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

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day Sir Richard Henn Collins, Lord Justice of Appeal, was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

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

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day Sir Roland Lomax Bowdler Vaughan Williams, Lord Justice of Appeal, was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

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

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty was this day pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, in pursuance of the provisions contained in the fourth and eighth sections of the twenty-first and twenty-second Victoria, chapter ninety, to nominate James Little, Esquire, M.D., to be, for five years, a Member of the General Council of Medical Education and Registration of the United Kingdom, for Ireland.

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

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord President.

Lord Privy Seal.

Mr. Ritchie.

WHEREAS by Section 737 of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1894," it is provided that where under that Act anything is authorized to be done by to or before a British Consular Officer and in any place outside Her Majesty's dominions in which Her Majesty has jurisdiction there is no such officer, such thing

may be done in that place by to or before such officer as Her Majesty in Council may direct:

And whereas the groups of islands known as the Gilbert and Ellice Islands and the Solomon Islands respectively are places outside Her Majesty's dominions in which Her Majesty has jurisdiction, but in which there is no British Consular Officer:

And whereas it has been made to appear to Her Majesty that it is expedient that the officers hereinafter named should exercise and perform in the said groups of islands the powers and duties of a British Consular Officer under the said Merchant Shipping Act, 1894:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty in Council, by virtue of the power vested in Her by Section 737 of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1894," is pleased to direct that anything which is under that Act authorized to be done by to or before a British Consular Officer may be done in each of the groups of islands known as the Ellice and Gilbert Islands and the Solomon Islands so far as they are British respectively by to or before the officer for the time being acting as Deputy Commissioner or Resident in each of those groups respectively.

C. L. Peel.

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

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and four of the Explosives Act, 1875, it is enacted that Her Majesty may by Order in Council, declare that any substance which appears to Her Majesty to be specially dangerous to life or property by reason either of its explosive properties, or of any process in the manufacture thereof being liable to explosion, shall be deemed to be an explosive within the meaning of the said Act and the provisions of the said Act (subject to such exceptions, limitations, and restrictions as may be specified in the Order) shall accordingly extend to any such substance in like manner as if it were included in the term explosive in the said Act.

And whereas acetylene when liquid or subject to a certain degree of compression is specially dangerous to life or property by reason of its explosive properties.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty is pleased by and with the advice of Her Privy Council to order

and declare, and be it ordered and declared as follows:—

Acetylene when liquid or when subject to a pressure above that of the atmosphere capable of supporting a column of water exceeding one hundred inches in height and whether or not in admixture with other substances, shall be deemed to be an explosive within the meaning of the said Act, subject to the following exception; that if it be shown to the satisfaction of the Secretary of State that acetylene, declared to be explosive by this Order when in admixture with any substance, or in any form or condition, is not possessed of explosive properties, the Secretary of State may by Order exempt such acetylene from being deemed to be an explosive within the said Act.

And whereas by section forty-three of the Explosives Act, 1875, it is provided that Her Majesty from time to time by Order in Council, may prohibit, either absolutely or except in pursuance of a licence of the Secretary of State under the said Act, or may subject to conditions or restrictions the manufacture, keeping, importation from any place out of the United Kingdom, conveyance, and sale, or any of them, of any explosive which is of so dangerous a character that in the judgment of Her Majesty it is expedient for the public safety to make such Order.

And whereas it is in the judgment of Her Majesty expedient for the public safety that acetylene, when an explosive within the meaning of this Order, shall be prohibited.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the above-mentioned provision of this Act, Her Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order and prescribe that acetylene declared to be an explosive by this Order shall be prohibited from being manufactured, imported, kept, conveyed, or sold.

C. L. Peel.

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

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by section sixteen of "The Pluralities Act 1838" as amended by "The Pluralities Act 1850" it is, amongst other things, enacted, "That whenever it shall appear to the Archbishop of the Province, with respect to his own diocese, and whenever it shall be represented to him by the Bishop of any diocese, or by the Bishops of any two dioceses, that two or more benefices, or that one or more benefice or benefices, and one or more spiritual sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages, in his or their diocese or dioceses, being either in the same parish or contiguous to each other, and of which the aggregate population shall not exceed one thousand five hundred persons, may, with advantage to the interests of religion, be united into one benefice, the said Archbishop of the Province shall inquire into the circumstances of the case; and if on such inquiry it shall appear to him that such union may be usefully made, and will not be of inconvenient extent, and that the patron or patrons of the said benefices, sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages respectively, is or are consenting thereto, such consent being signified in writing under the hands of such patron or patrons, the said Archbishop shall, six weeks before certifying such inquiry and consent to Her Majesty as herein-

"after directed, cause, with respect to his own diocese, a statement in writing of the facts, and in other cases a copy in writing of the aforesaid representation to be affixed on or near the principal outer door of the church, or in some public and conspicuous place in each of such benefices, sinecure rectories, or vicarages, with notice to any person or persons interested, that he, she, or they, may, within such six weeks, show cause in writing under his, her, or their hand or hands, to the said Archbishop, against such union; and if no sufficient cause be shown within such time, the said Archbishop shall certify the inquiry and consent aforesaid to Her Majesty in Council, and thereupon it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to make and issue an Order or Orders for uniting such benefices, sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages, into one benefice, with cure of souls, for ecclesiastical purposes only."

