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*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,  
February 15, 1897.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that Her Royal Highness The Princess of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold a Drawing Room at Buckingham Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Thursday, the 4th March next, at three o'clock.

## REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S DRAWING ROOM.

*By Her Majesty's Command,*

The Ladies who propose to attend Her Majesty's Drawing Room are requested to bring with them to the Drawing Room two large cards, with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with The Queen's Page in Attendance, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to the Queen.

## PRESENTATIONS.

The privilege of making presentations to The Queen at a Drawing Room is restricted to those Ladies who have themselves been previously presented to Her Majesty, and who are themselves present at the Drawing Room.

Under such circumstances a Lady has the privilege of presenting one Lady only at a Drawing Room in addition to her Daughters or Daughters-in-law.

This restriction does not apply to Ladies who, from official position or other circumstances, are specially privileged to make presentations to Her Majesty.

The Lady who proposes to present another must send in writing the name of such Lady to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, not later than *two days* previous to the Drawing Room, in order that the Lord Chamberlain may submit the name to Her Majesty, when, if it be approved, presentation cards will be forwarded.

Printed forms for this purpose can be obtained at the Lord Chamberlain's Office.

It is particularly requested that the names of the Lady to be presented be *very distinctly written* on the presentation cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain at the Drawing Room, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to The Queen.

The number of Presentations is limited to 200.

It is not expected that Gentlemen will present themselves at the Drawing Room, except in attendance on the Ladies of their families.

Any Gentleman who under these circumstances should desire to be presented to The Queen will observe the same regulations as are in force for Her Majesty's Levees.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at two o'clock.

LATHOM,

Lord Chamberlain.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,  
February 15, 1897.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Duke of Connaught and Strathearn will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Monday, the 15th March next, at two o'clock.

NOTICE is hereby also given, that His Royal Highness the Duke of York will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Tuesday, the 30th March next, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to Their Royal Highnesses at these Levees shall be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her Majesty.

## REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEVEES 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 Levees 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.

**A**T the Court at *Windsor*, the 26th day of *February*, 1897.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**T**HIS day the Right Honourable William Frederick, Earl Waldegrave, was by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and his Lordship took his place at the Board accordingly.

**A**T the Court at *Windsor*, the 26th day of *February*, 1897.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**T**HIS day the Right Reverend Mandell, Lord Bishop of London, was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

**A**T the Court at *Windsor*, the 26th day of *February*, 1897.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

SHERIFFS appointed by Her Majesty in Council for the year 1897.

ENGLAND

(except Cornwall and Lancashire).

<i>Bedfordshire</i> ,	George James Gribble, of Henlow Grange, Biggleswade, Esq.
<i>Berkshire</i> ,	Henry Gold, of Hedsor, Maidenhead, Esq.
<i>Buckinghamshire</i> ,	Major Alexander Finlay, of Manor House, Little Brickhill
<i>Cambridgeshire</i> } <i>and</i> } <i>Huntingdonshire</i> ,	Ernest Terah Hooley, of Papworth Hall, Esq.
<i>Cheshire</i> ,	William Henry Verdin, of Darnhall Hall, Winsford, Esq.
<i>Cumberland</i> ,	Colonel Thomas Angelo Irwin, of Lynehow, Carlisle
<i>Derbyshire</i> ,	Michael McCreagh Thornhill, of Stanton Hall, Bakewell, Esq.
<i>Devonshire</i> ,	Robert Harvey, of Dundridge, Totnes, Esq.
<i>Dorsetshire</i> ,	Sir Henry Peto, of Chedington Court, Crewkerne, Somerset, Bart.
<i>Durham</i> ,	Colonel Lancelot Allgood Gregson, of Burdon, Sunderland.

<i>Essex</i> ,	Edward Murray Ind, of Coombe Lodge, Great Warley, Esq.
<i>Gloucestershire</i> ,	James Dugdale, of Sezincote House, Moreton-in-Marsh, Esq.
<i>Herefordshire</i> ,	Captain John Geers Cotterell, of Garnons, Hereford.
<i>Hertfordshire</i> ,	John Henry Buxton, of Hunsdon Bury, Ware, Esq.
<i>Kent</i> ,	Richard Coombe Miller, of Oakfield, Dartford, Esq.
<i>Leicestershire</i> ,	Edward Handley Warner, of Quorn Hall, Loughborough, Esq.
<i>Lincolnshire</i> ,	Thomas Cheney Garfit, of Kenwick Hall, Legbourne, near Louth, Esq.
<i>County of London</i> ,	Henry James Lubbock, of 15, Lombard-street, Esq.
<i>Middlesex</i> ,	Lieutenant Colonel Bernard Tindal Bosanquet, of Fairholme, Teddington.
<i>Monmouthshire</i> ,	Charles Montague Crompton-Roberts, of Drybridge, Monmouth, Esq.
<i>Norfolk</i> ,	Major George Nathaniel Micklethwait, of Taverham Hall.
<i>Northamptonshire</i> ,	Pickering Phipps, of Rushton Hall, Kettering, Esq.
<i>Northumberland</i> ,	Sir John Walter Buchanan Riddell, of Hepple, Rothbury, Bart.
<i>Nottinghamshire</i> ,	Philo Laos Mills, of Rodington, Esq.
<i>Oxfordshire</i> ,	Aubrey Harcourt, of Nuneham Park, Esq.
<i>Rutland</i> ,	Henry Clarke Jervoise, of Langham, Esq.
<i>Shropshire</i> ,	John Baddeley Wood, of Henley Hall, Ludlow, Esq.
<i>Somersetshire</i> ,	Henry Martin Gibbs, of Barrow Court, Barrow Gurney, Bristol, Esq.
<i>County of Southampton</i> ,	Godfrey Baring, of Nubia House, West Cowes, Isle of Wight, Esq.
<i>Staffordshire</i> ,	William Bealey Harrison, of Aldershaw, Lichfield, Esq.
<i>Suffolk</i> ,	Edward Walter Greene, of Nether Hall, Pakenham, Esq.
<i>Surrey</i> ,	William Keswick, of Eastwick Park, Great Bookham, near Leatherhead, Esq.
<i>Sussex</i> ,	William Dodge James, of West Dean Park, Chichester, Esq.
<i>Warwickshire</i> ,	Howard Proctor Ryland, of Moxhull Hall, Erdington, Esq.
<i>Westmorland</i> ,	William Smith Paget-Tomlinson, of The Biggins, Kirkby Lonsdale, Esq.
<i>Wiltshire</i> ,	John Evelyn Gladstone, of Rowden Park, Chippenham, Esq.

*Worcestershire*, Admiral Richard Frederick Britten, of Kenswick, Worcester.

*Yorkshire*, James Anson Farrer, of Ingleborough, Clapham, Lancaster, Esq.

## WALES.

## NORTH AND SOUTH.

*Anglesey*, William Thomas, of Tregarneidd, Llangefni, Esq.

*Breconshire*, Stuart Williams Morgan, of Bolgoed, near Brecon, Esq.

*Cardiganshire*, Colonel William Price Lewes, of Llysnewydd, Llandysil.

*Carmarthenshire*, William Joseph Buckley, of Penyfai, Llanelly, Esq.

*Carnarvonshire*, Lloyd Warren George Hughes, of Coedhelen, Carnarvon, Esq.

*Denbighshire*, Thomas Williams, of Llewesog, Denbigh, Esq.

*Flintshire*, James Liebig Muspratt, of Bron Haul, Rhyl, Esq.

*Glamorganshire*, Godfrey Lewis Clark, of Talygarn, Pontyclun, Esq.

*Merionethshire*, Edward Owen Vaughan Lloyd, of Rhagatt, near Corwen, Esq.

*Montgomeryshire*, John Lomax, of Bodfach, Esq.

*Pembrokeshire*, Clement John Williams, of Penally, Esq.

*Radnorshire*, Walter de Winton, of Maesllwch Castle, Glasbury, Esq.

*Duchy of Lancaster*, February 26, 1897.

THE Queen has been this day pleased to appoint Samuel Radcliffe Platt, Esq., of Werneth Park, Oldham, to be Sheriff of the County Palatine of Lancaster for the year ensuing.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 26th day of *February*, 1897.

## PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord President.

Lord Balfour of Burleigh.

Lord James of Hereford.

WHEREAS by the twentieth section of "The Finance Act, 1894," it is enacted that Her Majesty the Queen may, by Order in Council, apply that section to any British Possession, where Her Majesty is satisfied that, by the law of such possession, no duty is leviable in respect of property situate in the United Kingdom when passing on death.

And whereas Her Majesty is satisfied that by the law of the Province of New Brunswick, in the Dominion of Canada, no duty is leviable in respect of property situate in the United Kingdom when passing on death.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the power by the aforesaid Act in Her Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the twentieth section of "The Finance Act, 1894," shall apply to the aforesaid Province of New Brunswick, in the Dominion of Canada.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 26th day of *February*, 1897.

## PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IN pursuance of the Spring Assizes Act, 1879, Her Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Most Honourable Privy Council, to order as follows:—

1. The Northern and Salford Divisions (as defined by the Order in Council of the 4th day of May, 1864) of the County of Lancaster shall, for the purpose of the next Spring Assizes, be united together under the name of the Spring Assize County, No. 2.

2. The said Spring Assizes for the said Spring Assize County shall be held at Manchester.

3. The Court at the said Spring Assizes at Manchester shall have jurisdiction to try any prisoner committed in the said Spring Assize County who may be brought before it, and shall have the same powers with respect to the trial of and passing sentence upon such prisoner as a Court of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol Delivery would have had at the Assizes in the county where, but for the said Spring Assizes Act, 1879, such prisoner would have been tried.

The provision of Section three of the Spring Assizes Act, 1879, shall apply to the execution of any capital sentence passed at such Assizes as herein mentioned; provided that the expression in the said section "the Sheriff of the county for which such Assizes were held" shall mean the Sheriff of the county in which the prisoner so sentenced would have been tried if the Spring Assizes Act, 1879, had not been passed.

4. The Sheriff of the County of Lancaster shall act for the purpose of the said Spring Assizes for the said Spring Assize County.

5. The precepts of the Judges to the said Sheriff shall direct him to summon the Grand Jurors and Petty Jurors from the County of Lancaster.

6. The Gaol Delivery precept of the Judges to the said Sheriff shall direct him to cause the prisoners from all the prisons in the said Spring Assize County who under the provisions of this Order will have to be tried at Manchester, to be brought there, and the Sheriff shall cause such prisoners to be brought accordingly without any Writ of Habeas Corpus.

7. All Justices of the Peace, Mayors, Coroners, Escheators, Stewards, Bailiffs, Gaolers, Constables, Officers, and persons having authority and being under an obligation to attend the Assizes for either Division comprised in the said Spring Assize County, or to certify, transmit, or deliver to the Court of Assize, or the proper officer thereof, any indictment, inquisition, recognizance, examination, deposition, or document, shall have the same authority, and be under the same obligation to attend at the said Spring Assizes held for the said Spring Assize County, and to certify, transmit, or deliver to the Court of Assize, or the proper officer thereof, such indictment, inquisition, recognizance, examination, deposition, or document.

8. In all indictments and presentments at the said Spring Assizes the venue laid in the margin thereof shall, in addition to the name of the county where the offence is charged to have been committed, contain the words "Spring Assize County, No. 2."

9. Any person who after the date of this Order and before the said Spring Assizes, enters into a recognizance to appear and prosecute, or give evidence, or to appear and answer before a Court

of Oyer and Terminer or General Gaol Delivery, to be holden for either of the Divisions constituting the said Spring Assize County, shall be bound to attend at the said Spring Assizes for the said Spring Assize County.

10. In all cases in which the like recognizances have been entered into in respect of any offence committed in either of the Divisions constituting the said Spring Assize County prior to the making of this Order, such recognizances shall be deemed to have been entered into for attendance at the said Spring Assizes for the said Spring Assize County, and every person bound by such recognizance shall be bound to appear at such last-mentioned Spring Assizes or forfeit his recognizance.

11. Ten days before the day fixed for the opening of the Commission at Manchester, a list of the prisoners to be removed for trial at the said Spring Assizes for the said Spring Assize County, so far as the same list can then be made out, shall, together with a short statement of the offences with which they are charged, be transmitted by the Gaoler of each prison in which such prisoners may be, to the Sheriff of the County of Lancaster, and the said Sheriff shall cause to be inserted in one or more newspapers in the Spring Assize County the said list and statement, and a notice that the persons bound by recognizances to appear and prosecute or give evidence for or against the prisoners so removed shall appear and prosecute and give evidence at Manchester.

12. It shall be lawful for the Gaoler of the Gaol in which prisoners who are to take their trial at the said Spring Assizes for the said Spring Assize County shall be in custody, three days before the day upon which the said Spring Assizes for the said Spring Assize County are appointed to be held, to send, without any Writ of Habeas Corpus, such prisoners to Her Majesty's Gaol at Strangeways, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for the purposes of their trial, and to take all proper steps for their transmission to the said Gaol, and their maintenance by the way, and the Gaoler of the said Gaol shall receive such prisoners into his charge and custody on their arrival, and shall keep and maintain them in the said Gaol until they are either ordered to be discharged or remanded by proper authority, or until they shall have been tried and sentenced, and proper arrangements have been made for their being sent back to the prison from which they were sent for trial, or sent to any other prison which has been duly appointed as an alternative for such prison. If, however, the said Gaol has itself been duly appointed as an alternative prison for the prison from which such prisoners were sent to trial, the Governor of the said Gaol shall, subject to the orders of the Secretary of State, keep and maintain in the said Gaol such prisoners after sentence, until they are discharged in due course of law.

13. The Clerk of Assize at the said Spring Assizes for the said Spring Assize County, shall have all powers of taxation of Bills of Costs, expenses of prosecution and witnesses, and all other powers necessary for checking and paying such costs relating to the trial of prisoners that the Clerk of Assize in the county where such prisoners were committed would have had if such prisoner had been tried at the Assizes held in such last-mentioned county.

Where any person is committed for trial, or is bound by any recognizance to appear and answer, in the said Spring Assize County, any Judge of the High Court of Justice, or the committing Justice or Justices, or any two of the Justices of

the county or place from which he is committed or admitted to bail, may, upon the application of such person, direct the Treasurer of the county or place where such person was committed, or entered into any recognizance to appear and answer as aforesaid, to advance to such person a sum not exceeding 20*l.* to enable him to defray the travelling expenses of such of his witnesses as may have been bound by recognizances to appear on his behalf, and the Treasurer shall advance such sum, and shall deduct it out of the amount ultimately allowed in respect of such witnesses.

14. In any case where money is ordered by the Court at the said Spring Assizes for the said Spring Assize County to be paid in respect of costs and expenses of prosecutors and witnesses, the same shall be paid by the Treasurer of the county or place by whom the same would have been payable had a like order been made by a Court of Oyer and Terminer or Gaol Delivery in the county where the trial would have taken place but for the Spring Assizes Act, 1879, and this Order; and every such Treasurer, or some known agent on his behalf, shall attend the said Spring Assizes during the sitting of the Court to pay all such orders.

15. Where the Court at the said Spring Assizes for the said Spring Assize County remand a prisoner or adjourn any trial, or otherwise make an order respecting a prisoner committed for trial but not acquitted or convicted, the Court may make such order with respect to the removal of such prisoner to a prison in the county or place in which he was committed for trial as to the Court seems just, and the prisoner may be removed accordingly, without any Writ of Habeas Corpus.

16. Except where the context otherwise requires, terms used in this Order shall have the same meaning as that which the same terms have in the Spring Assizes Act, 1879.

17. This Order, unless earlier revoked, shall be in force during the continuance of the Spring Assizes, 1897.

*C. L. Peel.*

**A**T the Court at *Windsor*, the 26th day of *February*, 1897.

**PRESENT,**

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**I**N pursuance of the Spring Assizes Act, 1879, Her Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Most Honourable Privy Council, to order as follows:—

1. The North and East Riding Division and the West Riding Division (as defined by the Order in Council of the 9th day of July, 1864) of the County of York and the County of the City of York, shall, for the purpose of the next Spring Assizes, be united together under the name of the Spring Assize County, No. 3.

2. The said Spring Assizes for the said Spring Assize County shall be held at Leeds.

3. The Court at the said Spring Assizes at Leeds shall have jurisdiction to try any prisoner committed in the said Spring Assize County who may be brought before it, and shall have the same powers with respect to the trial of and passing sentence upon such prisoner as a Court of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol Delivery would have had at the Assizes in the county where, but for the said Spring Assizes Act, such prisoner would have been tried.

The provision of Section three of the Spring Assizes Act, 1879, shall apply to the execution



of any capital sentence passed at such Assizes as herein mentioned; provided that the expression in the said Section "the Sheriff of the County for which such Assizes were held" shall mean the Sheriff of the County in which the prisoner so sentenced would have been tried if the Spring Assizes Act, 1879, had not been passed.

4. The Sheriff of the County of York shall alone act for the purpose of the said Spring Assizes for the said Spring Assize County, and subject to the provisions of this Order shall have jurisdiction for that purpose over the whole district constituting the said Spring Assize County, and precepts and other documents relating to the said Spring Assizes shall be addressed to him alone.

5. The Gaol Delivery precept of the Judges to the said Sheriff shall direct him to summon the Grand Jurors and Petty Jurors from the County of York; and the Jurors so summoned shall be deemed to be good and lawful men of the body of the several counties constituting the said Spring Assize County; and the Grand and Petty Jury formed out of those Jurors shall be deemed to be a Grand and Petty Jury respectively of the body of the said Counties respectively, and shall have jurisdiction accordingly.

6. The precepts of the Judges to the said Sheriff shall direct him to cause the prisoners from all the prisons in the said Spring Assize County who under the provisions of this Order will have to be tried at Leeds to be brought there, and the Sheriff shall cause such prisoners to be brought accordingly without any writ of Habeas Corpus.

7. In all matters not before specifically mentioned the precepts to the said Sheriff shall direct him to issue, and he shall issue the like notices, precepts, warrants, and documents, and perform the same acts (*mutatis mutandis*) as if he were Sheriff for the whole of the said Spring Assize County, and all Under Sheriffs, Bailiffs, Constables, and Officers in the said Spring Assize County shall obey accordingly.

8. The said Sheriff shall, as to all matters in relation to such Spring Assizes for which no specific provision is made by this Order, have the same power, jurisdiction, and responsibility as if he were Sheriff for the whole of the said Spring Assize County, except that this provision shall not authorize the said Sheriff to carry sentences into execution outside the county of York, or to levy outside the said County fines imposed or recognizances estreated at the said Spring Assizes.

9. All Justices of the Peace, Mayors, Coroners, Escheators, Stewards, Bailiffs, Gaolers, Constables, Officers, and persons having authority and being under an obligation to attend the Assizes for either of the Counties comprised in the said Spring Assize County, or to certify, transmit, or deliver to the Court of Assize or the proper officer thereof any indictment, inquisition, recognizance, examination, deposition, or document, shall have the same authority, and be under the same obligation to attend at the said Spring Assizes held for the said Spring Assize County, and to certify, transmit, or deliver to the Court of Assize or the proper officer thereof such indictment, inquisition, recognizance, examination, deposition, or document. This provision shall not apply to the Sheriff of the County of the City of York.

10. In all indictments and presentments at the said Spring Assizes, the venue laid in the margin thereof shall, in addition to the name of the county where the offence is charged to have been committed, contain the words "Spring Assize County, No. 3."

11. Any person who after the date of this Order and before the said Spring Assizes, enters into a recognizance to appear and prosecute, or give evidence, or to appear and answer before a Court of Oyer and Terminer or General Gaol Delivery, to be holden for any of the Counties constituting the said Spring Assize County, shall be bound to attend at the said Spring Assizes for the said Spring Assize County.

12. In all cases in which the like recognizances have been entered into in respect of any offence committed in any of the Counties constituting the said Spring Assize County prior to the making of this Order, such recognizances shall be deemed to have been entered into for attendance at the said Spring Assizes for the said Spring Assize County, and every person bound by such recognizance shall be bound to appear at such last-mentioned Spring Assizes, or forfeit his recognizance.

13. Ten days before the day fixed for the opening of the Commission at Leeds, a list of the prisoners to be removed for trial at the said Spring Assizes for the said Spring Assize County, so far as the same list can then be made out, shall, together with a short statement of the offences with which they are charged, be transmitted by the Gaoler of each prison in which such prisoners may be, to the Sheriff of the County of York, and the said Sheriff shall cause to be inserted in one or more newspapers in the Spring Assize County the said list and statement, and a notice that the persons bound by recognizances to appear and prosecute or give evidence for or against the prisoners so removed shall appear and prosecute and give evidence at Leeds.

14. It shall be lawful for the Gaoler of the Gaol in which prisoners who are to take their trial at the said Spring Assizes for the said Spring Assize County shall be in custody, three days before the day upon which the said Spring Assizes for the said Spring Assize County are appointed to be held, to send, without any Writ of Habeas Corpus, such prisoners to Her Majesty's Gaol at Leeds for the purposes of their trial, and to take all proper steps for their transmission to the said Gaol, and their maintenance by the way, and the Gaoler of the said Gaol shall receive such prisoners into his charge and custody on their arrival, and shall keep and maintain them in the said Gaol until they are either ordered to be discharged or remanded by proper authority, or until they shall have been tried and sentenced, and proper arrangements have been made for their being sent back to the prison from which they were sent for trial, or sent to any other prison which has been duly appointed as an alternative for such prison. If, however, the said Gaol has itself been duly appointed as an alternative prison for the prison from which such prisoners were sent to trial, the Governor of the said Gaol shall, subject to the orders of the Secretary of State, keep and maintain in the said Gaol such prisoners after sentence, until they are discharged in due course of law.

15. The Clerk of Assize at the said Spring Assizes for the said Spring Assize County shall have all powers of taxation of Bills of Costs, expenses of prosecution and witnesses, and all other powers necessary for checking and paying such costs relating to the trial of prisoners that the Clerk of Assize in the county where such prisoners were committed would have had if such prisoner had been tried at the Assizes held in such last-mentioned county.

Where any person is committed for trial, or is bound by any recognizance to appear and answer, in the said Spring Assize County, any Judge of

the High Court of Justice, or the committing Justice or Justices, or any two of the Justices of the county or place from which he is committed or admitted to bail, may, upon the application of such person, direct the Treasurer of the county or place where such person was committed, or entered into any recognizance to appear and answer as aforesaid, to advance to such person a sum not exceeding 20*l.*, to enable him to defray the travelling expenses of such of his witnesses as may have been bound by recognizances to appear on his behalf, and the Treasurer shall advance such sum, and shall deduct it out of the amount ultimately allowed in respect of such witnesses.

16. In any case where money is ordered by the Court at the said Spring Assizes for the said Spring Assize County to be paid in respect of costs and expenses of prosecutors and witnesses, the same shall be paid by the Treasurer of the county or place by whom the same would have been payable had a like order been made by a Court of Oyer and Terminer or Gaol Delivery in the county where the trial would have taken place but for the Spring Assizes Act, 1879, and this Order; and every such Treasurer, or some known agent on his behalf, shall attend the said Spring Assizes during the sitting of the Court to pay all such orders.

17. Where the Court at the said Spring Assizes for the said Spring Assize County remand a prisoner or adjourn any trial, or otherwise make an order respecting a prisoner committed for trial but not acquitted or convicted, the Court may make such order with respect to the removal of such prisoner to a prison in the county or place in which he was committed for trial as to the Court seems just, and the prisoner may be removed accordingly without any Writ of Habeas Corpus.

18. Except where the context otherwise requires, terms used in this Order shall have the same meaning as that which the same terms have in the Spring Assizes Act, 1879.

19. This Order, unless earlier revoked, shall be in force during the continuance of the Spring Assizes, 1897. *C. L. Peel.*

**A**T the Court at *Windsor*, the 26th day of *February*, 1897.

**PRESENT,**

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the fifth of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, in the words following, viz. :—

“WHEREAS by Your Majesty's Order in Council, dated the sixteenth January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, the minimum age at which daughters of Warrant Officers, non-commissioned officers, and petty officers and men of the Royal Navy or Royal Marines may be educated and maintained, wholly or in part, out of the funds of Greenwich Hospital in such schools as shall be approved by us, was fixed at nine years.

“And whereas by Your Majesty's Order in Council, dated the twelfth December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, the minimum age at which sons of deceased or incapacitated Warrant Officers, non-commissioned officers, petty officers and men of the Royal Navy and Royal Marines (and of men of the Royal Naval Reserve Force killed or drowned in the service of the Crown) may be educated and maintained at the

expense of the funds of Greenwich Hospital was fixed at eight years.

“And whereas we are of opinion that we should have power in cases considered by us to be special and exceptional to provide for such girls and boys, although they may be under the ages of nine and eight years respectively.

“We beg leave to recommend that Your Majesty will be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to authorize us, in cases considered by us to be special and exceptional, to waive the clauses in the existing regulations fixing the minimum ages at which such children become eligible for the above-mentioned assistance from Greenwich Hospital funds.”

And whereas the provisions of “The Rules Publication Act, 1893,” have been complied with :

Her Majesty, having taken the said Memorial into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to approve of what is therein proposed. And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

*C. L. Peel.*

**A**T the Court at *Windsor*, the 26th day of *February*, 1897.

**PRESENT,**

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS it is provided by “The Petroleum Act, 1871,” that Her Majesty may from time to time make, revoke, and vary Orders in Council directing that the said Act, or any part thereof shall apply to any substance, and that the said Act or the part thereof specified in any such Order shall during the continuance of the Order apply to such substance, and shall be construed and have effect as if such substance had been included in the definition of petroleum to which that Act applies, subject to the following qualifications :—

1. The quantity of any substance to which this Act is directed by Order in Council to apply which may be kept without a license, shall be such quantity only as is specified in that behalf in such Order, or if no such quantity is specified no quantity may be kept without a license.
2. The label on the vessel containing such substance shall be such as may be specified in that behalf in the Order.

And whereas “The Petroleum Act, 1879,” and “The Petroleum (Hawkers) Act, 1881,” are to be construed as one with the Petroleum Act of 1871, and may together with such Act be cited as the Petroleum Acts 1871 to 1881.

And whereas Carbide of Calcium presents dangers similar to those presented by petroleum.

Now therefore, in pursuance of the above mentioned provisions of “The Petroleum Act 1871,” Her Majesty is pleased by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order and prescribe that the undermentioned parts of the Petroleum Acts 1871 to 1881 shall apply to the said substance Carbide of Calcium in the same manner as if the said substance were petroleum to which the Acts apply, viz. :—

The whole of the Petroleum Acts 1871 to 1881 except

- (a.) So much of section six of “The Petroleum Act, 1871,” as specifies the nature of the label to be on the vessel, in lieu of which the label shall be as hereinafter provided.
- (b.) So much of section seven of “The Petroleum Act, 1871,” as relates to the exemption from

such section of small quantities under certain specified conditions; and no quantity of Carbide of Calcium may be kept except in pursuance of such license as in the said section seven is provided.

(c.) So much of section eleven of "The Petroleum Act, 1871," as relates to the testing of samples taken by an officer of the local authority under the powers conferred by such section.

(d.) So much of "The Petroleum Act 1879" as relates to the testing of petroleum.

(e.) So much of "The Petroleum Act 1881" as relates to the hawking of petroleum.

The label on the vessel containing the said Carbide of Calcium shall bear in conspicuous characters the words "Carbide of Calcium" "Dangerous if not kept dry," and with the following caution:—"The contents of this package are liable if brought into contact with moisture to give off a highly inflammable gas" and with the addition:—

(a.) In the case of a vessel kept, of the name and address of the consignee or owner.

(b.) In the case of a vessel sent or conveyed, of the name and address of the sender.

(c.) In the case of a vessel sold or exposed for sale, of the name and address of the vendor.

This Order shall come into effect on the first of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Windsor, the 26th day of February, 1897.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of Her Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the tenth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, in the words following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of Your Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Your Majesty, chapter fifty-five, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a district chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint Matthew, West Ham situate within the limits of the parish of West Ham in the county of Essex, and in the diocese of Saint Albans.

"Whereas it appears to us to be expedient that a district chapelry should be assigned to the said church of Saint Matthew West Ham situate as aforesaid.

"Now therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend John Wogan Bishop of the said diocese of Saint Albans (testified by his having signed and sealed this representation), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, humbly represent that it would, in our opinion, be expedient that all that part of the said parish of West Ham which is described in the schedule hereunder written, all which part, together with the

boundaries thereof, is delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be assigned as a district chapelry to the said church of Saint Matthew West Ham situate as aforesaid, and that the same should be named 'The District Chapelry of Saint Matthew West Ham.'

"And with the like consent of the said John Wogan Bishop of the said diocese of Saint Albans (testified as aforesaid) we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners further represent that it appears to us to be expedient that banns of matrimony should be published, and that marriages, baptisms, churchings and burials should be solemnized or performed at the said church of Saint Matthew West Ham situate as aforesaid, and that the fees to be received in respect of the publication of such banns and of the solemnization or performance of the said offices should be paid and belong to the minister of the same church for the time being: Provided always, that so long as the Reverend Richard Arnold Pelly, Clerk in Holy Orders, the present vicar or incumbent of the vicarage of the said parish of West Ham shall continue to be such vicar or incumbent, all the fees which may be received in respect of such publication, solemnization or performance at the said church of Saint Matthew West Ham, situate as aforesaid, shall be paid over by the minister thereof to the said Richard Arnold Pelly, and provided also that nothing herein contained shall be construed as expressing any intention on the part of us the said Commissioners to concur in or approve the taking of any fee for the performance of the said office of baptism or for the registration thereof.

"We therefore, humbly pray that Your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into Your Royal consideration, and to make such Order with respect thereto as to Your Majesty, in Your Royal wisdom, shall seem meet.

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The District Chapelry of Saint Matthew, West Ham, being:—

"All that part of the parish of West Ham, in the county of Essex, and in the diocese of Saint Albans, which is bounded upon the west by the new parish of Saint John Stratford, in the said county and diocese, upon the north-west partly by the last-named new parish, and partly by the new parish of Saint James Forest Gate, in the said county and diocese, upon the east by the new parish of (Emmanuel) Forest Gate in the said county and diocese and upon the remaining sides, that is to say, upon the south-west and upon the south, by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of (Emmanuel) Forest Gate from the parish of West Ham aforesaid, at a point in the middle of Ham Park-road, distant one hundred yards or thereabouts to the west of the junction of that road with Margery Park-road, and extending thence (i.e. from the said boundary) westward along the middle of the said Ham Park-road for a distance of eighteen chains or thereabouts to its junction with Amity-road, and extending thence south-eastward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of three chains or thereabouts to its junction with Hartland-road, and extending thence, first south-westward and then westward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of twelve chains or thereabouts to its junction with Vicarage-lane and extending thence southward along the middle of the last-named lane for a distance of three chains or thereabouts to its junction with Union-road and extending thence north-westward along the middle of the

last-named road for a distance of eleven chains or thereabouts to its junction with Whalebonelane, and extending thence south-westward along the middle of the last-named lane for a distance of seven chains or thereabouts to the boundary which divides the said parish of West Ham from the new parish of Saint John Stratford aforesaid."

And whereas the said representation has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said representation, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Saint Albans.

C. L. Peel.

At the Court at Windsor, the 26th day of February, 1897.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of Her Majesty, chapter forty-nine; of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her Majesty chapter ninety-seven and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the tenth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, in the words following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the second and third years of Your Majesty chapter forty-nine; of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Your Majesty, chapter ninety-seven and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Your Majesty chapter fifty-five, have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following representation as to the assignment of a district chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint Aidan, Small Heath situate in the new parish (sometime district) of All Saints Small Heath in the suburbs of Birmingham in the county of Warwick and in the diocese of Worcester.

"Whereas it appears to us to be expedient that a district chapelry should be assigned to the said church of Saint Aidan, Small Heath situate as aforesaid.

"Now therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend John James Stewart Bishop of the said diocese of Worcester (testified by his having signed and sealed this representation), we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners humbly represent, that it would in our opinion be expedient that all that part of the said new parish of All Saints Small Heath which is described in the Schedule hereunder written, all which part together with the boundaries thereof, is delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be assigned as a district chapelry to the said church of Saint Aidan, Small Heath, situate as aforesaid and that the same should be named 'The District Chapelry of Saint Aidan Small Heath Birmingham.'

"And with the like consent of the said John James Stewart Bishop of the said diocese of Worcester (testified as aforesaid), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners further represent, that it appears to us to be expedient that banns of matrimony should be published, and that marriages baptisms churchings and burials should be solemnized or performed at the said church of Saint Aidan, Small Heath situate as aforesaid, and that the fees to be received in respect of the publication of such banns and of the solemnization or performance of the said offices should be paid and belong to the minister of the same church for the time being: Provided always that so long as the Reverend Samuel Albert Smith, Clerk in Holy Orders the present vicar or incumbent of the vicarage of the said new parish of All Saints, Small Heath shall continue to be such vicar or incumbent all the fees which may be received in respect of such publication solemnization or performance at the said church of Saint Aidan, Small Heath situate as aforesaid shall be paid over by the minister thereof to the said Samuel Albert Smith and provided also that nothing herein contained shall be construed as expressing any intention on the part of us the said Commissioners to concur in or approve the taking of any fee for the performance of the said office of baptism or for the registration thereof.

"We therefore humbly pray that Your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into Your Royal consideration and to make such Order with respect thereto as to Your Majesty, in Your Royal wisdom, shall seem meet.

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The District Chapelry of Saint Aidan, Small Heath, Birmingham being:—

"All that part of the new parish (sometime district) of All Saints Small Heath in the county of Warwick and in the diocese of Worcester which is bounded upon the north-west by the new parish of the Holy Trinity Bordesley in the said county and diocese, upon the north and upon the north-east by the new parish of Saint Andrew, Bordesley in the same county and diocese, and upon the remaining sides, that is to say, upon the south-east and upon the south-west by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Andrew Bordesley from the new parish of All Saints Small Heath aforesaid at the junction of Coventry-road with Jenkins-street and extending thence south-westward along the middle of the last-named street for a distance of twenty chains or thereabouts to its junction with Cooksey-road and extending thence north-westward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of nine chains or thereabouts to its junction with Dixon-road and extending thence south-westward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of three chains or thereabouts to its junction with Lawden-road, and extending thence north-westward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of thirteen chains or thereabouts to a point at the centre of the bridge which carries the Bristol and Birmingham branch line of the Midland Railway over such road, upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of All Saints Small Heath from the new parish of the Holy Trinity Bordesley aforesaid."

And whereas the said representation has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said representation, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual

in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Worcester.

C. L. Peel.

**A**T the Court at Windsor, the 26th day of February, 1897.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, chapter seventy-seven, and of the Act of the fifth year of Her Majesty (Session two) chapter twenty-six duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme bearing date the twenty-first day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of His late Majesty King William the Fourth chapter seventy-seven and of the Act of the fifth year of your Majesty (Session 2) chapter twenty-six have prepared and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council the following scheme for authorizing certain alterations and improvements at the archiepiscopal residence belonging to the See of Canterbury which is situate at Lambeth in the county of Surrey and is known as Lambeth Palace.

"Whereas the Right Honourable and Most Reverend Frederick now Archbishop of Canterbury is desirous that certain permanent alterations and improvements should be made at the said archiepiscopal residence known as Lambeth Palace and has submitted to us the particulars of such proposed alterations and improvements and we have approved the same.

And whereas the said Archbishop is also desirous and it appears to us to be expedient that towards the cost of effecting the said proposed alterations and improvements a sum not exceeding four thousand pounds (being a sum which together with the several sums of two thousand pounds and six hundred pounds already borrowed upon the same security by the Archbishop of Canterbury under the authority of the statutes hereinbefore mentioned does not exceed two years' income of the See) should be provided by borrowing the same by way of further mortgage upon the security of all and every part of the lands tenements and hereditaments endowments or emoluments which now belong or may hereafter belong to the Archbishopric of Canterbury.

"Now therefore with the consent of the said Frederick Archbishop of Canterbury (testified by his having affixed his signature and Archiepiscopal seal to this scheme) we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England humbly recommend and propose that the said Archbishop be authorized to borrow from the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne for the augmentation of the maintenance of the Poor Clergy and that the said Governors be empowered to lend under the provisions of the above mentioned Acts a sum not exceeding four thousand pounds and that as a security for the same the said Archbishop do mortgage all and every part of the lands tenements and hereditaments and endowments or emoluments which now belong or may hereafter belong to his said See to the said Governors by deed for the

term of twenty years or until the said sum of four thousand pounds with the interest for the same as hereinafter mentioned and all costs and charges which may attend the recovery thereof shall be fully paid and satisfied and that such principal sum shall be repaid with interest in manner following that is to say during and in respect of the first period of twelve months of the said term of twenty years computed from the day of the date of the mortgage no part of the said principal shall be repayable but the said Archbishop or his successors shall yearly at the end of the second period of twelve months so computed and at the end of every such like period of twelve months thereafter pay to the said Governors their successors or assigns one fifteenth part of the said principal sum until the whole thereof shall be repaid and shall also at the end of the first and each succeeding period of twelve months computed as aforesaid pay interest at the rate of four pounds per cent. per annum on the said principal sum or on so much thereof as shall from time to time remain unpaid and if and when it shall happen that either the principal or the interest directed to be paid as hereinbefore mentioned shall be in arrear and unpaid for the space of forty days after the same shall have become due, it shall and may be lawful for the said Governors their successors and assigns to recover the same and the costs and charges attending the recovery thereof by distress and sale in the like manner as rents may be recovered by landlords or lessors from their tenants by the laws in force at the time of such distress and sale and that such mortgage deed shall be in the form and to the effect to be approved by us the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England and shall bind as well the said Frederick now Archbishop of Canterbury as every succeeding Archbishop of Canterbury until the principal money and interest costs and charges shall have been paid off and discharged.

"And we further recommend and propose that the said sum of four thousand pounds shall be paid to us the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners and that the receipt of our Joint Treasurers for the time being endorsed on the said mortgage deed shall be a good and sufficient discharge to the said Governors and their successors for the same who shall not be bound or required to see to the application thereof and that upon the receipt of the said sum of four thousand pounds the whole or any part or parts thereof shall be applied by us at such times and in such manner as shall appear to us to be expedient towards effecting the said proposed alterations and improvements at the archiepiscopal residence known as Lambeth Palace as aforesaid.

"And we further recommend and propose that the Archbishop of Canterbury for the time being shall at his personal charge insure against loss or damage by fire and keep insured the said archiepiscopal residence known as Lambeth Palace the said insurance to be for a sum of thirty thousand pounds and to be effected in one or more of the public offices of insurance in London or Westminster to be approved by us and that in case of loss or damage by fire to the same house of residence the moneys receivable in respect of the said insurance shall be paid over to us by the said Archbishop and shall with any interest or accumulations thereon be applied by us in rebuilding or repairing the same house of residence with the concurrence of the said Archbishop.

"And we further recommend and propose that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to all matters aforesaid or any of them in

conformity with the provisions of the herein named Acts or of either of them or of any other Act of Parliament."

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme; and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Canterbury.

