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THE following Addresses and Resolutions of Congratulation to the Queen on the occasion of Her Majesty completing the Sixtieth Year of Her Reign, having been transmitted to the Right Honourable Sir Matthew White Ridley, Bart., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, have been laid before Her Majesty, who has been pleased to receive the same very graciously :—

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

WE, Your Majesty's most faithful and loyal subjects the Free and Accepted Masons under the United Grand Lodge of England, venture with profound respect, on this the completion of the Sixtieth Year of Your Majesty's Reign over these Kingdoms and the vast Empire of the British Crown, humbly to offer our dutiful and heartfelt congratulations, and to express our continued and unswerving loyalty to Your Majesty, and our gratitude to the Great Architect of the Universe, who has distinguished Your Majesty's Reign by a length exceeding that of any of Your predecessors, and by the continued and unexampled increase of happiness and prosperity throughout Your Majesty's dominions.

No class of Your Majesty's subjects outvies in loyal attachment to the Throne and devotion to Your Majesty's Person, the Ancient Institution of English Freemasonry, which, founded on the purest principles of religion and morality, is also characterized by its unvarying support of the existing institutions of the Country, and by the maintenance of universal charity and brotherhood.

We pray that the Almighty may continue and multiply on Your Majesty those blessings which have hitherto signalized Your Majesty's beneficent Reign, and that, enshrined in the hearts of all Your subjects by ever-deepening feelings of loyalty and devotion, Your Majesty's Reign may always be attended with the blessings of peace, unity, and prosperity.

Dated at the Royal Albert Hall, London, this 14th day of June, 1897.

Albert Edward, P.
Grand Master.

Frederick A. Philbrick,
Grand Registrar.
E. Lechworth,
Grand Secretary.

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Free and Accepted Masons of Ireland in our Grand Lodge assembled, venture with the most profound and loyal respect to tender to Your Majesty our congratulations upon the completion of the Sixtieth Year of Your glorious Reign.

We feel that we are specially entitled to approach Your Majesty upon such an eventful occasion, inasmuch as our Order has not only numbered amongst its members several of Your Majesty's Royal Ancestors, but we have also the privilege of claiming at present as belonging to our craft many of Your Majesty's descendants.

As Masons we have learned that next to our duty to Almighty God comes our duty to our Sovereign, and we can truly assure Your Majesty that throughout Your Majesty's wide dominions there is not to be found any body of men more sincerely attached to Your Royal House and Person than those whom we have the honour to represent, and we can confidently state that scattered as our members are not only over every county in Ireland, but also through the many Colonies of Your great Empire, there is deeply enshrined in the heart of each the name of our well-beloved Queen.

We rejoice that during Your Majesty's long and prosperous Reign civil and religious liberty has advanced, trade and commerce have flourished, and the British Nation has maintained amongst the kingdoms of the earth that position which it had reached in the days of Your Majesty's Illustrious Grandfather.

Our Fraternity too has flourished and its members have endeavoured to discharge their practical duties in such a manner as to meet with the approval of Your Majesty. The school for the orphan daughters of members of the Masonic order has grown and prospered, and instead of accommodating 15 girls as it did in 1837, there are now 100, who are trained to be good and useful subjects of Your Majesty.

A school has also been founded for the orphan sons of Masons, and now maintains and educates 80 boys. And in commemoration of the Fiftieth Year of Your Majesty's Reign in 1887, a fund was started for the providing of pensions for brethren or widows who from old age or infirmity are unable any longer to provide for themselves.

In conclusion, we earnestly pray that the Great God of the Universe from whom all good things do come may continue to pour down upon Your Majesty and Your Royal Family the dew of His

blessing, and, that there may be granted to Your Majesty in the future every happiness.

Sealed with the Seal of the Grand Lodge of Ireland this day of June, 1897.

Signed on behalf of the Masonic Order,

Abercorn, Grand Master.

Templetown, Senior Grand Warden.

John Banks, Junior Grand Warden.

Castletown, Grand Secretary.

Civil Service Benevolent Fund.

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Council of the Civil Service Benevolent Fund, desire humbly to approach Your Majesty with the expressions of our feelings of profound loyalty and attachment to Your Majesty's Throne and Person.

As representing the managing body of a Society established for the assistance of the relatives of Your Majesty's deceased Civil Servants left in necessitous circumstances, we humbly beg to offer to Your Majesty our dutiful and heartfelt congratulations upon the completion of the Sixtieth Year of Your Majesty's eventful Reign.

The formation of the Civil Service Benevolent Fund was almost coincident with the celebration of the Fiftieth Anniversary of Your Majesty's Reign, and we recall with feelings of pride and gratification that Your Majesty was then graciously pleased to become Patron of our Society; an honour most thoroughly appreciated by the whole of Your Majesty's Civil Servants.

We heartily rejoice in common with all Your Majesty's subjects in the happy celebration of the longest and most glorious reign in English History, and we pray that the continued blessing of the Almighty may rest upon Your Majesty and the Nation over which Your beneficent rule extends.

Signed on behalf of the Council.

Ralph H. Know, Chairman.

War Office, London,

16th June, 1897.

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty:

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Dean of the Collegiate Church of St. Peter, Westminster, together with the High Steward, the Deputy High Steward, the High Bailiff, the Chief Burgesses, Burgesses and Burgesses Assistants of Your Ancient City of Westminster and Liberty of the same, incorporated by the Act of the 27th year of Your illustrious Predecessor, Queen Elizabeth, for the good government of the City of Westminster, the City in which Your Majesty was born, in which Your Majesty and Your Predecessors have been crowned, the seat of Legislature and of the Government of the whole of Your Majesty's Dominions, respectfully approach Your Majesty with the deepest sentiments of loyalty and attachment, and venture to offer to Your Majesty our most humble and heartfelt congratulations on the completion of the Sixtieth Year of Your long and beneficent Reign.

While we thankfully acknowledge the great national benefits which during that period have, by the blessing of Divine Providence, been vouchsafed to us under Your Majesty's guidance, we look forward with hope and confidence to the still further development under Your fostering care not only of every art and branch of knowledge but of all that may forward the cause of peaceful progress, Christian civilization, and general prosperity.

And we pray that the Giver of all good may in the future grant to Your Majesty, to Your Royal Family, and to the peoples that own Your sway, a long continuance of all the best blessings of the past.

Given under our common seal this 1st day of July, in the year of our Lord 1897.

W. M. Trollope, Town Clerk.

L. S.

North Riding of Yorkshire, to wit.

AT the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace of our Lady the Queen, holden for the North Riding of the County of York, at Northallerton, in the said Riding, on Thursday in the first whole week after the twenty-fourth day of June, to wit, the first day of July in the Sixty-First year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lady Victoria the First, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, before—

Midsummer Sessions, 1897.	{	John Hutton, Esq., M.P., Chair-
		man,
		The Right Honourable Charles
		John, Lord Teignmouth,
		Sir Henry Monson de la Poer
		Beresford Peirse, Bart.,

and others their Fellows, Justices of our said Lady the Queen, assigned to keep the peace of our said Lady the Queen in the said Riding, and also to hear and determine divers felonies, trespasses, and other misdemeanours committed within the Riding aforesaid.

It was moved by the Chairman, seconded by the Right Honourable the Lord Teignmouth, and carried unanimously,

"That the following Address be presented to Her Majesty the Queen."

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, Your Majesty's very dutiful and loyal subjects, Your Majesty's Justices of the Peace acting in and for the North Riding of the County of York in Quarter Sessions assembled, do hereby tender to Your Most Gracious Majesty our loyal and dutiful congratulations on the auspicious celebration of the Sixtieth Year of Your beneficent and prosperous Reign, which Almighty God has mercifully prolonged for a period unprecedented in the history of the Sovereigns of this Country, to the great benefit and happiness of Your subjects in all parts of Your Empire, and we pray that Your Majesty may be spared for many years to advance the interests, happiness, and welfare of a loyal, prosperous, and contented people.

John Hutton, Chairman.

William C. Trevor, Deputy Clerk of the Peace.

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, Your Majesty's faithful subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of the City and County of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in Council assembled, venture humbly to approach Your Majesty with the dutiful homage of an ancient Corporation, and the renewed assurance of our affectionate attachment and devoted loyalty to Your Majesty's Person and Throne.

We most respectfully offer to Your Majesty our very sincere and hearty congratulations upon the attainment of the Sixtieth Year of Your happy and glorious Reign. A Reign most

memorable for progress and prosperity, and for the advancement of the best interests of the people in all parts of Your Empire.

We desire to express the deep sense we entertain of the wise and beneficent manner in which Your Majesty has directed the destinies of the vast Empire over which You rule, and of the devotion of Your Majesty's life to the happiness and welfare of Your people.

We earnestly pray that Your Majesty may long be spared to continue to rule over Your loyal and contented people; and that health, happiness, and every blessing may ever attend Your Majesty and all the Members of Your Royal House.

Given under our Corporate Seal this 5th day of May, 1897.



*John Goolden, Mayor.
John Beattie, Sheriff.
Hill Motum, Town Clerk.*

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of Oxford in Council assembled, in approaching Your Majesty on the happy occasion of the Sixtieth anniversary of Your accession to the Throne, desire to express our deep thankfulness to Almighty God for having permitted Your Majesty to reign over us during a period longer than has been attained by any of Your Royal ancestors. The prayers and aspirations amidst which Your Majesty undertook the responsibilities of Sovereignty, have been more than fulfilled, and in the various characters of Queen, of Wife, and of Mother Your Majesty has at all times commanded the admiration and the love of a people devoted not only to Your office but to Your Person.

We pray that Your Majesty may be long spared to continue over us the beneficent rule under which we have so greatly prospered, and that the years to come may be not less fruitful than those that are past in mercy and blessing for Your Majesty, Your Family, and Your People.

Given under our Common Seal this twenty-second day of June, 1897.

*Robert Buckell, Mayor.
G. Claridge Druce, Sheriff.
R. Bacon, Town Clerk.*

To Her Most Excellent Majesty the QUEEN.

The humble Address of the President, Vice-President, Treasurer, and Court of Assistants of the Honourable Artillery Company.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, Your Majesty's ever dutiful and loyal subjects, the President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Court of Assistants, and Members of the Honourable Artillery Company of London, humbly beg leave to approach Your Majesty with the deepest feelings of loyalty and affection upon the occasion of Your Majesty attaining the Sixtieth Anniversary of Your beneficent and prosperous Reign.

With the millions of Your Majesty's loyal subjects in all quarters of the globe we desire to join in the expression of our most hearty congratulations on this great Anniversary, and take this opportunity to again express the hope that Your Majesty may long be spared to reign over this mighty, prosperous, and united Empire.

Dated this 21st day of June, 1897.

*Colville of Culross, President.
G. A. Raikes, Lt.-Colonel, Vice-President.
R. Hanne, Major, Treasurer.
B. S. Mills, Acting Secretary.*

To Her Most Gracious Majesty the QUEEN.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the County Council of Flint, in the loyal Principality of Wales, ventures humbly to approach Your Majesty with the expression of our loyal and hearty congratulations upon the attainment of the Sixtieth Year of Your Majesty's Reign.

We feel deeply sensible of the wise and beneficent manner in which Your Majesty has always presided over the affairs of Your Empire, and the general prosperity enjoyed by all classes of Your Majesty's subjects since Your Majesty's Accession to the Throne.

We desire also, as a County Council, to record our great appreciation of the especial manner in which Your Majesty's Reign has been marked by the liberal extension of Local Government which the County now enjoys with so much advantage.

We earnestly pray that Your Majesty may long be spared to rule over Your loyal subjects, and that Almighty God may still vouchsafe a continuance of those Divine blessings which have so long and abundantly been granted to Your Majesty.

In token whereof the Common Seal of the Council was hereunto affixed this 26th day of June, 1897.

*W. Elwy Williams,
Chairman.
Thos. T. Kelly, Clerk.*



To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble, loyal, and dutiful Address of the Governor and Assistants, London, of the New Plantation in Ulster, within the Realm of Ireland, commonly called the Honourable the Irish Society, constituted by Royal Charters of King James I. and King Charles II.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

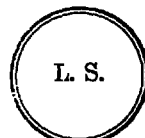
WE, Your Majesty's loyal and dutiful subjects the Governor, the Deputy-Governor, and Court of the Honourable the Irish Society, respectfully offer Your Majesty our hearty congratulations upon the completion of the Sixtieth Year of Your Majesty's prosperous and eventful Reign.

With deep feelings of gratitude we acknowledge the great benefits that have been conferred upon that portion of Your Majesty's dominions with which the Irish Society is more closely connected, and the exceptional advantages which have been enjoyed by Your Majesty's subjects in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Your Empire of India, and Your Colonies throughout the longest and most glorious Reign in English History.

We earnestly pray that the blessing of the Almighty may continue to rest upon Your Majesty, and Your beneficent rule may be permitted to extend over a loyal and contented people for many years to come.

Sealed by order of the Court this 9th day of July, 1897, in the presence of

*G. Faudel Phillips, Governor.
Benjamin Turner,
Deputy Governor.
Durie Miller, Secretary.*



To Her Most Excellent Majesty VICTORIA, QUEEN of Great Britain and Ireland, Empress of India.

Madam,

WE, the loyal citizens of Dublin convened in

public meeting by our municipal representatives, desire most respectfully to approach the Throne on the completion of the Sixtieth Year of Your Majesty's Reign, and to join loyally in the congratulations which are greeting Your Majesty from all parts of Your world-wide Dominions.

Your long Reign has been signalized by progress unparalleled in all the principles of civilization, in the enactment of equal laws, in the removal of social and religious disabilities, in the growth of freedom, in compassion for the weak, in the protection of women and children, and under Your constitutional laws during three score years, the British Empire in all departments of human activity, in science and literature, in commerce and the arts, has achieved its most brilliant triumphs. As in all these achievements of civilization and of Empire Irishmen have contributed their full share, so we offer to Your Majesty our hearty homage as subjects; we are proud to assure you that in no part of Your dominions is the person of the Sovereign more warmly loved, or her womanly virtues more profoundly venerated, than in the Irish Metropolis, and we join fervently in the prayer that it may please Almighty God long to spare You to rule over us.

Henry Cochrane, Chairman.

G. Macnic, Vice-Chairman.

E. W. Smyth,

Robt. Mitchell,

George Thompson,

} Honorary Secretaries.

Benevolent Society of Saint Patrick.

To Her Most Gracious Majesty the QUEEN.

May it please Your Majesty,

THE Grand Committee and Governors of the Benevolent Society of Saint Patrick having on various occasions during the last and present centuries been accorded the privilege and high honour of approaching the Throne, desire on this absolutely unique occasion to be permitted humbly to offer their most sincere and loyal congratulations to Your Majesty on the happy completion of the period of Sixty Years of Your Majesty's occupancy of the Throne. And the Grand Committee and Governors devoutly and earnestly join in the general thanksgiving that is taking place throughout the World for the blessings that have so conspicuously been enjoyed in all parts of the Empire during Your Majesty's Reign.

The steady growth, consolidation, and general advance of the Empire, the furtherance of Religion and civilization, the improvement in the condition of the poor and helpless, the diminution of crime, the advantages of Education, the increase in every form of philanthropy and charity, the discoveries in Science, the enlargement of a taste for Literature and Art, and the growing desire to live honourably at peace with all nations, which are some of the striking characteristics of the past Sixty Years, are each and all a source of genuine happiness and pride to every one living within the Empire. But the Grand Committee and Governors of this ancient Irish Society cannot fail to remember with thankfulness as part of this general life and progress and as a minute but still important feature of the Metropolis of this great Empire that their own Institution, founded under the gracious patronage of Your Princely Father His Royal Highness the Duke of Kent, has, with the generous assistance of Your Majesty Yourself, and of Your Majesty's immediate predecessors upon the Throne, been enabled to educate and provide for fully twelve thousand of the poorest of Your Majesty's Irish subjects during their childhood in this great city.

The unfeigned hope of the Grand Committee and Governors is that Your Majesty may long be spared to rule the Empire for happy and glorious years yet to come, and that not the least bright episode among the brilliant functions of this eventful year, may prove to be the coming visit of Their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of York to that portion of the United Kingdom to which the Grand Committee and Governors, and the Children alike of this Irish Institution are proud to belong.

Rathmore, President.

Cork and Orrery, Chairman at the Meeting.

C. Brinsley Morley, Treasurer.

A. F. Ranald Daniel, Secretary.

1st July, 1897.

And the following on the same subject:
From—

Polegate Board Schools, Children and Teachers.
Newport and Monmouth Boroughs Conservative and Unionist Association.

Netherton Parish Council.

Southend-on-Sea, Clarence-road Baptist Church.

Southend-on-Sea, Young People of Sunday Schools of.

Dover, St. Margaret's Bay, Morley House Seaside Convalescent Home for Working Men.

Barnstaple, Loxhore Inhabitants.

East Kent Joint Committee for appointing a Medical Officer of Health.

West Midland Baptist Association.

Institute of Commanding Officers of Volunteers.

The Society for Promoting the Employment of Women.

The Society of Public Librarians.

London, Royal Orthopædic Hospital.

The British-Israel Association of Ireland.

London, St. Mary's Hospital.

London Geological Society.

Egham, District Council, Parish Council, and School Board.

Coalville Urban District Council.

The Hampshire Friendly Society.

West Ham Corporation.

Birkdale Conservative Club.

Cookham Rural District Council.

Evesham, Children and Teachers of all Denominations.

Northumberland Provincial Grand Lodge of the Order of Buffaloes.

Aldershot, Ash National Schools.

Barry and Cadoxton Conservative Club and Institute.

Butley-cum-Capel Parishioners.

Corbridge-on-Tyne, Masters and Pupils of the High School of.

Ramsgate, St. Augustine's Masters and Scholars.

Antrim "Rock of Safety" Lodge of the Order of Good Templars.

Bootle "Guiding Star" Lodge of the Order of Good Templars.

Greenford Urban District Council.

Stockton-on-Tees, County Courts Officials Association.

Cheltenham, St. Mary's Hall Training College, Students of Lower South Dormitory.

Kent and Sussex Baptist Association.

The Church Pastoral Aid Society.

Lytham Urban District Council.

Alnwick Urban District Council.

Belfast, "James Caithness" Lodge of Good Templars.

Commercial Travellers' Schools, Court of Governors.

Exeter and District Chamber of Commerce.
 Esher and Dittons Urban District Council.
 Sowerby Bridge Urban District Council.
 Queenborough Corporation.
 Gorton Urban District Council.
 Halifax Light Brigade Club.
 Colchester Grand Jury.
 Beccles Corporation.
 Staines Urban District Council.
 Rugby Urban District Council.
 Malvern Urban District Council.
 Women's Suffrage, Combined Sub-Committee.
 South Blyth Urban District Council.
 Royal Cornwall Agricultural Association.
 Dover, Corporation and Ancient Cinque Port of.
 Devonshire Grand Lodge of the Order of Buffaloes.
 Wirksworth Inhabitants.
 Woolwich, Plumstead, and Charlton Sunday-Schools.
 Epidemiological Society of London.
 London Missionary Society.
 London District, No. 15, Orangemen of.
 Bishop's Stortford Fire Brigade.
 The British and Irish Steam Packet Company Limited.
 Dublin Total Abstinence Society.
 Glamorganshire Court of Quarter Sessions.
 Lincolnshire, Parts of Holland, Justices of the Peace.
 Beckenham Urban District Council.
 Grimsby Corporation.
 Herne Bay Urban District Council.
 Salop, Court of Quarter Sessions.
 Foreign Press Association.
 Newbold and Dunston Urban District Council.
 Ripon Rural District Council.
 London, The French Protestant Hospital.
 Shoburness, Court "Royal Artillery" No. 5471 of the Ancient Order of Foresters.
 Harlesden, St. John's Lodge No. 167 of Instruction of Freemasons.
 Dublin, Pembroke Cricket Club.
 Sussex, Court of Quarter Sessions.
 Bristol, Young Men's Christian Association and Literary Institute.
 Kew Inhabitants.
 Bolton School Board.
 Belfast District Lodge of the Order of Good Templars.
 Ocker Hill Diamond Jubilee Committee.
 Ludgvan Urban District Council.
 Halifax Corporation.
 Whiston Urban District Council.
 Haverfordwest Corporation.
 Kidderminster Corporation.
 London Royal Free Hospital.
 Truro College.
 Surrey County Cricket Club.
 London, Trinity College.
 Chatham and Sheerness Police Courts, Magistrates, and Officials.
 Court of Brotherhood and Guestling of the Cinque Ports.
 Droylsden District, Manchester Unity of the Order of Oddfellows.
 Glamorgan and Carmarthen English Baptist Conference.
 Greenwich Invicta Lodge of the Order of Druids.
 Worcester City and Circuit Wesleyans.
 St. Albans Corporation.
 Crompton Urban District Council.
 Isle of Thanet Rural District Council.
 City of Dublin Hospital.
 Saddleworth Rural District Council.

Hursley Rural District Council and Board of Guardians.
 St. John of Jerusalem, Knights of the Order of.
 Norwich District, "Sir Arthur Warden" and "Hon. Edward Stanley" Lodges of the Order of Buffaloes.
 Bradford Conservative Association.
 Cleethorpes-with-Thruncoke Urban District Council.
 Herefordshire, the Whitneys of.
 London Lock Hospital.
 Aldershot Urban District Council.
 Briton Ferry Urban District Council.
 Reigate Corporation.
 Balham Congregational Church.
 Hineckley Urban District Council.
 London, the Iron and Steel Institute.
 Cleckheaton Chamber of Commerce.
 Skegness Urban District Council.
 Worcester Corporation.
 Hoyle and West Kirby Urban District Council.
 Garston Urban District Council.
 Horsforth Urban District Council.
 Market Rasen Wesleyan Circuit.
 Bexley Urban District Council.
 Carshalton Urban District Council.
 Monmouthshire Court of Quarter Sessions.
 Sittingbourne Urban District Council.
 Evesham Corporation.
 Kidderminster Rural District Council.
 Dorset and Southern Counties Temperance Association and Band of Hope Union.
 Wrotham Urban District Council.
 Manchester, Order of the Sons of Temperance.
 Broseley District of the Order of Oddfellows.
 Dolphin Swimming Club.
 Forest Gate, "Sir William Elam" Lodge of the Order of Buffaloes.
 London Mystery of Fishmongers.
 Cumberland Court of Quarter Sessions.
 Dulwich Conservative Association.
 Bagehot, Royal Albert Orphan Asylum.
 Batley Cloth Drawers' Society.
 Rumburgh Inhabitants.
 London, French Protestant Church.
 Thornton Urban District Council.
 London, Council of the Sunday School Union.
 Lincoln, Wesleyan Methodist District Synod.
 Bangor, Ireland, Working Men.
 Crediton Urban District Council.
 Sunday Schools in the Diocese of Durham.
 Roman Catholic Colleges and Schools in England, Headmasters of.
 Royal Society of Painters in Water Colours.
 Joshua and Ezra Khamis, Nestorians of Kurdistan.
 Wrexham Corporation.
 Kent, Justices of the Peace.

Scottish Office, Whitehall, July 22, 1897.

THE following Addresses were presented to His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales, on behalf of The Queen, at a Court held at St. James's Palace on the 21st July, 1897, when he handed to each Deputation a most gracious reply in the following terms:—

"ON behalf of The Queen, my dear Mother, I thank you for your loyal and dutiful Address, and for the affectionate congratulations which you tender on the completion of the Sixtieth Year of Her Reign.

"It is a source of profound joy to the Queen to receive the expressions of devotion to Her Person and Family, which are offered by Her subjects

throughout the Empire; The Queen is gladdened by the thought that the sixty years of Her Reign have been years of progress in knowledge and of increase in prosperity; and She prays that, by the blessing of Almighty God, She may always live in the hearts of Her loving and beloved People."

Each Deputation was presented to His Royal Highness by the Lord Chamberlain.

The Right Honourable Lord Balfour of Burleigh, Her Majesty's Secretary for Scotland, was in attendance.

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, the Chancellor, Rector, Principals, Professors, Graduates, and Students of the University of St. Andrews, as loyal subjects, beg respectfully to offer our heartfelt congratulations on the completion by Your Majesty of the Sixtieth Year of Your happy and prosperous Reign.

This unprecedented event has awakened in the hearts of all Your subjects feelings of enthusiastic loyalty and of gratitude to the Giver of all good that He has so long spared to rule over us one who has wielded the sceptre in righteousness, and has done so much to maintain for our country its high place among the nations of the earth.

Of Your Majesty's private life we shall not presume to speak further than to say that its noble example has not only strengthened the Throne in the affections of the people, but has brought near Ruler and ruled in a community of sympathy so that in the auspicious event of this day we all rejoice together.

As representing the oldest University in Scotland, we would especially refer to the advance made in every department of Education during Your Majesty's Reign. The increase of knowledge and the advancement of Science have been accompanied by great improvements in the methods of diffusing these and extending their blessings to all classes.

We pray that Your Majesty may be long spared to occupy the high place which You have for sixty years adorned, and that Your successors may be imbued with the same spirit in the discharge of its duties which have endeared Your Majesty to the people, and made You through service, as well as inheritance, their revered and beloved Sovereign.

Signed in name of the University of St. Andrews by

Argyll, Chancellor.

Bute, Rector.

James Donaldson, Principal.

[Presented by Sir William O. Priestley, M.D., Member of Parliament for the University.]

Unto the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.
The humble Address of the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

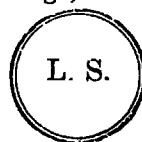
WE, Your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects the President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Fellows of the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh, beg leave to approach the Throne with our warm and heartfelt congratulations on the advent of the time when Your Majesty has completed the Sixtieth Year of Your Reign.

We, as concerned in promoting the health of Your Majesty's subjects, and in the advancement of Science, recognize that the period of Your Majesty's Reign has been one of unexampled progress in these high objects, that discoveries in Science have been applied with marked effect in alleviating pain and in saving life, and that Sanitary Legislation during Your Majesty's Reign

has contributed largely to the health and comfort of the people.

We, as Members of this the most ancient of all the Surgical Corporations in Your Majesty's Dominions, founded 1505, gladly embrace the opportunity of expressing our feelings of loyalty and attachment to the sacred person of a Sovereign, who is held in profound respect throughout Her wide Dominions no less for Her domestic virtues than for Her wise government, and of assuring Your Majesty on this occasion memorable in history that it is the earnest prayer of the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh that Your Majesty may yet long be spared in health to continue to adorn Your high position, and to rule over a free, a loyal, and a devoted people.

Signed in the name and under the Corporate Seal of the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh, this 17th day of May, 1897 years.



John Struthers,
President.

[Presented by Dr. John Struthers (President), Dr. Peter Hume Maclaren (Vice-President), and Dr. Francis Cadell (Secretary).]

Unto the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble, loyal, and dutiful Address of the President and Fellows of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, Your Majesty's loyal and dutiful subjects, the President and Fellows of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh, desire most humbly to approach Your Majesty's presence with the warmest feelings of devotion to Your Majesty's Person and Throne.

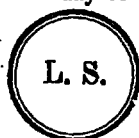
We most respectfully offer our heartfelt congratulations on the completion of the Sixtieth Year of Your Majesty's Reign over a loyal, devoted and prosperous realm. We thank the Almighty Disposer of Events that Your Majesty has been spared to be a blessing and example to the people over which Your Majesty so beneficently rules.

During the period of Your Majesty's long Reign the science and art of Medicine have made most notable advances which have effected a conspicuous influence on the public health and on the longevity of the people. We recognize with profound thankfulness that, in these advances and in all that concerns the welfare and happiness of Your Majesty's subjects, Your Majesty has taken a deep and sympathetic interest.

We would desire to express to Your Majesty our warm appreciation of the great benefits conferred on the sick poor by the services of the Queen Victoria Jubilee Nurses, instituted by Your Majesty on the occasion of the Jubilee of Your Majesty's Reign. Such gracious and considerate remembrance of the needs of Your Majesty's poorer subjects binds still more tightly the ties of affection which unite the people to Your Majesty and to the Royal House.

That the Almighty may grant to Your Majesty, to Your Royal Family, and to the Empire, over which Your Majesty so graciously wields the sceptre, a continuation of those blessings which have been so generously bestowed during the past Sixty Years of Your Majesty's Reign, is the fervent prayer of Your Majesty's most loyal and faithful servants.

Signed in name and under the Seal of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh, this 31st day of May, 1897 years.



John Batty Tuke, M.D.,
President.

[Presented by Dr. Batty Tuke (President) and Dr. P. A. Young (Treasurer).]

To Her Most Gracious Majesty The QUEEN,
Empress of India.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the City and Royal Burgh of Glasgow, desire to join with all sections and races of Your Majesty's subjects in offering You the expression of our warmest congratulations on having attained Your Diamond Jubilee as Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and the vast Dependencies of the Empire.

