henceforth £937,500 divided into £25,000 shares of £37 10s. each instead of £1,250,000 divided into 25,000 shares of £50 each. At the time of the registration of this Minute all of the said shares of £37 10s. have been issued and of these shares so issued 600 have been and are to be deemed to be fully paid up and on each of the remaining 24,400 shares the sum of £22 10s. has been and is to be deemed paid up."—Dated the 29th day of January 1897.

ROWCLIFFES RAWLE and Co. 1 Bedford-row London W.C. Agents for-

FULLAGAR and HUTTON of Bolton Solicitors for the Company.

* For convenience Berwick-upon-Tweed is considered to be in Northumberland, Dudley is considered to be in Worcestershire, Stockport is considered to be in Cheshire, and the city of London is considered to be in the county of London.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896 (*continued*).

SWINE-FEVER INFECTED AREAS.

THE following Areas are now *Areas Infected with Swine-Fever* under the above-mentioned Acts:—

Ayrshire.—An Area comprising the parishes of Beith, Dunlop, Stewarton, Fenwick, Kilmarnock, Riccarton, and Dundonald, in the county of Ayr, and also comprising the burgh of Kilmarnock (16 November, 1896).

Berkshire.—An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Abingdon, and Wallingford (or Moreton), in the county of Berks, and also comprising the boroughs of Abingdon, and Wallingford (23 November, 1896).

Cambridgeshire.—An Area in the county of Cambridge comprising the parishes of Great Eversden, Little Eversden, Harlton, Comberton, Toft, Kingston, Orwell, Wimpole, and Barrington (18 January, 1897).

Essex.—(1.) An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Tendring, Lexden and Winstree, and Witham, in the county of Essex, and also comprising the boroughs of Colchester, Harwich, and Maldon (16 November, 1896).

(2.) An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Epping, Romford, and Beacontree, in the county of Essex (16 November, 1896).

Gloucestershire.—(1.) An Area in the county of Gloucester comprising the parishes of Stroud, Bisley with Lippiatt, Chalford, Stonehouse, Rodborough, Kings Stanley, Leonard Stanley, Standish, Randwick, Woodchester, Whiteshill, Cainscross, Uplands, and Thrupp (26 January, 1897).

(2.) An Area comprising the parishes of Sandhurst, Norton, Boddington, Uckington, Swindon, Prestbury, Charlton Kings, Leckhampton, Up Hatherley, Badgeworth, Churchdown, Staverton, Down Hatherley, Twigworth, and Great Shurdington, in the county of Gloucester, and also comprising the borough of Cheltenham (26 January, 1897).

Gloucestershire, Worcestershire, and Warwickshire.—An Area comprising the parishes of Clifford Chambers, and Preston-upon-Stour, in the county of Gloucester; also comprising the parish of Alderminster, in the county of Worcester; and also comprising the petty sessional division of Stratford and Snitterfield (except the parish of Welford detached), in the county of Warwick, and the borough of Stratford-upon-Avon (23 November, 1896).

Huntingdonshire.—An Area comprising the parishes of Bury, and Ramsey, in the county of Huntingdon (21 April, 1896).

Isle of Ely.—An Area comprising the parish of Chatteris, in the county of the Isle of Ely (4 January, 1897).

Kent.—An Area in the county of Kent comprising the boroughs of Margate, and Ramsgate, and the petty sessional division of Ramsgate together with the parish of Sarre and any other place which is included in the liberty of a Cinque Port and is situate within or to the north of the said division (24 November, 1896).

Lancashire.—An Area in the county of Lancaster comprising the parishes or townships of Standish-with-Langtree, Orrell, Pemberton, Winstanley, Billinge Higher End, Billinge Chapel End,

Ashton-in-Makerfield, Golborne, Lowton, Haydock, Newton-in-Makerfield, Kenyon, Southworth-with-Croft, and Culcheth, and also comprising the borough of Wigan (21 December, 1896).

Lincolnshire.—(1.) An Area comprising the parishes of Sutton Bridge, Long Sutton, Little Sutton, Lutton, Gedney, Fleet, Holbeach, Whaplode, Moulton, Weston, Cowbit, Spalding, and Pinchbeck, in the Parts of Holland, Lincolnshire (14 September, 1896).

(2.) An Area comprising the parish of Eastville, in the Parts of Lindsey, Lincolnshire; and also comprising the parishes of Wrangle, Leake, Leverton, Benington, and Butterwick, in the Parts of Holland, Lincolnshire (14 September, 1896).

Middlesex.—An Area in the county of Middlesex comprising the township of Uxbridge, and the parishes of Hillingdon East, Hillingdon West, Cowley, Yiewsley, Hayes, Norwood, and Hanwell (except Hanwell detached) (17 November, 1896).

Norfolk.—An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Freebridge Marshland, and Clackclose, in the county of Norfolk (16 November, 1896).

Northamptonshire.—(1.) An Area in the county of Northampton comprising the parishes of Rushden, Finedon, Irthlingborough, Little Addington, Great Addington, Woodford, and Ringstead (14 January, 1897).

(2.) An Area comprising the parishes of Dallington, Dallington St. James, Duston, Duston St. James, Far Cotton, Kingsthorpe, and Hardingstone, in the county of Northampton, and also comprising the borough of Northampton (14 January, 1897).

Nottinghamshire.—An Area comprising the parishes of Hawton, Balderton, Barnby-in-the Willows, and Coddington, in the county of Nottingham, and also comprising the borough of Newark (22 January, 1897).

Staffordshire.—(1.) An Area comprising the municipal borough of Tamworth, in the county of Stafford (23 November, 1896).

(2.) An Area comprising the parishes or townships of Rushton Spencer, Rushton James, Heaton, Rudyard, Horton and Horton Hay, Leek (Urban), Lowe, Endon and Stanley, Longsdon, Cheddleton, Consall, and Ipstones, in the county of Stafford (23 November 1896).

Warwickshire.—(1.) An Area comprising the parishes of St. Michael's Without, Holy Trinity Without, Stoneleigh, Stivichall, Binley, Stoke, Wyken, Foleshill, and Coundon, in the county of Warwick, and also comprising the borough of Coventry (28 September, 1896).

(2.) An Area in the county of Warwick comprising the parishes of Atherstone, Grendon, and Polesworth (4 January, 1897).

(3.) An Area in the county of Warwick comprising the parishes of Sutton Coldfield, Minworth, Aston Manor, Erdington, Castle Bromwich, and Water Orton (4 January, 1897).

Yorkshire.—(1.) An Area comprising the civil parishes or townships of Pontefract, Pontefract Park District, Glass Houghton, Ferry Fryston and Ferrybridge, Burton Salmon, Byram-cum-Sutton, Purston Jaglin, Castleford, Knottingley, Brotherton, Carleton, Tanshelf, and Featherstone, in the West Riding of the county of York (28 September, 1896).

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896 (*continued*).

(2.) An Area comprising the civil parishes or townships of Royston, Monk Bretton, Ardsley, Worsbrough, Barugh, Darfield, Carlton, Darton, Kexbrough, Dodworth, and Wombwell, in the West Riding of the county of York, and also comprising the borough of Barnsley (28 September, 1896).

(3.) An Area in the North Riding of the county of York comprising the petty sessional divisions of Langbaugh East, and Langbaugh North, and also comprising the boroughs of Middlesbrough, and Thornaby-on-Tees (6 January, 1897).

SWINE-FEVER SUSPECTED ZONES.

THE following districts or areas are now *Swine-Fever Suspected Zones* under the above-mentioned Acts:—

Bedfordshire.—A district or area comprising the borough of Bedford (8 January, 1897).

Bedfordshire and Huntingdonshire.—A district or area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Sharnbrook, Bedford, Biggleswade, and Ampt-hill, in the county of Bedford; and also comprising the parish of Swineshead, in the county of Huntingdon (21 September, 1896).

Cheshire.—A district or area comprising the police divisions of Nantwich, Middlewich, and Macclesfield, in the county of Chester, and also comprising the boroughs of Crewe, Congleton, and Macclesfield (19 October, 1896).

Essex.—A district or area comprising the petty sessional divisions of South Hinkford, Chelmsford, Dengie, and Rochford, in the county of Essex, and also comprising the borough of Southend-on-Sea (16 November, 1896).

Hampshire.—A district or area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Petersfield (except the parish of Bramshott detached), Droxford, and Southampton, in the county of Southampton, and also comprising the borough of Southampton (8 December, 1896).

Huntingdonshire.—A district or area in the county of Huntingdon comprising the petty sessional divisions of Hurstingstone, Toseland (except the parish of Swineshead detached and the portion of the parish of Tetworth detached), Leightonstone, and Ramsey (except the portion of the parish of Ramsey detached) (21 November, 1896).

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Isle of Ely and Norfolk.—A district or area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Wisbech (including the borough of Wisbech), Whittlesea and Thorney, and North Witchford, in the county of the Isle of Ely; and also comprising the petty sessional divisions of Freebridge Marshland, and Clackclose, in the county of Norfolk (1 September, 1896).

Kent.—A district or area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Faversham, Home, Ramsgate, and Wingham, in the county of Kent, together with any place which is included in the liberties of the Cinque Ports of Dover and Sandwich, and also comprising the boroughs of Canterbury, Deal, Dover, Faversham, Margate, Queenborough, Ramsgate, and Sandwich (22 September, 1896).

Staffordshire.—A district or area comprising the county of Stafford (except the parish of Upper Arley transferred by Agreement to the county of Worcester), and also comprising the boroughs of Burslem, Burton-upon-Trent, Hanley, Longton, Newcastle-under-Lyme, Stafford, Stoke-upon-Trent, Walsall, Wednesbury, West Bromwich, and Wolverhampton (30 November, 1896).

Suffolk.—A district or area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Lackford, Blackbourn, Thingoe and Thedwestry, Stowmarket, Risbridge, Melford, Hadleigh or Cosford, and Boxford, in the county of Suffolk, and also comprising the boroughs of Bury St. Edmunds, and Sudbury (22 September, 1896).

Warwickshire and Worcestershire.—A district or area comprising the county of Warwick, and also comprising the boroughs of Coventry, Leamington, and Warwick, and also comprising the parishes of Alderminster, Oldberrow, Shipston-on-Stour, Tidmington, Tredington, and Yardley, transferred by agreement to the county of Warwick from the county of Worcester (7 December, 1896).

Worcestershire.—A district or area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Northfield, Stourbridge, and Stourport, in the county of Worcester (5 October, 1896).

Yorkshire.—A district or area comprising the civil parishes or townships of Bentley-with-Arksey, Kirk Sandall, Armthorpe, Cantley, Carr House and Elm Field, Loversall, Sprotbrough, Balby-with-Hexthorpe, Warmsworth, Conisbrough, Mexbrough, Cadeby, Melton, and Wheatley, in the West Riding of the county of York, and also comprising the borough of Doncaster (28 September, 1896).

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.
RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the undermentioned DISEASES for the Week ended
January 30th, 1897, distinguishing Counties (including Boroughs*).

PLEURO-PNEUMONIA.			
County.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Cattle found Diseased.	Cattle Slaughtered as having been exposed to Infection.
ENGLAND.			
	No.	No.	No.
Essex ... ..	...	2	32

ANTHRAX.			
County.	Outbreaks reported.	Animals Attacked.	
ENGLAND.			
	No.	No.	
Deyon ... ..	...	3	
Kent ... ..	...	5	
Somerset	1	1	
Westmorland	1	1	
Wilts	1	31	
York, East Riding	1	1	
TOTAL			
	4	42	

GLANDERS (INCLUDING FARCY).			
County.	Outbreaks reported.	Animals which remained Diseased at the end of the previous week.	Animals reported during the Week as Attacked.
ENGLAND.			
	No.	No.	No.
Chester	1	...	1
Lancaster	1	...	1
London	8	...	10
Middlesex	2	2	3
Norfolk	2	...	2
Warwick	1	...	1
SCOTLAND.			
Lanark	1	...	6
TOTAL			
	16	2	24

RABIES.			
County.	Cases reported during the Week.		Number of Dogs destroyed as having been exposed to Infection.
	Dogs.	Other Animals.	
ENGLAND.			
	No.	No.	No.
Chester	1	...	...
Notts	1	...	...
Stafford ... ..	...	...	2
York, West Riding	2	...	17
TOTAL			
	4	...	19

* For convenience Berwick-upon-Tweed is considered to be in Northumberland, Dudley is considered to be in Worcestershire, Stockport is considered to be in Cheshire, and the city of London is considered to be in the county of London.

SUMMARY OF RETURNS.

Period.	Anthrax.		Foot-and-Mouth Disease.		Glanders (including Farcy).		Pleuro-Pneumonia.			Rabies.		Swine-Fever.	
	Outbreaks.	Animals Attacked.	Outbreaks.	Animals Attacked.	Outbreaks.	Animals Attacked.	Outbreaks.	Cattle Slaughtered.		Cases Reported.		Outbreaks.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or Exposed to Infection.
								Diseased.	Exposed to Infection.	Dogs.	Other Animals.		
Week ended Jan. 30, 1897	No. 4	No. 42	No. ...	No. ...	No. 16	No. 24	No. ...	No. 2	No. 32	No. 4	No. ...	No. 52	No. 830
Corresponding week in	1896 9	12	...	...	10	24	...	...	...	10	1	96	1,162
	1895 10	14	...	...	11	36	...	...	...	18	...	70	514
	1894 23	42	...	...	22	28	...	...	...	2	...	65	746
Total for 5 Weeks 1897.	48	111	...	...	70	111	1	6	94	17	1	369	6,017
Corresponding period in	1896 61	112	...	...	76	131	...	...	...	69	3	532	7,973
	1895 49	84	...	...	84	169	...	...	...	76	2	424	2,493
	1894 79	169	...	...	117	163	...	...	...	15	...	310	4,408

NOTE.—The figures for the current Year are approximate only.

Board of Agriculture, 2nd February, 1897.

PURSUANT to a Judgment of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, dated the 22nd of July 1896 made in an action *Brown Janson and Co. v. the Queen's Birthday United Gold Mines Limited and others*, 1895 B. No. 2429 whereby it is ordered (inter alia) that an enquiry be made what (if any) debentures have been issued by the defendants the Queen's Birthday United Gold Mines Limited and entitled to the benefit of the indenture dated the 17th May 1893 in the said Judgment mentioned are now outstanding and unpaid and who are the respective holders thereof and an account be taken of what (if anything) is due to the plaintiffs and all other the holders of the said debentures respectively in respect of the said debentures. Notice is hereby given that all persons claiming to be holders of such debentures are required on or before the 5th day of March 1897 to send their full Christian names, addresses and descriptions and the particulars of their claims as such debenture holders for principal and interest and also the full particulars of the debentures held by them together with the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Messrs. Hays, Schmettau and Ancrum of 31 Abchurch-lane, E.C. the Solicitors for the plaintiffs in the said action and if so required by notice in writing such debenture holders are to come in and prove their claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice. Monday the 15th day of March 1897 at 2.15 o'clock in the afternoon at the chambers of the Registrar, Companies Winding up, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, is appointed for adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 26th day of January 1897.

H. J. HOOD Registrar, Companies (Winding-up).

HAYS SCHMETTAU and ANCRUM Solicitors for the Plaintiffs.

In the Matter of Central Wealth of Nations, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at Winchester House, in the city of London, on the 12th day of January, 1897, 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 29th day of January, 1897, the following resolutions were duly confirmed viz:—

1. "That the conditional agreement, dated the 23rd day of November, 1896, and made between the Anglo-Australian Contract Company, Limited, of the one part, and this Company of the other part, be and the same is hereby approved and confirmed.

2. "That it is desirable to re-construct the Company, and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Edward Hart, of 30, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up.

3. "That the said Liquidator be and is hereby authorized to consent to the registration of a new Company, to be named, Norseman Day Dawn, Limited, or such other name as the Liquidator shall approve, with a Memorandum and Articles of Association which have been prepared with the privity and approval of the Directors of this Company, or with such modification therein as the Liquidator shall approve.

4. "That the draft agreement submitted to this Meeting, and expressed to be made between this

Company and its Liquidator of the one part, and the Norseman Day Dawn, Limited, of the other part, be and the same is hereby approved, and that the said Liquidator be and is hereby authorized, pursuant to section 161 of the Companies Acts, 1862, to enter into an agreement with such new Company (when incorporated), or with a Trustee for such new Company, in the terms of the said draft agreement, and to carry the same into effect, but with power to concur in all such modifications thereof as he may think expedient, and to enter into all such other agreements and take all such proceedings as he may consider to be necessary or expedient for carrying into effect the said agreement with or without any such modification.

5. "That a committee of four shareholders be appointed to confer and act with the Liquidator in carrying into effect the above resolutions, and that the Liquidator do confer and act with such Committee in settling the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the new Company, and in determining upon the number, names, and amount of remuneration of the Directors of such new Company, and in making or procuring such modifications as may appear to such committee and the Liquidator to be necessary or expedient in the agreement or agreements mentioned in Resolution 4, and for such other purposes as may seem to them necessary or desirable, and that such committee do consist of the following, viz:— Messrs. Lonsdale, McLaren, Savidge and Rurgoyne Watts."

Dated this 29th day of January, 1897.

WALTER S. B. McLAREN Chairman.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893.

Special Resolution of the Workington and Isle of Man Steamship Company, Limited.

Passed 29th December, 1896.

Confirmed 19th January, 1897.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the Company's office, Workington, in the county of Cumberland, on the 29th day of December, 1896, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 19th day of January, 1897, the said Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862-1867."

And at such last-mentioned Meeting, Mr. J. G. Oldfield, of Workington, Ship Broker, was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of the winding up.—Dated this 28th day of January, 1897.

WM. PAISLEY Chairman.

W. G. Brameld and Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above-named Company duly convened and held at Temple-buildings Hull on the 19th day of January 1897 the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

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

And at the same Meeting J. C. Sykes of Isabella-chambers Chapel-lane Hull Merchant was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.—Dated this twenty-fifth day of January 1897.

W. RUNTON Chairman.

The Companies Acts 1862 to 1890.

The Barry Villa Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened and held at the Masonic-buildings Pontypridd in the county of Glamorgan on the 27th day of January the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Company that this Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business and that it is desirable that the same should be wound up voluntarily and that the Company be wound up accordingly.

"That Mr. John Evans of Ynysmeurig-road Abercynon is hereby appointed Liquidator of the Company."

Dated this 29th day of January, 1897.

JOHN EVANS Liquidator.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893.

The Golden Dundee, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the Company's offices, Blomfield House, London Wall, in the city of London, on the 15th day of January, 1897, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

Resolution.—"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and accordingly, that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Arthur Hebden, of Blomfield House, London Wall aforesaid, be, and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up at such remuneration as may be fixed by the Directors."

Dated this 29th day of January 1897.

JAMES DOYLE Chairman.

The Croydon Pure Ice and Cold Storage Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above Company, duly convened and held at the offices of the Company, 35, Eastcheap, in the city of London, on the 4th day of January, 1897, 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 25th day of January, 1897 the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

Resolutions.—1. "That it is desirable to wind up the Company, and that the same be wound up voluntarily.

2. "That Mr. Henry Garman, of 35, Eastcheap, in the city of London, Chartered Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

WM. HAYDON Chairman.

HARMAN WARD and COLLIER 7 King-street Cheapside E.C. Solicitors.

Hannan's United Gold Estates, Limited.

Notice of Special Resolution.

Passed 31st December, 1896.

Confirmed 18th January, 1897.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at 3 and 4, Great Winchester-street, in the city of London, on Thursday, the 31st day of December 1896, the following resolution was passed and at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Company, also duly convened and held at the same place on Monday, the 18th day of January, 1897,

such resolution was confirmed as a Special Resolution, that is to say:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily in accordance with the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862-1890, and that John Stewart Grant Campbell, be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up, at a remuneration to be hereafter determined."