C. L. Peel.

**A**T the Court at *Windsor*, the 26th day of *February*, 1897.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the third and fourth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and thirteen, and of the Act of the seventeenth and eighteenth years of Her Majesty, chapter eighty-four duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme bearing date the twenty-first day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, in the words following, that is to say:—

"We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the third and fourth years of Your Majesty, chapter one hundred and thirteen, and of the Act of the seventeenth and eighteenth years of Your Majesty, chapter eighty-four, have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme for apportioning the income of the benefice (being a rectory) of Saint Mary, Southampton, in the county of Southampton, and in the diocese of Winchester, between that benefice and a certain other benefice namely the benefice (being a vicarage) of Holy Trinity, Southampton, in the county and diocese aforesaid.

"Whereas the whole advowson of the said benefice of Saint Mary, Southampton and of the said benefice of Holy Trinity, Southampton is vested in the Right Reverend Randall Thomas, Bishop of the said diocese of Winchester, and in his successors Bishops of the same diocese.

"And whereas the Bishop of the said diocese of Winchester has represented to us and we are of opinion that it is desirable that additional provision should be made for the cure of souls attached to the said benefice of Holy Trinity, Southampton by means of that apportionment of the income of the said benefice of Saint Mary Southampton which is hereinafter recommended and proposed.

"And whereas the said benefice of Saint Mary Southampton is now full of a Clerk and the Rector or Incumbent thereof the Reverend William Durst Clerk in Holy Orders is willing that the said apportionment shall be made accordingly and has executed this scheme in token of such his willingness.

"And whereas after allowing for the transfer of certain portions of the endowments of the said rectory of Saint Mary, Southampton, which were sanctioned and authorized to be made under the provisions of an Order of Your Majesty in Council dated the eighth day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six and published in the London Gazette on the fourteenth day of the same month we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners hold in trust for the same benefice

of Saint Mary Southampton and as part of the endowments thereof a sum of eleven thousand four hundred and thirty-three pounds six shillings and eight pence sterling being a portion of the proceeds of the sale of certain portions of the rectorial estates which formerly belonged to the said benefice of Saint Mary Southampton.

"Now therefore with the consent of the Right Honourable and Most Reverend Frederick, Archbishop of Canterbury the Archbishop of the Province within which the said diocese of Winchester, and each of the aforesaid benefices, are situate (in testimony whereof the said Frederick Archbishop of Canterbury has signed this scheme and sealed the same with his archiepiscopal seal) and with the consent of the said Randall Thomas Bishop of the said diocese of Winchester acting as such Bishop and also as the patron in right of his See of each of the aforesaid benefices (in testimony whereof the said Randall Thomas Bishop of Winchester has signed this scheme and sealed it with his episcopal seal) and with the consent of the said William Durst as the rector or incumbent of the said benefice of Saint Mary Southampton (in testimony whereof he the said William Durst has signed and sealed this scheme) we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners humbly recommend and propose that without any conveyance or assurance in the law other than this scheme and any duly gazetted Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying the same and as from the day on which any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme shall have been published in the London Gazette a sum of five hundred pounds sterling out of the said sum of eleven thousand four hundred and thirty-three pounds six shillings and eight pence sterling which at present form part of the endowments of the said benefice of Saint Mary Southampton shall be transferred from the said benefice of Saint Mary Southampton to the said benefice of Holy Trinity Southampton, such sum of five hundred pounds to be held and applied by us the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England for the benefit of the vicar or incumbent for the time being of the said benefice of Holy Trinity, Southampton.

"And we further recommend and propose that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid or any of them in accordance with the provisions of the said Acts or of either of them or of any other Act of Parliament."

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the registrar of the said diocese of Winchester.

C. L. Peel.

**A**T the Court at *Windsor*, the 26th day of *February*, 1897.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of Her Majesty, chapter seventy; of the Act of the fourteenth



and fifteenth years of Her Majesty, chapter ninety-seven; of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five; and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of Her Majesty, chapter eighty-two; duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the twenty-first day of January in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven in the words and figures following; that is to say:—

“We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of Your Majesty, chapter seventy, of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Your Majesty, chapter ninety-seven, of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Your Majesty chapter fifty-five, and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of Your Majesty, chapter eighty-two, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following representation as to the assignment of a consolidated chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint Winefred Penrhiwceibr situate within the limits of the new parish (sometime consolidated chapelry) of Saint Margaret Aberdare in the county of Glamorgan and in the diocese of Llandaff.

“Whereas at certain extremities of the said new parish of Saint Margaret Aberdare and of the parish or parochial chapelry of Llanwonno in the said county and diocese which said extremities lie contiguous one to another, and are described in the schedule hereunder written, there is collected together a population which is situate at a distance from the several churches of such new parish and of such parish or parochial chapelry as aforesaid.

“And whereas it appears to us to be expedient that certain contiguous portions (being the portions containing the population aforesaid) of the said new parish of Saint Margaret Aberdare, and of the said parish or parochial chapelry of Llanwonno should be formed into a consolidated chapelry for all ecclesiastical purposes, and that the same should be assigned to the said church of Saint Winefred Penrhiwceibr situate as aforesaid.

“Now therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend Richard Bishop of the said diocese of Llandaff, as such Bishop, and also as the patron in right of his See, of the vicarage of the said new parish of Saint Margaret Aberdare, and with the consent of the Reverend Joshua Fritchard Hughes, the vicar of Llantrisant in the said county and diocese and as such vicar the patron of the vicarage of the said parish or parochial chapelry of Llanwonno (in testimony whereof they the said consenting parties have respectively signed and sealed this representation) we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, humbly represent, that it would, in our opinion be expedient that all those contiguous portions of the said new parish of Saint Margaret Aberdare, and of the parish or parochial chapelry of Llanwonno aforesaid which are described in the schedule hereunder written, all which portions, together with the boundaries thereof, are delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be united and formed into one consolidated chapelry for the said church of Saint Winefred Penrhiwceibr situate as aforesaid, and that the same should be named ‘The Consolidated Chapelry of Saint Winefred Penrhiwceibr.’

“We, therefore, humbly pray that Your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into Your Royal consideration and to make such Order in respect thereto as to Your Majesty in Your Royal wisdom shall seem meet.

“The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

“The consolidated chapelry of Saint Winefred, Penrhiwceibr, comprising:—

“I. All that portion of the new parish (sometime consolidated chapelry) of Saint Margaret Aberdare in the county of Glamorgan, and in the diocese of Llandaff which is bounded upon the south-west, upon the south, and upon the east, by the parish or parochial chapelry of Llanwonno (including the hereinafter described portion thereof) in the said county and diocese and upon the remaining sides, that is to say, upon the north-east, and upon the north-west, by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said parish or parochial chapelry of Llanwonno from the new parish of Saint Margaret Aberdare aforesaid at a point in the middle of the River Cynon, where it is crossed by the roadway or footway leading from Penrhiwceibr Colliery towards Newtown and extending thence north-westward along the middle of the said river for a distance of thirty-four chains or thereabouts to the point where it is joined by the stream which flows past the south side of the house called or known as Pen-y-geulan, at a distance of about three chains therefrom, and extending thence south-westward up the middle of the said stream for a distance of twenty-eight chains or thereabouts (thereby passing under the Aberdare Branch Line of the Taff Vale Railway) to the centre of the bridge or culvert which carries the road leading from Mountain Ash past Penrhiwceibr Perth-gelyn and Cwm-Clydach towards Ynys-y-bwll over the said stream, and extending thence first south-eastward and then southward and then westward along the middle of the said road for a distance of forty-nine chains or thereabouts to the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Margaret Aberdare from the parish or parochial chapelry of Llanwonno aforesaid.

“II. And also all that contiguous portion of the said parish or parochial chapelry of Llanwonno which is bounded upon the north-east by the parish of Merthyr Tydfil in the county and diocese aforesaid upon the north-west by the said new parish of Saint Margaret Aberdare (including the above described portion thereof) and upon the remaining sides, that is to say, upon the south-west, and upon the south-east, by an imaginary line, commencing upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Margaret Aberdare from the parish or parochial chapelry of Llanwonno aforesaid, at a point in the middle of the road which leads from Penrhiwceibr aforesaid to Gilfach-rhyd and extending thence first south-eastward then eastward and then again south-eastward along the middle of the last-mentioned road for a distance of one mile and eight chains or thereabouts to the centre of the bridge or culvert which carries such road over the stream called or known as Nant-y-Fedw, and extending thence north-eastward along the middle of the last-named stream for a distance of forty-eight chains or thereabouts to the point where it reaches the western side of the said Aberdare Branch Line of the Taff Vale Railway and extending thence due eastward and in a straight line for a distance of twenty-six chains or thereabouts (thereby crossing the said branch line of railway, the River Cynon aforesaid, the main road leading from Cardiff to Aberdare and the Aberdare Canal) to the boundary at the water-shedding line on Mynydd Goitra-coed which boundary divides the said parish or parochial chapelry of Llanwonno from the parish of Merthyr Tydfil aforesaid.”



And whereas the said representation has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said representation, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Llandaff.

*C. L. Peel.*

**A**T the Court at Windsor, the 26th day of February, 1897.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of Her Majesty, chapter seventy; of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her Majesty, chapter ninety-seven; of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five; and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of Her Majesty, chapter eighty-two; duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the fourth day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven in the words and figures following; that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of Your Majesty, chapter seventy, of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Your Majesty, chapter ninety-seven, of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Your Majesty, chapter fifty-five, and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of Your Majesty, chapter eighty-two, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following representation as to the assignment of a consolidated chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint John the Evangelist Hipswell situate within the limits of the parish of Catterick in the county of York and in the diocese of Ripon.

"Whereas at certain extremities of the said parish of Catterick and of the parish of Patrick Brompton in the said county and diocese which said extremities lie contiguous one to another, and are described in the Schedule hereunder written, there is collected together a population which is situate at a distance from the several churches of such parishes respectively.

"And whereas it appears to us to be expedient that certain contiguous portions (being the portions containing the population aforesaid) of the said parish of Catterick and of the said parish of Patrick Brompton should be formed into a consolidated chapelry for all ecclesiastical purposes, and that the same should be assigned to the said church of Saint John the Evangelist Hipswell situate as aforesaid.

"Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend William Boyd, Bishop of the said diocese of Ripon, as such Bishop, and also as the patron, in right of his See both of the vicarage of the said parish of Catterick and of the vicarage of the said parish of Patrick Brompton (in testimony whereof he the said consenting party has signed and sealed this representation) we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, humbly represent, that it would, in our opinion,

be expedient that all those contiguous portions of the said parish of Catterick and of the parish of Patrick Brompton aforesaid which are described in the Schedule hereunder written, all which portions, together with the boundaries thereof, are delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be united and formed into one consolidated chapelry for the said church of Saint John the Evangelist Hipswell situate as aforesaid and that the same should be named 'The Consolidated Chapelry of Saint John the Evangelist Hipswell.'

"We therefore, humbly pray that Your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into Your Royal consideration, and to make such Order in respect thereto as to Your Majesty in Your Royal wisdom, shall seem meet.

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The Consolidated Chapelry of Saint John the Evangelist Hipswell comprising:—

"1. All that part of the parish of Catterick in the county of York, and in the diocese of Ripon, which is bounded upon the north-west partly by the parochial chapelry of Hudswell and partly by the detached portion of the parish of Easby both which cures are situate in the said county and diocese, upon the west by the parish of Downholme in the said county and diocese, upon the greater part of the south partly by the parish of Hawxwell, partly by the parish of Patrick Brompton partly by a certain detached portion of the parish of Hornby all which parishes are in the county and diocese aforesaid and partly by certain lands which are common to the said parishes of Patrick Brompton and Hornby, and upon all other sides, that is to say upon the remaining part of the south and upon the east and upon the north by an imaginary line commencing at the point upon the south side of Moor-lane Tunstall where the boundary which divides the said lands common to the said parishes of Patrick Brompton and Hornby from the parish of Catterick aforesaid is met by the township boundary which divides the township of Appleton from the township of Tunstall both in the parish of Catterick aforesaid, and extending thence north-eastward along the said township boundary for a distance of one mile and sixteen chains or thereabouts to the point where it is intersected by the footpath or bridle road which leads from Winterfield House and Hornby Park towards Tunstall and extending thence north-westward along the middle of the said footpath or bridle road for a distance of seventeen chains or thereabouts to its junction with the footpath or bridle road leading from the Old Hall at East Appleton to Tunstall, and extending thence north-westward and in a straight line for a distance of seven chains or thereabouts to the junction of the road leading from Tunstall to Catterick with Brough-lane and extending thence north-westward along the middle of the last-named lane for a distance of fifty chains or thereabouts to the point between Brough Lodge and Rosemary House where such lane is intersected by the township boundary which divides the township of Brough in the said parish of Catterick from the township of Tunstall aforesaid and extending thence generally south-westward along the last-mentioned township boundary for a distance of thirty-six chains or thereabouts to its junction with the township boundary which divides the said township of Brough from the township of Colburn in the said parish of Catterick and

extending thence generally northward along the last-mentioned township boundary for a distance of two miles and forty-six chains or thereabouts to a point in the middle of the River Swale upon the boundary which divides the said parish of Catterick from the parish of Easby aforesaid and extending thence first westward then northward then south-westward and then again westward along the last-mentioned boundary (thereby following for the most part the middle of the said river) to the point where such boundary meets the boundary which divides the extra-parochial place called or known as Saint Martin, in the county and diocese aforesaid from the said parish of Catterick and extending thence first south-westward then generally north-westward along the last-mentioned boundary to the centre of Sandbeck East Bridge which carries the road leading from Scotton to Richmond over the stream called or known as Sand Beck, and extending thence generally westward along the middle of the last-named stream for a distance of forty-eight chains or thereabouts (thereby passing under Sand Beck West Bridge) to the boundary which divides the said parish of Catterick from the parochial chapelry of Hudswell aforesaid.

"2. And also all those contiguous portions of the said parish of Patrick Brompton which are included within and form part of the township or civil parish of Scotton."

And whereas the said representation has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said representation, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Ripon.

*C. L. Peel.*

**A**T the Court at Windsor, the 26th day of February, 1897.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of an Act of the sixth and seventh years of Her Majesty chapter thirty-seven sections six and eight duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme bearing date the eighteenth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of an Act of the sixth and seventh years of Your Majesty chapter thirty-seven sections six and eight, have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme for authorizing the sale and disposal of certain property formerly belonging to the Prebend of Wellington in the Cathedral Church of Lichfield and now vested in us and also of certain other property now vested in us.

"Whereas on the vacancy of the said prebend which occurred on or about the twenty-seventh day of August in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two by the decease of the Reverend Watson William Dickens the then prebendary all the lands tenements and heredita-

ments theretofore belonging to the said prebend (except rights of patronage) became by virtue of the Act of the third and fourth years of Your Majesty chapter one hundred and thirteen, absolutely vested in us for the purposes and subject to the provisions applicable to other hereditaments vested in us.

"And whereas the possessions of the said prebend included one undivided moiety of and in certain lands situate in the parish of Wellington in the county of Salop which lands are particularly described in the Schedule hereto annexed.

"And whereas under and by virtue of a certain indenture bearing date the twenty-sixth day of March in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six and made or expressed to be made between Sir Thomas Meyrick of Apley Castle in the county of Salop Baronet of the first part the Honourable Henry Edmund Butler of Nidd Hall Ripley in the county of York and the Reverend William Winkfield of Leighton Ironbridge in the said county of Salop Clerk in Holy Orders of the second part and us the Ecclesiastical Commissioners of the third part the other undivided moiety of the said lands became with its appurtenances and is now vested in us.

"And whereas the whole of the lands and hereditaments which so became vested in us as aforesaid by the said Order of Your Majesty in Council and the said indenture are now in our possession but some portions thereof on account of their character and situation are unsuitable or inconvenient to be held or applied for the purposes for which estates vested in us are applicable under the Acts by which our proceedings are governed.

"And whereas with a view to the advantageous appropriation of the same or of the proceeds thereof for the ultimate improvement of our common fund it is expedient that the said lands and hereditaments or such part or parts thereof as we shall at any time and from time to time think fit should be sold or disposed of and accordingly that we should be empowered to sell or dispose of our interest in such lands and hereditaments or in any part or parts thereof in such manner as shall appear to us advisable.

"Now therefore we humbly recommend and propose that we may be authorized and empowered by instrument or instruments in writing duly executed according to law from time to time to sell or dispose of and duly to convey according to the provisions of the said Act all or any of the said lands and hereditaments so vested in us as aforesaid with their appurtenances and all our estate right title and interest therein or in any part or parts thereof unto and to the use of any person or persons desirous or willing to purchase the same and his or their heirs executors administrators or assigns or otherwise as he or they shall direct or appoint and for such consideration as shall upon due calculation and enquiry appear to us to be just and reasonable it being our intention to invest the proceeds of such sale from time to time as occasion may arise in the purchase of other lands tithes rent-charges tenements or hereditaments or of some estate or interest therein convenient to be held by us for the purposes of the Acts by which our proceedings are governed and in the meantime to invest the proceeds in some Government or Parliamentary stock or other public securities in England.

"And we further recommend and propose that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid or any of them in accordance with the provisions of the said Act or of any other Act of Parliament.

## "The SCHEDULE.

Number on Plan.	Description.	Quantity.		
		A.	R.	P.
	Wellington Township. Rectorial Glebe.			
315	Garden ... ..	0	0	34
316	Ditto ... ..	0	0	25
316a	Building and yard ... ..	0	0	7
316b	Stonemason's yard and shed ... ..	0	0	9
317	Garden ... ..	0	0	20
318	House and garden ... ..	0	0	8
319	Ditto ... ..	0	0	5
320	Ditto ... ..	0	0	6
321	Ditto ... ..	0	0	5
322	Ditto ... ..	0	0	6
324	Garden ... ..	0	1	13
327	Buildings and yard ... ..	0	0	8
1206	Ditto ... ..	0	0	7
1207	Garden ... ..	0	1	9
1208	Ditto ... ..	0	0	15
1209	Ditto ... ..	0	0	23
340a	Ditto ... ..	0	0	23
329	Garden ... ..	0	0	20
323	House buildings yard and garden ... ..	0	0	39
325	Buildings and yard ... ..	0	0	12
1158	Ditto ... ..	0	0	8
1197	Buildings ... ..	0	0	5½
1198	Croft ... ..	0	3	29
1251	Street Lane piece ... ..	1	1	38
1265	Garden ... ..	0	0	29
1265a	Ditto ... ..	0	1	7
1265b	Garden ... ..	0	0	38
1265c	Ditto ... ..	0	0	19
1265d	Ditto ... ..	0	0	19
1265e	Ditto ... ..	0	1	21
1265f	Ditto ... ..	0	0	30
1265g	Yard ... ..	0	0	3
	Footpaths ... ..	0	0	12
		A. 6	1.	32½

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Act; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the diocese of Lichfield.

C. L. Peel.

At the Court at Windsor, the 26th day of February, 1897.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament held in the eighteenth and nineteenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act further to amend the laws concerning the burial of the dead in England," it is, amongst other things, enacted that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, from time to time to postpone the time appointed by any Order in Council for the discontinuance of burials, or otherwise to vary any Order in Council made under any of the Acts recited in the said Act, or under the said Act

(whether the time thereby appointed for the discontinuance of burials thereunder, or other operation of such Order, shall or shall not have arrived), as to Her Majesty, with such advice as aforesaid, may seem fit:

And whereas an Order in Council was made on the eighth February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, directing the discontinuance of burials in certain places within the city of Canterbury from the time specified in such Order; and whereas it seems fit to Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, that the said Order, in so far as it affects burials in Canterbury Cathedral, be varied:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the said Order in Council of the eighth February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, be varied, and that the following directions shall be substituted for the directions contained in the said Order so far as it relates to burials in Canterbury Cathedral, viz.:-

CANTERBURY.—That burials be discontinued in the Cathedral except for the interment of the remains of Archbishops of Canterbury in the crypt, on licence obtained from one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and under such conditions as the Secretary of State may in such licence, or otherwise, from time to time prescribe.

C. L. Peel.

**A**T the Court at *Windsor*, the 26th day of *February*, 1897.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament held in the eighteenth and nineteenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act further to amend the laws "concerning the burial of the dead in England," it is, amongst other things, enacted that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, from time to time to postpone the time appointed by any Order in Council for the discontinuance of burials, or otherwise to vary any Order in Council made under any of the Acts recited in the said Act, or under the said Act (whether the time thereby appointed for the discontinuance of burials thereunder, or other operation of such Order, shall or shall not have arrived), as to Her Majesty, with such advice as aforesaid, may seem fit:

And whereas Orders in Council have been made directing the discontinuance of burials in the churchyard hereinafter mentioned from the time specified in such Orders; and whereas it seems fit to Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, that the time for discontinuing burials in the said churchyard be postponed:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the time for the discontinuance of burials in such churchyard be postponed as follows, viz.:—

In the Parish Churchyard of Downe, in the county of Kent, until the thirty-first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

*C. L. Peel.*

**A**T the Court at *Windsor*, the 26th day of *February*, 1897.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS Archibald Bence Bence-Jones Esquire, Barrister-at-Law, duly appointed in pursuance of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1882," as Commissioner for determining the boundaries of the Wards of the borough of Beverley, and for apportioning the Councillors thereto, has transmitted to one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State his Scheme in the following terms:—

"WHEREAS by the Municipal Corporations Acts 1882-1893 it is provided (inter alia) if the Council of a borough agree to petition the Queen for the division of the borough into wards or for the alteration of the number or of the boundaries of its wards it shall be lawful for Her Majesty from time to time by Order in Council to fix the number of wards or the boundaries of the wards into which the borough shall be divided. Where an Order has been so made the Secretary of State shall appoint a Commissioner to prepare a scheme for determining the boundaries of the Wards and apportioning the Councillors among them. In case of alteration of Wards the Commissioner shall so apportion among the altered Wards the Councillors for those Wards so as to provide for their continuing to represent as large a number as possible of their former constituents.

"And whereas on the fourteenth day of August one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six the Right Honourable Sir Matthew White Ridley, Baronet, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State did in pursuance of the Municipal Corporations Acts 1882-1893 duly

warrant and appoint Archibald Bence Bence-Jones Esquire Barrister-at-Law to be a Commissioner to prepare a scheme for determining the boundaries of and for apportioning the Councillors among the Wards of the borough of Beverley without making any alteration of the number of such Wards.

"Now I the said Archibald Bence Bence-Jones do hereby in pursuance of the said warrant and appointment declare this to be my scheme for the purposes of the Municipal Corporations Acts 1882-1893 and I hereby fix and determine that the boundaries of the wards of the said borough of Beverley shall be as follows namely:—

"Saint Mary's Ward.

"Saint Mary's Ward shall include so much of the said borough of Beverley as is comprised within an imaginary line commencing at a point in the southern boundary of the borough one hundred and fifty yards by measurement (be the same slightly more or less) west of a point in the centre of the roadway of Queen's-gate where Queen's-gate is intersected by the boundary of the borough proceeding thence in a northerly direction to the south-east angle of the common pasture land known as Westwood thence northwards along the eastern boundary of Westwood aforesaid to the south-west angle of the closes of land known as Saint Giles' Crofts thence eastwards along the centre of the footpath on the south side of Saint Giles' Crofts aforesaid thence continuing eastwards along the centres of Captain-lane and of Well-lane to Butcher-row thence north-eastwards along the centre of Butcher-row to Wilbert-lane thence north-eastwards along the centre of Wilbert-lane to the point in Wilbert-lane or Mill-lane opposite the level crossing (at the western end of Goth's-lane) over the line of the North-Eastern Railway Company thence over the said level crossing and along the centre of Goth's-lane aforesaid (formerly known as Riding Fields-lane) and of the footpath continuing Goth's-lane in a north-easterly direction to the eastern side of Swinemoor-lane thence in northerly easterly and northerly directions successively along the western boundary of Swinemoor to the northern boundary of the borough in the Hull Bridge-road continuing thence along the northern western and southern boundaries of the borough successively to the point of commencement aforesaid.

"The Minster Ward.

"The Minster Ward shall include so much of the borough of Beverley as is comprised within an imaginary line commencing at the point of commencement of the boundary of Saint Mary's Ward aforesaid and proceeding thence along the interior boundary (as hereinbefore described) of Saint Mary's Ward to the northern boundary of the borough and proceeding thence along the northern eastern and southern boundaries of the borough successively to the point of commencement aforesaid.

"And I the said Commissioner in further pursuance of the terms of the said warrant and for the purposes aforesaid do hereby assign an apportion all the existing Councillors among the Wards as hereinbefore defined of the said borough of Beverley as follows namely:—

"To Saint Mary's Ward nine Councillors namely:—

"Stephenson Copeland.

"William Dale.

"Frederick George Hobson.

"Francis Alwyn Arden.

"Martin Michael Westerby.

"Thomas Joseph Willis.

"George Adams.  
 "John William Chilman.  
 "John Robert Procter.  
 "To the Minster Ward nine Councillors  
 namely :—  
 "Frank Booth.  
 "Thomas Dixon.  
 "William Whitehead.  
 "Jacob Forsythe Raney.  
 "Thomas Dayes.  
 "George Riby.  
 "John Duggleby.  
 "William Green.  
 "Henry Norton.

"A. B. BENICE-JONES.

"Dated this eighteenth day of January one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven."

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth hereby approve of the said Scheme of the said Commissioner and doth order the same to be published in the London Gazette accordingly.

C. L. Peel.

*Privy Council Office, February 26, 1897.*

**BYE-LAWS** made by the School Boards and School Attendance Committees for the following Places, were approved by Her Majesty in Council on the 26th day of February, 1897 :—

**SCHOOL BOARDS.**

Cogenhoe.  
 Kettering.  
 Machynlleth.  
 Manca.  
 Mendham.  
 Pickering.  
 Whepstead.

**BYE-LAWS MADE BY THE SCHOOL BOARDS OF THE UNITED SCHOOL DISTRICTS OF—**

Edgworth.  
 Llanrhaidr-yn-Mochnant.  
 Okehampton.

**BYE-LAWS MADE BY THE SCHOOL BOARD FOR THE COUNTY BOROUGH OF—**

Birkenhead.

**BYE-LAWS MADE BY THE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE COMMITTEE FOR THE MUNICIPAL BOROUGH OF—**

Leominster.

**BYE-LAWS MADE BY THE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE COMMITTEE FOR THE URBAN DISTRICT OF—**

Bishop's Stortford.

**BYE-LAWS MADE BY THE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE COMMITTEE OF THE UNDERMENTIONED UNION FOR THE PARISHES OR TOWNSHIPS NAMED :—**

Union.	Parish or Township.
West Derby ... ..	Aintree
" ... ..	Allerton
" ... ..	Childwall
" ... ..	Croxeth Park
" ... ..	Fazakerley
" ... ..	Great Crosby
" ... ..	Ince Blundell
" ... ..	Kirkby
" ... ..	Litherland
" ... ..	Little Crosby
" ... ..	Lunt
" ... ..	Netherton
" ... ..	Orrell and Ford
" ... ..	Sefton or Sephton
" ... ..	Thornton
" ... ..	West Derby (Rural)

*Privy Council Office, February 26, 1897.*

**T**HE following Statutes made by the Governing Body of Queens' College in the University of Cambridge, on the twelfth day of January one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, have been submitted for the approval of Her Majesty in Council, and notice of their having been so submitted is published in accordance with the provisions contained in the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act, 1877 :—

**STATUTES** to add to alter and amend the Statutes framed by the Commissioners appointed under the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act 1877 (40 and 41 Vict. c. 48) in relation to Queens' College in the University of Cambridge duly made at a General Meeting of the Governing Body of the said College specially summoned for this purpose held on the twelfth day of January one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven and passed at such Meeting by the unanimous vote of all persons present and voting (there being then present the President and six Fellows) and submitted for the approval of Her Majesty the Queen in Council.

We the President Fellows and Scholars of the said College do hereby in the exercise of the powers given us by the fifty-fourth section of the said Act add to alter and amend the Statutes framed by the said Commissioners in relation to our said College in the following manner namely :—

Statute XVIII section 2 by adding the words :—

"If in any year the moneys available for dividend shall not amount to three thousand pounds, it shall be lawful for the Governing Body, if two-thirds of them agree to do so, to suspend the election to one Fellowship, and if in any year the moneys available for dividend shall not amount to two thousand five hundred pounds, it shall be lawful for the Governing Body, if two-thirds of them agree to do so, to suspend the election to another Fellowship in addition to the aforesaid, and if in any year the moneys available for dividend shall not amount to two thousand pounds, it shall be lawful for the Governing Body, if two-thirds of them agree to do so, to suspend the election to another Fellowship in addition to the two aforesaid. The said three or fewer Fellowships shall thereupon be kept vacant, unless a majority of the Governing Body shall at any time resolve to fill up one or more of them by the election of a Fellow or Fellows, or unless two-thirds at least of the Governing Body shall assign one of them or a moiety of one of them as a pension to a retiring College Officer. The annual income arising from the said vacant Fellowship or Fellowships shall be appropriated to increase by equal amounts each of the remaining dividends, namely those assigned to the President, the Fellows, the Scholarship Fund, the Education and Building Funds or towards the contribution to the University. Provided always that if after the Governing Body have ordered the election to one or two or three Fellowships to be suspended for the reasons aforesaid, the revenue of the College shall so increase that in any year the moneys divided shall exceed three thousand pounds but not exceed three thousand five hundred pounds, not more than two of the said Fellowships shall be applied to increase the remaining dividends, and if in any year the moneys divided shall exceed three thousand five hundred pounds but not exceed four thousand pounds, not more than one of the said Fellowships shall be applied to increase the remaining dividends; and if in any year the moneys divided shall exceed four thousand pounds, no Fellowship shall be applied to increase the remaining dividends.

"And when one or more Fellowships, the annual income whereof has been appropriated, as

aforesaid, to increase the remaining dividends, may, by reason of the increase in the revenue of the College, be no longer applied to that purpose, the President shall at the next General College Meeting announce the said Fellowship or Fellowships to be vacant and the Governing Body shall proceed according to the provisions of Statute X section 2 as amended by the Governing Body and approved by Her Majesty in Council on the sixteenth May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

"Fellows whose tenure is governed by Statutes previous to one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two shall have an equal share with the other Fellows in the annual income arising from the said suspended Fellowship or Fellowships."

Statute X section 10 by adding the words :—

"But if at any time the President of the College shall be one of the Professors within the meaning of Statute B chapter iii of the Statutes of the University of Cambridge, the annual income arising from the said Professorial Fellowship shall be applied to increase the Scholarship Fund of the College so long as the said President shall also retain his Professorship."

Given under our Common Seal the twelfth day of January one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

L. S.

*Privy Council Office, February 26, 1897.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty in Council has been this day pleased to pass an Order, under the Dockyard Ports Regulation Act, 1865, defining the limits of the Dockyard Port of Portsmouth, and making regulations for preventing collisions therein, copies of which may be obtained at the Admiralty.

*Privy Council Office, February 26, 1897.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to Her Majesty in Council by the Faculty of Procurators in Glasgow, praying for the grant of a SUPPLEMENTARY CHARTER, and that Her Majesty having referred the said Petition to a Committee of the Lords of the Council, the same will be taken into consideration by their Lordships on the sixth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

*Privy Council Office, February 26, 1897.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to Her Majesty in Council by "The Warden, Masters, and Scholars of the University of Durham," praying for the grant of a SUPPLEMENTARY CHARTER, and that Her Majesty having referred the said Petition to a Committee of the Lords of the Council, the same will be taken into consideration by their Lordships on the sixth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

*Chancery of the Order of  
Saint Michael and Saint George,*

*Downing Street, March 2, 1897.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George :

No. 26828.

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To be an Ordinary Member of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Distinguished Order :—

William Wallace, Esq., Administrator of the Royal Niger Company's Territories.

*Foreign Office, November 20, 1896.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Viscount Gough to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Embassy at Berlin.

*Foreign Office, December 21, 1896.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint George Greville, Esq., C.M.G., to be Her Majesty's Minister Resident at the Court of His Majesty the King of Siam, and also to be Her Majesty's Consul-General in Siam.

*Foreign Office, January 7, 1897.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint—

Maurice William Ernest de Bunsen, Esq., C.B., to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Embassy at Constantinople ; and

The Honourable Michael Henry Herbert, C.B., to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Embassy at Rome.

*Foreign Office, January 18, 1897.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Colonel Allan Henry Maclean to be Her Majesty's Consul for the Canary Islands, to reside at Santa Cruz, Teneriffe.

*Foreign Office, January 22, 1897.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Charles Fox Frederick Adam, Esq., to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Embassy at Washington.

*Foreign Office, January 29, 1897.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint—

Captain Henry Lionel Gallwey to be Her Majesty's Deputy Commissioner and Consul for the Niger Coast Protectorate and adjoining Native Territories ;

Lieutenant-Colonel James Hayes Sadler to be Her Majesty's Consul for the District between Tajurrah and Ras Hafun on the East Coast of Africa ; and

Captain Christopher George Forbes Fagan to be Her Majesty's Consul at Basrah.

*Foreign Office, February 10, 1897.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint—

George Earle Welby, Esq., to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Brussels ;

Arthur James Herbert, Esq., to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Stockholm ; and

Thomas Bryan Clarke-Thornhill, Esq., to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Peking.

*Foreign Office, January 1, 1897.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Herbert William Broadley Harrison, Esq., to be Commercial Attaché to Her Majesty's Embassy at Madrid and Her Majesty's Legation at Lisbon.

*Foreign Office, February 12, 1897.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Herbert William Broadley Harrison, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul at Madrid.

*Foreign Office, February 12, 1897.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Harry Brinsley Brooke, Esq., to be an Acting Third Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service, while employed abroad.

*Whitehall, March 1, 1897.*

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, for presenting the Reverend Clifford Coleridge Chamberlain, M.A., to the Rectory of Snitterby, in the county and diocese of Lincoln, void by the death of the Reverend Henry Usher, the last Incumbent.

*Whitehall, March 1, 1897.*

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto the undermentioned Officers in Her Majesty's Army Her Royal licence and authority that they may accept and wear the Insignia of the Order of the Brilliant Star of Zanzibar (of the Class signified against their respective names), which decoration His Highness the late Sultan of Zanzibar was pleased to confer upon them in recognition of their active and distinguished service before the enemy during the military operations which took place in His late Highness's mainland dominions in March and April last:—

*Brilliant Star of Zanzibar.*

*First Class.*

Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred Astley Pearson, 24th Bombay Infantry.

*Second Class.*

Captain, with temporary rank of Major, John Walter Graham Tulloch, 24th Bombay Infantry.

Captain Charles John Melliss, 9th Bombay Infantry.

Captain Michael Joseph Tighe, D.S.O., 27th Bombay Light Infantry.

Captain William Cross Barratt, 1st Sikh Infantry.

Lieutenant Thomas Edwin Scott, 3rd Sikh Infantry.

*Third Class.*

Subadar Major Hazrat Shah Bahadur, 24th Bombay Infantry.

Subadar Shah Mast, 24th Bombay Infantry.

Subadar Mohammed Hanif, 24th Bombay Infantry.

Subadar Din Mohammed, 26th Bombay Infantry.

*Whitehall, March 1, 1897.*

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto each of the undermentioned Officers in Her Majesty's Army Her Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Decoration signified against his name conferred by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt in recognition of active and distinguished service before the enemy during the recent expedition to Dongola:—

*Medjidieh: Third Class.*

The Reverend Robert Brindle, Army Chaplains' Department.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Currie, C.B., the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment).

*Osmanieh: Fourth Class.*

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Walter Kitchener, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment).

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Thomas Sloggett, Army Medical Staff.

Major William Radcliffe Peel Wallace, Gloucestershire Regiment.

*Medjidieh: Fourth Class.*

Captain and Brevet Major Henry Marwood, the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment).

Surgeon-Captain William Hooper Pinches, Army Medical Staff.

Captain Hill Godfrey Morgan, D.S.O., Army Service Corps.

Captain Lindsay Buchanan Scott, the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment).

Captain William Horsley Persse, Second Dragoon Guards (Queen's Bays).

Captain Cecil Henry de Rougemont, Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant Benjamin Irby Way, the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment).

Lieutenant Lord Edward Herbert Cecil, Grenadier Guards.

Lieutenant William Dunlop Smith, Army Veterinary Department.

Lieutenant George Edward Elkington, Royal Engineers.

Lieutenant William Horsman Goldfinch, the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment).

Lieutenant Harry Lionel Pritchard, Royal Engineers.

Lieutenant Robert Byron Drury Blakeney, Royal Engineers.

Lieutenant Osmond Donald Blunt, the Connaught Rangers.

Lieutenant Nevill Maskelyne Smyth, Second Dragoon Guards (Queen's Bays).

*Medjidieh: Fifth Class.*

Quartermaster, with honorary rank of Lieutenant, John Bartholomew Short, Army Medical Staff.

*Scottish Office, Whitehall, February 26, 1897.*

THE Queen has been pleased, by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, to appoint Ronald Hugh Baillie, Esq., Advocate, to the office of Sheriff-Substitute of the Sheriffdom of Roxburgh, Berwick, and Selkirk, at Jedburgh, in the room of Peter Alexander Speirs, Esq., who has retired.

*Scottish Office, Whitehall, February 26, 1897.*

THE Queen has been pleased, by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, to appoint the Honourable Walter George Hepburne-Scott, Master of Polwarth, to the office of Chairman of the General Board of Commissioners in Lunacy for Scotland, vacant by the resignation of Sir Thomas David Gibson Carmichael, Bart.

(S. 959.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department), London, March 2, 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 Constantinople, enclosing the following notice issued by the Board of Health respecting Quarantine, viz:—

Télégramme-Circulaire aux Offices de Santé en date du 29-10, Février, 1897.

Par décision du Conseil Supérieur de Santé la quarantaine de dix jours imposée aux provenances des Indes est portée à quinze jours. La mesure prohibitive édictée contre les navires qui auraient présenté des cas de peste ou suspects de cette maladie à bord pendant la traversée est maintenue.



Cependant, dans le cas où la peste venait à se manifester, soit parmi les passagers, soit parmi l'équipage, après l'arrivée du navire au Lazaret de Bassorah, navire et passagers seront soumis à une quarantaine de vingt jours à partir du dernier cas constaté, avec désinfection très rigoureuse des hardes, effets et bagages des passagers et de l'équipage. Le navire sera désinfecté et l'eau portable renouvelée. Les eaux des cales seront vidées après avoir été préalablement désinfectées. Toutefois, les navires de cette catégorie auront la faculté de retourner en contumace, avec les passagers qu'ils y auraient amenés, dans leur pays d'origine.

La même quarantaine et les mêmes mesures de rigueur seront également appliquées aux navires provenant des ports du littoral du Bélouchistan jusqu'à la frontière de la Perse.

La mesure de prohibition portée contre les visiteurs chiites et les cadavres provenant des Indes est maintenue et elle est en outre étendue à ceux provenant du littoral du Bélouchistan.

L'entrée des cadavres en Turquie est également prohibée de tout le littoral persan du Golfe Persique ainsi que de toute la frontière persane de terre, allant de l'embouchure du Chat-el-Arab jusqu'à Bayazid inclusivement.

Le Vice Président du Conseil.

AHMED MIDHAT.

(S. 992.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),  
London, March 2, 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 Paris enclosing the following Communication respecting the entry into France of goods shipped to Great Britain from India before the outbreak of the plague and warehoused for ultimate despatch to France, viz. :—

Paris.

le 22 Février, 1897.