This unique and memorable event, which Your Majesty's subjects regard with profound interest, impresses not themselves only. Throughout the whole civilized world—wherever the noble performance of Royal duty and the highest virtues of womanhood are appreciated—the wisdom, dignity, purity and active sympathy which have unfailingly characterized every act of Your Majesty's gracious Reign have inspired respect and veneration.

How much the beneficent example which Your Majesty has presented to Your people has conduced to the elevation of public sentiment and action throughout Your widely extended empire it is impossible adequately to estimate. But the culture, refinement, and moral elevation of the society of to-day cannot be contrasted with what preceded Your Majesty's accession to the Throne without inspiring a deep sense of the beneficent influence which the life and conduct of Your Majesty have exercised upon the nation.

During Your Majesty's reign dynasties have fallen and political unrest and change have been conspicuous, but while the conditions of life have been changed and largely revolutionized, the Crown in the present day is deep based on the love and confidence which all classes entertain for Your Majesty as their Sovereign lady.

Never in the world's history has human progress during a period of sixty years been comparable with that of the time over which Your Majesty's reign has extended. In art, in science, in the applications of knowledge in every department of human thought and action to the needs and comforts of man, in the direction of political government to the improvement of the conditions of society, in the diffusion of education and in the opportunities which it affords to the humblest equally with the highest of Your subjects to take the place for which they are fitted by character, culture, and ability, the Victorian Age eclipses that of Augustus and Elizabeth.

We thank God that He has spared Your Majesty to witness and largely to promote those great social, moral, intellectual, and physical developments, and we earnestly pray that You may be spared for many long years to extend still farther the beneficent influence of a reign which is even now without parallel.

Given in name and by appointment of the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the City and Royal Burgh of Glasgow, in Council assembled,

and the Seal of the City affixed hereto, this 3rd day of June, 1897 years.



David Richmond,
Lord Provost.
J. D. Marwick,
Town Clerk.

[Presented by the Hon. the Lord Provost of Glasgow, Bailies Chisholm, Murray and Dick and the Town Clerk.]

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, the Provost, Magistrates, and Town Council of Inverness, for ourselves, and as representing the citizens and community of this most ancient and Royal Burgh, the most ancient capital of the most ancient of the Royal lines now represented by Your Majesty, tender to Your Majesty our humble duty, and offer to Your Majesty our most loyal and heartfelt congratulations on the completion of the Sixtieth Year of Your Majesty's Reign—a Reign surpassing in glory, as it does in duration, that of any of Your Royal predecessors.

Fifty years ago Your Majesty's revered and lamented Royal Consort honoured our town by a visit, and we had then the honour of presenting to His Royal Highness a loyal Address which he was graciously pleased to receive. His memory is still affectionately cherished in our town and by all Highlanders, and his portrait adorns our Council Hall.

Twenty-five years ago Your Majesty was graciously pleased to visit Inverness and to accept from us a loyal and dutiful Address, and the enthusiasm displayed on that occasion would have satisfied Your Majesty that in loyalty and attachment to Your Person, Family, and Throne, the Capital of the Highlands is second to no part of Your Majesty's dominions.

Ten years ago, on the completion of the Fiftieth Year of Your Majesty's Reign, Your Majesty was graciously pleased to honour our ancient city by receiving from the hands of our Chief Magistrate a loyal and dutiful Address of congratulation on that auspicious event.

We rejoice in this opportunity of again addressing Your Majesty, and of testifying on this great occasion our unabated and devoted loyalty, and of giving expression to the pride and gratitude with which we contemplate the great benefits which during the Sixty Years Your Majesty has conferred on Your subjects, and the bright and noble example which Your Majesty has set to all subject to Your rule.

We venture to express our earnest hope and belief that the feelings called forth by the celebration of the Sixtieth Year of Your Majesty's Reign will tend to knit more closely together the various races and peoples subject to Your Majesty's beneficent sway, and we earnestly pray that Your Majesty may long be spared to rule over a loyal, a united, a free, and a happy people, and that Almighty God may still vouchsafe a continuance of those heavenly blessings which have so long and abundantly been granted to Your Majesty.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the Royal Burgh of Inverness, and signed in name and on behalf of the Provost, Magistrates, Town Council, and community thereof by



William McBean,
Provost.
Kenneth Macdonald,
Town Clerk

[Presented by William MacBean, Esq. (Provost)
and Kenneth Macdonald, Esq. (Town Clerk).]

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Provost, Magistrates, and Commissioners of the Burgh of Govan, for ourselves and on behalf of the inhabitants thereof, beg respectfully to tender our sincere and hearty congratulations to Your Majesty on the completion of the Sixtieth Anniversary of Your Accession to the British Throne.

A reign so long and so uniformly happy and prosperous to the Sovereign and People alike has few, if indeed any, examples in the history of the world, and certainly none in the historical records of these realms.

The progress of the British Empire since Your Majesty began to reign in eighteen hundred and thirty-seven has been such as to excite the wonder and envy of other nations, and to evoke the deepest feelings of thankfulness to Divine Providence on the part of Your Majesty's subjects.

During the period in question Your Imperial Dominions have been enormously extended and the various races over whom Your Majesty rules have been more or less brought under the influence of civilization followed by their moral and intellectual training and development and the consequent blessings attendant upon the possession by them of rational liberty and the impartial administration of justice by the governors set over them.

At no period of the world's history have the domestic and public virtues been so highly exalted and so extensively practised as they are now, a result in a great measure arising, so far as regards these Kingdoms, from the great influence of Your Majesty's noble example fully recognized and appreciated not merely by your own subjects but by the people of other lands.

The Elizabethan Era and the Age of Queen Anne were both glorious. They were distinguished for eminence attained in literature, science, and art, and for deeds of valour by sea and land performed by our naval and military forces; but the Victorian Age, in which it is our privilege to live, while it will illuminate the pages of our history with a far purer if not a more brilliant light, will, it is earnestly to be hoped, be memorable not for the prevalence of national discords and the din and carnage of war, but for the confraternity of nations and the progress of peace.

That Your Majesty may be spared for many years to reign over a loyal and contented people, and to be the instrument of carrying out those inscrutable but wise designs of Providence for the gradual raising of the human race scattered over Your wide dominions to a higher sphere of life in its predestined course of existence, is our earnest hope as well as that of the seventy thousand people over whose municipal interests we have the honour to preside.

Given in name and on behalf of the Provost, Magistrates, and Commissioners of the Burgh of Govan, the Seal of which is hereto affixed, this twenty-eighth day of June, 1897 years.



James Kirkwood,
Provost.
A. Macdonald,
Town Clerk.

[Presented by James Kirkwood, Esq. (Provost)
and A. Macdonald, Esq. (Town Clerk).]

To the QUEEN's Most Gracious Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the representative Church Council of the Episcopal Church in Scotland, consisting of the Bishops, Clergy, and representative Laymen of the said Church in Council assembled, humbly desire to offer to Your Majesty our congratulations upon the Sixtieth Anniversary of Your Majesty's Reign. We feel deeply grateful to Almighty God for the incalculable benefits and blessings vouchsafed to our country during that long period, blessings largely due to Your Majesty's wise and constitutional rule and to Your care and solicitude for the welfare and happiness of all Your people. We of the Episcopal Church in Scotland are specially bound to acknowledge the blessings we have received, for it was only during Your Majesty's gracious Reign that the last of the penal disabilities resting upon our Church were removed, and that we were granted complete freedom. We earnestly desire to thank God for the high example Your Majesty has set before Your subjects of virtue and religion, we feel that it is greatly owing to Your Majesty that the home life of Great Britain has been raised to its present standard of purity and happiness. We believe Your Majesty's influence for good extends not to this Kingdom alone, but to the whole of Your vast Empire, and that Almighty God may long spare You to rule over loyal and devoted subjects, will ever be the constant prayer of Your Majesty's most loyal and humble servants the Clergy and Laity of the Episcopal Church in Scotland.

By authority of the Clergy and Laity of the Episcopal Church in Scotland in Council assembled.

W. W. Farquharson, Secretary.

Lothian, Convener of the Executive
Committee of the Episcopal Church in
Scotland.

[Presented by the Most Honourable the Mar-
quess of Lothian, K.T.]

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE, the Ministers and Elders of the Free Church of Scotland, take advantage of the opportunity afforded by the anniversary of Your Majesty's birth to repeat the assurance of our warm attachment to Your Majesty's Person, Family, and Throne.

But the present is an especially memorable time, and has a much greater significance than the annually recurring Birthday, and therefore we desire, with greater emphasis, to express anew our devoted loyalty. We join heartily with all Your Majesty's subjects throughout the wide British Empire in the rejoicings which commemorate the completion of the Sixtieth Year of Your Majesty's illustrious Reign. We feel that this great event, unexampled in the history of our nation, calls for profound gratitude to Almighty God, Who has, through all these years, preserved Your Majesty's valuable life in health and vigour, and enabled Your Majesty to perform Your lofty duties with uninterrupted success. As we look back from this elevated standing point upon this long and eventful period, we realize the immense progress that has been made in almost every department of our national affairs; and we are deeply sensible that for this most gratifying result we are indebted to Your Majesty's wise and able government, and to the principles of righteousness and truth, religion and goodness by which Your Majesty's Reign has ever been dominated. Your Majesty, with consummate prudence, has always

acted through the established institutions of the country, thus uniformly securing to every interest an equitable measure of representation, and the great personal influence of Your Majesty has ever been exerted on behalf of every object fitted to promote, not only the material, but also the moral and religious well-being of Your subjects. We cannot over-estimate the power for good which Your Majesty's noble example has exercised upon the society of our time; while the innumerable instances in which Your Majesty has shown a kind and womanly heart ever at leisure from its own splendid cares and state burdens to sympathize with the sufferings of the poorest of Your people, have produced a profound impression upon all hearts, and caused a deep personal attachment to mingle with our public loyalty. We earnestly hope that Your Majesty may be long spared to continue to us the inestimable benefits and advantages which it has always been our privilege as a nation to enjoy under Your Majesty's beneficent rule. We pray that, through this remarkable year, which must put a special strain upon Your Majesty's strength, special grace may be given from on high to enable Your Majesty to bear up under the great joy of Your people's loyal enthusiasm, as on former occasions grace was given to Your Majesty to bear up under the great sorrows and trials of Your Own personal life.

That the eventide of Your Majesty's Reign may have the sweet calm harvest light of high hopes fulfilled, and great duties faithfully performed, and a noble life lived, and that at last, when the Divine purposes in regard to Your Majesty are finished in this world, you may receive a crown of glory that fadeth not away, is the earnest prayer of

May it please Your Majesty, Your Majesty's loyal and dutiful subjects, the Ministers and Elders of the Free Church of Scotland in General Assembly convened.

Signed in name and by appointment of the General Assembly of the Free Church of Scotland, at Edinburgh, the 22nd day of June, 1897 years, by

Hugh Macmillan, D.D., LL.D., F.R.S.E.,
Moderator.

[Presented by the Reverend Hugh Macmillan, D.D., LL.D., and the Reverend Principal Rainy, D.D.]

St. James's Palace, July 27, 1897.

THE Services in the Chapel Royal and the German Chapel will be discontinued after Sunday next, August 1, until further orders.

EDGAR SHEPPARD, Sub-Dean.

Downing Street, July 24, 1897.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of the retention of the title of "Honourable" by Sir John Robinson, K.C.M.G., lately Prime Minister and Colonial Secretary of the Colony of Natal.

Downing Street, July 26, 1897.

THE Queen has been pleased, by Letters Patent, dated the 21st July, 1897, passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, to make fresh provision for the Government of the Seychelles Islands.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to re-appoint Henry Cockburn Stewart, Esq., C.M.G., to be Administrator of the Seychelles Islands.

Admiralty, 24th July, 1897.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant Richard Hastings Graves-Burton has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 20th July, 1897.

Admiralty, 26th July, 1897.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Naval Instructor Robert Staveley, M.A., has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 29th June, 1897.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Colonel Second Commandant Charles Harington Scafe is absorbed in the establishment of Colonels Second Commandant, on vacating the appointment of Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General. Dated 26th July, 1897.

Royal Marine Forces.

Major James Henry Bor, Royal Marine Artillery, to be Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General, vice Scafe, and to be placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 26th July, 1897.

Education Department, Whitehall, July 23, 1897.

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS, 1870-1893.

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education have issued orders this day for the Triennial Election of School Boards in the undermentioned Parishes:—

Parishes.	County.	Union.
West Chiltonington	Sussex	Thakeham
Polesworth	Warwick	Atherstone
West Moulsey	Surrey	Kingston-on-Thames
Featherstone	York	Pontefract
Wood Dalling	Norfolk	Aylsham
Somersham	Huntingdon	St. Ives
Kemble	Gloucester	Cirencester
Houghton and Wyton (U.D.)	Huntingdon	St. Ives
South Witham	Lincoln	Grantham
Ceulan-y-Maesmawr	Cardigan	Aberystwith
Henllys (Contributory)	Cardigan	Aberystwith
Brassington	Derby	Ashbourne
Skirbeck	Lincoln	Boston

War Office, Pall Mall,
27th July, 1897.

- Royal Horse Guards*, Second Lieutenant Henry De la P., Marquis of Waterford, to be Lieutenant, vice the Honourable A. H. C. Hanbury-Tracy, seconded. Dated 18th June, 1897.
- 8th Hussars*, Second Lieutenant R. S. V. Dyas to be Lieutenant, vice M. de Bathe, seconded. Dated 5th June, 1897.
- 10th Hussars*, Second Lieutenant E. R. A. Shearman to be Lieutenant, vice B. C. C. S. Meeking, promoted. Dated 2nd January, 1897.
- 21st Lancers*, Second Lieutenant William A. C. Fraser to be Lieutenant, vice M. J. Stapylton, resigned. Dated 26th May, 1897.
- Royal Engineers*, Brevet Colonel Richard H. Jelf, C.M.G., on completion of five years' service as a regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, is placed on half-pay. Dated 27th July, 1897.
- Major Henry L. Jessep to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel R. H. Jelf, C.M.G. Dated 27th July, 1897.
- Captain Dudley A. Mills to be Major, vice H. L. Jessep. Dated 27th July, 1897.
- Grenadier Guards*, Lieutenant Edward Seymour, from 4th Battalion the East Surrey Regiment, to be Second Lieutenant, vice C. E. Corkran, promoted. Dated 28th July, 1897.
- Surgeon-Major Walter C. Beevor, M.B., from Scots Guards, to be Surgeon-Major, in succession to Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel W. Campbell, M.B., retired. Dated 26th June, 1897.
- Scots Guards*, The promotion to the rank of Captain of Lieutenant William A. W. Lawson is antedated to 3rd April, 1897, to complete establishment.
- Lieutenant Fitzalan G. J. Manners to be Captain, vice Sir C. Slade, Bart., retired. Dated 5th May, 1897.
- Second Lieutenant J. C. Heriot-Maitland to be Lieutenant, vice F. G. J. Manners. Dated 5th May, 1897.

LINE BATTALIONS.

- The Buffs (East Kent Regiment)*, Captain Albert Vickerman retires from the Service receiving a gratuity. Dated 28th July, 1897.
- Lieutenant Edmond G. T. Bainbridge to be Captain, vice A. Vickerman. Dated 28th July, 1897.
- The King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment)*, Captain Walter H. Duffin to be Major, vice J. Rowlandson, promoted. Dated 26th June, 1897.
- The Suffolk Regiment*, Captain Casimir H. C. Van Straubenzee is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Indian Volunteers. Dated 20th May, 1897.
- The Bedfordshire Regiment*, Captain G. W. W. D'Arcy Evans is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Volunteers. Dated 1st July, 1897.
- The Royal Irish Regiment*, Lieutenant William H. Willans resigns his Commission. Dated 28th July, 1897.
- Quartermaster and Honorary Captain William Griffiths is placed on retired pay. Dated 24th July, 1897.
- Sergeant-Major Jeremiah Cremen to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, vice Honorary Captain W. Griffiths. Dated 28th July, 1897.
- The Royal Welsh Fusiliers*, Lieutenant Henry M. Richards to be Captain, in succession to Major W. R. H. Beresford, who holds a Staff appointment. Dated 24th March, 1897.

- The King's Own Scottish Borderers*, The promotions to the rank of Captain of the undermentioned Lieutenants are antedated as follows :—
- A. C. Going to 8th May, 1897, vice C. L. Woollcombe, seconded for service on the Staff.
- A. G. Fraser to 12th May, 1897, vice S. C. Johnston, seconded.
- A. R. Cobbold to 19th May, 1897, in succession to Major C. L. Woollcombe, who holds a Staff appointment.
- Lieutenant David R. Sladen to be Captain, vice J. Hope, retired. Dated 21st July, 1897.
- The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant D. D. Gunn is antedated to 8th May, 1897.
- Second Lieutenant R. C. Gibb to be Lieutenant, vice A. G. Fraser, promoted. Dated 12th May, 1897.
- The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles)*, Lieutenant John H. W. Guise to be Captain, vice H. N. Head, seconded. Dated 28th July, 1897.
- Second Lieutenant S. Lawrence to be Lieutenant, vice J. H. W. Guise. Dated 28th July, 1897.
- The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers*, Captain Thomas G. C. Reynolds is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Indian Volunteers. Dated 7th June, 1897.
- Lieutenant Charles A. Wilding to be Captain, vice C. M. Kendall, seconded. Dated 1st June, 1897.
- Second Lieutenant J. A. Byrne to be Lieutenant, vice C. A. Wilding. Dated 1st June, 1897.
- The Gloucestershire Regiment*, Second Lieutenant A. H. Radice to be Lieutenant, vice R. Connor, promoted. Dated 26th May, 1897.
- The East Lancashire Regiment*, Second Lieutenant C. E. Wilson to be Lieutenant, vice H. Maclear, seconded. Dated 30th March, 1897.
- The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry*, The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant W. K. H. Campbell is cancelled, that Officer having been transferred to the Indian Staff Corps with an anterior date.
- The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant C. B. Norton is antedated to 15th April, 1897, vice E. P. Mark-Wardlaw, promoted.
- The Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment)*, Lieutenant-Colonel Charles W. Gore retires on retired pay. Dated 28th July, 1897.
- Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Herbert E. Belfield, from the Royal Munster Fusiliers, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice C. W. Gore. Dated 28th July, 1897.
- The Border Regiment*, Second Lieutenant H. Nelson to be Lieutenant, vice A. L. Longhurst, transferred to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 25th February, 1897.
- The Hampshire Regiment*, Captain Charles de Winton to be Major, vice E. H. Le Marchant, promoted. Dated 30th June, 1897.
- Captain S. C. F. Jackson, D.S.O., is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 21st April, 1897.
- Lieutenant Francis J. Bowker to be Captain, in succession to Major E. S. Crofts, Adjutant of Volunteers. Dated 27th March, 1897.
- The Dorsetshire Regiment*, Captain Henry L. Rosher is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 18th March, 1897.
- The Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment)*, Second Lieutenant D'O. B. Dawson to be Lieutenant, vice A. C. Shuttleworth, deceased. Dated 11th June, 1897.

The Welsh Regiment, Second Lieutenant F. A. Wyllie to be Lieutenant, vice E. S. Jackson, appointed Adjutant. Dated 1st July, 1897.

Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment), Captain Henry FitzHerbert retires from the Service receiving a gratuity, with permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Lieutenant George H. Arbuthnot to be Captain vice H. FitzHerbert. Dated 28th July, 1897.

The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), Second Lieutenant C. Druce to be Lieutenant, vice H. Stewart, transferred to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 4th April, 1897.

The King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), Captain Henry Wells-Cole to be Adjutant, vice Captain P. H. Rogers, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 23rd July, 1897.

The King's Royal Rifle Corps, Second Lieutenant C. B. Petre to be Lieutenant, vice F. W. B. Cripps, resigned. Dated 7th July, 1897.

The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment), Lieutenant Herbert T. Arnold to be Captain, in succession to Major H. W. Rowden, appointed to the Staff. Dated 20th March, 1897. Second Lieutenant C. H. K. Chauncy to be Lieutenant, vice H. T. Arnold. Dated 20th March, 1897.

The Durham Light Infantry, Second Lieutenant J. M. Davies to be Lieutenant, to complete establishment. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Lieutenant David Lloyd Brereton, from 3rd Battalion, to be Second Lieutenant, vice J. M. Davies. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), Lieutenant Arnold R. Burrowes to be Captain, vice F. L. V. Jenkins, seconded for service in the Army Pay Department. Dated 1st June, 1897. Second Lieutenant H. B. Holmes to be Lieutenant, vice P. R. Wood, promoted. Dated 22nd May, 1897.

The Connaught Rangers, Lieutenant William S. Sarsfield to be Captain, vice H. D. Chamier, seconded. Dated 31st May, 1897.

Second Lieutenant W. N. S. Alexander to be Lieutenant, vice W. S. Sarsfield. Dated 31st May, 1897.

Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), Lieutenant E. C. Hamilton Grant, Adjutant, to be Captain, to complete establishment. Dated 1st July, 1897.

The Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians), Lieutenant Albert G. G. Sharp is seconded for service in the British Central Africa Protectorate. Dated 10th July, 1897.

The Royal Munster Fusiliers, Quartermaster and Honorary Captain Thomas Shattock is placed on retired pay. Dated 26th July, 1897.

Sergeant-Major William Henry Forsdick to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, vice Honorary Captain T. Shattock. Dated 28th July, 1897.

The Royal Dublin Fusiliers, Second Lieutenant P. Maclear to be Lieutenant, vice E. S. Gale, transferred to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 11th March, 1897.

The Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), Major Robert J. Maude retires on retired pay. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Captain Lewis L. Nicol to be Major, vice R. J. Maude. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Second Lieutenant E. D. Le P. Power to be Lieutenant, vice R. G. T. Bright, seconded. Dated 18th June, 1897.

Staff, Major-General G. Salis-Schwabe to be a Brigadier-General on the Staff to command the Troops in Mauritius, which appointment is substituted for that of Colonel on the Staff. Dated 15th June, 1897.

Colonel W. F. M. Hutchinson, from half-pay, to be Deputy Adjutant-General for Royal Artillery at Head-Quarters, and to have the temporary rank of Major-General whilst so employed, vice Colonel (temporary Major-General) F. T. Lloyd, C.B., appointed Governor and Commandant of the Royal Military Academy. Dated 1st August, 1897.

Royal Military Academy, Colonel (temporary Major-General) F. T. Lloyd, C.B., from Deputy Adjutant-General, Royal Artillery, at Head-Quarters, to be Governor and Commandant, retaining the temporary rank of Major-General whilst holding the appointment, vice Lieutenant-General E. O. Hewett, C.M.G., Royal Engineers, deceased. Dated 1st August, 1897.

Army Medical Staff, Surgeon-Major Patrick J. O'Sullivan, M.D., retires from the Service receiving a gratuity. Dated 28th July, 1897. Surgeon-Major Patrick Halion Fox, F.R.C.S.I., retires from the Service receiving a gratuity. Dated 28th July, 1897.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward H. Fitzherbert, Commandant Deolali Depôt, to be Colonel. Dated 12th July, 1897.

Captain Alexander John Godley, the Royal Dublin Fusiliers, to be Major, in recognition of his services during the operations in South Africa, 1896. Dated 8th May, 1897.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Colonel William Arthur Salmon is transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 12th July, 1897.

MEMORANDA.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Philip H. Smith, half-pay, retires on retired pay. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Lovell, half-pay, retires on retired pay. Dated 28th July, 1897.

RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

M. J. Stapylton, Esq., late Lieutenant 21st Lancers, to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1897.

ARMY MEDICAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Surgeon-Major George W. Hatchell, having resigned his Militia appointment, ceases to belong to the Army Medical Reserve of Officers. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Surgeon-Captain C. C. Moxon, having resigned his Volunteer appointment, ceases to belong to the Army Medical Reserve of Officers. Dated 28th July, 1897.

War Office, 27th July, 1897.

MILITIA.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

The Antrim Artillery (Southern Division), Lieutenant W. A. Allpress to be Captain. Dated 28th July, 1897.

The South East of Scotland Artillery (Southern Division), Lieutenant J. H. Younger to be Captain. Dated 28th July, 1897.

The Donegal Artillery (the Prince of Wales's) (Southern Division), Second Lieutenant W. R. O'D. Young McDowell to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1897.

The Tipperary Artillery (Southern Division), Walter Joseph de Rupe Thackwell, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1897.

The Clare Artillery (Southern Division), Major M. J. Kenny resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform on his retirement. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Lieutenant C. P. Mahon-Hagan to be Captain. Dated 28th July, 1897.

The Devon Artillery (Western Division), The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

W. F. Reichwald. Dated 28th July, 1897.

A. M. Burke. Dated 28th July, 1897.

ROYAL ENGINEERS (MILITIA).

Submarine Miners.

The Thames Division, Cyril Henry Ayscough, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1897.

INFANTRY.

4th Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Ronald Hugh FitzRoy, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1897.

5th Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Captain E. C. Arnold, from the 4th Battalion the Royal Irish Rifles, to be Captain. Dated 28th July, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Lincolnshire Regiment, Roland Henry Marsh, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), Ferdinand Harper Hodge, Esq., late Lieutenant 1st Battalion, to be Captain. Dated 28th July, 1897.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Cameronians (Scottish Rifles), Second Lieutenant A. W. Swanston resigns his Commission. Dated 28th July, 1897.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Worcestershire Regiment, Reginald Crommelin Popham Blyth, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 19th July, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), Captain and Honorary Major E. F. Coates resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform on his retirement. Dated 28th June, 1897.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the South Staffordshire Regiment, Lieutenant C. T. St. Quintin resigns his Commission. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Jacinth D'Ewes FitzErcald Coke, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 17th July, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Welsh Regiment, Francis Henry Romilly, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 19th July, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Irish Rifles, Lieutenant G. A. M. Kirkpatrick to be Captain. Dated 31st May, 1897.

4th Battalion, the Royal Dublin Fusiliers, Captain J. A. Meldon is seconded for service in the Uganda Rifles. Dated 28th July, 1897.

5th Battalion, the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

G. B. A. Russell. Dated 28th July, 1897.

T. F. G. Ogle. Dated 28th July, 1897.

H. C. S. Ashton. Dated 28th July, 1897.

E. B. Powell. Dated 28th July, 1897.

E. C. Fane. Dated 28th July, 1897.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Ayrshire (Earl of Carrick's Own), James Alexander Clarke, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Dorset (Queen's Own), John Bernhard Harbin Goodden, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Middlesex (Duke of Cambridge's Hussars), Second Lieutenant W. R. Blackwell to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Shropshire, Hugh Gurney, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Worcestershire (the Queen's Own Worcestershire Hussars), Lieutenant E. G. Bromley-Martin resigns his Commission. Dated 28th July, 1897.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

ARTILLERY.

2nd Cinque Ports (Eastern Division, Royal Artillery), Major H. C. Wilson to be Lieutenant-Colonel, under the provisions of paragraph 55A of the Volunteer Regulations 1896. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Captain H. Le M. Dunn to be Major. Dated 28th July, 1897.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

G. Harvey. Dated 28th July, 1897.

N. McL. Rapp. Dated 28th July, 1897.

6th Lancashire, Surgeon-Lieutenant W. H. Murdoch, M.D., resigns his Commission. Dated 28th July, 1897.

1st Argyll and Bute, Surgeon-Captain J. Cunningham, M.B., resigns his Commission. Dated 28th July, 1897.

1st Worcestershire and Warwickshire, Lieutenant W. K. Kay resigns his Commission. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Second Lieutenant M. E. Donovan to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1897.

1st Devonshire (Western Division, Royal Artillery), The Reverend C. A. Peacock, M.A., to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 28th July, 1897.

1st Cornwall (Duke of Cornwall's) (Western Division, Royal Artillery), Frederick William Mitchell, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1897.

1st Gloucestershire, Second Lieutenant A. E. Y. Trestrail to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1897.

1st West Riding of Yorkshire (Western Division, Royal Artillery), Lieutenant H. S. Browning, Royal Artillery, to be Adjutant, vice Captain A. L. Carroll, Royal Artillery, whose period of service has expired. Dated 24th July, 1897. Lieutenant H. S. Browning, Royal Artillery, is granted the rank of Captain whilst serving as Adjutant. Dated 24th July, 1897.

ROYAL ENGINEERS (VOLUNTEERS).

1st Devonshire and Somersetshire, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Cuthbert Winter. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Charles Henry Melsome. Dated 28th July, 1897.

2nd West Riding of Yorkshire (Leeds), Quartermaster W. Simpson resigns his Commission. Dated 28th July, 1897.

RIFLE.

The Queen's Rifle Volunteer Brigade, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Captain J. Robertson, jun., is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 28th July, 1897.

4th Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), James Charlton-Humphreys, Esq., is appointed to the Honorary Colonelcy of the Battalion. Dated 21st July, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment), Captain Willoughby Seymour Burton, Royal Lancaster Regiment, late Adjutant, 5th Volunteer Battalion, Scottish Rifles, to be Adjutant for the residue of his five years' tenure, vice Captain T. C. Hunt, whose period of service expires. Dated 27th July, 1897.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Captain F. W. Nelson is seconded whilst holding the appointment of Aide-de-Camp to Colonel L. V. Loyd, Commanding the South Midland Volunteer Infantry Brigade. Dated 14th July, 1897.