And whereas the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury pursuant to the provisions of the said Act, hath duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a certificate in writing, bearing date the twentieth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, in the words following, that is to say:—

"We the undersigned Frederick, Archbishop of the Province of Canterbury, Primate of All England and Metropolitan do hereby certify to Your Majesty in Council:

"That the Right Reverend John Lord Bishop of Norwich as Bishop of the diocese within which are situate the rectory of Rickingham Superior and the rectory of Rickingham Inferior both in the county of Suffolk having represented unto us that the said benefices being contiguous to each other and of which the aggregate population does not exceed one thousand five hundred persons may with advantage to the interests of religion be united into one benefice we enquired into the circumstances of the case.

"That on such enquiry it appeared to us that such union might be usefully made and is not of inconvenient extent and that George Holt Wilson of Redgrave Hall in the county of Suffolk Esquire being the patron or person entitled to present to the said rectory of Rickingham Superior which is now vacant and being also the patron or person entitled to present to the said rectory of Rickingham Inferior if the same were now vacant consents to the proposed union.

"That six weeks and upwards before certifying such enquiry and consent to Your Majesty in Council we caused a copy in writing of the aforesaid representation of the said Lord Bishop to be affixed on the principal outer door of the parish church of each of the said benefices with notice to any person or persons interested that he she or they might within such six weeks show cause in writing under his her or their hand or hands to us the said Archbishop against such union and no such cause has been shown.

"The representation of the said Lord Bishop of Norwich, our enquiry into the circumstances of the case, the statement of circumstances in reply thereto, the consent in writing of the said patron and the copies of the representation and notice before mentioned are hereunto annexed.

"And we do hereby certify the enquiry and consent aforesaid to Your Majesty in Council to the intent that Your Majesty in Council may in case Your Majesty in Council shall think fit so to do make and issue an Order for uniting the said benefices into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes."

Now therefore Her Majesty in Council by

and with the advice of Her said Council is pleased to order, as it is hereby ordered, that the rectory of Rickingham Superior and the rectory of Rickingham Inferior both in the county of Suffolk and diocese of Norwich shall be united into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes only.

C. L. Peel.

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

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

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

"We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of Your Majesty, chapter thirty-seven, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council, the following scheme for authorizing the sale and disposal of certain property in the parish of Bowden in the county of Chester now vested in us.

"Whereas under and by virtue of a certain indenture bearing date the thirtieth day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five made between us the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England of the first part and the Right Honourable George Harry Earl of Stamford and Warrington of the other part, the lands and hereditaments described in the schedule hereunto annexed became with their appurtenances and are now vested in us.

"And whereas the lands and hereditaments aforesaid are not subject to any outstanding beneficial lease or grant, but are now in our possession, but some portions thereof, on account of their character or situation, are unsuitable or

inconvenient to be held or applied for the purposes for which estates vested in us are applicable under the Acts by which our proceedings are governed.

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

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

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

"SCHEDULE.

No. on Plan on Indenture referred to in this Scheme.	Names of Fields.	Acreage.		
		A.	R.	P.
Part of 100	Croft	0	2	11
101	Lower croft	1	1	8
Part of 102	Eye brooks	2	3	30
" 103	North Eye brooks	3	3	17
" 104	Ditto ditto	4	1	34
" 105	Ditto ditto	5	0	21
" 107	Flash field	8	0	11
" 108	Loont meadow	3	1	17
109	House and garden	0	1	16
and 109a				
110				
and 110a	House and garden	1	0	0
and 110b				
111	Ditto Ditto	0	2	16
112	Field behind house	1	3	24
113	Edmunds field	4	0	25
114a	Plantation	0	3	0
115	House and garden	0	3	10
116	Bow Green field	4	1	29
117	Near ditto	4	0	0
117a	Plantation	0	1	3

No. on Plan on Indenture referred to in this Scheme.	Names of Fields.	Acreage.		
		A.	R.	P.
118	Blue Berry	3	3	18
189	Higher long acre...	2	1	0
196	Nearer White Leech	3	1	4
197	Further White Leech	1	1	22
198	Davenport's ditto	5	3	20
199	Plantation	0	1	0
200	Formerly house and gardens	0	2	31
205	Moss Intake	0	1	11
206	Two cottages	0	2	19
207	Meadow	2	3	38
208	Middle Rough Hey	3	3	12
209	Near ditto ditto	3	1	2
210	Nucken field	5	2	23
211	Garden	0	0	16
212	Pit field and middle yard	3	3	3
213	Handy brooks	4	1	16
214	Further Hough field	2	0	34
223	Formerly house and garden	0	2	34
224	Meadow by Heathy	2	2	6
225	Nesel field	3	0	9
226	Heath's middle field	2	0	38
226a	Ditto Meadow	1	3	16
227	Middle croft	0	3	24
228	Bank field	2	3	34
228a	Plantation	1	0	8
235	Barn field	4	0	17
235a	Ditto ditto meadow	3	0	16
236	Horse field	3	3	32
237	Flat	4	1	6
238	Long field	2	1	16
239	Salt acre	3	2	32
240	House, garden, &c.	1	0	20
241	Pease field	1	3	36
242	Ditto ditto	0	3	4
243	Meritons	2	1	12
244	Fold	1	2	18
248	Plantation	1	0	8
249	Broads hour	3	3	11
250	Middle field	3	1	30
251	Field behind house	3	0	18
252	House and garden	1	0	11
253	Great black field	4	1	22
254	Little horse close	4	0	0
255	Vicar's meadow	2	0	16
256	Big horse close	5	3	2
257	Plantation	3	0	24
264	Coppock's field	3	2	30
265	Old meadow	2	1	31
266	Vicarage meadow	4	0	0
267	Hall bottom meadow	1	1	0
Part of 268	Ditto ditto	0	2	8
285	Lower Bur field	1	2	33
269	Green field	2	3	11
303	Bowdon Eye meadow	5	0	31
305	Ditto ditto	0	3	25
306	Ditto ditto	0	3	39
307	Butty meadow	0	2	15
308	Little Bowdon Eye	0	2	36
Total		194	0	0