Monsieur l'Ambassadeur :—

Votre Excellence a bien voulu, en se référant à sa dépêche du 13 Février courant, m'exprimer, à la date du 21 de ce mois, le désir de connaître quel est, actuellement, le régime sanitaire appliqué en France aux marchandises embarquées aux Indes avant l'apparition de l'épidémie, à destination de la Grande Bretagne et actuellement entreposées à Londres ou dans un autre port anglais en vue d'être réexpédiées en France.

Je m'empresse d'informer Votre Excellence que ma lettre du 18 Février répond à cette question.

1. Les marchandises qui proviennent d'un port indi en compris dans la liste des ports contaminés qu'elles soient ou non entreposées en Angleterre, sont soumises au régime prescrit par le Décret du 9 Février, quelle que soit l'époque de leur départ des Indes.

2. Quant aux marchandises expédiées avant le 5 Février d'un port de l'Inde non contaminé, elles seront considérées, à leur entrée en France, comme provenant d'un pays indemne.

Il appartiendra, en conséquence aux importateurs d'établir, par les moyens de preuve à leur disposition que ces dernières marchandises ont quitté l'Inde Anglaise avant la date du 5 Février et qu'elles sont originaires de ports qui ne sont pas traités comme infectés de peste.

Agréé &c.

G. HANOTAUX.

Son Excellence

Sir E. Monson, G.C.B.,  
&c., &c., &c.

(S. 996.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),  
London, March 2, 1897.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following Telegram, dated 28th ultimo, from Her Majesty's Representative at Madrid, viz. :—"My telegrams of 20th February,\* importation of articles enumerated apply only to those arriving from Bombay. Such articles arriving from ports in Red Sea, Persian Gulf, Gulf of Oman, Arabian Sea, Gulf of Bengal, China Sea, Sea of Japan, and ports of India only, subjected to three days' observation."

\* (See Notices in Gazette, 26th February, S. 930 and S. 926.)

(S. 1004.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),  
London, March 2, 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, of which the following is a copy, viz. :—"Vessels coming from Arabian ports or having called there will be subjected to the rules in notice of February 17, and in No. 11 of February 19.\*"

\* (See London Gazette of 23rd February, S. 913.)

*Admiralty, 27th February, 1897.*

Acting Sub-Lieutenant Denis Granville Thynne has been confirmed in the rank of Sub-Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 15th April, 1896.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 1st April, 1881—Fleet Surgeon William Dudley Wodsworth has this day been placed on the Retired List, with permission to assume the rank of Deputy-Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets.

*Admiralty, 1st March, 1897.*

*Royal Naval Reserve.*

THE following Gentleman to be a Sub-Lieutenant :—

Irving Brock Miles. Dated 20th February, 1897.

*War Office, Pall Mall,*

*2nd March, 1897.*

1st Life Guards, Second Lieutenant Roger C. H. Sloane-Stanley resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

1st Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Frederic Graham is placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 20th February, 1897.

3rd Hussars, Gentleman Cadet St. Clair Alan James MacLeay, from the Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenant, vice H. S. Laverton, promoted. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

18th Hussars, Captain Montagu Sinclair Wellby to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant C. K. Burnett, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 28th February, 1897.

Royal Engineers, Major George F. Wilson to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel A. C. Alexander, placed on half-pay. Dated 18th January, 1897.

Lieutenant Geoffrey C. Kemp to be Captain, vice R. L. C. Brooker, retired. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 27th February, 1897:—

William C. Macfie.  
John B. Corry.  
Francis B. Tillard.  
Bertie W. Mainprise.  
Guy B. Kensington.  
Charles J. Clarke.  
Gerald J. W. Smyth.  
Harold L. Meyrick.  
Edward W. S. Mahon.  
Reginald J. Done.  
Desmond M. FitzG. Hoysted.  
Charles H. Foulkes.  
Henry L. G. Bell.

Gentleman Cadet George Muir Oldham, from the Royal Military Academy, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 22nd February, 1897.

*Grenadier Guards*, Captain Thomas H. H. Bradford-Atkinson to be Major, vice F. C. Ricardo, promoted Lieutenant-Colonel on half-pay. Dated 10th February, 1897.

Captain Francis J. Davies is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 13th February, 1897.

Lieutenant Hugh V. Warrender resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Second Lieutenant E. F. O. Gascoigne to be Lieutenant, vice M. Earle, appointed Adjutant. Dated 10th February, 1897.

Gentleman Cadet George Darell Jeffreys, from the Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. V. Warrender. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

#### LINE BATTALIONS.

*The Royal Warwickshire Regiment*, Lieutenant Edward L. Allen to be Captain, vice H. J. S. Landon, appointed Adjutant. Dated 25th December, 1896.

*The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment)*, Lieutenant Norman R. McMahon to be Captain, vice R. J. Pinney, seconded. Dated 27th November, 1896.

Second Lieutenant F. Bigg-Wither to be Lieutenant, vice N. R. McMahon. Dated 27th November, 1896.

*The Suffolk Regiment*, Second Lieutenant H. d'A. Smith to be Lieutenant, vice G. H. S. Browne, promoted. Dated 1st February, 1897.

*The Leicestershire Regiment*, Captain James G. L. Burnett to be Major, vice W. S. D. Liardet, promoted. Dated 10th February, 1897.

Supernumerary Captain Lionel C. Sherer to be Captain, in succession to Major J. G. L. Burnett, Adjutant of Volunteers. Dated 10th February, 1897.

*The Royal Irish Regiment*, Captain Walter R. B. Doran is seconded for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 1st January, 1897.

*The Lancashire Fusiliers*, Second Lieutenant J. V. Timmis to be Lieutenant, vice J. M. Young, seconded. Dated 1st January, 1897.

*The Cheshire Regiment*, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—  
H. St. J. Morrell, vice W. K. Tarver, seconded. Dated 1st January, 1897.

C. W. Collins, vice J. F. Wolseley, seconded. Dated 30th January, 1897.

*The East Surrey Regiment*, Captain Arthur G. Dwyer is seconded for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 1st January, 1897.

Second Lieutenant Guy Edmund Bladensberg Oldfield (University Candidate), from 4th Battalion the Norfolk Regiment, to be Second Lieutenant, vice F. G. Fisher, deceased. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry*, Captain Leonard P. H. Bliss to be Adjutant, vice Captain C. B. Jervis-Edwards, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 1st March 1897.

*The Essex Regiment*, Captain Henry C. Crawford is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Volunteers. Dated 15th February, 1897.

*The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment)*, Second Lieutenant William George Hodgson Lawley (University Candidate), from 3rd Battalion, to be Second Lieutenant, vice W. D. Ingle, promoted. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*The Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment)*, Supernumerary Captain William A. Barnett to be Captain, vice F. Geldard, promoted. Dated 3rd February, 1897.

*The Highland Light Infantry*, Captain Gordon T. J. Carey retires from the Service receiving a gratuity, with permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, the Duke of Albany's)*, Captain Alfred C. Seton-Christopher retires on retired pay. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*The Connaught Rangers*, The restoration to the Establishment of Supernumerary Lieutenant George C. Digan is antedated to 9th October, 1896.

*Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders)*, Captain A. E. J. Cavendish to be Major, vice W. H. Dick-Cunyngham, V.C., promoted into the Gordon Highlanders. Dated 12th February, 1897.

Lieutenant Archibald Patten to be Captain, vice A. E. J. Cavendish. Dated 12th February, 1897.

Second Lieutenant P. D. McCandlish to be Lieutenant, vice A. Patten. Dated 12th February, 1897.

*The Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians)*, Quartermaster and Honorary Captain Samuel Preston retires on retired pay. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*The Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own)*, Supernumerary Captain Wellesley G. Pigott to be Captain, vice the Honourable C. E. Walsh, seconded. Dated 15th February, 1897.

*Staff*, The undermentioned Officers, from Lieutenant-Colonels Army Service Corps, to be Assistant Adjutant-Generals, and to have the substantive rank of Colonel in the Army. Dated 24th February, 1897:—

Lieutenant-Colonel W. D. Richardson, C.B., vice Colonel J. W. Elmes, Army Service Corps, retired.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. A. Dunne, C.B., which appointment is substituted for that of Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. Grattan, which appointment is substituted for that of Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. H. Bridge, Army Service Corps, to be a Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General, vice Lieutenant-Colonel W. T. McLeod, Army Service Corps, retired. Dated 1st March, 1897.

*Royal Military Academy*, Major B. St. J. Barter, the Lincolnshire Regiment, to be a Professor, vice Lieutenant-Colonel H. D. Buchanan-Dunlop, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 28th January, 1897.

*Army Medical Staff*, The undermentioned Officers retire on retired pay. Dated 3rd March, 1897:—

Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel William H. Steele, M.D., F.R.C.S.I.

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Edward O. Reynolds.

The first Christian name of Surgeon-Lieutenant Rattray, M.B., is Malcolm, and not as stated in the Gazette of 16th February, 1897.

*Army Ordnance Department*, The undermentioned Assistant Commissaries of Ordnance and Honorary Lieutenants to be Deputy Commissaries of Ordnance, with the honorary rank of Captain:—

T. J. Warnes. Dated 17th June, 1896.

J. A. Roberts. Dated 24th June, 1896.

J. Genders. Dated 29th June, 1896.

J. Thompson. Dated 18th July, 1896.

Conductor J. Linington, Army Ordnance Corps, to be an Assistant Commissary of Ordnance, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant on augmentation. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*Army Pay Department*, Captain A. B. Morgan, the Suffolk Regiment, to be Paymaster. Dated 15th April, 1896.

#### BREVET.

The promotion to the rank of Colonel of Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. Lyster, Indian Staff Corps, is dated 16th October, 1896, and not as stated in the Gazette of 1st December, 1896.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels:—

Robert A. Prideaux, Bombay Infantry. Dated 5th January, 1897.

George H. O'Malley, Royal Artillery. Dated 19th January, 1897.

#### INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Colonel James H. Prendergast is transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 1st January, 1897.

#### MEMORANDA.

Colonel Dudley North, C.B., on completion of his period of service on the Staff, is placed on half-pay. Dated 25th February, 1897.

Colonel Edmund D. C. O'Brien, on completion of his period of service on the Staff, is placed on half-pay. Dated 31st December, 1896.

The undermentioned Officers are placed on retired pay:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas H. H. Garrett, half-pay. Dated 1st March, 1897.

Major Digby de la M. du Boulay, half-pay. Dated 2nd March, 1897.

Captain Charles R. S. Sainsbury, half-pay, is retired from the Army on account of ill-health. Dated 17th February, 1897.

Quartermaster and Honorary Major Thomas Hamilton, retired pay, is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in recognition of his services in the Army. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant Samuel Preston, the Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians), is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 2nd March, 1897.

#### RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Lieutenant the Earl of Albemarle, Lieutenant-Colonel 12th Middlesex Volunteer Rifle Corps, to be Captain. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

#### ARMY MEDICAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Surgeon-Lieutenant A. B. Lyon, M.B., to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*War Office*, 2nd March, 1897.

#### MILITIA.

##### ROYAL ARTILLERY.

*The Fife Artillery (Southern Division)*, Lieutenant R. D. M. Keate resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*The West of Scotland Artillery (Southern Division)*, James Husband de Dutton, Esq., Lieutenant Reserve of Officers, and late Captain, 1st Cheshire and Carnarvonshire Volunteer Artillery, to be Captain. Dated 3rd March, 1897. Second Lieutenant R. F. Peiniger to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

George Frederick Neale Arthur, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

##### ROYAL ENGINEERS (MILITIA).

*Royal Monmouthshire*, George Bent Ollivant, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

##### Submarine Miners.

*The Falmouth Division*, Captain and Instructor of Musketry S. G. Johnson is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*The Needles Division*, Stephen Langton, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

##### INFANTRY.

*3rd Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment)*, Second Lieutenant A. Brodie to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*3rd Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment*, Lieutenant J. C. Hylton-Jolliffe resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*5th Battalion, the Royal Irish Regiment*, Lieutenant W. D. Byrne is seconded for service in the Lagos Constabulary. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Ernest John Norwood, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*4th Battalion, the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment)*, Captain and Honorary Major James Douglas Stoddart Douglas Archer, retired, late 3rd Battalion the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, to be Captain. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*3rd and 4th Battalions, the Lancashire Fusiliers*, Major E. J. Mayor is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*3rd Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers*, Lieutenant A. D. P. Hughes is superseded for absence without leave. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*3rd Battalion, the South Wales Borderers*, Lieutenant J. R. Harris resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*4th Battalion, the South Wales Borderers*, Lieutenant-Colonel C. E. Ramsbottom-Isherwood is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*4th Battalion, the Gloucestershire Regiment*, Second Lieutenant R. H. Barneby resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*4th Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment*, Captain G. H. Alexander is seconded for service in the Lagos Constabulary. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*4th Battalion, the Border Regiment*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel H. P. Mason resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform on his retirement. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*4th Battalion, the Essex Regiment*, Lieutenant G. S. Caldecott resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Second Lieutenant G. P. Ommanney to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*3rd Battalion, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel E. D. Lee resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform on his retirement. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*3rd Battalion, Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment)*, Captain and Honorary Major the Honourable Charles Alexander, from the 4th Battalion, the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, to be Captain. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*3rd Battalion, the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry)*, Lieutenant A. Gorham resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*7th Battalion, the King's Royal Rifle Corps*, Captain A. S. Heathcote to be Major. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

James Evan Baillie Martin, Esq., Captain, retired pay, late King's Royal Rifle Corps, to be Captain. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*8th Battalion, the King's Royal Rifle Corps*, Lieutenant-Colonel J. J. H. R. Eustace resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform on his retirement. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*3rd and 4th Battalions, the Manchester Regiment*, Captain George Grant, from the 2nd Tower Hamlets Royal Engineers (Volunteers), to be Captain. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Second Lieutenant J. W. R. Bathe resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*3rd Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry*, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Herbert James Kirkpatrick. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Francis Gilfrid Maughan. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*3rd and 4th Battalions, the Highland Light Infantry*, Second Lieutenant The Honourable J. D. Hamilton resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*3rd Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders*, William McCombie Duguid-McCombie, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*2nd Battalion, the Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders*, Lieutenant G. A. C. Davy resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*5th Battalion, the Royal Irish Rifles*, The undermentioned Officers to be Captains:—

Lieutenant W. P. Thompson. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Lieutenant and Instructor of Musketry C. H. Edey. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Lieutenant G. E. H. Barrett-Hamilton. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*3rd Battalion, Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers)*, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

W. H. Ferrar. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

L. D. W. Hearsey. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

A. C. M. B., Viscount Acheson. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*5th Battalion, Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers)*, Lieutenant-Colonel J. Leslie is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*5th Battalion, the Connaught Rangers*, Lieutenant W. H. Parke to be Captain. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*5th Battalion, the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own)*, Second Lieutenant G. S. Douglas resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

#### YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

*Derbyshire*, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel W. Boden 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 March, 1897.

*Hampshire (Carabiniers)*, Second Lieutenant R. Nicholson to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*Royal East Kent*, Antony Edmund Gibbs, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*West Kent (Queen's Own)*, Second Lieutenant A. P. Davison to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*Northumberland (Hussars)*, Miles Roland Charles Backhouse, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*Westmoreland and Cumberland*, Major H. C. Earl of Lonsdale, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, under the provisions of paragraph 28 of the Yeomanry Regulations, 1894, as amended by Army Order 3 of 1897. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*Royal Wiltshire (Prince of Wales's Own Royal Regiment)*, Captain T. H., Marquis of Bath, is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*Yorkshire Hussars (Princess of Wales's Own)*, Captain F. R. H. S. Sutton is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

#### VOLUNTEER CORPS.

##### LIGHT HORSE.

*1st Fifehire*, Lieutenant Sir W. O. Corbet, Bart., resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

##### ARTILLERY.

*2nd Cinque Ports (Eastern Division, Royal Artillery)*, Nicholas McIvor Rapp, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*1st Hampshire (Southern Division, Royal Artillery)*, Surgeon-Lieutenant V. J. Blake, M.B., resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*1st Midlothian*, Lieutenant W. K. Dickson to be Captain. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Second Lieutenant R. K. Blair to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*4th Lancashire*, Edward Durning Holt, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*1st Dorsetshire (Southern Division, Royal Artillery)*, Robert Hassall Owen Owen-Swoffield, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*1st Argyll and Bute*, The undermentioned Officers to be Majors:—

Captain and Honorary Major A. Mitchell, jun. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Captain J. Lothian. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

A. F. Huie. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

J. Stewart. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*The Tynemouth (Western Division, Royal Artillery),* Second Lieutenant J. H. Nicholson to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*2nd Northumberland (Percy) (Western Division, Royal Artillery),* Lieutenant J. F. Hutchinson to be Captain. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Lieutenant Dugald Baird, from the 1st Fifeshire Volunteer Artillery, to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*1st Cornwall (Duke of Cornwall's) (Western Division, Royal Artillery),* Acting Chaplain the Reverend E. D. Jones resigns his appointment. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*2nd Glamorganshire,* Henry Joseph Simpson, Esq., late Lieutenant, 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Welsh Regiment, to be Captain. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*1st Gloucestershire,* The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—  
George Samuel James Boyd. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Thomas Spencer. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*1st Durham (Western Division, Royal Artillery),* Lieutenant G. I. Simey resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Quartermaster W. H. Herbert is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*4th West Riding of Yorkshire (Western Division, Royal Artillery),* Lieutenant G. McD. Clench to be Captain. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Allen Alexander Hollingsworth, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

#### ROYAL ENGINEERS (VOLUNTEERS).

*1st Middlesex,* Lieutenant A. G. Earl resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

#### RIFLES.

*The Queen's Rifle Volunteer Brigade, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment),* Captain W. S. Dickson resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

J. A. Hope. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

J. D. Wilkie. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

A. Clark. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

J. O. Grey. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

J. T. R. Wilson. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

J. Wilson-Beaton. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

R. M. Cameron. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

D. T. Jones. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

W. K. Anderson, jun. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

W. H. Anderson. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Archibald James Bain, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*6th Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment),* John Peterswald Pattison, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*4th Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment),* Captain and Instructor of Musketry T. Colley resigns the appointment of Instructor of Musketry to the Battalion. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Lieutenant A. E. Colley is appointed Instructor of Musketry to the Battalion, under the provisions of paragraph 59 of the Volunteer Regulations 1896, and is seconded whilst holding the appointment. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment),* Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel A. J. Bolton to be Lieutenant-Colonel under the provisions of paragraph 55A of the Volunteer Regulations 1896. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Captain and Honorary Major Arthur Dudley Stallard, retired, is re-appointed to the Battalion as Major. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment),* Surgeon-Lieutenant Arthur Anthony Howell resigns his Commission, and is appointed Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the King's (Liverpool Regiment),* Lieutenant R. McDonald resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Lincolnshire Regiment,* Captain J. M. Warrenner is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*2nd (Prince of Wales's) Volunteer Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment,* Richard Patrick Ryan, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*5th (the Hay Tor) Volunteer Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment,* Acting Chaplain the Reverend T. H. Elliott, M.A., resigns his appointment. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*3rd (Cambridgeshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment,* Lieutenant W. A. Rhodes to be Captain. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Surgeon-Lieutenant E. H. Doucy, M.B., to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry),* Lieutenant E. P. Liddon resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the East Yorkshire Regiment,* Lieutenant H. D. Lloyd to be Captain. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Leicestershire Regiment,* Lieutenant A. Welch to be Captain. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Arthur Billson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Cheshire Regiment,* Conrad Theodore Green, Gent., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*4th Volunteer Battalion, the South Wales Borderers,* The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Herbert George Kemmis. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Herbert Lean Goldsworthy. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*1st Roxburgh and Selkirk (the Border),* Lieutenant W. Rutherford, jun., resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*3rd (Dumfries) Volunteer Battalion, the King's Own Scottish Borderers,* The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Herbert Douglas Scott. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

James Henderson. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

*4th Volunteer Battalion, the Cameronians (Scottish Rifles),* Second Lieutenant A. D. Ker to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Nelson Mitchell, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 3rd March, 1897.

1st (City of Bristol) Volunteer Battalion, the Gloucestershire Regiment, George Henry Cromey Perrin, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Epsom College Cadet Corps attached to the 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment, Honorary Lieutenant A. J. Newsom to be Honorary Captain on increase of Establishment. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

4th Volunteer Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment. Second Lieutenant J. T. James to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, Second Lieutenant J. W. Haughton resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), Second Lieutenant A. W. Sykes to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

1st Cinque Ports, Captain J. L. Adam resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment, Captain R. Hewett is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

5th (Isle of Wight, "Princess Beatrice's") Volunteer Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment, Victor John Blake, M.B., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the South Staffordshire Regiment, Surgeon-Lieutenant W. F. M. Jackson 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 March, 1897.

Henry Spencer Hughes, Gent., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Dorsetshire Regiment, Captain and Honorary Major W. T. Whetham 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 March, 1897.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Welsh Regiment, David Lewis Harris, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), Second Lieutenant H. R. Smith to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

1st London, Howell Arthur Gwynne, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Surgeon-Captain H. F. Stokes to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

3rd London, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

C. D. Enoch. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

H. B. Lampen. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Surgeon-Major G. Hastings to be Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Manchester Regiment, Captain F. P. Bayley resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), Captain E. Slaney to be Major. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

3rd (The Blythswood) Volunteer Battalion, the Highland Light Infantry, Quartermaster and Honorary Captain D. Gillies resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

1st (Ross Highland) Volunteer Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, the Duke of Albany's), Second Lieutenant F. McKinnon to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

6th Volunteer Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders, Surgeon-Lieutenant George Lyon, M.B., resigns his Commission, and is appointed Captain. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

4th (Stirlingshire) Volunteer Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), The undermentioned Captains resign their Commissions:—

H. Robson. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

R. P. Roy. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

1st Dumbartonshire, Robert Lyon Stevenson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

7th (Clackmannan and Kinross) Volunteer Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel A. T. Moyes to be Lieutenant-Colonel, under the provisions of paragraph 55A of the Volunteer Regulations, 1896. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

Lieutenant A. A. Thomson resigns his Commission; also is granted the honorary rank of Captain, with permission to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

18th Middlesex, Alexander Neville Blair, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

24th Middlesex, Captain Marcus William De la Poer Beresford, the Rifle Brigade, to be Adjutant, vice Captain J. E. B. Martin, the King's Royal Rifle Corps, who has vacated the appointment. Dated 15th February, 1897.

1st Tower Hamlets, Lieutenant W. E. Evans-Jackson resigns his Commission. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

2nd Tower Hamlets, Lieutenant H. E. Clark to be Captain. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

F. B. Lampen. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

A. T. Bellamy. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

William Ellis King, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd March, 1897.

#### THE FAIRS ACT, 1873.

The Local Government Act, 1894.

##### RIPLEY FAIR.

WHEREAS a representation has been duly made to me, as Secretary of State for the Home Department, by the Urban District Council of Ripley, that a Fair has been annually held on the 23rd day of October and the two following days at Ripley, in the county of Derby, and that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that such Fair should in future be held on the Thursday nearest to the said 23rd October and the two following days in every year.

And whereas notice of the said representation and of the time when I should take the same into consideration has been duly published in pursuance of "The Fairs Act, 1873."

And whereas on such representation and consideration, it appears to me that it would be for the

convenience and advantage of the public that the said Fair should in future be held on the Thursday nearest to the said 23rd October and the two following days in every year.

Now therefore I, as the Secretary of State for the Home Department, in exercise of the powers vested in me by "The Fairs Act, 1873," do hereby order that the Fair which has been annually held on the 23rd day of October, and the two following days at Ripley, in the county of Derby, shall in future be held on the Thursday nearest to the said 23rd October and the two following days in every year.

Given under my hand at Whitehall, this  
25th day of February, 1897.

M. W. Ridley.

**GENERAL ORDER of the Local Government Board: Altering General Consolidated Order: Out-door Labour Test:—**

**Tetbury Union.**

To the Guardians of the Poor of the Tetbury Union;—

To the Overseers of the Poor of the several Parishes comprised in the said Union;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WE, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf, hereby Order with respect to the relief of the Poor in the said Tetbury Union, as follows:—

**ARTICLE 1.**—Subject to the provisions of the General Order of the Poor Law Commissioners dated the twenty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, in force in the Union, every able-bodied male pauper who receives relief within the Union, and is relieved out of the Workhouse, shall be relieved in the following manner; that is to say,—

Half at least of the relief given to such pauper shall be given in food, clothing, and other articles of necessity.

No such pauper shall receive relief from the Guardians, or any of their officers, or any Overseer of any township in the Union, while he is employed for wages or other hire or remuneration by any person; but every such pauper so relieved shall be set to work by the Guardians.

**ARTICLE 2.**—The Guardians shall, within fourteen days after the day when this Order comes into force, and from time to time afterwards as the Local Government Board may require, report to the Local Government Board the place or places at which able-bodied male paupers shall be so set to work in the Union, the sort or sorts of work in which they or any of them shall be employed, the times and mode of work, and all such other matters relating to the employment of such able-bodied paupers as the said Guardians shall deem material to be communicated to the Local Government Board, or as the Local Government Board shall require.

**ARTICLE 3.**—If the Guardians shall depart, in any particular instance, from any of the regulations hereinbefore contained, and shall, within fifteen days after such departure, report the same and the grounds thereof to the Local Government Board, and if the Local Government Board shall approve of such departure, then the relief granted in such particular instance shall, if otherwise lawful, not be deemed to be unlawful, or be subject to be disallowed.

No. 26828.

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And whereas provision is made in a General Order of the Poor Law Commissioners, bearing date the twenty-fourth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven, in force in the said Union, for the appointment of an officer, to be termed a Superintendent of Out-door Labour, and for the continuance in office of such officer, and it is expedient that further provision should be made as hereinafter mentioned;

We therefore further Order, that if at any time the number of able-bodied male paupers requiring relief shall be so small as to render the services of a Superintendent of Out-door Labour unnecessary, the Guardians may dispense with the services of such an officer.

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

L. S.

Henry Chaplin,  
President.

S. B. Provis, Assistant Secretary.

**Civil Service Commission, February 26, 1897.**

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that at an Open Competitive Examination for the situation of Junior Assistant, South Kensington Museum (Art Branch), held in London on the 9th February, 1897, and following days, notice of which Examination was given in the London Gazette of the 22nd December, 1896, the undermentioned Candidate obtained the first place:—

Brackett, Oliver.

**Civil Service Commission, February 26, 1897.**

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that at an Open Competitive Examination for the situation of Clerk in Her Majesty's Stationery Office, held on the 9th February, 1897, and following day, notice of which Examination was given in the London Gazette of the 1st January, 1897, the undermentioned Candidates obtained the first two places:—

No. in Order of Merit.	Name.	Locality of Examination.
1	Paterson, John ...	Edinburgh
2	Neill, John Clarke ...	London

**Civil Service Commission, March 2, 1897.**

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for Eastern Cadetships, will be held in London, commencing on the 3rd August, 1897, under Regulations dated 20th January, 1897.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 8th July, an application in the handwriting of the Candidate, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary about the end of April.



## 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 February, 1897.

Name.	Country.	Date of Certificate.	Place of Residence.
Barr, Isaac ... ..	Russia ...	13th January, 1897 ...	London, 28, Hunt - street, Mile End New Town
Bastling, William Jules ...	Germany ...	25th January, 1897 ...	London, 149, High-road, Kilburn
Bendit, Siegfried... ..	Switzerland	11th February, 1897...	London, 68, Fellows-road, Hampstead
Benvenisti, Vitale ... ..	Turkey ...	30th January, 1897 ...	London, 51, Shaftesbury-avenue
Bernstein, Marks ... ..	Russia ...	30th January, 1897 ...	London, 76, Christian-street, St. George's East
Blachman, Israel ... ..	Russia ...	5th January, 1897 ...	London, 29, Crispin-street, Spital-fields
Blumenfeld, Edward ... ..	Russia ...	30th January, 1897 ...	Manchester, 55, Choir - street, Lower Broughton
Carlson, Carl Peter ... ..	Denmark ...	13th January, 1897 ...	Waterloo, near Blyth, Northumberland, 16, Marine-terrace
Carnovski, Morris ... ..	Russia ...	2nd February, 1897 ...	Glasgow, 14, Rose-street
Dubowsky, Morris Israel	Russia ...	13th January, 1897 ...	London, 26, Langdale - street, Cannon-street-road
Engelbert, Charles ... ..	Switzerland	1st February, 1897 ...	London, 20, Upper Westbourne-terrace
Freeman, Harris... ..	Russia ...	18th February, 1897...	Ayr, Scotland, 9, Carrick-street
Frieder, Abraham Harris	Russia ...	19th January, 1897 ...	London, 10, Underwood - street, Buxton-street
Freilachoff, Isaac... ..	Russia ...	18th January, 1897 ...	London, 97, Hanbury-street, Mile End New Town
Frank, Wolf ... ..	Holland ...	12th January, 1897 ...	London, 166, St. George-street, St. George's East
Gaster, Anghel ... ..	Roumania...	6th February, 1897 ...	London, 224, Belsize-road, West Hampstead
Gerschler, Ernst ... ..	Germany ...	8th February, 1897 ...	Dumfries, The County Toilet Club, English-street
Giessmann, Emile Oscar	Germany ...	23rd January, 1897 ...	London, 19, Parliament Hill-road, Hampstead
Gilberg, Barnett ... ..	Russia ...	30th January, 1897 ...	Manchester, 32, Fernie-street, Cheetham
Goldbaum, Henry ... ..	Roumania ...	31st December, 1896...	Manchester, 150, Bury New-road, Higher Broughton
Goldberg, Lewis ... ..	Russia ...	12th January, 1897 ...	Dublin, 6, St. Kevin's-parade, South Circular-road
Goodfield, Louis ... ..	Russia ...	31st December, 1896...	Manchester, 22, Cheetwood-street, Strangeways
Grahl, Julius Augustus ...	Germany ...	2nd February, 1897 ...	Leeds, 109, Brudenell-road
Grahl, Richard ... ..	Germany ...	27th October, 1896 ...	North Shields, Clife-street
Gross, Joseph ... ..	Russia ...	12th January, 1897 ...	Newbridge, co. Kildare, 6, Edward-street
Hovannessian, Aram ... ..	Turkey ...	3rd February, 1897 ...	Didsbury, near Manchester, 19, Queen's-road
Infeld, Saul ... ..	Austria ...	14th January, 1897 ...	London, 42, Beresford - road, Canonbury
Jacoboski, Phillip ... ..	Russia ...	25th January, 1897 ...	London, 53, Varden-street, Philpot-street
Karek, Ferdinand Faber	United States of America	23rd January, 1897 ...	Blackburn, 113, Preston New-road
Keudell, Blanche Emmeline	Germany ...	27th January, 1897 ...	London, 1, Pelham-crescent, South Kensington
Klostermann, Frank ... ..	Germany ...	26th January, 1897 ...	Leeds, 19, Ebberston - terrace, Victoria-road
Kosky, Woolf ... ..	Russia ...	18th January, 1897 ...	London, 30, Myrdle-street, Commercial-road
Landau, Isaac ... ..	Russia ...	13th January, 1897 ...	London, 72, Sclater-street, Bethnal Green
Levy, Morris ... ..	Russia ...	13th January, 1897 ...	London, 3, Holywell-lane, Shore-ditch
Lipman, Isaac ... ..	Russia ...	18th January, 1897 ...	London, 112, Old Castle-street, Whitechapel
Lunkenheimer, Christopher	Germany ...	12th <sup>2</sup> January, 1897 ...	London, 78A, Park-street, Camden Town
Menart, Charles Joseph ...	Belgium ...	8th February, 1897 ...	Glasgow, 34, Alexandra-parade

Name.	Country.	Date of Certificate.	Place of Residence.
Pelsen, Olaf Peter ...	Denmark ...	30th January, 1897 ...	Kingston-upon-Hull, Olive Villa, Somerset-street
Price, Samuel ...	Russia ...	5th January, 1897 ...	London, 8, New Castle-place, Whitechapel
Rosenbaum, Samuel ...	Austria ...	14th January, 1897 ...	London, 23, Amhurst-road, Hackney
Rosenthal, Benjamin ...	Russia ...	13th January, 1897 ...	London, 45, Pelham-street, Mile End New Town
Rosenthal, Harris ...	Russia ...	8th February, 1897 ...	London, 59, Plumber's-row, Whitechapel
Sayette, Jacob ...	Russia ...	7th September, 1896	London, 168, Cannon-street-road, Commercial-road
Sharer, Israel ...	Austria ...	25th November, 1896	London, 17, Raven-row, Whitechapel
Shmulovitz, Lewis ...	Russia ...	11th February, 1897...	Glasgow, 167, Main-street
Shonman, Nathan ...	Russia ...	19th January, 1897 ...	London, 34, Lucas-street, St. George's East
Sjollema, Peter ...	Holland ...	3rd February, 1897 ...	London, 61, Venner-road, Sydenham
Stein, Carl ...	Austria ...	30th January, 1897 ...	Manchester, 27, Sagar-street, Bury New-road
Stern, Abraham ...	Russia ...	17th February, 1897 ...	London, 269, Whitechapel-road
Suren, Johannes Heinrich Theodor Eduard	Germany ...	10th February, 1897 ...	Hampton Wick, Middlesex, "Carlogas"
Thys, Leon Theodore François	Belgium ...	25th January, 1897 ...	Folkestone, 38, Bouverie-road West
Weller, Adolphus Emil ...	Germany ...	12th January, 1897 ...	Watford, Hertfordshire, 57, Market-street
Wild, John ...	Germany ...	19th January, 1897 ...	London, 152, St. George-street, St. George's East

Home Office, Whitehall, March 1, 1897.

# ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 26TH FEBRUARY 1897.)

(SWINE-FEVER INFECTED AREA.)

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:

1. The Order described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby from and after the commencement of this Order revoked: Provided that such revocation shall not invalidate or make unlawful anything done under the Swine-Fever (Infected Areas) Order of 1896 and the Order described in

the Schedule to this Order before the commencement of this Order, or interfere with the institution or prosecution of any proceeding in respect of any offence committed against, or any penalty incurred under, those Orders before the commencement of this Order.

2. This Order shall come into operation on the second day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

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



T. H. Elliott,  
Secretary.

## SCHEDULE.

*Order Revoked.*

No.	Date.	Subject.
5490	1896. 12 November ...	Gloucestershire, Worcestershire, and Warwickshire—Swine-Fever Infected Area for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Infected Areas) Order of 1896.

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

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T. H. Elliott,  
Secretary.

## SCHEDULE.

Order Revoked.

No.	Date.	Subject.
5481	1896. 29 October ... ..	Warwickshire—Walker Barnard's Sale Yard, Stratford-upon-Avon—Prohibiting the sale or exposure for sale of swine.

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, March 2, 1897.*

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

*February 25, 1897.*

## AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

*Second Division: Clerks,* Thomas James Arnold, Herbert George Carpenter, William Kenneth Goodall Cooper, Alfred Coulson, Reginald John Harrison, Raymond Walter Needham, William Peacey Osborne, Sydney Richard Pughe.

*Post Office: Female Telegraph Learner, Edinburgh:* Adeline Begg.

## AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

*Second Division: Clerks,* Conrad Henry Edward Grüneberg, James Charles Stibbs.

## WITHOUT COMPETITION.

*Supreme Court of Judicature, England: Third Class Clerk,* Manasseh Johnson.

*Post Office: Postmen, London,* William Henry Jowitt, William John Thornton.

*Porter, London,* Alfred Critchley.

*Postmistress, Waterloo, Liverpool,* Mary Ellen Parr.

*Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners,* Alfred Bernard Ballard (Derby), Frederick Dan Ellwood Batchelor (Arundel), Thomas Smith Chambers (Taunton).

*Postmen,* John Joseph Connell (Athy), John McVeigh (Claremorris).

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

*Board of Trade: Engineer Surveyor (Third Class),* Alfred Augustus Williams.

*February 26, 1897.*

## AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

*Second Division: Clerks,* Hutcheson Campbell Black, William John Eady, William Harrison, Frank Ernest Keay, John Shilson Moody, Walter Monks, Frederic Murch Palmer.

*Irish Land Commission: Third Class Clerk for Service in the Congested Districts Board,* John de la Hunty Guinan.

*War Office: Assistant Surveyor, Royal Engineer Civil Staff,* William Harold Webb.

*Post Office: Female Clerks, London,* Aimée Clotilde Legros, Margaret Doig Watson.

*Female Telegraph Learners in the Central Office, London,* Frances Louisa Foden, Ethel Ellen Gilbert, Euphrosyne Mary Wheeler.

## AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

*Second Division: Clerks,* Ernest Henry Bruce, Percy Charles Davis, Francis James Hayes.

## WITHOUT COMPETITION.

*Admiralty: Portsmouth Dockyard, Labourer,* William Bishop.

*Devonport Dockyard, Engine-Fitter,* Richard Glanville.

*Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officers, Division I,* William Bond, George Hutchinson, Thomas Robinson.

*Subordinate Officer, Division II,* William Tee.

*Prisons Department, Scotland: Warder,* James Duguid.

*Post Office: Porter, London,* John Henry George Warne.

*Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Glasgow,* Isabella Kay, Marion Williamson Morrison, Helen Anderson Rome, Elizabeth Simpson.

*February 27, 1897.*

## AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

*Second Division: Clerks,* Stanley Charles Appleby, Alfred John William Edward Benjamin, Glinn Brooks, James Simon Fraser, Burrell Page, William Clarke Putnam.

*Inland Revenue: Assistant Surveyor of Taxes* George Wilcock.

*Post Office: Female Telegraph Learners in the Central Office, London,* Violet Mary Isabel Edwards, Mabel Linom, Katie Wignell.

**AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.**

*Second Division: Clerks,* Albert Edgar Bird, Arthur Christey, Edward Charles Frost, Charles Edward Hain, Walter Perry Shervill.

**WITHOUT COMPETITION.**

*Consular Service: Vice-Consul at Leghorn,* Montgomery Carmichael.

*Office of Works: Park-keeper in one of the Royal Parks,* John Wade.

*Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer: Division II,* Robert Thayer.

*Royal Commission on Local Taxation: Messenger,* George Gasgoyne.

*Post Office: Porter, London,* Joseph Moller.

*Sorting Clerks, Dublin,* John William Farrar, Adam Smyth.

*Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners,* John George Farrar (York), Alfred Ernest Goodwin (Manchester), Edith Nellie Harris (Eastbourne), Marie Le Feuvre (Jersey), Margaret Teresa McCormick (Belfast), Mary Jane Petrie (Duns), William Potter (Swindon), Bridget Somers (Swinford), George James Summers (Swindon).

*Postmen, Manchester,* Percy Henry Barber, Hartley Bracewell, Harry Dewhurst, Tom Lomas, Edwin Payton, Josiah Peters, William Shepherd.

*Postmen,* John Henry Almey (Middlesbrough), Charles William Laking (Ripon), Thomas Walton Raisbeck (Middlesbrough), Ernest Daniel Rumble (Uxbridge), John William Thomas, otherwise John Wynne (Rhyl).

**FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOX COPYIST (NEW CLASS).**

Joseph Edward Urbani.