Supernumerary Captain R. F. Flower to be Captain, on resigning the appointment of Aide-de-Camp to be Colonel L. V. Loyd, Commanding the South Midland Volunteer Infantry Brigade. Dated 14th July, 1897.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—
Robert Millman Mackay. Dated 14th July, 1897.

John Busfield Rawson. Dated 15th July, 1897.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Captain J. A. Carpenter is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 28th July, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment, Captain J. S. Forrester is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 28th July, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Lincolnshire Regiment, John Williams Nicholson, Gent., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1897.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Lincolnshire Regiment, Lieutenant R. A. Farrar resigns his Commission. Dated 28th July, 1897.

2nd (Prince of Wales's) Volunteer Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment, Captain and Honorary Major E. Willis to be Major. Dated 28th July, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the East Yorkshire Regiment, Bryan Seymour Moss-Blundell, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 2nd July, 1897.

Cadet Corps attached to the 2nd (Hertfordshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment, Honorary Captain A. A. W. Willson resigns his appointment. Dated 28th July, 1897.
James Parsons, Gent., to be Honorary Captain. Dated 28th July, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), Second Lieutenant C. W. Baxter resigns his Commission. Dated 28th July, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Scots Fusiliers, John MacLellan Frew, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1897.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Scots Fusiliers, The Reverend Robert Smith to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 28th July, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, Major T. H. Clayton resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 28th July, 1897.

1st (Brecknockshire) Volunteer Battalion, the South Wales Borderers, Captain F. R. D. A. Gough to be Major. Dated 17th July, 1897.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment, Lieutenant F. F. Ommanney to be Captain. Dated 28th July, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—
E. H. Hackett. Dated 28th July, 1897.
R. Fletcher. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Quartermaster and Honorary Captain J. Thompson resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel T. M. Dolan, M.D., resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 28th July, 1897.

2nd (Westmoreland) Volunteer Battalion, the Border Regiment, Captain and Honorary Major G. Gatey to be Major. Dated 28th July, 1897.
Lieutenant and Instructor of Musketry R. Rigg to be Captain. Dated 28th July, 1897.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Welsh Regiment, The Reverend Z. P. Williamson to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 28th July, 1897.

3rd Glamorgan, Surgeon-Lieutenant J. E. J. Soden resigns his Commission. Dated 28th July, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), Supernumerary Captain and Honorary Major W. W. Bemrose to be Major, and to remain seconded. Dated 28th July, 1897.

3rd Middlesex, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—
A. H. Greenwood. Dated 28th July, 1897.
S. A. Agar. Dated 28th July, 1897.
E. J. King. Dated 28th July, 1897.
A. B. Jackson. Dated 28th July, 1897.

17th (North) Middlesex, Samuel Nathaniel Spira, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1897.

12th Middlesex (Civil Service), Captain and Honorary Major H. G. Bowen resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 28th July, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Manchester Regiment, Lieutenant C. H. Higson to be Captain. Dated 28th July, 1897.
The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—
E. Fletcher. Dated 28th July, 1897.
A. E. Cronshaw. Dated 28th July, 1897.
F. F. Roberts. Dated 28th July, 1897.
W. R. de C. Shearman. Dated 28th July, 1897.

5th Volunteer Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry, Lieutenant A. Henderson to be Instructor of Musketry, under the provisions of paragraph 59 of the Volunteer Regulations, 1896. Dated 28th July, 1897.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Highland Light Infantry, Lieutenant-Colonel J. D. Young is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Lieutenant W. Meikle, jun., to be Captain. Dated 28th July, 1897.

1st (Ross Highland) Volunteer Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, the Duke of Albany's), Lieutenant A. Matheson to be Captain. Dated 28th July, 1897.

24th Middlesex, Lieutenant F. A. Labouchere to be Captain. Dated 28th July, 1897.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

P. J. Preece. Dated 28th July, 1897.

W. B. Garnett. Dated 28th July, 1897.

1st Tower Hamlets, Captain A. H. Locke is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Surgeon-Lieutenant J. F. Woods, M.D., resigns his Commission. Dated 28th July, 1897.

CADET BATTALION.

1st Cadet Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Honorary Second Lieutenant H. O. Buckle resigns his appointment. Dated 28th July, 1897.

Cecil Antony Nussey, Gent., to be Honorary Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th July, 1897.

MEMORANDA.

VOLUNTEER INFANTRY BRIGADES.

Mersey Brigade, Colonel R. S. Shinkwin resigns the command of the Brigade, retaining the rank of Colonel in the Volunteer Force, with permission to wear the uniform prescribed by paragraph 913 of the Volunteer Regulations, 1896. Dated 28th July, 1897.

South Midland Brigade, Captain F. W. Nelson, 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, to be Aide-de-Camp to Colonel L. V. Loyd, commanding the Brigade, vice Captain R. F. Flower, who resigns the appointment. Dated 14th July, 1897.

India Office, July 22, 1897.

THE Secretary of State for India in Council has appointed Mr. Nicholas Fitzgerald to superintend the transfer of Lascars, or other persons, at Newcastle-on-Tyne, in the place of Mr. W. S. Whitfield, who has retired from the service, and to grant the Certificate required under Section 125 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894 (57 and 58 Vic., cap. 60).

The fee to be paid for every Lascar, or other person, in respect of whom such Certificate is applied for, is limited to three shillings, and in no case is the total amount of fees in respect of one crew to exceed five pounds.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 26TH JULY 1897.)

CARMARTHENSHIRE (MUZZLING OF DOGS) ORDER OF 1897.

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

Extent and Enforcement.

1. This Order applies to and shall be in force in the part of a District of a Local Authority mentioned in the Schedule to this Order, and shall be enforced by the Local Authority of such District.

Muzzling of Dogs.

2.—(1.) No dog shall be allowed to be in or on any public place unless such dog is efficiently muzzled with a wire cage muzzle so constructed as to render it impossible for such dog while wearing the same to bite any person or animal, but not so as to prevent such dog from breathing freely or lapping water.

(2.) Provided that the provisions of this Article shall not apply to—

(a.) packs of hounds or greyhounds while being exercised or used for sporting purposes, or other sporting dogs while being used for sporting purposes, or any dogs while being used for the capture or destruction of vermin, and in every case in charge of competent persons.

(b.) dogs while being taken to or from exhibitions, shows, or other places if such dogs are confined in boxes, cages, crates, baskets, or hampers so constructed as to render it impossible for such dogs while so confined to bite any person or animal.

Seizure, Detention, and Disposal of Unmuzzled Dogs.

3.—(1.) Any dog found in or on any public place without being muzzled in manner prescribed by this Order may be seized by the Local Authority or by the police and any dog so seized shall be dealt with by the Local Authority as follows:

(i.) If the dog is diseased or suspected or has been bitten by a diseased or suspected dog it shall be forthwith slaughtered.

(ii.) If the dog has been exposed to the infection of rabies it shall be detained, slaughtered, or otherwise dealt with as the Local Authority think expedient, but so that the dog shall not, while detained by the Local Authority, be allowed to come in contact with any other animal.

(iii.) In any other case the dog shall be detained in some proper place and be there kept for such period as the Local Authority think expedient: Provided that where the person having charge of or the owner of a dog so detained is known, the Local Authority shall cause notice to be forthwith given to such person or owner of the fact of the dog having been so seized and detained, and the dog shall, without prejudice to the recovery of any penalty for the infringement of this Order, be given up to such person or owner on payment of the reasonable expenses incurred in respect of such detention. If the dog so seized and detained has not been claimed by such person or owner within three days after the seizure, or, where such person or owner is known, within two days after the aforesaid notice has been given, the Local Authority may cause the dog to be slaughtered or otherwise disposed of in such manner as the Local Authority deem expedient.

(2.) Every dog shall for the purposes of this Article be deemed to have been exposed to the infection of rabies which has been in the same shed, stable, building, kennel, field, or other place or otherwise in contact with any diseased or suspected dog, or which has in any other way been exposed to the infection of rabies.

General Provisions of the Rabies Order of 1897.

4. Subject to the provisions of this Order, all the provisions of the Rabies Order of 1897 shall, so far as the same are applicable, continue to apply, during the continuance of this Order, to the part of a District to which this Order applies.

Offences.

5. If any dog is found in or on any public place without being muzzled in manner prescribed by this Order, the owner of the dog, and the person for the time being in charge thereof, and the person allowing the same to be in or on such public place in contravention of this Order, shall, each according to and in respect of his own acts and defaults, be deemed guilty of an offence against the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894.

Interpretation.

6. In this Order—

"Disease" means rabies, "diseased" means affected with rabies, and "suspected" means suspected of rabies:

"Public place" includes any street, highway, thoroughfare, public bridge, royal park, public park garden or pleasure ground, common, uninclosed land, or other place to which the public have for the time being access:

Other terms have the same meaning as in the Rabies Order of 1897.

Existing Muzzling Regulations of Local Authority.

7. All Regulations made under any Order of the Board by the Local Authority of the part of a District mentioned in the Schedule to this Order which provide for the muzzling of dogs, and are in force immediately before the commencement of this Order, shall, as regards the part of a District to which this Order for the time being applies, be suspended and cease to apply to such part of a District so long as this Order applies thereto.

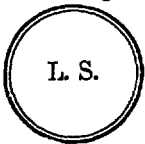
Commencement.

8. This Order shall come into operation on the seventeenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Short Title.

9. This Order may be cited as the CARMARTHENSHIRE (MUZZLING OF DOGS) ORDER OF 1897.

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



T. H. Elliott,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Part of a District of a Local Authority to which this Order applies.

The petty sessional division of Llanelly (and Kidwelly), and so much of the petty sessional divisions of Carmarthen, and Llandilo as lies to the south-east of the River Towy, in the county of Carmarthen.

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

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 26TH JULY 1897.)

GLAMORGANSHIRE (MUZZLING OF DOGS) ORDER OF 1897.

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

Extent and Enforcement.

1. This Order applies to and shall be in force in the Districts and part of a District of Local Authorities mentioned in the Schedule to this Order, and shall be enforced by the Local Authority of each such District or part of a District.

Muzzling of Dogs.

2.—(1.) No dog shall be allowed to be in or on any public place unless such dog is efficiently muzzled with a wire cage muzzle so constructed as to render it impossible for such dog while wearing the same to bite any person or animal, but not so as to prevent such dog from breathing freely or lapping water.

(2.) Provided that the provisions of this Article shall not apply to—

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within three days after the seizure, or, where such person or owner is known, within two days after the aforesaid notice has been given, the Local Authority may cause the dog to be slaughtered or otherwise disposed of in such manner as the Local Authority deem expedient.

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General Provisions of the Rabies Order of 1897.

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Other terms have the same meaning as in the Rabies Order of 1897.

Existing Muzzling Regulations of Local Authority.

7. All Regulations made under any Order of the Board by the Local Authority of any District or part of District mentioned in the Schedule to this Order which provide for the muzzling of dogs, and are in force immediately before the commencement of this Order, shall, as regards any District or part of a District to which this Order for the time being applies, be suspended and cease to apply to such District or part of a District so long as this Order applies thereto.

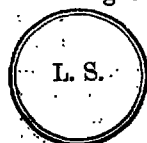
Commencement.

8. This Order shall come into operation on the seventeenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Short Title.

9. This Order may be cited as the GLAMORGANSHIRE (MUZZLING OF DOGS) ORDER OF 1897.

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



T. H. Elliott,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Districts and Part of a District of Local Authorities to which this Order applies.

The petty sessional divisions of Gower, Swansea, Pontardawe, Neath, and Aberavon, in the county of Glamorgan.

Borough of Aberavon.

Borough of Neath.

Borough of Swansea.

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, July 27, 1897.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the following Regulations have been approved by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, viz. :—

SPECIAL REGULATIONS (supplementary to the General Regulations issued 8th April, 1872, and amended by subsequent Notices in the London Gazette) respecting Open Competitive Examinations for the situations of Assistant Naval Storekeeper, Assistant Victualling Storekeeper, Assistant Cashier, and Assistant Expense Accounts Officer in Her Majesty's Naval Establishments at Home and Abroad.

N.B.—These Regulations are liable to alteration for future Examinations.

1. The limits of age for these situations are 18 and 20, and Candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of the Examination.

2. The Examination will be in the following subjects, viz. :—

1. English Composition, including Précis Writing.

2. Arithmetic.

3. Mathematics, viz. :—Algebra, up to and including the Binomial Theorem; Euclid, Books I to IV and VI; Plane Trigonometry, up to and including the solution of triangles.

4. English History.

5. Latin.

6. French.

7. German.

8. Greek.

9. Chemistry (Inorganic).

10. Physics (Electricity, Magnetism, Heat, Light, and Sound).

Candidates must pass in Subjects 1 and 2, and may select five, but not more than five, of the remaining Subjects. Of the Subjects so selected two at least must be languages (Subjects 5-8).

3. Application for permission to attend an Examination must be made in the writing of the Candidate, at such times and in such manner as may be fixed by the Commissioners.

4. A fee of £6 will be required from each Candidate attending the Examination.

Civil Service Commission, July 27, 1897.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for the situation of Dispenser in Her Majesty's Naval Hospitals at Home and Abroad, will be held in London, Edinburgh, and Dublin, commencing on the 7th September, 1897, under the Special Regulations, dated 8th May, 1886, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

The number of situations to be filled will be the number vacant at the time of the Examination.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 25th August, an application, in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

Civil Service Commission, July 27, 1897.

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

July 22, 1897.

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

Customs: Second Class Clerks at the Outposts, Edward Ernest Colebrook, John Conlin, Philip Meuross Duddy, Thomas James Joseph Kelly, Richard Henry Moore, John Edmund Pyne, Thomas Ryan, James Cheetham Schofield, Edward White.

Post Office: Assistant Clerks (Abstractor Class), Harry Archibald Bywater, Walter John Letch, Fred Mansfield, Albert Harold Wade.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Customs: Boatman, Francis Henry Bisson.

Inland Revenue: Warehousemen, Walter Bond, Frederick William Brown, George Vincent Lang.

National Gallery, England: Attendant in the Tate Gallery of British Art, Henry Tye.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I, William Fisher Dobson.
Assistant Matron, Kate Eugenie Robinson.

Post Office: Postmen, London, Aubone Henry Austin, Arthur Francis Abraham Barnard.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Edith Hughes (Aberdare), Elizabeth Sutherland (Cockburn Street, T.S.O., Edinburgh), Ralph Varney (Birmingham).

Postmen, Arthur Robert Holland (Birmingham), Wesley McBirney (Bath), Alfred Ernest Nicholls (Newport, Monmouthshire), Daniel Norris (Swansea), Edwin Melville Townsend (Gloucester).

July 23, 1897.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Inland Revenue: Assistants of Excise, Charles William Gaiger, Edward Gandy.

Post Office: Female Clerk, London, Elizabeth Maude Mary Smith.

Male Sorter, London, Arthur Taylor.

Female Sorter, London, Janet Mary Hallifax.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Customs: Boatman, Thomas Smith.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division II, Robert Wilson.

Post Office: Postman, London, William Daniel Warren.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, John Affleck Finlayson (Dumbarton), Fanny Helen Hall (Coventry), Annie Elizabeth Shaw (Kendal).

Postmen, Richard William Drewitt (Leeds), Arthur Thomas Girdlestone (Norwich), Ernest William Howes (Norwich).

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYIST (NEW CLASS).

William Dick.

No. 26877.

July 24, 1897.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Inland Revenue: Assistant of Excise, William Archibald Gunn.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I, Claude Walter Pearse.

Post Office: Postman, London, James Cole.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Samuel Herbert Shilston (Plymouth), Herbert Edward Taylor (Warrington), Isabella Margaret Turner (Hexham), Percy Noble (Barrow-in-Furness).

Postmen, Alfred Isted (Eastbourne), Arthur Willie Sharpe (Romford).

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

Education Department: Sub-Inspector (Second Class), Alfred Henry Dunn.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

(Nos. 412 to 414 of the year 1897.)

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

No. 412.—ENGLAND—SOUTH COAST.

Portland Harbour—Alteration in Period of Breakwater Fog Signal.

NOTICE is given that the period of the fog-signal (bell) at the extremity of Portland Breakwater has been altered to thirty seconds, instead of the irregular intervals at which the bell was previously sounded during thick or foggy weather.

This Notice affects the List of Lights, Part I, 1897, No. 33. Also, Channel Pilot, Part I, 1893, page 187.

No. 413.—PHILIPPINES—PANAY ISLAND.

Shoal Southward of Sikogon Island.

THE Spanish Government has given notice, dated 29th June, 1897, of the existence of a shoal of small extent, with a depth of about 6 feet on it, situated in a position with the southern point of Sikogon bearing north, distant one mile.

The steam-vessel "Moleño" touched on this shoal on 20th April, 1897, and obtained a sounding of 22 fathoms close to it.

Approximate position, lat. $11^{\circ} 25\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $123^{\circ} 15\frac{3}{4}'$ E.

[Variation 1° Easterly in 1897.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Philippine Islands, No. 943; between St. Bernardino and Mindoro Straits, &c., No. 2577. Also, Sailing Directions for the Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1890, page 234.

No. 414.—PHILIPPINES—LUZON ISLAND.

Manila—Intended Alteration in Corregidor Island Light.

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners No. 381 of 1897:—

The Spanish Government has given further notice that, on 1st August, 1897, Corregidor Island Permanent Light will be re-exhibited after alterations, and the provisional light (flashing white) will be discontinued:—

Corregidor Island Permanent Light will be a second order, flashing light, showing alternately a red flash and a white flash every ten seconds; it will be elevated 633 feet above high water, 42 feet above the ground, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 33 miles.

Approximate position, lat. $14^{\circ} 23' 15''$ N., long. $120^{\circ} 34'$ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—China Sea, northern portion, No. 2661a; Philippine Islands, No. 2577; Manila Bay, No. 976. Also, List of Lights, Part VI, 1897, No. 377; China Sea Directory, Vol. II, 1889, page 333; and Sailing Directions for the Eastern Archipelago, Part I, 1890, page 55.

By command of their Lordships,
W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
23rd July, 1897.

Registration of Births and Deaths.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of the provisions of the twenty-first section of an Act passed in the thirty-eighth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Births and Deaths Registration Act, 1874," I, Sir Brydges Powell Henniker, Bart., Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in England, have, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, ordered and declared that on and after the 1st day of August next, with a view to make the Registration Sub-Districts co-extensive with the Union Relief Districts, Badgworth, Biddisham, and Mark Civil Parishes shall be transferred from Wedmore Sub-District of Axbridge Registration District to Burnham Sub-District of the same Registration District; and that Bleadon Civil Parish shall be transferred from Burnham Sub-District of Axbridge Registration District to Weston-super-Mare Sub-District of the same Registration District.—Witness my hand this 24th day of July, 1897.

Brydges P. Henniker, Registrar-General.
General Register Office,
Somerset House, London.

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Methodist Free Church situated at East Compton in the civil parish of Almondsbury in the county of Gloucester in the registration district of Thornbury being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the thirteenth day of July 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this thirteenth day of July 1897.

THOS. HARVEY Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named Independent Methodist Church situated at Dicconson-lane in the civil parish of West Houghton in the county of Lancaster in the registration district of Bolton being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the fifteenth day of July 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this fifteenth day of July 1897.

SIMPSON COOPER Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Hamlet Free Church situated at Aigburth-road, in the civil parish of Toxteth Park in the county borough of Liverpool in the registration district of Toxteth Park being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 20th day of July 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 22nd day of July 1897.

J. MOULDING Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Baptist Chapel situated at Upper Edge Elland in the civil parish of Halifax, in the county of York in the registration district of Halifax being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 20th day of July 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 22nd day of July 1897.

L. H. LONGBOTHAM Deputy Superintendent Registrar.

Advertisement of Cancelling.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Registrar has, pursuant to the Building Societies Acts, this day cancelled the registry of the Third Oldham Popular Building Society (Register No. 2278 B), held at Mechanics' Institute, Manchester-street Werneth, Oldham in the county of Lancaster, at its request. The Society (subject to the right of appeal given by the said Acts) 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.—Dated the 14th day of July 1897.

E. W. BRABROOK Chief Registrar.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

Mr. Justice North.

1897. M. No. 051.

In the Matter of the Mannesmann Tube Company Limited and Reduced and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1867 and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been presented to the Court of Chancery for confirming a resolution of the above Company for reducing its capital from £582,830 divided into 58,283 shares of £10 each (of which shares 54,923 are fully paid up and upon the remaining 3,360 of which nothing has been paid up), to £109,846 divided into 54,923 shares of £2 each, such reduction being effected by cancelling capital to the extent of £8 per share on such 54,923 shares and reducing them from £10 to £2 per share and by cancelling the said 3,360 shares of £10 each. A list of the persons admitted to have been creditors of the Company on the 30th day of June 1897 may be inspected at the offices of the Company at Landore in the county of Glamorgan or at the offices of Messrs. Budd Johnsons and Jecks No. 24 Austin Friars London E.C. the Company's Solicitors at any time during usual business hours on payment of the charge of one shilling. Any person who claims to have been on the said 30th day of June 1897 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 30th day of September 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. 24 Austin Friars London E.C. or in default thereof he will be precluded from objecting to the proposed reduction of capital.—Dated this 24th day of July 1897.

Budd Johnsons and Jecks Solicitors for the said Company.

**THE BANKRUPTCY ACTS, 1883 AND 1890, AND
THE BANKRUPTCY RULES, 1886 AND 1890.**

PURSUANT to Clause 2 of Rule 5 of the Bankruptcy Rules, 1886 and 1890, the Board of Trade hereby substitute the Forms set out at the foot hereof in lieu of the existing Forms Nos. "3," "5," and "6," in the Appendix to the Deeds of Arrangement Rules, 1890, and henceforth the substituted Forms shall be the Forms Nos. "3," "5," and "6," in the said Appendix.

Dated this 15th day of July, 1897.

John Smith, Inspector-General in Bankruptcy, authorized in that behalf by the
President of the Board of Trade.

No. 3.—AFFIDAVIT VERIFYING TRUSTEE'S ACCOUNT.

In the matter of a Deed of Arrangement dated the day of 189 and registered the day of 189 , between *A.B.* as debtor and *G.H.* as trustee.

I, *G.H.*, of , the trustee of the estate comprised in the above-mentioned deed, make oath and say :

That **the account hereunto annexed marked B contains a full and true account of my receipts and payments on account of the estate comprised in the said deed from the day of 189 to the day of 189 inclusive, *and that I have not, nor has any other person by my order or for my use during such period, received or paid any moneys on account of the said estate *other than and except the items mentioned and specified in the said account.*

Sworn at, &c. }

*NOTE.—If no receipts or payments, strike out the words in italics.

No. 5.—LIST OF DIVIDENDS OR COMPOSITION.

In the matter of a Deed of Arrangement dated the day of 18 , and registered the day of 18 , between as debtor, and as trustee.

I hereby certify that a dividend (or composition) of in the pound has been paid in the above matter, and that the creditors whose names are set forth below are entitled to the amounts set opposite their respective names in the columns headed "Amount of Dividend (or Composition)," and I further certify that the column headed "Unpaid" contains a true and complete list of all unpaid dividends or compositions.

Dated the day of 189 .

Trustee.

To the Board of Trade.

Surname.	Christian Name.	Amount of Claim.	Amount of Dividend (or Composition).	
			Paid.	Unpaid.

No. 6.—AFFIDAVIT VERIFYING TRUSTEE'S FINAL ACCOUNT.

In the Matter of a Deed of Arrangement, dated the day of 18 and registered the day of 18 .
Between as debtor, and as trustee.

I, of the Trustee appointed under the terms of the above-mentioned deed [or the person distributing the composition herein], make oath and say :—

1. That **the account hereunto annexed marked B contains a full and true account of my receipts and payments on account of the estate comprised in the said deed, from the day of 189 to the day of 189 inclusive, *and that I have not, nor has any person by my order or for my use during such period, received or paid any moneys on account of the said estate, *other than and except the items mentioned and specified in the said account.*

2.† That all the property assigned under the deed, or so much thereof as can probably be realized, has been realized, and distributed according to the terms of the deed, and that a dividend (or dividends) of in the £ has been paid as shown in the list hereunto annexed, marked C, or

2.† That the composition proposed under the deed has been fully received and distributed as far as possible, as shown in the list hereunto annexed, marked C.

Sworn at in the county of this day of 18 . Before me a Commissioner to administer Oaths in the Supreme Court of Judicature in England.

* If no receipts or payments, strike out the words in italics.

† Strike out paragraph not applicable, or if neither paragraph is applicable, add a special paragraph setting out the facts.

In the Privy Council.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to William Spence deceased late of 8, Quality-court Chancery-lane in the county of Middlesex Patent Agent for an invention styled "Application of chemical agents to natural or artificial stones and to stuccoes in order to diminish their porosity and increase their resistance to external influences," bearing date the 17th day of October 1883, No. 4954.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of Louis Jacques Kessler and Marie Joseph François Régis Faure (carrying on business together as Kessler and Co.) of Clermont-Ferrand in the Republic of France and the Bath Stone Firms Limited of Bath in the county of Somerset who are Assignees and sole Licensees respectively of the said Letters Patent, to present a petition to Her Majesty in Council praying that the said Letters Patent may be extended for a further term and notice is hereby further given that on the 26th day of August next or on such subsequent day as the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Privy Council shall appoint for that purpose application will be made to the said Committee that a time may be fixed for hearing the matter of the said petition and any person or persons desirous of being heard in opposition to the said petition must enter a caveat to that effect in the Privy Council on or before the said 26th day of August next.—Dated this 17th day of July 1897.

C. URQUHART FISHER 19 and 20 Holborn-viaduct, London, E.C. Solicitor for the Petitioners.

In the Privy Council.

In the Matter of Letters Patent for an invention for "improvements in bale fastenings and in appliances for use in connection therewith" granted to Hingston Lindon late of South Castle-street in the city of Liverpool Merchant and bearing date the 24th day of January 1884 and Nod. 2007*.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of Louisa Hingston Janet Lindon of 23 West Bank-road Devonshire Park Higher Tramere in the county of Chester Spinster the Assignee of the above mentioned Letters Patent and Alexander Armour trading as William Fallows and Co. of Cereal-court Brunswick-street Liverpool Iron and Tin Plate Merchants persons claiming to be interested in the said above mentioned Letters Patent to present a petition to Her Majesty in Council praying that the term of the said Letters Patent may be extended. And notice is hereby further given that on the 31st day of August 1897 or such subsequent date as the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Privy Council shall appoint for that purpose application will be made to the said Committee that a day may be fixed for hearing the matter of the said petition and any person or persons desirous of being heard in reference to the said petition must enter a caveat to that effect in the Privy Council on or before the said 31st day of August 1897.—Dated this 20th day of July 1897.

GRESHAM DAVIES and DALLAS 12 Old Jewry-chambers London E.C. Solicitors for the Petitioners.

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 24th July, 1897, conformably with the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37.

						QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
						Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	...	...	...	...	...	33,355	7	28	1
Barley	...	...	...	...	...	703	5	18	10
Oats...	...	...	...	...	...	1,731	5	18	11

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	...	...	37,491	4	267	4	2,204	2	26	5	23	1	21	7
1894	...	...	16,134	5	130	4	1,637	2	24	8	22	5	20	5
1895	...	...	28,205	2	384	2	4,136	2	24	1	19	10	15	11
1896	...	...	21,298	5	437	0	2,968	5	24	0	19	8	15	0

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

Board of Agriculture, 4, Whitehall-place, London, S.W.,
July 24, 1897.

P. G. CRAIGIE.

AVERAGE PRICE of Wheat, Barley, and Oats per Quarter of Eight Bushels (Imperial Measure), as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise at each of the undermentioned Towns during the week ended Saturday, the 24th July, 1897.