Dated the 30th January, 1897.

J. S. G. CAMPBELL Secretary.

In the Matter of Brice and Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company duly convened and held at the Vulcan Works Guildhall-road Northampton on Friday the twenty-ninth day of January 1897 the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed:—

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

2. "That this Company be wound up voluntarily.

3. "That Augustus Cufau de Palmer of St. Giles'-chambers Northampton Chartered Accountant and Henry Butcher of Bath Chartered Accountant be and are hereby appointed Joint Liquidators to conduct the winding up.

4. "That William Laban of Connaught-street Hyde Park-square London Incorporated Accountant William George Hobbs of Northampton Bank Manager Samuel Ferneyhough of Manchester Solicitor be appointed a Committee of Inspection with power to add two to their number to act with the Liquidators and with instructions to cause an investigation to be made into the causes which led to the insolvency of the Company and to report thereon to a meeting of shareholders to be called at the earliest time possible."

Dated the 29th day of January 1897.

ROBERT BRICE Chairman.

Guildhall-road Northampton.

The Guadiana Mining Company, Limited.

Notice of Extraordinary Resolution for Winding Up Voluntarily.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1883.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened and held at 79, Colmore-row, Birmingham, on Wednesday, the 13th day of January, 1897, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

"That it has been proved, to the satisfaction of the Company, that this Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is desirable that the same should be wound up voluntarily, and that the Company be wound up accordingly."

That Frank M. Sanders, of Thimblemill-lane, Aston, Birmingham, be, and he is, hereby appointed the Liquidator of the Company.

S. SANDERS Chairman.

The South Hams Coaching Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened and held at Plymouth on Tuesday the 26th day of January 1897 the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Company that this Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business, and that it is desirable that the same should be wound up voluntarily, and that the Company be wound up accordingly. That Mr. C. G. Hambly of Plym-

month be and is hereby appointed the Liquidator of the Company."

29th January 1897.

C. G. HAMBLY Secretary.

The Sailing Ship "Otterspool" Company Limited. **N**OTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named Company, are required on or before the 15th day of March next to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Ralph Watts Leyland of 19 and 20 H Exchange-buildings in the city of Liverpool Shipowner, one of the Liquidators of the said Company and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are personally or by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 30th day of January 1897.

HILL DICKINSON and Co. 10 Water-street
Liverpool Solicitors to the Liquidators.

The Sailing Ship "Liverpool" Company Limited. **N**OTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company, are required on or before the 15th day of March next to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Ralph Watts Leyland of 19 and 20 H Exchange-buildings in the city of Liverpool Shipowner, one of the Liquidators of the said Company and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are personally or by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 30th day of January 1897.

HILL, DICKINSON and Co. 10 Water-street
Liverpool Solicitors to the Liquidators.

The Sailing Ship "Aigburth" Company Limited. **N**OTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named Company are required on or before the 15th day of March next to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims; and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Ralph Watts Leyland of 19 and 20 H Exchange-buildings in the city of Liverpool Shipowner, one of the Liquidators of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are personally or by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 30th day of January 1897.

HILL, DICKINSON and Co. 10 Water-street,
Liverpool Solicitors to the Liquidators.

The Sailing Ship "Ditton" Company Limited. **N**OTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company, are required on or before the 15th day of March next to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Ralph Watts Leyland of 19 and 20 H Exchange-buildings in the city of Liverpool Shipowner, one of the Liquidators of the said Company and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are personally

or by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 30th day of January 1897.

HILL, DICKINSON, and Co. 10 Water-street
Liverpool Solicitors to the Liquidators.

The Sailing Ship "Fulwood" Company Limited. **N**OTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company, are required on or before the 15th day of March next to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Ralph Watts Leyland of 19 and 20 H Exchange-buildings in the city of Liverpool Shipowner, one of the Liquidators of the said Company and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are personally or by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 30th day of January 1897.

HILL, DICKINSON and Co. 10 Water-street
Liverpool, Solicitors to the Liquidators.

The Sailing Ship "Halewood" Company Limited. **N**OTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 15th day of March next to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Ralph Watts Leyland of 19 and 20 H Exchange-buildings in the city of Liverpool Shipowner, one of the Liquidators of the said Company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are personally or by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 30th day of January 1897.

HILL, DICKINSON and Co. 10 Water-street
Liverpool Solicitors to the Liquidators.

The Sailing Ship "Cressington" Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 15th day of March next to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Ralph Watts Leyland of 19 and 20 H Exchange-buildings in the city of Liverpool Shipowner one of the Liquidators of the said Company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are personally or by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 30th day of January 1897.

HILL, DICKINSON and Co. 10 Water-street
Liverpool, Solicitors to the Liquidators.

The Sailing Ship "Toxteth" Company Limited. **N**OTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 15th day of March next to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Ralph Watts Leyland of 19 and 20 H Exchange-buildings in the city of

Liverpool Shipowner one of the Liquidators of the said Company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are personally or by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 30th day of January 1897.

HILL, DICKINSON and Co. 10 Water-street
Liverpool Solicitors to the Liquidators.

The Sailing Ship "Roby" Company Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named Company are required on or before the 15th day of March next to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Ralph Watts Leyland of 19 and 20 H Exchange-buildings in the city of Liverpool Shipowner, one of the Liquidators of the said Company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are personally or by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 30th day of January 1897.

HILL, DICKINSON and Co. 10 Water-street
Liverpool, Solicitors to the Liquidators.

The Sailing Ship "Wavertree" Company Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named Company are required on or before the 15th day of March next to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Ralph Watts Leyland of 19 and 20 H Exchange-buildings in the city of Liverpool Shipowner, one of the Liquidators of the said Company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are personally or by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 30th day of January 1897.

HILL, DICKINSON and Co. 10 Water-street
Liverpool Solicitors to the Liquidators.

The Sailing Ship "Allerton" Company Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named Company are required on or before the 15th day of March next to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Ralph Watts Leyland of 19 and 20 H Exchange-buildings in the city of Liverpool Shipowner, one of the Liquidators of the said Company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are personally or by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 30th day of January 1897.

HILL, DICKINSON and Co. 10 Water-street
Liverpool Solicitors to the Liquidators.

The Sailing Ship "Speke" Company Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 15th day of March next to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Ralph Watts Leyland

of 19 and 20 H Exchange-buildings in the city of Liverpool Shipowner, one of the Liquidators of the said Company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are personally or by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 30th day of January 1897.

HILL, DICKINSON, and Co. 10 Water-street
Liverpool Solicitors to the Liquidators.

The Sailing Ship "Grassendale" Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 15th day of March next to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Ralph Watts Leyland of 19 and 20 H Exchange-buildings in the city of Liverpool Shipowner one of the Liquidators of the said Company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are personally or by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 30th day of January 1897.

HILL, DICKINSON and Co. 10 Water-street
Liverpool, Solicitors to the Liquidators.

The Sailing Ship "Riversdale" Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named Company are required on or before the 15th day of March next to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Ralph Watts Leyland of 19 and 20 H Exchange-buildings, in the city of Liverpool Shipowner, one of the Liquidators of the said Company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are personally or by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 30th day of January, 1897.

HILL, DICKINSON and Co., 10 Water-street,
Liverpool, Solicitors to the Liquidators.

The Sailing Ship "Leyland Brothers" Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 15th day of March next to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Ralph Watts Leyland of 19 and 20 H Exchange-buildings in the city of Liverpool Shipowner, one of the Liquidators of the said Company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are personally or by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 30th day of January 1897.

HILL, DICKINSON and Son 10 Water-street
Liverpool Solicitors to the Liquidators.

The Rights and Exploring of Rhodesia Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 28th day of February one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to William Milne of No. 10, St. Helen's-place in the city of London the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this twenty-fourth day of January 1897.

ERNEST SALAMAN, FORT and Co. 12, Union-court, Old Broad-street, E.C. Solicitors to the above-named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the St. Denis Gold Mining Company Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 15th day of March 1897 to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts and claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors if any to H. S. M. Killick Esq. of 30 Moorgate-street E.C. the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 1st day of February 1897.

BIRCHAM and Co. 50 Old Broad-street, London, E.C., Solicitors to the above Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Kintore Gold Mines Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 15th day of March 1897 to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts and claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Thomas Wise Esq. of Portland House Basinghall-street E.C. the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 1st day of February 1897.

BIRCHAM and Co. 50 Old Broad-st. London E.C. Solicitors for the above Liquidator.

The West Coast Steamship Insurance Association.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Association are required on or before the 2nd day of March 1897 to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims to the undersigned Richard Henry March, Chartered Accountant of the Exchange Cardiff in the county of Glamorgan, the Liquidator of the said Association, and, if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution of the assets of the Association made

before such debts or claims are proved.—Dated this 28th day of January 1897.

R. H. MARCH Liquidator.

The Clay Syndicate, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 a General Meeting of the Clay Syndicate Limited in liquidation will be held at the offices of Messrs. Fell and Armstrong, Solicitors, 46 Queen Victoria-street, London, E.C. on Friday the 19th day of March 1897 at 12 o'clock noon for the purpose of having laid before the Meeting the account of the Liquidators showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation thereof given by the Liquidators. The Company will be asked to declare by Extraordinary Resolution how the books, accounts, and documents of the Company and the Liquidators are to be disposed of.—Dated the 29th day of January 1897.

W. COTTON } Joint Liquidators.
 ARTHUR FELL }

Cardiff Grocery Exchange Company 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 at the Royal Hotel Cardiff on Thursday the fourth day of March 1897 at three o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of having an account laid before the Company 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 and for the purpose of passing an Extraordinary Resolution disposing of the books of account and documents of the Company and of the Liquidators.—Dated the 23rd day of January 1897.

T. S. GOWER } Liquidators.
 E. PARKER }

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1893 and in the Matter of Eton Laundry 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 Friday the 5th day of March 1897 at 12 o'clock at noon at 17 Ravenscourt-park Hammersmith Middlesex 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 30th day of January 1897.

WATSON SONS and ROOM Solicitors for the Liquidators.

Morley House Company, Limited.
 (In Voluntary Liquidation.)

1, King John's-Chambers, Bridlesmith-Gate, Nottingham, January 29, 1897.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Members of Morley House Company, Limited, will be held at the above address, on Friday, the 5th day of March, 1897, at 12 o'clock, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up of the Company has been

conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and of determining the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.

THOS. G. MELLORS Liquidator.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890.

Thwaite Tozer and Co. Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company Limited, will be held on Monday the 3rd of March at 2 P.M. at 95-97 Finsbury-pavement, London E.C., in order that the Liquidator may lay before the said Meeting an account showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the said Company has been disposed of; and to hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also to pass an Extraordinary Resolution for determining the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the said Company and of the liquidation thereto, shall be disposed of.—Dated this twenty-ninth day of January 1897.

G. F. WEST Liquidator.

FRED. HAWKINS 95 and 97 Finsbury-pavement E.C. Solr.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership carried on by us the undersigned John Wall Row William Henry Row and Frank Wearne under the firm name of Row Wearne and Coy. in the trade or business of Wine and Spirit Merchants at 47 Mark-lane in the city of London was as from the 31st day of December 1896 dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing to the said late firm will be received and paid by the said William Henry Row and Frank Wearne by whom the said business will be continued.—Dated this 29th day of January 1897.

J. WALL ROW.

W. H. ROW.

FRANK WEARNE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Arthur Joseph Comber and George Henderson Weaver carrying on business as Builders and Contractors at Woking in the county of Surrey under the style or firm of Comber and Weaver has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 31st day of December 1896. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said George Henderson Weaver.—Dated 22nd day of January 1897.

ARTHUR JOSEPH COMBER.

GEORGE HENDERSON WEAVER.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned James Wood and Douglas Shawe carrying on business as Chemical Manufacturers and Merchants at 98 Leadenhall-street, London and Calcutta under the style or firm of Wood and Company was dissolved as and from the 12th day of August 1896 by mutual consent.—Dated the 12th day of August 1896.

JAMES WOOD.

D. SHAWE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Benjamin Matthew Purshouse Bayley and Guy Becroft Corbett carrying on business as Hop Merchants at 37 High-street Borough in the county of Surrey has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 29th day of January, 1897.

BENJAMIN MATTHEW PURSHOUSE BAYLEY.
GUY BEECROFT CORBETT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Isaac Miles and James Dooley Wilkinson carrying on business as Mineral Water Manufacturers at 125 126 and 127 High-street Shadwell in the county of Middlesex under the style or firm of the Star Mineral Water Company has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the twenty-eighth day of January 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said James Dooley Wilkinson who will carry on the business as from this date.—Dated this 28th day of January 1897.

ISAAC MILES.

JAMES DOOLEY WILKINSON.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Alexander Digges La Touche and David Stephenson practising as Physicians and Surgeons at Ossett, Chickenley Heath, and Earlsheaton, all in the county of York, under the style or firm of La Touche and Stephenson has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the first day of February next. All debts due and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Alexander Digges La Touche and David Stephenson. The said Alexander Digges La Touche will continue to practise at Ossett and Chickenley Heath aforesaid in his own name, and the said David Stephenson will continue to practise at Earlsheaton aforesaid in his own name.—Dated this thirteenth day of January 1897.

A. DIGGES LA TOUCHE.

D. STEPHENSON.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned James Waddington and William Kitson Blackburn carrying on business as Silk Spinners at Phoenix Mill Brighouse in the county of York under the style or firm of Waddington and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the twenty-seventh day of January 1897.—Dated this 27th day of January 1897.

JAMES WADDINGTON.

WM. K. BLACKBURN.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Joseph Walter Turner and George William Dominy carrying on business under the style or firm of Killiogley and Company at 5 and 6 Smithy-row Nottingham as Wine and Spirit Merchants has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the fourth day of January one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.—Dated this twenty-ninth day of January one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

JOSEPH WALTER TURNER.

GEORGE WILLIAM DOMINY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Opie Rodway and Sidney Beynon Park carrying on business as Drapery at Stroud in the county of Gloucester under the style or firm of Rodway and Park has been dissolved by effluxion of time as and from the thirteenth day of January 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Sidney Beynon Park.—Dated 29th day of January 1897.

OPIE RODWAY.

SIDNEY BEYNON PARK.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Gabriel Power and David Power carrying on business as Web Girth and Horse Clothing Manufacturers and Bridle Cutters at Plume Works Long-street, and Brook-street Walsall in the county of Stafford under the style or firm of D. Power and Sons, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the date hereof. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said David Power by whom the business will be carried on as heretofore.—Dated the 29th day of January, 1897.

GABRIEL POWER.

DAVID POWER.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Edward Baxter Langley the younger and Thomas Wainhouse Boal under the firm of Langley and Boal at Aire Place Works, Kirkstall-road in the city of Leeds in the trade or business of Vinegar Manufacturers, Drysalts and General Merchants was dissolved by mutual consent as from the thirty-first day of December one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.—As witness our hands this twenty-third day of January one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

EDW. B. LANGLEY JR.

THOS. W. BOAL.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned James Harper Peters William Peters and John Peters carrying on business as Joiners Builders Contractors Timber Merchants Slaters Building Material Merchants and Plasterers at the Townhead Saw Mills Yorkshire-street and George-street Rochdale in the county of Lancaster and elsewhere under the style or firm of William Alexander Peters and Sons has been dissolved by effluxion of time as and from the first day of January 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said James Harper Peters and William Peters who will continue the business under the style or firm of W. A. Peters and Sons as heretofore.—Dated the 28th day of January 1897.

JAMES H. PETERS.

WILLIAM PETERS.

JOHN PETERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Annie Ellen Copping (the wife of Charles Copping) and Lucy Isabella Horrocks (the wife of Arthur Horrocks) carrying on business as Hay Straw and Corn Merchants at Number 103 West-street in the city of Leeds under the style or firm of A. and L. Mallaby was dissolved as and from the twenty-eighth day of January 1897 by mutual consent.—Dated the twenty-ninth day of January 1897.

ANNIE ELLEN COPPING.
LUCY ISABELLA HORROCKS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Theodore Joseph Hiltermann Marie Hiltermann John Gottlieb Brinkmann and Carl Theodore Hiltermann carrying on business as Merchants at Manchester in the county of Lancaster and elsewhere under the style or firm of Hiltermann Brothers has this day expired by effluxion of time so far as regards the said Marie Hiltermann. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Theodore Joseph Hiltermann John Gottlieb Brinkmann and Carl Theodore Hiltermann who will henceforth carry on the same business in copartnership with Paul Felix Hiltermann under the same style or firm of Hiltermann Brothers.—Dated the 31st day of December 1896.

THEODOR J. HILTERMANN.
MARIE HILTERMANN.
JOHN G. BRINKMANN.
CARL THEODORE HILTERMANN.
P. F. HILTERMANN.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Abraham Stead of Dewsbury in the county of York Gentleman and Timothy Child of Dewsbury aforesaid Aërated Water Manufacturer carrying on business at Dewsbury aforesaid as Aërated Water Manufacturers under the style or firm of T. Child and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 1st day of February 1897. All debts due to or owing from the late firm will be received or paid by the said Timothy Child who will in future carry on the said business on his own account alone and under the same style of T. Child and Co.—Dated this 30th day of January 1897.

ABRAHAM STEAD.
TIMOTHY CHILD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned David Meek Frederick Marrat Thomas and William Myers carrying on business at Liverpool in the county of Lancaster as Printers and Stationers under the style of Meek Thomas and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the first day of February one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven so far as regards the said David Meek who retires therefrom.—Dated this twenty-ninth day of January 1897.

DAVID MECK.
F. MARRAT THOMAS.
WILLIAM MYERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned William Akers and Joseph Olorenshaw, carrying on business as Builders and Carpenters at No. 254½ New John-street West, in the city of Birmingham under the style of Akers and Olorenshaw has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 31st day of December 1896.—Dated this 26th day of January 1897.

WM. AKERS.
JOSEPH OLORENSHAW.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Edwin Dodge Jefford and Hennington Tuck carrying on business as Tailors at No. 32 the Triangle Bournemouth under the style or firm of E. Jefford has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the twenty-seventh day of January 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Hennington Tuck who will continue to carry on the said business under the style of Jefford and Tuck.—Dated 27th day of January, 1897.

EDWIN DODGE JEFFORD.
HENNINGTON TUCK.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned Richard Johnson and Edward Ernest Parkinson carrying on business as Coal Merchants at Bradford and Ilkley both in the county of York under the style of Johnson and Parkinson has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said firm will be received or paid by the said Richard Johnson.—Dated this 30th day of January 1897.

RICHARD JOHNSON.
EDWARD ERNEST PARKINSON.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership subsisting between us the undersigned Caleb Carder and Henry Carder carrying on business as Pottery Ware Manufacturers at Brockmoor Brierley Hill under the style or firm of George Carder and Sons has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 7th day of January 1897. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Henry Carder.—As witness our hands this 29th day of January 1897

CALEB CARDER.
HENRY CARDER.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Mervyn Kersteman King Edmund Ambrose King and Thomas Poole King carrying on business as African Merchants in the city of Bristol under the style or firm of Richard and William King has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the thirty-first day of December one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six as far as regards the said Edmund Ambrose King. All debts due to and owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said Mervyn Kersteman King and Thomas Poole King by whom the business will in future be carried on under the same style as heretofore.—Dated this 29th day of January 1897.

MERVYN K. KING.
EDMUND A. KING.
THOMAS POOLE KING.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Walter Collins and Arthur William Kemp carrying on business as Auctioneers, Surveyors, House and Estate Agents at 73 Colmore-row in the city of Birmingham under the style of Walter Collins and Kemp has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 31st day of December 1896.—Dated this 29th day of January 1897.