**Civil Service Commission, March 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, Transfers, and Promotion in the Civil Service, were notified to them in the month of February, 1897:—

**APPOINTMENTS.**

*Admiralty,* Merton John James to be Assistant Surveyor (Second Grade) in the Department of the Director of Engineering and Architectural Works, at the Head Office and the Outposts.

Nathaniel Alexander Hay and Herbert Simmins to be Deputy Naval Storekeepers.

Henry Outhwaite to be Clerical Assistant in the Royal Observatory, Greenwich.

*Civil Service Commission,* Lawrence Cary Hampton Weekes to be Clerk (Class I).

*Consular Service,* Montgomery Carmichael (Leghorn) and Charles Bedlington Rhind (Rio de Janeiro) to be Vice-Consuls.

*Ecclesiastical Commission,* Charles Maxwell Tre-lawney Irving to be Junior Clerk.

*Education Department,* Frederick William Parkes to be Sub-Inspector (First Class).

William Wright to be appointed to a Minor Staff Post.

*General Register House (Edinburgh),* Reverend John Anderson, M.A., to be Assistant Curator in the Historical Department.

*Inland Revenue,* Percy Thompson to be Clerk (Class I) in the Secretaries' Office.

George Wilcock to be Assistant Surveyor of Taxes.

*Irish Land Commission,* John de la Hunty Guinan to be Third Class Clerk (for service under the Congested Districts Board).

*London University,* Edwin Brewer to be Assistant Clerk to the Senate.

*Post Office,* Walter Bartington, Harold Halsey Hull, Arthur Thomas Kingham, and Felix Smith to be Junior Clerks in the Postal Stores Department.

Grace Adamson (Winslow), Margaret Jane Barry (Newport, Mayo), Nora Louisa Doran (Cappoquin), Catherine Mytton (Llandilo, S.O.), and Mary Ellen Parr (Waterloo, Liverpool) to be Postmistresses.

Grace Mary Birtles, Aimée Clotilde Legros, Edith Marie Lennard, Mabel Amy Mellersh, and Margaret Doig Watson to be Female Clerks, London.

Henry Hill Duncan and George Henderson to be Sorting Clerks, Edinburgh.

James Francis Conroy, Peter Paul Daly, John William Farrar, Mortimer Kelly, Peter Kelly, Adam Smyth, and William John Warr-nock to be Sorting Clerks, Dublin.

*Science and Art Department,* Edward Fairbrother Strange to be Assistant Keeper in South Kensington Museum (Art Branch.)

William George MacBrayne Slacke to be Assistant Clerk (Abstractor Class).

*Supreme Court of Judicature (England),* Man-asseh Johnson to be Third Class Clerk.

George Cyril Drake to be Third Class Clerk in the Office of the Masters in Lunacy.

Rhoda Mosey to be Resident Housekeeper in the Principal Probate Registry.

*Trade, Board of,* Alfred Augustus Williams to be Engineer Surveyor (Third Class).

*War Office,* William Harold Webb to be Assistant Surveyor, Royal Engineer Civil Staff.

George Piper and Walter Trathan to be Staff Clerks.

**Clerks of the Second Division.**

*Exchequer and Audit Department,* Percy Herbert Ford and Robert Goss Wall.

*Inland Revenue,* George Edward Marler and George Joseph Scales.

*Local Government Board (England),* for temporary duty, Francis John Bonham, Victor Mason Collins, William Kenneth Goodall Cooper, Andrew Ferguson Macdonald, and William Jeremiah Bartholomew Shea.

*Post Office,* Herbert William Chapman, William Gladstone Gilbert, Arthur Francis Hinton, and Archibald Dumay Kerr.

**Boy Clerk.**

*Fishery Board (Scotland),* John Henry Fraser.

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

*Inland Revenue, Dublin,* William Joseph Duggan, Clerk of the Second Division, from the Public Works Office (Ireland).

*Science and Art Department,* Gayton Warwick Smith, Clerk of the Second Division, from the Local Government Board (England).

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

*Inland Revenue*, William Henry Pascoe, Clerk of the Second Division, to be Clerk of the Higher Division, Secretaries' Office.

### NOTICES TO MARINERS.

(Nos. 119 to 125 of the year 1897.)

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

#### No. 119.—FRANCE—NORTH COAST.

*Ile de Bréhat*—Intended alteration in *Rosedo Light*.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 106 of 1897 :—

The French Government has given further notice that, on 1st March, 1897, the light on *Rosedo Hillock*, *Ile de Bréhat*, will be altered from a fixed red to a flashing white light every five seconds, thus :—flash, a quarter of a second; eclipse, four and three quarter seconds.

The illuminating power of the new light will be 1,000 becs Carcel (10,000 candles), it will be elevated, as before, 90 feet above the sea, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 15 miles.

On the same date the provisional light (fixed red) will be discontinued.

Approximate position, lat.  $48^{\circ} 51' 30''$  N., long.  $3^{\circ} 0' 10''$  W.

[Variation  $17^{\circ}$  Westerly in 1897.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—English Channel, No. 2675*b*; Channel Islands, No. 2669*b*. Also, List of Lights, Part IV, 1896, No. 156; and Channel Pilot, Part II, 1888, pages 50, 51.

#### No. 120.—CHINA—EAST COAST.

*Amoy Inner Harbour*—Sunken Rock North-westward of *Coker Rock*.

INFORMATION has been received of the existence of a sunken rock (on which the steam-vessel "Cheang Hock Kiang" struck), with a depth of about 10 feet on it at low water, situated north-westward of *Coker Rock*, in a position with Thumb Rock bearing N.W.  $\frac{1}{2}$  N., distant 3 cables; and summit (207) north-eastward of Old Fort, E. by N.  $\frac{1}{2}$  N.

Approximate position, lat.  $24^{\circ} 26' 30''$  N., long.  $118^{\circ} 4' 30''$  E.

A rock, recently reported in a position westward of the above rock, was carefully swept for, but no danger could be found.

[Variation nil in 1897.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Plan :—*Amoy Inner Harbour*, No. 1764. Also, *China Sea Directory*, Vol. III, 1894, page 179.

#### No. 121.—RED SEA.

*Suez Bay*—Intended Alteration in *Newport Rock Light*.

INFORMATION has been received from the Government of Egypt that a lighthouse is in course of erection on *Newport Rock*, on the exhibition of the light from which *Newport Rock Light-vessel* (occluding white light) will be withdrawn, and the high light (fixed white) on the north shore of the bay discontinued :—

*Newport Rock* new light will be a second order, dioptric, alternating red and white light with a period of sixty seconds, thus :—white light, thirty seconds; red light, thirty seconds; elevated 46 feet above the sea, and visible from a distance of 12 miles in clear weather.

The light will be shown from a screw pile

structure, with the cylindrical lighthouse rising from the centre of the keeper's dwelling.

Approximate position, lat.  $29^{\circ} 53' 5''$  N., long.  $32^{\circ} 32' 50''$  E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Red Sea, No. 8*a*; Suez Bay, No. 734. Also, List of Lights, 1896, Part V, Nos. 1069, 1070; Part VI, Nos. 73, 74; and Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Pilot, 1892, page 95.

#### No. 122.—UNITED STATES—RHODE ISLAND.

*Narragansett Bay*—Temporary Light Eastward of Plum Beach.

THE United States Government has given notice that, on 1st February, 1897, a temporary fixed red lantern light was shown, at an elevation of 22 feet above high water, from a mast erected on the foundation of the lighthouse in course of construction on the north-eastern edge of the shoal extending off Plum Beach, Western Passage.

The lighthouse foundation, cylindrical in shape, at present shows 10 feet above high water. It is situated in a depth of 17 feet, with Barber Height Summit (200) bearing about W.  $\frac{1}{2}$  S., distant  $11\frac{1}{2}$  cables; and Windmill Shaft on Conanicut Island S.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  E.

Approximate position, lat.  $41^{\circ} 31' 50''$  N., long.  $71^{\circ} 24' 20''$  W.

[Variation  $11^{\circ}$  Westerly in 1897.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Plan :—*Narragansett Bay*, No. 2892. Also, List of Lights, Part VIII, 1896, page 96; and Sailing Directions for the Principal Ports on the East Coast of the United States, 1882, page 92.

#### No. 123.—UNITED KINGDOM.

*Special Signals at Lloyd's Signal Stations.*

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 709 (2) of 1896 :—

1. Night signals at special stations :—Further information has been received that on 1st May, 1897, the undermentioned night signals will be substituted for any previously shown for the same purpose, at Lloyd's Signal Stations at Tory Island, Brow Head, Old Head of Kinsale, the Lizard, Prawle Point and Dover, at all of which stations a night watch is kept :—

The apparatus used for the signals will be a flashing lamp—

a. A series of continuous short flashes is to call the attention of a passing vessel.

b. A series of long-short flashes, repeated as often as may be necessary, indicates that a vessel's signals have been seen and recognized.

c. If a signal shown by a vessel has not been understood, the lamp will be kept dark until the vessel repeats the signals.

2. Day signals at all stations :—Also, that the undermentioned signals have been adopted for all Lloyd's signal stations, and are substituted for any previously used for the same purpose :—

a. Two balls, placed horizontally, indicate that the station is temporarily closed, and that no communication can be held.

This signal will be kept up until the station is again in working order.

b. Three balls, placed in the shape of a triangle, apex upwards, indicate that telegraphic communication is interrupted, and that messages cannot be forwarded by telegraph, but will be sent by other means as soon as possible.

This signal will be kept up until telegraphic communication is again restored.

3. Special night signals at certain stations :—Also, to denote telegraphic interruption during

the night, the signal stations at the Old Head of Kinsale and Brow Head will show three green lights, arranged in the shape of a triangle, apex upwards, and to call attention to this signal a Roman candle will be burnt, if the vessel can be recognized.

This Notice affects the various volumes of Sailing Directions for the Coasts of the United Kingdom.

#### No. 124.—CHINA SEA.

##### *Singapore Road—Alteration in Position of Man-of-War Anchorage Buoy.*

INFORMATION has been received from the Master-Attendant at Singapore, dated 22nd January, 1897, that the Man-of-War anchorage buoy (conical, red, &c.) has been moved about N.W. by W. nearly 3 cables, from the position in which it was previously moored, and now lies at the edge of the 5-fathom line, with Fort Canning Flagstaff bearing N. 52° W., distant  $1\frac{3}{4}$  miles; and Tanjong Katong Obelisk N. 42° E.

Approximate position, lat. 1° 16' 25" N., long. 103° 52' 15" E.

[Variation 2° Easterly in 1897.]

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

#### No. 125.—FIJI ISLANDS—VITI LEVU.

##### *Coral Patches in Suva Harbour.*

THE following information, the result of an examination by Commander J. W. Combe, Her Majesty's surveying-vessel "Waterwitch," relating to dangers in Suva Harbour, has been received from the Commander-in-Chief on the Australian Station:—

1. A depth of 5 feet has been found in a position N. 84° E., distant  $3\frac{1}{2}$  cables, from the light-vessel. This is on the north-west side of the patch previously marked 2 fathoms on the chart.

Approximate position, lat. 18° 8' 10" S., long. 178° 24' 50" E.

2. A coral patch, with a depth of  $4\frac{1}{2}$  fathoms on it, is situated with the Steamer Pier Lighthouse bearing E.  $\frac{1}{2}$  N., distant  $5\frac{9}{10}$  cables; and Low Cliffy Point N.  $\frac{3}{8}$  W.

3. A coral patch, with a depth of 6 fathoms on it, is situated with the Steamer Pier Lighthouse bearing E.  $\frac{1}{2}$  S., distant 7 cables; and Low Cliffy Point N.  $\frac{1}{8}$  E.

[Variation 10° Easterly in 1897.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Plan:—Nukulau Island to Namuka, &c., No. 1757. Also, Sailing Directions for the Pacific Islands, Vol. II, 1891, page 115.

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.  
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
26th to 27th February, 1897.

Fiji Government Four-and-a-Half per Cent. Debenture Loan, issued under the authority of Ordinance No. 13 of 1880.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in accordance with the conditions upon which the Loan was raised, the principal of debentures numbered from 315 to 343, inclusive, of £100 each, amounting to £2,900, will be repaid on the 15th September, 1897, at the office of the Crown Agents for the Colonies, Downing-street, London, S.W.

The debentures will cease to bear interest from the 15th September, 1897, and the nominal value of all coupons for undue interest not delivered

up with the debentures will be deducted from the principal at the time of payment.

Office of the Crown Agents for the Colonies,  
Downing Street, London, S.W.,  
March 1, 1897.

#### Lee Conservancy.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Meeting will be held at the office of the Board No. 12, Finsbury-circus, London, E.C., on Friday, the 26th day of March, 1897, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of electing five Conservators Representatives of Landowners under "The Lee Conservancy Act, 1868." The poll will be open until half-past twelve.

Notice is also given, that a Meeting will be held on the same day, at the same place, at half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing a Conservator Representative of Barge-owners on the River Lee, under the said Act. The poll will be open until one o'clock.—Dated this 1st day of March, 1897.

GEO. CORBLE, Clerk.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named Wesleyan Church situated at corner of Cleveland and Romford Roads 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 23rd day of February 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 24th day of February 1897.

WILLM. SMITH Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named Wesleyan Methodist Church situated at Rushey Green in the parish of Lewisham in the county of London in the registration district of Lewisham being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 24th day of February 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 24th day of February 1897.

H. C. MOTT Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Congregational Church situated at Great Northern-street in the parish of Huddersfield in the county borough of Huddersfield in the registration district of Huddersfield being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 24th day of February 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 24th day of February 1897.

EDWIN A. RIGBY Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named Wesleyan Chapel situated at Foundry-street Dukinfield in the parish of Dukinfield in the county of Chester in the registration district of Ashton under-Lyne being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 23rd day of February 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 24th day of February 1897.

BENJN. SEYMOUR Superintendent Registrar.

## Friendly Societies Act 1896.

## Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Economic Friendly Benefit Society, Register No. 1250 Surrey held at the George Inn Tabard-street Southwark in the county of Surrey is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 17th day of February 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 17th day of February 1897.

## Friendly Societies Act 1896.

## Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the National School Female Sick and Burial Society Register No. 3300 held at National School Astley Manchester in the county of Lancaster is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 17th day of February 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 17th day of February 1897.

## Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

## Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Rose and Thistle Neutral Lodge G.U.O.O.F. Juvenile Sick and Funeral Society, Register No. 7584 held at Britannia Inn Oxford-road Burnley in the county of Lancaster is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 17th day of February 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 17th day of February 1897.

## Friendly Societies Act 1896.

## Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the True Britons Benefit Club Register No. 1347 held at Raven and Sun, Tanner-street Dockhead, S.E. in the county of Surrey is dissolved by Instrument, registered at this office, the 24th day of February 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 Club to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

E. W. BRABROOK Chief Registrar.  
28, Abingdon-street, Westminster,  
the 24th day of February, 1897.

## Friendly Societies Acts.

## Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Friendly Society, Register No. 33 held at School Room Belton Uppingham in the county of Rutland is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 24th day of February 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 24th day of February 1897.

## Friendly Societies Acts.

## Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the King's Head Friendly Society, Register No. 7 held at Burton House Hotel, Upper Cross, Kingston in the county of Hereford is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 24th day of February 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 24th day of February 1897.

## Advertisement of Cancelling.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Chief Registrar of Friendly Societies has, pursuant to s. 77 of the Friendly Societies Act, 1896, by writing under his hand, dated the 17th day of February 1897 cancelled the Registry of the Amicable Bud of Hope Juvenile Odd-fellows Friendly Society (Register No. 1098), held at King and Miller Inn, High-street, Chesterfield in the county of Derby at its request. The Society (subject to the right of appeal given by the said Act) ceases to enjoy the privileges of a registered Society, but without prejudice to any liability incurred by the Society, which may be enforced against it as if such cancelling had not taken place.

E. W. BRABROOK, Chief Registrar.

## Advertisement of Cancelling.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Chief Registrar of Friendly Societies has, pursuant to s. 77 of the Friendly Societies Act, 1896, by writing under his hand, dated the 17th day of February, 1897, cancelled the Registry of the Loyal Anchor of Hope Lodge 50 I.O.O.F. Norfolk and Norwich Unity (Register No. 1083), held at New Inn, Worstead, Norwich in the county of Norfolk at its request. The Society (subject to the right of appeal given by the said Act) ceases to enjoy the privileges of a registered Society, but without prejudice to any liability incurred by the Society, which may be enforced against it as if such cancelling had not taken place.

E. W. BRABROOK Chief Registrar.

## Advertisement of Cancelling.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Chief Registrar of Friendly Societies has, pursuant to s. 77 of the Friendly Societies Act, 1896, by writing under his hand, dated the 17th day of February 1897, cancelled the Registry of the Midsomer Norton Liberal Club (Register No. 933), held at Club House, Market-place, Midsomer Norton, Bath in the county of Somerset, at its request. The Society (subject to the right of appeal given by the said Act) ceases to enjoy privileges of a registered Society, but without the prejudice to any liability incurred by the Society, which may be enforced against it as if such cancelling had not taken place.

E. W. BRABROOK Chief Registrar.



Building Societies Acts.  
Advertisement of Dissolution of Society by Award.  
**N**OTICE is hereby given that on the 20th day of February 1897 the Registrar made an award for the dissolution of the City of Canterbury Mutual Building Society Register No. 105, established at the Hely Cross School House, Canterbury in the county of Kent.  
E. W. BRABROOK Chief Registrar.  
28, Abingdon-street, Westminster.  
22nd day of February, 1897.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.  
Mr. Justice Romer.  
1897. I. 024.

In the Matter of the Imperial Mortgage and Debenture Company Limited and Reduced and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1867 and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1877.  
**N**OTICE is hereby given that a petition presented to the High Court of Justice Chancery Division on the 8th day of February 1897 for confirming Special Resolutions reducing the share capital of the above mentioned Company from £200,000 (divided into 10,000 preference shares of £10 each and 10,000 ordinary shares of £10 each) to £174,695 divided into 74,695 preference shares of £1 each and 100,000 ordinary shares of £1 each and that such reduction be effected by cancelling paid up capital which has been lost or is unrepresented by available assets to the extent of £5 per share on each of the

5,061 preference shares of £10 now issued and fully paid and by issuing by way of subdivision of the said 5,061 preference shares of £10 each so reduced to shares of £5 as aforesaid 5 fully paid shares of £1 each in lieu of each of the said £10 shares respectively. And that all the unissued £10 shares both preference and ordinary in the said share capital of the Company as well as the 125 ordinary shares now issued be subdivided into shares of £1 each. And that the preference shares shall confer on the holders the right to be paid out of the profits of each year a fixed dividend for such year at the rate of  $4\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. per annum and the right in a winding up to repayment of capital pari passu with the ordinary shares but they shall not confer a right to any further participation in profits or assets is directed to be heard before his Lordship Mr. Justice Romer on Saturday the 13th day of March 1897. Any creditor or shareholder of the said Company desiring to oppose the making of an Order for the reduction of the capital of the said Company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel for that purpose. And a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or shareholder of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned Solicitors on payment of the regulated charges for the same.—Dated this 22nd day of February 1897.  
JOHN WM. HAWKINS Master.  
CROUCH EDWARDS and HERON 24 Lawrence-lane E.C. Solicitors for the said Company.

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 27th February, 1897, conformably with the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37.

						QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
						Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	...	...	...	...	...	49,040	7	28	2
Barley	...	...	...	...	...	51,365	6	23	8
Oats...	...	...	...	...	...	17,490	3	16	3

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.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1893	...	...	51,780	5	62,408	2	16,690	1	25	1	25	2	17	11
1894	...	...	46,837	2	37,193	5	15,414	0	24	3	27	5	18	5
1895	...	...	71,656	1	77,731	0	22,258	1	19	10	21	9	14	0
1896	...	...	35,300	5	64,729	5	21,315	5	25	6	21	10	13	10

\* 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.

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 27th February, 1897.

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

**RECEIPTS into and ISSUES out of the EXCHEQUER, between the 1st April, 1896, and the 27th February, 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 27th February, 1897.	1st April, 1895, to 29th February, 1896.			1st April, 1896, to 27th February, 1897.	1st April, 1895, to 29th February, 1896.
Balances in Exchequer on 1st April:—	£	£	£		£	£	£
Bank of England... ..	—	8,163,961	5,516,355				
Bank of Ireland ... ..	—	811,237	784,472				
		8,975,201	6,300,827				
<b>REVENUE.</b>				<b>EXPENDITURE.</b>			
Customs ... ..	21,020,000	19,513,000	19,024,000	Permanent Charge of Debt... ..	25,000,000	23,739,293	23,876,757
Excise ... ..	27,000,000	25,496,000	24,950,000	Other Consolidated Fund Services ... ..	1,660,000	1,619,267	1,477,187
Estate, &c., Duties ... ..	9,775,000	9,840,000	10,562,000	Supply Services ... ..	73,434,000	63,233,605	60,722,655
Stamps ... ..	6,700,000	6,763,000	6,851,000		100,094,000		
Land Tax and House Duty ... ..	2,375,000	1,890,000	2,025,000	<b>EXPENDITURE</b> ... ..		88,492,165	86,076,569
Property and Income Tax ... ..	15,200,000	13,505,000	13,491,000				
Post Office ... ..	11,660,000	10,200,000	9,920,000	<b>OTHER ISSUES.</b>			
Telegraph Service ... ..	2,940,000	2,695,000	2,630,000	For Advances for Bullion, &c. ... ..		710,000	745,000
Crown Lands ... ..	415,000	385,000	385,000	For Supply purposes (net amount)... ..		492,000	389,000
Suez Canal Share Receipts ... ..	695,000	694,075	673,418	Under Imperial Defence Act, 1888... ..		—	58,000
Miscellaneous ... ..	1,700,000	1,660,339	1,400,241	„ Barracks Act, 1890 ... ..		320,000	600,000
<b>REVENUE</b> ... ..	100,480,000	92,641,464	91,911,659	„ Telegraph Acts, 1892 and 1896 ... ..		138,000	113,550
<b>Total, including Balance</b> ... ..		101,616,665	98,212,486	„ Naval Works Act, 1895 ... ..		—	610,000
				„ Public Offices (Acquisition of Site) Act, 1895 ... ..		75,000	—
<b>OTHER RECEIPTS.</b>				„ Uganda Railway Act, 1896 ... ..		331,000	—
Repayment of Advances for Bullion, &c. ... ..		580,824	873,893	Surplus Revenue of 1895-96 applied under the Naval Works Act, 1896 ... ..		1,280,090	—
Under Barracks Act, 1890 ... ..		—	500,000	Surplus Revenue of 1894-95 issued to National Debt Commissioners ... ..		—	765,342
„ Telegraph Act, 1892 ... ..		547,114	113,550			91,838,255	89,357,461
„ Naval Works Act, 1895 ... ..		—	375,000				
„ Uganda Railway Act, 1896 ... ..		147,000	—	<b>Balances in Exchequer—</b>			
Casual Receipts ... ..		3,468	3,465	Bank of England ... ..	1897. 27th February, £	1896. 29th February, £	
<b>Totals</b> ... ..		102,895,071	100,078,394	Bank of Ireland ... ..	10,209,546	9,872,055	
					847,270	848,878	
				<b>Totals</b> ... ..			
						11,056,816	10,720,933
						102,895,071	100,078,394

Treasury, March 2, 1897.

ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of Agricultural Produce Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 27th February, 1897, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

					Quantities.	
					1896.	1897.
<b>Animals living :—</b>						
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves	...	...	...	Number	10,439	7,872
Sheep and Lambs	...	...	...	"	15,013	6,089
Swine	...	...	...	"	—	—
<b>Fresh Meat :—</b>						
Beef	...	...	...	cwts.	35,520	51,294
Mutton	...	...	...	"	38,888	77,692
Pork	...	...	...	"	6,226	8,420
<b>Salted or Preserved Meat :—</b>						
Bacon	...	...	...	"	90,481	111,638
Beef	...	...	...	"	3,799	2,216
Hams	...	...	...	"	24,650	24,695
Pork	...	...	...	"	8,543	4,962
Meat unenumerated, salted and fresh	...	...	...	"	5,555	7,576
Meat preserved, otherwise than by salting	...	...	...	"	12,085	5,502
<b>Dairy Produce and Substitutes :—</b>						
Butter	...	...	...	"	60,049	56,069
Margarine	...	...	...	"	19,182	20,329
Cheese	...	...	...	"	39,876	25,641
Milk and Cream, Fresh or Preserved, not	...	...	...			
Condensed	...	...	...	...	Galls. 274	cwts. 100
Milk, Condensed	...	...	...	cwts.	11,468	18,098
Eggs	...	...	...	Great Hundred	173,315	221,739
Poultry and Game	...	...	...	Value £	17,745	22,037
Rabbits, dead (not tinned)	...	...	...	cwts.	3,530	3,904
Lard	...	...	...	"	30,551	34,064
<b>Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour :—</b>						
Wheat	...	...	...	"	1,042,700	1,153,600
Wheat Meal and Flour	...	...	...	"	547,200	428,300
Barley	...	...	...	"	503,600	340,800
Oats	...	...	...	"	279,500	133,520
Pease	...	...	...	"	44,360	16,620
Beans	...	...	...	"	60,650	84,600
Maize or Indian Corn	...	...	...	"	1,493,900	1,275,700
<b>Fruit, Raw :—</b>						
Apples	...	...	...	Bush.	87,627	92,339
Oranges	...	...	...	"	238,694	275,477
Lemons	...	...	...	"	9,848	25,330
Cherries	...	...	...	"	—	—
Plums	...	...	...	"	183	27
Pears	...	...	...	"	547	502
Grapes	...	...	...	"	742	646
Unenumerated	...	...	...	"	12,187	10,424
Hay	...	...	...	Tons	1,415	3,765
Hops	...	...	...	cwts.	6,211	2,262
<b>Vegetables :—</b>						
Onions, raw	...	...	...	Bush.	50,955	98,697
Potatoes	...	...	...	cwts.	13,082	8,711
Unenumerated	...	...	...	Value £	17,336	23,467

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

T. J. PITTAR.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.  
Mr. Justice Kekewich.  
1897. S. 010.

In the Matter of the Solicitors' Law Stationery Society Limited and Reduced and in the Matter of the Companies Acts 1867 and 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for confirming a resolution reducing the capital of the above Company from £50,000 divided into 5,000 shares of £10 each to £40,000 divided into

5,000 shares of £8 each was on the 13th day of January 1897 presented to the High Court of Justice Chancery Division and is now pending and that the list of creditors of the Company is made out as for the 7th of April 1897.—Dated this 25th day of February 1897.

KEEN ROGERS and Co. 24 Knight-  
rider-  
street Doctors' Commons London E.C.  
Solicitors for the said Company.

# 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 8 Weeks ended  
25th February, 1897.

PORTS.	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.
Week ended 25th February, 1897.												
Liverpool ... ..	53,573	5,571	2,145	11,818	2,448	75,555	537	...	452	596	161	1,746
London ... ..	...	...	63	...	11	74	...	...	2,440	...	...	2,440
Hull ... ..	1,973	...	500	...	...	2,473	864	...	...	2	...	866
Manchester ... ..	3,628	...	...	3,860	...	7,488	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Ports ... ..	5,456	...	...	...	...	5,456	4,877	...	...	...	...	4,877
Total ... ..	61,620	5,571	2,708	15,678	2,459	91,046	6,278	...	2,892	598	161	9,929
8 Weeks ended 25th February, 1897.												
Liverpool ... ..	779,857	15,339	11,133	69,552	8,962	884,843	7,957	...	1,636	11,110	1,510	22,213
London ... ..	264	...	9,824	...	51	10,139	7,488	...	7,353	...	5	14,846
Hull ... ..	14,757	...	500	659	...	15,916	13,158	500	...	796	46	14,500
Manchester ... ..	65,101	...	...	21,626	...	86,727	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Ports ... ..	13,748	...	...	...	9	13,757	12,108	...	19	...	10	12,137
Total ... ..	873,727	15,339	21,457	91,837	9,022	1,011,382	40,711	500	9,008	11,906	1,571	63,696

Dated February 26, 1897.

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 20th day of February, 1897.

## PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.				Average Amount.
				£
Ashford Bank ... ..	Ashford ...	Pomfret and Co. ... ..		3740
Aylesbury Old Bank ... ..	Aylesbury ...	Cobb, Bartlett, and Co. ... ..		6282
Banbury Bank ... ..	Banbury ...	Gillett and Co. ... ..		4959
Banbury Old Bank ... ..	Banbury ...	T. R. Cobb and Son ... ..		4532
Bedford Bank ... ..	Bedford ...	Barnard and Co. ... ..		12871
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank ... ..	Bicester ...	Tubb and Co. ... ..		8839
Buckingham Bank ... ..	Buckingham ...	Bartlett and Co. ... ..		6189
Bury and Suffolk Bank, Sudbury } Bank, and Stowmarket Bank }	Bury St. Edmunds	Oakes, Bevan, and Co. ... ..		12349
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank	Cambridge ...	Foster and Co. ... ..		18454
Canterbury Bank ... ..	Canterbury ...	Hammond and Co. ... ..		6833
City Bank, Exeter ... ..	Exeter ...	Milford and Co. ... ..		2711
Derby Bank ... ..	Derby ...	Samuel Smith and Co. ... ..		4444
Dorchester Old Bank and Dorset- } shire Bank ... .. }	Dorchester ...	R. R. Williams and Co. ... ..		14458
Exeter Bank ... ..	Exeter ...	Sanders and Co. ... ..		7329
Faversham Bank ... ..	Faversham ...	Hilton and Co. ... ..		2124
Ipswich Bank ... ..	Ipswich ...	Bacon and Co. ... ..		10904
Kingston-upon-Hull and Hull Bank ...	Kingston-upon-Hull	Smith Brothers and Co. ... ..		7895
Kington and Radnorshire Bank ...	Kington ...	Davies and Co. ... ..		8916
Leeds Old Bank ... ..	Leeds ...	Beckett and Co. ... ..		40968
Leeds Bank ... ..	Leeds ...	Wm. Wms. Brown and Co. ... ..		19048
Lincoln Bank ... ..	Lincoln ...	Smith, Ellison, and Co. ... ..		48423
Llandovery, Lampeter, and Llan- } dilo Banks ... .. }	Llandovery ...	D. Jones and Co. ... ..		8651
Naval Bank ... ..	Plymouth ...	Harris, Bulteel, and Co. ... ..		4965
Newark Bank ... ..	Newark ...	Samuel Smith and Co. ... ..		5755
Newmarket Bank ... ..	Newmarket ...	Hammond and Co. ... ..		5530
Nottingham Bank ... ..	Nottingham ...	Samuel Smith and Co. ... ..		14857
Oxford Old Bank ... ..	Oxford ...	Parsons and Co. ... ..		14725
Oxfordshire Witney Bank ... ..	Witney ...	Gillett and Co. ... ..		2903
Reading Bank ... ..	Reading ...	Simonds and Co. ... ..		10407
Reading Bank ... ..	Reading ...	Stephens, Blandy, and Co. ... ..		8235
Richmond Bank ... ..	Richmond ...	Roper and Co. ... ..		3676
Salisbury Old Bank ... ..	Salisbury ...	Pinckney Brothers ... ..		1546
Sleaford and Newark Bank, and } Newark and Sleaford Bank }	Sleaford ...	Peacock and Co. ... ..		10161
Tring, Aylesbury, and Chesham Bank	Tring ...	Butcher and Sons ... ..		6957
Uxbridge Old Bank ... ..	Uxbridge ...	Woodbridge and Co. ... ..		674
Wallingford Bank ... ..	Wallingford ...	Hedges, Wells, and Co. ... ..		1216
Wellington Somerset Bank ... ..	Wellington ...	Fox, Fowler, and Co. ... ..		2646
West Riding Bank, Wakefield, and } Ponterfract Bank ... .. }	Wakefield ...	Leatham, Tew, and Co. ... ..		15840
Weymouth Old, Dorchester, and } Portland Bank ... .. }	Weymouth ...	Eliot, Pearce, and Co. ... ..		3036
Worcester, Great Malvern, and } Tewkesbury Old Bank ... .. }	Worcester ...	Berwick, Lechlmere, and Co. ... ..		12398
Yarmouth, Norfolk, and Suffolk Bank	Great Yarmouth	Lacons, Youell, and Co. ... ..		3412
York and East Riding Bank ...	Beverley ...	Beckett and Co. ... ..		34296

## JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.		Average Amount.
		£
Bank of Whitehaven Limited ... ..	Whitehaven ...	11830
Bradford Banking Company Limited ... ..	Bradford ...	17556
Bradford Commercial Joint Stock Banking Company Limited ... ..	Bradford ...	12332
Burton Union Bank Limited ... ..	Burton-upon-Trent ...	15275
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company Limited ... ..	Carlisle ...	24320
County of Gloucester Banking Company Limited ... ..	Cheltenham ...	28025
Cumberland Union Banking Company Limited ... ..	Carlisle ...	34615
Derby and Derbyshire Banking Company Limited ... ..	Derby ...	5285
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company Limited ... ..	Halifax ...	9805
Halifax Commercial Banking Company Limited ... ..	Halifax ...	7258
Halifax Joint Stock Banking Company Limited ... ..	Halifax ...	13980
Huddersfield Banking Company Limited ... ..	Huddersfield ...	20878
Knarborough and Claro Banking Company Limited ... ..	Harrogate... ..	18720
Lancaster Banking Company Limited ... ..	Lancaster ...	50494
Leicestershire Banking Company Limited ... ..	Leicester ...	30530
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company Limited ... ..	Lincoln ...	39418
Moore and Robinson's Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited ... ..	Nottingham ...	12273
North and South Wales Bank Limited ... ..	Liverpool ...	33227
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited ... ..	Nottingham ...	20116
Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company Limited ... ..	Leicester ...	21375
Sheffield and Hallamshire Bank Limited ... ..	Sheffield ...	7102
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company Limited ... ..	Sheffield ...	12065
Sheffield Banking Company Limited ... ..	Sheffield ...	10785
Stamford, Spalding, and Boston Banking Company Limited ... ..	Stamford ...	33935
Stuckey's Banking Company Limited ... ..	Langport ...	110415
Swaledale and Wensleydale Banking Company Limited ... ..	Richmond (Yorks) ...	33657
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank Limited ... ..	Wakefield ...	6854
West Riding Union Banking Company Limited ... ..	Huddersfield ...	12290
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company Limited ... ..	Whitehaven ...	19205
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company Limited ... ..	Salisbury ...	48948
York City and County Banking Company Limited ... ..	York ...	88178
Yorkshire Banking Company Limited ... ..	Leeds ...	90952
York Union Banking Company Limited ... ..	York ...	69660

Inland Revenue Office, 27th February, 1897.

J. S. PURCELL, Registrar of Bank Returns.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

Mr. Justice North.

1897. V. 023.

In the Matter of Vickers Sons and Co. Limited  
and in the Matter of the Companies (Memorandum of Association) Act 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition was on the 6th day of February 1897 presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice by the above named Company to confirm a Special Resolution of the Company unanimously passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company held on the 7th day of January 1897 and subsequently unanimously confirmed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company held on the 26th day of January 1897 and which resolution runs as follows:—"That the provisions of the Memorandum of Association of the Company with respect to the Company's objects be altered by adding next after Sub-section 3 of Clause 3 of such Memorandum of Association the following Clauses: (3a) To carry on the businesses of Shipbuilders and Shipwrights in all their branches. (3b) To purchase or other-

wise acquire, build construct, manufacture, fit out, equip, repair sell, and deal in ships and vessels of all kinds, including ships of war, torpedo boats submarine boats and vessels of every description whether intended for the purpose of war commerce or any other purpose, and all kinds of machinery, tackle, ships' furniture, stores and other articles of every description required or used for the construction, equipment furniture or fitting out of ships or vessels of any description. (3c) To purchase or otherwise acquire, construct manufacture, repair, sell, and deal in guns gun carriages, machine guns torpedoes and all descriptions of ordnance, armament, arms weapons and ammunition of every kind. (3d) To carry on the business of electricians electrical engineers, and suppliers of electricity for the purposes of light, heat motive power or otherwise and manufacturers of, and dealers in all apparatus and things required for use in connection with the generation, distribution, supply accumulation or employment of electricity. (3e) To acquire or to erect, construct, equip maintain and improve any warehouses, workshops, factories graving or other



docks, gun-testing ranges, and all such other premises and things as may be necessary or convenient for carrying out any of the objects of the Company specified in any of the last four preceding clauses. (3f) To acquire and take over on any terms the goodwill, trade, business, property or effects with or without the liabilities of any person firm or Company carrying on any trade or business within any of the objects of the Company specified in any of the last five preceding Clauses. And notice is further given that the said petition is directed to be heard before his Lordship Mr. Justice North on Saturday the 13th day of March 1897 and any person interested in the said Company whether as creditor shareholder or debenture holder or otherwise desirous to oppose the making of an Order altering the provisions of the Memorandum of Association of the said Company according to the said resolution under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel for that purpose and a copy of the said petition will be furnished to any such person requiring the same by the Company's Solicitors Messrs. Littledale and Lefroy of 7 King's Bench-walk Temple London E.C. on payment of the regulated charge for the same.—Dated this 25th day of February, 1897. J. C. Fox, Master.

LITTEDALE and LEFROY 7 King's Bench-walk Temple, London E.C. Solicitors for the Company.

In the Matter of the Holborn Viaduct Land Company Limited and Reduced and in the Matter of the Companies Acts 1867 and 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for confirming a resolution reducing the capital of the above Company from £285,200 to £240,000 was on the 10th day of February, 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 5th day of April 1897.—Dated 27th February 1897.

BAKER BLAKER and HAWES 117 Cannon-street London Solicitors to the Company.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division. Mr. Justice Vaughan Williams.

No. 003 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Mains Manufacturing Company Carlisle Limited and Reduced and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been presented to the Court of Chancery for confirming a resolution of the above Company for reducing its capital from £63,000 to £27,340 10s. 0d. A list of the persons admitted to have been creditors of the Company on the 20th day of February 1897 may be inspected at the offices of the Company at Carlisle or at the offices of Messrs. Phelps Sidgwick and Biddle No. 22 Aldermanbury in the city of London Solicitors for the said Company at any time during usual business hours on payment of the charge of one shilling. Any person who claims to have been on the last mentioned day and still to be a creditor of the Company and who is not entered on the said list and claims to be so entered must on or before the 13th day of March 1897 send in his name and address and the particulars of his claim and the name and address of his Solicitor (if any) to the undersigned at No. 22 Aldermanbury London E.C. or in default thereof he will be precluded from objecting to the proposed reduction of capital.—Dated this 1st day of March 1897.

PHELPS SIDGWICK and BIDDLE 22 Aldermanbury London E.C. Solicitors for the said Company.

#### DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of SWINE-FEVER for the Week ended February 27th, 1897, distinguishing Counties (including Boroughs\*).