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

ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of Agricultural Produce Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 24th July, 1897, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

					Quantities.	
					1896.	1897.
Animals living :—						
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves	...	...	...	Number	12,165	16,078
Sheep and Lambs	...	...	...	"	11,719	13,648
Swine	...	...	...	"	—	—
Fresh Meat :—						
Beef	...	...	...	cwts.	43,643	46,704
Mutton	...	...	...	"	31,633	37,864
Pork	...	...	...	"	2,426	1,983
Salted or Preserved Meat :—						
Bacon	...	...	...	"	94,599	87,874
Beef	...	...	...	"	3,446	2,339
Hams	...	...	...	"	39,506	48,504
Pork	...	...	...	"	4,287	5,287
Meat unenumerated, salted and fresh	...	...	...	"	3,801	6,866
Meat preserved, otherwise than by salting	...	...	...	"	14,441	15,001
Dairy Produce and Substitutes :—						
Butter	...	...	...	"	57,160	60,477
Margarine	...	...	...	"	14,120	15,966
Cheese	...	...	...	"	68,638	93,633
Milk, Condensed	...	...	...	"	12,282	11,951
Milk and Cream, Fresh or Preserved, other than Condensed Milk	...	...	...	"
Eggs	...	...	...	Great Hundred	219,693	207,426
Poultry and Game	...	...	...	Value £	2,268	585
Rabbits, dead (not tinned)	...	...	...	cwts.	3,147	1,525
Lard	...	...	...	"	49,789	31,985
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour :—						
Wheat	...	...	...	"	1,552,400	817,700
Wheat Meal and Flour	...	...	...	"	362,700	358,040
Barley	...	...	...	"	289,900	279,250
Oats	...	...	...	"	305,700	479,700
Pease	...	...	...	"	36,070	63,400
Beans	...	...	...	"	12,140	12,890
Maize or Indian Corn	...	...	...	"	982,600	1,403,620
Fruit, Raw :—						
Apples	...	...	...	Bush.	21,459	15,909
Oranges	...	...	...	"	320	44,139
Lemons	...	...	...	"	52,394	64,026
Cherries	...	...	...	"	22,652	19,230
Plums	...	...	...	"	46,326	81,857
Pears	...	...	...	"	32,769	36,362
Grapes	...	...	...	"	2,805	51,696
Unenumerated	...	...	...	"	58,466	90,709
Hay	...	...	...	Tons	3,532	2,326
Hops	...	...	...	cwts.	247	303
Vegetables :—						
Onions, raw	...	...	...	Bush.	77,943	99,725
Potatoes	...	...	...	cwts.	14,796	30,713
Unenumerated	...	...	...	Value £	45,695	45,256

Statistical Office, Custom House, London,
July 26, 1897.

T. J. PITTAR.

In the Matter of the Leather Pneumatic Tyre
Syndicate Limited.

At an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company duly convened and held at 3 Blomfield-street in the city of London on the 30th day of June 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 it was also resolved—

"That Philip Herbert Gardner be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated this 2nd day of July 1897.

PHILIP H. GARDNER.

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 29 Weeks ended
22nd July, 1897.

PORTS.	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.
Week ended 22nd July, 1897.												
Liverpool ...	924	844	...	2,257	528	4,553	3,520	...	105	156	87	3,868
London ...	...	...	54	...	73	127	...	...	1,628	...	...	1,628
Hull ...	832	...	...	...	...	832	1,460	...	...	...	...	1,460
Manchester ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Ports ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	25
Total ...	1,756	844	54	2,257	601	5,512	4,980	...	1,733	156	112	6,981
29 Weeks ended 22nd July, 1897.												
Liverpool ...	1,282,514	67,745	50,641	150,263	27,941	1,579,106	60,606	2,800	5,547	42,633	11,423	123,009
London ...	7,040	...	*26,595	...	542	34,177	11,245	...	24,827	...	90	36,162
Hull ...	48,365	...	1,878	9,648	...	59,891	57,210	500	2,036	12,228	682	72,656
Manchester ...	123,537	...	...	45,865	...	169,402	15	...	...	469	...	484
Other Ports ...	39,760	1,316	3	...	158	41,237	*30,142	...	232	...	53	30,427
Total ...	1,501,216	69,061	79,117	205,778	28,641	1,883,813	159,218	3,300	32,642	55,330	12,248	262,738

Dated July 23, 1897.

* Corrected figures.

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

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act seventh and eighth Victoria, cap. 32, of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES of the several Banks of Issue in ENGLAND and WALES, in Circulation during the Week ended Saturday, the 17th day of July, 1897.

PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.						Average Amount.
						£
Ashford Bank	Ashford ...	Pomfret and Co.				3724
Aylesbury Old Bank	Aylesbury ...	Cobb, Bartlett, and Co.				7479
Banbury Bank	Banbury ...	Gillett and Co.				4824
Banbury Old Bank	Banbury ...	T. R. Cobb and Son				4350
Bedford Bank	Bedford ...	Barnard and Co.				12382
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank	Bicester ...	Tubb and Co.				8781
Buckingham Bank	Buckingham ...	Bartlett and Co.				6425
Bury and Suffolk Bank, Sudbury } Bank, and Stowmarket Bank }	Bury St. Edmunds	Oakes, Bevan, and Co.				12805
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank	Cambridge ...	Foster and Co.				20022
Canterbury Bank	Canterbury ...	Hammond and Co.				7255
City Bank, Exeter	Exeter ...	Milford and Co....				4315
Derby Bank	Derby ...	Samuel Smith and Co.				6477
Exeter Bank	Exeter ...	Sanders and Co....				6950
Faversham Bank	Faversham ...	Hilton and Co.				2023
Ipswich Bank	Ipswich ...	Bacon and Co.				11927
Kingston-upon-Hull and Hull Bank...	Kingston-upon-Hull	Smith Brothers and Co.				10831
Kington and Radnorshire Bank	Kington ...	Davies and Co.				8093
Leeds Old Bank	Leeds ...	Beckett and Co.				41721
Leeds Bank	Leeds ...	Wm. Wms. Brown and Co.				21985
Lincoln Bank	Lincoln ...	Smith, Ellison, and Co....				49554
Llandovery, Lampeter, and Llan- } dilo Banks... ..	Llandovery ...	D. Jones and Co.				11644
Naval Bank	Plymouth ...	Harris, Bulteel, and Co.				4312
Newark Bank	Newark ...	Samuel Smith and Co.				5625
Newmarket Bank	Newmarket ...	Hammond and Co.				5337
Nottingham Bank	Nottingham ...	Samuel Smith and Co.				14287
Oxford Old Bank	Oxford ...	Parsons and Co.				16922
Oxfordshire Witney Bank	Witney ...	Gillett and Co.				3721
Reading Bank	Reading ...	Simonds and Co.				10803
Reading Bank	Reading ...	Stephens, Blandy, and Co				10383
Richmond Bank	Richmond ...	Roper and Co.				3132
Sleaford and Newark Bank, and } Newark and Sleaford Bank }	Sleaford ...	Peacock and Co.				9998
Tring, Aylesbury, and Chesham Bank	Tring ...	Butcher and Sons				7790
Uxbridge Old Bank	Uxbridge ...	Woodbridge and Co.				710
Wallingford Bank	Wallingford ...	Hedges, Wells, and Co....				1280
Wellington Somerset Bank	Wellington ...	Fox, Fowler, and Co.				4339
West Riding Bank, Wakefield; and } Pontefract Bank	Wakefield ...	Leatham, Tew, and Co.				20056
Worcester, Great Malvern, and } Tewkesbury Old Bank	Worcester ...	Berwick, Lechmere, and Co.				12814
Yarmouth, Norfolk, and Suffolk Bank	Great Yarmouth	Lacons, Youell, and Co.				4080
York and East Riding Bank	Beverley... ..	Beckett and Co....				33565

JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.						Average Amount.
						£
Bank of Whitehaven Limited	Whitehaven ...	...	...	...	...	10198
Bradford Banking Company Limited	Bradford ...	...	...	...	...	17020
Bradford Commercial Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	Bradford ...	...	...	...	...	11557
Burton Union Bank Limited	Burton-upon-Trent	...	...	...	...	14025
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company Limited	Carlisle ...	...	...	...	...	22459
County of Gloucester Banking Company Limited	Cheltenham ...	...	...	...	...	25492
Cumberland Union Banking Company Limited	Carlisle ...	...	...	...	...	33304
Derby and Derbyshire Banking Company Limited	Derby ...	...	...	...	...	5039
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company Limited	Halifax ...	...	...	...	...	8794
Halifax Commercial Banking Company Limited	Halifax ...	...	...	...	...	8545
Halifax Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	Halifax ...	...	...	...	...	14109
Knaresborough and Claro Banking Company Limited	Harrogate...	...	...	...	...	17298
Lancaster Banking Company Limited	Lancaster ...	...	...	...	...	43900
Leicestershire Banking Company Limited	Leicester ...	...	...	...	...	28736
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company Limited	Lincoln ...	...	...	...	...	42525
Moore and Robinson's Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited	Nottingham ...	...	...	...	...	13833
North and South Wales Bank Limited	Liverpool ...	...	...	...	...	39169
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited	Nottingham ...	...	...	...	...	21869
Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company Limited	Leicester ...	...	...	...	...	22701
Sheffield and Hallamshire Bank Limited	Sheffield ...	Not	received.	...	...	...
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	Sheffield ...	...	...	...	...	12693
Sheffield Banking Company Limited	Sheffield ...	...	...	...	...	12600
Stamford, Spalding, and Boston Banking Company Limited	Stamford ...	...	...	...	...	32423
Stuckey's Banking Company Limited	Langport ...	...	...	...	...	112720
Swaledale and Wensleydale Banking Company Limited	Richmond (Yorks)	...	...	...	...	37045
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank Limited	Wakefield ...	...	...	...	...	7542
West Riding Union Banking Company Limited	Huddersfield ...	...	...	...	...	11858
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	Whitehaven ...	...	...	...	...	20545
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company Limited	Salisbury ...	...	...	...	...	52083
York City and County Banking Company Limited	York ...	...	...	...	...	83504
Yorkshire Banking Company Limited	Leeds ...	...	...	...	...	87515
York Union Banking Company Limited	York ...	...	...	...	...	66665

Inland Revenue Office, 24th July, 1897.

J. S. PURCELL, Registrar of Bank Returns.

In the High Court of Justice.—Companies
(Winding-up).Mr. Justice Vaughan Williams.
No. 00195 of 1897.In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to
1890, and in the Matter of the London and
Paris Finance and Exploration Company
Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the High Court of Justice was on the twenty-second day of July 1897 presented to the said Court by the Reservoir Hub and Components Company Limited of Bevois House No. 28A Basinghall-street in the city of London creditors 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 ninth day of August 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.

BIRCHALLS No. 85 Gracechurch-street
London Solicitors for Petitioners.

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 seventh day of August 1897.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of SWINE-FEVER for the Week ended July 24th, 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.	No.	No.	ENGLAND.	No.	No.
Bedford	1	8	York, East Riding	1	1
Cambridge	1	1	" North Riding	1	7
Chester	4	77	" West Riding	2	19
Cornwall	2	24			
Cumberland ... ..	...	10	WALES.		
Derby	1	7	Carnarvon	1	1
Devon	1	11	Flint	1	6
Dorset	1	19			
Essex	3	225	SCOTLAND.		
Hants	1	11	Lanark	1	2
Lancaster	1	3	Perth	1	1
Leicester	1	4	Wigtown	1	5
Lincoln, Parts of Lindsey ...	1	...			
Falop	2	5	TOTAL	38	544
Somerset	1	25			
Stafford	3	7			
Sussex, Eastern Division ...	1	3			
Warwick	1	28			
Worcester	3	34			

* 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.

SWINE-FEVER INFECTED AREAS.

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

Derbyshire.—(1.) An Area in the county of Derby comprising the parishes of Beighton, Killamarsh, Eckington, and Staveley (5 June, 1897).

(2.) An Area comprising the parishes of Brimington, Tapton, Newbold and Dunston, Whittington, Brampton, Baslow and Bubnell, Curbar, Chatsworth, Walton, Wingerworth, Hasland, Calow, Temple Normanton, Tupton, North Wingfield, and Woodthorpe, in the county of Derby, and also comprising the borough of Chesterfield (15 July, 1897).

Devonshire.—An Area in the county of Devon comprising the parishes of Littleham, Withycombe Raleigh, East Budleigh, Budleigh Salterton, Bicton, Otterton, Lympston, Woodbury, Colaton Raleigh, Sidmouth, Salecombe Regis, Sidbury, Ottery St. Mary, Aylesbeare, Venn Ottery, and Harpford (12 July, 1897).

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, Great

Shurdington, Maisemore, Lassington, Highnam Over and Linton, Hartpur, Corse, Ashleworth, Hasfield, Haw and Tirley, Deerhurst, and Leigh, in the county of Gloucester, and also comprising the borough of Cheltenham (30 April, 1897).

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).

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

Northamptonshire.—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).

Staffordshire.—(1.) An Area comprising the parishes of Kingswinford, Brierley Hill, and Quarry Bank, in the county of Stafford (22 March, 1897).

(2.) An Area in the county of Stafford comprising the parishes of Tittesworth, Leek, Lowe, Endon and Stanley, Longedon, Cheddleton, Bradnop and Cawdry, Onecote, Consall, Ipstones, and Kingsley (30 June, 1897).

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

(3.) An Area comprising the borough of Burton-upon-Trent (13 *July*, 1897).

Suffolk.—An Area in the county of Suffolk comprising the petty sessional division of Stowmarket, the petty sessional division of Bosmere and Claydon (excluding the parishes of Swilland and Westerfield), so much of the petty sessional division of Samford as lies to the north and west of the main road from Ipswich to Stratford St. Mary, the petty sessional division of Hadleigh or Cosford (except the parishes of Thorpe Morieux, Brettenham, and Hadleigh Hamlet), and the parishes of Rattlesden and Woolpit in the petty sessional division of Thingoe and Thedwestry (14 *April*, 1897).

Sussex.—An Area in the Eastern and Western Divisions of the county of Sussex comprising the parishes of West Blatchington, Hangleton, Portslade, Southwick, Kingston by Sea, Old Shoreham, Upper Beeding, Edburton, Fulkin, Poynings, Newtimber, Piecombe, Patcham, Preston Rural, Stanmer, Falmer, Rottingdean, and Ovingdean, and also comprising the borough of Brighton, and the Police District of Hove (16 *June*, 1897).

Yorkshire.—(1.) 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).

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

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

(4.) 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 Tendring, Lexden and Winstree, Witham, South Ilinckford, Chelmsford, Dengie, and Rochford, in the county of Essex, and also comprising the boroughs of Colchester, Harwich, Maldon, and Southend-on-Sea (17 *April*, 1897).

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).

Norfolk.—A district or area comprising the county of Norfolk, and also comprising the boroughs of King's Lynn, Norwich, and Yarmouth (3 *June*, 1897).

Board of Agriculture, 27th July, 1897.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the undermentioned DISEASES for the Week ended July 24th, 1897, distinguishing Counties (including Boroughs*).

ANTHRAX.			
County.	Outbreaks reported.	Animals Attacked.	
ENGLAND.		No.	No.
Hereford	1
Somerset	1	1
Worcester	1	1
York, West Riding	2	2
WALES.			
Cardigan		1
TOTAL	4	6	

GLANDERS (INCLUDING FARCY).			
County.	Outbreaks reported.	Animals which remained Diseased at the end of the previous week.	Animals reported during the Week as Attacked.
ENGLAND.		No.	No.
Bedford ... ..	...	1	...
Hertford	1	...	1
Lancaster.	1	...	1
London	13	...	19
Middlesex ... ..	...	1	6
Warwick ... ..	...	...	4
Worcester ... ..	...	1	...
SCOTLAND.			
Lanark ... ..	...	...	1
TOTAL	15	3	32

RABIES.			
County.	Cases reported during the Week.		Number of Dogs destroyed as having been exposed to Infection.
	Dogs.	Other Animals.	
ENGLAND.		No.	No.
London ... ..	...	...	...
Warwick	1	...	...
York, North Riding ...	1	...	...
TOTAL	3	...	...

* 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.

ORDERS AS TO MUZZLING DOGS.

THE Board of Agriculture have by Order prescribed, as from the dates mentioned, the Muzzling of Dogs in the districts and parts of districts of Local Authorities, as follows:—

Breconshire.—County of Brecon (8 June, 1897).

City and Metropolitan Police Districts.—County of London, County of Middlesex, City of London, Borough of Croydon, Borough of Kingston-on-Thames, Borough of Richmond (Surrey), Borough of West Ham. Such parts of the Counties of Essex, Hertford, Kent, and Surrey as are situate within the Metropolitan Police District (6 April, 1897).

Derbyshire.—The petty sessional divisions of Repton, and Swadlincote, in the county of Derby, being that portion of the county south of the River Trent (1 June, 1897).

Gloucestershire.—County of Gloucester (except the petty sessional divisions of Thornbury, Sodbury, Lawford's Gate, Stow, and Fairford, and the parishes of Didmorton, Little Barrington, Sherborne, Aldsworth, and Windrush). Boroughs of Cheltenham, and Gloucester (1 June, 1897).

Herefordshire.—County of Hereford. Borough of Hereford (1 June, 1897).

Lancashire.—County of Lancaster (except the Hundred of Lonsdale North of the Sands). Boroughs of Accrington, Ashton-under-Lyne, Bacup, Blackburn, Blackpool, Bolton, Bootle, Burnley, Bury, Chorley, Clitheroe, Colne, Darwen, Eccles, Haslingden, Heywood, Lancaster, Liverpool, Manchester, Middleton, Mossley,

Nelson, Oldham, Preston, Rawtenstall, Rochdale, St. Helens, Salford, Southport, Warrington, Widnes, and Wigan (1 June, 1897).

Leicestershire.—County of Leicester (except the petty sessional division of Belvoir). Boroughs of Leicester, and Loughborough (1 June, 1897).

Monmouthshire.—The petty sessional division of Abergavenny, in the county of Monmouth (8 June, 1897).

Nottinghamshire.—The petty sessional divisions of Nottingham, and Bingham, in the county of Nottingham. Borough of Nottingham (1 June, 1897).

Radnorshire.—The petty sessional divisions of Painscastle, New Radnor, Colwyn, Presteign, Knighton (except the parishes of Beguildy and Llanbister), and Cefnllys (except the parishes of Llanbadarn-Fynydd, Llananno, and Abbey-Cwmhir), in the county of Radnor (13 July, 1897).

Shropshire.—County of Salop (except the petty sessional divisions of Bishop's Castle, Clun and Purslow, and Pontesbury, and the parish of Wollaston). Boroughs of Shrewsbury, and Wenlock (1 June, 1897).

Staffordshire.—The petty sessional divisions of Penkridge, Rugeley, Lichfield and Brownhills, Tamworth, Wolverhampton, Bilston, Sedgley, Willenhall, Rushall, Handsworth, Smethwick, Wednesbury, Tipton, Rowley Regis, and King'swinford and Wordsley, in the county of Stafford. Boroughs of Lichfield, Tamworth, Walsall, Wednesbury, West Bromwich, and Wolverhampton (1 June, 1897).

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

Warwickshire.—County of Warwick. Boroughs of Birmingham, Coventry, Leamington, and Warwick (1 *June*, 1897).

Worcestershire.—County of Worcester (except the parishes of Evenlode, and Daylesford). Boroughs of Dudley, Kidderminster, and Worcester (1 *June*, 1897).

Yorkshire.—West Riding of the county of York (except the petty sessional divisions of Ewcross, Bolton-by-Bowland, West Staincliffe, Kirkby

Malzeard, Upper Strafforth and Tickhill, Lower Strafforth and Tickhill, and Lower Osgoldcross; the Liberty of Ripon (but including the township of Nidd); the parishes of Kettlewell with Starbottle, Buckden, Upper Stonebeck, Down Stonebeck, and Fountain's Earth; and the municipal borough of Ripon). Boroughs of Barnsley, Batley, Bradford, Brighouse, Dewsbury, Halifax, Huddersfield, Keighley, Leeds, Morley, Ossett, Todmorden, and Wakefield (8 *June*, 1897)..

SUMMARY OF RETURNS.

Period.	Anthrax.		Foot-and-Mouth Disease.		Glanders (including Farcy).		Pleuro-Pneumonia.			Rabies.		Swine-Fever.	
	Outbreaks.	Animals Attacked.	Outbreaks.	Animals Attacked.	Outbreaks.	Animals Attacked.	Outbreaks.	Cattle Slaughtered.		Cases Reported.		Outbreaks.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or Exposed to Infection.
								Diseased.	Exposed to Infection.	Dogs.	Other Animals.		
Week ended July 24, 1897	No. 4	No. 6	...	...	No. 15	No. 32	...	No. †...	No. ...	No. 3	No. ...	No. 38	No. 514
Corresponding week in 1896	11	21	...	...	14	17	...	...	...	4	...	79	1,216
1895	6	9	...	...	18	31	...	...	...	10	8	106	1,715
1894	8	12	...	...	11	23	...	6	47	1	...	167	1,396
Total for 30 Weeks 1897.	267	557	...	...	508	858	6	43	718	102	12	1,636	29,139
Corresponding period in 1896	294	549	...	...	433	714	2	9	183	361	21	3,592	50,064
1895	275	640	...	...	589	935	1	...	43	453	44	3,420	30,484
1894	322	659	...	...	611	887	2	15	350	104	6	3,457	42,978

† 1 Head of Cattle slaughtered as suspected, but on post-mortem examination found to be free from the disease.

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

Board of Agriculture, 27th July, 1897.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
Mr. Justice Stirling.
1897. W. 096.

In the Matter of the Westminster Electric Supply Corporation Limited and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1867 and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition presented to the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division on the 10th day of July 1897 for confirming a Special Resolution reducing the capital of the above mentioned Company from £400,000 to £399,500 is directed to be heard before his Lordship on the 7th day of August 1897. Any creditor or shareholder of the Company desiring to oppose the making of any Order for the reduction of the capital of the said Company under the above Acts should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel for that purpose. And a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or shareholder of the Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charges for the same.—Dated this 26th day of July 1897.

THOS. A. ROMER Master of the Supreme Court.

WILSON BRISTOWS and CARPMAEL 1, Copthall-buildings London E.C. Solicitors for the above named Company.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
Mr. Justice North.
1897. T. No. 057.

In the Matter of the Tees Bridge Iron Company Limited and Reduced and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1867 and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Order of the High Court of Justice Chancery Division confirming the reduction of the capital of the above named Company from £90,000 to £44,175 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 twentieth day of July 1897. And further take notice that the said Minute is in the words and figures following:—"The capital of the Tees Bridge Iron Company Limited and Reduced henceforth is £44,175 divided into 590 shares of £50 each and 587 shares of £25 each upon which at the time of the registration of this Minute the sum of £45 per £50 share and £22 10s. per £25 share has been and is to be deemed paid up respectively."—Dated this 24th day of July 1897.

J. L. TOMLIN and SON 8 Old Burlington-street London Agents for
DODDS and CO. Stockton-on-Tees Solicitors for the Company.

East Indian Railway Company.

NOTICE.—In accordance with the provisions of the East Indian Railway Company Sinking Fund Act, 1892, it is hereby notified that a sum of £106,269 Os. 11d. is now invested for the purpose of providing a Sinking Fund in respect of the Annuities Class "D" as under:—

Investments.	Description of Investments.	Total Cost of Investments.
£ s. d.		£ s. d.
2,706 0 0	Bombay, Baroda, and Central India Railway Consolidated Stock, £5 per cent.	5,581 10 11
2,200 0 0	Great Indian Peninsula Railway Capital Stock, £5 per cent.	3,544 9 6
7,570 0 0	Madras Railway Capital Stock, £5 per cent.	12,699 15 6
310 0 0	Madras Railway Capital Stock, £4 15s. per cent.	466 2 6
9,060 13 0	East Indian Railway £407 14s. 7d. Annuity, Class "B," £4 10s. per cent.	12,066 13 8
3,947 10 0	East Indian Railway £177 12s. 9d. Annuity, Class "C," £4 10s. per cent.	5,329 8 1
4,591 2 9	Scinde, Punjab, and Delhi Railway £186 Annuity, Class "B," £4 1s. per cent.	5,823 18 0
7,000 0 0	Assam Bengal Railway Stock, £3 10s. per cent.	6,921 11 0
2,436 10 9	India Stock, £3 10s. per cent.	2,850 7 9
18,089 19 10	India Stock, £3 per cent.	19,199 6 2
8,809 19 5	Manchester Corporation, 1891, Redeemable Stock, £3 per cent.	8,754 18 1
10,720 0 0	Burmah Railways Company Limited, 1,072 (£10) shares £2 15s. per cent.	11,176 0 1
189 4 7	Bank of England Stock	624 0 0
3,030 5 10	Bank of Ireland Stock	11,230 19 8
£80,661 6 2		£106,269 0 11

Nicholas-lane, London, E.C., July 23, 1897.

By order,
A. P. DUNSTAN, Secretary.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
Mr. Justice Stirling.
1897. T. No. 073.

In the Matter of the Travancore Plantation Company Limited and Reduced and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for confirming a resolution reducing the capital of the above-named Company from £50,000 divided into 5,000 shares of £10 each to £45,000 divided into 5,000 shares of £9 each and that such reduction be effected by reducing the liability on each of the 2,225 shares which have been issued and on each of which £9 has been paid to the extent of £1 and by reducing the nominal amount of the unpaid shares to £9 each, was on the 26th of May 1897 presented to the High Court of Justice Chancery Division and is now pending and that the list of creditors of the said Company is to be made out as for the 14th of September 1897.—Dated the 1st day of June 1897.

THOS. A. ROMER Master of the Supreme Court.

MICKLEM and HOLLINGWORTH of 19 Gresham-street in the city of London Solicitors to the Company.

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

Mr. Justice Vaughan Williams.
No. 00157 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the Anglo-American Exploration and Development Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above named Company by the High Court of Justice was on the 15th day of June 1897 presented to the said Court by Edwin Hayes of No. 107 Cannon-

street in the city of London. And that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London on Monday the 9th day of August 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 said 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.

BIRD MOORE and STRODE 5 Gray's-inn-square, Gray's-inn, W.C. Solicitors for the Petitioner.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve 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 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 5th day of August 1897.

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

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867 and in the Matter of the Company of Proprietors of the River Arun Navigation.

BY an Order made in the above matters by Mr. Justice North dated the 1st day of May 1897 on the petition of George Williams of 12 Malvern-villas Hounslow in the county of Middlesex it was ordered that the above named Company of Proprietors of the River Arun Navigation be wound up by this Court under the pro-

visions of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867. And it was ordered that George Osborn Ballard of Terminus-road Littlehampton in the county of Sussex of the firm of Burgess and Ballard of Chichester and Littlehampton Auctioneers and Land Surveyors be appointed Official Liquidator of the above named Company and by the said Order all consequential directions were given as to the said Official Liquidator giving security and passing his accounts. The Court has extended the time for advertising this Order to the 27th day of July 1897.—Dated this 24th day of July 1897.

THOS. DURANT 5 Guildhall - chambers
Basinghall-street London E.C. Solicitor
for the Petitioner.

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

Mr. Justice Vaughan Williams.
00146 of 1897.

Tuesday the 24th day of June 1897.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the Hannans Mount Charlotte West Limited.

TAKE notice upon petition of John Hammer of 36 Copthall-avenue in the city of London Newspaper Proprietor a contributory of the above named Company on the 2nd June 1897 preferred unto this Court and upon hearing Counsel for the Petitioner for the above named Company by Harry Wingfield the voluntary Liquidator thereof and for Dr. Baer and eight others contributories supporting the said petition and for Elias Harris and twelve others contributories opposing the said petition and upon reading the said petition an affidavit of John Hammer filed the 8th June 1897 (verifying the said petition) the London Gazette and the Daily Telegraph newspaper both dated the 4th June 1897 each containing an advertisement of the said petition, the London Gazette dated the 1st June 1897 containing a notice of the passing of the resolutions for the voluntary winding up of the said Company and of the appointment of the said Harry Wingfield as such voluntary Liquidator the affidavit of Morris Barnett filed the 11th June 1897 and the affidavit of George James Malcolm Kearton filed the 18th June 1897 and the affidavit of George James Malcolm Kearton filed 17th March 1897 the affidavit of Harold Talbot Garnett and the joint affidavit of John Hammer and Rudwick Stringer both filed 23rd March 1897 and the affidavit of Rudwick Stringer and the affidavit of John Hammer both filed 24th March 1897 all entitled the above mentioned petition (No. 0055 of 1897) and the several exhibits in the said affidavits or some of them respectively referred to. And the said Harry Wingfield by his Counsel consenting to retire from his office as voluntary Liquidator of the said Company. It was ordered that it be referred to the Registrar Companies (Winding-up) to appoint a new Liquidator of the said Company in the place of the said Harry Wingfield resigned. And this Court did order that the voluntary winding up of the said Hannans Mount Charlotte West Limited be continued, but subject to the supervision of this Court and any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding up may be adopted as the Court shall think fit. And it was ordered that the Liquidator in the voluntary winding up of the said Company do on the 24th July next and on the same day in each succeeding month file with the Registrar Companies (Winding-up) a report in writing as to the position of and the progress made with the winding up of the said Company and with the realization of the assets thereof and as to any other matters connected with the winding

up as the Court may from time to time direct. And it was ordered that no bills of costs charges or expenses or special remuneration of any Solicitor employed by the Liquidator of the said Company or any remuneration charges or expenses of such Liquidator or of any manager accountant auctioneer broker or other person be paid out of the assets of the said Company unless such costs charges expenses or remuneration shall have been taxed or allowed by the Registrar Companies (Winding-up). And it was ordered that all such costs charges expenses and remuneration be taxed and ascertained accordingly. And it was ordered that the costs of the petitioner and of the said Company and of the said contributories supporting the said petition of the said petition be taxed and paid out of the assets of the said Company, but on such taxation only one set of costs is to be allowed the said petitioner and the said contributories. And the creditors contributories and Liquidator of the said Company and all other persons interested are to be at liberty to apply as there may be occasion. And the time within which this Order is to be gazetted was extended until the 28th day of July, 1897.—Dated the 26th day of July 1897.