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council: now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have

been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Act; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the diocese of Chester.

C. L. Peel.

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

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Session of Parliament held in the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the laws concerning the burial of the dead in England beyond the limits of the Metropolis, and to amend the Act concerning the burial of the dead in the Metropolis," it is enacted that, in case it appears to Her Majesty in Council, upon the representation of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, that, for the protection of the public health, the opening of any new burial-ground in any city or town, or within any other limits, save with the previous approval of one of such Secretaries of State, should be prohibited, or that burials in any city or town, or within any other limits, or in any burial-grounds or places of burial, should be wholly discontinued, or should be discontinued subject to any exception or qualification, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order that no new burial-ground shall be opened in any city or town, or within such limits, without such previous approval, or (as the case may require) that, after a time mentioned in the Order, burials in such city or town, or within such limits, or in such burial-grounds or places of burial, shall be discontinued wholly, or subject to any exceptions or qualifications mentioned in such Order, and so from time to time as circumstances may require; provided always, that notice of such representation, and of the time when it shall please Her Majesty to order that the same be taken into consideration by the Privy Council, shall be published in the London Gazette, and shall be affixed on the doors of the churches or chapels of, or on some other conspicuous places within, the parishes affected by such representation, one month before such representation is so considered; provided also that no such representation shall be made in relation to the burial-ground of any parish until ten days' previous notice of the intention to make such representation shall have been given to the Incumbent and Vestry Clerk or Churchwardens of such parish:

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

And whereas the Right Honourable Sir Matthew White Ridley, Baronet, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, after giving to the Incumbent and the Churchwardens of the parish hereinafter named ten days' previous notice of his intention to make such representation, has made a representation stating that he is of opinion that the Order of Her Majesty in Council of the fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, in so far

as it affects burials in the churchyard of Saint Peter (Saint Albans), should be varied, by substituting the directions hereinafter set forth for those contained in the said Order:

And whereas Her Majesty was pleased, by Her Order in Council of the thirteenth day of October one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, to give notice of such representation, and to order that the same should be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the twenty-fourth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and such Order has been published in the London Gazette and copies thereof have been affixed as required by the said first-recited Act:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the following directions be substituted for those contained in the Order in Council of the fourth April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, affecting burials in the parish of Saint Peter (Saint Albans), viz.:

SAINT ALBANS.—That burials be discontinued forthwith and entirely in Saint Peter's Churchyard, within forty feet of any dwelling house; and also in the rest of the churchyard, except as follows:—

(a.) In such vaults and wholly walled graves as are now existing in the churchyard burials may be allowed on condition that every coffin buried therein be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented;

(b.) In such partly walled and earthen graves as are now existing, provided that the earth above them can be opened to the depth of five feet without exposing coffins or disturbing human remains, burials may be allowed of so many of the relations of those interred therein at the date of this Order as can be buried at or below that depth.

C. L. Peel.

Privy Council Office, 26th November, 1897.

THE following Statute, made on the twelfth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, by the Governing Body of Magdalene College, Cambridge, amending Statute VIII of the Statutes of the College, has been submitted for the approval of Her Majesty in Council and notice of its having been so submitted is published in accordance with the provisions contained in "The Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act, 1877":—

Statute VIII as proposed to be amended.

The Dean and his office.

The Master, if he shall think fit, may appoint one of the Fellows in Holy Orders to the office of Dean. If the Master make no such appointment within six months from the date of any vacancy, the Governing Body shall appoint one of its members to the office of Dean. The appointment shall in any case be subject to confirmation by the Governing Body after a period of three years.

A majority of the Governing Body shall have power at any time to remove the Dean. In case of a vacancy the Master shall be empowered with the approval of a majority of the Governing Body to make temporary provision for the duties of the office.

It shall be the duty of the Dean, if he is in Holy Orders, to provide for the decorous performance of Divine Worship in the College Chapel,

and in any case, in conjunction with the Tutor or Tutors, to maintain discipline and good order amongst the members of the College *in statu pupillari*, especially in respect of attendance and behaviour at the College Chapel.