WALTER COLLINS.
ARTHUR W. KEMP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership subsisting between us the undersigned John Fox the younger and Charles Sorby Shepherd in the business of Mat and Matting Manufacturers carried on at Slaithwaite near Huddersfield in the county of York or elsewhere under the style of Fox Shepherd and Co. has this day been dissolved by effluxion of time.—Dated this 25th day of January 1897.

JOHN FOX JUNR.
CHAS. S. SHEPHERD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership which has heretofore been carried on by us the undersigned William Legg and Joseph Foster Legg under the firm of W. and J. F. Legg at Bury-road and Stoke-road Gosport Hants as Florists and Nurserymen was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said William Legg who will carry on the business in his own name.—Dated this 28th January 1897.

WILLIAM LEGG.
JOSEPH F. LEGG.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership which has hitherto been carried on by Owen Cooper and Theodore John James Valentine at No. 221 High-street Harborne in the county of Stafford under the style or firm of Owen Cooper and Co. as Cab and Car Proprietors has been dissolved as from the 22nd day of January 1897 by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Theodore John James Valentine who will continue to carry on the said business in his own name at the same address.—Dated this 28th day of January 1897.

OWEN COOPER.
THEODORE J. J. VALENTINE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Harry Postill and Richard Kelly carrying on business as House Painters, Paperhangers, and Decorators at Scarborough in the county of York under the style or firm of Postill and Kelly has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the thirty-first day of December 1896.—Dated this first day of February 1897.

HARRY POSTILL.
RICHARD KELLY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Henry George Boswood Ridges and Arthur North carrying on business as Architects Surveyors and Estate Agents at Worthing in the county of Sussex under the style or firm of Ridges and North has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 30th day of January 1897.—Dated the first day of February 1897.

H. G. BOSWOOD RIDGES.
ARTHUR NORTH.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an Indenture dated 31st December 1896, made between Hannah Brooksbank, of Beechcliffe, Keighley, and Sarah Ann Hillary, of Uley, near Keighley, the wife of George Hillary, Trustees of the will of Edward Brooksbank, formerly of Thwaites, Keighley, and afterwards of Cullingworth, Bingley, Oil Refiner and Grease Extractor of the one part, and Fred Ogden, of Holker-street, Keighley, Oil, Grease, and Soap Works Manager, of the other part, for the valuable consideration therein mentioned, the businesses of Oil Refiners, Grease Extractors and Soap Manufacturers, heretofore carried on at Station Oil Works, Keighley, Canal Soap Works, Shipley, or elsewhere, by the Trustees and executors of the said will, under the style of E. Brooksbank and Co. and the goodwill, machinery, plant, stock-in-trade, book debts and effects belonging thereto, were transferred and assigned unto the said Fred Ogden. And that all debts and liabilities in connection with the said businesses as from the 1st January 1897 will be paid and discharged by the said Fred Ogden, who will henceforth carry on the said businesses on his own account.

W. and G. BURR and CO. Solicitors for the said Trustees and for the said Fred Ogden.
Keighley 26th January 1897.

MARION BOYD Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Marion Boyd late of Wampacks Hotel Folkestone formerly of 62 Gloucester-gardens Porchester-terrace Hyde Park Spinster deceased (who died on the 23rd day of November 1896 and whose will and codicil were proved on the 18th day of December 1896 by Edward Lennox Boyd and Alan Walter Lennox Boyd the executors therein named) are required to send particulars thereof in writing to us the undersigned Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 1st day of March 1897 after which date the 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 that the said executors will not be liable for such assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of January 1897.

UPTON ATKEY and CO. 14, Austin Friars, E.C.,
Solicitors for the Executors.

CHARLES GREY Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Charles Grey late of 39 Baker-street London formerly of 125 Finchley-road N.W. Esquire deceased (who died on the 29th day of November 1896 and to whose estate letters of administration with the will annexed were granted on the 23rd day of January 1897 to Constance Annie Grey) are required to send particulars thereof in writing to us the undersigned Solicitors for the said administratrix on or before the 1st day of March 1897 after which date the 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 and that the said administratrix will not be liable for such assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of January 1897.

UPTON ATKEY and CO. 14, Austin Friars, E.C.,
Solicitors for the Administratrix.

Re JOHN SWINDELLS, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic. cap. 35 intitled "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 John Swindells late of The Shirleys Macclesfield in the county of Chester Silk Throwster deceased (who died on the 13th day of November 1896 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the seventh day of January 1897 by Mary Swindells of The Shirleys Macclesfield aforesaid Widow Jabez Wright of 100 Crompton-road Macclesfield aforesaid Land Agent and Surveyor and Robert Mellor of 52 High-street Macclesfield aforesaid Silk Trimming Manufacturer the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned on or before the 31st day of March 1897, 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 28th day of January 1897.

BARCLAY and TAYLOR Exchange-chambers,
Macclesfield, Solicitors for the said Executors.

DORCAS ANN NOAKE Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Dorcas Ann Noake late of Weymouth and Melcombe Regis Dorset Widow deceased (who died 30th April 1896) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to the undersigned as Solicitors for Thomas Bennett Groves of Poole Dorset Gentleman and Everton Devenish of Weymouth and Melcombe Regis aforesaid Bank Manager the executors of the deceased on or before the 11th March next after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th January 1897.

ANDREWS BARRETT and ANDREWS Weymouth Solicitors for the Executors.

ANN WESTON FOWLER MAWKES Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Ann Weston Fowler Mawkes late of Weymouth and Melcombe Regis Dorset widow deceased (who died 14th September 1896) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to the undersigned as Solicitors for William Bowles Barrett Solicitor and Thomas Watkins Gentleman both of Weymouth and Melcombe Regis aforesaid the acting executors of the deceased on or before the 11th March next after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of January 1897.

ANDREWS BARRETT and ANDREWS Weymouth Solicitors for the said Executors.

WILLIAM CLEMENTS Deceased.

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

ALL persons having claims against the estate of William Clements late of The Old Rose Public House Tanner-street Bermondsey S.E. Licensed Victualler deceased who died on the 16th day of December 1896 are requested to send particulars thereof to me the undersigned Solicitor for the executors on or before the 1st day of March 1897 after which date the executors will distribute the assets of the said William Clements deceased.—Dated this 29th day of January 1897.

W. H. MATTHEWS, Union Bank Chambers,
Southwark, Solicitor for the Executors.

WILLIAM ROBERTS Deceased.

Pursuant to 22 and 23 Victoria c. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having demands against the estate of William Roberts late of Hornton Oxfordshire Farmer deceased are required to send particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before 28th February instant after which day the executrix will distribute the deceased's assets having regard only to the demands of which she shall then have notice.—Dated the first February 1897.

H. F. BENNETT 46 High-street Banbury
Solicitor to the Executrix.

WILLIAM MARS Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons claiming against the estate of William Mars late of 66 Jersey-street Ancoats Manchester Grocer deceased who died on the 3rd October 1896 and whose will was proved at Manchester on the 21st November 1896 are required to send particulars in writing of their claims to the undersigned the Solicitors for the executors on or before the 25th of March next.—Dated this 28th day of January 1897.

MARRIOTT and CO. 12 Norfolk-street Manchester Solicitors for the Executors.

MARY CHAPMAN HUTCHINSON Deceased.

Pursuant to 22 and 23 Victoria: cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Mary Chapman Hutchinson late of No. 20 Heath-terrace in the borough of Leamington Widow deceased (who died on the 11th of November 1896, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 25th of January 1897 by Frances Emmeline Shaw and Edward Wright the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of such claims or demands to us the undersigned on or before the first of March 1897 after which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the estate 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.—Dated the 28th of January 1897.

WRIGHT and HASSALLS 11 Dormer - place, Leamington, Solicitors for the said Executors.

JOHN SLACK MARRIOTT 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 claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Slack Marriott formerly of 22b York-street Manchester in the county of Lancaster and of Elm-grove Alderley Edge in the county of Chester Yarn Agent but late of Warrenhurst Higher Downs Rowdon in the said county of Chester out of business deceased (who died on the 5th day of May 1893 and whose will was proved in the District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Chester on the 17th day of June 1893 by Edna Marriott the executrix therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executrix on or before the 25th of March 1897 after which the date the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims or demands of which she shall then have had notice; and that the said executrix will not be liable or accountable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of January, 1897.

MARRIOTT and CO. 12 Norfolk-street Manchester Solicitors for the Executrix.

Re ELIZABETH MARY SMITH Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Elizabeth Mary Smith late of Aughton in the county of Lancaster Widow deceased (who died on the 22nd day of October 1896 and whose will was proved in the Liverpool District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 1st day of December 1896 by Adam Banister Goss of the city of Manchester Wine Company's Manager and Josiah Whittle of Cheetham Hill Manchester aforesaid Commercial Traveller the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned on or before the 16th day of March 1897 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said 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 or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of January 1897.

LEO KENNEDY and GLOVER, Ormskirk, Solicitors for the said Executors.

RICHARD STEER MAFFETT 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 Richard Steer Maffett late of No. 11 Egerton-crescent, Plymouth in the county of Devon Shipwright deceased (who died on the 30th day of December 1896, and whose will was proved in the District Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Exeter on the 25th day of January 1897 by Elizabeth Bond Widow, and George Flemen, Builder, both of Plymouth aforesaid, two of the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to us the undersigned, the

Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 20 day of March 1897, 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 29th day of January 1897.

G. GIDLEY and SON 17 Salta-h-street, Plymouth Solicitors for the Executors.

JOSEPH ARMITAGE Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Vic cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that creditors and all other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Joseph Armitage late of the Victoria Hotel in Meltham near Huddersfield in the county of York Inn-keeper deceased (who died intestate on the 2nd day of November 1896 and to whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were granted by the Wakefield District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 22nd day of January 1897 to James Farrand Armitage of Meltham Mills near Huddersfield aforesaid Schoolmaster, the administrator therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims and demands to the said administrator, at above address, on or before the 27th day of February 1897 after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the estate of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice, and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice; and all persons owing any money to the estate of the said deceased must within above period pay the same to the said administrator.—Dated this 26th day of January 1897.

JOSH. BOTTOMLEY, 1 Union Bank-yard, New-street, Huddersfield, Solicitor for the said Administrator.

SAMUEL MARSHALL Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Samuel Marshall formerly of Sheffield in the county of York but late of Heysham-road Morecambe in the county of Lancaster Gentleman deceased (who died on the 29th day of December 1895 and whose will was proved by Emma Marshall of Heysham-road Morecambe aforesaid Widow and David Sugden of Godwin-street Bradford in the county of York Woollen Merchant and William Marshall of Oakwood Totley Rise Dore in the county of Derby Book Keeper the executors therein named on the 22nd day of February 1896 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 David Sugden and William Marshall (the surviving executors) or the undersigned their Solicitor on or before the 31st day of March next and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of January 1897.

J. HOUISON RICHARDSON 1 Bank-street Bradford Solicitor for the Executors.

Mr. JOHN WOODS Deceased.

Pursuant to 22 and 23 Vic. c. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of John Woods, late of the Nurseries Woodbridge Nurseryman and Seedsman deceased (who died on the 22nd day of December 1896 and whose will was proved on the 27th day of January 1897 by John Arnott of Woodbridge aforesaid Auctioneer and William Woodard Welton of the same place Solicitor the executors therein named) are required to send particulars thereof to Mr. John Arnott for and on behalf of the executors on or before the 27th day of March 1897 after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the deceased's assets having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated 29th day of January 1897.

WILLIAM W. WELTON, Woodbridge, Solicitor for the Executors.

SAM WEBSTER MARTIN Deced.

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 and demands upon or against the estate of Sam Webster Martin late of Chesterfield in the county of Derby Veterinary Surgeon deceased (who died on or about the 3rd day of December 1896 and whose will was proved by John Kinder Swallow and John Middleton both of Chesterfield aforesaid the executors therein named on the 1st day of January 1897 in the Principal Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands addressed to the said executors at the office of Mr. G. E. Carline Chartered Accountant New-square Chesterfield on or before the 6th day of March 1897; and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the executors shall then have notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of January 1897.

JONES and MIDDLETON Chesterfield Solicitors for the said Executors.

LEWIS HART POLAK, 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 Lewis Hart Polak late of Nos. 3 and 4 Fowkes-buildings, Great Tower-street in the city of London Wine Merchant and also formerly of Sherborne Farm Albury in the county of Surrey (who died on the 10th day of December 1896 at No. 27 Oriental-place Brighton in the county of Sussex) and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 9th day of January 1897 by Abel Thomas, Q.C., M.P., of King's Bench-walk Temple London and William Batham of No. 7 Fowkes-buildings Great Tower-street London Solicitor the executors therein named are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their debts claims or demands to me the undersigned as solicitor for, and one of, the before-mentioned executors on or before the 9th of March 1897, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims and demands of which they shall then have notice and 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 January 1897.

WILLIAM BATHAM 7 Fowkes-buildings Great Tower-street London E.C. Solicitor for the said Executors.

THOMAS HARRISON Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Harrison late of 8 West View-terrace Preston in the county of Lancaster formerly Innkeeper (who died on the 22nd day of December 1896 and to whose personal estate letters of administration were on the 27th day of January 1897 granted out of the Lancaster District Probate Registry to Elizabeth Harrison widow of the deceased the administratrix 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 administratrix on or before the 1st day of March 1897 after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of January 1897.

JAS. CLARKE 2 Lune-street Preston, Solicitor for the said Administratrix.

ROGER EYKYN Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 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 debts claims or demands against the estate of Roger Eykyn late of Gayton House Blisworth in the county of Northampton and No. 13 Upper Grosvenor-street, in the county of London, Esquire, who died on the 14th day of November 1896 and whose

will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 15th day of January 1897 by Arthur Eykyn Gilbert Francis Eykyn and Richard Stephens Taylor the executors therein named, are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their debts claims and demands to us the undersigned on or before the 16th day of March 1897, 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 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 29th day of January 1897.

R. S. TAYLOR SON and HUMBERT 4 Field-court Gray's-inn W.C. Solicitors to the Executors

ANNE ELIZABETH BREWSTER Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Anne Elizabeth Brewster late of Over in the county of Cambridge Widow deceased (who died on the 8th day of December 1896 and whose will was proved in the Peterborough District Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 19th day of January 1897 by Joseph John Robson and Edgar Adolphus Gowing the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims and demands to us the undersigned as Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 20th day of February 1897 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 28th day of January 1897.

ROBINSON and ADAMS, Saffron Walden Solicitors for the said Executors.

HUGH ALLEYNE SACHEVEREL BATEMAN, 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 Hugh Alleyne Sacheverel Bateman late of Etwall Lodge, in the county of Derby, Esquire, who died on the 26th of October 1896 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 25th of January 1897 by Anna Bateman, Widow of the testator, Sir Peter Carlaw Walker, Baronet, and Richard Stephens Taylor, the executors therein named are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, and demands to us the undersigned on or before the 16th of March 1897; and notice is hereby given that at the expiration of that time the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the testator among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which they shall then have 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 29th day of January 1897.

R. S. TAYLOR SON and HUMBERT, 4 Field-court, Gray's-inn, W.C. Solicitors to the Executors.

Re HANNAH DENBIGH SMITH Deceased.

Pursuant to Act 22 and 23 Vic. cap. 35.

ALL creditors having claims against the estate of Hannah Denbigh Smith (wife of Joseph Smith) late of New Dykes, Guiseley, in the county of York deceased (who died on the 14th day of September 1896 and whose will and three codicils thereto were proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 9th day of January 1897 by the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims to us the undersigned, on or before the first day of March 1897 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 of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of January 1897.

RYOTT and SWAN 7 Collingwood-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne Solicitors for the said Executors.

THOMAS BREMNER Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Bremner formerly of Golden-square Saint James's but late of 23 Patshull-road Kentish Town both in the county of Middlesex (who died on the 27th day of July 1896 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the fifth day of September 1896 by James Bremner Eliza Bremner and Mary Jane Bremner the executors named in the said will) are hereby required to send the particulars of their debts claims and demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said executors on or before the 13th day of March 1897 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt claim or demand they shall not have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 2nd day of February 1897.

WALTER A. JENNINGS 179 Kentish Town-road
N.W. Solicitor to the said Executors.

MARGARET SMITH Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts claims or demands against the estate of Margaret Smith formerly of 58 Disraeli-road Putney in the county of Surrey but late of 12 Norroy-road Putney aforesaid Spinster (who died on the 4th day of August 1896 and of whose estate letters of administration (with the will annexed) were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 4th day of September 1896 to John Smith the administrator) are hereby required to send the particulars of their debts claims and demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said administrator on or before the 13th day of March 1897; after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said administrator shall then have had notice; and that the said administrator will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt claim or demand he shall not have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 2nd day of February 1897.

WALTER A. JENNINGS 179 Kentish Town-road
N.W. Solicitor to the said Administrator.

ROBERT BALCH Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts claims or demands against the estate of Robert Balch formerly of 223 Kentish Town-road in the county of Middlesex Butcher but late of 15 Gaisford-street Kentish Town in the same county (who died on the 15th day of September 1896 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 October 1896 by Sophia Elizabeth Balch, Frederick William Balch and Frank Robertson the executors named in the said will) are hereby required to send the particulars of their debts claims and demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said executors on or before the 13th day of March 1897 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt claim or demand they shall not have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 2nd day of February, 1897.

WALTER A. JENNINGS, 179, Kentish Town-road
N.W., Solicitor to the said Executors.

GEORGE JAMES WILLIAM JACKSON Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts claims or demands against the estate of George James William Jackson formerly of Plevna Villa Northumberland Park Tottenham, Middlesex but late of No. 76 Northumberland Park

aforesaid Professor of Music (who died on the 25th day of December 1896 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 16th day of January 1897 by Charles Wilson Long and Mary Lee Bales the executors named in the said will) are hereby required to send the particulars of their debts claims and demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said executors on or before the ninth day of March 1897 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice, and that the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt claim or demand they shall not have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 2nd day of February 1897.

WALTER A. JENNINGS 179 Kentish Town-road
N.W. Solicitor to the said Executors.

MARY MCCARTHY Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vict. chap. 35.

ALL persons having any claim against the estate of Mary McCarthy formerly of 25 Earl-street Finsbury Middlesex (a married woman) who died on the 11th day of May 1896 intestate are requested to send particulars to me the undersigned Solicitor for Charles McCarthy the husband to whom letters of administration of her personal estate have been granted on or before the 12th day of March 1897 after which date the administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice.—Dated this 25th day of January 1897.

J. GEAUSSENT 2 Bishopsgate-street Without
London E.C. Solicitor for the Administrator.

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE.—All persons having claims against the estate of Jane Selina Munt late of 20 Trigon-road Clapham-road S.W. and formerly of Lawn House Harlesden Green-lane Willesden Green Middlesex Widow deceased who died on the 2nd December 1893 are required to send particulars of their claims to the undersigned before the 6th March 1897 after which date the assets of the deceased will be distributed amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been received.—Dated this 29th January 1897.

BURTON and SON 82 Blackfriars-road S.E.
Solicitors for J. H. Warne the Executor.

JAMES FREEMAN CUTTS Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of James Freeman Cutts late of 42 Alexander-road Upper Holloway in the county of Middlesex Shoe Mercer deceased (who died on the 25th day of December 1896 and to whose estate letters of administration were granted in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 15th day of January 1897 to Ellen Cutts his lawful Widow) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned on or before the 25th day of March 1897, after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice, and she will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of January 1897.

H. B. WEDLAKE Bank-chambers Station-road
Finsbury Park N. Solicitor for the Administrator.

JOHN TEASDALE Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act 22 and 23 Victoria chapter 35 section 39.