WYATT DIBBY and Co. of 5 and 6
Clement's-inn, W.C. Solicitors for the
said Petitioner.

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

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867 and in the Matter of the Company of Proprietors of the River Arun Navigation.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. Justice North has by an Order dated the first day of May 1897 appointed George Osborn Ballard of Terminus-road Littlehampton in the county of Sussex to be Official Liquidator of the above named Company.—Dated this 24th day of July 1897.
J. C. Fox Master.

The Union Bank of Australia Limited.
71, Cornhill, London, E.C.,

July 26, 1897.

THE Directors having this day declared a Dividend of 12s. 6d. (twelve shillings and sixpence) per share, free of Income Tax, on the capital of the Bank, notice is hereby given, that the Warrants will be transmitted on the 28th instant.

By order of the Board,
W. R. MEWBURN, Manager.

In the Matter of Woodham's Lorne Laundry Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at No. 69 Becklow-road Shepherd's Bush in the county of London on the 8th day of July 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 23rd day of July 1897 the following resolution was duly confirmed viz. :—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that Woodham's Lorne Laundry Company Limited 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 last mentioned Meeting Mr. John Joseph Chapman of No. 13 Clifford's-inn E.C. was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up." CHAS. E. BOCQUET Chairman.

In the Matter of Brotherton's Tube Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at the Victoria Hotel Wolverhampton the 24th day of June 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 9th day of July 1897 the following resolution was duly confirmed viz:—

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

And at such last mentioned Meeting Mr. Charles Edward Shaw M.P. of Stafford was appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.—Dated this 16th day of July, 1897.

CHAS. E. SHAW Chairman.

The Companies Acts 1862 to 1890.

The African Mills Company Limited.

Passed 1st July, 1897. Confirmed 19th July, 1897.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company, 29, Dale-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 1st day of July, 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 19th day of July, 1897, the following resolution was duly confirmed, viz. :—

1. "That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company, and that for the purpose of effectuating such reconstruction, and having regard to the provisional agreement dated the 30th day of June, 1897, and made between James Arthur Hutton, on behalf of all the Shareholders of the one part, and Robert George Folkard, on behalf of a new Company to be called James F. Hutton and Company Limited, of the other part, the Company be wound up voluntarily; and that William Bolton, of 13, Spring-gardens, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

J. ARTHUR HUTTON Chairman.

The Staten Chemical Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at the Company's offices, Lombard-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in the county of Northumberland, on the 2nd day of July, 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 23rd day of July, 1897, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed :—

Resolved.—"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that John Coward, Charles Neville Johnson, and Thomas Crawford, J.P., be, and they are hereby, appointed Liquidators for the purpose of such winding up."

THOMAS CRAWFORD Chairman of the Meetings.

Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890.

The Dawson Development Syndicate of British Columbia, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Company, duly held on Friday, the 18th day of June, 1897, at the offices of the said Company, 34, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at an Extraordinary

General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly held on the 9th day of July, 1897, at the same place, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed :—

"That the Syndicate be wound up voluntarily."

And at the said Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly held on Friday, the 9th day of July, 1897, the following Special Resolution was duly passed :—

"That John R. Drake, of 10, Mincing-lane, in the city of London, Merchant; Robertson Lawson, of 34, Old Broad-street, London, E.C., Chartered Accountant; and C. W. Langley Flux, of 3, East India-avenue, in the city of London, Solicitor, be, and they are hereby appointed the Liquidators for the purpose of such winding up of the Company, and that the said Liquidators be and are hereby empowered and authorized to sell the undertaking of the Company to the Dominion Mining Development and Agency Company, Limited, upon the terms and conditions arranged by the Directors and confirmed by the above Extraordinary Resolution of the Company."

J. R. DRAKE, Chairman.

Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893.

Special Resolutions (pursuant to Companies Act, 1862, s. 51) of the South African Mining Syndicate, Limited.

Passed 5th July, 1897.

Confirmed 22nd July, 1897.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at Winchester House, in the city of London, on the 5th day of July, 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 22nd day of July, 1897, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed, viz. :—

Resolutions.—1. "That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company, and with a view thereto, the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893.

2. "That Mr. Albert Davis, of 88, London-wall, in the city of London, be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up at a remuneration of fifty guineas.

3. "That pursuant to section 161 of the Companies Act, 1862, the Liquidator be, and he is hereby authorized to sell and transfer all the business property and assets of the Company to a new Company, subject to due provision being made for the dissentient Shareholders (if any), upon the terms of the scheme of re-construction now submitted to the Meeting, with such modification as may be thought desirable, and to enter into all the necessary agreements for that purpose, and for guaranteeing the issue of the capital."

WALTER H. TALBOT Chairman.

W. R. BURGONE WATTS 77 Gresham-street E.C. Solicitor.

In the Matter of the Nantygaw Mining Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at 69 Leadenhall-street London E.C. on the 7th day of July 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 23rd day of July 1897 the following resolution was duly confirmed, 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 that Mr. William Arthur Kirby of 4 Broad-street-buildings London be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated this 23rd day of July 1897.

EDW. S. BOORD Chairman.

The Companies Acts 1862 to 1893.

The Blackpool Motor Car Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company duly convened and held at Blackpool on the 8th day of July 1897 the following Special Resolutions were passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company also duly convened held at Blackpool on the 24th day of July 1897 were duly confirmed:—

1. "That the Company be wound up voluntarily and that John Robinson of Blackpool Linen Merchant be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.

2. "That the Liquidator be authorized to consent to the registration of a new Company with the same name as that of the present Company having amongst its objects the purchase of the undertaking of this Company."

Dated this 24th day of July 1897.

JOHN BOWLING and SON 22 Park-row
Leeds Solicitors to the Company.

In the Matter of the British White Lead Company Limited.

AT Extraordinary General Meetings of the above named Company duly convened and held respectively on the 18th day of June 1897 and the 5th day of July 1897 the subjoined Special Resolution was duly passed and confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Alfred Stevens of Worcester House, Walbrook, London, E.C. be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

Dated the 22nd day of July 1897.

T. BARCLAY HEWARD Chairman.

MACIVER BUCHANAN 31 Abchurch-lane
E.C. Solicitor.

In the Matter of Owens Stone Corporation Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened and held at 28 Basinghall-street in the city of London on the 30th day of June 1897 the following Extraordinary Resolutions were 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 that Philip Herbert Gardner be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator thereof for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated this first day of July 1897.

PHILIP H. GARDNER Liquidator.

JOHN A. MAXWELL 97 and 98 Bishops-gate-street E.C. Solicitor.

In the Matter of the San Roberto Gold Mines Syndicate, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at 15, St. Helen's-place, in the city of London, on the 28th day of June, 1897, the subjoined 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 15th day of July, 1897, the same resolution was duly confirmed as a Special Resolution, viz.:—

"That the San Roberto Gold Mines Syndicate, Limited, be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Philip Arderne Latham be appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

A. FOWLER Chairman.

In the Matter of the Glenshannon Distillery-Syndicate Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, held at 11 o'clock A.M. on the 22nd day of July 1897 at the offices of the Company it was resolved that the Special Resolution passed by this Company on the 5th of July 1897 as follows:—

"That the Glenshannon Distillery Syndicate Limited be and is hereby wound up voluntarily in pursuance of the provisions of the Companies Act 1862 be confirmed, and it was further resolved that Mr. Augustus Edwards Chartered Accountant of 50 Moorgate-street London E.C. be appointed Liquidator in such winding up."

A. J. MILES Chairman.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890.

In the Matter of the Lead Warrant Company, Limited.

Special Resolution. (Pursuant to the Companies Act, 1862, ss. 50 and 51.) Passed 24th June, 1897. Confirmed 15th July, 1897.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Lead Warrant Company, Limited, duly convened and held at the Company's office at 16, Great George-street, Westminster, S.W., on the 24th day of June, 1897, the subjoined Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, duly convened and held at the Company's office aforesaid, on the 15th day of July, 1897, the subjoined Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Lead Warrant Company, Limited, be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Matthew Glendenning, the Secretary of the Company, be appointed Liquidator of the Company, his remuneration to be a fee of 25 guineas."

Dated the 16th day of July, 1897.

T. SORWICH Chairman.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890.
25 and 16 Vict., cap. 89.

The Lyric Hall Ealing, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the Lyric Hall Ealing in the county of Middlesex on the eighteenth day of June 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 eighth day of July 1897 the said Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

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

2. "That the Contract dated the fifteenth day of May 1897 and made between the Company and John Howitt be approved by the Shareholders, and that Mr. Richard Baker Hays of 11 Abchurch-lane, London E.C. be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of carrying such Contract into effect."

W. G. SAMS Chairman.

In the Matter of the South African Estates and Mining Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company held at Winchester House Old Broad-

street in the city of London on the 24th day of June last the following resolution was passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting held at Winchester House aforesaid on the 15th day of July instant the said resolution was duly confirmed as a Special Resolution viz. :—

"That it is desirable to reconstruct the South African Estates and Mining Company Limited and accordingly that the same be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and that Mr. Ralph N. Cochrane the Secretary of the Company be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated this 22nd day of July 1897.

THOS. WILKINS Chairman.

Davis' Wharf, Tooley Street, S.E.

July 27, 1897.

NOTICE.—The undermentioned Goods for which warrants have been issued will be sold at public auction for rent and other charges, if not claimed within fourteen days from the date hereof, under the provisions of the Act 11 & 12 Vic. :—

Warrant Nos.		Rotn. Nos.
K 2636.	2 chests button lac p.	
Nubia	...	86-814
7293.	2 bales senna p. Parramatta	87-696
L 6923	9016/19 9032. 150 boxes	
cutch p. Tenasserim	...	88-144
L 6134.	1 case sticklac siftings p.	
Glencoe	...	88-402
L 8313/46 M 1947.	697 boxes cutch	
p. Dorunda	...	88-496
L 1086.	5 cases shellac p. Astronomer	88-468
L 8385	8392 8394 8398 8428 8437	
M 9132.	452 boxes cutch p. Mandalay	89-105
L 8290	8302. 250 boxes cutch p. Clan	
McPherson	...	88-1246
M 1764.	27 boxes cutch p. Faithful	90-757
L 4902.	38 bags capsicums p. Benin	89-211

BROWN and ELMSLIE Proprietors.

In the Matter of Southern Geldenhuis Ltd.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at No. 6 Great St. Helen's in the city of London on Friday the 23rd day of July 1897, Charles Francis Bullard Birchall of No. 85 Gracechurch-street in the city of London Gentleman was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of continuing the winding up of the Company in the place of Jasper Foster deceased.—Dated this 23rd day of July 1897.

WM. MORGAN Chairman of the said Meeting.

In the Matter of the Companies Act 1862 and in the Matter of the San Roberto Gold Mines Syndicate Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 20th day of August 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 Philip Arderne Latham of 15 St. Helen's-place in the city of London the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 22nd day of July 1897.

ASHURST MORRIS CRISP and Co. Solicitors to the said Liquidator.

In the Matter of the African Mills Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company which is being voluntarily wound up for the reconstruction and amalgamation with James F. Hutton and Company Limited are required on or before the seventh day of September 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. W. Bolton, of 13 Spring-gardens, Manchester Chartered 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 24th day of July 1897.

SUTTON and Co. 13 Spring-gardens Manchester Solicitors to the above-named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and in the Matter of Collinson and Lock, Limited. (In Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 23rd day of August one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors, if any, to Thomas Frederick Wild, Chartered Accountant, of Broadstreet-avenue, 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 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 23rd day of July 1897.

T. F. WILD Liquidator.

T. F. GODDARD 9 Great St. Helen's London E.C. Solicitor.

Companies Acts 1862 and 1888.

In the Matter of the South African Banking Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 20th day of September 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 Hyam Colyne Davis of 52 Allison-road Harringay London N. 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 19th day of July 1897.

HYAM COLYNE DAVIS Liquidator.

The Newcastle Pure Soap Coy. Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the Newcastle Pure Soap Company Limited are required on or before the 4th day of August 1897, to send their names and addresses, together with full particulars of their debts or claims, to William Charlton Forster, of No. 9 Grainger-street, West, in the city and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Chartered Accountant, the Liquidator of the said Company. If notice in writing shall

be given by the Liquidator to any person making any claim upon the Company, such person shall by himself, or his Solicitor, come in and prove his debt or claim at the time and in the place specified in such notice, and in default thereof will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts or claims are proved.—Dated this 23rd day of July 1897.

W. C. FORSTER Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Minera Mountain Mining Syndicate Limited.

THE creditors of the above named Syndicate are required on or before the 13th day of September 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 Thos. Pilling the Liquidator of the said Syndicate and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their Solicitors or personally 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 23rd day of July 1897.

THOS. PILLING 2 Clarence - buildings
Booth-street Manchester Liquidator.

Regal Steamship Company Limited.
In Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at 29 Tower-buildings Water-street Liverpool on Saturday the 28th day of August 1897 at one o'clock in the afternoon 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.—Dated 24th July 1897. ROBERT CONAWAY Liquidator.

Crossley Brothers Limited.
Incorporated in 1881.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the registered office of the Company situate at Pottery-lane Openshaw Manchester on Thursday the 9th day of September at 3 o'clock in the afternoon 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 Company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated this 23rd day of July 1897. J. W. CLOSE Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and of John Loveys and Compy. Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 a General Meeting of the above named Company will be held at 9 Old Jewry-chambers in the city of London on Tuesday the seventh day of September 1897 at twelve o'clock noon precisely for the purpose of having the Liquidators' accounts showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, laid before such Meeting, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books accounts and documents of the Company

and of the Liquidators thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated this twentieth day of July 1897.

FR. D. WRANGHAM } Liquidators.
JOHN LOVEYS }

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Frederick William Rigby Augustus George Marzetti and John Rigby carrying on business as Packing Case Manufacturers at 14 and 15 Queenhithe Upper Thames-street in the city of London under the style or firm of the Thames Export Packing Case Company and at 90 Park-street Southwark London under the style or firm of T. Johnson and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the twenty-third day of July 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Frederick William Rigby and John Rigby.—Dated this 23rd day of July 1897.

F. W. RIGBY.
A. G. MARZETTI.
J. RIGBY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately existing between us George Martin Carlile of Bristol Grocer and Tea Dealer and Edward Mark Jones of No. 84 Westbourne-grove Paddington London at No. 84 Westbourne-grove aforesaid under the style or firm of H. M. Brown and at No. 86 Queen's-road Paddington under the style or firm of Edward Fitch and at No. 152 High-street Notting Hill Gate London under the style or firm of S. Phillips as Cheesemongers Poulterers Provision Dealers and Butter Factors has been this day mutually dissolved.—Dated 20th July 1897.

GEORGE M. CARLILE.
E. M. JONES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Charles Richard Chapman and Edward George Chapman carrying on business as Tailors and Outfitters at 56 Gracechurch-street in the city of London under the style or firm of C. and G. Chapman has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 20th day of July 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Edward George Chapman who will continue the said business under the said style or firm of C. and G. Chapman.—Dated this 20th day of July 1897. C. R. CHAPMAN.
E. G. CHAPMAN.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned William Stonebridge and Arthur William Rider carrying on business as Cycle Makers and Repairers at 239A Fulham-road S.W., under the style or firm of Stonebridge and Rider has been dissolved by mutual consent, as and from the third day of July 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Arthur William Rider.—Dated this 19th day of July 1897. WILLIAM STONEBRIDGE.
A. W. RIDER.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Charles Bevan, Henry Hallam and Conway Lowe carrying on business as Coach and Saddlers' Ironmongers at Nos. 71 to 76 Charlotte-street and Nos. 17 and 18 Mott-street both in the city of Birmingham under the style or firm of Lowe Sleigh Bevan and Company and Bevan Hallam and Lowe has been dissolved as from the 30th day of June 1897 by mutual consent so far as regards the said Henry Hallam who retires from the firm. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Charles Bevan and Conway Lowe who will continue the said business in partnership with Harry Bevan under the present style or firm of Lowe Bevan and Company.—As witness our hands this 17th day of July 1897. CHARLES BEVAN. CONWAY LOWE.
HENRY HALLAM. HARRY BEVAN.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between Frederick Green late of the city of Liverpool Pawnbroker deceased and me the undersigned William Guyler carrying on business as Pawnbrokers at No. 223 London-road in the said city under the style or firm of Green and Guyler has been dissolved as from the 12th day of July instant by the death of the said Frederick Green on the 27th day of January last. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said William Guyler.—Dated this 20th day of July 1897.

WILLIAM GUYLER.
EMMA GREEN,
THOMAS GREAVES,
JOHN A. H. GREEN,

Executors of the late Frederick Green.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Charles Jestico and William Dawkins carrying on business as Blacksmiths at Marshall's-row London-road Brighton under the style or firm of Jestico and Dawkins has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the seventeenth day of July 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said William Dawkins who will continue the said business under the present name of Jestico and Dawkins.—Dated 22nd day of July 1897.

CHARLES JESTICO.
WILLIAM DAWKINS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Thomas Priest and James Hulston Priest carrying on business as Millers and Corn Factors at Gooch-street and at Victoria Mills Naughton-street South both in the city of Birmingham under the style or firm of Thomas Priest and Son was dissolved by mutual consent as on and from the 25th day of March 1897. The said business will henceforth be carried on by the said James Hulston Priest alone as Priest and Son and he will receive and pay all debts due to and owing by the late firm.—Dated this 22nd day of July 1897.

THOMAS PRIEST.
JAMES HULSTON PRIEST

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned James Howarth and George Henry Southgate carrying on business as Nurserymen at Marsden Cross Nursery Brierfield in the county of Lancaster under the style or firm of Howarth and Southgate has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the third instant. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said James Howarth who will henceforth carry on the said business in his own name.—Dated this twentieth day of July 1897.

JAMES HOWARTH.
G. H. SOUTHGATE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between William Roberts and John Llewelyn Roberts carrying on business as Ironmongers and Plumbers at Ivy Buildings, Colwyn Bay under the style or firm of William Roberts and Co. is dissolved by the death of the said William Roberts as from the 25th June last. All debts due to or from the late firm will be received and paid by John Llewelyn Roberts and Edward Story Jones who will continue the business under the style or firm of Roberts and Jones.—Dated this 13th day of July 1897.

SARAH ROBERTS,
Executrix of William Roberts.
JOHN LLEWELYN ROBERTS.
EDWARD STORY JONES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned George Thompson and Thomas King carrying on business as Auctioneers Surveyors and Estate Agents at 9 Cherry-street Birmingham Solihull Knowle and Henley-in-Arden all in the county of Warwick under the style or firm of King and Thompson was dissolved as and from the 24th day of June 1897 by mutual consent.—Dated the 23rd day of July 1897.

THOMAS KING.
GEO. THOMPSON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto carried on by Richard Thomas John and Thomas John under the style or firm of R. T. John and Son at Trearlaw, Rhondia Valley, in the county of Glamorgan, in the trade or business of Blacksmiths, Wheelwrights and Ironfounders was as from the 21st day of June 1897 dissolved by mutual consent. All liabilities of the late firm will be discharged by, and all debts due, will be received by, the said Thomas John, who will, in future, carry on the business in his own name.—As witness our hands this 21st day of June, 1897.

The
RICHARD THOMAS × JOHN.
Mark of
THOMAS JOHN.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Samuel Clay and Samuel Charles Clay at Temple Mills-lane Stratford in the county of Essex as Artificial Manure Manufacturers Bone Crushers &c. under the style or firm of Clay and Son was as from the thirtieth day of November 1896 dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing from or due to the late firm will be discharged or received by the said Samuel Charles Clay who for the future will carry on the said business on his own account.—Dated the twenty-first day of July 1897.

SAMUEL CLAY.
SAMUEL CHARLES CLAY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Swire Broadbent and George Herbert Brayshaw carrying on business as Worsted Spinners at Waterloo Mills Bradford under the style or firm of Broadbent Brayshaw and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 21st day of July 1897.—Dated 21st day of July 1897.

SWIRE BROADBENT.
GEO. H. BRAYSHAW.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Mary Robinson late of Alma Lodge but now of the Orchards both in Stockport in the county of Chester Widow Frank Robinson of the city of Manchester Linen Manufacturer and John Chadwick of the said city of Manchester Fruit and Spice Merchant (Trustees of the will of John Robinson late of Alma Lodge aforesaid deceased) and William Trevor of the said city of Manchester Linen Manufacturer carrying on business as Linen Manufacturers at 7 George street and at Culcheth-lane Mill Newton Heath both in the said city under the style or firm of Robinson and Trevor has been dissolved by the retirement therefrom of the said Trustees as and from the twenty-third day of July 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Frank Robinson and William Trevor who will carry on the said business on their own account under the same style or firm of Robinson and Trevor.—Dated the 23rd day of July 1897.

MARY ROBINSON. JOHN CHADWICK.
FRANK ROBINSON. WILLIAM TREVOR.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned Francis Ernest Forrester and Francis Philip Daw carrying on business as Brassfounders at back of 42 and 44 Summer-row Birmingham in the county of Warwick under the style or firm of Forrester and Daw has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Francis Ernest Forrester.—Dated this 22nd day of July 1897.

F. E. FORRESTER.
FRANCIS PHILIP DAW.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Joseph Laister and James William Laister carrying on business as Rope and Cover Makers at Pocklington in the county of York and at the city of York and at Malton in the said county of York under the style or firm of Joseph Laister and Son was this day dissolved by mutual consent and that all debts due to or owing from the said firm will be received or paid by the said James William Laister by whom the said business will be carried on as heretofore.—As witness our hands this 22nd day of July 1897.

JOSEPH LAISTER.
JAMES WILLIAM LAISTER.

Re Mount Hotel Fleetwood.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Lucas Hudson and James Fleetwood Marginson in respect of the above premises and the business of Hotel Proprietors and Licensed Victuallers there carried on has been dissolved as from the undermentioned date by mutual consent. All partnership accounts and liabilities will by agreement be paid and discharged by me the undersigned James Fleetwood Marginson under whose direction the said hotel will in future be carried on.—Dated the 2nd day of July 1897.

LUCAS HUDSON.
JAS. F. MARGINSON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Bernhard Kaufmann and John Baillie Lawson carrying on business as Wholesale Furniture Manufacturers at Fox-street Cabinet Works in the city of Liverpool under the style or firm of Kaufmann Lawson and Co. has been dissolved as from this 21st day of July 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John Baillie Lawson who will continue to carry on the business as heretofore.—Dated this 21st day of July 1897.

B. KAUFMANN.
J. BAILLIE LAWSON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Thomas Frost and Thomas Latham carrying on business at 7 Hill-street Coventry as Dressguard Manufacturers under the style or firm of the Cromer Dressguard Company has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from this day. All debts due and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Thomas Latham by whom the said business will be carried on.—Dated this 22nd day of July 1897.

THOMAS FROST.
THOMAS LATHAM.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Carl Lobel and Arthur Lobel carrying on business as Merchants at 56 Newton-street in the city of Manchester under the style or firm of Dover and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from this date. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Carl Lobel who will continue to carry on the business on his own account under the same style.—Dated the 23rd day of July 1897.

CARL LOBEL.
ARTHUR LOBEL.

Re **GEORGE WHEELHOUSE** Deceased.
Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic. chapter 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 claims against the estate of George Wheelhouse late of 101 Upperthorpe-road and Henry Street both in Sheffield Drysalter deceased (who died intestate on 21st May 1897 and letters of administration of whose personal estate were granted by the Wakefield District Probate Registry on 1st July 1897 to Frederick Wheelhouse of 27 Spring Vale-road Sheffield Scale Presser) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims to us the undersigned on or before 25th September 1897 after which date the said Frederick Wheelhouse will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims 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 he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this twenty-third day of July 1897.

RODGERS THOMAS and SANDFORD 30 Bank-street, Sheffield, Solicitors for the said Administrator.

Re **Mrs. HEPHZIBAH CLAYTON** 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 against the estate of Hephzibah Clayton late of 69 Crescent-road Sharrow in the city of Sheffield widow deceased (who died on the 28th day of May 1897 and whose will was proved in the Wakefield District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 14th day of July 1897 by Samuel Gray Richardson of Stone Grove Sheffield aforesaid Cutlery Manufacturer and Joseph Clayton of 69 Crescent-road aforesaid Tutor the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims to us the undersigned on or before the 25th day of September 1897 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice 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 they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this twenty-third day of July 1897.

RODGERS THOMAS and SANDFORD 30 Bank-street, Sheffield Solicitors for the said Executors.

GEORGE EYERS Deceased.
Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35.
NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of George Eyers late of Winterbourne Stoke in the county of Wilts Labourer deceased (who died on the 2nd February 1892 and whose will was proved in the Salisbury District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 16th March 1892 by Robert Stokes the younger the executor) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims to us the undersigned the Solicitors to the said executor on or before the 28th day of August next 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 of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of July, 1897.

HODDING and JACKSON Salisbury Solicitors for the Executor.

Re **SALOME ALDERSEA** 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."

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Salome Aldersea late of Mount Ville, Winehill in the parish of Betley in the county of

Stafford Widow deceased (who died on the 23rd day of September 1896 and whose will was proved in the Lichfield District Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 24th day of April 1897 by the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned on or before the 21st day of August 1897 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of July 1897.

T. and E. SLANEY Newcastle Staffordshire Solicitors for the said Executors.

Miss **MARY JACKSON** 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 persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Mary Jackson late of Ardeen House No. 85 London-road St. Leonards-on-Sea in the county of Sussex Spinster deceased (who died on or about the 14th day of April 1897 and whose will with a codicil thereto was proved by the Reverend Robert Fraser Powles of Beaulieu in the county of Southampton Clerk in Holy Orders one of the executors therein named on the 1st day of June 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 claims and demands to the said Robert Fraser Powles or to the undersigned his Solicitors on or before the 4th day of September next and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have 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 twenty-second day of July 1897.

RAPER and ELLMAN Battle Sussex Solicitors for the said Revd. Robert Fraser Powles.

GRIFFITH DAVIES DEW 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 Griffith Davies Dew late of Carreg Bran Llanfairpwll in the county of Anglesey Solicitor deceased (who died on the 7th day of May 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 3rd day of July 1897 by Louise Dew of Carreg Bran Llanfairpwll aforesaid the sole executrix therein named) are hereby requested to send the particulars in writing of their claims and demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executrix on or before the 27th day of August 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 and demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of July 1897.

J. RICE ROBERTS and LAURIE, Llangefni, Anglesey Solicitors for the Executrix.

JOHN WILKINSON Deceased.
Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic. c. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of John Wilkinson late of 73 Henrietta-street Leigh in the county of Lancaster Builder, deceased (who died on the 11th March last and whose will was proved in the District Registry, attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, at Liverpool on the 20th July instant by Alice Wilkinson the executrix therein named) are required before the 23rd August next to send particulars of their claims in writing to me the undersigned after which date the executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to claims of which she shall then have had notice and she will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of July 1897.

HENRY JAMES WIDDOWS Bank-chambers Leigh, Lancashire, Solicitor for the Executrix.

WILLIAM HENRY BARBROOK Deceased.

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act, 1859. **NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Henry Barbrook late of Millbrook House Shepperton in the county of Middlesex Gentleman deceased (who died on the 1st day of March 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 June 1897, by Florence Barbrook and Robert Parsons Williams two of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said executors on or before the 29th day of September next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of July 1897.

A. P. WILLIAMS 51 Dock-street Newport Mon.
Solicitor for the said Executors.

Re WILLIAM RICHARDSON Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claim upon the estate of William Richardson late of No. 1 Garden-cottages High-street Cheltenham in the county of Gloucester Retired Railway Porter (who died on the 16th day of March 1897 intestate, and to whose estate and effects letters of administration were granted by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at the District Probate Registry thereof at Gloucester on the 3rd day of July 1897 to Hannah Richardson the sister of the said deceased) are to send in particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 30th day of August next after which date the said administratrix will distribute the assets of the deceased, and will not be liable therefor to any person of whose claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of July 1897.

LEY WOOD and RICKERBY 2, Ormond-place
Cheltenham, Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

THOMAS PORTER Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors or other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Porter late of Oak Dene No. 76 Murchison-street Scarborough in the county of York Builder deceased (who died on the 16th day of March 1897 and whose will was proved on the 14th day of May 1897 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice by John Porter of Blackpool in the county of Lancaster Coal Merchant and Nancy Porter of Clitheroe in the same county Spinster the executor and executrix named in the said will) are hereby required to send particulars of their claims or demands in writing to us the undersigned on or before the 1st day of September 1897 after which date the said executor and 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 they shall then have had notice and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of July 1897.