County.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or as having been exposed to Infection.	County.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or as having been exposed to Infection.
ENGLAND.			ENGLAND.		
Bedford ...	No. ...	No. 4	Wilts ...	No. 2	13
Buckingham ...	1	1	Worcester ...	1	1
Chester ...	4	51	York, East Riding ...	...	7
Devon ...	2	8	„ North Riding ...	...	27
Durham ...	1	...	„ West Riding ...	4	11
Essex ...	1	129	WALES.		
Gloucester ...	3	11	Carnarvon ...	2	1
Hants ...	2	12	Denbigh ...	2	41
Hereford ...	1	85	Glamorgan ...	2	3
Huntingdon ...	1	1	Montgomery ...	1	28
Kent ...	2	56	SCOTLAND.		
Lancaster ...	2	8	Linlithgow ...	1	27
Leicester ...	...	2	Midlothian ...	2	4
Lincoln, Parts of Holland ...	1	8	TOTAL ...		
„ „ Kesteven ...	1	1	52	698	
London ...	1	19			
Middlesex ...	2	3			
Norfolk ...	1	10			
Northampton ...	2	18			
Salop ...	1	1			
Stafford ...	1	12			
Suffolk ...	1	34			
Surrey ...	1	52			
Warwick ...	3	9			

\* 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 Dupdonald, in the county of Ayr, and also comprising the burgh of Kilmarnock (16 November, 1896).

**Bedfordshire and Buckinghamshire.**—An Area comprising the parishes of Heath and Reach, Eggington, Stanbridge, Billington, and Leighton Buzzard, in the county of Bedford; and also comprising the parishes of Linslade, and Grove, in the county of Buckingham (19 February, 1897).

**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).

**Derbyshire.**—An Area comprising the parishes of Pleasley, and Upper Langwith, in the county of Derby (18 February, 1897).

**Essex.**—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).

**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).

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

**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.**—(1.) 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).

(2.) An Area comprising the parish of Sutton-in-Ashfield in the county of Nottingham (27 February, 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 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, Furston Jaglin, Castleford, Knottingley, Brotherton, Carleton, Tanshelf, and Featherstone, in the West Riding of the county of York (28 September, 1896).

(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).

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

(4.) An Area comprising the borough of Scarborough (15 February, 1897).

(5.) An Area comprising the petty sessional division of Ouse and Derwent in the East Riding of the county of York, and also comprising the borough of York (15 February, 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 Hincford, 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 (3 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).

*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**  
**February 27th, 1897, distinguishing Counties (including Boroughs\*).**

PLEURO-PNEUMONIA.			
County.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Cattle found Diseased.	Cattle Slaughtered as having been exposed to Infection.
ENGLAND.			
Essex ... ..	...	...	10
Kent ... ..	...	...	5
York, West Riding ...	...	...	9
TOTAL ... ..	...	...	24
ANTHRAX.			
County.	Outbreaks reported.	Animals Attacked.	
ENGLAND.			
Chester ... ..	1	4	
Cornwall ... ..	1	2	
Cumberland ... ..	1	1	
Dorset ... ..	...	2	
Leicester ... ..	1	1	
Lincoln, Parts of Kesteven	...	1	
Northampton ... ..	1	1	
Somerset ... ..	1	1	
Stafford ... ..	1	1	
Surrey ... ..	1	1	
Warwick ... ..	1	1	
WALES.			
Carmarthen ... ..	1	1	
SCOTLAND.			
Banff ... ..	1	1	
TOTAL ... ..	11	18	

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.			
Buckingham ... ..	...	1	...
Lancaster ... ..	1	...	1
London ... ..	6	...	13
Middlesex ... ..	2	1	2
Notts ... ..	1	...	2
Surrey ... ..	1	...	1
SCOTLAND.			
Lanark ... ..	3	...	6
TOTAL ... ..	14	2	25
RABIES.			
County.	Cases reported during the Week.		Number of Dogs destroyed as having been exposed to Infection.
	Dogs.	Other Animals.	
ENGLAND.			
Lancaster ... ..	2	...	...
London ... ..	2	...	...
Salop ... ..	1	4	...
Warwick ... ..	...	...	2
TOTAL ... ..	5	4	2

\* 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 or as Diseased or Exposed to Infection.
								Diseased.	Exposed to Infection.	Dogs.	Other Animals.		
Week ended Feb. 27, 1897	11	18	...	...	14	25	...	...	24	5	4	52	698
Corresponding week in 1896	14	17	...	...	14	26	...	...	...	21	...	118	1,590
Corresponding week in 1895	9	67	...	...	21	37	1	...	5	14	...	90	637
Corresponding week in 1894	19	26	...	...	31	36	...	...	...	3	...	117	1,470
Total for 9 Weeks 1897.	92	224	...	...	123	203	1	6	391	39	5	579	9,403
Corresponding period in 1896	115	195	...	...	137	237	...	...	...	146	3	1,107	14,740
Corresponding period in 1895	85	189	...	...	172	313	1	...	6	139	5	801	5,087
Corresponding period in 1894	138	280	...	...	217	279	...	...	...	29	...	661	8,877

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

Board of Agriculture, 2nd March, 1897.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.  
Mr. Justice North.  
No. 013 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Oriental Estates Company Limited and Reduced and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1867 and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1877.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Order of the High Court of Justice (Chancery Division) dated the 6th day of February 1897 confirming the reduction of the capital of the above named Company from £566,700 to £250,000, 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 25th day of February 1897. And further take notice that the said Minute is in the words and figures following:—"The capital of the Oriental Estates Company Limited (and Reduced) henceforth is £250,000 stock instead of the original capital of £566,700 divided into 60,000 preferred shares of £5 each and 266,700 ordinary shares of £1 each. The rights and privileges attached to the preferred shares having been abolished by resolution of 17th December 1896 pursuant to Article 56 of the Articles of Association of the Company."—Dated the 25th day of February 1897.

HOLLAMS SONS COWARD and HAWKSLEY  
Mincing-lane E.C. Solicitors for the Company.

In the High Court of Justice.—Companies Winding-up.

Mr. Justice Vaughan Williams.  
No. 0048 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the North Wales Mining Proprietary Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, Companies Winding-up, was on the 25th day of February 1897 presented to the High Court of Justice by Pearse Morrison of 63, Leadenhall-street in the city of London Printer and Stationer a creditor of the said Company and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, on the 10th day of March 1897 and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order on the said petition may appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel for that purpose, and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

NICHOLSON GRAHAM and GRAHAM 24,  
Coleman-street, E.C. Solicitors for the Petitioner.

Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above-named notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person or if a firm the name and address of the firm and must be signed by the person or firm or his or their Solicitor (if any) and must be served or if posted must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above-named not later than 6 o'clock in the afternoon of the 9th day of March 1897.

In the High Court of Justice.—Companies (Winding-up).

Mr. Justice Vaughan Williams.  
No. 0049 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and in the Matter of the North Borneo Prospecting and Cultivation Syndicate Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the High Court of Justice was, on the 26th day of February 1897, presented to the said Court by William Peter Reina Newlands of No. 2 St. Dunstan's-hill in the city of London Analytical Chemist a creditor of the said Company. And that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London on the 10th day of March 1897; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order on the said petition may appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel, for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

F. J. ABBOTT 3 Long-acre London W.C.  
Solicitor for the Petitioner.

**NOTE.**—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above-named, notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person, or, if a firm, the name and address of the firm, and must be signed by the person or firm, or his or their Solicitor (if any), and must be served, or, if posted, must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above named not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 8th day of March 1897.

In the High Court of Justice.—Companies (Winding-up).

Mr. Justice Byrne acting for Mr. Justice Vaughan Williams.  
No. 008 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the Newmarket Breweries and White Hart Hotel Company Limited.

**B**Y an Order made by Mr. Justice Byrne in the above matter dated the 15th day of February 1897 on the petition of Sydney Newton Glass of 41 Old Queen-street in the city of Westminster a creditor of the above named Company it was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the said Newmarket Breweries and White Hart Hotel Company Limited be continued but subject to the supervision of the Court and any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding up might be adopted as the Court should think fit. And the creditors contributories and Liquidator of the said Company and all other persons interested were to be at liberty to apply to the Court as there might be occasion. And it was ordered that the costs of the petitioner and of the Company be taxed by the proper Taxing Master and paid out of the assets of the Company. And that the time for advertising the said Order be extended until the 2nd day of March 1897.—Dated this 1st day of March 1897.

ALBERT MYERS 3 South-square, Gray's-inn, London W.C. Liquidator's Solicitor.

# SALE OF BOATS AND BOATHOUSES AT GREENWICH.

**TENDERS** will be received until twelve o'clock noon on Friday, the 12th March, 1897, for  
2 BOATHOUSES,  
3 CUTTERS,  
1 BARGE,  
1 DINGY,

lying in the River Thames, opposite the Royal Naval College, Greenwich.

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

Admiralty, February, 1897.

Rummage Sale of Wines and Spirits  
on 18th March 1897.

**THE** British and Foreign Wharf Compy. Limited beg to announce that they have instructed Messrs. W. and T. Restell Sworn Brokers, to sell by Public Auction about 80 lots of goods, without reserve, to cover charge, in accordance with Acts of Parliament, including goods for which warrants have been issued as under:—

41204, 43407, 43491, 43521, 43522, 43523, 43524.

Catalogues and full particulars of the Auctioneers 29 Mark-lane, E.C. or of the Proprietors.  
R. C. DARBY Secretary.

3, Dean's-Yard, Westminster,  
March 2, 1897.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, pursuant to Charter of 3rd year of Her late Majesty Queen Anne, that a General Court of the Governors of Queen Anne's Bounty will be held in their Board Room, at the above address, on Wednesday, 17th instant, at a quarter to three o'clock, for the despatch of general business.

JOSEPH K. ASTON Secretary.

Sambre and Meuse Railway Company.  
10 Moorgate-Street, London.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the One hundred and Third Half-yearly General Meeting of the Proprietors of this Undertaking will be held at the Siège of the Company, 76, Rue Belliard, Brussels, on Monday, the 29th March, at eleven o'clock precisely, on the general business of the Company.

And notice is also given that at the Meeting to be held in Brussels the Bonds of the Four-and-a-half per cent. Loan and the Three per cent. Loan will be drawn, which are re-imbursable on the 1st July 1897.

The accounts of the Company will be open for inspection on the 29th March and during 20 days after.

And notice is further given to the Proprietors of this Undertaking (ordinary and preference shareholders) that immediately on the termination of that Meeting a Special General Meeting of the Company will be held at the same place for the following purposes:—

1. Communication and approval if deemed expedient of the conventions between this Company and the Antwerp and Rotterdam and the Est Belge Companies entered into with the object of the sale of the concessions and undertaking to the Belgian Government.

2. Powers to be given to the Board for the purpose of assuring eventually the execution of these conventions.

All resolutions at these Meetings will be passed according to the terms of Art. 3 and 4 (31 and 36) of the statutes.

And notice is further given that a Meeting preliminary to both such Meetings will be held at the offices of the Company, 10 Moorgate-street, London, on Wednesday, the 24th March, at two o'clock.

Dated this 26th day of February, 1897.

W. AUSTIN President.

A. SNELLGROVE Secretary.

By the statutes of the Company it is required (Art. 34) "to be admitted at a General Meeting, whether ordinary or special, every holder of shares 'au porteur' (payable to bearer) must deposit them with the Secretary of the Company, or with the party appointed by the Board of Directors to receive them, at least ten days before the Meeting."

A. SNELLGROVE Secretary.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and of J. and R. Shorrocks Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at the Company's registered office Bolton-road Darwen on Saturday February 27th 1897 the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed viz:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Meeting that the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same and that accordingly the Company be wound up voluntarily. That Mr. Harry Lloyd Price of the city of Manchester Accountant be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company."

Dated this 27th day of February 1897.

By order of the Directors,

JOHN H. SHORROCK Chairman.

In the Matter of the Hutton Henry Coal Company Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at the offices of the Company Crown-street-chambers Crown-street Darlington at 4.45 in the afternoon on Wednesday the 10th day of February the following Special Resolution was duly passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company also duly convened and held at the same place at 10 o'clock in the forenoon on Friday the 26th day of February 1897 the following resolution was duly confirmed viz:—

"That it is desirable to reconstruct or realize the undertaking of the Company and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Edward Robson Whitwell of the Friarage Yarm-on-Tees Coalowner be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."—Dated this 26th day of February 1897.

W. HANSON, Chairman.

The Worcester Star Hotel Company Limited.

The Companies Acts 1862 to 1893.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company duly convened and held at the Star Hotel in the city of Worcester on the 20th day of February 1897 the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed namely:—

1. "That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the Companies Acts 1862 to 1893.

2. "That Mr. Albert Buck of the city of Worcester be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator to carry out the voluntary winding up of the Company."

Dated this 22nd day of February 1897.

ALBERT BUCK Chairman.

In the Matter of the Barrington Syndicate,  
Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at Suffolk House, Cannon-street in the city of London, on the 4th day of February, 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 Arthur Goddard, of St. George's House, Eastcheap, in the city of London, Chartered Accountant, was appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.—Dated this 18th day of February, 1897.

W. P. CAMPBELL-EVERDEN Chairman.

The Royal Kentish Hotel Company of Tunbridge Wells Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at the Royal Kentish Hotel Tunbridge Wells in the county of Kent on the 22nd day of February 1897, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed:—

Resolved—“That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Company, that the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that accordingly the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions in that behalf of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867.

“That Frederick William Womersley of Trinity-street Hastings, Accountant, be, and he is appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company.”

Dated the 27th day of February 1897.

WILLIAM GLADE Chairman.

The Mazoe Development Company Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Mazoe Development Company Limited, duly convened and held at the Caunon-street Hotel, London E.C., on Thursday, the 11th day of February 1897, the subjoined resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at No. 19, St. Swithin's-lane, London, E.C., on Friday the 26th day of February, 1897, the same Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

Resolution.—“That it is desirable to effect an amalgamation of this Company with the Exploring Land and Minerals Company Limited, and that with a view thereto, this Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Grosvenor George Walker of 19, St. Swithin's-lane, London, E.C., be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.”

A. K. THARP Chairman.

The British Columbia Venture Syndicate,  
Limited.

Special Resolutions.

Passed, 21st January, 1897.

Confirmed, 11th February, 1897.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at Winchester House, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, on the 21st day of January, 1897, the subjoined Special Resolutions were duly passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on

the 11th day of February, 1897, the subjoined Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

Special Resolutions.—1. “That it is desirable to re-construct the Company, and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Ernest Edward Collins, of Winchester House, Old Broad-street, London, E.C., be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.

2. “That the said Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized to consent to the registration of a new Company to be named ‘The British Columbia Venture Syndicate, Limited,’ or other similar title, with a Memorandum and Articles of Association, which have been already prepared with the privity and approval of the Directors of this Company.

3. “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 new Company of the other part, be, and the same is hereby approved, and that the said Liquidator be, and he is hereby authorized pursuant to section 161 of the Companies Act, 1862, to enter into an agreement with such new Company (when incorporated) in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect with such (if any) modifications as he may think expedient.”

E. E. COLLINS Secretary.

T. L. MARSHALL Chairman.

Welford and Fish, Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at No. 44 Streatham-place, Brixton-hill, in the county of London, on the 5th day of February, 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 No. 44 Streatham-place, Brixton aforesaid, on the 23rd day of February, 1897, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. “That this Company be wound up voluntarily.

2. “That Montague John Peters, of No. 92 Lyndhurst-grove, Peckham, in the county of London, Dairy Manager, be and is hereby appointed the Liquidator to conduct the winding up.

3. “That the whole of the assets of the Company (not including the book debts) be sold to Welford's Surrey Dairy Company, Limited.”

RICHARD P. WELFORD Chairman.

F. G. B. CRAWLEY 5 Chancery-lane,  
London, Solicitor.

In the Matter of the Bevington Mill Company  
Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at the registered offices of the Company 12 Bevington-hill Liverpool on the 10th day of February 1897 the following Special Resolution was duly passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company also duly convened and held at 20 Chapel-street Liverpool on the 25th day of February 1897 the following resolution was duly confirmed:—

“That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and that Mr. J. R. Halsall be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.”

Dated this 25th day of February, 1897.

J. R. HALSALL Chairman.



**The Atlanta Gold and Silver Consolidated Mines, Limited.**

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the registered offices of the Company, No. 58, Broad-street-avenue, in the city of London, on the 26th day of February, 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, Romaine Delatorre, of No. 58, Broad-street-avenue, in the city of London, was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1897.

JAMES CRAIG Chairman.

FREDK. FOSS 5 Fenchurch-street E.C. a Solicitor of the Supreme Court.

**The Eastern Syndicate Limited.**

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at 37 Old Jewry, in the city of London, on the 8th day of February 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 February 1897, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

"That the Eastern Syndicate Limited, be wound up voluntarily.

"That Mr. David Amey, of No. 37 Old Jewry, London, E.C., be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

Dated the 25th day of February 1897.

HENRY GALE Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893, and of the River Cray Laundry Company, Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at the Station Hotel, Sidecup, on Friday, the 12th day of February, 1897, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed, viz.:—

"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 such Meeting Henry William Francis, F.S.A.A., Incorporated Accountant, of 35, Queen Victoria-street, E.C., and Giffords, Station-road, Sidecup, and David Taylor Corke, of Craybank, North Cray, Kent, were appointed Liquidators for the purposes of such winding-up.—Dated this 19th day of February, 1897.

GEO. P. BAKER Chairman.

In the Matter of H. and S. Barker and Company Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the Crown Hotel, Rotherham, on the first day of February, 1897, 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 twenty-second day of February, 1897, the same resolution was duly confirmed, namely:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily

under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867 and that Mr. Robert John Evans of the city of Sheffield Chartered Accountant and Mr. Edwin Thomas Harrop a Director be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purposes of such winding up their remuneration to be fixed at a subsequent General Meeting of the Company."

FRED. L. HARROP Chairman.

**The London and Globe Finance Corporation, Limited.**

**Special Resolutions.**

Passed, 9th February, 1897.

Confirmed, 25th February, 1897.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Corporation, duly convened and held at Cannon-street Hotel, in the city of London, on the 9th day of February, 1897, the subjoined Special Resolutions were duly passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Corporation, also duly convened and held at Winchester House, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, on the 25th day of February 1897, the subjoined Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That it is expedient to effect an amalgamation of the undertakings of the London and Globe Finance Corporation, Limited, and the West Australian Exploring and Finance Corporation, Limited, and accordingly that the London and Globe Finance Corporation, Limited, be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Whitaker Wright, of 15, Austin Friars, London, E.C., the Managing Director thereof, be, and he is hereby, appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.

2. "That the said Liquidator be, and he is hereby authorized to consent to the registration of a new Company to be named the London and Globe Finance Corporation, Limited, with a Memorandum and Articles of Association, which have already been prepared with the privity and approval of the Directors of the London and Globe Finance Corporation Limited.

3. "That the draft agreement submitted to this Meeting and purporting to be made between the London and Globe Finance Corporation, Limited (therein called the old Company), and Mr. Whitaker Wright, the Liquidator thereof, of the one part, and the London and Globe Finance Corporation, Limited (therein called the new Company), of the other part, be, and the same is hereby approved, and that the said Liquidator be, and he is hereby authorized, pursuant to section 161 of the Companies Act, 1862, to enter into an agreement with such new Company, when incorporated, in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect, with or without modification, as he may think fit."

W. C. F. ROBINSON Chairman.

M. JAMES BURN 11 Old Broad-street E.C. Solicitor.

**The West Australian Exploring and Finance Corporation Limited.**

**Special Resolutions.**

Passed, 9th February, 1897.

Confirmed, 25th February, 1897.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Corporation, duly convened and held at Cannon-street Hotel, in the city of London, on the 9th day of February, 1897, the subjoined Special Resolutions were duly passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Corporation, also duly convened and held at Winchester House, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, on the 25th day of

February 1897, the subjoined Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That it is expedient to effect an amalgamation of the undertakings of the West Australian Exploring and Finance Corporation, Limited, and the London and Globe Finance Corporation, Limited (incorporated in 1895), and accordingly that the West Australian Exploring and Finance Corporation, Limited, be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Whitaker Wright, of 15, Austin Friars, London, E.C., the Managing Director thereof, be, and he is hereby, appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.

2. "That the said Liquidator be, and he is hereby, authorized to consent to the registration of a new Company, to be named the London and Globe Finance Corporation, Limited, with a Memorandum and Articles of Association, which have already been prepared, with the privity and approval of the Directors of the West Australian Exploring and Finance Corporation, Limited.

3. "That the draft agreement submitted to this Meeting and purporting to be made between the West Australian Exploring and Finance Corporation, Limited (therein called the old Company), and Mr. Whitaker Wright, the Liquidator thereof, of the one part, and the London and Globe Finance Corporation, Limited (therein called the new Company), of the other part, be and the same is hereby approved, and that the said Liquidator be, and he is hereby authorized, pursuant to section 161 of the Companies Act, 1862, to enter into an agreement with such new Company, when incorporated, in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect, with or without modification, as he may think fit."

W. C. F. ROBINSON Chairman.

M. JAMES BURN 11 Old Broad-street  
E.C. Solicitor.

In the Matter of the Nassau Steam Press,  
Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at the offices of Messrs. Bonner, Thompson, Burnie and Company, 165, Fenchurch-street, London, E.C., on Monday, the 15th day of February, 1897, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed:—

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

2. "That Mr. Frederick Whinney, of No. 8, Old Jewry, London, E.C., be and he is hereby appointed the Liquidator of the Company, and that he, as such Liquidator, be and he is hereby authorized to consent to the registration of a Company to be called the Nassau Press, Limited."

Dated this 23rd day of February, 1897.

CHAS. T. HOLLAND, Chairman.

In the Matter of the City of Bath Electric Lighting and Engineering Company, Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above Company, duly convened and held at No. 2, Northumberland-buildings, in the city of Bath, on the 6th day of February, 1897, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place on the 24th day of February, 1897, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1896, and that Charles Joseph Wharton,

of Palace-chambers, Westminster, Electrical Engineer; Benjamin Humphries Van Tromp, of 4, Hyde Park-terrace, London, Solicitor; and William Jeffery, of the city of Bath, Accountant; be, and they are hereby appointed, Liquidators for the purposes of such winding up."

C. J. WHARTON Chairman at Confirmatory Meeting.

The Great Boulder East Extended Gold Mine,  
Limited.

Special Resolutions passed 5th February, 1897; confirmed 22nd February, 1897.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of this Company, duly convened and held on 5th February, 1897, at the Institute of Chartered Accountants, at 1, Moorgate-place, Moorgate-street, E.C., the following resolution was passed unanimously:—

"That the Provisional Agreement dated the 22nd day of January, 1897, and made between this Company of the one part and the Golden Link Consolidated Gold Mines, Limited, of the other part, and now submitted to this Meeting, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed."

At the same Meeting the subjoined Special Resolution was unanimously passed, and at a subsequent Meeting, duly convened and held at 9 and 10, King-street, Cheapside, on Monday, 22nd February, 1897, the same was duly confirmed:—

Special Resolution—"That the above-named Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Robert Warner, of 300, Winchester House, in the city of London, Chartered Accountant, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up."

DOUGLAS A. ONSLOW Chairman.

9 and 10, King-street, Cheapside,  
London, February 22nd, 1897.

The Bremnaes Gold Company Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company duly convened and held at Winchester House, Old Broad-street in the city of London on the 26th January 1897, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company also duly convened and held at 6A Austin Friars, in the city of London on the 12th February 1897, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company and that with a view thereto the Company be wound up voluntarily."

Dated this 12th day of February 1897.

F. HODGKINSON Chairman.

The Bremnaes Gold Company Limited in  
Liquidation.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before Monday, the 12th day of April 1897 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 the undersigned Charles Harrison Smith, of 6A, Austin Friars, in the city of London, the Liquidator of the said Co. 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 15th day of February 1897.

C. HARRISON SMITH 6A Austin Friars  
London Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of S. H. Sidire and Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the abovenamed Company are required, on or before the 8th day of April 1897, 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 Charles Haigh Cooper, of Ogden's-chambers 134 Deansgate Manchester and Higher and Lower Bank Mills Ashton-under-Lyne Accountant, 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 25th day of February 1897.

GRUNDY KERSHAW and Co. 79 Mosley-st.  
Manchester Solicitors to the abovenamed Liquidator.

Devonia Shipping Company Limited in Liquidation.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before Saturday the 10th day of April next, to send in their names and addresses and particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to James Henry Goodyear of No. 31 James-street, Liverpool in the county of Lancaster 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 debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, and in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 26th day of February 1897.

JAS. H. GOODYEAR Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1893 and in the Matter of the Northern Wealth of Nations Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 10th of April 1897 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 Mr. Alfred Henry Hardy of 5 Angel-court 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 20th day of February 1897.

ROMER and HASLAM 4 Copthall-chambers  
London E.C. Solicitors to the above named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the African Gold Concessions and Development Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named Company are required on or before the 15th day of April 1897 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 Mr. Benjamin Newstead of 3 Church-passage Guildhall London E.C. the Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their Solicitors

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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 the 26th day of February 1897.

CLAYTON SONS and FARGUS 10 Lancaster-place Strand W.C., Solicitors to the above named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1893 and in the Matter of the Australasian Territories Limited. In Voluntary Liquidation.

**T**HE creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 10th day of April 1897 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 George Carnaby Harrower of College Hill-chambers, 23, College-hill, London, E.C. 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 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 27th day of February 1897.

G. CARNABY HARROWER Liquidator.

The Henley Cottage Improvement Association Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Association will be held at the office of the Liquidator No. 5 West-street Henley-on-Thames in the county of Oxford on Thursday the 8th day of April 1897 at 12 o'clock at noon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books accounts and documents of the Association and of the Liquidator shall be disposed of.—Dated the 27th day of February 1897. J. F. COOPER Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Victoria Temperance Hotel Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the office of Mr. Arthur Frederick Seldon Bridge-chambers Barnstaple Devon on the 5th day of April 1897 at 4 o'clock in the afternoon precisely for the purpose of having the Liquidator's accounts showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, laid before such Meeting and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated this 26th day of February 1897.

ALFRED PERRIN Liquidator.

The Speed Tyre Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at No. 35 Hatton-garden London E.C. on Monday the 5th day of April next at 12 o'clock noon precisely to receive the Liquidator's report showing how the winding up of the Company has been conducted and its property disposed of, to hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator and to pass a resolution as to the disposal of the books, accounts and other documents of the Company.—Dated this 24th day of February 1897.

WM. GODDARD Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Mazoe Development Company Limited (in Liquidation).

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named Company are required on or before the 31st day of May 1897 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 the undersigned the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are by their said Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice.—Dated this 26th day of February 1897.

G. G. WALKER Liquidator.

Beds and Herts Land Building and Advance Company Limited. In Liquidation.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all persons having any debts due from or claims against the Beds and Herts Land Building and Advance Company Limited are requested to send full particulars thereof to me the undersigned at No. 7 George-street West Luton on or before the 22nd day of March 1897 after which date the Liquidators will not be liable for the assets of the said Company to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of February 1897.

WILLIAM AUSTIN Solicitor for the Liquidators.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Otto Deutschmann and Adelbert Hauschild carrying on business as Importers and Dealers in Flour and Flour Factors at 36 Mark-lane in the city of London under the style or firm of Deutschmann and Hauschild has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 20th day of February 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Otto Deutschmann.—Dated this twentieth day of February 1897.

OTTO DEUTSCHMANN.  
ADELBERT HAUSCHILD.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned James Richard Thomas and Samuel Frederick Page carrying on business as General Outfitters at 81 Chancery-lane in the county of Middlesex under the style or firm of Thomas and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 26th day of February 1897. All debts owing by the said late firm will be paid by the said James Richard Thomas.—Dated this 27th day of February 1897.

J. R. THOMAS.  
S. F. PAGE.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Stanislaus Reuschel of 133 and 135 Old-street, St. Luke in the county of London and Friedrich Wilhelm Von Limburg of the same place carrying on business as Bamboo Furniture Manufacturers and Merchants and Upholsterers at 133 and 135 Old-street aforesaid and 12 New-street 2A and 3A New-street and 123 Central-street and 27 Powell-street all in the county of London under the style or firm of Heinrichs and Co. was dissolved as and from the 12th day of February 1897, by mutual consent.—Dated the 12th day of February 1897.

FR. W. VON LIMBURG.  
S. REUSCHEL.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Robert Alexander Russmann Julius Rosenfeld and Edwin Harburg carrying on business as Watch Importers at 6 Holborn Circus in the city of London under the style or firm of Henry Harburg and Company has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the fifteenth day of February one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. All debts due and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Edwin Harburg.—Dated this 22nd day of February 1897.

ROBERT ALEXANDER RUSSMANN.  
JULIUS ROSENFELD.  
EDWIN HARBURG.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Jesse Nickinson Jesse Davis Nickinson Paul Nickinson and Harry Horace Prall carrying on business as Solicitors at 51 Chancery-lane in the county of Middlesex under the style or firm of Nickinson Prall and Nickinson has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 24th day of February 1897.—Dated this 24th day of February 1897.

J. NICKINSON. PAUL NICKINSON.  
J. D. NICKINSON. H. H. PRALL.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned George Spiller and George Sallnow Martin carrying on business as Opticians at No. 3 Wigmore-street, Cavendish-square, London under the style or firm of Spiller and Martin has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the first day of February 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said George Spiller.—Dated 25th day of February 1897.

GEO. SPILLER.  
G. S. MARTIN.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Sutherland Granville Munro and John Forsyth Liddell Stevenson carrying on business as Provision Merchants and Agents at Portsea in the county of Hampshire under the style or firm of S. G. Munro and Company has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the eighteenth day of February 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John Forsyth Liddell Stevenson.—Dated this 26th day of February 1897.

S. G. MUNRO.  
JOHN F. L. STEVENSON.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned William Townend and Joseph Kelsall carrying on business as Worsteds Coating and Cloth Manufacturers at Swinnow Mill Stanningley near Leeds in the county of York and at 117, Swan-arcade Bradford in the said county of York under the style or firm of William Townend and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 23rd day of February one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Joseph Kelsall who will carry on business as Kelsall and Co.—Dated the 23rd day of February one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

WILLIAM TOWNEND.  
J. KELSALL.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Asa Drake and William Henry Rushworth carrying on business as Removal Contractors and Furniture Storers at Southport in the county of Lancaster under the style or firm of Sykes Drake and Rushworth has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the twenty-second day of February 1897. The said Asa Drake will continue the said business as before.—Dated 27th day of February 1897.

ASA DRAKE.  
WILLIAM HENRY RUSHWORTH.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Alice Maud Fancott and Augusta Littlewood carrying on business as Fancy Drapers at No. 92 Bristol-street Birmingham under the style or firm of Alice Fancott has this day been dissolved by mutual consent as on and from the 3rd day of February 1897. All debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Alice Maud Fancott.—Dated this 25th day of February 1897.

ALICE M. FANCOTT.  
AUGUSTA LITTLEWOOD.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership between Richard Procter and Alexander Redmayne Baldwin formerly carried on by them at 14 Ormerod-street, Burnley and 6 Hibson-road Nelson both in the county of Lancaster as Solicitors of the Supreme Court of Judicature under the style or firm of Procter and Baldwin was dissolved by mutual consent on the 10th day of September 1895 and since that date the said Richard Procter has carried on business at both the said places on his own account. Henceforth the said Richard Procter will carry on the business at Ormerod-street Burnley aforesaid under the old style of Procter and Baldwin and on his own sole account and he will receive and pay all debts owing to and by the late firm. The said Alexander Redmayne Baldwin will henceforth carry on the business at Hibson-road Nelson aforesaid in his own name and on his own sole account.—Dated this 25th day of February 1897.

RICHARD PROCTER.  
A. R. BALDWIN.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned John Henry Stopford and Arthur Brown trading as Bicycle Spoke Manufacturers and Wire Merchants at 112 Haughton-green Denton in the county of Lancaster under the style of Stopford and Brown has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The assets will be received and the debts paid by the said John Henry Stopford and the business will be carried on by the said John Henry Stopford under the name of Stopford and Brown.—Dated this 13th day of January 1897.

JNO. H. STOPFORD.  
ARTHUR BROWN.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned Dawson Stansfield Sugden Rushworth and John Stansfield in the trade or business of Cotton Manufacturers at Calder Vale Shed Barrowford in the county of Lancaster under the style or firm of Stansfield and Rushworth has this day been dissolved by mutual consent so far as regards the said Sugden Rushworth who retires from the firm. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Dawson Stansfield and John Stansfield who intend to carry on the business on their own account.—As witness the hands of the said parties this twenty-fourth day of February 1897.

DAWSON STANSFIELD.  
SUGDEN RUSHWORTH.  
JOHN STANSFIELD.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Partnership formerly carried on by William Edwin Darwin and Henry Dodds under the style or firm of the Shakespeare Manufacturing Company at No. 1 Milk-street in the city of Manchester in the trade or business of Costume Manufacturers, Drapers and General Warehousemen was dissolved on the 2nd day of July 1896 by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this twenty-sixth day of February 1897.

W. E. DARWIN.  
HENRY DODDS.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Cyrus Riley and Frank Townend carrying on business as Joiners and Builders at Rose-grove Joinery Works Rose-grove Burnley in the county of Lancaster under the style or firm of Riley and Townend has this day been dissolved by mutual consent so far as regards the said Frank Townend who retires from the firm. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Cyrus Riley who will continue the said business under the present style or firm of Cyrus Riley.—As witness our hands this 26th day of February 1897.

CYRUS RILEY.  
FRANK TOWNEND.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between William Richardson and George Weightman carrying on business as General Drapers Hosiers Milliners and Outfitters at Bridge-street Workshop in the county of Nottingham and Whitwell in the county of Derby under the style or firm of Richardson and Weightman was on the 31st day of January 1897 dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said William Richardson.—Dated this 27th day of February 1897.

WILLIAM RICHARDSON.  
GEORGE WEIGHTMAN.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Edward Martin Rourke and Charles Joseph Rourke carrying on business as Cotton Waste Merchants at Egerton-street Chester-road Manchester under the style or firm of E. M. and C. J. Rourke has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 17th day of February 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Edward Martin Rourke by whom alone the said business will in future be carried on.—Dated the 17th day of February 1897.

E. M. ROURKE.  
C. J. ROURKE.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between Richard Henry Faremouth and William John Faremouth carrying on business as Painters Plumbers and Glaziers at Dartmouth in the county of Devon under the style or firm of Richard Henry and William John Faremouth has been dissolved as and from the thirteenth day of February 1897.—Dated 27th day of February 1897.

R. H. FAREMOUTH.

**PURSUANT** to an Order of Mr. Justice Kekewich dated the 17th day of July 1896 and made in an action of Theodor Raaschou Edwin Freund and Lars Bristol 1896 R. No. 1024 the partnership heretofore existing between Lars Bristol and Theodor Raaschou and Co. (the latter consisting of Theodor Raaschou and Edwin Freund) in the business of Portable Electric Accumulators and Lamp Makers under the style of the Bristol Electric Safety Lamp Works at 40 Great Smith-street, Westminster, and the partnership heretofore existing between the said Theodor Raaschou and Edwin Freund under the style of Theodor Raaschou and Co. lately carried on at 63 Queen Victoria-street E.C. as Electrical and Mechanical Engineers have been dissolved as from the 17th day of July, 1896. As from that date the said Theodor Raaschou will continue to carry on the business of Theodor Raaschou and Co. and the said Lars Bristol and Theodor Raaschou will continue to carry on the business of the Bristol Electric Safety Lamp Works at 40 Great Smith-street aforesaid and will take over all the assets and liabilities of the said firms and will pay all the trade debts thereof.—Dated this 27th day of February, 1897.

ROYDS and RAWSTORNE, 7 Suffolk-place,  
London S.W. Solicitors to the said E. Freund.  
H. SAVIDGE, 36, Gracechurch-street, E.C. Solicitor for Theodor Raaschou.

WHITTINGTON and SON, 3 Bishopsgate-street  
Without Solicitors to the said Lars Bristol.

#### COUNTY COURTS' JURISDICTION.

**PURSUANT** to a Decretal Order of the Shoreditch County Court of Middlesex holden at 221 Old-street, City-road, in the said county, made on the 14th day of February 1897, in an action Auston against Cole, it was declared that the Partnership subsisting between the plaintiff and defendant in the trade or business of Butchers, at No. 7 Monte Christo-parade, Newington Green, in the county of Middlesex, under the style of the Monte Christo Meat Stores, do stand dissolved as from the 18th day of January 1897.—Dated this 24th day of February 1897. ERNEST E. WICKHAM Registrar.

The Revd. WILLIAM FREDERICK CORRY DE  
BENTLEY CORRY Deceased.  
22 and 23 Vic. chap. 35.

**ALL** persons having any claim or demand against the estate of William Frederick Corry de Bentley Corry late of Bengeworth in the borough of Evesham and county of Worcester Clerk in Holy Orders deceased who died on the 17th day of July 1896 and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Worcester of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 1st day of September 1896 by Kathleen Jane Corry de Bentley Corry and Charles Henry Hodgson the younger two of the executors therein named (the other executor George Lavender Kades having renounced probate) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors to the said executors on or before the 6th day of April next after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased having regard only to the claims or demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of February 1897.

KADES and SON The Abbey, Evesham Solicitors  
to the said Executors.

DAVID WILLIAM JONES 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 David William Jones late of No. 173 High-street Dowlais in the county of Glamorgan Outfitter deceased (who died on the 15th day of December 1896, and whose will was proved in the Llandaff District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 28th day of January 1897, by Sarah Gravel Jones, widow of the said deceased one of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executrix on or before the 1st day of April next, after which 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 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, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of February 1897.

JONES and BEDDOE Merthyr Tydfil Solicitors  
for the Executrix.

**HYMEN ARON JOSEPH 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 Hymen Aron Joseph late of 45 Aberdeen-park Highbury in the county of Middlesex Esquire deceased (who died on the 16th day of January 1897, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 23rd day of February 1897, by Isaac Aron Joseph of Buscot Lodge Warwick-road Maids Vale Esquire and John Gordon Langton of 6A Austin Friars in the city of London Chartered Accountant the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 13th day of April next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of February 1897.

WILD and WILD 31 Lawrence-lane Cheapside  
Solicitors for the said Executors.

**HENRY DEAKIN 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 Henry Deakin formerly of the Telegraph Hotel Shepherd's Bush in the county of Middlesex and late of the Oaklands Horsham-road, Dorking in the county of Surrey deceased (who died on the 13th day of February 1897, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 24th day of February 1897, by Thomas Rogers Deakin and John Child the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars in writing, of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 29th 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 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 25th day of February 1897.

H. J. and T. CHILD No. 2 Paul's Bakehouse-court Doctors' Commons London E.C. Solicitors for the said Executors.

**Re JOHN JAMES Deceased.**

Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Victoria chapter 35.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John James late of Franchise-street Perry Barr in the county of Stafford Gentleman who died on the 30th day of April 1896 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 12th day of June 1896 by Thomas Newton and Harry James the executors therein named are required to send particulars of their claims to us the undersigned Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 26th day of April 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 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 26th day of February 1897.

BLEWITT REYNOLDS and CO. 35 Waterloo-street Birmingham Solicitors for the said Executors.

**CHARLES CROCKER Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Charles Crocker late of No. 51 Friday-street in the city of London Esquire (who died on the 8th day of November 1896 and whose will was proved by Jonathan Crocker and Arthur William Crocker the executors therein named in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 20th day of

February 1897) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their debts claims or demands to us the undersigned as Solicitors to the said executors on or before the 12th day of April 1897; and notice is also hereby given that at the expiration of that time 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 had notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of February 1897.

PHELPS SIDGWICK and BIDDLE 22 Aldermanbury, London, E.C. Solicitors for the Executors.