NOTICE.—All creditors and others having claims against the estate of John Teasdale late of Tyne Vue Low Fell Gateshead Gentleman (who died on the 21st January 1896 and whose will was proved at the Durham District Probate Registry on the 31st March 1896) are to send their claims to the executors at our offices 11 Wellington-street Gateshead on or before the 1st March 1897; the executors after that date will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the deceased or any part thereof having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated 28th January 1897.

RYOTT and SWAN Solicitors of the Executors.

ARTHUR BARCLAY SIMPSON Deceased.
Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Arthur Barclay Simpson of Torrhill Ivybridge in the county of Devon Esquire deceased (who died on the 1st of May 1896) and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry by Mary Edith Simpson, Reuben Winder and Joseph Allen the executors therein named on the 30th of May 1896 are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned on or before the 1st March 1897 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims or 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 of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of January 1897.

SIMPSON PALMER and WINDER 1 Southwark-street Borough S.E. Solicitors for the said Executors.

HENRY WILKINSON CARR Deceased.
Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria c. 35 intituled "An Act to further Amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Henry Wilkinson Carr late of Belgrave House Scarborough in the county of York deceased (who died on the 12th day of December 1896 and letters of administration to whose estate were granted on the 8th day of January 1897 by the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice to Captain Robert Cattley Carr of 4 Ennismore-gardens Dover in the county of Kent a brother of the deceased) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said administrator on or before the first day of March 1897 after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of January 1897.

EDW. S. CARR 325 High Holborn London W.C. Solicitor for the said administrator.

Re MARY ANN SUSANNAH THOMAS Deceased.
Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria chapter 35. **A**LL creditors and other persons having claims or demands against the estate of Mary Ann Susannah Thomas late of No. 40 Braybrooke-road Hastings in the county of Sussex Widow who died on the 15th day of November 1896 and whose will was proved on the 18th day of December 1896 in the District Registry at Lewes of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice by George McCormick and Frederic William Coles (the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned on or before the 28th day of February 1897 after which date the executors will distribute the estate of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have received notice.—Dated this 29th day of January 1897.

YOUNG SON and COLES Bank-buildings, Hastings Solicitors to the Executors.

THOMAS SCOTT 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 Thomas Scott, late of East Lilburn, in the parish of Eglington, in the county of Northumberland, Farmer, deceased (who died on the 31st day of December 1896, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 26th day of January 1897 by Sarah Amelia Scott, Widow, the relict and Charles Scott, the brother of the deceased and John Frederick Edell, the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing, of their claims or demands to the said Charles Scott at East Lilburn aforesaid or to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 27th day of March 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 he, the said Charles Scott

or me, the undersigned 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 27th day of January 1897.

EDELL and GORDON 4 King-street Cheapside London Solicitors for the said Executors.

FRANCES STODDART Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vict. cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors of Frances Stoddart (wife of James Samuel Stoddart of the Mawson Hotel Frances-street Chorlton-upon-Medlock Manchester) deceased who died on the 3rd day of December 1896 and whose will was proved at Manchester aforesaid on the 14th day of January instant are hereby required to send to us the undersigned on or before the 22nd day of February 1897 particulars in writing of their claims or demands; and notice is also given that the executor of the said Frances Stoddart deceased will after the said 22nd day of February proceed to distribute the assets of the said Frances Stoddart amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice.—Dated this 29th day of January 1897.

BROADSMITH and STEAD 9, Albert-square, Manchester, Solicitors for the Executor.

ELIZABETH KEEGAN Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Elizabeth Keegan late of No. 10 Onslow-crescent South Kensington in the county of Middlesex Widow deceased (who died on the 22nd day of July 1896 and whose will was proved by Alfred Tolhurst of Gravesend in the county of Kent Solicitor one of the executors therein named on the 11th day of January 1897 in the Principal Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims and demands to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of March next after which date 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 notice.—Dated this 26th day of January 1897.

TOLHURST, LOVELL and CLINCH Gravesend Solicitors for the said Executor.

Re FANNY WILSON Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Fanny Wilson late of the city of Lincoln Widow deceased who died on the 9th day of April 1895 and whose will was proved in the Lincoln District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 20th day of August 1895 by Francis Roper Larken of the said city of Lincoln Solicitor the sole executor therein named are requested to send in the particulars in writing of their claims to us the undersigned before the 13th day of February 1897, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to those claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice, and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of January 1897.

TOYNBEE LARKEN and TOYNBEE Bank-street, Lincoln Solicitors for the said Executor.

ROBERT RAWLINSON Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria chap. 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 Robert Rawlinson late of Newmarket in the county of Suffolk Carman, deceased, who died on the 8th day of July 1896, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Bury St. Edmunds attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 28th day of November 1896, are hereby required to send in particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned Solicitors for the executors, on or before the first day of March 1897, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of January 1897.

D'ALBANI and ELLIS Newmarket Solicitors for the Executors.

Mrs. JANE TOD PAXTON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act 22 and 23 Victoria cap. 35.

ALL creditors and others having claims against the estate of Jane Tod Paxton, late of Marchfield, Harrogate, in the county of York, widow, deceased (who died on the 20th day of November, 1896, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry on the 13th day of January, 1897) are to send particulars of their claims to the executors at our office on or before the 1st day of March 1897, after which date the said executors will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the deceased or any part thereof, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of January, 1897.

SANDERSON and J. K. WEATHERHEAD,
1, Quay Walls, Berwick-upon-Tweed, Solicitors
to the said Executors.

ROBERT CORBY JONES DUCKWORTH Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of Robert Corby Jones Duckworth late of 9 Nab-lane Blackburn Gentleman deceased who died on the 10th December 1896 and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry on the 8th January 1897 by Robert Duckworth, Harry Duckworth and John Caton the executors therein named are required to send in writing full particulars of such claims to me the undersigned on or before the 28th February 1897 after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the testator among the persons entitled having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.—Dated this 26th day of January 1897.

EDWD. DENNISON 26 Richmond-terrace, Blackburn Solicitor for the Executors.

EDWARD PRENTIS Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Edward Prentis late of Chalk near Gravesend in county of Kent Farmer (who died on the 9th day of March 1894 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 8th day of May 1894 by Edward Prentis and Henry Prentis both of Milton-next-Sittingbourne Kent the executors therein named) are required to send particulars of their claims to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of March 1897 after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated 28th day of January 1897.

WINCH GREENSTED and WINCH Sittingbourne Solicitors for the Executors.

WILLIAM BLAKEMAN Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claim against the estate of William Blakeman late of Ely in the Isle of Ely in the county of Cambridge Currier deceased, who died on the 9th day of August 1895 are to send particulars thereof to us, the undersigned, before the fourth day of March 1897, after which date the assets of the deceased will be distributed amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only of which the executors of the will of the said William Blakeman shall then have notice.—Dated the 28th day of January 1897.

ARCHER and SON Market-place, Ely, Cambridgeshire, Solicitors to Charles John Blakeman Esq, Miss Phoebe Meud Blakeman and Mrs. Janet Wright the Executors of the will of the deceased.

Miss AGNES ANNE DURRANT Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Agnes Anne Durrant late of Littlehampton in the county of Sussex Spinster (who died on the 24th day of November 1896 and whose will was proved in the Chichester District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 26th day of January 1897 by Peter Durrant and Frederick Tompsett the executors therein named) are required to send particulars in writing of their claims to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of March next after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of February 1897.

HOLMES LEAR and BELDAM Littlehampton Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re Mrs. JULIA ANNE WHITE Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Mrs. Julia Anne White late of the Butts Wotton-under-Edge in the county of Gloucester, Widow, deceased (who died on the 30th day of December 1896 and whose will was proved in the Gloucester District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 29th day of January 1897 by me the undersigned the sole executor therein named) are required to send the particulars of their claims to me on or before the 6th day of March next after which date I shall proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of February 1897.

RICHARD DAUNCEY Solicitor Wotton-under-Edge Gloucestershire.

TO be sold pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice (Chancery Division) made in the matter of the estate of Henry Ernest Barrett deceased West v. Barrett 1896 B. 4565 with the approbation of Mr. Justice Romer by Mr. Wayland Newbury Lewendon the person appointed by the said Judge at the Estate Sale Room Olympic-chambers Land of Green Ginger in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull on Wednesday the 3rd day of March 1897 at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon in one lot:—

A certain freehold warehouse and premises known as the Ceres Warehouse situate in High-street in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull aforesaid.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had gratis of Messrs. Collyer-Bristow Russell Hill and Co. of No. 4 Bedford-row London W.C. of Messrs. Laverack and Son Parliament-chambers Quay-street in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull and of the Auctioneer at his offices in the said borough of Kingston-upon-Hull.—Dated this 29th day of January 1897.

C. BURNEY Chief Clerk.

COLLYER-BRISTOW RUSSELL HILL and CO.

4 Bedford-row London W.C. Agents for

LAVERACK and SON, Hull Solicitors for the Defendants.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division made in the suit of De Perrin v. Eastland and dated the 14th December 1896 the following enquiry was directed namely:—An enquiry who are the person or persons legally or beneficially entitled and in what shares and proportions to the £257 17s. New Consols £82 14s. 5d. money on deposit and £279 16s. cash respectively in Court to the credit of De Perrin v. Eastland the account of the plaintiff Thomas Mathison and any interest to accrue on the said consols and money on deposit. Notice is hereby given that any person or persons claiming to be the legal personal representative of the said Thomas Mathison or beneficially entitled to the fund or claiming to have any interest whatever in the said fund are hereby required on or before the 15 day of April 1897 to come in by their Solicitors and prove their claim at the chambers of Mr. Justice North situate at the Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, England, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of any Order for distribution of the said funds that may thereupon be made. Thursday the 22 day of April at 12 o'clock at noon at the said chambers is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the said claims (if any).

The said Thomas Mathison was said to be a Lieutenant in the 34th Regiment of Foot and retired from the service on the 24th August 1832 and in the year 1836 resided at Brown's River Van Diemen's Land.—Dated the 25 day of January 1897.

H. B. RAVEN Chief Clerk.

RICHARD BALLARD 2 Clifford's-inn Fleet-street London E.C. Solicitor.

PURSUANT to a Judgment of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in the matter of the estate of John Cassels Alexander deceased and in an action Hodges v. Alexander 1896 A. No. 50; the creditors of John Cassels Alexander late of No. 3 Great Winchester-street in the city of London and of No. 47 Porchester-terrace in the county of London Esquire who died on the 15th day of July 1882 are on or before the first day of March 1897 to send by post prepaid to me the undersigned Oliver Thomas Hodges of No. 60 Mark-lane in the city of London the Solicitor for the plaintiff in the above named action their Christian and surnames addresses and descriptions the full particulars of their claims a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them or in default thereof they will be peremp-

torily excluded from the benefits of the Judgment. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before Mr. Justice Stirling at his chambers Royal Courts of Justice Strand London on Wednesday the 10th day of March 1897 at 12 o'clock at noon being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this first day of February 1897.

O. T. HODGES 60 Mark-lane E.C. Solicitor for the Plaintiff.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in the matter of the estate of Thomas Jasper deceased and in an action by Eleanor Parker Hall and Richard Wratten Hall against Mary Ann Hall (Widow) and Charles Holloway the creditors of Thomas Jasper deceased late of the Old Fountain Inn Dover in the county of Kent who died in or about the month of March 1896, are on or before the second day of March 1897, to send by post, prepaid to Mr. Percy Brooke Claris of Dover in the county of Kent the Solicitor of the defendants the executors of Thomas Jasper deceased their Christian and surname, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any), held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before Mr. Justice Stirling at his chambers, the Royal Courts of Justice, London, on the 16th day of March 1897, at twelve o'clock noon, being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 30th day of January 1897.

LYDALL and SONS 37 John-street Bedford-row W.C. Plaintiffs' Solicitors.

By an Order of the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster Liverpool District made in the matter of the estate of Emma Susan Westcott deceased 1896 C. No. 238 it is directed that the following inquiries be made by the Registrar that is to say:—
1. An inquiry what charitable institution or society or persons are meant or referred to by the testatrix under the description "the widows and fatherless children of clergymen of the Low Church of England" contained in her will. 2. An inquiry what institution or society is meant or referred to by the testatrix under the description "Emmanuel Church aforesaid and the ecclesiastical district attached thereto" in her will contained. Pursuant to the said Order the charitable institutions and persons claiming under the will of the said deceased to be entitled to (a) a moiety of the net residuary estate of the said testatrix bequeathed by her "for the benefit of the widows and fatherless children of clergymen of the Low Church of England" and (b) the other moiety of the same residuary estate bequeathed by the said testatrix by her said will "for the benefit of Emmanuel Church West Derby-road in the city of Liverpool and the ecclesiastical district attached thereto" are by their Solicitors on or before the 27th day of February 1897 to come in and enter their claims in the book kept for that purpose at the chambers of the Registrar of the Liverpool District of the said Court situate at No. 9 Cook-street, Liverpool or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Friday the 12th day of March 1897 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon is appointed for the hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 28th day of January 1897.

F. WILLIS TAYLOR Registrar.

W. H. PRIDE, 26 North John-street, Liverpool, Solicitor for the Executors and Trustees under the said will.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster Preston District (Blackburn) made in the matter of the estate of Joseph Greenhaugh deceased and in an action by Thomas Cooper (on behalf of himself and all other the creditors of Joseph Greenhaugh deceased) against Alice Greenhaugh and James Greenhaugh (an infant) 1897 C. No. 1 the creditors of the said Joseph Greenhaugh (formerly of Bacup in the county of Lancaster Beerhouse Keeper and late an Inmate of the County Lunatic Asylum at Lancaster in the said county) who died on the 18th day of December 1896 are on or before the 1st day of March 1897 to send by post prepaid to Messrs. Whitaker and Hibbert of Pleasant-street Haslingden in the said county the Solicitors of the defendant Alice Greenhaugh the administratrix of the deceased their Christian and surnames addresses and descriptions and in the case of firms the names of the partners and the style or title of the firm the full particulars of their claims a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Registrar of the Preston District (Blackburn) at his chambers situate at Number 34 Richmond-terrace

Blackburn on the 12th day of March 1897 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 28th day of January 1897.

ALEXANDER PEARCE Registrar.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster made in the matter of the estate of Margaret Rostron deceased in an action Rostron v. Rostron the creditors of Margaret Rostron late of Bury in the county of Lancaster who died on or about the 25th day of March 1896 are on or before the second day of March 1897 to send by post prepaid to John George (pennshaw of 16 Bolton-street Bury in the county of Lancaster the Solicitor of the plaintiffs Robert Rostron and Sarah Rostron the executor and executrix of the deceased their Christian and surnames addresses and descriptions the full particulars of their claims a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Registrar of the Manchester District at his chambers situate at Duchy-chambers 2 Clarence-street in the city of Manchester on Friday the 12th day of March 1897 at eleven o'clock in the forenoon being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 29th day of January 1897. HUBERT WINSTANLEY Registrar.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors executed 29th September 1896 by Thomas Carter Kennerley and Arthur Benjamin Snell both of 34 Grosvenor-street Stalybridge Drapers trading in copartnership under the style or firm of Kennerley and Co.

THE creditors of the above named Thomas Carter Kennerley and Arthur Benjamin Snell who have not already sent in their claims are required on or before the 14th day of March 1897 to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims to the undersigned Frederick Womersley the Trustee under the said deed or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 29th day of January 1897.

F. WOMERSLEY 1 Piccadilly, Manchester Chartered Accountant.

ROBERT INNES 10 Norfolk-street, Manchester Solicitor to the Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment executed on the 29th day of April 1896 by John Garwell of Fletland Mills Baston in the county of Lincoln, Miller and Baker.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of the above named debtor or Henry Edwards of Tinwell near Stamford in the county of Rutland Land Agent, the Trustee are requested to send particulars thereof to us the undersigned (if they have not already done so) on or before the 16th day of February 1897 otherwise they will be excluded from the Dividend about to be declared.—Dated this 30th day of January 1897.

BELL, FARR and BELL Bourne, Lincolnshire Solicitors for the Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment executed by William Jessop of Cudworth in the county of York Joiner and dated the 4th day of August 1896.

ALL persons having claims against this estate are requested to forward (if they have not already done so) particulars thereof to me the undersigned on or before Monday the 15th day of February 1897 otherwise they will be excluded from the First and Final Dividend about to be declared and all creditors who have not assented to the said deed must do so within that time or they will likewise be excluded from its benefits.—Dated this 30th day of January 1897.

JOHN EDWARD JAEGER Auctioneer, the Arcade, Market-hill, Barnsley Trustee under the said Deed.

Deeds of Arrangement Act 1890.

In the Matter of a Deed of Arrangement dated the 9th July 1896 and registered the 16th day of July 1896 and made between Charles Anthony Houghton of 10 Bucknall-street London W.C. Cabinetmaker as debtor and Robert James Ward of 2 Clement's-inn Strand, Chartered Accountant as Trustee for benefit of creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given that a First and Final Dividend is about to be declared in the above matter. Claims should be forwarded to the Trustee Robert James Ward at 2 Clement's-inn Strand before the 8th day of February instant. Those creditors who have not given notice of their claims by the 8th day of February instant will be excluded from participation in the said Dividend.—Dated this 1st day of February 1897.

HENRY KERBY 2 Lancaster-place Strand W.C. Solicitor to the Trustee.