WATTS KITCHING and DONNER 38 Queen-street Scarborough Solicitors for the Executors

Re THOMAS ROBERT CLARKE Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Robert Clarke late of North Shore Blackpool in the county of Lancaster Boarding House Keeper deceased (who died on the 30th day of January 1897 intestate and to whose estate letters of administration were granted out of the Lancaster District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 17th day of March 1897 to William Clarke, Farmer of Newton-le-Willows and William Hilton, Stationer Edge Hill Liverpool nephews of the deceased) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned on or before the twenty-third day of August 1897 after which date the said administrators 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 24th day of July 1897.

HOUGHTON MYRES and REVELEY 15,
Winckley-street Preston, Solicitors for the said Administrators.

ROBERT YEOMAN Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria cap. 35. **NOTICE** is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Robert Yeoman late of Kingsteignton, Devon, Builder deceased (who died on the 16th day of April 1897 and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Exeter of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice Probate Divorce and Admiralty Division on the 1st day of June 1897 by Samuel Howe of Kingsteignton, Devon, Carpenter and John Norris of Lustleigh, Devon, Accountant) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts claims or demands to the said executors at the offices of the undersigned their Solicitors on or before the 28th day of August 1897 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Robert Yeoman deceased amongst the persons 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 of the said deceased 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 22nd day of July 1897.

HACKER and MICHELMORE Newton Abbot,
Solicitors for the Executors.

Notice to Creditors.**MARIANNE ROLLESTON Deceased.**

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts claims or demands against the estate of Marianne Rolleston late of Malby in the county of York Spinster who died on the 8th day of May 1897 and whose will was proved by Edmund Newton Berryman the nephew of the deceased one of the executors named therein in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 16th day of July 1897 are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their debts claims or demands to us the undersigned as Solicitors for the said executor on or before the 10th day of September 1897; and notice is hereby given that at the expiration of that time the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testatrix among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims and demands of which they shall then have notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23 day of July 1897.

LE BRASSEUR and OAKLEY 12 New-court
Lincoln's-inn Solicitors to the said Executor.

The Reverend EDWARD WINTHROP Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of the late Reverend Edward Winthrop of Netley Lodge Southsea in the county of Hants Clerk in Holy Orders (formerly of Wolverton in the county of Warwick who died on the twenty-first day of December 1896 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the twenty-seventh day of March 1897 by Brabazon Campbell of Warwick one of the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned Solicitors to the said executor on or before the 23rd day of August 1897; and notice is hereby given that at the expiration of that time the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator amongst 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 or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of July 1897.

NICHOLL MANISTY and CO. 1 Howard-street
Strand London W.C. Solicitors to the said Executor.

JOHN LINDREDGE BANKS Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic. cap. 35.
NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon the estate of John Lindredge Banks late of 17 Underdown-road Herne Bay in the county of Kent Gentleman deceased (who died on the 22nd day of February 1897 and whose will with one codicil thereto was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 28th day of April 1897 by Frederick Kennett and Thomas Smith Thorp the surviving executors therein named) are hereby required on or before the 24th day of August 1897 to send particulars of their debts or claims to me the undersigned Solicitor for the said executors; and notice is hereby further given that after the said 24th day of August 1897 the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard to the debts claims or demands only of which they shall then have had notice and that they will not be answerable or liable for the assets so distributed or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose debt claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of July 1897.

WALTER FURLEY 38 St. Margaret's-street
 Canterbury Solicitor for the Executors.

HENRY STUART Deceased.

Pursuant to the 22nd and 23rd Victoria cap. 35.
NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Henry Stuart late of 115 George-street Altrincham in the county of Chester Hatter deceased who died on the 4th day of May 1897 and whose will with one codicil thereto, was proved in the District Probate Registry at Chester on the 2nd day of June 1897, are hereby required to send full particulars of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the executors on or before the 28th day of August 1897 after which day the said executors 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.—Dated this 24th day of July 1897.

R. S. H. WOOLFENDEN 4 Stockport-road
 Denton Solicitor for the Executors.

CHARLES WILLIAM TANNER Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 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 debts, claims or demands against the estate of Charles William Tanner late of No. 9 Goulton-road Lower Clapton in the county of Middlesex (who died on the 4th day of June 1897, and whose will was proved by Kate Tanner Widow the relict of the deceased and Thomas Girling the executors therein named in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 14th day of June 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 August 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 23rd day of July 1897.

TIDDEMAN and ENTHOVEN 50 Finsbury-square
 E.C. Solicitors to the said Executors.

DAVID JEWELL Deceased.

Pursuant to the 29th sec. of the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vict. 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 David Jewell late of Nos. 4 and 6 New Oxford-street in the county of London Dealer in Works of Art deceased (who died on the 23rd June 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 9th day of July 1897 by Edward Montague Lazarus of 5 Bloomsbury-square London Solicitor and David Samuel Woolf of 34 Bloomsbury-street London Gentleman two of the executors therein named) are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims or demands to me the undersigned on or before the 16th day of August next; and notice is hereby also given that at the expiration of the last-mentioned 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 and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice and that the said executors shall not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debts claims or demands they shall not then have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated the 24th day of July 1897.

EDWARD M. LAZARUS 5 Bloomsbury-square
 London W.C. Solicitor and one of the said Executors.

Re JAMES CHADWICK Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of James Chadwick late of Slack near Bacup in the county of Lancaster Gentleman who died on the 7th day of August 1877 and to whose estate probate of the will was on the 11th day of September 1877 granted to Betty Chadwick (Widow) Ellen Holt (Niece) and John Emmett by the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice Probate Division are hereby required on or before 31st day of August next to send in particulars in writing to me the undersigned as Solicitor for the said John Emmett and George Henry Emmett the present trustees of the said will, of any such claim or demand against the estate of the said James Chadwick deceased or otherwise the estate will be distributed amongst those only whose claims are before them.—Dated this 20th day of July 1897.

CHARLES J. ROBERTS John-street Rochdale,
 Solicitor to the said Trustees.

HENRIETTA HODGES Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims upon the estate of Henrietta Hodges late of Bolney Court Henley-on-Thames in the county of Oxford Spinster deceased (who died on the 31st day of May 1897 and to whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 30th day of June 1897 to John Hodges the administrator of the said deceased) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims to us the undersigned Solicitors for the said administrator on or before the first day of September 1897 after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of July 1897.

WOODCOCK STOBART and PEARS, 36, King-street Wigan
 Solicitors for the Administrator.

Re Mrs. ELLEN TAYLOR Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Ellen Taylor (formerly Ellen Holt spinster) late of No. 11 Sharrocks-yard Newbold Rochdale in the county of Lancaster Widow (who was the sole executrix of the will of her late husband James Taylor formerly of No. 11 Ashworth-street Tong Bacup in the said county of Lancaster deceased) who died on the 24th day of March 1897 and to whose estate probate of the will was on the 25th day of June 1897 granted to George Henry Emmett of No. 9 Ashworth-street Tong Bacup aforesaid Cotton Manufacturer by the District Registry at Manchester of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice Probate Division are hereby required on or before 31st day of August next to send in particulars in writing to me the undersigned as Solicitor to the said executor of any such claim or demand against the estates of the said James Taylor deceased and Ellen Taylor deceased or otherwise the estate will be distributed amongst those only whose claims are before him.—Dated this 20th day of July 1897.

CHARLES J. ROBERTS John-street Rochdale
 Solicitor to the said Executor.

ENWARD ROW SHRUBSOLE Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that any person having any claim against the estate of the above-named Edward Row Shrubsole who died at the Common Harpenden in the county of Herts on the 5th of December 1893 or claiming to hold any charge upon any reversionary interest to which the said deceased may have been entitled is requested to send in such claim and particulars of any such charge on or before the 7th day of August 1897 to the undersigned after which date the administrator will deal with the estate having regard only to the claims of which he shall have had notice and will not be liable to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of July 1897.

R. A. READ, Jr. 45 Parliament-street, S.W.
 Solicitor for the Administrator.

Statutory Notice to Creditors.

In the Goods of

The Right Honourable RICHARD Earl of DARTREY, K.P., late of Dartrey, in the county of Monaghan, and of 23 Eaton-square, London, S.W., Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic. cap. 35, that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of the said Right Honourable Richard Earl of Dartrey, deceased who died on the 12th day of May, 1897, and probate of whose will and codicil was granted to the Right Honourable Vesey Earl of Dartrey (formerly and is will called Lord Cremorne), of No. 106 Eaton-square, London, S.W., and the Honourable Edward Stanley Dawson, of No. 23 Eaton-square, aforesaid, formerly a Captain in the Royal Navy, the executors therein named, on the 29th day of June, 1897, in the Principal Registry of the Probate and Matrimonial Division of the High Court of Justice in Ireland, are hereby requested to furnish, in writing, particulars of their debts or claims to the said Right Honourable Vesey Earl of Dartrey and the Honourable Edward Stanley Dawson, the said executors, or to the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 14th day of August, 1897; and notice is hereby also given that, after that date, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Right Honourable Richard Earl of Dartrey, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and that the said executors 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 14th day of July, 1897.

RICHARDSON and SYNNOTT, Solicitors for the said Executors, 31 Kildare-street, Dublin.

Statutory Notice to Creditors.

In the Goods of DAVID TUCKER, late of No. 13 Bath-terrace, Torquay, in the county of Devon, Doctor of Medicine, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors or to have any claims or demands against the estate of the said David Tucker who died on the 15th May, 1897, are hereby required on or before the 1st October 1897 to furnish in writing the particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the Reverend Frederick Albert Trotter, Jacob Douglas, and Robert James Tucker, the executors of the will of said deceased, to whom probate of said will was granted forth of the Principal Registry of the Probate and Matrimonial Division of the High Court of Justice in Ireland on the 12th day of July 1897; and notice is hereby given that after the said 1st day of October 1897 the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice shall have been given and particulars furnished as above required.—Dated this 20th day of July 1897.

GOODBODY and TISDALL, 30, College-green, Dublin, Solicitors for said Executors.

ROBERT PUGHE JONES Deed.

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 Robert Pughe Jones late of Ynysgain near Criccieth in the county of Carnarvon Esquire Barrister-at-Law deceased (who died on the 5th September 1896) are hereby required to send in their claims or demands to us the undersigned, Solicitors on behalf of Dorothea Adelaide Lowry Pughe Jones of Ynysgain aforesaid Spinster and John Thomas Jones of Parciau Criccieth aforesaid Esquire the executors of the will of the said Robert Pughe Jones on or before the 25th August 1897 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they then shall have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of July 1897.

JONES and JONES Portmadoc Solicitors to the said Executors.

Re MIRIAM MANNINGTON Spinster 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 Miriam Mannington late of Lewes in the county of Sussex Spinster deceased (who died on or about the 4th day of July 1897 and whose will and codicil were proved by Alfred Douglas Mannington of

Heath House Bexley Heath Kent Gentleman and Thomas Parsons of Lewes aforesaid Timber Merchant the executors therein named on the 17th day of July 1897 in the Lewes District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the said Alfred Douglas Mannington and Thomas Parsons or to the undersigned their Solicitor on or before the 29th day of September 1897 and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the 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 21st day of July 1897.

ISAAC VINALL Lewes Solicitor for the Executors.

Mrs. ELIZABETH MATILDA ALERS HANKEY

Widow 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 Mrs. Elizabeth Matilda Alers Hankey formerly of St. James Villa Herne-road Long Ditton Hill Surbiton in the county of Surrey but late of No. 17 Russell-road Kensington in the county of London (who died on the 25th day of November 1896 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 24th day of December 1896 by John Bullock Esquire) are required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said John Bullock on or before the 3rd day of September 1897 after which date he will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and that the said John Bullock will not be liable for the assets of the deceased or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of July 1897.

NICHOLSON PATTERSON and FREELAND
2 Prince's-street Storey's-gate S.W. Solicitors
for the said John Bullock.

Re GEORGE THOMAS ROBINSON Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen Victoria cap. 30 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 upon or against the estate of George Thomas Robinson of 20 Earl's-terrace Kensington in the county of London and Epsom Common in the county of Surrey Esquire (who died on the 6th day of May 1897 and whose will was duly proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 2nd day of July 1897 by Frances Robinson of 20 Earl's-terrace Kensington in the county of London the sole executrix therein named are hereby required to send in the particulars of their respective debts claims and demands in writing to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executrix on or before the 1st day of September 1897 after the expiration of which time the said executrix 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 executrix shall then have had notice and that the said executrix will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any persons or person of whose debts claims or demands they shall not then have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 23rd day of July 1897.

C. R. SAWYER and ELLIS 7 Laurence Pountney-hill London E.C. Solicitors to the said Executrix.

Re WILLIAM HICKTON Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all claims upon the estate of William Hickton late of Sunnyside Cheadle in the county of Chester Retired Skip Manufacturer deceased are hereby required to be sent in writing to me the undersigned on or before the second day of August next after which date the assets of the said deceased will be distributed without further notice.—Dated this 23rd day of July 1897.

OLIVER COPPOCK 10 Vernon-street Stockport
Solicitor for the Executors.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Frederick Henry Clappen, late, of Witney, in the county of Oxford, Tailor, Draper, and House Furnisher (who died on the 29th day of May, 1897, and whose will was proved by William Jefferies, of Cirencester in the county of Gloucester, Seedsman, John Hyde, of Cirencester aforesaid, Draper, and his widow, Elizabeth Reed Clappen, the executors therein named, on the 9th day of July, 1897, in the Oxford District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the said William Jefferies, John Hyde, and Elizabeth Reed Clappen, or to the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 31st day of August, 1897, and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the 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 20th day of July, 1897.

RAVENORS, Witney, Oxon, Solicitors for the Executors.

RAYMOND WILLIAM DE LATHAM MAUDE
Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act 22 and 23 Vic. chap. 35.
NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Raymond William de Latham Maude (commonly known as Raymond William Maude) late of 11 Rosary-gardens South Kensington London deceased (who died on the 13th day of May 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 26th day of June 1897 by Gerald Edward Maude and John Salterfield Sanders the executors named in the said will) are required to send particulars of such claims or demands to us the undersigned Solicitors to the said executors on or before the 13th day of August next after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of July 1897.

BIRCHAM and CO. 46 Parliament-street Westminster Solicitors to the Executors.

HARRIET BARTON Deceased.

Pursuant to 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 creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Harriet Barton late of No. 57 formerly of No. 12 Hampton Park Redland in the city of Bristol Widow (who died on the 30th day of November 1896 and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Bristol of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 7th day of January 1897 by Frederick Griffin Price and John Gale Pitt the executors therein named) are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims and demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors of the said executors on or before the 28th day of August next and notice is hereby 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 and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of July 1897.

E. and E. A. HARLEY Small-street Bristol Solicitors to the said Executors.

JOHN RICHARD EDMONDS Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria chapter 35.
NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Richard Edmonds formerly of 2 Somerset-terrace Denzil-road Guildford Surrey and afterwards of Chine-road Godalming and of Peckham Surrey (who died on the 10th day of May 1897) are hereby required on or before the 25th day of September 1897 to furnish in writing particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors for George Edmonds and John Pullman the executors of the will of the said

deceased to whom probate of said will was granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 20th day of July 1897; and notice is hereby given that after the said 25th day of September 1897 the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which notice shall have been given and that they will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of July 1897.

EMANUEL ROUND and NATHAN 27 Walbrook London E.C. Solicitors to the Executors.

NEY ELIAS, C.I.E., Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Victoria cap. 35, that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Ney Elias (heretofore Ney Elias the younger) formerly of the Indian Civil Service, and Her Majesty's Consul-General at Meshed, in Persia, but late of No. 26A North Audley-street in the parish of St. George Hanover-square in the county of London, Esquire C.I.E. deceased (who died on the 31st day of May 1897 and whose will with a codicil thereto was proved by Alfred Elias of Dry Hill, Tonbridge, Kent, and the Junior United Service Club, London, one of the executors therein named on the 5th day of July 1897 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's 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 6th day of September 1897, and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Ney Elias 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 24th day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

HANBURY WHITTING and NICHOLSON
62 New Broad-street London E.C. Solicitors for the said Executor.

WALTER JOSIAH TEMPLE 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 Walter Josiah Temple late of 68 Sydenham-road Croydon in the county of Surrey Gentleman (who died on 16th day of July 1895 and whose will with a codicil thereto was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 14th day of August 1895 by Herbert Temple and William Henry Cadoux the executors) are hereby required to send the particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 14th day of September next after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims or demands of which they shall then have had notice and 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 July 1897.

TRINDER CAPRON and CO. 47 Cornhill London Solicitors for the Executors.

Re JOSEPH BENNETT 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 persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Joseph Bennett late of the Bridge Inn Bramley in the city of Leeds Beerseller deceased (who died on the 22nd day of May 1897 and whose will was proved in the Wakefield District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 2nd day of July 1897 by Mary Smith (Wife of Joseph Smith) of Church-lane Kirkstall in the city of Leeds Sarah Ellen Craven (Wife of William Craven formerly Bennett) of the Bridge Inn aforesaid and William Mountain of Sandford-terrace Kikstall aforesaid the executors therein named) are hereby required to send written particulars of their claims or demands to us the undersigned Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 31st day of August 1897 and notice is hereby given that after the last-mentioned day the executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this twenty-second day of July 1897.

FORD and WARREN 61 Albion-street Leeds Solicitors for the Executors.

THOMAS WILD Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Vic. cap. 35 being an Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Wild late of Daisy Green in Linthwaite in the county of York Farmer deceased (who died on the 25th day of February 1897 and whose will was on the 6th day of July 1897 proved in the District Registry at Wakefield Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice by Jonas Wild Walter Quarumby and James Howard the executors) are hereby required to send in to me the undersigned particulars of such claims and demands on or before the 31st day of August next after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the estate of the said deceased having regard to those claims of which they shall then have notice and they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 20th day of July 1897.

J. BOTTOMLEY New-street Huddersfield Solicitor for the said Executors.

JOSEPH CLAYTON Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of Joseph Clayton late of No. 22 Bromells-road Clapham in the county of London Oil and Colourman (who died on the 5th day of February 1897) are hereby required to send written particulars of such claim to the undersigned Solicitors for Frederick Clayton the executor of the deceased before the 31st day of August 1897 after which date such executor will distribute the deceased's assets having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of July 1897.

GRANT BULCRAIG and Co. Norfolk House, Norfolk-street Strand London Solicitors.

FREDERICK HARRY GALE 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 Frederick Harry Gale late of Savoy House Strand in the county of London and of No. 24 Burnt Ash-hill Lee in the county of Kent and also late Proprietor of the British Printing Ink Company of 2 Johnson's-court Fleet-street in the city of London and of the Culvert Works Battersea in the county of Surrey Printing Ink Manufacturer (who died on the 28th 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 9th day of January 1897 by Robert Moore of Hurst-place Bexley Kent Gentleman one of the executors named in the said will, the other executor having renounced, are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said executor on or before the 27th day of August 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 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 July 1897.

CECIL J. RAWLINSON, 47, New Broad-street, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Executor.

Re MARGARET BANKS Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vict. c. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors next-of-kin and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Margaret Banks, late of the Punch Bowl Hotel Atherton in the county of Lancaster Widow deceased (who died on the 5th day of June 1897 and letters of administration to whose personal estate were granted out of the Liverpool District Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice (Probate Division) on the 15th day of July instant unto Lawrence Banks the lawful son and one of the next-of-kin of the deceased) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims and demands to me the undersigned before the 31st day of August 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 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 24th day of July 1897.

T. LEWIS CARR, Atherton Solicitor for the said Administrator.

PURSUANT to a Judgment of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice dated the 19th February 1897 and made in the matter of the estate of Burton Archer-Burton deceased and in the matter of the estate of Susan Jane Archer-Burton deceased and in the matter of the estate of Emma Archer-Burton deceased Babington v. Archer-Burton and another 1896 A. No. 791, 1896 A. No. 792, 1896 A. No. 793 the creditors of the said Burton Archer-Burton late of the Conservative Club Saint James's-street Piccadilly in the county of Middlesex Esquire who died on the 25th January 1886 are on or before the 30th day of Sept. 1897 to send by post prepaid to Messrs. Pearce and Keele of the town and county of the town of Southampton the Solicitors for the defendants the executrix and executor of the deceased their Christian and surnames addresses and descriptions the full particulars of their claims a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Judgment. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before Mr. Justice Romer at his chambers the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London on Tuesday the 26th day of October 1897 at 11 in the forenoon being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 22nd day of July 1897.

BRIDGES SAWTELL and CO. 23 Red Lion-square W.C. Agents for CROSS and RAM Halesworth Suffolk, Solicitors for the Plaintiffs.

In the Matter of a Deed of Conveyance and Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors executed on the 8th day of February 1897 by William Warburton of Thornbank Bolton-road Edenfield in the county of Lancaster carrying on business at Rochdale Road Steam Ropery Rochdale-road Edenfield aforesaid as a Rope Twine and Window Blind Cord Maker.

THE creditors of the above named William Warburton who have not already sent in their claims are required on or before the 10th day of August 1897 to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims to Charles Robert Scholes Esquire of Stanley-buildings Silver-street Bury in the county of Lancaster 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 23rd day of July 1897.

BUTCHER and BARLOW 4 Bank-street Bury Solicitors to the above named Trustee.

NOTICE is hereby given that by an Indenture dated the 5th day of July 1897 made between George Illingworth of Shipley in the county of York Quarry Owner and Stone Merchant of the one part and William Illingworth of Shipley aforesaid Stone Merchant of the other part the said George Illingworth did for the considerations therein appearing absolutely assign the said business of a Stone Merchant together with the stock-in-trade book debts and all other effects thereof to the said William Illingworth who will henceforth carry on the same at the Midland Stone Wharf Shipley aforesaid under the style of William Illingworth formerly Illingworth and Sons. All debts owing to and all liabilities incurred in connection with the said business of a Stone Merchant so assigned as aforesaid will be received and paid respectively by the said Wm. Illingworth. Notice is hereby also given that the business of a Quarry Owner carried on by the said George Illingworth at Carr-lane Quarry Windhill near Shipley aforesaid remains entirely unaffected by the said Assignment and will be continued by him as heretofore under the style of George Illingworth.—Dated the 14th day of July, 1897.

WORMALD and HEPTON 3 Hall Ings, Bradford Solicitors for the said George Illingworth and William Illingworth.

Re William Hughes late of the Imperial Hotel Colwyn Bay.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors having any claims against the above named at the date of the execution by him of a certain Deed of Assignment dated the 11th day of January 1887 are requested to send in their claims to the undersigned, Solicitors to the Trustees of the said Deed of Assignment on or before the 20th day of August next, immediately after which date the said creditors of the said William Hughes will be paid in full the amounts or the balances due to them

having regard only to the claims then sent in to the undersigned. And notice is hereby also given that the said Trustees will as soon as practicable after the said 20th day of August next convey and assign over to the said Wm. Hughes (or as he may direct) all the property now vested in them by virtue of the said Deed of Assignment and divest themselves of the trusts of the said deed and will repudiate the claims of any creditors not claiming by the date last before mentioned.—Dated this 24th day of July 1897.

GAMLIN WILLIAMS and CO. Rhyll Solicitors to the said Trustees.

Notice to Creditors under Deed of Assignment.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors, executed on the 28th day of March 1896 by Joseph Hall Tweedy of No. 176 Shield-street in the city and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Builder.

THE creditors of the above named Joseph Hall Tweedy who have not already sent in their claims are required on or before the 23rd day of August 1897 to send in their names and addresses and particulars of their debts or claims to the undersigned the Solicitors for John George Harbottle, Edmund Ward Robson and Samuel Kirk, 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 23rd day of July 1897.

J. D. and D. M. MACDONALD 41 Mosley-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne Solicitors for the above named Trustees.

In the County Court of Lancashire holden at Liverpool.
No. 2 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the Moonlight Patent Lamp Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above named Company by the County Court of Lancashire holden at Liverpool was on the 28th day of July 1897 presented to the said Court by James Smith of 37 North John-street in the city of Liverpool Wine Merchant And that the said petition directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Court-house Government-buildings Victoria-street Liverpool on the 6th day of August 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.

BATESONS WARR and WIMSHURST 14 Castle-street Liverpool Solicitors to the Petitioner.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above-named, notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and

address of the person, or if a firm, the name and address of the firm and must be signed by the person or firm or his or their Solicitor (if any) and must be served or if posted must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above-named not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 5th day of August 1897.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent holden at Rochester.

AFTH Dividend is intended to be declared in the matter of William Henry Brown of 20 Constitution-hill, Luton, in the parish of Chatham, and 174, High-street, in the city of Rochester, both in the county of Kent, Coal and Coke Merchant, Debt Collector and Pensioner, adjudicated a bankrupt on the 26th day of May 1881. Creditors who have not proved their debts by the 10th day of August 1897 will be excluded from this Dividend.—Dated this 24th day of July 1897.

R. T. TATHAM 9 King-street Maidstone Official Receiver and Trustee.

In the High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy.

No. 2086 of 1897.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Notice dated the 2nd day of July 1897.

To Henry Briscoe Hayes.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Notice has been issued against you in this Court at the instance of the National Guardian Assurance Company Limited of 21 New Oxford-street, in the county of London and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette and in the Daily Telegraph newspapers shall be deemed to be service of the Bankruptcy Notice upon you. The Bankruptcy Notice can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated 20th day of July 1897. H. S. GIFFARD Registrar.

HOLDSWORTH and PAYNE 5 and 6 Old Serjeants'-inn, Chancery-lane, W.C., Judgment Creditors' Solicitors.

The Bankruptcy Acts, 1883 and 1890.

In the High Court of Justice, in Bankruptcy.

No. 407 of 1895.

Re John Henry Spence, of 27, St. Ann's-road, Brixton, and 44, Camberwell-road, both in Surrey, Feeding Bottle Shield Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an Order was, on the 2nd day of July, 1897, made by the Board of Trade, under the powers conferred upon them by the Bankruptcy Acts, 1883 and 1890, removing John Nathaniel Mitchell, of 8, Mount Edgcombe-gardens, Clapham-rise, S.W., from the office of Trustee of the property of the said John Henry Spence, a bankrupt.—Dated this 2nd day of July, 1897.