If the Dean is not in Holy Orders, a Chaplain shall be appointed by the Master, with the approval of a majority of the Governing Body to conduct the Chapel Services for such period as they may determine.

A majority of the Governing Body shall have power to remove the Chaplain.

The Dean, and the Chaplain, if there be one, shall receive such stipend as the Governing Body may from time to time determine.



Privy Council Office, November 26, 1897.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to Her Majesty in Council by His Grace the Duke of Northumberland, Robert Barclay, Esquire, Lord Ashcombe, and others, praying for the grant of a CHARTER OF INCORPORATION for the purpose of constituting them and their successors a Corporation for the purpose of more effectually carrying on and conducting the Cranley and Bramley Schools, in the county of Surrey. And Her Majesty having referred the said Petition to a Committee of the Lords of the Council, notice is further given, that all petitions for or against such grant should be sent to the Privy Council Office, on or before the 7th day of January next.

Windsor Castle, November 25, 1897.

THE Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Charles George Walpole, Esq., late Chief Justice of the Bahama Islands.

Windsor Castle, November 25, 1897.

THE Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on John Charles Bigham, Esq., one of the Justices of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice.

Windsor Castle, November 25, 1897.

THE Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Charles John Darling, Esq., one of the Justices of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice.

Windsor Castle, November 25, 1897.

THE Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Arthur Moseley Channell, Esq., one of the Justices of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice.

Foreign Office, November 20, 1897.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. John L. Bittinger as Consul-General of the United States of America at Montreal; of Mr. Adolfo Ballivian as Consul-General of Bolivia at London; of Mr. Alfred James as Consul-General of Paraguay at London; of Mr. Maximus P. Morris as Consul-General of Chile in British Columbia; of Mr. Joseph T. Hoke as Consul of the United States of America at Windsor, Nova Scotia; of Mr. Henry S. Culver as Consul of the United States of America at London, Ontario;

of Ibrahim Hakki Bey as Consul of Turkey at Cardiff; and of Mr. J. H. Collins as Vice-Consul of Belgium at Dartmouth.

Downing Street, November 27, 1897.

THE Queen has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Ormond Drimmie Malcolm, Esq., Q.C. (Attorney-General), to be Chief Justice of the Bahama Islands.

Whitehall, November 27, 1897.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, granting the dignity of a Baron of the said United Kingdom unto Michael Arthur, Baron Burton, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Burton, of Burton-on-Trent and of Rangemore, both in the county of Stafford, to hold to him and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten; and, in default of such issue male, to hold the name, style, and title of Baroness Burton, of Burton-on-Trent and of Rangemore, to Nellie Lisa Baillie, wife of James Evan Bruce Baillie, of Dochfour, in the county of Inverness, Esquire, only daughter of the said Michael Arthur, Baron Burton, and after her decease to hold the name, style, and title of Baron Burton, of Burton-on-Trent and of Rangemore aforesaid, to the heirs male lawfully begotten of the body of the said Nellie Lisa Baillie.

Whitehall, November 27, 1897.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, for presenting the Reverend James Stovin Lister, M.A., to the Vicarage of Kilmeston-with-Beauworth, in the county of Southampton and diocese of Winchester, void by the resignation of the Reverend Herbert Reginald Scott, M.A., the last Incumbent.

Whitehall, November 27, 1897.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, nominating the Reverend Edward James Hughes to the Perpetual Curacy of Templeton, in the county of Pembroke and diocese of Saint David's, void by the resignation of the Reverend Andrew Nasmyth Fitzgerald Keogh, the last Incumbent.

Whitehall, November 29, 1897.

THE Queen has been pleased, by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 27th instant, to appoint Sir James Gell to be First Deemster of the Isle of Man, in the room of Sir William Leece Drinkwater, resigned.

War Office, November 8, 1897.

THE Queen has been pleased to issue a new Commission of Lieutenancy for the City of London, constituting and appointing the several persons undermentioned to be Her Majesty's Lieutenants within the said City, viz.:—The Right Honourable Sir George Faudel Faudel-Phillips, Bart., Lord Mayor of the city of London, and the Lord Mayor of the said city for the time being; Sir John Whittaker Ellis, Bart., Sir Henry Edmund Knight, Knt., Colonel Sir Reginald Hanson, Sir Joseph Savory, Bart., Sir David Evans, K.C.M.G., Sir Stuart Knill, Sir George