THE BANKRUPTCY ACTS, 1883 AND 1890.
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.
325	Gatcombe, Augustus Edward	4, Whittingstall-mansions, Whittingstall-road, Fulham, in the county of London, carrying on business at 3 and 4, Great Winchester-street, in the city of London, and lately residing at the Folly, Stanley-road, Teddington, Middlesex, and carrying on business as a partner in the firm of Percy Barclay and Co., at 110, Cannon-street, in the city of London	Outside Stockbroker, carrying on business at 3 and 4, Great Winchester-street afore-said, and lately carrying on business as a partner in the firm of Percy Barclay and Co., at 110, Cannon-street afore-said	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Jan. 7, 1897	16 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897	53	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
326	Gray, Edward ...	2, Gloucester-road, Regent's Park, in the county of London	Surgeon ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Jan. 12, 1897	36 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897	52	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
327	Jones, Millard R. ...	38, Alfred-place West, in the county of London, carrying on business there	Manager to a Company...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Jan. 14, 1897	47 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897	54	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
328	Reeves, John Sims ...	56, Ridgemount-gardens, Gower-street, in the county of London	Professional Vocalist ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Dec. 11, 1896	1477 of 1896	Jan. 30, 1897	55	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
329	Wellings, Charles ...	Late of Hatfield House, Ramsgate, Kent, whose present residence the Petitioning Creditor Company are unable to ascertain, but who is domiciled in England	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Jan. 8, 1897	24 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897	51	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
330	Beynon, Evan ...	Residing at 40, Monk-street, Aberdare, Glamorganshire, and lately trading as a Carpenter, at the back of the Welsh Harp Inn, Aberdare aforesaid	Carpenter ...	Aberdare ...	Jan. 28, 1897	3 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897	3	Debtor's	
331	Robinson, John Scarr ...	Rose Cottage, Kettlewell, near Skipton, Yorkshire	Farmer: ...	Bradford ...	Jan. 28, 1897	10 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897	9	Debtor's	
332	Wilkinson, Dennison ...	77, Arthington-street, Whetley Hill, Bradford, Yorkshire	Cabinet Maker, Painter, and Paperhanger	Bradford ...	Jan. 29, 1897	11 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897	10	Debtor's	
333	Blakely, Theophilus Edward	5, Marine-parade and 49, Devonshire-place, both in Brighton, Sussex	Auctioneer and Estate Agent	Brighton ...	Jan. 29, 1897	7 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897	3	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.
334	Deffett, Henry ...	Waterloo Villa, Berkeley-road, Bishopston, Gloucestershire, and carrying on business at 39, Broad-street, in the city and county of Bristol	Financier ...	Bristol ...	Dec. 22, 1896	67 of 1896	Jan. 29, 1897	3	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
335	Morris, Charles George Henry	1, Whitehall-road, Easton, in the parish of St. George, Gloucestershire	Grocer ...	Bristol ...	Jan. 30, 1897	2 of 1897	Jan. 30, 1897	4	Debtor's	
336	Rosser, Philip, the younger	Now residing at 62, Grove-terrace, Penarth, Glamorganshire, lately trading at 62, Grove-terrace, Penarth, Glamorganshire	Grocer ...	Cardiff ...	Jan. 28, 1897	6 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897	8	Debtor's	
337	Whetham, William Townley, and Whetham, Stephen (trading as Stephen Whetham and Sons)	West-street, Bridport, Dorsetshire St. Andrew's, Bridport, Dorsetshire At Priory Mills, St. Michael's-lane, Bridport aforesaid	Twine Manufacturers ...	Dorchester ...	Jan. 28, 1897	5 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897	4	Debtor's	
338	Briggs, John ...	Lanchester, county of Durham ...	Contractor and Builder...	Durham ...	Jan. 29, 1897	1 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897	1	Debtor's	Sec. 4-1(D.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
339	James, John ...	Peat Hill, Tiverton, Devonshire, late of the Golden Lion Inn, East Reach, Taunton, Somersetshire	Late Innkeeper ...	Exeter ...	Jan. 29, 1897	9 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897	7	Debtor's	
340	Harvey, William Edward	Saxmundham, Suffolk ...	Grocer and Draper ...	Ipswich ...	Jan. 29, 1897	3 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897	2	Debtor's	
341	Campbell, James ...	18, Heathfield-terrace, Headingley, in the city of Leeds	Late Drysalter's Traveller, now of no occupation	Leeds ...	Jan. 30, 1897	9 of 1897	Jan. 30, 1897	8	Debtor's	
342	Slater, Thomas ...	Windmill Hill Farm, Beeston, near the city of Leeds	Farmer ...	Leeds ...	Jan. 28, 1897	8 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897	7	Debtor's	Sec. 4-1(D.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
343	Greaves, William ...	Flying Horse Hotel, Chestergate, Macclesfield, Cheshire	Publican ...	Macclesfield ...	Nov. 26, 1896	12 of 1896	Jan. 30, 1897	2	Creditor's...	
344	Roberts, Henry Taylor ...	95, Byron's-lane, Macclesfield, Cheshire ...	Braid Manufacturer ...	Macclesfield ...	Jan. 29, 1897	1 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897	1	Debtor's	
345	Baines, Margaret Ann (lately carrying on business as Lancaster's Market)	Residing at 19, St. Clement's-road, Chorlton-cum-Hardy, lately carrying on business at 37, Rusholme-road, Ardwick, both in Lancashire	Provision Dealer, a Married Woman, lately carrying on business separately from her Husband	Manchester ...	Jan. 29, 1897	6 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897	2	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.
346	Hopley, James ...	696, Ashton Old-road, Higher Openshaw, Manchester, Lancashire	Watchmaker ...	Manchester ...	Jan. 29, 1897	5 of 1897	Jan. 30, 1897	3	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (H.), Bank- ruptcy Act, 1883
347	Stephens, John ...	Cefn Bonymaen, Llansamlet, Glamorgan- shire	Insurance Agent...	Neath ...	Jan. 28, 1897	2 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897	2	Debtor's	
348	Morgan, James ...	8, Dean-terrace, near Milburn-place, North Shields, Northumberland	Grocer ...	Newcastle-on- Tyne	Jan. 30, 1897	6 of 1897	Jan. 30, 1897	6	Debtor's	
349	Whitfield, William ...	Front-street, Stanley, county of Durham	House Furnisher...	Newcastle-on- Tyne	Jan. 28, 1897	5 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897	5	Debtor's	
350	Beirnstien, Barnett (trading as B. Burton)	Trading at 26, Clumber-street, Nottingham, and residing at 18, Musters-road, West Bridgeford, Nottingham	House Furnisher ...	Nottingham ...	Jan. 14, 1897	2 of 1897	Jan. 27, 1897	4	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (A.), Bank- ruptcy Act, 1883
351	Clarke, Edwin ...	24, Burton-street, Nottingham	Architect and Surveyor...	Nottingham ...	Jan. 29, 1897	6 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897	6	Debtor's	
352	Pemblington, Thomas Alexander Booth	Residing in lodgings at 65, Queen's-walk, Nottingham, lately residing at Woodbine Hydro, Matlock Bank, Derbyshire, and carrying on business at 2, Market-square, Mansfield, Nottinghamshire, and at 21, Salisbury-street, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, and 65, Queen's-walk, Nottingham	Companies Manager ...	Nottingham ...	Jan. 28, 1897	5 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897	5	Debtor's	
353	Craddock, Percy Joseph	Letcombe Bassett, Berkshire, and of Brough- ton, Oxfordshire	Farmer ...	Oxford ...	Jan. 30, 1897	3 of 1897	Jan. 30, 1897	3	Debtor's	
354	John, Sarah Catherine ...	Cresselly, in the parish of Jeffreyston, Pembrokeshire	Grocer and Ironmonger	Pembroke Dock	Jan. 28, 1897	6 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897	5	Debtor's	
355	Peatheyjohns, John Henry	Higher Hooe, Plymstock, Devonshire	Farmer and Dairyman ...	Plymouth and East Stone- house	Jan. 30, 1897	8 of 1897	Jan. 30, 1897	7	Debtor's	
356	Bennett, Henry Matthew	3, Richard-street, Cilfynydd, Glamorgan- shire	Boot and Shoe Maker ...	Pontypridd ...	Jan. 28, 1897	3 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897	3	Debtor's	
357	Lovell, Walter Freder- rick	4, Victoria-buildings, Pokesdown, Hamp- shire	Grocer ...	Poole ...	Jan. 29, 1897	3 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897	4	Debtor's	
358	Gillow, James ...	15, Bushell-street, Preston, Lancashire	Operative Cotton Spinner and Fancy Goods Dealer	Preston ...	Jan. 30, 1897	3 of 1897	Jan. 30, 1897	3	Debtor's	

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No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No. of Master.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Act of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
359	Deans, Major Thackwray	Residing at 17, Norwood-street, Scarborough, and trading at 25, Huntriss-row, Scarborough, Yorkshire	Hosier, Glover, and Shirtmaker	Scarborough ...	Jan. 30, 1897	2 of 1897	Jan. 30, 1897	2	Debtor's	
360	Knight, Peter	Rose Villa, Stoke Common, Buckinghamshire	Carpenter, Builder, and Wheelwright	Windsor ...	Jan. 28, 1897	2 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897	3	Debtor's	
361	Morris, John (trading as C. Morris)	21, Alexandra-road, Wrexham, and trading at the Central Arcade, Wrexham, Denbighshire	Tailor	Wrexham ...	Jan. 30, 1897	3 of 1897	Jan. 30, 1897	3	Debtor's	
362	Pitts, Fred	Skipwith, Yorkshire	Farmer	York	Jan. 29, 1897	2 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897	2	Debtor's	
<p><i>The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 10th November, 1896.</i></p>										
3593	Nicholson, Edward ...	Late of Woodgreen Villa, Alexandra Park, now of 27, West-bank, both in Scarborough, Yorkshire	Gentleman	Scarborough ...	Oct. 20, 1896	30 of 1896	Nov. 7, 1896	31	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883

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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.
Fletcher, A. Morley ...	Carrying on business at 32, Old Jewry, in the city of London	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	13 of 1897	Feb. 9, 1897	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 4, 1897	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Jacobs, Emanuel ...	Residing at 21, King-street, Covent Garden, and formerly at 15, Long-acre, in the county of London	Fruit Salesman's Assistant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	91 of 1897	Feb. 9, 1897	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 11, 1897	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	Jan. 28, 1897
Waylen, Claude ...	124, Cromwell-road and 154, Earl's Court-road, both in the county of London, and of Winchester House, Old Broad-street, in the city of London	Clerk in the office of the African Anglo - French Exploration Company Limited	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1320 of 1896	Feb. 11, 1897	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 2, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Parker, George ...	Park-street, London-road, High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire	Chair Manufacturer	Aylesbury ...	2 of 1897	Feb. 9, 1897	1.30 P.M.	Red. Lion Hotel, High Wycombe	Feb. 8, 1897	11 A.M.	County Hall, Aylesbury	
Laycock, George Henry	Queen-street and Dodworth-road, Barnsley, Yorkshire	Butcher ...	Barnsley ...	1 of 1897	Feb. 11, 1897	10.15 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Regent-street, Barnsley	Feb. 11, 1897	10.45 A.M.	County Court Hall, Regent-street, Barnsley	
Foster, Joseph ...	5, Peel-street, Bedford, Bedfordshire	Painter, Plumber, and Decorator	Bedford ...	1 of 1897	Feb. 10, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, St. Paul's-square, Bedford	Feb. 23, 1897	11 A.M.	Shirehall, Bedford	
Edwards, Henry (lately trading as Edwards and Co.)	Lately 78, Talbot-street, Winson Green, now residing in lodgings at 44½, Loveday-street, both in Birmingham, Warwickshire	Lately Furniture Remover and Coal Dealer, now Journeyman Gunworker	Birmingham ...	5 of 1897	Feb. 11, 1897	11 A.M.	23, Colmore - row, Birmingham	Feb. 25, 1897	2 P.M.	County Court, Birmingham	Jan. 21, 1897
Groth, John ...	The County Restaurant, Bridge-street, and Ivegate, Bradford, and of the Fleece Inn, Eldwick, both in Yorkshire	Restaurant and Inn Keeper	Bradford ...	8 of 1897	Feb. 9, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford	Feb. 19, 1897	10 A.M.	County Court, Manor - row, Bradford	

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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.
Ingham, Albert Arthur	37, Victor-road, Bradford, Yorkshire	Professor of Music	Bradford ...	9 of 1897	Feb. 11, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Brad- ford	Feb. 19, 1897	10 A.M.	County Court, Manor - row, Bradford	Jan. 30, 1897
Robinson, John Scarr	Rose Cottage, Kettlewell, near Skipton, Yorkshire	Farmer ...	Bradford ...	10 of 1897	Feb. 12, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Brad- ford	Feb. 19, 1897	10 A.M.	County Court, Manor - row, Bradford	Jan. 30, 1897
Jones, S. T. ...	The Railway Cigar Stores, Haven Green, Ealing, Middlesex	... ..	Brentford ...	36 of 1896	Feb. 10, 1897	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 95, Temple- chambers, Temple- avenue, E.C.	Mar. 9, 1897	2.15 P.M.	Townhall, Brent- ford	
Bryant, George Francis	Newbridge-road, Brisling- ton, Somersetshire	Mason, formerly Builder	Bristol ...	1 of 1897	Feb. 12, 1897	12 noon	Offices of Official Receiver, Bank- chambers, Corn- street, Bristol	Feb. 26, 1897	12 noon	Guildhall, Bris- tol	Jan. 29, 1897
Deffett, Henry ...	Waterloo Villa, Berkeley- road, Bishopston, Gloucestershire, and carrying on business at 39, Broad-street, in the city and county of Bristol	Financier ...	Bristol ...	67 of 1896	Feb. 12, 1897	12.45 P.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, Bank- chambers, Corn- street, Bristol	Feb. 26, 1897	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	
Morris, Charles George Henry	1, Whitehall-road, Easton, in the parish of St. George, Gloucestershire	Grocer ...	Bristol ...	2 of 1897	Feb. 12, 1897	3 P.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, Bank- chambers, Corn- street, Bristol	Mar. 12, 1897	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	Jan. 30, 1897
Fison, William Lorimer	Stowmarket, Suffolk	Of no occupation	Bury St. Ed- munds	1 of 1897	Feb. 16, 1897	2 P.M.	Angel Hotel, Bury St. Edmunds	Feb. 16, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Shirehall, Bury St. Edmunds	
Morgan, William, the Elder (trading as William Morgan)	High-street, Cowbridge, Glamorganshire	Butcher and Boot and Shoe Dealer	Cardiff ...	5 of 1897	Feb. 10, 1897	2.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 29, Queen- street, Cardiff	Feb. 26, 1897	10 A.M.	Townhall, Car- diff	Jan. 26, 1897

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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.
Samuel, Daniel ...	Lately residing and carrying on business at the Furnace, Llanelly, Carmarthenshire, and since at Tyrfran Villas, Llanelly aforesaid	Formerly Colliery Proprietor, now Grocer and Journeyman Blacksmith, lately trading in copartnership with one William Griffiths as the Llanfawr Colliery Company	Carmarthen ...	3 of 1897	Feb. 9, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 4, Queen-street, Carmarthen	Feb. 10, 1897	11 A.M.	Guildhall, Carmarthen	Jan. 26, 1897
Percy, Herbert John and Pugh, Isaac ... (trading as Percy and Co.) ...	5, Pelham-street 11, Noble-street At 105, Drewry-lane, all in Derby, Derbyshire	Bootmakers ...	Derby ...	2 of 1897	Feb. 9, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 40, St. Mary's-gate, Derby	Feb. 16, 1897	11 A.M.	County - hall, St. Mary's-gate, Derby	Jan. 29, 1897
James, John ...	Peat Hill, Tiverton, Devonshire, late of the Golden Lion Inn, East Beach, Taunton, Somersetshire	Late Innkeeper ...	Exeter ...	9 of 1897	Feb. 18, 1897	10.45 A.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 13, Bedford-circus, Exeter	Feb. 18, 1897	11.30 A.M.	The Castle of Exeter, at Exeter	Jan. 29, 1897
Payne, Mark ...	Kilmington, Wiltshire ...	General Dealer ...	Frome ...	1 of 1897	Feb. 12, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, Bank-chambers, Corn-street, Bristol	Feb. 16, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Mechanics' Hall, Frome	Jan. 30, 1897
Wells, Walter Edward	15, Kent-street, Great Grimsby	Plumber ...	Great Grimsby	4 of 1897	Feb. 10, 1897	11 A.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 15, Osborne-street, Great Grimsby	Mar. 4, 1897	11 A.M.	Townhall, Great Grimsby	Jan. 18, 1897
Crawford, Thomas ...	37, Market-place, Kendal, Westmorland	Tailor ...	Kendal ...	38 of 1896	Feb. 13, 1897	11.45 A.M.	Grosvenor Hotel, Stramongate, Kendal	Feb. 13, 1897	2 P.M.	Court - house, Town Hall, Kendal	Dec. 31, 1896
Hutchinson, Robert Greenwood	Hollin Hall, Nether Staveley, Westmorland	Farmer ...	Kendal ...	1 of 1897	Feb. 13, 1897	12.15 P.M.	Grosvenor Hotel, Stramongate, Kendal	Feb. 13, 1897	2 P.M.	Court - house, Town Hall, Kendal	Jan. 23, 1897

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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.
Harris, John Herbert	Norchard Farm, Pepwell's Farm, and Perry Farm, all in the parish of Hartlebury, Worcestershire	Farmer ...	Kidderminster	1 of 1897	Feb. 9, 1897	12 noon	Lion Hotel, Kidderminster	Feb. 9, 1897	2.20 P.M.	Townhall, Kidderminster	Jan. 12, 1897
Winnall, Joseph Clymer	Coventry - street, Kidderminster, Worcestershire	Grocer ...	Kidderminster	2 of 1897	Feb. 9, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Lion Hotel, Kidderminster	Feb. 9, 1897	2.20 P.M.	Townhall, Kidderminster	
Newton, Harrison ...	Lately residing and trading at 177, Meanwood-road, in the city of Leeds, now residing at 2, Wharfedale-place, Leeds	Lately Grocer and Beerseller, now out of business	Leeds ...	6 of 1897	Feb. 11, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 22, Park-row, Leeds	Feb. 23, 1897	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Albion-place, Leeds	Jan. 29, 1897
Deacon, William ...	Residing at 15, Tudor-road, and trading at 27, East Bond-street, both in the county borough of Leicester	French Polisher ...	Leicester ...	5 of 1897	Feb. 9, 1897	3 P.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 1, Berridge-street, Leicester	Feb. 18, 1897	10 A.M.	The Castle, Leicester	
Pepper, James William	Formerly residing and trading at 60, Northampton-street, now of 69, Kent-street, both in the county borough of Leicester	Cabinet Maker ...	Leicester ...	4 of 1897	Feb. 9, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 1, Berridge-street, Leicester	Feb. 18, 1897	10 A.M.	The Castle, Leicester	
Noakes, Charles ...	16, Talbot-terrace, late of 34, School-hill, both in Lewes, Sussex	Formerly Butcher, now out of business	Lewes and Eastbourne	1 of 1897	Feb. 9, 1897	3 P.M.	Offices of Raper and Ellman, 1, Upper Lake, Battle	Mar. 3, 1897	11.30 A.M.	County Hall, Lewes	Jan. 26, 1897
Tarback, Thomas ...	19, Arundel-street, Walton, Liverpool, Lancashire, and lately residing at 25, Roxburgh-street, Walton, Liverpool aforesaid	Flatowner ...	Liverpool ...	96 of 1896	Feb. 10, 1897	12 noon	Offices of Official Receiver, 35, Victoria-street, Liverpool	Feb. 11, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, Government - buildings, Victoria - street, Liverpool	Jan. 30, 1897
Armstrong, James ...	Lately carrying on business at Tynyrrheol Farm, Neath, Glamorganshire, whose present whereabouts is not known	Farmer ...	Neath ...	1 of 1897	Feb. 9, 1897	2.15 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 31, Alexandra-road, Swansea	Feb. 16, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Townhall, Neath	

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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.
Crocker, Alfred ...	94, Commercial-road, Newport, also of Pontymister, both in Monmouthshire	Merchant ...	Newport, Mon.	1 of 1897	Feb. 10, 1897	11 A.M.	Office of Official Receiver, Gloucester Bank - chambers, Newport, Mon.	Feb. 23, 1897	10 A.M.	Townhall, Newport, Mon.	Jan. 23, 1897
Handy, Herbert ...	Homeside, 60, Chepstow-road, Monmouthshire, lately carrying on business at 147, Commercial-street, Newport aforesaid	Formerly Managing Director of Herbert Handy Limited, now of no occupation	Newport, Mon.	2 of 1897	Feb. 10, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Office of Official Receiver, Gloucester Bank - chambers, Newport, Mon.	Feb. 23, 1897	10 A.M.	Townhall, Newport, Mon.	Jan. 22, 1897
Wagg, George Henry	Residing and trading at Church-street, Sutton-in-Ashfield, Nottinghamshire	Baker and Confectioner	Nottingham ...	4 of 1897	Feb. 9, 1897	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, St. Peter's Church-walk, Nottingham	Mar. 5, 1897	10 A.M.	County Court-house, St. Peter's - gate, Nottingham	Jan. 30, 1897
Bateman, William ...	Treffgarne Farm, Wolfscastle, Pembrokeshire	Farmer ...	Pembroke Dock	2 of 1897	Feb. 9, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 4, Queen-street, Carmarthen	Feb. 12, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Temperance Hall, Pembroke Dock	
Tompkins, George Hebbard	31, Cecil-avenue, Plymouth, late of 8, Belgrave-terrace, Mutley	Greengrocer and Florist	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	6 of 1897	Feb. 12, 1897	11 A.M.	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Feb. 16, 1897	11 A.M.	Townhall, East Stonehouse	Jan. 27, 1897
White, Albert ...	44, Palmerston - road, Bournemouth, Hampshire, lately trading at 6, Gervis-terrace, Christchurch-road, Bournemouth aforesaid	Coal Merchant ...	Poole ...	29 of 1896	Feb. 9, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Salisbury	Feb. 10, 1897	12 noon	Townhall, Poole	Jan. 27, 1897
Greaves, Joseph Edward Elsworth	17, Sussex-street, Rochdale, Lancashire	Mechanical Engineer and Science Teacher	Rochdale ...	1 of 1897	Feb. 9, 1897	11 A.M.	Townhall, Rochdale	Mar. 5, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Lecture-hall, Acker-street, Rochdale	Jan. 22, 1897
Pickering, George ...	The Gladstone Hotel, Bridge-street West, Middlesborough, Yorkshire	Innkeeper...	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	5 of 1897	Feb. 10, 1897	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 8, Albert-road, Middlesborough	Feb. 10, 1897	10.30 A.M.	Court - house, Bridge - road, Stockton - on - Tees	
Iltingworth, Charles	Doncaster-road, Hemsworth, Yorkshire	Formerly Fish-monger, now Mechanic	Wakefield ...	6 of 1897	Feb. 9, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 6, Bond-terrace, Wakefield	Mar. 4, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, Wood - street, Wakefield	Jan. 30, 1897