By the Board of Trade,

J. SMITH, Inspector-General in Bankruptcy.

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.
2337	Drewry, William James	57, New Broad-street, in the city of London	Solicitor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	June 11, 1897	749 of 1897	July 23, 1897	405	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2338	Evans, Thomas	4, High-street, Leyton, and of 1, Ford's Market, Canning Town, both in Essex	Baker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	July 1, 1897	826 of 1897	July 23, 1897	406	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (F.) and (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2339	Izod, Arthur James (trading as Arthur James)	39, Wellesley-road, West Croydon, Surrey, carrying on business at 4, Copthall-avenue, in the city of London	Hosier	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	July 22, 1897	906 of 1897	July 22, 1897	403	Debtor's	
2340	Leader, Arthur	Residing and carrying on business at 32 and 34, Roman-road, Old Ford, Middlesex	Boot and Shoe Maker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	July 24, 1897	916 of 1897	July 24, 1897	407	Debtor's	
2341	Lowe, Frederick	38, Baron's Court-road, West Kensington, Middlesex, and lately carrying on the profession of a Boarding School Proprietor, at Worthing College, Worthing, Sussex	Lately Boarding School Proprietor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	July 22, 1897	901 of 1897	July 22, 1897	401	Debtor's	
2342	McDowell, Thomas	5, Upper Porchester-street, Hyde Park, and lately residing at 113, Hall-place, Paddington, both in the county of London	Clerk in the Civil Service	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	July 22, 1897	905 of 1897	July 22, 1897	402	Debtor's	
2343	McKean, Archibald	10, Ridgmount-gardens, Gower-street, in the county of London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	May 29, 1897	691 of 1897	July 21, 1897	404	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2344	Vernon, Thomas, the younger	18, Walbrook, in the city of London, and of Firside, Walton-on-Thames, Surrey	Photo Engraver and Etcher, and late Secretary to a Company	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	June 10, 1897	740 of 1897	July 15, 1897	394	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (D.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2345	Roberts, Thomas	Mona House, Bryngwran, Anglesey	Grocer	Bangor	July 22, 1897	27 of 1897	July 22, 1897	25	Debtor's	
2346	Pollard, Martin	Prospect, Hoyland Nether, Yorkshire, formerly of the Princess Theatre, Hoyland Nether aforesaid	... ..	Barnsley	July 22, 1897	7 of 1897	July 22, 1897	7	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
2347	Green, John ...	44 and 68, Lumley-road, Skegness, Lincolnshire, and lately residing and carrying on business at 44, Lumley-road, Skegness aforesaid, and also carrying on business at 68, Lumley-road, Skegness aforesaid	Shoemaker ...	Boston...	July 14, 1897	7 of 1897	July 24, 1897	8	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (D.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2348	Hirst, Frank ...	Residing at 18, St. Andrew's-place, Bradford, and carrying on business at 12, Hall Ings, Bradford	Commission Agent ...	Bradford ...	July 22, 1897	55 of 1897	July 22, 1897	54	Debtor's	
2349	Pearson, Simeon Kay ...	141, Manningham-lane, Bradford, Yorkshire	Registered Plumber and Sanitary Engineer	Bradford ...	July 23, 1897	56 of 1897	July 23, 1897	55	Debtor's	
2350	Anstey, George (trading as the Calico Company)	126, Stapleton-road, in the city of Bristol ...	Draper ...	Bristol ...	July 9, 1897	32 of 1897	July 23, 1897	35	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (H.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
2351	Thornley, Henry...	Lately residing in the Callis, Ashby-de-la-Zouch, now in lodgings at Brook Side, Ashby-de-la-Zouch, Leicestershire	Dealer in Horses...	Burton-on-Trent	July 24, 1897	7 of 1897	July 24, 1897	7	Debtor's	
2352	Stebbing, George ...	Wivenhoe and Rowhedge, both in Essex ...	Grocer ...	Colchester ...	July 24, 1897	15 of 1897	July 24, 1897	12	Debtor's	
2353	Every, Tom John ...	High-street, Epping, Essex ...	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Edmonton ...	July 22, 1897	17 of 1897	July 22, 1897	14	Debtor's	
2354	Sharratt, William ...	113, Oxford-street, Great Grimsby ...	Drayman, late Publican	Great Grimsby	July 22, 1897	27 of 1897	July 22, 1897	27	Debtor's	
2355	Freeman, Arthur ...	2, Little Woodhouse-street, and residing at 3, Warwick-terrace, both in the city of Leeds	Painter and Paperhanger	Leeds ...	July 22, 1897	44 of 1897	July 22, 1897	43	Debtor's	
2356	Blount, William Joseph	Carrying on business at 6, St. Nicholas-street, in the county borough of Leicester; and residing in lodgings at 79, New Park-street, Leicester	Printer, Bookbinder, and Stationer	Leicester ...	July 22, 1897	50 of 1897	July 22, 1897	46	Debtor's	
2357	Williams, Edmund...	Now or lately residing at 14, Newton-street, Liverpool, and carrying on business at 24, Windsor-street and 2, Rathbone-street, both in the city of Liverpool	Bread and Flour Dealer	Liverpool ...	July 15, 1897	49 of 1897	July 22, 1897	43	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (D.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883

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.
2358	Mason, Joseph ...	The Trench, in the parish of Wrockwardine Wood, in the county of Salop, lately residing and carrying on business at the Barley Mow Inn, Madeley, in the county of Salop	Licensed Victualler ...	Madeley ...	July 22, 1897	5 of 1897	July 22, 1897	4	Debtor's	
2359	Morgan, William James	May Hill, in the borough of Monmouth, in the county of Monmouth	Formerly Coal Merchant, afterwards Haulier, and now out of business	Newport, Mon.	July 19, 1897	25 of 1897	July 19, 1897	24	Debtor's	
2360	Grissell, George Henry ...	32, Colwyn-road, in the town of Northampton	Grocer and Outdoor Beerhouse Keeper	Northampton ...	July 24, 1897	24 of 1897	July 24, 1897	24	Debtor's	
2361	Horden, Henry Huskisson	29, West-street and Rutland Works, Rutland-street, both in Kettering, Northamptonshire	Boot and Shoe Manufacturer	Northampton ...	July 23, 1897	23 of 1897	July 23, 1897	23	Debtor's	
2362	Warner, Frederick William	Lately carrying on business at Toftwood, in the county of Norfolk, now residing at 51, Commercial-road, East Dereham, in the county of Norfolk	Lately Licensed Victualler, now Journeyman Painter and Plumber	Norwich ...	July 22, 1897	22 of 1897	July 22, 1897	20	Debtor's	
2363	Mycroft, George Ernest and Webb, Edmund ... (trading as Palmer and Mycroft) ...	Residing in lodgings at 38, Loughborough-road, West Bridgford, Nottinghamshire Residing at 14, Balmoral-road, Nottingham At 8, Heathcote-street, Nottingham ...	Frilling and Fancy Goods Manufacturers	Nottingham ...	July 22, 1897	47 of 1897	July 22, 1897	42	Debtor's	
2364	Crossley, William Lowe	14, Henshaw-street, Oldham, Lancashire ...	Commission Agent ...	Oldham ...	July 24, 1897	11 of 1897	July 24, 1897	11	Debtor's	
2365	Hughes, Thomas ...	Clydach Cottage, Ynysybwll, Glamorganshire	Carpenter ...	Pontypridd ...	July 22, 1897	33 of 1897	July 22, 1897	31	Debtor's	
2366	Scott, Sarah ...	Reed-street, Cliffe-at-Hoo, in the county of Kent	Grocer, Coal Merchant, and General Dealer, Widow	Rochester ...	July 22, 1897	15 of 1897	July 22, 1897	13	Debtor's	
2367	Taylor, Alphonso Constantine	Now carrying on business at 7, Villiers-street, and residing at 7, Westcott-street, and lately residing at 7, Villiers-street, all in Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham	Printer ...	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesbrough	July 22, 1897	35 of 1897	July 22, 1897	33	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (F.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883

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.
2369	Franklin, William Henry	48, Whitehead-street, New Swindon, Wiltshire, lately residing and carrying on business at Regent-street, New Swindon aforesaid	Dairyman... ..	Swindon ...	July 22, 1897	12 of 1897	July 22, 1897	10	Debtor's	
2369	Austerberry, Robert ...	Elephant Hotel, Pontefract	Manager, formerly Hotel Proprietor	Wakefield ...	July 23, 1897	21 of 1897	July 23, 1897	21	Debtor's	
2370	Purkis, Alfred	Micheldever, in the county of Southampton...	Foreman Baker	Winchester ...	July 24, 1897	2 of 1897	July 24, 1897	2	Debtor's	
2371	Akery, Frank	18, Temple-road, Windsor, in the county of Berks, and carrying on business at Dagmar-road, Windsor aforesaid	Carpenter and Builder ...	Windsor ...	July 22, 1897	6 of 1897	July 22, 1897	7	Debtor's	
1734	Carter, Alfred	<i>The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 1st June, 1897.</i> Now residing at the Green Dragon Hotel, Thetford, in the county of Norfolk, and lately carrying on business at the Talbot Hotel, Halifax, Yorkshire	Now out of business, late Publican	Halifax	April 24, 1897	10 of 1897	May 29, 1897	15	Creditor's...	Sec. 1, Bankruptcy Act, 1890
2249	Boland, Alfred Patrick Joseph (trading as Greenhill and Joseph)	<i>The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 16th July, 1897.</i> Trading at the Greenhill Estate, Hinds-road, Harrow, in the county of Middlesex, and residing at 105, Priory-road, Kilburn, in the county of Middlesex	Builder	St. Albans ...	June 18, 1897	5 of 1897	July 13, 1897	6	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1(G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1893

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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.
Bennett, George (in the Receiving Order described as George Bennett and Sons)	5, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London	General Produce and Broker Agent	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	825 of 1897	Aug. 5, 1897	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Aug. 31, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
W. Butts and Co. ...	Church-row, Aldgate, in the city of London	Wholesale Grocers	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	878 of 1897	Aug. 5, 1897	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Aug. 31, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Clack, William Henry	23, College Park-terrace, Willesden, and of Howard-road, Cricklewood, both in Middlesex	Builder ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	683 of 1897	Aug. 5, 1897	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Aug. 31, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Crossman, Robert ...	Late of Brancaster, Lynn, Norfolk, whose present residence the Petitioning Creditor is unable to ascertain, but who is domiciled in England	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	801 of 1897	Aug. 3, 1897	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Aug. 31, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Houlton, George ...	During a part of the last six months residing at the Lord Palmerston Public-house, Abinger-road, Deptford, Kent, but whose present residence the Petitioning Creditor is unable to ascertain, domiciled in England	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	804 of 1897	Aug. 4, 1897	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Sept. 14, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	July 22, 1897
Speir, James ...	St. George's House, Eastcheap, in the city of London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	534 of 1897	Aug. 5, 1897	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Aug. 31, 1897	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Kenyon, George ...	Residing at 65, Lower Barnes-street, Clayton-le-Moors, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business at the same address	Grocer ...	Blackburn	8 of 1897	Aug. 18, 1897	1 P.M.	County Court-house, Blackburn	Aug. 18, 1897	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Blackburn	July 16, 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.
Sandiford, Mary	5, Holland-street, Whitefield, Lancashire	Retired Beerhouse Keeper	Bolton	20 of 1897	Aug. 3, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 16, Wood-street, Bolton	Sept. 13, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, Mawdsley street, Bolton	July 22, 1897
Hirst, Frank	Residing at 18, St. Andrew's-place, Bradford, and carrying on business at 12, Hall-ings, both in Bradford	Commission Agent	Bradford	55 of 1897	Aug. 5, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford	Aug. 13, 1897	10 A.M.	County Court, Manor - row, Bradford	July 24, 1897
Davies, Edward Ernest (trading as the Regency Cycle Depôt)	13, Regency-square, carrying on business at 68B, Preston-street, both in Brighton, Sussex	Cycle Agent	Brighton	42 of 1897	Aug. 3, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Senior Official Receiver's Offices, 24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Aug. 12, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, Church-street, Brighton	July 23, 1897
Anstey, George (trading as the Calico Company)	126, Stapleton-road, in the city of Bristol	Draper	Bristol	32 of 1897	Aug. 5, 1897	12 noon	Office of Official Receiver, Bank-chambers, Corn-street, Bristol	Sept. 24, 1897	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	
Bennett, Robert	24, Cromer-road, Eastville, in the parish of St. George, in the county of Gloucester, and lately residing at 10, Wellington-place, Horfield, in the county of Gloucester	Builder's Foreman	Bristol	38 of 1897	Aug. 5, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Office of Official Receiver, Bank-chambers, Corn-street, Bristol	Sept. 24, 1897	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	July 22, 1897
Wayne, John	Gotham Farm, Parwich, Derbyshire	Farmer	Burton-on-Trent	6 of 1897	Aug. 5, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Midland Hotel, Station - street, Burton-on-Trent	Aug. 5, 1897	12 noon	Court - house, Station-street, Burton - on - Trent	
Mills, Frederick	Residing at Nunnery Green, in the city of Canterbury, and carrying on business at 7, Nunnery-fields, Canterbury	Butcher	Canterbury	23 of 1897	Aug. 5, 1897	9.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 73, Castle-street, Canterbury	Aug. 5, 1897	10 A.M.	Guildhall, Canterbury	July 21, 1897
Howard, John Thomas	Maldon, Essex	Shipbuilder	Chelmsford	9 of 1897	Aug. 4, 1897	1.30 P.M.	Shirehall, Chelmsford	Aug. 4, 1897	11 A.M.	Shirehall, Chelmsford	

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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.
Routledge, H. H. ...	Tower House, Tweedy-road, Bromley, Kent	Lieutenant-Colonel of Her Majesty's Army Pay Department, retired	Croydon ...	18 of 1897	Aug. 4, 1897	11.30 A.M.	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Aug. 11, 1897	11 A.M.	County Court, Park - street, Croydon	July 21, 1897
Gorges, E. H. ...	Of the 2nd Manchester Regiment, Aldershot, in the county of Hants	Captain in the Army, lately stationed with his Regiment in India	Guildford and Godalming	12 of 1897	Aug. 5, 1897	12.30 P.M.	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Sept. 7, 1897	1 P.M.	Townhall, Guildford	
Johnson, Thomas William	5, Bulmer's-buildings, and carrying on business at 1, Bulmer's-buildings, Hyde Park, in the city of Leeds	Newsagent ...	Leeds ...	42 of 1897	Aug. 5, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park-row, Leeds	Aug. 17, 1897	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Albion-place, Leeds	July 14, 1897
Scott, Sarah ...	Reed-street, Cliffe-at-Hoo, in the county of Kent	Grocer, Coal Merchant, and General Dealer, Widow	Rochester ...	15 of 1897	Aug. 16, 1897	11 A.M.	115, High - street, Rochester	Aug. 16, 1897	2 P.M.	Court - house, Eastgate, Rochester	July 23, 1897
Turner, Frederick ...	8, Montague-road, Swanley, Kent, late residing at Home Villa, Swanley aforesaid	Agricultural Labourer	Rochester ...	14 of 1897	Aug. 16, 1897	11.30 A.M.	115, High - street, Rochester	Aug. 16, 1897	2 P.M.	Court - house, Eastgate, Rochester	July 23, 1897
Whybrow, Ernest Edward	29, Spring-terrace, Hexthorpe, near Doncaster, Yorkshire	Smallware Dealer	Sheffield ...	30 of 1897	Aug. 4, 1897	2.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Figtreet-lane, Sheffield	Sept. 9, 1897	3 P.M.	County Court-hall, Bank-street, Sheffield	July 24, 1897
Ockenden, Owen ...	Bell Inn, Brook, Bramshaw, in the county of Hants	Licensed Victualler	Southampton ...	14 of 1897	Aug. 3, 1897	3.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 4, East-street, Southampton	Aug. 25, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, Castle-square, Southampton	July 21, 1897
Gillett, Ernest ...	Whose present address is unknown, but lately residing at 12, Arncliffe-gardens, and carrying on business at 60 and 62, Lynn-street, West Hartlepool	Draper ...	Sunderland ...	15 of 1897	Aug. 3, 1897	2.15 P.M.	Royal Hotel, West Hartlepool	Aug. 19, 1897	2.30 P.M.	Court - house, John - street, Sunderland	

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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.
McAvera, James ...	White Horse Hotel, Guildford, in the county of Surrey, late of 11, Castle-street, in the county borough of Swansea	Now of no occupation, late Boot and Shoe Dealer	Swansea ...	19 of 1897	Aug. 5, 1897	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, 31, Alexandra-road, Swansea	Aug. 12, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Townhall, Swansea	
Walling, Stanley Walthew	Alcombe, Dunster, near Minehead, in the county of Somerset, formerly of the George Hotel, Crewkerne	Hotel Proprietor	Taunton ...	5 of 1897	Aug. 4, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 5B, Hammet-street, Taunton	Aug. 18, 1897	2.30 P.M.	Guildhall, Taunton	July 23, 1897
Oliver, Julia ...	Lansdown-road and 13, Church-street, Falmouth, Cornwall	Stationer and Fancy Dealer, Widow	Truro ...	27 of 1897	Aug. 5, 1897	12 noon	Official Receiver's Office, Boscawen-street, Truro	Aug. 14, 1897	11.45 A.M.	Townhall, Truro	July 22, 1897
Robinson, Lilian Mosse	The Albion Hotel, Edenbridge, in the county of Kent	Widow ...	Tunbridge Wells	11 of 1897	Aug. 4, 1897	12.30 P.M.	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Aug. 10, 1897	2.30 P.M.	Townhall, Tunbridge Wells	
Standing, Herbert ...	19, Carmalt-gardens, Upper Richmond-road, Putney, in the county of Surrey	Comedian...	Wandsworth ...	12 of 1897	Aug. 5, 1897	11.30 A.M.	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Aug. 5, 1897	12 noon	Court - house, Wandsworth	
Gregory, Ann ...	89, High-street, Street, Somersetshire	Grocer ...	Wells ...	7 of 1897	Aug. 5, 1897	1 P.M.	Office of Official Receiver, Bank-chambers, Corn-street, Bristol	Aug. 10, 1897	1 P.M.	Townhall, Wells	July 21, 1897
Lea, William James (formerly trading as Teakle and Company)	105, Bright-street, Whitmore Reans, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, formerly of 14, College-buildings, Hare-lane, Gloucester, and Hazeldine Mills, Robins Wood Hill, in the county of Gloucester	Shopkeeper's Assistant, formerly Bedding Manufacturer	Wolverhampton	25 of 1897	Aug. 5, 1897	10.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Wolverhampton	Aug. 5, 1897	11 A.M.	County Court, Wolverhampton	July 14, 1897

ADJUDICATIONS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Bennett, George (described in Receiving Order as George Bennett and Sons)	5, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London	General Produce Broker and Agent	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	825 of 1897	July 24, 1897 ...	July 1, 1897
Blumberg, Edgar James (described in Receiving Order as Edgar J. Blumberg)	Mansfield, 6, Frognal, South Hampstead, in the county of London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	728 of 1897	July 24, 1897 ...	June 8, 1897
Dickinson, Herbert Young	150, Leadenhall - street, in the city of London, lately carrying on business at 79½, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	607 of 1897	July 24, 1897 ...	May 17, 1897
Gnattari, Augusto	40, Craven-park, Harlesden, Middlesex, lately residing at 42, Walterton-road, St. Peter's Park, Bayswater, London	Engineer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	504 of 1897	July 23, 1897 ...	April 26, 1897
Houlton, George	Domiciled in England, during a part of the last six months residing at the Lord Palmerston Public-house, Abinger-road, Deptford, Kent, but whose present residence the Petitioning Creditor is unable to ascertain	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	804 of 1897	July 22, 1897 ...	June 26, 1897
Leader, Arthur	Residing and carrying on business at 32 and 34, Roman-road, Old Ford, Middlesex	Boot and Shoe Maker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	916 of 1897	July 24, 1897 ...	July 24, 1897
Lowe, Frederick	38, Baron's Court-road, West Kensington, Middlesex, and lately carrying on the profession of a Boarding School Proprietor at Worthing College, Worthing, Sussex	Lately Boarding School Proprietor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	901 of 1897	July 22, 1897 ...	July 22, 1897
Lynn, Thomas Richard	1, Kingsland-road, Shoreditch, Middlesex	Publican	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	597 of 1897	July 21, 1897 ...	May 14, 1897
Newby, William Blowers	Lately residing and carrying on business at 27 and 8, Cornwallis-gardens, Hastings, Sussex, but whose present address is unknown	Late Boarding-house Keeper ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	725 of 1897	July 22, 1897 ...	June 5, 1897
Rosenthal, Harris	109, Brick-lane, Spitalfields, in the county of London ...	Shoe Manufacturer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	689 of 1897	July 23, 1897 ...	May 29, 1897
Hughes, Robert	Plas Llwyd, Bangor, in the county of Carnarvon	Secretary to a Building Society ...	Bangor	23 of 1897	July 22, 1897 ...	June 30, 1897
Roberts, Thomas	Mona House, Bryngwran, Anglesey	Grocer	Bangor	27 of 1897	July 22, 1897 ...	July 22, 1897

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Pollard, Martin	Prospect, Hoyland Nether, Yorkshire, formerly of the Princess Theatre, Hoyland Nether aforesaid	... ..	Barnsley	7 of 1897	July 22, 1897 ...	July 21, 1897
Wagstaff, Henry	70, Hamstead-road, also trading at 86, Villa-road and 95, Holyhead-road, all in Handsworth, Staffordshire	Poulterer and Fishmonger, also Fruiterer	Birmingham	56 of 1897	July 24, 1897 ...	July 20, 1897
Sandiford, Mary	5, Holland-street, Whitefield, in the county of Lancaster ...	Retired Beerhouse Keeper	Bolton	20 of 1897	July 24, 1897 ...	July 2, 1897
Hirst, Frank	Residing at 18, St. Andrew's-place, Bradford, and carrying on business at 12, Hall-ings, Bradford	Commission Agent	Bradford	55 of 1897	July 22, 1897 ...	July 22, 1897
Pearson, Simeon Kay	141, Manningham-lane, Bradford, Yorkshire	Registered Plumber and Sanitary Engineer	Bradford	56 of 1897	July 23, 1897 ...	July 23, 1897
Hawes, Henry Mullinex (carrying on business as the Bristol Bottling Company and Brewers' Agency)	Residing at 239, Cheltenham-road, in the city and county of Bristol, and carrying on business at 17, Prince-street, in the said city and county, and formerly at 36, Queen-square, in the said city and county of Bristol	Brewer's Agent	Bristol	36 of 1897	July 23, 1897 ...	July 15, 1897
Thornley, Henry	Lately residing in the Callis, Ashby-de-la-Zouch, now in lodgings at Brook Side, Ashby-de-la-Zouch, Leicestershire	Dealer in Horses	Burton-on-Trent	7 of 1897	July 24, 1897 ...	July 24, 1897
Stebbling, George	Wivenhoe and Rowhedge, both in Essex	Grocer	Colchester	15 of 1897	July 24, 1897 ...	July 24, 1897
Sharratt, William	113, Oxford-street, Great Grimsby	Drayman, late Publican	Great Grimsby	27 of 1897	July 22, 1897 ...	July 22, 1897
Carter, Alfred	Now residing at the Green Dragon Hotel, Thetford, in the county of Norfolk, and lately carrying on business at the Talbot Hotel, Halifax, Yorkshire	Now out of business, late Publican	Halifax	10 of 1897	June 18, 1897 ...	April 24, 1897
Ford, Edmund Joseph	Lea, Mitcheldean, near Ross, Herefordshire	Farmer	Hereford	8 of 1897	July 23, 1897 ...	June 12, 1897
Freeman, Arthur	2, Little Woodhouse-street and residing at 3, Warwick-terrace, both in the city of Leeds	Painter and Paperhanger	Leeds	44 of 1897	July 22, 1897 ...	July 22, 1897

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Blount, William Joseph	Carrying on business at 6, St. Nicholas-street, in the county borough of Leicester, and residing in lodgings at 79, New Park-street, Leicester	Printer, Bookbinder, and Stationer	Leicester	50 of 1897	July 22, 1897 ...	July 16, 1897
Woodhouse, Thomas Edward	Whitwell, in the county of Rutland	Clerk in Holy Orders	Leicester	44 of 1897	July 22, 1897 ...	June 30, 1897
Smith, James Arthur	Residing and carrying on business at 51, Ditch Hillock, Sutton St. Helens, in the county of Lancaster	Grocer	Liverpool	47 of 1897	July 24, 1897 ...	July 5, 1897
Williams, Edmund	Now or lately residing at 14, Newton-street, Liverpool, and carrying on business at 24, Windsor-street and 2, Rathbone-street, both in the city of Liverpool	Bread and Flour Dealer	Liverpool	49 of 1897	July 24, 1897 ...	July 13, 1897
Mason, Joseph	The Trench, in the parish of Wrockwardine Wood, in the county of Salop, lately residing and carrying on business at the Barley Mow Inn, Madeley, in the county of Salop	Licensed Victualler	Madeley	5 of 1897	July 22, 1897 ...	July 22, 1897
Keeley, William Michael (carrying on business under the name or style of William Keeley)	Residing at 119, Clowes-street, West Gorton, Manchester, and carrying on business at 119, Clowes-street aforesaid, and at 239, Hyde-road, West Gorton aforesaid	Confectioner and Carter	Manchester	40 of 1897	July 23, 1897 ...	July 15, 1897
Whitaker, James Hitchon	19, Dickenson-street, in the city of Manchester, residing at Holm Lea, Sale	Yarn and Cloth Merchant	Manchester	24 of 1897	July 22, 1897 ...	May 8, 1897
Morgan, William James	May Hill, in the borough of Monmouth, in the county of Monmouth	Formerly Coal Merchant, afterwards Haulier, and now out of business	Newport, Mon.	25 of 1897	July 19, 1897 ...	July 19, 1897
Grissell, George Henry	32, Colwyn-road, in the town of Northampton... ..	Grocer and Out-door Beerhouse Keeper	Northampton	24 of 1897	July 24, 1897 ...	July 24, 1897
Warner, Frederick William	Lately carrying on business at Toftwood, in the county of Norfolk, now residing at 51, Commercial-road East, Dereham, in the county of Norfolk	Lately Licensed Victualler, now Journeyman Painter and Plumber	Norwich	22 of 1897	July 22, 1897 ...	July 22, 1897
Crossley, William Lowe	14, Henshaw-street, Oldham, Lancashire	Commission Agent	Oldham	11 of 1897	July 24, 1897 ...	July 24, 1897
Hughes, Thomas	Clydach Cottage, Ynysybwl, Glamorganshire	Carpenter	Pontypridd	33 of 1897	July 22, 1897 ...	July 22, 1897
Scott, Sarah	Reed-street, Cliffe-at-Hoo, in the county of Kent	Grocer, Coal Merchant, and General Dealer; Widow	Rochester	15 of 1897	July 22, 1897 ...	July 22, 1897

ADJUDICATIONS—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Gregory, George William	Residing at 5, Wyle Cop, Shrewsbury, and carrying on business at 5, Wyle Cop, Shrewsbury, the Cross, Ludlow, 12, High-street, Whitchurch, 13, New-street, Wellington, and High-street, Wem, all in the county of Salop	Dental Surgeon	Shrewsbury	9 of 1897	July 23, 1897 ..	June 12, 1897
Ockenden, Owen	The Bell Inn, Brook, Bramshaw, in the county of Hants ...	Licensed Victualler	Southampton	14 of 1897	July 22, 1897 ...	July 15, 1897
Franklin, William Henry	48, Whitehead-street, New Swindon, Wiltshire, lately residing and carrying on business at Regent-street, New Swindon aforesaid	Dairyman	Swindon	12 of 1897	July 23, 1897 ...	July 22, 1897
Watling, Stanley Walthew... ..	Alcombe, Dunster, near Minehead, in the county of Somerset, formerly of the George Hotel, Crewkerne	Hotel Proprietor	Taunton	5 of 1897	July 23, 1897 ...	July 7, 1897
Austerberry, Robert... ..	Elephant Hotel, Pontefract	Manager, formerly Hotel Proprietor	Wakefield	21 of 1897	July 23, 1897 ..	July 23, 1897
Akery, Frank... ..	18, Temple-road, Windsor, in the county of Berks, and carrying on business at Dagmar-road, Windsor aforesaid	Carpenter and Builder	Windsor	6 of 1897	July 22, 1897 ...	July 22, 1897

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Eloock, Sarah Hales (described in the Receiving Order as S. H. Eloock)	Lately residing at 152, Harley-street, in the county of London, and the Spa, Tunbridge Wells, Kent, whose present address and residence the Petitioning Creditor is unable to ascertain	Widow	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	753 of 1893	Aug. 11, 1897 ...	E. Leadam Hough, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Ellis, Willie Herbert ...	25, Lidfield-road, Green Lanes, trading at 11, Monte Cristo-parade, Newington Green, lately trading at 5 and 12, Monte Cristo-parade, Newington Green aforesaid, and at 235, Seven Sisters'-road, all in Middlesex	Boot and Shoe Dealer and Hosier	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1439 of 1895	Aug. 11, 1897 ...	Augustus Cufande Palmer	7 and 8, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.
Maidment, Ellen Louisa (carrying on business as Maidment and Co.)	19, Victoria-grove, Kensington, and carrying on business at Stanhope-mews West, South Kensington, both in the county of London	Carrying on business as a Jobmaster, Wife of John Fuego Maidment, a Married Woman, trading separate and apart from her Husband, having separate estate and separate assets	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	612 of 1897	Aug. 11, 1897 ...	H. Brougham, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Millington, Joseph ...	Residing at the Cottage, Blackhorse-road, Walthamstow, Essex, and trading at 8 and 9, Hayne-street, in the city of London, in copartnership, and lately trading also in copartnership at 25 and 27, St. John-street, Middlesex	Printer and Stationer, in copartnership with James Thomas Salter as Millington Brothers, also lately in copartnership with Charles Millington as Millington Brothers	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1637 of 1894	Aug. 10, 1897 ...	Lawrence Hasluck ...	17, Holborn-viaduct, London, E.C.
Poole, Albert	Residing and carrying on business at the Stanhope Hotel, Calverley Bridge, Yorkshire	Publican	Bradford	29 of 1897	Aug. 11, 1897 ...	J. Arthur Binns, Official Receiver	31, Manor-row, Bradford
Shaul, Benjamin (carrying on business as Goodspeed and Co. ... and as the West End Fish and Poultry Stores, also as The Central Fish and Poultry Stores)	10, Castle-road, Hythe, Kent, formerly residing at 18, Alexandra-gardens, Folkestone, Kent At 3, George-lane, Folkestone At 14, Bouverie-road, Folkestone At 21, High-street, Hythe	Grocer, Fishmonger, Poulterer, and House and Estate Agent	Canterbury	14 of 1897	Aug. 8, 1897 ...	Oscar Berry	Monument House, London, E.C.
Archibald, George Tomlinson	Now or lately carrying on business at 10, Station-road, Workington, Cumberland, and residing at 4, Belvedere-terrace, Workington aforesaid, and formerly carrying on business at 56, Church-street, Workington aforesaid	Chemist and Druggist ...	Cookermouth and Workington	3 of 1896	Aug. 10, 1897 ...	Kighley J. Hough, Official Receiver	34, Fisher-street, Carlisle