Robert Tyler, Sir Joseph Renals, Barts., Sir Walter Henry Wilkin, K.C.M.G., Aldermen of the city of London; the Right Honourable Sir Charles Hall, K.C.M.G., Q.C., Recorder of the city of London, and the Recorder of the said city for the time being; Lieutenant-Colonel Horatio David Davies, Sir John Voce Moore, Knt., Alfred James Newton, Frank Green, Esqrs., Sir Joseph Cockfield Dimsdale, Knt., Marcus Samuel, Esq., Sir James Thompson Ritchie, Knt., John Pound, Walter Vaughan Morgan, William Purdie Treloar, John Charles Bell, George Wyatt Truscott, Frederick Prat Alliston, Richard Clarence Halse, Samuel Green, John Knill, Esqrs., Aldermen of the city of London, and the Aldermen of the said city for the time being; Sir William James Richmond Cotton, Knt., Chamberlain of the city of London, and the Chamberlain of the said city for the time being; Sir John Braddick Monckton, Knt., Town Clerk of the city of London, and the Town Clerk of the said city for the time being; Sir Forrest Fulton, Knt., Q.C., Common Serjeant of the city of London, and the Common Serjeant of the said city for the time being; Samuel Elliott Atkins, George Pepler, James Edmeston, Frederick Cox, Edward Eyre Ashby, John Edward Walford, James Harvey, James Norris Pimm, Whinfield Hora, James Wallinger Goodinge, James George White, Frederick Dadswell, William Thornburgh Brown, Joseph Snowden, George Harris Haywood, William Creasey, Esqrs., Sir Robert Hargreaves Rogers, Knt., Robert Parker Taylor, Andrew Bowring, Henry Hodsoll Heath, James Lewis Dowling, John Greenwood, John Bertram, William Charles Simmons, Pearse Morrison, John Last Sayer, George Noah Johnson, Samuel Parnwell, William Malthouse, Thomas John Woodrow, Esqrs., Deputies of the city of London, and the Deputies of the said city for the time being; Sir Sydney Hedley Waterlow, Bart., James Ebenezer Saunders, Esq., Sir Henry Aaron Isaacs, Sir Polydore De Keyser, Knts., Lieutenant-Colonel Phineas Cowan, Sir Andrew Lusk, Sir James Whitehead, Barts., formerly Aldermen of the city of London; William George Barnes, William Cave Fowler, George Sims, Robert William Scobell, George Fisher, Henry Hewitt Bridgman, Gabriel Lindo, John Thomas Bedford, Esqrs., formerly Deputies of the city of London; James Pattison Currie, Benjamin Buck Greene, Henry Riversdale Grenfell, Esqrs.; Henry Hucks, Lord Aldenham; John Saunders Gilliat, Charles Hermann Goschen, Esqrs.; Sir Mark Wilks Collet, Bart.; Albert George Sandeman, Hugh Colin Smith, Esqrs.; the Right Honourable William Lidderdale; Herbert Brooks, Everard Alexander Hambro, Samuel Steuart Gladstone, Augustus Prevost, Samuel Hope Morley, Charles George Arbuthnot, Henry Cosmo Orme Bonsor, William Middleton Campbell, Alexander Falconer Wallace, Esqrs.; Evelyn Hubbard, Esq., commonly called the Honourable Evelyn Hubbard, Edgar Lubbock, Frederick Huth Jackson, Reginald Eden Johnston, Alfred Clayton Cole, Walter Cunliffe, Robert Lydston Newman, Henry Jeffreys Bushby, William Hughes-Hughes, Cornelius Lea Wilson, William Fowler Mountford Copeland, Bonamy Dobree, Henry Wollaston Blake, William Henry Challis, Alfred Wilberforce Challis, Edward Masterman, John Francis Moon, Stephen William Silver, John William Carter, Esqrs.; Lieutenant-Colonel Travers Barton Wire, Sir Joseph Sebag-Montefiore, Knt., James Duke Hill, Edward Howley Palmer, Esqrs.; the Right Honourable George Joachim Goschen; Sir Henry Doulton,