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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.
Hodson, John ...	126, Bull-lane. Greets Green, West Bromwich, Staffordshire, lately of the Hop-yard, Bentley-lane, Bentley, Staffordshire	Haulier, Fruit, Potato, and Coal Dealer and Horse Slaughterman	Walsall...	2 of 1897	Feb. 11, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Walsall	Feb. 11, 1897	12 noon	Court - house, Walsall	Jan. 14, 1897
Warburton, Thomas...	Barr House, Great Barr, Staffordshire	Commission Agent	Walsall...	1 of 1897	Feb. 11, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Walsall	Feb. 11, 1897	12 noon	Court - house, Walsall	Jan. 19, 1897
Brookes, William ...	Lately residing at Queen-street, West Bromwich, Staffordshire, now lodging at the Rose and Crown Inn, Coventry	Late Groom, now out of business	West Bromwich	1 of 1897	Feb. 10, 1897	2 P.M.	County Court, West Bromwich	Feb. 10, 1897	2.15 P.M.	County Court, West Bromwich	Jan. 21, 1897
G 2 Jones, Charles Henry	86, Park-avenue, Oswestry, Salop, and Cambrian Stores, Caergwile, Flintshire	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Wrexham ...	1 of 1897	Feb. 9, 1897	11.30 A.M.	The Priory, Wrexham	Feb. 9, 1897	12 noon	County Hall, Wrexham	Jan. 30, 1897
Potter, Charles Valentine	18, Roderick-terrace, Wrexham, Denbighshire	Auctioneer's Clerk	Wrexham ...	2 of 1897	Feb. 9, 1897	11.45 A.M.	The Priory, Wrexham	Feb. 9, 1897	12 noon	County Hall, Wrexham	Jan. 29, 1897
Pitts, Fred ...	Skipwith, Yorkshire	Farmer ...	York ...	2 of 1897	Feb. 12, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 28, Stone-gate, York	Mar. 5, 1897	11 A.M.	Courts of Justice, Clifford-street, York	Jan. 30, 1897

ADJUDICATIONS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Walker, Henry (described in Receiving Order as Henry de L. Walker)	10, Spencer-mansions, West Kensington, Middlesex ...	Gentleman	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1492 of 1896	Jan. 29, 1897 ...	Dec. 15, 1896
Beynon, Evan	Residing at 40, Monk-street, Aberdare, Glamorganshire, and lately trading as a Carpenter at the back of the Welsh Harp Inn, Aberdare aforesaid	Carpenter	Aberdare	3 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897 ...	Jan. 28, 1897
Williams, Evan (otherwise Evan P. Williams)	Formerly of Victoria House, Cemaes, Anglesey, now of 25, Pool-street, in the town and county of Carnarvon	Formerly Draper and Outfitter, now of no occupation	Bangor	37 of 1896	Jan. 28, 1897 ...	Dec. 30, 1896
Robinson, John Scarr	Rose Cottage, Kettlewell, near Skipton, Yorkshire ...	Farmer	Bradford	10 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897 ...	Jan. 28, 1897
Wilkinson, Dennison	77, Arthington-street, Whetley Hill, Bradford, Yorkshire ...	Cabinet Maker, Painter, and Paper-hanger	Bradford	11 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897 ...	Jan. 29, 1897
Evans, Thomas John, and Evans, Evan Edgar (lately carrying on business in copartnership as John Evans and Sons)	15, Wyndham-street, Bridgend, Glamorganshire Glenview, Coity-road, Bridgend At 15, Wyndham-street, Bridgend	Printer Printer Newspaper Proprietors and General Printers	Cardiff	92 of 1896	Jan. 29, 1897 ...	Dec. 16, 1896
Morgan, William	Cloth Hall, High-street, Cowbridge, Glamorganshire...	Draper	Cardiff	2 of 1897	Jan. 26, 1897 ...	Jan. 1, 1897
Rosser, Philip, the younger	Now residing at 62, Grove-terrace, Penarth, Glamorganshire, lately trading at 62, Grove-terrace, Penarth, Glamorganshire	Grocer	Cardiff	6 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897 ...	Jan. 27, 1897
Brown, Annie Lyell, and Stewart, Ida Jane Campbell (trading as Brown and Stewart)	Both residing at Strand-road, Carlisle, and carrying on business at 62 and 64, Castle-street, Carlisle	Costumiers, the said Annie Lyell Brown being a Married Woman trading apart from her Husband	Carlisle	1 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897 ...	Jan. 5, 1897
Whetham, William Townley, and... Whetham, Stephen (trading as Stephen Whetham and Sons)	West-street, Bridport, Dorsetshire St. Andrew's, Bridport, Dorsetshire At Priory Mills, St. Michael's-lane, Bridport aforesaid ...	Twine Manufacturers... ..	Dorchester	5 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897 ...	Jan. 28, 1897

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Briggs, John	Lanchester, county of Durham	Contractor and Builder	Durham	1 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897 ...	Jan. 29, 1897
Oates, George	Buttsfield-terrace, Penshaw, and trading at Old Penshaw, county of Durham	Joiner and Builder	Durham	19 of 1896	Jan. 27, 1897 ...	Dec. 3, 1896
James, John	Peat Hill, Tiverton, Devonshire, late of the Golden Lion Inn, East Reach, Taunton, Somersetshire	Late Innkeeper	Exeter	9 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897 ...	Jan. 29, 1897
Harvey, William Edward	Saxmundham, Suffolk	Grocer and Draper	Ipswich	3 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897 ...	Jan. 29, 1897
Ashby, George Ashby Herman	St. John's House, 17, Spencer-hill, Wimbledon, Surrey, lately residing at Stanmore House, Athelstan-road, Margate, Kent, and formerly at Upham, Hampshire, and at 22, Reichs Strasse, Dresden, Germany	Gentleman	Kingston, Surrey ...	2 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897 ...	Jan. 14, 1897
Clark, Charles Henry (trading as C. John- son and Co.)	Poultton House, Hampton, Middlesex	Florist	Kingston, Surrey ...	3 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897 ...	Jan. 26, 1897
Campbell, James	18, Heathfield-terrace, Headingley, in the city of Leeds ...	Late Drysalter's Traveller, now of no occupation	Leeds	9 of 1897	Jan. 30, 1897 ...	Jan. 30, 1897
Slater, Thomas	Windmill Hill Farm, Beeston, near the city of Leeds ...	Farmer	Leeds	8 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897 ...	Jan. 28, 1897
Tarback, Thomas	19, Arundel-street, Walton, Liverpool, Lancashire, lately residing at 25, Roxburgh-street, Walton, Liverpool afore- said	Flatowner	Liverpool	96 of 1896	Jan. 30, 1897 ...	Dec. 14, 1896
Baines, Margaret Ann (lately carrying on business as Lancaster's Market)	Residing at 19, St. Clement's-road, Chorlton-cum-Hardy, lately carrying on business at 37, Rusholme-road, Ardwick, both in Lancashire	Provision Dealer, a Married Woman, lately carrying on business sepa- rately from her Husband	Manchester	6 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897 ...	Jan. 29, 1897
Stephens, John	Cefn Bonymaen, Llansamlet, Glamorganshire... ..	Insurance Agent	Neath	2 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897 ...	Jan. 28, 1897
Morgan, James	8, Dean-terrace, near Milburn-place, North Shields, North- umberland	Grocer	Newcastle-on-Tyne... ..	6 of 1897	Jan. 30, 1897 ...	Jan. 30, 1897
Butterfield, Emma	Late of 16, Waterloo-road, Catton, in the county of the city of Norwich	Grocer and Shopkeeper, Spinster ...	Norwich	33 of 1896	Jan. 29, 1897 ...	Sept. 11, 1896

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Clarke, Edwin	24, Burton-street, Nottingham	Architect and Surveyor	Nottingham	6 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897 ...	Jan. 29, 1897
Pemblington, Thomas Alexander Booth ...	Residing in lodgings at 65, Queen's-walk, Nottingham, lately residing at Woodbine Hydro, Matlock Bank, Derbyshire, and carrying on business at 2, Market-square, Mansfield, Nottinghamshire, and at 21, Salisbury-street, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, and 65, Queen's-walk, Nottingham	Companies Manager	Nottingham	5 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897 ...	Jan. 28, 1897
Peatheyjohns, John Henry... ..	Higher Hooe, Plymstock, Devonshire	Farmer and Dairyman	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	8 of 1897	Jan. 30, 1897 ...	Jan. 30, 1897
Bennett, Henry Matthew	3, Richard-street, Cilfynydd, Glamorganshire	Boot and Shoe Maker	Pontypridd	3 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897 ...	Jan. 28, 1897
Lovell, Walter Frederick	4, Victoria-buildings, Pokesdown, Hampshire... ..	Grocer	Poole... ..	3 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897 ...	Jan. 29, 1897
Gillow, James	15, Bushell-street, Preston, Lancashire	Operative Cotton Spinner and Fancy Goods Dealer	Preston	3 of 1897	Jan. 30, 1897 ...	Jan. 30, 1897
Deans, Major Thackwray	Residing at 17, Norwood-street, Scarborough, and trading at 25, Huntriss-row, Scarborough, Yorkshire	Hosier, Glover, and Shirtmaker ...	Scarborough	2 of 1897	Jan. 30, 1897 ...	Jan. 30, 1897
Brookes, William	Lately residing at Queen-street, West Bromwich, Staffordshire, now lodging at the Rose and Crown Inn, Coventry	Late Groom, now out of business ...	West Bromwich	1 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897 ...	Jan. 13, 1897
Knight, Peter	Rose Villa, Stoke Common, Buckinghamshire... ..	Carpenter, Builder, and Wheelwright	Windsor	2 of 1897	Jan. 28, 1897 ...	Jan. 28, 1897
Wickes, Charles H.	Now or lately residing at Okedene, Northwood, Middlesex, whose present address is not positively known	Gentleman	Windsor	15 of 1896	Jan. 28, 1897 ...	Dec. 18, 1896
Abel, Frederick Robinson	29, Cleveland-road, Wolverhampton, Staffordshire	Coach Spring and Wrench Manufacturer	Wolverhampton	8 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897 ...	Jan. 27, 1897
Morris, John (trading as C. Morris) ...	21, Alexandra-road, Wrexham, and trading at the Central Arcade, Wrexham, Denbighshire	Tailor	Wrexham	3 of 1897	Jan. 30, 1897 ...	Jan. 30, 1897
Potter, Charles Valentine	13, Roderick-terrace, Wrexham, Denbighshire	Auctioneer's Clerk	Wrexham	2 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897 ...	Jan. 25, 1897
Pitts, Fred	Skipwith, Yorkshire	Farmer	York	2 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897 ...	Jan. 29, 1897

NOTICES OF INTENDED DIVIDENDS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustees.	Address.
Berg, Richard ...	11, St. Bride-street, Ludgate Hill, in the city of London	Export Merchant ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1503 of 1893	Feb. 17, 1897 ...	E. Leadam Hough, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Coffin, Thomas Walker ...	22, Upper Park-road, Haverstock Hill, Middlesex	Surgeon ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	868 of 1896	Feb. 17, 1897 ...	E. Leadam Hough, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Henderson, William ...	18, Pullens-buildings, Penton-place, Kennington Park-road, lately residing and carrying on business at Newington-crescent, Newington-butts, both in London	Horse Dealer and Job Master	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1405 of 1896	Feb. 17, 1897 ...	H. Brougham, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Jarvis, Frederick ...	109, Queen's-road, Bayswater, Middlesex, residing at Kent House, Bromley Common, Kent	Fruiterer and Florist ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1215 of 1896	Feb. 17, 1897 ...	H. Brougham, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Middleton, Benjamin ...	34, Topsfield-parade, Crouch End, in the county of London, and of 34, Crouch End-hill, in the county of London	China and Glass Dealer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1462 of 1896	Feb. 16, 1897 ...	George Samuel Engel	365, Mansion House-chambers, London, E.C.
Roberts, William, and Nugent, Robert Percy (trading in copartnership as William Roberts) ...	14, Stratford-road, Kensington Lately residing at Alwyne House, Orleans-road, Hornsey Rise At 95, Little Cadogan-place, Chelsea, all in Middlesex	Builders and Decorators ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1342 of 1892	Feb. 17, 1897 ...	A. H. Wildy, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Roberts, William ... (Separate Estate)	14, Stratford-road, Kensington, trading in copartnership with Robert Percy Nugent as William Roberts, at 95, Little Cadogan-place, Chelsea, both in Middlesex	Builder and Decorator ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1342 of 1892 (Under Order for Consolidation of Proceedings)	Feb. 17, 1897 ...	A. H. Wildy, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Spyer, John ...	Watlington, Oxfordshire ...	Grocer ...	Aylesbury ...	20 of 1895	Feb. 17, 1897 ...	George Mallam, Official Receiver	1, St. Aldate's, Oxford
Wright, Charles, and Wright, William (trading under the style or firm of Wright Brothers) ...	Both of Chesham, Buckinghamshire	Glass, China, and Hardware Dealers	Aylesbury ...	4 of 1896	Feb. 17, 1897 ...	George Mallam, Official Receiver	1, St. Aldate's, Oxford
Preece, Thomas ...	Lately residing and trading at 22 and 23, Somerset-buildings in the parish of Walcot, in the city of Bath, and now residing and trading at 5, Lambridge-buildings, in the parish of Walcot, in the city of Bath	Draper ...	Bath ...	7 of 1896	Feb. 17, 1897 ...	Edward Gustavus Clarke, Official Receiver	Bank-chambers, Corn-street, Bristol

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Randell, George ...	Bradford-on-Avon, Wiltshire ...	Coal Merchant and Haulier	Bath ...	9 of 1896	Feb. 17, 1897 ...	Edward Gustavus Clarke, Official Receiver	Bank-chambers, Corn-street, Bristol
Field, John Edwin ...	Lodging at 24, Upper Hagley-road, Edgbaston, Staffordshire	Cabinet Maker ...	Birmingham ...	36 of 1896	Feb. 17, 1897 ...	Luke Jesson Sharp, Official Receiver	Whitehall - chambers, 23, Colmore-row, Birmingham
Swain, John William, and Ball, Thomas ... (trading together as John William Swain and Co.)	27, the Walk, Cardiff 19, St. John's-crescent, Canton, Cardiff	Oil Merchants ...	Cardiff ...	41 of 1896	Feb. 16, 1897 ...	Charles Edwin Dovey	31, Queen-street, Cardiff
Gratton, Alfred ...	Bird-in-Hand Inn, West Bars, Chesterfield, Derbyshire	Innkeeper ...	Chesterfield ...	6 of 1895	Feb. 16, 1897 ...	John Smith, Official Receiver	40, St. Mary's-gate, Derby
Williamson, John...	Great Wigborough, Essex...	Farmer ...	Colchester ...	1 of 1897	Feb. 17, 1897 ...	Frederick Messent, Official Receiver	36, Princes-street, Ipswich
Higginbottom, William ...	Great Northern-road, Derby, and residing at Borrowash, Derbyshire	Silk Throwster ...	Derby ...	35 of 1896	Feb. 14, 1897 ...	Thomas Henry Harrison	18, Wardwick, Derby
Hare, Thomas (trading as Hare and Son)	23, Cornfield-terrace, Eastbourne ...	Greengrocer and Fruiterer...	Eastbourne and Lewes	3 of 1896	Feb. 17, 1897 ...	Howard W. Cox, Official Receiver	4, Pavilion - buildings, Brighton
Hufton, Edward (trading as Mrs. Hufton)	205, Freeman-street, Great Grimsby ...	Confectioner and Fruiterer...	Great Grimsby ...	35 of 1896	Feb. 20, 1897 ...	Arthur Stewart Maples, Official Receiver	Trinity House-lane, Hull
Thacker, Ambrose Horton (trading as J. Horton and Co., and as the Grimsby Smackowners' Direct Fish Supply Association)	Hawthorne House, Park-street, and Fish Docks, Great Grimsby	Fish Merchant ...	Great Grimsby ...	23 of 1896	Feb. 19, 1897 ...	Arthur Stewart Maples, Official Receiver	Trinity House-lane, Hull
Hadingham, William ...	Upper Holton, near Halesworth, lately of Halesworth, both in Suffolk	Farmer ...	Great Yarmouth ...	26 of 1896	Feb. 17, 1897 ...	H. P. Gould, Official Receiver	8, King-street, Norwich
Rivett, George ...	Bell's-road, Gorleston, Suffolk ...	Fishing Boat Owner ...	Great Yarmouth ...	29 of 1896	Feb. 17, 1897 ...	H. P. Gould, Official Receiver	8, King-street, Norwich
Brown, Edward Joseph ... (Deceased)	3, Western-road, St. Leonards-on-Sea ...	Late Saddler ...	Hastings ...	2 of 1896	Feb. 19, 1897 ...	Howard W. Cox, Official Receiver	4, Pavilion - buildings, Brighton
Harris, George Steed ...	1, Caversham-terrace, St. Leonards-on-Sea, and Kenwood's-buildings, St. Leonards Green, St. Leonards-on-Sea, Sussex	Plumber ...	Hastings ...	21 of 1896	Feb. 17, 1897 ...	Frederic William Davis	37, Havelock-road, Hastings