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Oakey, Oliver James	Residing and trading at the Green, Attleborough, near Nuneaton, Warwickshire	Baker, Grocer, and Carrier...	Coventry ...	18 of 1895	Aug. 10, 1897	Edward Thomas Peirson, Official Receiver	17, Hertford-street, Coventry
Wythes, Joseph	Woodside, Dudley, and Holly Hall, Dudley, Worcestershire	Grocer...	Dudley ...	6 of 1896	Aug. 10, 1897	Edward Percy Jobson, Official Receiver	Wolverhampton - street, Dudley
Elliott, John William	Queen's-road, St. Thomas the Apostle, Devonshire	Farmer ...	Exeter ...	18 of 1897	Aug. 27, 1897	Thomas Andrew, Official Receiver	13, Bedford-circus, Exeter
Buxton, Cariss	11, St. John's-square and 12, Navigation-street, both in Burslem, Staffordshire	Hosier and Hatter ...	Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall	5 of 1897	Aug. 14, 1897	Thomas Bullock, Official Receiver	King-street, Newcastle-under-Lyme
Cowen, William George	27, Newcastle-street, Burslem, Staffordshire	Plumber and Glazier	Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall	40 of 1896	Aug. 14, 1897	Thomas Bullock, Official Receiver	King-street, Newcastle-under-Lyme
Meadowcroft, Robert	Market-street, Kidsgrove, Staffordshire	Grocer	Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall	7 of 1896	Aug. 11, 1897	Thomas Bullock, Official Receiver	King-street, Newcastle-under-Lyme
Pearce, William	Occupation-street, Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffordshire	Grocer	Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall	17 of 1896	Aug. 11, 1897	Thomas Bullock, Official Receiver	King-street, Newcastle-under-Lyme
Bumstead, Stephen	3, Richardson's-cottages, All Saints-street, Hastings, and Rock-a-Nore-road, Hastings, Sussex	Fisherman and Boat Owner	Hastings ...	2 of 1897	Aug. 11, 1897	Howard W. Cox, Official Receiver	4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Harvey, William Edward	Saxmundham, Suffolk	Grocer and Draper	Ipswich ...	3 of 1897	Aug. 10, 1897	Isaac Lott Ensor	17, Museum-street, Ipswich
Barrie, Alexander... and Aylward, Charles Frederick (trading as Barrie and Aylward)	Residing at 32, Pool-road, Newfoundpool, Leicester Residing at Grace-road, Aylestone Park, Leicester						
Barrie, Alexander... (Separate Estate)	At 32, Pool-road, Newfoundpool, Leicester, and Grace-road, Aylestone Park, Leicester	Grocers	Leicester ...	11 of 1897	Aug. 11, 1897	J. G. Burgess, Official Receiver	1, Berridge-street, Leicester
	32, Pool-road, Newfoundpool, Leicester	Grocer...	Leicester ...	11 of 1897	Aug. 11, 1897	J. G. Burgess, Official Receiver	1, Berridge-street, Leicester
Healey, Alfred	Horncastle and Branston, both in Lincolnshire	Brewer and Maltster	Lincoln ...	13 of 1896	Aug. 10, 1897	R. J. Ward, Official Receiver	31, Silver-street, Lincoln

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Eccles, Joshua ...	Whose present address is unknown, but lately residing in apartments in Duke-street, Formby, in the county of Lancaster, and lately carrying on business at a shop adjoining in Duke-street, Formby aforesaid	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Liverpool ...	81 of 1897	Aug. 11, 1897 ...	Frederick Gittins, Official Receiver	35, Victoria-street, Liverpool
Lythgoe, William...	High-street, Malpas, Cheshire ...	Plumber ...	Nantwich and Crewe	2 of 1896	Aug. 14, 1897 ...	Thomas Bullock, Official Receiver	King-street, Newcastle-under-Lyme
Morgan, Arthur Richard (trading as Griffith Morgan)	The Parade, Neath, Glamorganshire ...	Boot and Shoe Salesman and Accountant	Neath ...	11 of 1897	Aug. 10, 1897 ...	Thomas Thomas, Official Receiver	31, Alexandra-road, Swansea
Claridge, William...	Arden Villa, Melville-street, Ryde, Isle of Wight	Government Clerk ...	Newport and Ryde...	15 of 1894	Aug. 10, 1897 ...	H. C. Damant, Official Receiver	19, Quay-street, Newport, Isle of Wight
H Phillips, James ...	The Square, Yarmouth, Isle of Wight ...	Boot and Shoe Salesman ...	Newport and Ryde...	28 of 1896	Aug. 10, 1897 ...	H. C. Damant, Official Receiver	19, Quay-street, Newport, Isle of Wight
Edwards, Owen	29, Commercial-street, Newtown, late of Sarn, near Newtown, Glamorganshire	Grocer ...	Newtown ...	16 of 1895	Aug. 16, 1897 ...	J. D. Davies, Official Receiver	Llanidloes
Abbott, George Evans, jun.	Wellington-street, Kettering, Northamptonshire, and 87, Hawthorn-road, Kettering aforesaid	Heel Manufacturer ...	Northampton ...	32 of 1896	Aug. 12, 1897 ...	Augustus C. Palmer ...	St. Giles'-chambers, Northampton
Smith, Percival Boucher Saunders	41, Ebrington-street, Plymouth, and 3, Union-street, East Stonehouse, Devonshire	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	57 of 1896	Aug. 12, 1897 ...	John Greenway, Official Receiver	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth
Ugnow, Wymond Cory ...	Carley Farm, Lifton, Devonshire ...	Farmer ...	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	42 of 1896	Aug. 12, 1897 ...	John Greenway, Official Receiver	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth
Whiting, Samuel ...	23 and 24, Kinterbury-street, Plymouth, and residing at 8, South Devon-place, Plymouth, Devonshire	Rag Merchant ...	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	51 of 1896	Aug. 12, 1897 ...	John Greenway, Official Receiver	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth
Edwards, Henry ...	2, Sherston-place, Bexley Heath, Kent ...	Gentleman ...	Rochester ...	11 of 1891	Aug. 10, 1897 ...	R. T. Tatham, Official Receiver	Official Receiver's Office, 9, King-street, Maidstone
Gater, Joseph ...	The Cottage, Shawbury, Salop ...	Farmer ...	Shrewsbury ...	10 of 1897	Aug. 11, 1897 ...	Thomas Bullock, Official Receiver	Shrewsbury
Jones, Corbet Ellis ...	13, Cleveland-street, Shrewsbury, Salop, lately residing and carrying on business at the Masonic Arms, Belle Vue-road, Shrewsbury aforesaid	Auctioneer's Clerk ...	Shrewsbury ...	7 of 1897	Aug. 11, 1897 ...	Thomas Bullock, Official Receiver	Shrewsbury

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Inskip, Henry	Church-street, Longton, Staffordshire, formerly of Stone-road, Longton aforesaid	Late Builder's Manager, now out of business	Stoke-upon-Trent and Longton	18 of 1896	Aug. 14, 1897 ...	Thomas Bullock, Official Receiver	King-street, Newcastle-under-Lyme
Cole, Richard Thomas	Calne, Wiltshire	Ironmonger	Swindon	5 of 1897	Aug. 10, 1897 ...	George Graham Poppleton	164, Aldersgate-street, London, E.C.
Barnett, Horace	Beech Farm, Brenchley, Kent	Farmer	Tunbridge Wells	14 of 1896	Aug. 12, 1897 ...	A. Mackintosh, Official Receiver	24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.
Zusman, Zusman	Riches-street, Wolverhampton, Staffordshire	Jeweller	Wolverhampton	17 of 1896	Aug. 14, 1897 ...	Edwin Pritchard, Official Receiver	St. Peter's-close, Wolverhampton
Creaser, George Minks	3, High Ousegate, in the city of York	Tobacconist	York	20 of 1897	Aug. 10, 1897 ...	Edward Towler Wilkinson, Official Receiver	28, Stongate, York

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Amery, William Thomas and Amery, Thomas James (trading as George Amery and Sons)	92, Seymour-place, Bryanston-square, London, W., and Wellington, Somersetshire	Coachbuilders ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1555 of 1896	5s.	First	Aug. 13, 1897...	Offices of the Wholesale Traders' Association, 184, Aldersgate-street, London, E.C.
Bolton, James Charles ...	26, Great St. Helen's, in the city of London	Accountant ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	464 of 1891	7d.	Sixth	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Julian, Henry ... (Separate Estate)	Residing at 57, Milson-road, West Kensington Park, Middlesex	Builder and Contractor, trading with Thomas Ennor Julian, under the style or firm of T. Ennor Julian and Co.	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	427 of 1884	18s. 11d.	Supplemental	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Julian, Thomas Ennor ... (Separate Estate)	Residing at 22, Palace-road, Brixton, in the county of Surrey	Builder and Contractor, trading with Henry Julian, under the style or firm of T. Ennor Julian and Co.	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	427 of 1884	20s.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Taylor, Henry Alfred ...	6, South-street, Finsbury-square, Middlesex, and residing at 19, Weston-park, Crouch End, Middlesex	Solicitor ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	410 of 1895	2s. 0½d.	First and Final	Any day after Aug. 4, 1897 (except Saturday), between 10 and 4	Percy Mason and Co.'s, 64, Gresham-street, London, E.C.
Coltman, Alfred ...	High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire...	Auctioneer, Valuer, and Furniture Dealer	Aylesbury ...	5 of 1896	2s. 1½d.	First and Final	Aug. 14, 1897 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 1, St. Aldate-street, Oxford
Ingram, William ..	Crown Inn, Weston Turville, Buckinghamshire	Beerhouse Keeper and Poultry Dealer	Aylesbury ...	8 of 1896	1s. 5½d.	First and Final	Aug. 18, 1897 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 1, St. Aldate-street, Oxford
Bull, Harry ...	Banbury, Oxfordshire ...	Coachbuilder ...	Banbury ...	10 of 1896	1s. 7½d.	First and Final	Aug. 4, 1897...	Official Receiver's Offices, 1, St. Aldate-street, Oxford
Bunker, Herbert Thomas	High-street, Potter's Bar, Middlesex ...	Coachbuilder ...	Barnet ...	4 of 1897	6s. 8d.	First and Final	July 30, 1897 ...	Office of Trustee, Stephen P. Child, 42, Poultry, E.C.
Tilbury, James ...	High-street, Potter's Bar, Middlesex ...	Baker ...	Barnet ...	4 of 1895	6s. 0½d.	First and Final	July 30, 1897 ...	Office of Official Receiver, 95, Temple-chambers, Temple-avenue, E.C.
Ingham, Albert Arthur ...	37, Victor-road, Bradford, Yorkshire ...	Professor of Music ...	Bradford ...	9 of 1897	3s. 6½d.	First and Final	Aug. 3, 1897 ...	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford

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Raymond, Richard William	38, Paul-street, Kingsdown, in the city and county of Bristol	Butcher	Bristol	29 of 1895	1s. 6d.	Second and Final	Aug. 9, 1897...	Offices of Official Receiver, Bank-chambers, Corn-street, Bristol
Higgitt, William Henry	Residing at 40, Cross-cheaping, and trading at 40, Cross-cheaping and Ironmonger-row, both in the city of Coventry, Warwickshire	Confectioner	Coventry	7 of 1893	1s.	Supplemental	July 30, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, 17, Hertford-street, Coventry
Anstey, Frank Calvert Poussett	Chester Lodge, Brunswick-road, Sutton, Surrey	Clerk	Croydon	25 of 1894	4s.	Third and Final instalment of Composition	Aug. 10, 1897	Offices of Official Receiver, 24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.
Atkinson, George Kilvington	Freeman-street and Old Market-place, Great Grimsby, Lincolnshire	Confectioner and Eating-house Proprietor	Great Grimsby	21 of 1896	4½d.	Second and Final	Aug. 10, 1897	16, Parliament-street, Hull
Bennett, Nicholas James	Residing at 45, Forster-street, and trading at Wharf-street, both in Burslem, Staffordshire	Builder	Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall	12 of 1895	3s. 7½d.	First and Final	July 29, 1897	Official Receiver's Office, Newcastle-under-Lyme
Coe, Arthur, and... Davies, William ...	23, St. Martin's-street, Hereford 15, Church-street, Leominster, Herefordshire	Auctioneers	Leominster	14 and 15 of 1895	11½d.	First and Final	Aug. 10, 1897	2, Offa-street, Hereford
Fryor, John Pearce	18, Paddock-road and Station-approach, both in Lewes, Sussex	Ironmonger	Lewes	9 of 1896	6s. 7d.	First and Final	Aug. 9, 1897...	Office of Official Receiver 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Jones, Mary	Railway Inn, East-street, Dowlais, Glamorganshire	Licensed Victualler	Merthyr Tydfil	21 of 1896	5s. 11½d.	First and Final	Aug. 4, 1897...	Official Receiver's Office, 65, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil
Grantham, Edwin	Victoria-road, Freshwater, Isle of Wight...	Outfitter	Newport and Ryde...	41 of 1896	2s. 11d.	First and Final	On and after July 27, 1897	Official Receiver's Office, 19, Quay-street, Newport, Isle of Wight
Rumbelow, Harry Albert	Formerly of Newport Grammar School, and of Cowes Extension School, Cowes, both in the Isle of Wight	Schoolmaster	Newport and Ryde...	20 of 1895	4d.	First and Final	On and after July 26, 1897	Official Receiver's Office, 19, Quay-street, Newport, Isle of Wight
Waind, Henry	Bolton-on-Swale, near Scorton, Yorkshire	Farmer	Northallerton	3 of 1897	3s. 5½d.	First and Final	Aug. 5, 1897...	Official Receiver's Office, 8, Albert-road, Middlesborough
Gibbs, Francis William	77, Holly-road and Harrold-street, both in Northampton	Shoe Manufacturer	Northampton	14 of 1897	4s.	First	Aug. 4, 1897...	St. Giles'-chambers, Northampton

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Edwards, Jeremiah Fish (Deceased)	Late of Hockham, Norfolk ...	Late Innkeeper, Wheelwright, and Farmer	Norwich ...	4 of 1896	10s.	First	Aug. 4, 1897...	Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich
Bellamy, Montague Edward James Butwell	50 and 51, St. Giles-street, Oxford ...	Bookbinder and Stationer	Oxford ...	4 of 1897	2s. 2½d.	First and Final	Aug. 11, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, 1, St. Aldate-street, Oxford
Griffiths, John (trading as the Ferndale Bottling Company)	43, Taff-street, Ferndale, Glamorganshire	Aërated Water Manufacturer	Pontypridd ...	78 of 1896	3s. 9½d.	First and Final	Aug. 4, 1897	Official Receiver's Office, 65, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil
Smith, Joseph ...	Market-street, Penkridge, Staffordshire ...	Butcher ...	Stafford ...	10 of 1896	8s. 6d.	First and Final	Aug. 3, 1897	St. Martin's-place, Stafford
Smith, George ...	Residing at Hill-street, Stoke-upon-Trent, and carrying on business at Commerce-street and the Wheat Sheaf Hotel-yard, Stoke-upon-Trent, Staffordshire	Cab Proprietor ...	Stoke-upon-Trent and Longton	7 of 1896	1s. 6½d.	First and Final	Aug. 4, 1897	Offices of Trustees, C. E. Bullock, Albion-street, Hanley, Staffordshire
Johnson, Thomas William	Lately residing at 19, Lonsdale-place, Whitehaven, Cumberland, and carrying on business at 21, Duke-street, Whitehaven aforesaid, and at 6, Cavendish-square, Barrow-in-Furness, Lancashire	Auctioneer and General Dealer	Whitehaven...	1 of 1896	1s. 10½d.	First and Final	July 28, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, 34, Fisher-street, Carlisle
Homes, William ...	Gold Hill, parish of Bosbury, Herefordshire	Farmer ...	Worcester ...	20 of 1896	1s. 7½d.	Supplementary	Aug. 3, 1897	Whitehall-chambers, 23, Colmore-row, Birmingham
Rowberry, Leonard Vale	Swan Inn, Newland, Worcestershire	Innkeeper and Baker ...	Worcester ...	7 of 1896	2s. 3d.	First and Final	Aug. 3, 1897	Whitehall-chambers, 23, Colmore-row, Birmingham
Conaty, Thomas ...	Nut Hill Farm, Hazlewood, Yorkshire	Farmer ...	York ...	39 of 1896	11d.	First and Final	July 31, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, 28, Stonegate, York
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Oddy, Nathaniel...	85, Terminus-road, Eastbourne, Sussex ...	Hotel Proprietor ...	Eastbourne and Lewes	14 of 1896	8s. 8d.	First and Final	Aug. 5, 1897...	Office of Official Receiver, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton

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Bate, Thomas	54, High-road, Kilburn, lately residing and carrying on business at Red Tower, High-road, Kilburn, both in Middlesex	Auctioneer, Estate Agent, and Valuer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1526 of 1894	August 11, 1897, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Bird, Edward	Residing at 5, the Cottages, Castelnau, Barnes, Surrey, and trading at Hammersmith Wheel Works, Waterloo-street, Hammersmith, Middlesex	Wheelwright and Farrier	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	102 of 1896	August 11, 1897, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Boyer, Herbert Henry	18, Crookham-road, Stukeley Park, Fulham, Middlesex	Late Bank Clerk, now of no occupation ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	541 of 1897	August 11, 1897, 11.30 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Bradburne, Randall Sacheverell ...	Now carrying on business at 70 and 71, Bishopsgate-street Within, in the city of London, lately carrying on business with William Hamilton Weller, as Hamilton, Weller, and Co., at 155, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London,	Accountant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	95 of 1897	August 11, 1897, 11.30 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Brown, Thomas	Residing at 13, Armadale-road, Fulham, Middlesex, trading at 13, Armadale-road aforesaid, and also 113, New Kent-road, Surrey	Builder	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1553 of 1892	August 11, 1897, 11.30 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Creeke, Anthony Buck, the younger ...	Carrying on business in partnership with Charles Hornby Porter, as Creeke and Hornby Porter, at 54, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, and residing at Hazeldean, Avenue-road, Bexley Heath, Kent, and lately carrying on such business in partnership as aforesaid, at 21, Lime-street, in the city of London	Solicitor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	491 of 1897	August 11, 1897, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Crook, George	36, Shawfield-street, Chelsea, in the county of London	Builder	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	71 of 1896	August 11, 1897, 11.30 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Defty, Henry	67, Pepys-road, New Cross, in the county of London, formerly residing at Arizona, in the United States of America	Geologist, an American Citizen	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	898 of 1896	August 11, 1897, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Francis, Spencer Jephson (trading as Madame Francis)	6, Orchard-street, Portman-square, in the county of London	Court Dressmaker and Milliner	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	425 of 1897	August 12, 1897, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Garnar, Arthur, and Garnar, Walter (trading as A. and W. Garnar)	Residing at 4, Hill-street, Peckham aforesaid Residing at 40, Bird-in-Bush-road, Peckham aforesaid At 36, Frankton-road, Peckham aforesaid	Builders and Contractors	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	680 of 1898	August 12, 1897, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.

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Gundelach, Henry Hermann William Frederick; described in the 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	Aug. 12, 1897, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Hill, Edward May...	4, Raymond-buildings, Gray's-inn, Middlesex ...	Solicitor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	627 of 1891	Aug. 12, 1897, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, W.C.
Hopkins, Christopher (described in the Receiving Order as O. Hopkins)	21, St. Bernard's-road, East Ham, Essex	Builder	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1456 of 1896	Aug. 12, 1897, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, W.C.
Sexton, Charles	364, Clapham-road, Surrey, lately residing at 366, Clapham-road aforesaid	Hairdresser	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1256 of 1892	Aug. 10, 1897, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, W.C.
Park, William	5, Laurel-crescent, Keighley, Yorkshire	Bank Manager	Bradford	17 of 1896	Aug. 10, 1897, 10 A.M., County Court, Manor-row, Bradford
Procter, James Samuel	Formerly of 1, Sunderland-road, Bradford, Yorkshire, now of 13, Marshfield-place, Bradford aforesaid	Builder and Contractor	Bradford	15 of 1894	Aug. 10, 1897, 10 A.M., County Court, Manor-row, Bradford
Reaney, David Lewis (formerly trading at the Bradford Wheel and Tyre Company)	Residing in lodgings at 62, Church-street, Manningham, Bradford, Yorkshire, and formerly trading in Jubilee-street, Manningham aforesaid	Cycle Manufacturer's Manager, formerly Cycle Manufacturer	Bradford	79 of 1896	Aug. 10, 1897, 10 A.M., County Court, Manor-row, Bradford
Young, William	Late of Reginald-road, Bexhill-on-Sea, Sussex, now of Batchworth Heath, Hertfordshire	Carpenter	Hastings	19 of 1894	Aug. 23, 1897, 1 P.M., Townhall, Hastings
Rees, David Thomas	Herbert-street, Pontardawe, Glamorganshire ...	Grocer's Assistant, late Grocer and Provision Dealer	Neath	2 of 1890	Aug. 25, 1897, 2 P.M., Townhall, Neath
Self, John	Forncoett St. Mary, Norfolk	Farmer	Norwich	36 of 1895	Aug. 25, 1897, 11 A.M., Shirehall, Norwich
Leckenby, John	Swinbourne-road, Eaglescliffe, in the county of Durham, lately residing and carrying on business in copartnership with Ann Leckenby (who died on the 19th day of December, 1893, at Hood Grange Farm, in the township of Hood, Yorkshire	Traveller, lately Farmer	Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesbrough	46 of 1895	Aug. 17, 1897, 11 A.M., Court-house, Bridge-road, Stockton-on-Tees

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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.
Morgan, James ...	Haddenham, Buckinghamshire, lately residing at 20, Upper Tollington Park, Middlesex	Publican, formerly Traveller in the Provision Trade	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1851 of 1893	June 25, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 25th June, 1899. (Public Examination concluded, 27th April, 1894)	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
Pahmeyer, Charles (carrying on business as C. Pahmeyer and Co.)	Carrying on business at 22, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and residing at 38, St. Julian-road, Priory Park, Kilburn, in the county of London	Shipper ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1321 of 1896	June 25, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 25th June, 1899	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; and 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
Rooke, Stephen...	Roper-street, Barnsley, Yorkshire	Livery - stable Keeper's Assistant	Barnsley	3 of 1888	Mar. 25, 1897	Discharge refused	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
Shaw, William ...	Residing in lodgings at 7A, Greenside, Pudsey, Yorkshire	Plasterer ...	Bradford	23 of 1897	June 29, 1897	Discharge suspended 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 continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent
Williams, Thomas	St. Leonard's Mount, Bradford, lately residing at Ivy Cottage, Castlefield, Bingley, and carrying on business at Castlefield Mills, Bingley aforesaid	Worsted Spinner	Bradford	33 of 1897	June 29, 1897	Discharge granted forthwith	

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.
Smith, William Symons	Winchcomb and Cheltenham, Gloucestershire	Solicitor	Cheltenham ...	81 of 1895	July 2, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 2nd July, 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 contracted several debts provable in his bankruptcy without having at the time of contracting the same any reasonable or probable ground of expectation of being able to pay the same; and had contributed to his bankruptcy by gambling
12 Stroud, George Clarke...	West Stafford, in the county of Dorset	Carpenter and Builder ...	Dorchester ...	15 of 1896	April 7, 1897	Discharge suspended for three years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 7th April, 1900	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
Wheeler, Annie... ..	2, Queen's-gate, Southsea, in the county of Hants	Lodging-house Keeper ...	Portsmouth ...	46 of 1894	Dec. 12, 1895	Discharge refused	Bankrupt had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by her; had continued to trade after knowing herself to be insolvent; and had brought on or contributed to her bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculations

APPOINTMENTS OF TRUSTEES.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Trustee's Name.	Address.	Date of Certificate of Appointment.
Dennington, William ...	Lately residing and carrying on business at the Swan and Sugar Loaf, Fetter-lane, in the city of London, who is domiciled in England, but the Petitioning Creditor is unable to ascertain his present whereabouts	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	669 of 1897	Haydon, Flaxman ...	16, Union-Court, Old Broad-street, London, E.C.	July 22, 1897
Oppenheimer, David ...	12, George-yard, Lombard-street, in the city of London, and of 144, Sutherland-avenue, Maida Vale, Middlesex	Financial Agent	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	515 of 1897	Williams, William ...	Bush-lane House, Cannon-street, London, E.C.	July 21, 1897
Woolford, James ...	659, Commercial-road, Middlesex, and 191, Fleet-street and Blomfield House, London-wall, both in the city of London, and lately residing at 729, Commercial-road aforesaid	Mineral and Mining Agent	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	712 of 1897	Newstead, Benjamin	3, Church-passage, Guild-hall, London, E.C.	July 23, 1897
Daniels, George ...	30, Clifton-street, 28, Custom House-street, 132, Paget-street, and the Eagle Stores, the Hayes, all in Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Cardiff	54 of 1897	Dovey, Charles Edwin	31, Queen-street, Cardiff ...	July 12, 1897
King, Thomas Charles ...	240, Lewisham High-road, Kent... ..	Auctioneer	Greenwich	6 of 1897	Moss, Barnet Matthew	15, York-buildings, Adelphi, London, W.C., Accountant	July 23, 1897
Whiteley, James ...	18, Fitzwilliam-street East, Huddersfield, and of 2, Queen-street, Huddersfield, Yorkshire	Clothier	Huddersfield	14 of 1897	Armitage, William Henry	23, John William-street, Huddersfield	July 23, 1897
Scholes, Frederick ...	Residing at 143, Seedley-range, Seedley, Pendleton, Salford, Lancashire, and carrying on business at 172 and 174, Ellor-street, Pendleton aforesaid, formerly residing at 176, Ellor-street aforesaid	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Salford	19 of 1897	Russell, George Henry	1, Fennel-street, Manchester, Chartered Accountant	July 21, 1897
Williams, John ...	Formerly of Camelia-terrace, Town Green, Ashton-in-Makerfield, in the county of Lancaster, now of Mansfield-terrace, Golborne, in the said county	Miner	Wigan	11 of 1897	Birch, James Alfred	16, Warnford-street, Wigan, Lancashire	July 22, 1897

NOTICE OF RELEASE OF TRUSTEE.

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.
Ward, John Robert	11, Russell-gardens, Holland-road, 14, Uxbridge-road, Shepherd's Bush, and 1, 1A, and 3, Macclise-road, West Kensington, all in Middlesex, 222, Strand, in the county of London, and Gore Villa, Darenth, Kent	Cook and Confectioner, Bread and Biscuit Baker, Hotel Proprietor, Cigar and Tobacco Dealer, and Patentee	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1243 of 1890	Lawrence Hasluck ...	17, Holborn Viaduct, E.C.	Chartered Accountant	June 14, 1897

ADMINISTRATION ORDER IN THE CASE OF DECEASED DEBTOR.

Name of Deceased.	Late Address.			Late Description.	Date of Death.	Court.	No. of Master.	Date of Order.	Date of Filing Petition or Application for Transfer.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy, if any, committed by Deceased within three months before the date of his Decease.	Whether Will or other Testamentary Disposition (with date thereof), or Letters of Administration.	Date when proved or granted.
Neale, John	Rockland	St.	Andrew,	Builder and Iron- monger	May 5, 1897	Norwich ...	21 of 1897	July 24, 1897	July 19, 1897 ...	Nil	Will	June 11, 1897

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

JOHN SMITH, Inspector-General in Bankruptcy.

THE COMPANIES ACTS, 1862 TO 1890.

FIRST MEETINGS.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	Number.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.
The Marvel Bicycle Syndicate Limited ...	86, New Bond-street, London, W. ...	High Court of Justice	00162 of 1897	Creditors, Aug. 5, 1897 ... Contributories, Aug. 5, 1897	11 A.M. 12 noon	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C. 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C.
The Pagham Harbour Reclamation Company	Principal place of business: Pagham, Sussex	High Court of Justice	00186 of 1897	Creditors, Aug. 4, 1897 ... Contributories, Aug. 4, 1897	11 A.M. 11.30 A.M.	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C. 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C.
Pedler Brothers and Company (Cardiff) Limited	119, St. Mary-street, Cardiff ...	Cardiff ...	1 of 1897	Creditors, Aug. 4, 1897 ... Contributories, Aug. 4, 1897	11 A.M. 11.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 29, Queen-street, Cardiff Official Receiver's Offices, 29, Queen-street, Cardiff
The Patent Universal Smoke Condenser Company Limited	88, Doctor-lane, Darnall-road, Attercliffe, Sheffield	Sheffield ...	01 of 1897	Contributories, Aug. 4, 1897	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Fig Tree-lane, Sheffield

NOTICES OF DIVIDENDS.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or Otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
The Federal Bank of Australia Limited	Head Office, Melbourne, Victoria; London Office, 18, King William-street, London, E.C.	High Court of Justice	0033 0041 of 1893	6d.	Eighth	Warrants numbered 1- 1200, July 28-30, 1897, inclusive; 1201- 2400, Aug. 2-4, 1897, inclusive; 2401-3600, Aug. 5, 6, and 9, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C.
The Fustian Cutting Machine Com- pany Limited	Peel Mills, Adelphi, Salford... ..	Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster (Man- chester District)	F 8083 of 1894	10s. 10d.	First and Final	July 29, 1897	Liquidator's Offices, 77, King- street, Manchester

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.

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The first deliverance is dated twenty-third July, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven.

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fifth day of August, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven within the Procurators' Room, County Buildings, Bridge-street, Wick.

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