Knt.; Nathaniel Meyer, Lord Rothschild; Lieutenant-Colonel John Rose Holden Rose, Charles John Todd, Hugh Mackaye Matheson, Francis Augustus Bevan, Henry Alers Hankey, Robert Malcolm Kerr, Thomas Gabriel, Percy Shawe Smith, Alfred Charles de Rothschild, Esqrs., Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred James Copeland, George Frederick White, William Sedgwick Saunders, M.D., William Collinson, George Crosshaw, Esqrs.; the Right Honourable Sir John Lubbock, Bart.; Charles William Cookworthy Hutton, Francis Tagart, Edwin Lawrence, Samuel Henry Fandel-Phillips, Oswald Augustus Smith, Eric Carrington Smith, John Fenwick Fenwick, Reginald Northall Laurie, James Lionel Ridpath, John Henry Horton, John Hampton Hale, John Flower Jackson, Frederick William Harris, Esqrs., Sir Frederick Perkins, Knt., Alfred Jameson Waterlow, Esq., Sir Edward Levy Lawson, Bart., William Henry Willans, Esq.; Cyril, Lord Battersea; John Merry Le Sage, Esq., Sir Campbell Clarke, Knt., Sir John Richard Somers Vine, Knt., C.M.G., George Dunbar Whatman, Hugh Gough Arbuthnot, Robert Ryrie, Esqrs., Pascoe Charles Glyn, Esq., commonly called the Honourable Pascoe Charles Glyn, Charles William Mills, Esq., commonly called the Honourable Charles William Mills, William Quartermaine East, Esq., His Honour Judge Lumley Smith, Q.C., Colonel William Thomas Makins, James Taddy Friend, Samuel Hoare, Cecil Herbert Thornton Price, William Lowndes Toller Foy, Frederic Manuelle, Henry Homewood Crawford, Leopold de Rothschild, Esqrs., Sir William Thomas Charley, Knt., Q.C., Arthur Clarges Loraine Fuller, John Hennings Nix, Samuel Hopgood Hart, Richard Knight Causton, Esqrs., Sir Thomas Sutherland, G.C.M.G., Henry Pryor Powell, Thomas Bevan, John Mowlem Burt, Esqrs., Sir Donald Currie, Bart., G.C.M.G., William Jameson Soulsby, Esq., C.B., Philip Hickson Waterlow, Edward Hegley Byas, Edmond Kelly Bayley, John Crawford, James Chapman Amos, Charles Henry Roberts, Samuel Ernest Palmer, Richard Musgrave Harvey, Henry Russell, Thomas Anthony Denny, Frederick George Mountford, Alexander McArthur, William Alexander McArthur, Joseph Herbert Tritton, George Sydney Waterlow, John Aird, Thomas Boor Crosby, M.D., Henry Ellis, Edwin Freshfield, John Hollams, John Robert Hollond, Ralph Daniel Makinson Littler, C.B., Q.C., Esqrs., The Right Honourable Sir William Thackeray Marriott, Knt., Q.C., Robert Collier Driver, Stephen Soames, Henry Dexter Truscott, Henry Manning Knight, Frederick William Nelson Lloyd, Howard Vyse, Joseph Hicks Buckingham, John Warren, John Dimsdale, John Hill, Esqrs., Sir Henry Seymour King, K.C.I.E., Colonel Hugh Adams Silver, William James Thompson, jun., Alfred Edward Pease, Esqrs., Sir Clarence Smith, Knt., Gabriel Prior Goldney, Esq., Ronald Ruthven, Earl of Leven and Melville, Thomas Flight Smith, Esq., Sir John Henry Puleston, Knt., Arthur Kimber, Robert William Kennard, John Percy McArthur, Alfred Henry Lawrence, Henry John Staples, Benjamin Louis Cohen, Joseph Howard, Hall Rokeby Price, Esqrs., Sir Frederick Dixon Dixon-Hartland, Bart., Frederick Machin, Esq., Sir William Anderson Ogg, Knt., Marshall Pontifex, Esq., Colonel Thomas Clarke, Charles Maw, John James Staples, Thomas Francis Blackwell, John Aird, jun., Charles Brodie Sewell, M.D., Alfred Scorer, John Alexander Brand, Esqrs., Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph Causton, Sydney Townsend Day, Esq., Sir Thomas Fowler, Bart.,

Edward Augustus Grüning, Gerald Stanhope Hanson, Henry Hicks, Esqrs.; Sir Alfred Kirby Knt., Walter Leaf, Charles Dew Miller, Howard Morley, Cuthbert Edgar Peek, George Hugh Whitehead, Henry John Smith, Walter Wood, Charles James Lucas, William Hill Collingridge, Sydney Francis Staples, Francis Stanhope Hanson, Edgar Alexander Baylis, Rowland Edward Whitehead, William Henry Nicholls, George Baker, James Curtis, Basil Pym Ellis, Robert Harvey, Joseph Michael Isaacs, James Judd, Graham King, William Henry Pannell, Thomas Phelps, William Phillips Sawyer, Augustus Alexander Stenger, William Richard Stevens, John Watney, Henry Michael Isaacs, Walter Henry Harris, C.M.G.; Walpole Lloyd Greenwell, Edmund Meredith Crosse, Ronald Herbert Savory, Polydore Weichand De Keyser, Esqrs., Lionel Walter Rothschild, Esq., commonly called the Honourable Lionel Walter Rothschild, Martin Ridley Smith, Esq., Sir Albert Kaye Rolitt, Sir William Farmer, Knts., Richard Biddulph Martin, Herbert de Stern, Horace Reginald Savory, Cecil Braithwaite, George Pemberton Leach, Neville Catlyn Sendall, William Henry Williamson, Charles Thomas Harris, Esqrs., Sir Albert Joseph Altman, Knt., Alban George Henry Gibbs, Esq., commonly called the Honourable Alban George Henry Gibbs, Harry Seymour Foster, Henry John Jourdain, C.M.G., Esqrs., Sir Owen Roberts, Knt., Frederick Lucas Cook, Francis Garford Brenton, John Evans, Sidney Howard Cotton, Edgar Wight, Frederick Gordon, David Wellesley Bell, Charles Martin, Edgar Francis Jenkins, Frederick Dallas Barnes, William Blanch Alfred, Brookman, Esqrs., Sir Francis Henry Evans, K.C.M.G., Richard Evan David Evans, Esq., Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Charles Venables, Colonel Robert Williams, Augustus Alfred Wood, Thomas James Barratt, Frederick Hill, Horace Brooks Marshall, John Morgan, James Herbert Renals, James Ralph Truscott, Frederick Charles Tyler, John Burton Renals, James William Ritchie, William Robert Pryke, Ernest Vivian Wilkin, George Hand, Edward Lee, Richard Winch, William Rome, Matthew Righton Webb, Charles Ackland, Edward Feetham Coates, Henry Newson-Smith, John Paddon, Esqrs., Major John Roper Parkington, Colonel Gerald Francis Talbot, Cyril Walter Ponsonby, Esq., commonly called the Honourable Cyril Walter Ponsonby, Carl Meyer, Arthur Fraser Walter, Benjamin Samuel Faudel-Phillips, Philip Joseph Gutierrez Henriques, John Robert Cooper, John Lulham Pound, Ernest Terah Hooley, Matthew Wallace, David Burnett, Henry Clarke, Walter Owen Clough, John Mason Cook, Horatio Gordon Davies, Lionel Lawson Faudel Faudel-Phillips, Ludovic Godfrey Goetz, Alfred Gutierrez Henriques, Woolf Joel, William Bradbury Leaf, Charles Lindo, Thomas Johnstone Lipton, Ernest Braithwaite Savory, and Henry Savory Way, Esqrs.