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Miller, Thomas Oliver ...	60, Milward-road, Hastings, Sussex, lately of 166, Mount Pleasant-road, Hastings	Builder	Hastings	6 of 1896	Feb. 18, 1897 ...	Howard W. Cox, Official Receiver	4, Pavilion - buildings, Brighton
Jefferys, William Bailey ...	Holbeach, Lincolnshire	Farmer and Grazier... ..	King's Lynn	13 of 1896	Feb. 16, 1897 ...	H. P. Gould, Official Receiver	8, King-street, Norwich
Tindall, James	21, Eastbourne-street, Hesse-road, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull	Cowkeeper	Kingston-upon-Hull	40 of 1896	Feb. 20, 1897 ...	Arthur Stewart Maples, Official Receiver	Trinity House-lane, Hull
Greaves, George and Robertshaw, James (trading as Greaves and Robertshaw)	Residing at 8, Hawthorne-terrace, Hall-lane, New Wortley Residing at 7, Haddon-avenue, Kirkstall-road, both in the city of Leeds Trafalgar Works, Meadow-lane, in the city of Leeds	Lithographic and Tin Printing Machine Makers	Leeds	66 of 1896	Feb. 19, 1897 ...	John Bowling, Official Receiver	22, Park-row, Leeds
Mason, James	Fairfax-road, Belgrave, Leicester	Contractor	Leicester	41 of 1896	Feb. 17, 1897 ...	J. Alfred Hopps, Chartered Accountant	12, Friar-lane, Leicester
Bowdler, Albert Capron ...	Oakengates, Salop	Beerhouse Keeper and Iron-worker	Madeley	6 of 1896	Feb. 16, 1897 ...	T. Bullock, Official Receiver	Shrewsbury
Collier, John Charles ...	Shifnal, Salop	Coachbuilder and Inn-keeper	Madeley	6 of 1892	Feb. 16, 1897 ...	T. Bullock, Official Receiver	Shrewsbury
Booth, James	Residing at 58, Burford-road, and trading at Clyde Works, Denison-street, and at Clinton-street, all in Nottingham	Lace Manufacturer	Nottingham... ..	42 of 1896	Feb. 27, 1897 ...	Charles Rogers ...	22, Low-pavement, Nottingham
Jones, Charles	Bicester, Oxfordshire	Baker	Oxford	16 of 1895	Feb. 17, 1897 ...	George Mallam, Official Receiver	1, St. Aldate's Oxford
Pharaoh, Joseph John ...	114, Kingston-road, in the city of Oxford ...	Farmer and Dairyman	Oxford	3 of 1896	Feb. 17, 1897 ...	George Mallam, Official Receiver	1, St. Aldate's, Oxford
Taunt, Henry William ...	9 and 10, Broad-street and 41, High-street, Oxford, and Rivera, Cowley Marsh, Oxfordshire	Artist and Photographer	Oxford	3 of 1895	Feb. 16, 1897 ...	Arthur Edwin Preston	55, Cornmarket-street, Oxford
Heywood, Walter... ..	Collybeer Farm, in the parish of South Tawton, Devonshire	Farmer	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	45 of 1896	Feb. 18, 1897 ...	John Greenway, Official Receiver	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth
Trevaskis, George Marrack	50, Union-street, Plymouth, Devonshire ...	Chemist and Druggist	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	25 of 1884	Feb. 18, 1897 ...	John Greenway, Official Receiver	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Smith, Charles Alfred (trading as C. A. Smith and Son)	92 and 94, Commercial-road, Bournemouth	Cabinet Maker, House Furnisher, and Upholsterer	Poole...	28 of 1896	Feb. 12, 1897	Edward Bicker	Richmond chambers, Bournemouth
Tindal, Henrietta Maria O'Donnell	Belgrave West, Sandown, Isle of Wight, lately residing at Manor Gardens, Henley-on-Thames, Oxfordshire	Widow	Reading	2 of 1896	Feb. 17, 1897	George Mallam, Official Receiver	1, St. Aldate's, Oxford
Jones, Thomas Powell	Lately residing at 6, Brynmill-crescent, Swansea, Glamorganshire, and trading at Heathfield Yard, Swansea aforesaid, and formerly residing at 38, Trafalgar-terrace, Swansea aforesaid, and at Picketmead, in the parish of Oystermouth, Glamorganshire	Builder, Contractor, Timber, Brick, Tile, and Cement Merchant	Swansea	50 of 1896	Feb. 15, 1897	John Francis Harvey	4 and 5, Goat-street, Swansea
Giles, Mary Matilda	17, Priory-road, Kew, Surrey, late of 2, the Green, Richmond, Surrey	Widow	Wandsworth	55 of 1896	Feb. 17, 1897	A. Mackintosh, Official Receiver	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.

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Burrows, Oliver (trading as W. Wilkins and Co.)	Trading at 60, 61, and 62, Banner-street, St. Luke's, and residing at 89, Southgate-road, all in the county of London	Boot and Shoe Manufacturer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	324 of 1896	9½d.	Second and Final	Feb. 10, 1897	Offices of Trustee A. C. Palmer, 7 and 8, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.
Morrill, William ...	3, Cambridge-gardens, North Kensington, in the county of London	Picture Liner ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	767 of 1896	6s. 6d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Wells, Hubert Hedworth Grenville (Separate Estate)	5, Water-lane, in the city of London, and Belvedere, Kent	Merchant, carrying on business with John Radcliffe Croft	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	782 of 1892	3s.	Second	Feb. 3, 1897, and following Wednesday	Offices of Trustee, Walter W. Feast, 6 and 8, Eastcheap, London, E.C.
Cormill, William ...	138, Soho-road, Handsworth, Staffordshire	Confectioner ...	Birmingham	67 of 1896	3s. 8d.	First and Final	Feb. 8, 1897	Whitehall - chambers, 23, Colmore-row, Birmingham
Lawley, William ...	83, Kingston-road, Birmingham, Warwickshire	General Dealer ...	Birmingham	36 of 1895	2s. 8d.	First and Final	Feb. 8, 1897	Whitehall - chambers, 23, Colmore-row, Birmingham
Reynolds, Henry ...	Residing and trading at 30, Denham-road, Sparkhill, Worcestershire	Painter ...	Birmingham	95 of 1896	3s. 6d.	First and Final	Feb. 8, 1897	Whitehall - chambers, 23, Colmore-row, Birmingham
Whitaker, James Henry	Trading at 89, Snow-hill, in the city of Birmingham, and residing at 59, Bolton-road, Handsworth, Staffordshire	Grocer ...	Birmingham	93 of 1895	8½d.	First and Final	Feb. 8, 1897	Whitehall - chambers, 23, Colmore-row, Birmingham
Ireland, Mark, and Ireland, Frank ... (trading together as Ireland Brothers)	5, Market-square, Horsham	Plumbers and Decorators	Brighton	100 of 1895	5s. 3d.	First and Final	Feb. 11, 1897	Office of Official Receiver, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
	8, Worthing-road, Horsham							
Ireland, Mark (Separate Estate)	5, Market-square, Horsham	Plumber and Decorator...	Brighton	100 of 1895	20s.	First and Final	Feb. 11, 1897	Office of Official Receiver, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Stackhouse, William	2, Crowther-street, formerly 89, Westgate, both in Burnley, Lancashire	Milliner and Dressmaker, trading with Emma Elizabeth Stackhouse as Mrs. W. Stackhouse	Burnley	2 of 1896	6d.	First and Final	Feb. 11, 1897	Official Receiver's Office, 14, Chapel-street, Preston
Patterson, Sarah Hannah (trading as Thorp's Paper Hangings, Glass, Oil, and Colour Warehouse)	Trading at 20, Station-road, West Croydon, Surrey, and residing at Inglescote, Clifton-road, Wallington, Surrey	Paper Hanging, Glass, Oil, and Colour Warehouseman, Widow	Croydon	62 of 1892	8d.	Second and Final	Feb. 16, 1897	Offices of Official Receiver, 24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.
Wilmot, Edward Robert	10, Gibbon-street, Bishop Auckland, in the county of Durham, late of 4, Tenter-street, and formerly of Edward-street, both in Bishop Auckland aforesaid	Postman, late Lodging-house Keeper	Durham	15 of 1896	5s. 6d.	First and Final	Feb. 5, 1897	Official Receiver's Office, 25, John-street, Sunderland

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Dicks, William Burton ...	11, St. Margaret's-terrace, St. Leonards-on-Sea	Commission Agent ...	Hastings ...	1 of 1888	2s. 6d.	* Fourth	Feb. 12, 1897	Office of Official Receiver, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Whatman, William James	Dinglesden Farm, Peasmarsh, Sussex ...	Farmer ...	Hastings ...	40 of 1895	8d.	Supplementary	Feb. 15, 1897	Office of Official Receiver, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Bailey, James ...	The Strickland Arms, Sizergh, near Kendal, Westmorland	Innkeeper and Carter ...	Kendal ...	28 of 1896	3s. 2½d.	First and Final	Feb. 10, 1897	Official Receiver's Office, 16, Cornwallis-street, Barrow-in-Furness
Collinson, George Henry	173, Spring-bank, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull	Butcher ...	Kingston-upon-Hull	41 of 1895	9s. 3d.	First and Final	Feb. 12, 1897	Office of Official Receiver, Trinity House-lane, Hull
Booth John William Harrison (trading as John William Booth)	40, Kirkstall-road, in the city of Leeds, living in lodgings at 175, Stanningley-road, Bramley, near Leeds	Boot and Shoe Dealer ...	Leeds ...	93 of 1896	4s. 7½d.	First and Final	Feb. 16, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park-row, Leeds
Fletcher, Joseph...	19, Park-place and Harcourt Mills, West-street, Leeds, Yorkshire, lately residing at 29, Victoria-terrace, and now of 8, Belmont-grove, both in Leeds aforesaid	Cloth Manufacturer ...	Leeds ...	48 of 1894	½d.	Supplementary	Feb. 16, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park-row, Leeds
Rowland, Louis William	36, Albion-street, Leeds ...	Tailor ...	Leeds ...	141 of 1895	1s.	Second	Feb. 22, 1897	53, Albion-street, Leeds
Wilson, John William ...	205, Humberstone-road, Leicester ...	Coal Merchant ...	Leicester ...	73 of 1887	15s. 4d.	First and Final	Feb. 10, 1897	Office of Official Receiver, 1, Berridge-street, Leicester
Edwards, Albert...	Residing at 48, Byron's - lane, Sutton, Macclesfield, Cheshire, and lately trading at the Sheep Market, Leek, Staffordshire	Grocer's Assistant, lately Grocer	Macclesfield...	8 of 1896	1s. 8d.	First and Final	Feb. 8, 1897	Official Receiver's Office, 23, King Edward-street, Macclesfield
Rix, Benjamin William...	Corpusty, Norfolk ...	Farmer ...	Norwich ...	31 of 1896	4s. 5½d.	First and Final	On and after Feb. 8, 1897	Office of H. P. Gould, 8, King-street, Norwich
Green, John ...	Cassington, Oxfordshire ...	Builder and Contractor...	Oxford ...	11 of 1896	5s. 0½d.	First and Final	Feb. 16, 1897	Official Receiver's Office, 1, St. Aldate's, Oxford
Tabor, Josiah ...	Goldings Cottage, Lower Caversham, Oxfordshire	Carman ...	Reading ...	8 of 1896	10½d.	First and Final	Feb. 9, 1897	Official Receiver's Office, 1, St. Aldate's, Oxford
Hill, Luke Marshall ...	Thornton-street and Whitby-street, West Hartlepool, county of Durham	Tailor and Outfitter ...	Sunderland ...	10 of 1885	2s.	Third	Feb. 1, 1897	Official Receiver's Office, 25, John-street, Sunderland
Freethy, William John ...	Treverras, St. Just-in-Roseland, Cornwall...	Farmer ...	Truro ...	34 of 1896	½d.	First and Final	Feb. 8, 1897	Official Receiver's Office, Boscawen-street, Truro
Withers, Samuel Minter	368, York-road, Wandsworth, Surrey ...	Grocer and Cheese-monger	Wandsworth ...	48 of 1896	1s. 11½d.	First and Final	Feb. 16, 1897	Offices of Official Receiver, 24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.

APPLICATIONS FOR DEBTORS' DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Day fixed for Hearing.
Cakebread, James	19, Etchingham-road, Layton-road, Stratford, Essex, lately trading at 10, Theobald's-road, Holborn, Middlesex	Cigar Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1472 of 1895	Feb. 17, 1897, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Dumaresq, John	4, Wellswood-park, Torquay, Devonshire, lately residing at 4, Park-place, St. James's, in the county of London	Gentleman	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	437 of 1896	Feb. 18, 1897, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Evento, Dominic	13, York-mews, South-street, Marylebone, late of the Wallace Head, 4, Blandford-street, Portman-square, W., both in the county of London	Late Licensed Victualler, now out of business	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	820 of 1896	Feb. 18, 1897, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Friend, William Beauchamp (described in the Receiving Order as W. Beauchamp Friend)	11, King William-street, in the city of London ...	Cement Manufacturer's Agent	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	694 of 1896	Feb. 18, 1897, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Hannam, John Buck (trading as Hannam and Co)	25, Soho-square, in the county of London, and Atlas Works, Gainsborough, Lincolnshire, and residing at 36, Marquess-road, Canonbury, in the said county of London	Cardboard and Photographic Mount Manufacturer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	446 of 1896	Feb. 18, 1897, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Solomon, Alfred Michael Henry ...	Lately residing at 48, Hillier-road, Wandsworth Common, London, now residing at 73, Grosvenor-road, Pimlico, London, S.W.	Mercantile Clerk	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1372 of 1896	Feb. 16, 1897, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Wacher, Charles Frederick	25, White's Grounds, Bermondsey, Surrey	Brewer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1031 of 1896	Feb. 16, 1897, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Gibbs, Stephen	Mortimer-street, Herne Bay, Kent, and carrying on business in High-street, Herne Bay	Veterinary Surgeon and Blacksmith ...	Canterbury	14 of 1896	Mar. 1, 1897, 12 noon, Guildhall, Canterbury
Field, William, the younger	Revel End Farm, Redbourn, Hertfordshire...	Farmer	St. Albans	1 of 1895	Mar. 22, 1897, 12 noon, Court-house, St. Albans
Clarke, Walter	88, Glen-road, Abbeydale-road, in the city of Sheffield	Builder	Sheffield	51 of 1894	Mar. 4, 1897, 11 A.M., County Court-hall, Bank-street, Sheffield
Coates, Joseph	Residing at Marton, near Middlesborough, and carrying on business at Marton aforesaid, and at North Ormesby, all in Yorkshire	Contractor	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	34 of 1895	Mar. 23, 1897, 11 A.M., Court-house, Bridge-road, Stockton-on-Tees

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.
Musgrave, Andrew ...	Dark-lane, Batley, Yorkshire, lately trading at the New Inn, Clerk Green, Batley aforesaid	Late Innkeeper, now out of business	Dewsbury ...	60 of 1886	Nov. 18, 1896	Bankrupt's Discharge suspended one week	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
Thomas, David ...	500 and 501, New Cross-road and 38, King-street, Deptford, both in Kent	Picture Frame Maker, Builder and Tobaccoist, and News Agent	Greenwich ...	12 of 1895	Dec. 18, 1896	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 18th December, 1898	Proof of facts mentioned in paragraphs (A.), (B.), (D.), and (F.), sub-sec. 3, sec. 8, Bankruptcy Act, 1890
Gray, John ...	36 and 38, Southgate, Halifax, Yorkshire	Furniture Dealer	Halifax ...	18 of 1884	Jan. 6, 1897 ...	Discharge granted	
Lewis, John ...	Wallis-street, Fishguard, Pembrokeshire	Retired Petty Officer in Her Majesty's Navy	Pembroke Dock	3 of 1891	Jan. 6, 1897 ...	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 6th day of January, 1899	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had contracted debts provable in the bankruptcy without having at the time of contracting the same any reasonable or probable ground of expectation of being able to pay them; and had brought on or contributed to his bankruptcy by unjustifiable extravagance in living
Hannaford, Parnell ...	91, Cambridge-street and 12, Portland-square, both in Plymouth, Devonshire	Forage Dealer	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	18 of 1895	Nov. 11, 1896	Discharge suspended until a Dividend of not less than 2s. in the pound has been paid to the creditors, with liberty to the bankrupt at any time after the expiration of two years from the date of this Order, to apply for a modification thereof, pursuant to section 8 of the Bankruptcy Act, 1890	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; and had contracted debts provable in the bankruptcy without having at the time of contracting such debts any reasonable or probable ground of expectation of being able to pay them

APPOINTMENTS OF TRUSTEES.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Trustee's Name.	Address.	Date of Certificate of Appointment.
Birkin, Richard Noël ...	Lately residing at 98, Addison-road, Middlesex	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1259 of 1896	Leman, Thomas ...	99, Gresham-street, London, E.C.	Jan. 28, 1897
Denny, Sir Robert Arthur ...	11, Malvern-road, Southsea, Hampshire, lately residing at 16, Bryanston-street, Portman-square, in the county of London	Baronet ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	694 of 1892	Marreco, Walter Freire	1, Clement's-inn, London, W.C.	Jan. 20, 1897
Stotter, John ...	Whose present address the Petitioning Creditor was unable to ascertain, but who was lately residing and carrying on business at Higham Hill, Walthamstow, Essex	Brickmaker ... (Proceedings consolidated with those in Thomas Stotter by Order dated 7th January, 1897)	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1341 of 1896	Ward, Robert James William	2, Clement's-inn, London, W.C.	Jan. 29, 1897
Wells, William ...	17, Crouch-hill, Finsbury-park, Middlesex	Builder ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1459 of 1896	Ward, Robert James	2, Clement's-inn, London, W.C.	Jan. 27, 1897
Branton, C. Francis ...	Bowman's Lodge, Ifield Wood, Crawley, Sussex	Of no known occupation ...	Brighton ...	94 of 1896	Norton, Benjamin Thomas	9, Old Jewry-chambers, London, E.C., Chartered Accountant	Jan. 30, 1897
Walker, Maurice (trading as Walker and Co.)	89, St. Sepulchre-gate and 174, Bentinck-street, both in Doncaster, Yorkshire	Wholesale Confectioner ...	Sheffield ...	49 of 1896	Littlewood, Frank John	Priory-place, Doncaster, Accountant	Jan. 29, 1897
Morris, Sarah Lees ...	Great Bridge, Staffordshire, and trading at Great Bridge aforesaid	Grocer, Wife of Henry Morris, of the same address, Debtor's Manager, Married Woman, possessed of separate estate	West Bromwich ...	15 of 1896	Brown, James William Bray and Graff, Hans ...	Corporation-street, Birmingham, Incorporated Accountant Castle-street, Birmingham, Provision Merchant	Jan. 29, 1897

NOTICES OF RELEASE OF TRUSTEES.