**JAMES WELCH 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 debts claims or demands against the estate of James Welch late of 55 King William-street and of 20 London-road both in Blackburn in the county of Lancaster Watchmaker and Jeweller deceased (who died on the 26th day of January 1897, intestate and of whose estate and effects letters of administration were granted to William Welch the lawful nephew by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 18th day of February 1897) are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me the undersigned Solicitor for the said administrator on or before the 27th day of March next 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 26th day of February 1897.

MALAM BROTHERS Exchange Flags, Blackburn, Solicitor for the Administrator.

**HENRY CLEEVEER WOODCOCK, Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Henry Cleeveer Woodcock late of Rearsby in the county of Leicester Esquire deceased (who died on the 13th day of July 1896 and whose will was proved by the Reverend Richard Powell of Withington in the county of Hereford Clerk Christopher Cleeveer Woodcock of Rearsby aforesaid Gentleman and David Wood of Rearsby aforesaid Farmer and Grazier, the executors therein named, in the Leicester District Probate Registry on the 7th day of September 1896) are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims or demands to Messrs. H. B. Berridge and Sons the Solicitors of the executors at their offices 8 Friar-lane in the county borough of Leicester on or before the 24th day of March 1897 after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed or any part thereof to any person of whose claim they shall not then have notice.—Dated this 24th day of February 1897.

R. B. BERRIDGE and SONS, Leicester Solicitors.

**THOMAS BROCKHURST Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Thomas Brockhurst late of Pulborough and Harting in the county of Sussex deceased (who died at Pulborough on the 4th day of January 1895) and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Chichester on the 4th day of February 1895 by George Brockhurst and Thomas Brockhurst executors therein named, are hereby required on or before the 25th day of March 1897 to send the particulars of such claims and demands to me the undersigned after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the estate of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto without having regard to and without being liable for any claims or demands of which they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of February 1897.

THOMAS BROCKHURST Harting, Petersfield, Executor.



**THOMAS GOSSAGE Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand against the estate of Thomas Gossage late of Creaton in the county of Northampton Farmer and Grazier deceased (who died on the 1st day of September 1896 and whose will was proved by John Francis Eady of Creaton aforesaid Farmer and Grazier the executor therein named in the Northampton District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 19th day of September 1896) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executor on or before the 13th day of April 1897 after which date the said executor 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 that 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 26th day of February 1897.

BECKE and GREEN, 20 Market-square, Northampton.

**SAMUEL KNIGHT Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Samuel Knight formerly of Dalehall in the borough of Burslem in the county of Stafford Butcher but late of Wolstanton in the said county Gentleman deceased (who died on the 16th day of March 1896) and whose will was proved by James Lucas Knight of Longton in the said county of Stafford Ale and Porter Merchant the surviving and acting executor on the 29th day of April 1896 in the Principal Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executor on or before the 13th day of April next and notice is hereby given that after that day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have notice and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of February 1897.

TOMKINSON NORRIS and NORRIS Burslem Solicitors for the said Executor.

**ALFRED SPALDING WILLIAMS Deceased.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vict. c. 35, that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Alfred Spalding Williams, late of 28 Newton-road, Bayswater in the county of London Gentleman, deceased, who died on the 7th day of January 1897 (and whose will was proved by Alexander Llewellyn Williams of 1 Brunswick-terrace Campden-hill Kensington in the county of London Doctor of Medicine James Smith of 48 Paternoster-row in the city of London Bookseller and Percy Holmes of Bramley Tye Bexhill-on-Sea in the county of Sussex Solicitor the executors therein named on the 19th day of February 1897 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims to the said executors at the offices of the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 5th day of April 1897 and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Alfred Spalding Williams deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims 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 debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of February 1897.

PARSON LEE and CO. Abchurch House Sherborne-lane, London, E.C. Solicitors for the said Executors.

**WILLIAM HENRY MOORE, Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Henry Moore late of No. 74 North-street, Brighton in the county of Sussex Tobaccoist deceased (who died on the 17th day of September 1896 and to whose personal estate letters of administration were granted by the District Registry at Lewes of the

Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 11th day of February 1897 to George William Veness of Hastings in the county of Sussex Auctioneer) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned on or before the 1st day of April 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 the 24th day of February 1897.

THOMAS A. GOODMAN 9 North-street, Brighton Solicitor for the said Administrator.

**JAMES WADDINGHAM Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of James Waddingham, late of 12 Kirkham-street Salford in the county of Lancashire Gentleman (who died on the 30th day of December 1896 and of whose estate letters of administration were granted in the Manchester and Salford Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 9th day of February 1897 to William Tombleson and Thomas John Waddingham the administrators) are hereby required to send the particulars of their debts claims and demands to me the undersigned one of the said administrators on or before the first day of July 1897 after which date the said administrators 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 administrators shall then have had notice and that the said administrators 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 25th day of February 1897.

WILLIAM TOMBLESON South Ferreby Hall Barton-on-Humber.

**RICHARD WHITE 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."

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Richard White late of 3 Lansdowne-terrace in the city of Bath Gentleman deceased (who died on the 20th day of January 1897 and whose will was proved in the Bristol District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 23rd day of February 1897 by John Dyke and the Reverend Francis Pocock both of the city of Bath aforesaid the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said executors on or before the 1st day of May next after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of February 1897.

J. ALLON TUCKER 5 Terrace-walk Bath Solicitor for the Executors.

**MICHAEL THOMAS WHITEHALL Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of Michael Thomas Whitehall late of No. 7 Rushey-green Lewisham in the county of Kent Gentleman deceased (who died on the 3rd day of February 1897 and whose will (with two codicils thereto) was proved by Edward Horswill Oxenham Henry Charles Mott and Charles Atkins the executors therein named on the 17th day of February 1897 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of such claims to the undersigned on or before the 25th day of April next after which date the said executors will distribute the assets amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of February 1897.

NEWTON and LEWIN 180 High-street Lewisham, S.E. Solicitors for the Executors.



**EDWARD FEREDAY 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 Edward Fereday late of West Bromwich in the county of Stafford Retired Publican (who died on the 28th day of February 1895 and whose will was proved in the Lichfield District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 6th day of May 1895 by Sarah Holden of No. 36 Temple-street West Bromwich aforesaid Widow, and Samuel Baggott of Holyhead-road Handsworth in the said county of Stafford Beerhouse Keeper the executrix and executor therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims to me, the undersigned the Solicitor to the said executors on or before the 12th day of April 1897 after which date the said executrix and executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of February 1897.

WM. BACHE Churchill House West Bromwich  
Solicitor to the said Executrix and Executor.

**HENRY HOWLETT 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 Henry Howlett late of Aslacton in the county of Norfolk and formerly of Beeston Saint Andrew in the county aforesaid Farmer deceased (who died on the nineteenth day of June 1896, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Norwich of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the nineteenth day of February 1897 by Hubert Howlett of Aslacton aforesaid Farmer and Hezekiah Howlett the younger of Horstead in the county aforesaid Farmer the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor to the said executors on or before the eighth day of May 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 and demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of February 1897.

HENRY R. CULLEY Solicitor for the Executors  
12 Bank-street Norwich.

**G. R. UNITE Deceased.**

**NOTICE** is hereby given pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vic. c. 35, that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of George Richard Unite late of Blackwell Court near Bromsgrove in the county of Worcester (and of the firm of George Unite and Sons of 69, Caroline-street in the city of Birmingham Silversmiths) deceased (who died on the 19th day of October 1896 and administration of whose estate and effects was granted to Anne Maria Unite of Blackwell Court aforesaid on the 28th November 1896 by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims to the said administratrix at the offices of the undersigned, her Solicitors, on or before the 2nd day of April 1897; and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said George Richard Unite deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice, and that she will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose debt or claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of February 1897.

J. B. CLARKE and CO. 40 Waterloo-street Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

**THERÈSE ROSALIE UZIELLI Deceased.**

**NOTICE** is hereby given pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vic. cap. 35 that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Thérèse Rosalie Uzielli late of Hanover Lodge Regents Park in the county of Middlesex Widow deceased (who died on the 31st day of December 1896 and whose will with two codicils was proved by the Right Reverend Monsignor Patrick Fenton the executor named in the first codicil to the said will on the 23rd day of February 1897 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts

or claims to the said executor at the offices of the undersigned his Solicitors on or before the 31st day of March 1897; and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Thérèse Rosalie Uzielli deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of February 1897.

THOMSONS BROOKS and DANBY 63 Cornhill  
London E.C. Solicitors for the said Executor.

**Re HANNAH CALVERT 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 against the estate of Hannah Calvert late of No. 6 Stipendiary-street in the city of Leeds deceased Widow (who died on the 4th day of February 1896 and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Wakefield of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 8th day of April 1896 by Arthur Bell of Regent-street and Benjamin Darnley of St. Agnes-street both in the city of Leeds the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned on or before the 15th day of April 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 26th day of February 1897.

WILLIAM WILLEY 5 South-parade Leeds  
Solicitor for the Executors.

**SYDNEY HERBERT ADAMS 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 Sydney Herbert Adams late of Sampson's Lodge Aldham in the county of Suffolk Medical Student (who died on the 27th day of December 1896 and whose will with a codicil thereto was proved by Thomas Edward Adams of Bishop's Stortford Herts, and Alfred Newman of Hadleigh Suffolk the executors therein named in the District Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Bury St. Edmunds on the 9th day of February 1897) are hereby required to send particulars, in writing of their debts claims or demands to us the undersigned as Solicitors to the said executors on or before the 27th 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 had notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 20th day of February 1897.

FFENNELL and NEWMAN Hadleigh Suffolk  
Solicitors to the said Executors.

**LLEWELLYN BOULT HARRIS, 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 claim or demand upon or against the estate of Llewellyn Boulton Harris late of Ashted in the county of Surrey Esquire deceased (who died on the 11th day of May 1894 and whose will was on the 16th day of June 1894 proved in the Principle Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice by Alexander Martin Bremner Esquire Barrister-at-Law and Septimus Goldsmid Esquire the executors in the said will named) are hereby required to send in their claims to us the undersigned Solicitors for the executors on or before the 8th day of April 1897 after which day the said executors will proceed to apply the assets of the testator in accordance with his said will and for the estate so applied they will not be liable to any person or persons of whose debt claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of February, 1897.

DAWES and SONS 9 Angel-court, Throgmorton-street, London, E.C. Solicitors for the said Executors.

Miss LOUISA CRAWFORD Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act 22nd and 23rd Victoria cap. 35.  
**NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Louisa Crawford late of the Villa Houghton-le-Spring in the county of Durham Spinster who died on the 13th day of August 1896 and whose will was proved in the Durham District Probate Registry on the 17th day of November following by Thomas Maddison Elizabeth Crawford and Frances Ellen Crawford the executors therein named are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their debts claims or demands to me as the Solicitor of the said executors at my office No. 44 Sadler-street in the city of Durham on or before the 15th day of April next at the expiration of which time 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 the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 25th day of February 1897.

T. MADDISON 44 Sadler-street Durham Solicitor to the said Executors.

Mr. GEORGE GIBSON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35.  
**NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of George Gibson late of Mainsfield Farm Cold Rowley near Castleside in the county of Durham Farmer who died on the 25th day of November 1896 and whose will was proved in the Durham District Probate Registry on the 18th day of January 1897 by Thomas Maddison and Elizabeth Gibson the executors therein named are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their debts claims or demands to me as the solicitor of the said executors at my office No. 44 Sadler-street in the city of Durham on or before the 15th day of April next at the expiration of which time 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 the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 25th day of February 1897.

T. MADDISON, 44, Sadler-street, Durham, Solicitor to the said Executors.

Re JOSEPH FAULKNER Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Vic. cap. 35.  
**ALL** persons having any claims against the estate of Joseph Faulkner late of 201 Drake-street Rochdale in the county of Lancaster Veterinary Surgeon (who died on the 25th day of November 1896 intestate and letters of administration of whose personal estate were on the 12th day of February 1897 granted out of the District Registry at Manchester to Theresa Faulkner the lawful widow and relict of the said deceased) are required to send particulars of their claims to the undersigned on or before the 9th day of April 1897 after which the assets of the said deceased will be distributed amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the said administratrix shall then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of February 1897.

STANDRING TAYLOR and STANDRING 1 King-street Rochdale, Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

WILLIAM WYBROW Deceased.

Pursuant to 22 and 23 Vic. cap. 35.  
**NOTICE** is hereby given that all persons having any claim or demand against or interest in the estate of William Wybrow late of High Cliff Dawlish in the county of Devon Esquire deceased (who died on the 23rd day of January 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry on the 23rd day of February 1897 by John Breward Neal and John Sumner Whidborne the executors) are hereby required to send written particulars of such claim demand or interest to us the undersigned on or before the 17th day of April next after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased having regard only to the claims or demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of February 1897.

TOZER WHIDBORN and TOZER Dawlish Devon Solicitors for the Executors.

WILLIAM CHARLTON Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria chapter 35.  
**NOTICE** is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of William Charlton late of Number 15 Norwood-street in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull Consulting Engineer who died on the 12th day of May 1896 and whose will was proved

in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 13th day of June 1896 by William Edmondson and Alice Charlton the sole executors therein named are requested to send particulars to the undersigned Solicitors on or before the 31st day of May 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 then received.—Dated this 25th day of February 1897.

ANDW. M. JACKSON and CO. Victoria-chambers Bowllalley-lane, Hull, Solicitors.

MARY ELIZABETH AKESTER Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35.  
**NOTICE** is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Mary Elizabeth Akester late of Newbegin Hornsea in the East Riding of the county of York Spinster who died on the 7th 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 22nd day of December 1896 by Joseph Ainley Akester and Mary Elizabeth Akester the executors therein named are requested to send particulars to the undersigned Solicitors on or before the thirty-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 then received.—Dated this 26th day of February 1897.

ANDW. M. JACKSON and CO. Victoria-chambers Bowllalley-lane Hull, Solicitors.

JAMES WEEKS Deceased.

Pursuant to 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35.  
**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all persons having claims against the estate of James Weeks formerly of 13 Endwell-road, Brockley Kent but late of 16 South Street Greenwich Kent (who died on the 24th January 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry on the 23rd February 1897 by Edith Weeks and Walter Miller the executors, are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims to the undersigned, before the 17th April 1897, after which time the executors will distribute the assets having regard only to the claims of which they shall have had notice; and will not be liable to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of February 1897.

ROOKE and SONS 45 Lincoln's-inn-fields W.C. Solicitors for the Executors.

EDMUND JOHN PRINCE Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic. cap. 35.  
**NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and others having any claims against the estate of Edmund John Prince late of the Lady Mildmay Wolsey-road Mildmay-park Middlesex Licensed Victualler who died on the 19th January 1897 intestate are required to send written particulars of their debts claims or demands to us the undersigned Solicitors to Flora Prince the administratrix of the deceased on or before the 6th April 1897 after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased having regard only to claims of which she shall then have had notice and she will not be liable for any assets so distributed to any person of whose claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated 27th February 1897.

LAYTON SONS and LENDON, 29, Budge-row E.C. Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

WILLIAM BARKER deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria 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 upon or against the estate of William Barker late of Hutton Radby in the North Riding of the county of York Builder deceased (who died on the 29th November, 1896 and whose will was proved in the York District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 2nd February 1897 by John Barker the sole executor therein named) are hereby required to send particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the executor on or before the 27th inst. after which date the said executor 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 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 1st day of March 1897.

W. LOWTHER CARRICK, Stokesley York, R.S.O. Solicitor for the Executor.

**Re HENRY JOHNSON Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Henry Johnson late of Bingham in the county of Nottingham Wine and Spirit Merchant deceased (who died on the 24th day of January 1897 and whose will was proved in the Nottingham District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 27th day of February 1897 by Agnes Emily Barker Johnson the Widow of the deceased one of the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said executrix on or before the 29th day of March 1897 after which 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 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 so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of March 1897.

C. A. MAYHALL 7 St. Peter's Church-walk  
Nottingham Solicitor for the said Executrix.

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Levi Dell late of Denmark House at East Cowes in the Isle of Wight in the county of Southampton formerly a Gas Manufacturer deceased (who died on the 3rd day of January 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 28th day of January 1897 by Anna Octavia Dell and William John Bailey the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executors on or before the 6th day of April 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 25th day of February 1897.

W. JOHN BAILEY Junr. Solicitor for the said  
Executors Newport Isle of Wight.

**EDWIN CHILD Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts claims or demands against the estate of Edwin Child late of New Malden in the county of Surrey Surgeon who died on the 9th day of December 1896 and whose will with two codicils was proved in the Principal Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 18th day of February now instant by Thomas Child George Augustus Frederic Rogers and Julia Louisa Child the executors therein named are hereby required to send the particulars of their debts claims or demands to the said executors addressed to them at Vernham, Merton Hall-road Wimbledon in the county of Surrey on or before the 25th day of March next after the expiration of which time the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt claim or demand they shall not then have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 26th day of February 1897.

DURHAM CARTER and DURHAM 3 Arundel-street Strand W.C. and Kingston-on-Thames  
Solicitors to the Executors.

**FRANCIS JOHN SWATMAN Esqre. Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of the said Francis John Swatman late of King's Lynn in the county of Norfolk deceased (who died on the 11th day of April 1896 and whose will was proved in District Registry at Norwich of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 29th day of May

1896 by Mary Ann Swatman Widow Relict of said deceased, Thomas Goodwyn Archer and Charles Theophilus Ives, Gentlemen, the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of the claims or demands to us the undersigned on or before the 24th day of April next after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Francis John Swatman deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to such claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and they will not be answerable or liable for the assets so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of February 1897.

ARCHER and ARCHER King-street, King's Lynn  
Solicitors to the Executors.

**Re WILLIAM KING Deceased.**

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the twenty-second and twenty-third 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 William King late of No. 24 Lincoln's-inn-fields in the county of Middlesex and of Acacia-avenue Addlestone in the county of Surrey Actuary (who died on the 27th day of April 1896 and whose will was proved by Daniel Heath of No. 2 Queen's-road Edmonton Esquire, Charles King of No. 82 Peppys-road New Cross Esquire and Bessie Colman Dunscombe of the Cottage Essex-road Watford (wife of the Reverend Thomas Nicholas Dunscombe Clerk) the executors therein named on the 16th day of June 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 undersigned the Solicitors for the said executors before the 13th 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 27th day of February 1897.

CAPRONS DALTON, HITCHINS and BRABANT  
Saville-place Conduit-street W. Solicitors for  
the said Executors.

**Re JOHN EVANS Deceased.**

22 and 23 Victoria cap. 35.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Evans late of 91 Park-crescent North Shields in the county of Northumberland Fish Merchant deceased (who died on the 10th day of November 1896 and whose will was proved by Harriet Evans, Emily Galloway and Alice Allaway the executrices therein named on the 9th day of February 1897 in the New-castle-upon-Tyne District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the said executrices Harriet Evans, Emily Galloway and Alice Allaway or to us the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 2nd day of April next; and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said executrices will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the said executrices 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 26th day of February 1897.

DICKINSON MILLER and DICKINSON 97  
Howard-street North Shields and 46 Grainger-street, N. Newcastle-upon-Tyne Solicitors for  
the Executrices.

**MARK ALFRED SALTMARSH Deceased.**

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Mark Alfred Saltmarsh late of 1 Comeragh-road West Kensington in the county of Middlesex Physician and Surgeon deceased (who died on the 11th day of January 1897) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims and demands to Nelly Kate Saltmarsh the Widow at 1 Comeragh-road aforesaid on or before the 10th day of April 1897 after which date the assets of the deceased will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims which shall then have been received.—Dated the 27th day of February 1897.

R. A. HARDING, 16 Abchurch-lane Cannon-street, E.C. Solicitor for the Administrator.

**ARTHUR PERCY JACKSON Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts claims or demands against the estate of Arthur Percy Jackson formerly of Lanesdown Bromley Common in the county of Kent and late of Fairlawn, Fairmile, Cobham in the county of Surrey and of Cordwainers' Hall 7 Cannon-street in the city of London Solicitor (who died on the 3rd day of October 1896 and whose will was proved on the 12th day of November 1896 by Ellen Harvey Jackson and Richard Creed two of the executors therein named in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their debts claims or demands to me the undersigned the solicitor for the said executors on or before the 27th 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 deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt claim or demand the said executors shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of February 1897.

H. GARRARD CLARKE 7 Cannon-street, E.C.  
Solicitor for the said Executors.

**THOMAS CHEW (the Elder) 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."

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Chew the Elder late of 352 Queen's-road Cheetham and of 4A Cheetham Hill-road both in the city of Manchester Horse-hair and Fibre Manufacturer and Brush Material Merchant deceased (who died on the 17th day of November 1896 and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Manchester of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 24th day of December 1896 by Thomas Chew and Robert Chew two of the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 25th 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 19th day of February 1897.

PHYTHIAN and BLAND 27 Brazenose-street  
Manchester Solicitors for the Executors.

**MARGARET CRAKE Widow Deceased.**

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

**A**LL creditors and others having any claims against or to the estate of Margaret Crake late of 36 Studley-road Harrogate in the county of York Widow who died on the 16th day of December 1896 and whose will was duly proved by Samuel Barrass and James Crake the executors therein named in the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims to 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 of which the said executors have then had notice and the said executors will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claims they shall not then have had notice at the time of the distribution.—Dated this 25th day of February 1897.

RIDDELL VAIZEY and SMITH 9 John-street,  
Bedford-row London W.C. Solicitors for the Executors.

**JOSEPH WHITAKER STAPLETON 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."

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts claims or demands against the estate of Joseph Whitaker Stapleton late of Rossye Lodge Central Hill Upper Norwood Surrey Gentleman deceased (who died on the 14th day of May 1896 and whose will was proved by Caroline Stapleton of Hengistbury House Christchurch in the county of Hants Widow and Reginald James Tyrrell of Hengist-

bury House Christchurch aforesaid Draper two of the executors therein mentioned in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 26th day of September 1896) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their debts claims or demands to us the undersigned as Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 26th 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 Joseph Whitaker Stapleton deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt claim or demand they shall not have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of February 1897.

ATTENBOROUGH and SON 16 Ely-place Holborn E.C. Solicitors to the said Executors.

**RACHEL THOMAS Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Rachel Thomas late of Sguborwen Aberdare in the county of Glamorgan 28 Norfolk-street Park-lane London and Blunsdon Abbey, in the county of Wilts Widow (who died on the 21st day of March 1896 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 5th day of November 1896 by John Howard Thomas and Samuel Moreton Thomas two of the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 15th day of February 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 of which they then shall have had notice and they will not be liable for the assets of the deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims and demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of February 1897.

LEWIS and JONES 33 Victoria-street Merthyr Tydfil, Solicitors for the said Executors.

**BLANCHE PURNEY Spinster 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."

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Blanche Purney late of No. 17 Lady Somerset-road Kentish Town in the county of Middlesex Spinster deceased (who died on the 7th day of November 1896 and letters of administration to whose personal estate and effects were on the 23rd day of December 1896 granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice to Henry Purney the administrator) are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims and demands to us the undersigned on behalf of the said administrator on or before the 1st day of April 1897 and notice is also hereby given that after that date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of March 1897.

SAXTON and MORGAN 29 Somerset-street, Portman-square, London W., Solicitors for the Administrator.

**Re HENRY SALISBURY Deceased.**

Pursuant to 22 and 23 Vic. cap. 35. sec. 29.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Henry Salisbury late of Rock Villas New Mills in the county of Derby Engraver to Calico Printers deceased are hereby required to send in the particulars thereof to me the undersigned on or before the 3rd day of April next 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 of which they shall then have had notice and notice is also hereby given that any person owing any sum or sums of money to the estate of the above deceased are required to pay the same to me on or before the said 3rd day of April next.—Dated this 1st day of March 1897.

A. WALKER Spring Bank New Mills, Solicitor for the Executors.

**MARIANNE VENNING Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claim or demands upon or against the estate of Marianne Venning of Liskeard in the county of Cornwall Widow deceased who died on the 4th day of March 1896 and of whose personal estate letters of administration were granted on the 11th day of February 1897 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice to Douglas Brighton of the city and county of Bristol are hereby required to send in the particulars in writing of their claims and demands to the said Douglas Brighton the administrator at the offices of the undersigned his solicitors on or before the 17th day of April, 1897 and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice and that 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 and demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 1st day of March, 1897.

POMEROY, TANNER and CLARKE 15 Clare-street Bristol Solicitors for the said Administrator.

**AUGUSTUS SAMUEL WILDY Deceased.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given (pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vict. c. 35) that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Augustus Samuel Wildy formerly of No. 3 Thread-needle-street in the city of London and late of No. 116 Regent's Park-road in the county of Middlesex Gentleman deceased (who died on the 19th day of December 1896 and whose will was proved by Augustus George Wildy Arthur Wildy Mary Louisa Wildy and Katharine Ann Wildy the executors therein named on the 19th day of February 1897 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send written particulars of such claims or demands to the said executors at the office of the undersigned their Solicitors on or before the 5th day of April 1897 after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Augustus Samuel Wildy deceased amongst the parties 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, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of February 1897.

A. C. BEATTIE 119 and 120 London Wall London Solicitor for the said Executors.

**MARGARET DAVIES Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims upon the estate of Margaret Davies late of the Elms Wigan in the county of Lancaster Spinster deceased (who died on third day of December one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Liverpool of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the twelfth day of January one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven by Herbert Spencer Woodcock the executor therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims to us the undersigned Solicitors for the said executor on or before the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this twenty-fifth day of February one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

WOODCOCK STOBART and PEARS 36 King-street Wigan Solicitors for the Executor.

**RICHARD MORGAN Deceased.**

Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Victoria c. 35.

**T**HE creditors of Richard Morgan late of Bridgend House in the village and parish of Llanguryfon in the county of Cardigan Grocer deceased (who died on the 26th day of April 1896) are on or before the 1st day of April 1897 required to send particulars of their debts or claims to me the undersigned Solicitor for the executor who will after that date proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of February 1897.

JOSEPH DAVIES Town Hall Aberystwith, Solicitor for the Executor.

**Be MARGARET RAWSTHORNE Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act 1859.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Margaret Rawsthorne late of Whasset near Milnthorpe in the county of Westmorland Spinster deceased (who died on the 26th day of January 1897 and administration of whose estate was granted to William Rawsthorne on the 26th day of February 1897) are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to us, the undersigned, on or before the 24th day of March 1897 after which day the assets of the said deceased will be distributed regard being had only to the claims of which notice shall then have been given.—Dated this 27th day of February 1897.

WATSON and CHORLEY 31, Stramontage, Kendal, Solicitors for the said Administrator.

**LUCY MARY NEILL Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Lucy Mary Neill formerly of 165 Newington Causeway London but late of Beer Alston near Tavistock Devonshire Spinster deceased whose will was proved in the Principal Registry on the 20th February 1897 are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned solicitors for the executrixes on or before the 1st May 1897 after which date the executrixes will proceed to distribute the deceased's assets amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated 26th February 1897.

G. and F. EAST, 10, Basinghall-street, London E.C. Solicitors for the Executrixes.

**T**O be sold pursuant to an Order of the Manchester District Registry of the High Court of Justice Chancery Division made in an action 1895 Letter F No. 3026 Firth v. Butcher with the approbation of Mr. Justice Byrne by Mr. James Bancroft the person appointed by the said Judge at the Commercial Hotel Astley-street Dukinfield in the county of Chester on Wednesday the 24th day of March 1897 at 7 for 8 o'clock in the evening in three lots:—

Lot 1. A plot of land containing 480 square yards situate at the corner of King-street and West-street Dukinfield aforesaid and the messuage thereon now used as a shop numbered 61 King-street aforesaid in the occupation of Neale and Co. Grocers as tenants thereof. This lot is held for the residue of a term of 2,000 years from the 29th day of September 1829 and will be sold subject to the payment of a yearly rent of £3 and to the covenants and conditions in the Indenture creating such rent contained.

Lot 2. A plot of land containing 943 square yards situate at the corner of King-street and Wellington-street Dukinfield aforesaid and the 6 messuages thereon now used as shops numbered 60 to 60 (even numbers inclusive) King-street aforesaid and the bakehouse and workshop at the rear thereof in the occupation of Tom Bowden and others as tenants thereof. This lot is held for the residue of a term of 2,000 years from the 29th day of September 1824 and will be sold subject to the payment of a yearly rent of £7 17s. 2d. and to the covenants and conditions in the Indenture creating such rent contained.

Lot 3. A plot of land containing 990 square yards fronting Wharf-street Dukinfield aforesaid and the messuage thereon now used as a shop Nod. 63 Wharf-street aforesaid and the messuages numbered 65 and 67 Wharf-street and 1 to 7 (odd numbers inclusive) Colliers-court in the occupations of Mr. Clarke and others as tenants thereof.

A part of the last-mentioned plot of land containing 495 square yards on which there is erected a Sunday School now in the occupation of the Trustees of the Furnace Hill Independent School will be sold subject to an Indenture of Lease dated the 5th day of November 1825 and made between John Greenwood and others of the 1st part John Sterndale of the 2nd part and John Higginbottom of the 3rd part and to the term of 990 years thereby created but with the benefit of the yearly rent of £4 2s. 6d. thereby reserved.

This lot is freehold of inheritance and will be sold subject to the payment of a yearly rent of £4 2s. 6d. and to the covenants and conditions in the Indenture creating such rent contained.

The mines and minerals under all the lots with powers relating thereto are excepted from the sale and each lot will be sold subject to the performance of suit to the Court Baron for the Manor of Dukinfield.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had gratis of William Richards Solicitor Ashton-under-Lyne, of Brooks



Marshall and Co. Solicitors Ashton-under-Lyne and at 104 King-street Manchester; of the Auctioneer at 103 Astley-street Dukinfield; at the place of sale; and from J. T. DOYLE 9 Mount-street, Manchester Solicitor.

Dated this 23rd day of February 1897.

**T**O be sold pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice Chancery Division made in re Moody Cowan v. Moody 1891 M. 282 with the approbation of Mr. Justice Stirling by Mr. James Clark the person appointed by the said Judge at the Auction Mart King's-road Southsea Hants on Tuesday the 9th March 1897 at 7 o'clock in the evening the following freehold properties in 28 lots viz.:-

Corner business premises Number 229 Somers-road Southsea 21 dwelling-houses situate in Beach Farm-road, Beatrice-road, Allens-road, Albert-grove Loworay-road, and Northcote-road all in Southsea aforesaid. Also the corner building site known as Mornington House Commercial-road Portsmouth and land adjoining. Particulars and conditions of sale may be had of the following Solicitors: Messieurs W. A. Way and Son of 20 Ordnance-road Portsea, Messrs. Watson Sons and Room of 12 Bouverie-street Fleet-street London, F. A. Johns Esq. of Ringwood Hants, Messieurs Peacock and Goddard of 3 South-square Gray's-inn London, Messrs. Withall Trotter and Patteson of 19 Great George-street Westminster and of the Auctioneer at the Auction Mart King's-road Southsea.—Dated this 1st day of March 1897.

H. F. CHURCH Master.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster made in the matter of the estate of George Siddall deceased and in an action 1897 Letter S. No. 27 Morrell against Siddall the creditors of George Siddall late of 190 Plymouth-grove, 266 Oldham-road, and Smithfield Market all in Manchester in the county of Lancaster Provision Merchant and Dealer who died in or about the month of September 1896, are on or before the 1st day of April 1897 to send by post prepaid to Mr. Henry Rogers of 23 Cross-street Manchester the Solicitor of the defendants Joseph Siddall and George Siddall the executors of the deceased their Christian and surname, addresses and descriptions and in the case of firms the names of 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 Liverpool District at his chambers situate at No. 9 Cook-street Liverpool on the 14th day of April 1897 at eleven o'clock in the forenoon being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 25th day of February 1897.

F. WILLIS TAYLOR Registrar.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment and Composition with Creditors executed on the 7th day of November 1896 by George Dixon of George-road Wallsend in the county of Northumberland Builder.

**T**HE creditors of the above named George Dixon who have not already sent in their claims are required on or before Saturday the 13th day of March 1897 to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims to the undersigned Solicitor for the Trustees under the said deed or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 26th day of February 1897.

GEORGE ROWELL 100 Pilgrim-street Newcastle-upon-Tyne Solicitor for the said Trustees.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors executed on the 23rd day of December 1896 by Richard Herbert Eccles of Tully Allan Lower Darwen in the county of Lancaster Cotton Spinner and Weaver carrying on business at Lower Darwen Mill without a partner under the style of T. and R. Eccles.

**T**HE creditors of the above named Richard Herbert Eccles who have not already sent in their claims are required on or before the 30th day of March 1897 to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims to William Henderson Walker of 42, Castle-street in the city of Liverpool Chartered Accountant, 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 1st day of March 1897.

COLLINS ROBINSON and DRIFFIELD Solicitors for the above named Trustee, 34 Castle-street Liverpool.

The Bankruptcy Act 1869.

In the County Court of Somersetshire holden at Bath. **F**IRST and Final Dividend of 1½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of George Gingell Taylor, late of Lanes End Farm in the parish of Corsham in the county of Wilts, Farmer and Threshing Machine Proprietor, but now of Easton in the parish of Corsham aforesaid, of no occupation, adjudicated a bankrupt on the 23rd day of March 1880, and will be paid by me at my offices, Bank-chambers, Corn-street, Bristol on and after the eighth day of March 1897.—Dated this 24th day of February 1897.

E. G. CLARKE Official Receiver in Bankruptcy and Trustee.

In the County Court of Lancashire holden at Rochdale. No. 1 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the Waterhead Land Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above named Company by the County Court of Lancashire holden at Rochdale was on the 1st day of March 1897 presented to the said Court by Joseph Taylor of 339 Lees-road Oldham in the county of Lancaster Salesman a contributory of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Public Hall Baillie-street Rochdale on the 12th day of March 1897 and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order on the said petition may appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Solicitor or his Counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

GEORGE P. FRIPP 18 Clegg-street Oldham Solicitor for the Petitioner.

**N**OTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above named notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person or if a firm the name and address of the firm and must be signed by the person or firm or his or their Solicitor (if any) and must be served or if posted must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above named not later than 6 o'clock in the afternoon of the 11th day of March 1897.

The Bankruptcy Acts 1883 and 1890.

In the County Court of Cheshire holden at Chester. In Bankruptcy. No. 1 of 1897.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition filed the 26th day of February 1897.

To John Elias Williams of 12 Brook-street in the city of Chester Draper.

**T**AKE notice that a Bankruptcy Petition has been presented against you to this Court by S. and J. Watts and Co. of Portland-street in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Merchants, and the Court has ordered that posting of a sealed copy of the Petition by registered post addressed to you at your last known address namely at 12 Brook-street, Chester, prior to the publication of this Notice in the London Gazette and in the Chester Chronicle newspapers shall be deemed to be service of the Petition upon you; and further take notice that the said Petition will be heard at the Court Offices, 28, Old Bank-buildings, the Eastgate, Chester on the 11th day of March 1897 at eleven o'clock in the forenoon on which day you are required to appear, and if you do not appear, the Court may make a Receiving Order against you in your absence. The Petition can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated this 27th day of February 1897. EDWARD S. GILES Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Acts 1883 and 1890.

In the County Court of Kent holden at Maidstone.

In Bankruptcy. No. 1 of 1897.

Re James Sprange.

In the Matter of a Petition for a Receiving Order filed the 19th day of February 1897.

To James Sprange late of Upper Stone-street Maidstone Baker.

**T**AKE notice that a Bankruptcy Petition has been presented against you to this Court by Messrs. H. S. Pledge and Sons of the Victoria Mills Ashford in the county of Kent, Millers and the Court has ordered that the publication of this Notice in the London Gazette and in the Daily Telegraph and the Kent Messenger newspapers shall be deemed to be service of the Petition on you; and further take notice that

the said Petition will be heard at the County Court Office No. 88 Week-street Maidstone on the 10th day of March 1897 at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon on which day you are required to appear and if you do not appear the Court may make a Receiving Order against you in your absence. The Petition can be inspected by you on application to this Court.—Dated this 26th day of February 1897. **GEORGE D. WARNER** Registrar.  
 Petitioning Creditors' Solicitor is—  
**H. J. BRACHER** 33 Earl-street Maidstone.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In Bankruptcy.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition filed the 23rd day of February 1897.

To Christopher Brady of 66 Corporation-street, Birmingham Solicitor.

**T**AKE notice that a Bankruptcy Petition has been presented against you to this Court by Messieurs Edwards Son and Bigwood of 17 and 19 Colmore-row Birmingham Auctioneers and Valuers and the Court has ordered that by leaving a sealed copy of the above-mentioned Petition together with a sealed copy of the Order for substituted service at 66 Corporation-street Birmingham and the publication of this notice in the London Gazette and in the Birmingham Daily Post shall be deemed to be service of the Petition upon you; and further take notice that the said Petition will be heard at this Court on the 10th day of March 1897 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon on which day you are required to appear and if you do not appear the Court may make

a Receiving Order against you in your absence. The Petition can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated this 26th day of February 1897.

**EDWIN PARRY** Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Acts, 1883 and 1890.

In the County Court of Pembrokeshire, holden at Pembroke Dock.

In Bankruptcy. No. 19 of 1895.

Re Sir William Davies (Knight), residing at Spring-gardens, in the town and county of Haverfordwest, and at Broadhaven, Pembrokeshire, William Davies George, residing at Hermon's Hill, in the town and county of Haverfordwest, and Colin Rees Davies, residing at Spring-gardens, Haverfordwest, and at Broadhaven aforesaid, lately carrying on business as Davies George and Davies, at Spring-gardens, Haverfordwest aforesaid, Solicitors.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that an Order was, on the 27th day of January, 1897, made by the Board of Trade, under the powers conferred upon them by the Bankruptcy Acts, 1883 and 1890, removing John James, of High-street, Haverfordwest, from the office of Trustee of the property of the said Sir William Davies, William Davies George, and Colin Rees Davies, bankrupts.—Dated this 27th day of January, 1897.

By the Board of Trade,

**JOHN SMITH**, Inspector-General in Bankruptcy.



# THE BANKRUPTCY (DISCHARGE AND CLOSURE) ACT, 1887.

## APPLICATION FOR DEBTOR'S DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Adjudication or Resolution for Liquidation.	Day and Hour fixed for Hearing.
Simpson, Charles ... ..	4, Warbeck-terrace, Warbeck-road, Shepherd's Bush, but late of 11, Cathnor-road, Goldhawk-road, Shepherd's Bush, in the county of Middlesex	Agent ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 28, 1879 ...	Mar. 23, 1897, 11 A.M.