(S. 2806.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),
London, November 30, 1897.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following information respecting Quarantine from Her Majesty's Representative at Madrid, viz.:— State of Louisiana and; arrivals from Pensacola leaving subsequent to 13th instant will be placed in quarantine.

(S. 2807.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),
London, November 30, 1897.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Colonial Affairs, a copy of a Notice issued by the Governor of Barbados declaring Rio de Janerio to be no longer an infected port.

(S. 2813.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),
London, November 30, 1897.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of a Notice from the Governor of Malta, from which it appears that the following paragraph has been added to clause 6 of the Notice S. 2713 of 4th November (published in London Gazette of the 12th November), viz.:—

(f) The period of quarantine for horses is reduced to 21 days in the Lazaretto, provided that the owners undertake to keep the said animals in a place approved by the Collector of Customs, and also undertakes to cause them to be inspected by a Government Officer or Veterinary Surgeon twice a week for nine weeks.

(S. 2813.)

*Board of Trade (Fisheries Department),
London, November 30, 1897.*

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for the Colonies, the following copy of a Notice, issued by the Governor of Malta, viz.:—

(No. 211.)

Government Notice.

HIS Excellency the Governor, having heard the opinion of the Board of Health, has been pleased to modify Government Notice No. 199 of 4th November, 1897, and to direct that the following regulations be observed, viz.:

1. Vessels which are not allowed to enter the Harbour, but are allowed to communicate in Quarantine with the Islands of Comino and Cominotto under such restrictions as the Collector of Customs may direct.

(a) Vessels that have on board, or have had during the voyage, cases of cholera, yellow fever, or plague, or cases of a disease with symptoms resembling those of cholera, yellow fever, or plague.

(b) Vessels with pilgrims from the East.

(c) Vessels arriving from Arabian Ports in the Red Sea and the Persian Gulf which have not been admitted to free pratique at Suez and Port Said.

2. Vessels which are allowed to enter the Quarantine Harbour to coal and take in Provisions under Quarantine restrictions.

(a) Vessels arriving from Bombay or Kurrachee which have not been admitted to free pratique in a port in the Adriatic or Mediterranean Sea, or which have not, to the satisfaction of the Chief Government Medical Officer, been thoroughly disinfected before being admitted to free pratique at the said Port.

(b) Vessels arriving from any port without a clean bill of health, which do not fall under any of the preceding regulations.

3. Medical Inspection.

All vessels arriving at Malta shall undergo strict medical inspection.

4. Passengers.

Passengers arriving from Bombay or Kurrachee, shall be landed in one of the quarantine establishments where they will undergo a term of observation for a period of eight days from the

day of disinfection of their clothing and all other articles of personal use likely to retain infection.

5. Goods.

The importation of coffee coloured with substance injurious to health is prohibited.

The importation of cotton seed from any port subject to quarantine is forbidden.

The importation of rags is prohibited.

The importation is forbidden before disinfection of the following articles, viz., wearing apparel, soiled linen and clothing, bedding materials, feathers, bones and jute goods.

The importation of hides from any port subject to quarantine or from any place where cattle disease exists, is prohibited before disinfection.

The importation of vines, vine shoots and fruit packed in vine leaves, is prohibited. The importation of plants or roots from any port of the Mediterranean is prohibited unless the same are accompanied by a satisfactory certificate that Phylloxera is not known to exist at the place of origin.

By command,

G. STRICKLAND,

Chief Secretary to Government.

Palace, Valletta, November 19, 1897.

Admiralty, 25th November, 1897.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Lieutenant John Brecknock Noble to be Captain, vice Couchman, deceased. Dated 13th November, 1897.

Lieutenant St. George Bewes Armstrong to be Captain, vice Lywood, seconded. Dated 15th November, 1897.

Lieutenant Francis Stewart Gardner to be Captain, vice Bernard, seconded. Dated 15th November, 1897.

Admiralty, 26th November, 1897.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant Thomas Woodward has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 24th November, 1897.

Admiralty, 27th November, 1897.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Captain John Bernard is seconded as Adjutant of Volunteers. Dated 15th November, 1897.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant Walter Jenks has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 25th November, 1897.

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30th November, 1897.

5th Lancers, Captain Henry V. Bailey is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 6th July, 1897.

12th Lancers, Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas A. Hill retires on half-pay. Dated 1st December, 1897.