Debtor's Name.	Debtor's Address.	Debtor's Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Trustee's Name.	Trustee's Address.	Trustee's Description.	Date of Release.
Barnard, William ...	49, Great Portland-street, Middlesex	Cheesemonger and Poulterer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1024 of 1895	George Wreford ...	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Late Senior Official Receiver	Jan. 11, 1897
Denman, William ...	26, Ashmore-road, St. Peter's Park, Middlesex, late of 85, Steele-road, Willesden, Middlesex	Carpenter ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	249 of 1895	George Wreford ...	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Late Senior Official Receiver	Jan. 12, 1897
Fitt, F. W. ...	25, Well-street, Camberwell, in the county of London	Grocer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	201 of 1895	Harold Brougham ...	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1897
James, William John (lately carrying on business as Bowen, Sons, and Co.)	5, Hawbridge-road, Bulwer-road, Leytonstone, Essex, lately carrying on business at Balfour-terrace, High-road, Leytonstone, Essex	Coal Owner and Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1042 of 1895	Harold Brougham ...	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1897
Medlock, Charles ...	29, New-street, Dorset-square, in the county of London, lately residing at 120, West End-lane, West Hampstead, Middlesex	Watchmaker and Jeweller	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1496 of 1894	Edwin Leadam Hough	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Senior Official Receiver	Jan. 12, 1897
Parker, William ...	25, Jewin-crescent, in the city of London, and 22, Broomsleigh-street, West Hampstead, Middlesex	Importer of Buttons, Trimmings, &c.	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1282 of 1895	Edwin Leadam Hough	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Senior Official Receiver	Jan. 12, 1897
Perry, Frederick ...	9, Clifton-place, Hyde Park, in the county of London, carrying on business at 37, Old Jewry, in the city of London	Railway Contractor ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1478 of 1894	Edwin Leadam Hough	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Senior Official Receiver	Jan. 12, 1897
Rathbun, Charles ...	7, Wimpole-street, in the county of London	Dentist ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	64 of 1895	Edwin Leadam Hough	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Senior Official Receiver	Jan. 12, 1897
Roberts, Joseph ...	102, High-street, Shoreditch, London	Draper ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1068 of 1895	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1897
Sainsbury, Edward (Deceased)	Lately residing at 18, Offord-street, Barnsbury, and lately trading at 13, Dean-street, Soho, Middlesex	Lately Lamp Dealer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	902 of 1894	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1897
Stevenson, Charles...	The Derby Stores, 165, Hoxton-street, Hoxton, in the county of London	Retailer of Wines, Spirits and Malt Liquors	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	182 of 1895	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1897

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Debtor's Name.	Debtor's Address.	Debtor's Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Trustee's Name.	Trustee's Address.	Trustee's Description.	Date of Release.
Noble, John Handforth ...	Smallshaw, Ashton-under-Lyne, Lancashire, and carrying on business at 172, Union-street, Oldham, Lancashire	Fire Loss Assessor ...	Ashton-under-Lyne and Stalybridge	5 of 1896	Christopher Jenkins Dibb	Ogden's - chambers, Bridge-street, Manchester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1897
Wainwright, Albert ...	Prospect, Thurlstone, Yorkshire ...	Builder and Contractor	Barnsley ...	2 of 1896	John Bickersteth Otley	6, Bond-terrace, Wakefield	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 16, 1897
Ffoulkes, Sarah Sophia ...	Hillside, Harborne, in the city of Birmingham	Boarding School Proprietress	Birmingham	17 of 1896	Luke Jesson Sharp...	23, Colmore-row, Birmingham	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1897
Watson, Henry Edward ...	104, Coleshill-street, in the city of Birmingham	Fancy Draper ...	Birmingham	76 of 1891	Luke Jesson Sharp...	23, Colmore-row, Birmingham	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1897
Yoxall, Peter ...	Lately of 24, Conybere-street, Birmingham, Warwickshire, now residing at 54, Bracebridge-street, Birmingham aforesaid	Out of Business, formerly Grocer and Provision Dealer	Birmingham	70 of 1895	Luke Jesson Sharp...	23, Colmore-row, Birmingham	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1897
Entwistle, James ...	105, Mosley-street, Higher Audley, Blackburn, Lancashire	Blacksmith ...	Blackburn ...	21 of 1895	Thomas Edelston ...	14, Chapel-street, Preston	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 16, 1897
Johnston, James ... (Deceased)	Late of Temple-court, Church-street, Blackburn, and lately residing at Alum-Scar, Pleasington, both in Lancashire	Tea Merchant ...	Blackburn ...	27 of 1891	Thomas Edelston ...	14, Chapel-street, Preston	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1897
Wild, John William ...	Residing at 31, Billinge-street, Blackburn, Lancashire, and trading at 12, Copy Nook, Blackburn aforesaid, and lately also residing at 12, Copy Nook aforesaid	Glass and China Dealer	Blackburn ...	27 of 1895	Thomas Edelston ...	14, Chapel-street, Preston	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 16, 1897
Dawson, George Henry ...	Hogsthorpe, Lincolnshire...	Innkeeper ...	Boston ...	7 of 1896	Richard John Ward	31, Silver-street, Lincoln	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 16, 1897
Carey, John Francis ...	Formerly residing at 40, St. Nicholas-terrace, and at St. Nicholas Brickworks, both in the city of York, now at 8, Ferrand-road, Shipley, Yorkshire	Joiner ...	Bradford ...	31 of 1896	J. Arthur Binns ...	31, Manor-row, Bradford	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1897
Isenberg, Adolph (trading as Ad. Isenberg and Co.)	Residing at 2, Devonshire-terrace, Manningham, Bradford, Yorkshire, and trading at 52A, Godwin-street, Bradford aforesaid	Fancy Goods Dealer ...	Bradford ...	87 of 1895	J. Arthur Binns ...	31, Manor-row, Bradford	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1897

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Phillips, Henry	Prospect House, Angmering, Sussex	Saddler...	Brighton	94 of 1894	Howard W. Cox	4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton	Official Receiver	Jan. 14, 1897
Posno, Joseph Maurice	38, Denmark-villas, Hove, formerly of 38, Regency-square, Brighton, Sussex	Gentleman	Brighton	15 of 1895	Howard W. Cox	4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton	Official Receiver	Jan. 9, 1897
Stone, James	High-street and Station-road, both in Worthing, Sussex	Coal Merchant	Brighton	74 of 1895	Howard W. Cox	4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton	Official Receiver	Jan. 13, 1897
Jowett, William Duckworth	Now 12, Cannon-street, formerly 20, Croft-street, then 7 and 9, Cannon-street, and afterwards of the Water-street Tavern, 27, Water-street, all in Burnley, Lancashire	Furniture Broker, formerly Beerhouse Keeper, Furniture Broker, and Lodging-house Keeper	Burnley	12 of 1892	Thomas Edelston	14, Chapel-street, Preston	Official Receiver	Dec. 12, 1896
Lord, Samuel	5, Curzon-street and 1, Croft-street, both in Burnley, Lancashire	Jeweller	Burnley	2 of 1894	Thomas Edelston	14, Chapel-street, Preston	Official Receiver	Jan. 12, 1897
Peacock, John Bell	Leeds-road and Castle-street, both in Nelson, Lancashire	Hairdresser and Tobaccoist	Burnley	33 of 1891	Thomas Edelston	14, Chapel-street, Preston	Official Receiver	Jan. 16, 1897
Taylor, Judith Ann	80, Manchester-road and 2, Scotland-road, both in Nelson, Lancashire	Fishmonger and Greengrocer	Burnley	17 of 1895	Thomas Edelston	14, Chapel-street, Preston	Official Receiver	Jan. 9, 1897
Basford, John Henry Havelock	41, Union-street and 23, Station-street, both in Burton-on-Trent, Staffordshire	Clothier and Outfitter	Burton-on-Trent	16 of 1895	John Smith	40, St. Mary's-gate, Derby	Official Receiver	Jan. 15, 1897
Spencer, Harry	8, New-street, Burton-on-Trent, Staffordshire	Tailor and Clothier	Burton-on-Trent	1 of 1896	John Smith	40, St. Mary's-gate, Derby	Official Receiver	Jan. 15, 1897
Mumford, William	Exning, Newmarket, Suffolk	Horse Trainer	Cambridge	25 of 1895	Ernest William Joseph Savill	5, Petty-cury, Cambridge	Official Receiver	Dec. 17, 1896
Francis, Arthur	41, Chelsham-road and the Rail View Yard, Selsdon-road, both in Croydon, Surrey	Wood Broker	Croydon	5 of 1896	A. Mackintosh	24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Official Receiver	Jan. 13, 1897
Batham, Thomas	84, St. Thomas-street, Netherton, Worcestershire	Charter Master	Dudley	9 of 1896	Edward Percy Jobson	Dudley	Official Receiver	Jan. 14, 1897
Beedle, Harry	11, Sheepwash-lane, Tipton, Staffordshire	Painter and Paper-hanger	Dudley	2 of 1896	Edward Percy Jobson	Dudley	Official Receiver	Jan. 12, 1897

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Bilton, John...	Lords-lane, Barrow-on-Humber, Lincolnshire	Master Bricklayer	Great Grimsby	20 of 1896	Arthur Stewart Maples	Trinity House-lane, Hull	Official Receiver	Jan. 19, 1897
Kyre, Enoch...	Formerly of Cabourne, now of 66, Oxford-street, Great Grimsby	Formerly Farmer, now of no occupation	Great Grimsby	19 of 1896	Arthur Stewart Maples	Trinity House-lane, Hull	Official Receiver	Jan. 19, 1897
Walker, Frederick ...	22, Chapel-street, Scunthorpe, formerly of 13, Abbey-road, Great Grimsby, Lincolnshire	Builder...	Great Grimsby	10 of 1896	Arthur Stewart Maples	Trinity House-lane, Hull	Official Receiver	Jan. 19, 1897
Davis, William John	Lately 92, Haward-street, now 50, Haward-street, Lowestoft, Suffolk	Smackowner	Great Yarmouth	1 of 1895	H. P. Gould...	8, King-street, Norwich	Official Receiver	Jan. 16, 1897
Barlow, Samuel John	9, Royal-parade, Blackheath, Kent	Trunk Maker and Commercial Traveller	Greenwich	21 of 1894	A. Mackintosh	24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Official Receiver	Jan. 14, 1897
Nixon, Henry Cotter	284, New Cross-road, Kent, lately residing at 6, Shornden-villas, St. Leonards-on-Sea, Sussex	Professor of Music	Greenwich	11 of 1896	A. Mackintosh	24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Official Receiver	Jan. 9, 1897
Sampson, Frederick John, Hodge	Glenalmond, Burghill-road, Sydenham, Kent	Gentleman	Greenwich	20 of 1895	A. Mackintosh	24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Official Receiver	Jan. 14, 1897
Field, Henry	Woodstock Villa, Ash Vale, Surrey, lately residing at Lynchford-road, Farnborough, Hampshire	Baker, Pastry Cook, and Confectioner	Guildford and Godalming	6 of 1896	A. Mackintosh	24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Official Receiver	Jan. 9, 1897
Lutman, Albert Edward	High-street, Frimley, Surrey	Butcher's Assistant	Guildford and Godalming	8 of 1896	A. Mackintosh	24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Official Receiver	Jan. 9, 1897
Thorpe, Henry	Cranleigh, Surrey	Formerly Postmaster and Miller, at present out of employment	Guildford and Godalming	3 of 1896	A. Mackintosh	24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Official Receiver	Jan. 9, 1897
Hartaup, Thomas, the younger	Staplecross, Ewhurst, Sussex	Butcher	Hastings	29 of 1895	Howard W. Cox	4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton	Official Receiver	Jan. 9, 1897
Huggett, Albert (trading as A. Huggett and Coy.)	Hope Cottage, Windsor-road, Bexhill-on-Sea, Sussex	Plumber	Hastings	17 of 1894	Howard W. Cox	4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton	Official Receiver	Jan. 13, 1897
Hukins, John	High Halden, Kent	Farmer and Coal Merchant	Hastings	89 of 1894	Howard W. Cox	4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton	Official Receiver	Jan. 9, 1897
McLaren, Charles W.	Now or late of 8, Grand-parade, St. Leonards-on-Sea, Sussex	Greengrocer	Hastings	33 of 1893	Howard W. Cox	4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton	Official Receiver	Jan. 9, 1897

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Tristram, John ...	Widemarsh-street and West-street, Hereford	Builder ...	Hereford ...	12 of 1893	M. J. G. Scobie ...	2, Offa-street, Hereford...	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 15, 1897
Brown, Ethelbert Ellis ...	Walkington, near Beverley, in the East Riding of Yorkshire	Butcher ...	Kingston-upon-Hull	15 of 1892	Arthur Stewart Maples	Trinity House-lane, Hull	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 19, 1897
Coupland, John Lacy ...	Hull-road, Hessle, in the East Riding of Yorkshire	Florist ...	Kingston-upon-Hull	24 of 1896	Arthur Stewart Maples	Trinity House-lane, Hull	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 19, 1897
Jackson, Harry ...	Trading at Anlaby-road, and residing at 61, Charles-street, both in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull	Furniture Dealer ...	Kingston-upon-Hull	34 of 1895	Arthur Stewart Maples	Trinity House-lane, Hull	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 19, 1897
Parrish, George Herbert ...	Formerly of 38 Goodwin-street and 81 Campbell-street, now of 9 Hudson-street, all in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull	Cabinet Maker ...	Kingston-upon-Hull	10 of 1896	Arthur Stewart Maples	Trinity House-lane, Hull	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 19, 1897
Jones, William Augustus ...	22, New-road, Kidderminster, Worcestershire	Cabdriver ...	Kidderminster ...	2 of 1896	Edward Percy Jobson	Dudley ...	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1897
Frost, Thomas William ...	14, Chatham-street, Leicester ...	Baker ...	Leicester ...	28 of 1895	J. G. Burgess ...	1, Berridge - street, Leicester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 15, 1897
Medd, Thomas ...	13, the Strait, in the city of Lincoln, previously residing at 40, Newport, and trading at Staunton-street, both in the city of Lincoln	Baker and Confectioner, formerly Baker	Lincoln ...	18 of 1896	Richard John Ward	31, Silver-street, Lincoln	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 16, 1897
Saxby, John James ...	2, Vine-street, Lincoln, formerly residing at Irthlingborough, Northampton	Late Carpenter, now out of business	Lincoln ...	21 of 1896	Richard John Ward	31, Silver-street, Lincoln	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 16, 1897
Wilkinson, Thomas ...	Late of 8, Trollope - street, Lincoln, now of Brattleby, Lincolnshire	Late Journeyman Joiner, now Joiner, Wheelwright, and Builder	Lincoln ...	17 of 1896	Richard John Ward	31, Silver-street, Lincoln	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 16, 1897
Ford, Horace ...	Laddingford, near Yalding, Kent	Wheelwright ...	Maidstone ...	6 of 1896	R. T. Tatham ...	9, King-street, Maidstone	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1897
Wiffen, John ...	Ridden Farm, Lenham, Kent ...	Farmer ...	Maidstone ...	8 of 1894	R. T. Tatham ...	9, King-street, Maidstone	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1897

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Peel, Harold S. ...	Grand Hotel, Manchester, Lancashire	Manchester ...	32 of 1896	Christopher Jenkins Dobb	Ogden's - chambers, Bridge - street, Manchester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1897
Miller, Alfred ...	135, High-street, Ryde, Isle of Wight	Tailor	Newport and Ryde...	23 of 1895	Harry Castell Damant	19, Quay-street, Newport, Isle of Wight	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 16, 1897
Bigham, Henry ...	Middle-street, Chepstow, Monmouthshire	Baker and Grocer ...	Newport, Mon. ...	35 of 1895	George Henry Llewellyn	Gloucester Bank - chambers, Newport, Mon.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1897
Bolt, Henry Pearce ...	41, Lewis-street, Newport, Monmouthshire, and of 103, Lewis-street, Newport aforesaid	Grocer and Baker ...	Newport, Mon. ...	32 of 1896	George Henry Llewellyn	Gloucester Bank - chambers, Newport, Mon.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1897
Bowcott, William ...	Bagot House, in the town and county of Monmouth, lately residing at Upper House, in the town and county of Monmouth	Horse Dealer	Newport, Mon. ...	26 of 1896	George Henry Llewellyn	Gloucester Bank - chambers, Newport, Mon.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1897
Beck, George ...	Yafforth Grange, near Northallerton, North Riding of Yorkshire	Farmer	Northallerton ...	18 of 1895	John Richard Stubbs	8, Albert-road, Middlesborough	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1897
Holmes, William ...	Sandhutton, near Thirsk, Yorkshire	Joiner	Northallerton ...	7 of 1896	John Richard Stubbs	8, Albert-road, Middlesborough	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1897
Stansfield, Walter Charles Trevelyan	Northallerton, Yorkshire ...	Fruiterer, Greengrocer, and Game Dealer	Northallerton ...	9 of 1896	John Richard Stubbs	8, Albert-road, Middlesborough	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1897
Gilden, Frederick ...	The Royal Oak Inn, Mileham, Norfolk	Innkeeper and Horse Trainer	Norwich	7 of 1896	H. P. Gould	8, King-street, Norwich...	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 16, 1897
<i>The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 29th January, 1897.</i>								
Smith, Charles Francis Edward	102, Victoria-road, Scarborough, Yorkshire	Butcher	Scarborough ...	19 of 1895	William Drawbridge	74, Newborough-street, Scarborough	Official Receiver ...	Dec. 30, 1896

ADMINISTRATION ORDER IN THE CASE OF DECEASED DEBTOR.

Name of Deceased.	Late Address.	Late Description.	Date of Death.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Order.	Date of Filing Petition or Application for Transfer.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy, if any, committed by Deceased within three months before the date of his Decease.	Whether Will or other Testamentary Disposition (with date thereof), or Letters of Administration.	Date when proved or granted.
Gardner, George ...	High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire	Grocer and Provision Merchant	Nov. 21, 1896	Aylesbury ...	1 of 1897	Jan. 29, 1897	Jan. 18, 1897 ... (Petition filed)	No act of Bankruptcy. Estate insolvent	Will and Codicil	Jan. 15, 1897

Pursuant to the Acts and Rules, notices to the above effect have been received by the Board of Trade.

JOHN SMITH, Inspector-General in Bankruptcy.

**THE COMPANIES ACTS, 1862 to 1890.
WINDING-UP ORDER.**

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Order.	Date of Presentation of Petition.
The West Australian (Gold District) Trading Corporation Limited	28, Basinghall-street, London, E.C.	High Court of Justice ...	00279 of 1896	Jan. 25, 1897 ...	Dec. 14, 1896

NOTICE OF DIVIDEND.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or Otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
The Pwllheli Gas Company	Talafon, Pwllheli, Carnarvonshire	Portmadoc and Blaenau Festiniog	2 of 1896	20s.	First and Final	Feb. 9, 1897	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate-row, Chester

Pursuant to the Companies (Winding-up) Act, 1890, and the Rules thereunder, notices to the above effect have been received by the Board of Trade.

JOHN SMITH, Inspector-General in Companies Liquidation.

The Bankruptcy Acts, 1883 and 1890.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Preston.

In Bankruptcy. No. 10 of 1887.

Re Hugh Grogan, of Church-road, St. Anne's-on-the-Sea, and 3, the Grove, Acomb-street, Chorlton-upon-Medlock, Manchester, both in Lancashire, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an Order was, on the 25th day of January, 1897, made by the Board of Trade, under the powers conferred upon them by the Bankruptcy Acts, 1883 and 1890, removing William Wheelton, of 211, Chester-gate, Stockport, from the office of Trustee of the property of the said Hugh Grogan a bankrupt.—Dated this 25th day of January, 1897.

By the Board of Trade,
JOHN SMITH Inspector-General in Bankruptcy.

THE estates of John Hamilton, Oldhall, Murray Dunlop were sequestrated on 29th January 1897 by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the 18th day of January 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon on Friday the 5th day of February 1897 within the Faculty Hall, St. George's-place Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting and to entitle creditors to the first dividend their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 29th day of May 1897.

This sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the county of Lanark.

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

R. HANDYSIDE Law Agent,
4A St. Andrew-square Edinburgh Agent.

THE estates of Samuel Rosenbloom Jeweller, No. 72 South Clerk-street Edinburgh were sequestrated on the 27th day of January 1897 by the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

The first deliverance is dated 27th January 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon on Friday the fifth day of February 1897 within Lyon and Turnbull's Rooms No. 51 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 27th day of May, 1897.

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

ROB. JOHN CALVER S.S.C. Agent,
30 Castle-street Edinburgh
29th January 1897.

THE estates of James Bertram, Joiner and Carpenter, Abbey-street, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on 27th January 1897 by the Sheriff of the Sheriffdom of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

The first deliverance is dated the 27th January 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon on Friday the fifth day of February 1897 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 27th day of May 1897.

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

WALLACE and PENNELL W.S., Leith, Agents.

THE estates of Hyman Verner Bootmaker 46 South-street Perth were sequestrated on the 30th day of January 1897 by the Sheriff of the county of Perth.

The first deliverance is dated the 30th day of January 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon on Wednesday the 10th day of February 1897 within the Solicitors' Library County-buildings Perth.

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 30th day of May 1897.

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

ALEX. STEWART Solicitor
31 George-street Perth Agent.

THE estates of Robert Craig lately Farmer Airfield Cousland near Dalkeith and now carrying on business as a Dairyman at Hercus Loan Musselburgh were sequestrated on the twenty-ninth day of January eighteen hundred and ninety-seven by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the twenty-ninth day of January eighteen hundred and ninety-seven.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon on Tuesday the ninth day of February eighteen hundred and ninety-seven within Lyon and Turnbull's Rooms fifty one 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 thirtieth day of March eighteen hundred and ninety-seven.

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THOMAS HANTON Solicitor, Agent,
White Hart-street Dalkeith.

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