# 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.
673	Chilcott, John ...	88, St. James's-street, Piccadilly, Middlesex, also lately residing at 57, Regency-square, Brighton, Sussex	Caretaker, lately Lodging-house Keeper	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Feb. 26, 1897	250 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	115	Debtor's	
674	Fraser, William Alan ...	28, Burleigh-mansions, Charing Cross-road, and carrying on business at 18, Cecil-court, Charing Cross-road, both in Middlesex	Electrical Engineer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Feb. 26, 1897	254 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	121	Debtor's	
675	Free, Percy Richard Collins	Lately residing at 3, Warrington-crescent, Maida Vale, now of 20, Euston-square, both in the county of London	Solicitor's Articled Clerk	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Feb. 5, 1897	143 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	125	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
676	Gillette, M. G. ...	42 and 52, Gray's-inn-road, in the county of London	Horse Clipper Maker ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Feb. 8, 1897	148 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	118	Creditor's...	Sec. 1, Bankruptcy Act, 1890
677	Girdlestone, George ...	Barking-lane, Ilford, Essex ...	Grocer and Provision Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Feb. 11, 1897	174 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	120	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
678	Gledstone, James Harold	Lately of 63, Upper Tulse Hill, in the county of London, now of 1, Sherborne-lane, in the city of London	Tailor ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Jan. 20, 1897	66 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	116	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
679	Goodman, Louis Henry...	19, Wetherby-mansions, South Kensington, in the county of London, late of 212, Cromwell-road, South Kensington aforesaid	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Feb. 4, 1897	134 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	124	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
680	Grindlay, Walter ...	5, Essex-court, Temple, in the city of London, 22, Colville-terrace, Bayswater, in the county of London, and of 26, Eaton-rise, Ealing, Middlesex	Barrister-at-Law ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Jan. 29, 1897	113 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	122	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
681	Hart, John ...	Formerly carrying on business at 6, York-buildings, John-street, Adelphi, whose present address the Petitioning Creditor has been unable to ascertain	Money Lender ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Jan. 30, 1897	116 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	123	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
682	Hopkins, C. ...	21, St. Bernard's-road, East Ham, Essex ...	Builder ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Dec. 8, 1896	1456 of 1896	Feb. 26, 1897	119	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883

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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.
683	Jones, Edwin Palmer ...	Lately of 39, Lynette-avenue, Clapham, in the county of London, whose present residence the Petitioning Creditor is unable to ascertain	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Feb. 2, 1897	123 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	117	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (D.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
684	Lovelace, William Edward	21 and 51, Strutton-ground, Westminster, in the county of London	Boot and Shoe Dealer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Feb. 25, 1897	249 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1897	113	Debtor's	
685	Squier, H. I. ...	28, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, carrying on business there	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Dec. 24, 1896	1518 of 1896	Feb. 25, 1897	112	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
686	Thronsdon, Ivar ...	Botolph House, Eastcheap, in the city of London, and residing at Sussex Lodge, Station-road, Sidcup, Kent	Manager and Buyer to a Firm of Bottle Merchants	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Feb. 4, 1897	139 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1897	111	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
687	Macq, Edwin ...	45, Victoria-road, Old Swindon, Wiltshire, lately of Bowood, Newbridge Hill, Weston, near Bath, Somersetshire	Omnibus and Fly Proprietor	Bath ...	Feb. 1, 1897	3 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1897	2	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (A.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
688	Whaley, George (trading as George Whaley and Co.)	Residing and trading at 11, Bradford-road, Clayton, near Bradford, Yorkshire, lately trading at Swan-arcade, Bradford aforesaid	Merchant ...	Bradford ...	Feb. 26, 1897	16 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	16	Debtor's	
689	Fear, Harry ...	Residing at Holwell House, Victoria Quadrant, and trading at 9, Orchard-street, Weston-super-Mare, Somersetshire	Coachbuilder ...	Bridgwater ...	Feb. 26, 1897	4 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	4	Debtor's	
690	Arthur, Edward (formerly trading as Thomas Nelmes and Son)	Trading at Pipe-lane, in the city and county of Bristol, and at Saltford, Somersetshire, and formerly trading at Gloucester-lane, Bristol, and residing at Kelston, Somersetshire	Oil and Colour Dealer, and Paint and Varnish Manufacturer	Bristol ...	Feb. 26, 1897	15 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	12	Debtor's	
691	Carter, Albert Edward ...	Nevil-road, Bishopston, Gloucestershire, late of 22, Chandos-road, Redland, Bristol	Now out of business, late Butcher and Poulterer	Bristol ...	Feb. 26, 1897	14 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	11	Debtor's	
692	Smart, William ...	High-street, Yatton, Somersetshire ...	Grocer and General Dealer	Bristol ...	Feb. 26, 1897	13 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	10	Debtor's	
693	Thayer, Mary Jane (trading as Thayer and Co.)	Residing at Downend-road, and trading at Hopewell Hill, both in Kingswood, Gloucestershire	Boot and Shoe Manufacturer, a Married Woman carrying on business separately from her Husband	Bristol ...	Feb. 17, 1897	9 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	13	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (H.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883

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694	Penn, William ...	45 and 46, Burgate-street, Canterbury, Kent	House Furnisher...	Canterbury ...	Feb. 27, 1897	9 of 1897	Feb. 27, 1897	6	Debtor's	
695	Stordy, Edward ...	New Inn, Queen-street, Penrith, Cumberland	Innkeeper ...	Carlisle ...	Feb. 27, 1897	8 of 1897	Feb. 27, 1897	8	Debtor's	
696	Currer, John ...	West Lees Farm, Westcott, near Dorking ...	Farmer ...	Croydon ...	Feb. 24, 1897	3 of 1897	Feb. 24, 1897	4	Debtor's	
697	Goldsmith, Edmund Frederick	Blueberry Farm, Knockholt, Sevenoaks, and the White Hart, Chelsfield, Orpington, Kent	Publican ...	Croydon ...	Jan. 29, 1897	1 of 1897	Feb. 23, 1897	3	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
698	Hamblin, Alfred, and William Arthur	Trading in copartnership and residing at West-street, Dorking, Surrey	Builders ...	Croydon ...	Feb. 25, 1897	4 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1897	5	Debtor's	
699	Wallis, Benjamin ...	Wakefield road, Adwalton, near Bradford, Yorkshire, lately residing and trading at High-street, Birstall, Yorkshire	Now out of business, lately Confectioner	Dewsbury ...	Feb. 26, 1897	4 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	3	Debtor's	
700	Steed, Thomas ...	Marden, Herefordshire ...	Haulier and Blacksmith	Hereford ...	Feb. 27, 1897	3 of 1897	Feb. 27, 1897	2	Debtor's	
701	Thomas, Lewis ...	Rock House, Hay ...	Timber and Coal Merchant	Hereford ...	Feb. 26, 1897	2 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	1	Debtor's	
702	Brook, Henry ...	Palgrave, Suffolk ...	Millwright ...	Ipswich ...	Feb. 26, 1897	5 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	3	Debtor's	
703	Boyd, Thomas ...	Victoria House, Holbeck, and trading at Victoria Mills, Holbeck, and at Station Mills, New Wortley, all in the city of Leeds	Cloth Manufacturer and Finisher	Leeds ...	Feb. 26, 1897	17 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	17	Debtor's	
704	Gillam, Joshua ...	The Compasses Inn, in the parish of Wigmore, Herefordshire	Licensed Victualler and Baker	Leominster ...	Feb. 27, 1897	6 of 1897	Feb. 27, 1897	5	Debtor's	
705	Watkinson, Anne (carrying on business as W. J. Watkinson and Co.)	Residing at 58, Oak-street, Southport, Lancashire, and trading at 9, Union-street, Southport aforesaid, lately residing at Plas-y-coed, the Dingle, Colwyn Bay, Denbighshire	Plumber, Painter, and Decorator, Widow	Liverpool ...	Feb. 27, 1897	8 of 1897	Feb. 27, 1897	6	Debtor's	
706	Watkinson, James Frederic	36, Pilkington-road, Southport, Lancashire ...	Painter's and Decorator's Manager	Liverpool ...	Feb. 27, 1897	9 of 1897	Feb. 27, 1897	7	Debtor's	

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707	Goldstone, Jane (carrying on business under the style of S. Goldstone)	Residing at 3, Plymouth-grove, Chorlton-upon-Medlock, Manchester, and carrying on business at 11, High-street, Manchester, and at 36, Farringdon-street, in the city of London, and formerly carrying on a like business at 62, Holborn-viaduct, in the city of London, and at 2, Abbotsford-place, Glasgow	Watchmaker and Jeweller, Widow	Manchester ...	Feb. 25, 1897	10 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1897	7	Debtor's	
708	Moss, William Henry ...	208, Brunswick-street, in the city of Manchester	Cycle Agent ...	Manchester ...	Jan. 30, 1897	7 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	8	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
709	Attrill, James Albert ...	Park-street, East Cowes, Isle of Wight ...	Builder and Contractor...	Newport and Ryde	Feb. 27, 1897	4 of 1897	Feb. 27, 1897	4	Debtor's	
710	Johnson, George Herbert	Residing at 57, Montagu-street, Kettering, Northamptonshire, and trading at King-street, Kettering aforesaid	Boot and Shoe Manufacturer	Northampton ...	Feb. 26, 1897	8 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	8	Debtor's	
711	Fish, David ...	Residing at 24, St. James-street, and trading at 32, Long-row, both in Nottingham, lately residing at 36, Park-road, and trading at 80 and 50, Church-street, all in Blackpool, Lancashire, and Market-street and 4, Long-row, both in Nottingham	Auctioneer ...	Nottingham ...	Feb. 26, 1897	16 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	15	Debtor's	
712	Lester, Arthur Robert ...	Residing in lodgings at 63, Byron-street, lately trading at 6, High-street, both in Hucknall Torkard, Nottinghamshire	Out of business, lately Tobacconist	Nottingham ...	Feb. 25, 1897	15 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1897	14	Debtor's	
713	Rimes, Ernest William (lately trading as the Nottingham Clothing Company)	Now residing and trading at 4, Birkin-avenue, Hyson Green, also lately trading at branch establishments at 60A, Willoughby-street, Lenton, and 20, Radford-road, and lately residing and trading at 5, Bentinck-road, and prior to then residing at 49, Southey-street, all in Nottingham	Tailor, lately Confectioner and prior to then Commercial Traveller	Nottingham ...	Feb. 25, 1897	14 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1897	13	Debtor's	
714	Bradbury, James...	Residing and trading at the Commercial Hotel, 290, West-street, Oldham, Lancashire	Licensed Victualler ...	Oldham...	Feb. 26, 1897	1 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	1	Debtor's	
715	Bellamy, Montague Edward James Butwell	50 and 51, St. Giles-street, in the city of Oxford	Bookbinder and Stationer	Oxford ...	Feb. 25, 1897	4 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1897	4	Debtor's	

## RECEIVING ORDERS—continued.

No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
716	Kingcombe, Henry ...	13, Russell-street, Plymouth, Devonshire ...	Refreshment - house Keeper	Plymouth and East Stone- house	Feb. 25, 1897	13 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1897	10	Debtor's	Sec. 4-1 (A.) and (F.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
717	Thomas, David ...	7, Commercial-street, Blaenllecha, Glamorganshire	Butcher ... ..	Pontypridd ...	Feb. 25, 1897	9 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1897	7	Debtor's	
718	Williams, Lemuel ...	Volunteers Inn, Tramroad Side, Pontypridd, Glamorganshire	Innkeeper ... ..	Pontypridd ...	Feb. 17, 1897	7 of 1897	Feb. 17, 1897	5	Debtor's	
719	Hughes, David ...	Brynian, Hendre, Pehrhyndendraeth, Merionethshire	General Dealer ... ..	Portmadoc and Blaenau Festiniog	Feb. 23, 1897	2 of 1897	Feb. 23, 1897	2	Debtor's	
720	Fowler, Peter ...	30, Market-street, Bacup, Lancashire, and trading at Atlas Works Bacup aforesaid	Wholesale Greengrocer...	Rochdale ...	Feb. 17, 1897	3 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	3	Creditor's...	
721	Hopper, Martha ...	81, Wyle Cop, and lately residing and carrying on business at 20, Castle-gates, both in Shrewsbury, Salop	Dealer in Artists' Materials, Widow	Shrewsbury ...	Feb. 26, 1897	3 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	3	Debtor's	Sec. 4-1 (A.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
722	Johnson, William ...	50, Wales-street, Darlington, in the county of Durham	Engine Fitter ... ..	Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough	Feb. 24, 1897	16 of 1897	Feb. 24, 1897	15	Debtor's	
723	Winslow, James ...	New Swindon, Wiltshire ... ..	China Dealer ... ..	Swindon ...	Feb. 27, 1897	3 of 1897	Feb. 27, 1897	3	Debtor's	
724	Vincent, Charles ...	Seal, near Sevenoaks, Kent ... ..	Mineral Water Manufacturer	Tunbridge Wells	Feb. 27, 1897	4 of 1897	Feb. 27, 1897	3	Debtor's	
725	Scoffham, Edward ...	Now residing in lodgings at 24, Exeter-road, Smethwick, Staffordshire	Butcher ... ..	West Bromwich	Feb. 26, 1897	5 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	5	Debtor's	
726	Underhill, James ...	Residing at the house of his Wife Amelia Underhill, at 90, Brasshouse-lane, Smethwick, Staffordshire, and carrying on business there	Haulier ... ..	West Bromwich	Feb. 25, 1897	4 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	4	Debtor's	Sec. 4-1 (A.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
727	Pauli, John ...	Market-square, Crewkerne, Somersetshire ...	Draper, Outfitter, and Tailor	Yeovil ... ..	Feb. 11, 1897	1 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897	1	Creditor's...	
728	Carr, William Lacy ...	The Scotch Farm, Elvington, Yorkshire ...	Farmer ... ..	York ... ..	Feb. 27, 1897	8 of 1897	Feb. 27, 1897	7	Debtor's	

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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.
Call, Sir William	29, Bolton-gardens, South Kensington, in the county of London	Baronet ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1409 of 1896	Mar. 9, 1897	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 24, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
Cross, Frederick Arthur	21, Barton-street, West Kensington, Middlesex	Secretary to a Public Company	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	138 of 1897	Mar. 9, 1897	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 24, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
Edney, Joseph	Trading at 18, Bread-street, in the city of London, and of 86, Brayard-road, Peckham, in the county of London, residing at 86, Brayard-road, Peckham aforesaid	Draper ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	239 of 1897	Mar. 11, 1897	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	April 1, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
Lovelace, William Edward	21 and 51, Strutton-ground, Westminster, in the city of London	Boot and Shoe Dealer.	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	249 of 1897	Mar. 9, 1897	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	April 9, 1897	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
Reed, Joseph	69, Milton-street, in the city of London	Mantle Manufacturer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	128 of 1897	Mar. 10, 1897	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	April 2, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
Reed, Sydney Herbert	Late of 2, Jermyn-street, S.W., and residing at 17, Old Burlington-street West, both in the county of London	Solicitor ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	242 of 1897	Mar. 11, 1897	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	April 2, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
Ridgwell, Charles	200 and 202, Lambeth-walk, Surrey	Haberdasher, Stationer, and Toy Importer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	236 of 1897	Mar. 11, 1897	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	April 2, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
Toole, William	Residing at 4, Manor-gardens, Holloway, London, Middlesex, and carrying on business at 40, Floral-street, London aforesaid	Fruit Salesman and Commission Agent	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	186 of 1897	Mar. 11, 1897	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 30, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	



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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.
Watkins, Arthur James	11, Keppel-street, Gower-street, Middlesex, late of Croydon, Surrey	Boarding - house Keeper, late Grocer and Provision Dealer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	101 of 1897	Mar. 10, 1897	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 30, 1897	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
J. W. Watson Clark and Company	23, Brooke-street, Holborn, in the county of London	Art Metal Workers	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	88 of 1897	Mar. 10, 1897	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 30, 1897	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Harford, Frank ...	20, Toncoch-terrace, Cefnpennar, near Mountain Ash, Glamorganshire	Fishmonger ...	Aberdare ...	7 of 1897	Mar. 9, 1897	2 P.M.	65, High - street, Merthyr Tydfil	April 12, 1897	10.30 A.M.	Temperance - hall, Aberdare	Feb. 26, 1897
Hurt, William ...	Residing at 22, Little Wind-street, Aberdare, Glamorganshire, and trading at Duke-street Stores, Aberdare aforesaid	Fishmonger ...	Aberdare ...	6 of 1897	Mar. 10, 1897	2 P.M.	65, High - street, Merthyr Tydfil	Mar. 29, 1897	10.30 A.M.	Temperance - hall, Aberdare	Feb. 26, 1897
Williams, David ...	Tyddyn Bistie, in the parish of Llanrug, Carnarvonshire	Farmer ...	Bangor ...	1 of 1897	Mar. 10, 1897	12.45 P.M.	Prince of Wales Hotel, Carnarvon	Mar. 4, 1897	12.15 P.M.	Magistrates' Room, Bangor	Feb. 17, 1897
Spaul, Robert Francis (formerly trading as R. F. Spaul and Co.)	Formerly 14, Temple-street, and residing in Oakfield-road, Selly Park, both in Birmingham, Warwickshire, now residing at Coombe Cottage, Finstall, Bromsgrove, Worcestershire	Ship and Insurance Broker	Birmingham ...	120 of 1896	Mar. 10, 1897	11 A.M.	23, Colmore - row, Birmingham	Mar. 24, 1897	2 P.M.	County Court, Birmingham	Feb. 3, 1897
Williams, Harry (trading as Williams and Co.)	166, Broad-street, Birmingham, Warwickshire	Cabinet Maker ...	Birmingham ...	7 of 1897	Mar. 19, 1897	11 A.M.	23, Colmore - row, Birmingham	Mar. 19, 1897	2 P.M.	County Court, Birmingham	Feb. 19, 1897
Northrop, William ...	Hunsworth-lane, Cleckheaton, Yorkshire										
Rhodes, Joseph ...	86, Atlas-street, Manningham, Bradford, Yorkshire										
Summers, William, the younger (trading as Wm. Northrop and Co.)	5, Lily-street, Manningham, Bradford aforesaid										
Wm. Northrop and Co.)	At Lower Dyeworks, Huns-worth Mills, Cleckheaton aforesaid	Dyers and Sizers...	Bradford ...	15 of 1897	Mar. 11, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford	Mar. 19, 1897	10 A.M.	County Court, Manor - row, Bradford	

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Smith, James....	105, Thursby-street, and trading at Jackson-street Shed, both in Leeds-road, Bradford, Yorkshire	Commission Manufacturer	Bradford ...	14 of 1897	Mar. 10, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford	Mar. 19, 1897	10 A.M.	County Court, Manor - row, Bradford	
Arthur, Edward (formerly trading as Thomas Nemes and Son)	Trading at Pipe-lane, in the city and county of Bristol, and at Saltford, Somersetshire, and formerly trading at Gloucester-lane, Bristol aforesaid, and residing at Kelston, Somersetshire	Oil and Colour Dealer and Paint and Varnish Manufacturer	Bristol ...	15 of 1897	Mar. 10, 1897	3.30 P.M.	Office of Official Receiver, Bank-chambers, Corn-street, Bristol	Mar. 26, 1897	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	
Standrick, William ...	Residing at 16, Wells-road, Totterdown, and trading at 16, Wells-road, Totterdown, and 26, West-street, St. Philip's, both in the city of Bristol	Hatter and Hosier	Bristol ...	10 of 1897	Mar. 10, 1897	12 noon	Office of Official Receiver, Bank-chambers, Corn-street, Bristol	Mar. 12, 1897	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	
Thayer, Mary Jane (trading as Thayer and Co.)	Residing at Downend-road and trading at Hopewell-hill, both in Kingswood, Gloucestershire	Boot and Shoe Manufacturer, a Married Woman carrying on business separately from her Husband	Bristol ...	9 of 1897	Mar. 10, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Office of Official Receiver, Bank-chambers, Corn-street, Bristol	Mar. 26, 1897	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	
England, Moses ...	Marriott Villa, St. Peter's, in the Isle of Thanet, Kent	Insurance Agent	Canterbury ...	7 of 1897	Mar. 12, 1897	9.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 73, Castle-street, Canterbury	Mar. 12, 1897	10 A.M.	Guildhall, Canterbury	Feb. 25, 1897
Wraight, Leonard ...	Late of the Crown Inn, Finglesham, near Deal, and now or late of Delph-street, Sandwich	Dealer ...	Canterbury ...	4 of 1897	Mar. 12, 1897	9 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 73, Castle-street, Canterbury	Mar. 12, 1897	10 A.M.	Guildhall, Canterbury	Feb. 22, 1897
Hanks, Frank ...	13, Grosvenor-place, Cheltenham, Gloucestershire, lately carrying on business at the Royal Hotel Yard, Cheltenham aforesaid	Late Livery-stable Keeper, now of no occupation	Cheltenham ...	3 of 1897	Mar. 9, 1897	3 P.M.	County Court-buildings, Cheltenham	Mar. 11, 1897	12 noon	County Court, Cheltenham	Feb. 24, 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.
New, John Creese ...	Langley Farm, near Winchcombe, Gloucestershire	Farmer ...	Cheltenham ...	4 of 1897	Mar. 9, 1897	3.30 P.M.	County Court-buildings, Cheltenham	April 8, 1897	12 noon	County Court, Cheltenham	
Elgar Edwin Laurence	22, Southbridge - place, Croydon, Surrey	Builder ...	Croydon ...	2 of 1897	Mar. 11, 1897	11.30 A.M.	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.	April 7, 1897	11 A.M.	County Court, Park - street, Croydon	Feb. 27, 1897
Armitage, John ...	7, Bridge-street, Lockwood, in the parish of Huddersfield, Yorkshire	Ironmonger ...	Huddersfield ...	3 of 1897	Mar. 11, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Chambers, 19, John William-street, Huddersfield	April 12, 1897	2 P.M.	County Court, Queen - street, Huddersfield	Feb. 26, 1897
Brook, Henry ...	Palgrave, Suffolk ...	Millwright ...	Ipswich ...	5 of 1897	Mar. 19, 1897	10.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 36, Princes-street, Ipswich	Mar. 19, 1897	11 A.M.	Shirehall, St. Helens, Ipswich	
Greig, Joseph Tetley	5, Caledonian-road, Leeds, Yorkshire	Butcher ...	Leeds ...	13 of 1897	Mar. 10, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park-row, Leeds	Mar. 23, 1897	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Albion-place, Leeds	Feb. 25, 1897
Wine, Esther...	56, Albert-grove and 3, Belgrave-terrace, both in the city of Leeds	Wholesale Clothier, a Married Woman, carrying on business separately and apart from her Husband	Leeds ...	14 of 1897	Mar. 10, 1897	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park-row, Leeds	Mar. 23, 1897	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Albion-place, Leeds	Feb. 26, 1897
Harbot, John, and Robinson, Henry ... (trading as Harbot and Company)	Residing at Queen's-road, Hinckley Residing at 4, Clara-street, Leicester At John-street, Hinckley, all in Leicestershire	Boot and Shoe Manufacturers	Leicester ...	13 of 1897	Mar. 10, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 1, Berridge-street, Leicester	Mar. 18, 1897	10 A.M.	The Castle, Leicester	
Smith, George Thomas	5 and 9, North-street, Horncastle, Lincolnshire	Sewing Machine and Insurance Agent	Lincoln...	2 of 1897	Mar. 11, 1897	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, 31, Silver-street, Lincoln	Mar. 18, 1897	3 P.M.	Sessions-house, Lincoln	Feb. 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.
Carter, Thomas ... and Webdale, Herbert ... (carrying on business in copartnership as Herbert Webdale and Co.)	Residing at 23, Guildford-street, Luton, Bedfordshire Residing at Fishpool-street, St. Albans, Hertfordshire At 65, Cheapside, Luton aforesaid	Straw Hat Manufacturers	Luton ...	6 of 1897	Mar. 9, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, St. Paul's-square, Bedford	Mar. 23, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, Luton	
Hamilton, William Frederick	The Manor House, Hockliffe, Bedfordshire, lately residing at the Moor Park Hotel, Chagford, Devonshire, and more lately residing at 126, Hampton-road, Southport, Lancashire	Gentleman, of no occupation	Luton ...	5 of 1897	Mar. 12, 1897	2 P.M.	The Unicorn Hotel, Leighton Buzzard	Mar. 23, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, Luton	
Roberts, James ...	Eaton Bray, Bedfordshire	Farmer ...	Luton ...	7 of 1897	Mar. 12, 1897	12 noon	The Unicorn Hotel, Leighton Buzzard	Mar. 23, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, Luton	
Goldstone, Jane (trading as S. Goldstone)	Residing at 3, Plymouth-grove, Chorlton-upon-Medlock, Manchester, and trading at 11, High-street, Manchester, and at 36, Farringdon-street, in the city of London, and formerly trading at 62, Holborn-viaduct, in the city of London, and at 2, Abbotsford-place, Glasgow	Watchmaker and Jeweller, Widow	Manchester ...	10 of 1897	Mar. 9, 1897	3.30 P.M.	23, Colmore-row, Birmingham	Mar. 29, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, Quay - street, Manchester	
Douglas, William ...	Now residing at 21, Red-car-road East, Southbank, near Middlesborough, Yorkshire, lately residing at 31, Front-street, Winlaton, near Blaydon, county of Durham	Bricklayer ...	Newcastle-on-Tyne	13 of 1897	Mar. 16, 1897	10.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 30, Mosley-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Mar. 16, 1897	11.30 A.M.	County Court, Westgate-road, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Feb. 27, 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.
McFarlane, William (trading as W. McFarlane and Co.)	Residing at 68, Delaval- terrace, trading at Hil- yard-street, both in Waterloo, Blyth, North- umberland	Builder ... ..	Newcastle-on- Tyne	11 of 1897	Mar. 10, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 30, Mosley- street, Newcastle- on-Tyne	Mar. 16, 1897	11.30 A.M.	County Court, Westgate-road, Newcastle-on- Tyne	Feb. 27, 1897
Morgan, James ...	8, Dean-terrace, near Mil- burn-place, North Shields, Northumberland	Grocer ... ..	Newcastle-on- Tyne	6 of 1897	Mar. 10, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 30, Mosley- street, Newcastle- on-Tyne	Mar. 16, 1897	11.30 A.M.	County Court, Westgate-road, Newcastle-on- Tyne	Feb. 27, 1897
Drower, George ...	Residing at Risca-road, and trading opposite Public Hall, both at Abercarn, Monmouth- shire	Wheelwright and Carpenter	Newport, Mon.	7 of 1897	Mar. 10, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Gloucester Bank - chambers, Newport, Mon.	Mar. 23, 1897	10 A.M.	Townhall, New- port, Mon.	Feb. 24, 1897
Symonds, Elijah ...	Yew Tree Cottage, the Buckholt, Monmouth, Monmouthshire	Wheelwright ...	Newport, Mon.	6 of 1897	Mar. 10, 1897	12 noon	Official Receiver's Office, Gloucester Bank - chambers, Newport, Mon.	Mar. 23, 1897	10 A.M.	Townhall, New- port, Mon.	Feb. 24, 1897
Gardner, David Bot- trill	33, East Park-parade, in the town and county of Northampton	Accountant ...	Northampton ...	7 of 1897	Mar. 9, 1897	10.30 A.M.	County Court-build- ings, Sheep-street, Northampton	Mar. 9, 1897	12 noon	County Hall, Northampton	Feb. 26, 1897
Simons, Thomas ...	Kislingbury, Northampton- shire	Farmer ... ..	Northampton ...	6 of 1897	Mar. 9, 1897	11 A.M.	County Court-build- ings, Sheep-street, Northampton	Mar. 9, 1897	12 noon	County Hall, Northampton	Feb. 25, 1897
Lester, Arthur Robert	Residing in lodgings at 63, Byron-street, lately trading at 6, High-street, both in Hucknall Tor- kard, Nottinghamshire	Out of business, lately Tobac- conist	Nottingham ...	15 of 1897	Mar. 9, 1897	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, St. Peter's Church-walk, Not- tingham	April 2, 1897	10 A.M.	County Court- house, St. Peter's - gate, Nottingham	Feb. 27, 1897
Adams, James ...	Residing and carrying on business at Great Caster- ton, Rutlandshire	Farmer ... ..	Peterborough ...	3 of 1897	Mar. 9, 1897	1 P.M.	Stamford Hotel, Stamford	Mar. 12, 1897	12 noon	Law Courts, New - road, Peterborough	
Williams, Lemuel ...	Volunteers Inn, Tramroad Side, Pontypridd, Glamor- ganshire	Innkeeper... ..	Pontypridd ...	7 of 1897	Mar. 11, 1897	12 noon	65, High - street, Merthyr Tydfil	Mar. 23, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, Pontypridd	Feb. 26, 1897
Holdsworth, Charles Edward	Lake, near Poole, Dorset- shire	Farm Manager ...	Poole ... ..	4 of 1897	Mar. 9, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Salisbury	April 7, 1897	12 noon	Townhall, Poole	Feb. 20, 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.
Hughes, David ...	Bryman Hendre, Penrhyn-deudraeth, Merionethshire	General Dealer ...	Portmadoc and Blaenau Ffestiniog	2 of 1897	Mar. 25, 1897	11.45 A.M.	Sportsman Hotel, Portmadoc	Mar. 25, 1897	12 noon	Police Court, Portmadoc	
Nuttall, Edmund ...	Mount View House, Syke, in the parish of Rochdale, Lancashire, and carrying on business at Victoria Mill, Ramsay - street, Rochdale aforesaid	Corn Mill Engineer	Rochdale ...	2 of 1897	Mar. 9, 1897	11 A.M.	Townhall, Rochdale	Mar. 5, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Lecture Hall, Acker - street, Rochdale	Feb. 17, 1897
Thirsk, James Ernest	Pitts Mill, Andover, Hampshire	Miller ...	Salisbury ...	2 of 1897	Mar. 9, 1897	3.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Salisbury	Mar. 11, 1897	2 P.M.	Council - house, Salisbury	
Hopper, Martha ...	81, Wyle Cop, Shrewsbury, lately residing and carrying on business at 20, Castle-gates, Shrewsbury, Salop	Dealer in Artists' Materials, Widow	Shrewsbury ...	3 of 1897	Mar. 10, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 42, St. John's-hill, Shrewsbury	Mar. 16, 1897	11 A.M.	81, Wyle Cop, Shrewsbury (Under Sec. 2 (2), Bankruptcy Act, 1890)	Feb. 27, 1897
Toogood, George Harker, and Toogood, Ernest Henry (trading as Toogood Brothers) ...	Now or lately trading at the corner of Skinner-street, in Yarm-lane, also at 60, Yarm-lane, and also at 42, Sidney-street, and also at 1, Hodgson-terrace, all in Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham	Grocers and Wine and Spirit Dealers	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	6 of 1897	Mar. 9, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Palatine Hotel, Stockton-on-Tees	Mar. 17, 1897	10.30 A.M.	Court - house, Bridge - road, Stockton - on - Tees	
Masters, Walter William (trading as W. W. Masters and Coy.)	5, Gloucester-place and 133, Walter-road, both in the county borough of Swansea	Colliery Agent and Dealer, Metal Broker and Merchant	Swansea ...	5 of 1897	Mar. 9, 1897	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, 31, Alexandra-road, Swansea	Mar. 18, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Townhall, Swansea	Feb. 19, 1897
Keates, William ...	Cirencester, Gloucestershire	Tailor ...	Swindon ...	2 of 1897	Mar. 10, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 46, Crick-lade-street, Swindon	Mar. 10, 1897	12 noon	County Court, Public Offices, Regent-circus, Swindon	Feb. 26, 1897
Rhodes, John ...	23, Pinderfield-road, in the city of Wakefield	Commercial Traveller	Wakefield ...	11 of 1897	Mar. 9, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 6, Bond-terrace, Wakefield	April 1, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, Wood - street, Wakefield	Feb. 27, 1897

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date fixed for proceeding with Examination.	Hour.	Place.
Archibald, George Tomlinson	Now or lately carrying on business at 10, Station-road, Workington, Cumberland, and residing at 4, Belvidere-terrace, Workington aforesaid, and formerly carrying on business at 56, Church-street, Workington aforesaid	Chemist and Druggist	Cockermouth and Workington	3 of 1896	Mar. 12, 1897	10.45 A.M.	Court-house, Cockermouth



# ADJUDICATIONS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Andrew, Frederick ... ..	14, Pier-road, Northfleet, Kent, lately carrying on business at 9, St. Mildred's-court, Poultry, in the city of London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	127 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897 ...	Feb. 2, 1897
Bateman, Rowland ... ..	Harrington Mansion, Shaftesbury-avenue, in the county of London	Gentleman ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	60 of 1897	Feb. 27, 1897 ...	Jan. 19, 1897
Chilcott, John ... ..	88, St. James's-street, Piccadilly, Middlesex, and also lately residing at 57, Regency-square, Brighton, Sussex	Caretaker, late Lodging-house Keeper	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	250 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897 ...	Feb. 26, 1897
Crellin, Henry (described in Receiving Order as H. Crellin)	10A, Hanover-square, in the county of London ... ..	Ladies' Tailor ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1277 of 1896	Feb. 27, 1897 ...	Oct. 19, 1896
K 2 Cross, Frederick Arthur ... ..	21, Barton-street, West Kensington, Middlesex ... ..	Secretary to a Public Company ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	138 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1897 ...	Feb. 4, 1897
Fraser, William Alan ... ..	28, Burleigh-mansions, Charing Cross-road, Middlesex, and carrying on business at 18, Cecil-court, Charing Cross-road aforesaid	Electrical Engineer ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	254 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897 ...	Feb. 26, 1897
Gosnell, Alfred Ernest ... ..	32, Forest-drive East, Leytonstone, Essex ... ..	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	34 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897 ...	Jan. 11, 1897
House, Selina ... ..	Residing and trading at the Clarence, Jeffreys-road, Clapham, in the county of London, and lately trading at the Colby Arms, Gipsy Hill, Surrey	Licensed Victualler, Widow...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	102 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897 ...	Jan. 27, 1897
Pearson, John (carrying on business as John Pearson and Company)	Residing at Nithside, Perry Vale, Forest Hill, Kent, and carrying on business at 8, Fowkes-buildings, Great Tower-street, in the city of London	Commission Agent ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1342 of 1896	Feb. 25, 1897 ...	Nov. 7, 1896
Rheinstrom, Joseph... ..	31, Marloes-road, Kensington, Middlesex ... ..	Insurance Agent ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	50 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1897 ...	Jan. 15, 1897
Robinson, Alice Ann (described in Receiving Order as Alice Robinson)	1, St. Paul's-road, Canonbury, and carrying on business at Villiers-street, Strand, both in the county of London	Ham and Beef Dealer, Widow	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1394 of 1896	Feb. 26, 1897 ...	Nov. 23, 1896

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Whaley, George (trading as George Whaley and Co.)	Residing and trading at 11, Bradford-road, Clayton, near Bradford, Yorkshire, and lately trading at Swan-arcade, Bradford aforesaid	Merchant ... ..	Bradford ... ..	16 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897 ...	Feb. 26, 1897
Fear, Harry ... ..	Residing at Holwell House, Victoria Quadrant, and trading at 9, Orchard-street, Weston-super-Mare, Somersetshire	Coachbuilder ... ..	Bridgwater ... ..	4 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897 ...	Feb. 26, 1897
Penn, William ... ..	45 and 46, Burgate-street, Canterbury, Kent ... ..	House Furnisher ... ..	Canterbury ... ..	9 of 1897	Feb. 27, 1897 ...	Feb. 27, 1897
Stordy, Edward ... ..	New Inn, Queen-street, Penrith, Cumberland ... ..	Innkeeper ... ..	Carlisle ... ..	8 of 1897	Feb. 27, 1897 ...	Feb. 27, 1897
Hamblin, Alfred, and Hamblin, William Arthur	Trading in copartnership, and residing at West-street, Dorking, Surrey	Builders ... ..	Croydon ... ..	4 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1897 ...	Feb. 25, 1897
Wallis, Benjamin ... ..	Wakefield - road, Adwalton, near Bradford, Yorkshire, lately residing and trading at High-street, Birstall, Yorkshire	Now out of business, lately Confectioner	Dewsbury ... ..	4 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897 ...	Feb. 26, 1897
Steed, Thomas ... ..	Marden, Herefordshire ... ..	Haulier and Blacksmith ... ..	Hereford ... ..	3 of 1897	Feb. 27, 1897 ...	Feb. 27, 1897
Thomas, Lewis ... ..	Rock House, Hay ... ..	Timber and Coal Merchant ... ..	Hereford ... ..	2 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897 ...	Feb. 26, 1897
Brook, Henry ... ..	Palgrave, Suffolk ... ..	Millwright ... ..	Ipswich ... ..	5 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897 ...	Feb. 26, 1897
Brown, George Fowler (carrying on business as Brown and Love)	Residing at Newton Unthank, Leicestershire, and carrying on business at Ashby-de-la-Zouch, Leicestershire	Solicitor and Leather Merchant ...	Leicester ... ..	3 of 1897	Feb. 24, 1897 ...	Jan. 11, 1897
Baldwin, Elizabeth ... ..	Radnorshire Arms Hotel, Presteigne, Radnorshire ... ..	Licensed Victualler, Spinster ...	Leominster ... ..	4 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897 ...	Feb. 5, 1897
Gillam, Joshua ... ..	The Compasses Inn, in the parish of Wigmore, Herefordshire	Licensed Victualler and Baker ...	Leominster ... ..	6 of 1897	Feb. 27, 1897 ...	Feb. 27, 1897
Ormerod, Mary Ann (trading as Geaussett and Co.)	16, Broad-street, Leominster, Herefordshire, and Temple-street, Llandrindod Wells, Radnorshire	Music and Fancy Goods Dealer ...	Leominster ... ..	3 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1897 ...	Feb. 3, 1897

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Attrill, James Albert ... ..	Park-street, East Cowes, Isle of Wight... ..	Builder and Contractor ... ..	Newport and Ryde...	4 of 1897	Feb. 27, 1897 ...	Feb. 27, 1897
Johnson, George Herbert ... ..	Residing at 57, Montagu-street, Kettering, Northamptonshire, and trading at King-street, Kettering aforesaid	Boot and Shoe Manufacturer ... ..	Northampton ...	8 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897 ...	Feb. 25, 1897
Fish, David ... ..	Residing at 24, St. James-street and trading at 32, Long- row, both in Nottingham, lately residing at 36, Park-road, and trading at 30 and 50, Church-street, all in Blackpool, Lancashire, and Market-street and 4, Long-row, both in Nottingham	Auctioneer ... ..	Nottingham ...	16 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897 ...	Feb. 26, 1897
Lester, Arthur Robert ... ..	Residing in lodgings at 63, Bryon-street, lately trading at 6, High-street, both in Hucknall Torkard, Nottinghamshire	Out of business, lately Tobacconist	Nottingham ...	15 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1897 ...	Feb. 25, 1897
Rimes, Ernest William (lately trading as the Nottingham Clothing Company)	Now residing and trading at 4, Birkin-avenue, Hyson Green, also lately trading at branch establishments at 60A, Willoughby-street, Lenton, and 20, Radford-road, and lately residing and trading at 5, Bentinck-road, and prior to then residing at 49, Southey-street, all in Nottingham	Tailor, lately Confectioner, and prior to then Commercial Traveller	Nottingham ...	14 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1897 ...	Feb. 25, 1897
Bellamy, Montague Edward James Butwell	50 and 51, St. Giles-street, in the city of Oxford ... ..	Bookbinder and Stationer ... ..	Oxford ... ..	4 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1897 ...	Feb. 25, 1897
Kingcombe, Henry ... ..	13, Russell-street, Plymouth, Devonshire ... ..	Refreshment-house Keeper ... ..	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	13 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1897 ...	Feb. 24, 1897
Thomas, David ... ..	7, Commercial-street, Blaenllecha, Glamorganshire ... ..	Butcher... ..	Pontypridd ... ..	9 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1897 ...	Feb. 25, 1897
Williams, Lemuel ... ..	Volunteers Inn, Tramroad Side, Pontypridd, Glamorganshire	Innkeeper ... ..	Pontypridd ... ..	7 of 1897	Feb. 17, 1897 ...	Feb. 17, 1897
Hughes, David ... ..	Brynau Hendre, Penrhynderdraeth, Merionethshire...	General Dealer ... ..	Portmadoc and Blaenau Festiniog	2 of 1897	Feb. 23, 1897 ...	Feb. 22, 1897
Fowler, Peter ... ..	50, Market-street, Bacup, Lancashire, and trading at Atlas Works, Bacup aforesaid	Wholesale Greengrocer ... ..	Rochdale ... ..	3 of 1897	Feb. 27, 1897 ...	Feb. 16, 1897
Sibley, William ... ..	Inglefield, St. Albans-road, Watford, Hertfordshire, and Leggatt's Farm and Russell Farm, Watford, Hertfordshire	Farmer and Cowkeeper ... ..	St. Albans ... ..	2 of 1897	Feb. 24, 1897 ...	Feb. 17, 1897
Johnson, William ... ..	50, Wales-street, Darlington, in the county of Durham ... ..	Engine Fitter ... ..	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	16 of 1897	Feb. 24, 1897 ...	Feb. 24, 1897
Williams, William Braithwaite ... ..	Residing at 59, York-road and carrying on business at Robinson-street, both in West Hartlepool, in the county of Durham	Newspaper Editor ... ..	Sunderland ... ..	1 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897 ...	Jan. 20, 1897

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Winslow, James ... ..	New Swindon, Wiltshire ... ..	China Dealer ... ..	Swindon ... ..	3 of 1897	Feb. 27, 1897 ...	Feb. 26, 1897
Read, Thomas Curtis ... ..	120, Lower Marsh, Lambeth, Surrey, also 94, St. John's-road, C'apham Junction, Surrey	Grocer and Provision Dealer ...	Wandsworth ...	4 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897 ...	Feb. 19, 1897
Scoffham, Edward ... ..	Now residing in lodgings at 24, Exeter-road, Smethwick, Staffordshire	Butcher ... ..	West Bromwich ...	5 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897 ...	Feb. 26, 1897
Underhill, James ... ..	Residing at the house of his Wife, Amelia Underhill, at 90, Brasshouse-lane, Smethwick, Staffordshire, and carrying on business there	Haulier... ..	West Bromwich ...	4 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897 ...	Feb. 25, 1897
Harding, William James ... ..	11, Drummond-street and 59, Dudley-street, Wolverhampton, Staffordshire	Draper and Mantle Manufacturer ...	Wolverhampton ...	10 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1897 ...	Feb. 17, 1897
Carr, William Lacy ... ..	The Scotch Farm, Elvington, Yorkshire ... ..	Farmer ... ..	York ... ..	8 of 1897	Feb. 27, 1897 ...	Feb. 27, 1897

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Beoth, Alfred (and trading as the London Box and Packing Case Company)	165, St. John's-road, Hoxton, also trading at 329, Hoxton-street, both in the county of London	Grocer and Timber Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	363 of 1895	Mar. 16, 1897	William Robert Taylor Carr	Monument House, Monument-square, London, E.C.
Bryce, John (trading as John Evans and Co.)	52, Mostyn-road, Brixton, in the county of London, and trading at 66 and 68, Park-street, Southwark, in the county of London	Manufacturing Confectioner	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	86 of 1897	Mar. 16, 1897	Arthur J. Sellars, Chartered Accountant	48, Copthall-avenue, London, E.C.
Meston, Manzilla Samuel Charles	St. Helier's, Clarendon-road, Leytonstone, formerly of Braganza House, Loughton, both in Essex	Commercial Clerk	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1587 of 1894	Mar. 17, 1897	H. Brougham, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Norman, Augustus Berry	52, Essex-road, Islington, London	Cheesemonger and Provision Dealer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	751 of 1896	Mar. 17, 1897	H. Brougham, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Pocock, Walter	58, Brixton-hill, Surrey	Doctor of Medicine	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1609 of 1891	Mar. 17, 1897	A. H. Wildy, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Powell, George H.	2, Percy-villas, Woolstone-road, Forest Hill, Kent, and of the Army Pay Department, Horse Guards, formerly residing at 23, Great Western-road, Westbourne Park, both in London, afterwards at Perry-rise, Forest Hill aforesaid	Captain in Her Majesty's Army	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1273 of 1890	Mar. 17, 1897	A. H. Wildy, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Routledge, Reginald G.	7, Broadway, Ludgate-hill, in the city of London		High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1934 of 1893	Mar. 17, 1897	A. H. Wildy, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Coltman, Richard Sidney Cannon	Elms Farm, Long Crendon, Buckinghamshire	Farmer	Aylesbury	9 of 1891	Mar. 17, 1897	George Mallam, Official Receiver	1, St. Aldate's, Oxford
Ainsworth, George (trading as Shackleton, Ainsworth, and Co., and Weingott and Sons)	Residing at 8, Cecil-avenue, Bradford, Yorkshire, and trading at 6, Chapel-lane, Bradford aforesaid, and also at 42, Clarence-street, Cheetham, Manchester, in partnership with Samuel Weingott, sen., Harris Weingott, and Samuel Weingott, jun., under the style of Weingott and Sons, and also at 433 and 435, Kent-street, Sydney, New South Wales, Australia	Stuff Manufacturer	Bradford	9 of 1896	Mar. 13, 1897	Fred Craven	Beckett's Bank-chambers, Cheapside, Bradford
Chester, Edward William	16, Buxton-road, Brighton, late of the Montpelier Stores, Dyke-road, Brighton	Grocer, Provision Dealer, and Wine, Spirit, and Beer Merchant	Brighton	67 of 1895	Mar. 22, 1897	Howard W. Cox, Official Receiver	4, Pavilion buildings, Brighton

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George, Charles Frederick (trading as C. F. George and Co.)	Midhurst, Sussex ... ..	Grocer and Wine and Spirit Merchant	Brighton ... ..	109 of 1896	Mar. 13, 1897 ...	Oscar Berry ... ..	Monument House, Monu- ment-square, London, E.C.
Sala, George Augustus ...	52, Tisbury-road, Hove, and 2, Eastern-terrace, Brighton, both in Sussex	Journalist ... ..	Brighton ... ..	48 of 1895	Mar. 19, 1897 ...	Howard W. Cox, Offi- cial Receiver	4, Pavilion - buildings, Brighton
Strumpf, Max ... ..	50, Westbourne-villas, Hove, Sussex ... ..	Lodging and Boarding House Keeper	Brighton ... ..	80 of 1896	Mar. 18, 1897 ...	Howard W. Cox, Offi- cial Receiver	4, Pavilion - buildings, Brighton
Thomson, Thomas Rane- lagh John George	Charlton, Norfolk-square, Bognor, Sussex ...	Retired Major in Her Majesty's Army	Brighton ... ..	65 of 1895	Mar. 20, 1897 ...	Howard W. Cox, Offi- cial Receiver	4, Pavilion - buildings, Brighton
Trussell, Ernest Betje- mann	56, East-street, Brighton ... ..	Fancy Stationer ... ..	Brighton ... ..	11 of 1895	Mar. 17, 1897 ...	Howard W. Cox, Offi- cial Receiver	4, Pavilion - buildings, Brighton
Heard, George ... ..	Late of the Anchor Inn, Shirehampton, Gloucestershire, whose address was then unknown	Builder and Publican ...	Bristol ... ..	6 of 1896	Mar. 17, 1897 ...	Edward Thomas Col- lins	39, Broad-street, Bristol
Northam, John ... ..	9, Berkeley-square, Bristol, and Albion-cham- bers, Small-street, Bristol	Stock and Share Broker ...	Bristol ... ..	55 of 1895	Mar. 13, 1897 ...	Edward Thomas Parker	1, Broad-street, Bristol
Browning, Joseph ... ..	Little Eversden, Cambridgeshire ... ..	Farmer ... ..	Cambridge ... ..	11 of 1896	Mar. 16, 1897 ...	C. F. Charlton, Incor- porated Accountant	7, Alexandra-street, Cam- bridge
Prickett, Harriett ... ..	The Harp Hotel, Strond-street, Dover ... ..	Hotel Keeper... ..	Canterbury ... ..	35 of 1896	Mar. 15, 1897 ...	C. K. Worsfold, F.C.A.	Market-square, Dover
Pearce, Laban ... ..	Residing and trading at 58, Queen-street, Cardiff, formerly trading in partnership with Charles Pearce as C. and L. Pearce, at 58, Queen-street, Cardiff	Boot and Shoe Dealer ...	Cardiff ... ..	91 of 1896	Mar. 15, 1897 ...	Augustus C. Palmer ...	Brighton - chambers, St. Stephen's-avenue, Bristol
Treuwith, William (com- monly known as William Graham Jackson)	Lyndhurst, Epsom, Surrey ... ..	... ..	Croydon ... ..	35 of 1895	Mar. 17, 1897 ...	A. Mackintosh, Official Receiver	24, Railway-approach, Lon- don Bridge, S.E.
Smith, Charles William ...	69, Uttoxeter New-road, late of 48, Curzon- street, and formerly of Hedsor-terrace, Osmas- ton-road, all in Derby, Derbyshire	District Canvasser ... ..	Derby ... ..	10 of 1891	Mar. 16, 1897 ...	John Smith, Official Receiver	40, St. Mary's-gate, Derby
Arscott, George ... ..	15, St. Lawrence-green, Crediton, Devonshire	Baker and Confectioner ...	Exeter ... ..	6 of 1894	Mar. 26, 1897 ...	Thomas Andrew, Offi- cial Receiver	13, Bedford-circus, Exeter
Hancock, Nicholas ... ..	Union-street, Torquay, Devonshire ... ..	Grocer... ..	Exeter ... ..	30 of 1896	Mar. 26, 1897 ...	Thomas Andrew, Offi- cial Receiver	13, Bedford-circus, Exeter

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26828.	Pyle, Mark...	...	...	Keen's Dairy Farm, Exminster, Devonshire			...	Farmer	...	...	...	Exeter	...	18 of 1896	Mar. 26, 1897	...	Thomas Andrew, Official Receiver	13, Bedford-circus, Exeter
	Skinner, Isaac	...	...	Market-place, Old Fore-street, Sidmouth, Devonshire			...	Butcher	...	...	...	Exeter	...	6 of 1897	Mar. 26, 1897	...	Thomas Andrew, Official Receiver	13, Bedford-circus, Exeter
	Splatt, Frederick Henry			Chagford, Drewsteignton, and Hittisleigh, near Exeter, Devonshire			...	Butcher	...	...	...	Exeter	...	17 of 1896	Mar. 26, 1897	...	Thomas Andrew, Official Receiver	13, Bedford-circus, Exeter
	Hearn, Robert Henry	...		1, Wolsey-street, Ipswich, Suffolk			...	Seed Merchant	...	...	...	Ipswich	...	32 of 1896	Mar. 17, 1897	...	Frederick Messent, Official Receiver	36, Princes-street, Ipswich
	Vickers, George Henry	...		Cherry Burton, in the East Riding of Yorkshire			...	Farmer	...	...	...	Kingston-upon-Hull	...	26 of 1895	Mar. 20, 1897	...	Benjamin Pickering	8, Parliament-street, Hull
	Jackson, George	...	...	Ansty, Leicestershire			...	Joiner and Builder	...	...	...	Leicester	...	31 of 1896	Mar. 17, 1897	...	J. G. Burgess, Official Receiver	1, Berridge-street, Leicester
	Fisher, William	...	...	High-street, Seaford, and Broad-street, Seaford, Sussex			...	Grocer and Provision Dealer	...	...	...	Lewes and East-bourne	...	3 of 1894	Mar. 16, 1897	...	Howard W. Cox, Official Receiver	4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
	Appleby, Arthur James	...		Residing and trading at Harmony-buildings, St. Mary's-road, Garston, Lancashire			...	Baker and Provision Dealer	...	...	...	Liverpool	...	31 of 1896	Mar. 17, 1897	...	Frederick Gittins, Official Receiver	35, Victoria-street, Liverpool
	Hyde, James Withington			Residing at 9, Scarisbrick New-road, Southport, and trading alone at 36, London-street, Southport, and 23, King-street, Wigan, all in Lancashire, and in copartnership with William Speakman Brown as Hyde, Brown, and Co., at 36, London-street, Southport			...	Coal Proprietor and Merchant	...	...	...	Liverpool	...	21 of 1892	Mar. 17, 1897	...	Frederick Gittins, Official Receiver	35, Victoria-street, Liverpool
	Miller, William John	...	...	Residing at 37, Charlotte-road, Egremont, Cheshire, and lately trading at 11, South John-street, Liverpool, Lancashire			...	Tailor and Draper	...	...	...	Liverpool	...	33 of 1896	Mar. 17, 1897	...	Frederick Gittins, Official Receiver	35, Victoria-street, Liverpool
L	Smith, James Bramwell (trading as J. B. Smith, Jun.)			Residing at 98, Allington-street, St. Michael's, township of Toxteth Park, Liverpool, Lancashire, and trading at 5, Thomas-street, Liverpool, lately residing at 19, Priory-road, Anfield, near Liverpool			...	Joiner and Builder	...	...	...	Liverpool	...	53 of 1887	Mar. 17, 1897	...	Frederick Gittins, Official Receiver	35, Victoria-street, Liverpool
	Freedman, Elias	...	...	Residing at 20, Exchange-street, Cheetham, Manchester, Lancashire, and lately trading at 4, Johnson-street, Manchester aforesaid			...	Cap Cutter, lately Cap Manufacturer	...	...	...	Manchester	...	83 of 1896	Mar. 16, 1897	...	Christopher Jenkins Dobb, Official Receiver	Byrom-street, Manchester



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Coates, John Seamer ...	Elm House, Farndale, Yorkshire ...	Farm Labourer ...	Northallerton ...	10 of 1896	Mar. 18, 1897 ...	John Richard Stubbs, Official Receiver	8, Albert-road, Middlesborough
Williamson, John ...	Lately residing and trading at 97, Front-street, now residing at Wood-street, both in Arnold, Nottinghamshire	Lately Butcher, now Boot and Shoe Repairer	Nottingham...	9 of 1896	Mar. 15, 1897 ...	Henry Roby Thorpe, Official Receiver	St. Peter's Church-walk, Nottingham
Freeman, Walter ...	Swallowfield, Berkshire, lately residing and trading at King's-road, Reading	Baker, Grocer, and Woollen Draper	Reading ...	18 of 1895	Mar. 17, 1897 ...	George Mallam, Official Receiver	1, St. Aldate's, Oxford ...
Marsh, William ...	Residing at 43, Milton-road, and trading at College-yard, both in Rotherham, Yorkshire	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Sheffield ...	35 of 1896	Mar. 16, 1897 ...	John Charles Clegg ...	Official Receiver's Office, Figtreet-lane, Sheffield
Taylor, Archibald Ernest	Bridge-street, Lostwithiel, Cornwall ...	Cabinet Maker ...	Truro... ..	30 of 1896	Mar. 17, 1897 ...	G. Appleby Jenkins, Official Receiver	Boscawen-street, Truro
Baum, Edwin ...	Hemsworth-lane Ends, Hemsworth, Yorkshire	Farmer ...	Wakefield ...	14 of 1896	Mar. 12, 1897 ...	J. W. Bentley ...	Knottingley
Rockett, Joseph ...	13, Gladstone-terrace, Goole, Yorkshire ...	Master Mariner ...	Wakefield ...	7 of 1896	Mar. 16, 1897 ...	John Bickersteth Ottley, Official Receiver	6, Bond-terrace, Wakefield
Dean, Frederick William	13, York-road, Battersea, Surrey ...	Draper ...	Wandsworth ...	51 of 1895	Mar. 17, 1897 ...	A. Mackintosh, Official Receiver	24, Railway Approach, London Bridge, S.E.
Waddington, John ...	Residing at 16, St James-street, Latchford, Cheshire, and carrying on business at 3, Mersey-street, Warrington, Lancashire, lately residing at 52, Sankey-street, Earlestown, Lancashire, and lately carrying on business at 52, Sankey-street, Earlestown aforesaid and 16, St. James-street, Latchford aforesaid	Cycle Agent ...	Warrington ...	16 of 1896	Mar. 16, 1897 ...	Christopher Jenkins Dibb, Official Receiver	Byrom-street, Manchester

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Ferne, Charles Daniel ...	Carrying on business at 230 and 231, Central Market, in the city of London.	Commission Salesman ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	90 of 1895	6½d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Fry, John ...	4, Glebe-place, Chelsea, Middlesex, of no occupation, lately trading at the Lord Hill Public-house, Manor-street, Chelsea	Lately Licensed Victualler, now of no occupation	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	379 of 1895	7s. 6d.	First	Mar. 15, 1897, or any subsequent Monday between 11 and 12	Ford, Rhodes, and Ford, 81, Cannon-street, London, E.C.
Sims, George. Coleman Veale	Grosvenor Hotel, Victoria, in the county of London	Gentleman ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	908 of 1896	20s.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 2 and 5	16, Eastcheap, London, E.C.
Feather, James ...	Residing and carrying on business at Uppertown, Oxenhope, Yorkshire	Wool and Waste Dealer	Bradford ...	45 of 1896	6½d.	First and Final	Mar. 5, 1897...	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford
Eden, William ...	39, Montagu-street, Worthing, Sussex ...	Wine and Spirit Merchant	Brighton ...	82 of 1896	7½d.	First and Final	Mar. 15, 1897 ...	Office of Official Receiver, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Hazell, William George	The Rosary, Mill-road, Heene, and Athelston Villas, Canterbury-road, West Tarring, both in Sussex	Fruitgrower ...	Brighton ...	4 of 1895	5½d.	Supplementary	Mar. 11, 1897 ...	Office of Official Receiver, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Rolfe, George Carter ...	Late of Plumpton, Hinxhill, Kent ...	Farmer ...	Canterbury ...	4 of 1895	8½d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 10 and 4, Saturday between 10 and 1	11, Bank-street, Ashford, Kent
Williamson, John ...	Great Wigborough, Essex ...	Farmer ...	Colchester ...	1 of 1897	2½d.	First and Final	Mar. 8, 1897...	36, Princes street, Ipswich
Cheals, Tom ...	20, Cleethorpe - road, Great Grimsby, Lincolnshire	Tobacconist ...	Great Grimsby ...	30 of 1896	3d.	First and Final	Mar. 10, 1897 ...	Office of Official Receiver, Trinity House-lane, Hull
Adams, Walter Lawson...	52, High-street, Lowestoft, Suffolk...	Cycle Repairer and Agent	Great Yarmouth ...	25 of 1896	1s. 2½d.	First and Final	Mar. 4, 1897...	Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich
Turner, Samuel Charles	Hungate-street, Beccles, Suffolk ...	Wine and Beer Merchant	Great Yarmouth ...	11 of 1896	5s. 1d.	First and Final	Mar. 4, 1897...	Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich
Fisher, George ...	Belle Vue, New Romney, Kent ...	Farmer ...	Hastings ...	47 of 1895	3½d.	Supplementary	Mar. 12, 1897 ...	Office of Official Receiver, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Larkin, Charles Edward	10, Norman-road and 62, Southwater-road, both in St. Leonards-on-Sea	Dairyman...	Hastings ...	30 of 1895	8½d.	Supplementary	Mar. 10, 1897 ...	Office of Official Receiver, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Blott, Frank Goldsmith...	Nene Quay, Wisbech, Cambridgeshire ...	Mechanical Engineer ...	King's Lynn...	12 of 1896	5s. 4½d.	First and Final	Mar. 3, 1897...	Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich

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Prescott, William John...	12, Farnley-square, Ella-street, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, formerly residing and trading at the Mere Hotel, Hornsea, in the East Riding of Yorkshire	Clerk, formerly Licensed Victualler	Kingston-upon-Hull	27 of 1896	10s. 1d.	First and Final	Mar. 10, 1897	Office of Official Receiver, Trinity House-lane, Hull
Sinyard, Annie Elizabeth and Silvester, Tom (trading as Sinyard and Son) ...	25, William-street, in the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull	Painters ... ..	Kingston-upon-Hull	38 of 1896	1s. 5d.	First and Final	Mar. 10, 1897	Office of Official Receiver, Trinity House-lane, Hull
Mason, James ... ..	Fairfax-road, Belgrave, Leicester ... ..	Contractor ... ..	Leicester ... ..	41 of 1896	9s.	First and Final	Mar. 20, 1897	12, Friar-lane, Leicester
Bates, Joseph Herbert (trading as Herbert Bates and Co.)	Residing at 9, Westmorland-road, Liscard, Cheshire, and carrying on business at 4, India-buildings, Water-street, Liverpool, Lancashire	Coal Merchant ... ..	Liverpool ... ..	70 of 1896	1s. 1½d.	First and Final	Mar. 4, 1897...	Offices of Official Receiver, 35, Victoria-street, Liverpool
Lange, Frederick Rudolph, and Lange, Hermann Otto ... (trading as H. O. Lange) ... ..	Residing at 28, Avondale-road, Liverpool, Lancashire Residing at 62, Cedar-grove, Liverpool aforesaid At 14 and 6, Parker-street, Liverpool aforesaid	Furriers ... ..	Liverpool ... ..	27 of 1896	1s. 6½d.	First and Final	Mar. 3, 1897...	Offices of Official Receiver, 35, Victoria-street, Liverpool
Lange, Hermann Otto ... (Separate Estate)	Residing at 62, Cedar-grove, Liverpool, Lancashire, and trading with Frederick Rudolph Lange, as H. O. Lange, at 14 and 6, Parker-street, Liverpool aforesaid	Furrier ... ..	Liverpool ... ..	27 of 1896	10s. 1½d.	First and Final	Mar. 3, 1897...	Offices of Official Receiver, 35, Victoria-street, Liverpool
Bowdler, Albert Capron	Oakengates, Salop ... ..	Beerhouse Keeper and Ironworker	Madeley ... ..	6 of 1896	1½d.	First and Final	Mar. 5, 1897	Official Receiver's Office, Shrewsbury
Collier, John Charles ...	Shifnal, Salop ... ..	Coachbuilder and Inn-keeper	Madeley ... ..	6 of 1892	8d.	Supplemental	Mar. 5, 1897...	Official Receiver's Office, Shrewsbury
Pemberton, Charles ...	Residing at 105, Woodward-street, Butler-street, Oldham-road, in the city of Manchester, Lancashire, and trading at 105, Woodward-street aforesaid, and at Barker's-yard, Pott-street, Union-street, Ancoats, and at Hayes-street, Whalley-street, Newton, all in the city of Manchester aforesaid	Tripe Dresser and Dealer	Manchester ... ..	69 of 1896	2s. 1d.	First and Final	Mar. 8, 1897...	Official Receiver's Offices, Byrom-street, Manchester

**NOTICES OF DIVIDENDS—continued.**

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or Otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Baker, George ...	Lower House Farm, Llanvair Discoed, near Chepstow, Monmouthshire	Farmer ...	Newport, Mon.	13 of 1896	10s.	First and Final	Mar. 20, 1897	69, High-street, Newport, Mon.
Bloom, Emanuel ...	3, Alexandra-road, Newport, Monmouthshire	Pawnbroker and Out-fitter	Newport, Mon.	38 of 1896	1s. 5½d.	First and Final	Mar. 10, 1897	Office of Official Receiver, Gloucester Bank-chambers, Newport, Mon.
Betty, James ...	High-street, Neyland, Pembrokeshire	Butcher ...	Pembroke Dock	12 of 1896	1s. 3½d.	First and Final	Mar. 10, 1897	Offices of Official Receiver, 4, Queen-street, Carmarthen
Brown, Job ...	3, Crawford-street, Rochdale, Lancashire...	Carrier ...	Rochdale	7 of 1896	2s. 10d.	First and Final	Mar. 5, 1897...	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Queen-street, Oldham
Wingrove, John George...	The Royal Hotel, Purfleet, Essex	Hotel Proprietor...	Rochester	35 of 1896	13s. 2½d.	First and Final	Mar. 5, 1897...	Official Receiver's Office, 9, King-street, Maidstone
Bolle de Lasalle, Augustus	East Field, Bedford Park, St. Albans, Hertfordshire	Retired Colonel ...	St. Albans	17 of 1894	5s.	Second	Mar. 8, 1897...	Office of Official Receiver, 95, Temple-chambers, Temple-avenue, E.C.
Compton, Thomas Henry Edward	Bridge-street, Andover, in the county of Southampton	Seed, Corn, and Coal Merchant	Salisbury	7 of 1896	4s.	First	Mar. 1, 1897...	10, Trinity-square, Tower Hill, London, E.C.
Iley, Walter ...	51, Montholme-road, Balham, Surrey, lately residing at 131, Leathwaite-road, Clapham Common, Surrey	Clerk in General Post Office, London	Wandsworth	45 of 1894	1s. 1½d.	Second and Final	Mar. 12, 1897	Offices of Official Receiver, 24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.
<i>The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 29th January, 1897.</i>								
Wilkinson, Eleanor ...	3, Moravian-terrace, Lightcliffe, near Halifax, Yorkshire	Of no occupation, Widow	Halifax	25 of 1896	2s. 9½d.	First and Final	Forthwith	Official Receiver's Offices, Halifax
<i>The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 2nd February, 1897.</i>								
Bailey, James ...	The Strickland Arms, Sizergh, near Kendal, Westmorland	Innkeeper and Carter	Kendal	28 of 1896	2s. 2d.	First and Final	Mar. 8, 1897...	Official Receiver's Office, 16, Cornwallis-street, Barrow-in-Furness

# APPLICATIONS FOR DEBTORS' DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Day fixed for Hearing.
Bromley, William Harris ... ..	High-street, Corsham, Wiltshire ... ..	Builder ... ..	Bath ... ..	20 of 1895	Mar. 19, 1897, 11.30 A.M., Guild- hall, Bath
Ostle, Robert Ellison, the younger ... ..	Little Neston, Cheshire... ..	Grocer and Baker ... ..	Birkenhead ... ..	8 of 1896	April 6, 1897, 10 A.M., Court-house, Pilgrim-street, Birkenhead
Matthews, Alfred James... ..	4, Crayford-road, Holloway, London, lately resid- ing at 50, Bensham-lane, Thornton Heath, Surrey	Commercial Traveller ... ..	Croydon ... ..	26 of 1896	April 6, 1897, 11.30 A.M., County Court, Park-street, Croydon
Mortimer, George Cheston ... ..	Grove Cottage, Portland - road, Kingston - on - Thames, Surrey	Builder... ..	Kingston, Surrey ... ..	7 of 1894	April 9, 1897, 2.30 P.M., County Court, Kingston, Surrey
Hudson, Henry ... ..	Smithfield-road, Shrewsbury ... ..	Boatbuilder ... ..	Shrewsbury ... ..	15 of 1893	April 12, 1897, 11 A.M., Shirehall, Shrewsbury
Shaw, Frederick (professionally known as Mark Sheridan)	24, Silkworth-row, Sunderland, in the county of Durham	Comedian ... ..	Sunderland ... ..	3 of 1894	Mar. 18, 1897, 12 noon, Court- house, John-street, Sunderland
Shaw, Samuel ... ..	77, High-street, Bilston, Staffordshire ... ..	Grocer ... ..	Wolverhampton ... ..	8 of 1893	April 5, 1897, 2 P.M., County Court, Wolverhampton

# 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.
Barnard, William ...	49, Great Portland-street, Middlesex	Cheesemonger and Poulterer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1024 of 1895	Feb. 3, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 3rd February, 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 omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; and had contributed to his bankruptcy by gambling
Benton, W. Mansford ...	Late of 13, Lebanon-gardens, Wandsworth, Surrey, whose present address the Petitioning Creditor is unable to ascertain	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	746 of 1895	Feb. 3, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 3rd February, 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 brought on his bankruptcy by gambling; and had been guilty of misconduct in not attending upon his Trustee or supplying him with any information concerning his property and affairs
Dove, Henry ...	34, Bernard-street, Russell-square, Middlesex, and lately trading at Priory-road, Hornsey, Middlesex	Lately trading in partnership with Thomas William Brown, at Priory-road, Hornsey aforesaid, as Brown and Dove, Builders	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	540 of 1894	Jan. 21, 1897	Discharge refused with liberty to apply to the Court at the expiration of four years from this date, viz., 21st January, 1897	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 keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; and had been guilty of misconduct in relation to his property and affairs in making a fictitious sale of his property, with intent to defeat his creditors
Peck,* William (carrying on business as W. Peck and Co.)	20, Packington-street, Islington, and 40, Danebury-street, Islington, both in the county of London	Shop Fitter and Air Tight Case Maker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	372 of 1896	Jan. 22, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 22nd January, 1899. (Public Examination concluded 24th April, 1896)	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 on a previous occasion made an arrangement with his creditors, viz, in the year 1888

## ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE—continued.

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.
Ricci, Luigi ... ..	115, Fleet-street, in the city of London	Journalist... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1309 of 1896	Feb. 5, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 5th February, 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 omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; and had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent
Williams, Samuel ... ..	Residing and trading at 146, Clifton-street, Cardiff, Glamorganshire, and also trading at Sudbrook, Monmouthshire, lately residing and trading at 3, Eign-street, Hereford, Herefordshire	Grocer, Provision, and Wine and Spirit Merchant, also trading as a Grocer, Draper, and General Dealer	Cardiff ... ..	13 of 1896	Nov. 5, 1896	Discharge suspended for two years	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; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; and had failed to account satisfactorily for loss or deficiency of assets to meet his liabilities
Morgan, Thomas Lloyd (carrying on business as Morgan and Francis)	Residing at Llwynwormwood Park, Mothvey, and carrying on business at the Medical Hall, Llandovery, and in the town of Carmarthen as Morgan and Francis, Aërated Water Manufacturers	Chemist and Aërated Water Manufacturer	Carmarthen ... ..	6 of 1895	Oct. 16, 1896	Discharge suspended for two years and three months. Bankrupt to be discharged as from the 16th day of January, 1899	Proofs of facts mentioned in paragraphs (A.), (B.), (C.), (F.), and (L.) of sub-sec. 3 of sec. 8 of the Bankruptcy Act, 1890
Turner, Abraham William	Residing at 96, Harrington-road, Workington, Cumberland, and trading at 35, Pow-street, Workington aforesaid, and at 32, Penny-street, Lancaster, Lancashire	Draper and Clothier ... ..	Cockermouth and Workington	2 of 1894	Feb. 4, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 4th February, 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 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 them any reasonable or probable ground of expectation of being able to pay them



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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.
Tong, Stephen ...	Avenue - road, Beckenham, Kent	Baker and Confectioner	Croydon ...	13 of 1892	June 23, 1896	Discharge suspended for two years...	Proof of facts set out in sub-sec. 3 (A.), (B.), (C.), and (D.), of sec. 8 of the Bankruptcy Act, 1890
Carpenter, William George (trading as W. G. Carpenter and Co.)	10, Seaside, Eastbourne, Sussex	Wine and Spirit Merchant	Eastbourne and Lewes	4 of 1893	Dec. 10, 1896	Discharge suspended for three years, to take effect as from 10th December, 1899	Proof of facts mentioned in paragraphs (A.), (B.), (C.), (D.), and (I.) of sub-sec. 3 of sec. 8 of the Bankruptcy Act, 1890
Arscott, Henry ...	Streamcombe Farm, Dulverton, Somersetshire	Farm Labourer ...	Exeter ...	31 of 1896	Jan. 20, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 20th January, 1899	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities
Bealey, John Crabb ...	Shooting Marsh Stile, St. Thomas the Apostle, Devonshire	Builder ...	Exeter ...	22 of 1894	Jan. 20, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 20th January, 1899	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities
Wilkes, Walter William	1, Princes-road, Teddington, Middlesex, lately trading at Church - road, Teddington, Middlesex	Lately Dairyman ...	Kingston, Surrey	26 of 1893	Dec. 4, 1896	Discharge suspended for three years	Proof of facts set out in sec. 8, sub-sec. 3 (A.) and (B.), Bankruptcy Act, 1890
Grant, Stephen ...	9, Spinner-street, Leicester, Leicestershire	Leather Dresser's Manager	Leicester ...	122 of 1893	Jan. 20, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years	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; and had on a previous occasion made an arrangement with his creditors
Rawlings, Reuben ...	25, Waring-street, Leicester	Grocer and Beer Retailer	Leicester ...	1 of 1893	Jan. 20, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years	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 contributed to his bankruptcy by gambling

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# ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE—continued.

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.
Leet, Charles Henry ...	Residing and carrying on business at 47, Lawton-road, Waterloo, near Liverpool, Lancashire, lately residing and carrying on business at 21, Norma-road, Waterloo aforesaid, and also at 47, Claremont-road, Seaforth, near Liverpool aforesaid	Physician ... ..	Liverpool ...	60 of 1896	Jan. 22, 1897	Discharge suspended until a Dividend of not less than 10s. 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 the 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 ten shillings in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; and that he had contracted debts provable in the bankruptcy without having at the time of contracting them any reasonable or probable ground of expectation of being able to pay them
Lowe, George Henry ...	High - street, West Cowes, Isle of Wight	Confectioner ... ..	Newport and Ryde	83 of 1887	Dec. 2, 1896	Discharge granted	
Keevil, Charles ... ..	Stalbridge, Dorsetshire ...	Coal Merchant ... ..	Salisbury ...	12 of 1895	Jan. 21, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years	Proof of facts mentioned in sub-sec. 3 (A.), (B.), and (C.), sec. 8, Bankruptcy Act, 1890
Boulton, John Henry ...	9, High-street, Rotherham, Yorkshire	Stationer and Bookseller	Sheffield ...	63 of 1895	Jan. 28, 1897	Bankrupt's Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 28th January, 1899	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; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; and had failed to account satisfactorily for the deficiency of assets to meet his liabilities
Higgins, Samuel James	Now residing at 23, Gilberthorpe-street, Rotherham, Yorkshire, and carrying on business at 37, College-road, Masbrough, in the parish of Rotherham aforesaid	Pawnbroker ... ..	Sheffield ...	30 of 1895	Jan. 28, 1897	Bankrupt's Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 28th 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 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; had failed to account satisfactorily for the deficiency of assets to meet his liabilities; and had brought on or contributed to his bankruptcy by culpable neglect of his business affairs

# APPOINTMENTS OF TRUSTEES.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Trustee's Name.	Address.	Date of Certificate of Appointment.
Bruce, the Honourable Henry Nigel Hovel Thurlow Cumming (described in Receiving Order as the Honourable Henry Nigel Cumming Bruce)	63, Ennismore-gardens, South Kensington, in the county of London	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	11 of 1897	Stewart, Thomas ...	6, Duke-street, Adelphi, London, W.C.	Feb. 24, 1897
Gundelach, Henry Hermann William Frederick (described in Receiving Order as H. H. F. Gundelach, trading as F. Gundelach and Co.)	10, Distaff-lane, Cannon-street, in the city of London	Fur and Skin Merchant ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	77 of 1897	Izard, William ...	52, Gracechurch-street, London, E.C.	Feb. 25, 1897
Tucker, Richard, the younger	Bridport, Dorsetshire ...	Solicitor ...	Dorchester ...	4 of 1897	Milledge, Zillwood...	74, St. Thomas-street, Weymouth	Feb. 27, 1897
Richmond, James ...	Leven, in the East Riding of Yorkshire ...	Farmer ...	Kingston-upon-Hull	3 of 1897	Ford, George ...	Beverley, Bank Cashier ...	Feb. 24, 1897
Brown, George Fowlet (carrying on business as Brown and Love)	Residing at Newton Untham, Leicestershire, and carrying on business at Ashby-de-la-Zouch, Leicestershire	Solicitor and Leather Merchant	Leicester ...	3 of 1897	Speeds, Edwin Playster	20, Friar-lane, Leicester, Chartered Accountant	Feb. 27, 1897
Nornam, Harry Adolphus (trading without a partner as E. S. Norman and Co.)	Residing at 45, Beaumont-street, in the city of Liverpool, trading at Roscoe Arcade, St. Luke's-place, in the city of Liverpool, and lately residing at 162, Falkner-street, Liverpool, and 42, St. James-road, Liverpool	Portmanteau Manufacturer	Liverpool ...	4 of 1897	Dodd, William Henry	20, North John-street, Liverpool, Accountant	Feb. 27, 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.
Burgess, Frederick William and Walker, John Grafton ... (trading as Burgess and Co.) ...	Trowbridge, Wiltshire ... 22 and 23, Market-place, Trow- bridge, Wiltshire 22 and 23, Market-place, Trow- bridge, Wiltshire	Ironmonger Ironmonger and House Furnisher Ironmongers and House Furnishers	Bath ...	28 of 1893	John Howard Foley (Under order for consolidation of proceedings)	Manvers-street, Trow- bridge, Wilts	Auctioneer ...	Jan. 26, 1897
Lees, William (trading as James Lord and Co.)	Residing at 40, Rock-street, and trading at Borough-buildings, Grove-street, and at 50, Bell- street and 1, Waste-street, all in Oldham	Cotton Waste Dealer ...	Oldham ...	20 of 1895	Roscoe, Wrigley ...	9, Clegg-street, Oldham...	Chartered Account- ant	Dec. 29, 1896

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.

## FIRST MEETINGS.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	Number.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.
The Golden Plum Consolidated Gold Mines Limited	4, Bishopsgate-street Within, London, E.C.	High Court of Justice	0015 of 1897	Creditors, Mar. 12, 1897 ... Contributories, Mar. 12, 1897	11 A.M. 12 noon	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C. The Inns of Court Hotel, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C.

## NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF LIQUIDATOR.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No.	Liquidator's Name.	Address	Date of Appointment.
The South Beach Land and Building Corporation Limited	4, Salem-terrace, Pwllheli, in the county of Carnarvon	High Court of Justice	00230 of 1896	Frederick John Warmesley ...	29, Eastgate-row North, Chester	Feb. 2, 1897

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.

**T**HE estates of Mrs. Mary Wilson or Marks, Widow carrying on business as Spirit Dealer at Dock-head Port, Glasgow were sequestrated on the 26th February 1897, by the Sheriff of Renfrew and Bute at Greenock.

The first deliverance is dated 26th February 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held on the 18th day of March 1897 at twelve o'clock noon within the Fontaine Hotel Greenock.

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 26th June 1897.

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

FYFE and MURRAY, Writers, Greenock, Agents. Greenock, 27th February, 1897.

**T**HE estates of John Boyd Allison, Coachbuilder, 175 High-street, Ayr, were sequestrated on 25th February 1897 by the Sheriff of the county of Ayr.

The first deliverance is dated 25th February 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon on Friday the 5th day of March 1897, within the King's Arms Hotel, Ayr.

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 25th day of June 1897.

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

J. M. and J. WATT, Solicitors, Ayr Agents.

**T**HE estates of J. W. Scorgie, the Schoolhouse, Aberdour, Fife, were sequestrated on the 27th day of February, 1897, by the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills.

The first deliverance is dated the 8th day of February, 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 3 o'clock, afternoon on Thursday the 11th day of March 1897, within Messrs. Lyon and Turnbull's Rooms, 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 June 1897.

The sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff Court at Edinburgh.

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

M. J. BROWN

7 North St. David-street Petitioner's Agent.  
Edinburgh 2nd March 1897.

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