Lieutenant Eustace Crawley to be Captain, vice J. O. Johnson, retired. Dated 17th November, 1897.

Coldstream Guards, Superintending Clerk William Johnson to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 1st December, 1897.

REGIMENTAL DISTRICTS.

Colonel Charles E. Hussey, 7th (the Royal Fusiliers, City of London Regiment) and 57th (the Duke of Cambridge's Own, Middlesex Regiment) Regimental Districts, is placed on retired pay. Dated 28th November, 1897.

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Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel G. F. Guyon, from half-pay, to be Colonel to command the 7th (the Royal Fusiliers, City of London Regiment) and 57th (the Duke of Cambridge's Own Middlesex Regiment) Regimental Districts, vice Colonel C. E. Hussey. Dated 28th November, 1897.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Second Lieutenant G. W. Poynder to be Lieutenant, vice H. W. Smith, seconded. Dated 6th November, 1897.

The King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment), Captain Charles F. Goldie - Taubman is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 13th November, 1897.

The Northumberland Fusiliers, The undermentioned Captains to be Majors. Dated 23rd November, 1897:—

Thomas D. Pilcher, vice C. G. C. Money, promoted.

Edmund W. Dashwood, vice H. E. Buchanan, retired.

The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant Henry Cragg retires on retired pay. Dated 1st December, 1897.

The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Gardiner F. Guyon, on appointment to the command of a Regimental District, is placed on half-pay. Dated 28th November, 1897.

Major Robert P. B. Rodick to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel G. F. Guyon. Dated 28th November, 1897.

Second Lieutenant H. A. Walker to be Lieutenant, vice G. R. Lascelles, promoted. Dated 24th November, 1897.

The Lincolnshire Regiment, Lieutenant Herbert Bryan is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 13th November, 1897.

The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), Captain H. Cokayne Frith is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 28th July, 1897. Supernumerary Captain Charles B. Little to be Captain, vice H. C. Frith. Dated 28th July, 1897.

The Bedfordshire Regiment, Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant John Thomas Simkins is placed on retired pay. Dated 1st December, 1897.

The Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), Lieutenant Maurice H. Tomlin is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 13th November, 1897.

Second Lieutenant E. H. Chapman to be Lieutenant, vice M. H. Tomlin. Dated 13th November, 1897.

The Lancashire Fusiliers, Second Lieutenant H. B. Toller to be Lieutenant, vice K. H. Lloyd, transferred to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 4th August, 1897.

The King's Own Scottish Borderers, Lieutenant Hugh M. Leet is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 13th November, 1897.

The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Richard M. Greenfield to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel A. P. Wodehouse, made Supernumerary under Article 103A, Royal Warrant 26th April, 1897. Dated 1st December, 1897.

The Hampshire Regiment. The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 17th November, 1897:—

Morris V. Parry, Adjutant, vice W. G. Wyld, promoted.

Walter J. Geddes, to complete establishment.

Second Lieutenant the Honourable Lawrence C. W. Palk to be Lieutenant, vice H. L. C. Turner, transferred to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 24th July, 1897.

The Dorsetshire Regiment. Captain Lionel E. Lushington to be Major, vice C. H. Law, promoted. Dated 19th November, 1897.

The Essex Regiment. Captain E. L. Guilding is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 8th July, 1897.

The promotions to the rank of Captain of the undermentioned Lieutenants are antedated as follows:—

Wilfrid A. Hebden to 8th July, 1897, vice E. L. Guilding.

William H. Wreford-Brown to 14th August, 1897, vice L. R. Carleton, seconded.

The promotions to the rank of Lieutenant of the undermentioned Second Lieutenants are antedated as follows:—

A. G. Pratt to 8th July, 1897.

A. D. Green to 14th August, 1897.

The Northamptonshire Regiment. The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

C. R. J. Mowatt, vice C. L. Giffard, killed in action. Dated 7th November, 1897.

R. C. Coldwell, vice J. T. Waddell, killed in action. Dated 10th November, 1897.

The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment). The undermentioned Officers are seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 13th November, 1897:—

Captain Francis Charles Marsh.

Second Lieutenant John S. Comyn.

The King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry). Lieutenant Ronald A. M. Ewart resigns his Commission. Dated 1st December, 1897.

The King's Royal Rifle Corps. Supernumerary Captain the Honourable St. Leger H. Jervis to be Captain, in succession to Major E. J. Montagu-Stuart-Wortley, C.M.G., employed on special service in Egypt. Dated 1st December, 1897.

The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment). Second Lieutenant F. W. Stoddart to be Lieutenant, vice R. G. Horner, placed on temporary half-pay. Dated 12th November, 1897.

The Gordon Highlanders. The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

William E. Gordon, in succession to Major H. W. D. Denne, who holds a Staff appointment. Dated 19th October, 1897.

Henry A. Bethune, vice E. Streatfeild, appointed Adjutant. Dated 18th November, 1897.

The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant P. S. Allan is antedated to 19th October, 1897, vice W. E. Gordon.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

W. M. K. Marshall, vice A. Lamont, killed in action. Dated 21st October, 1897.

C. W. McD. Findlay, vice H. A. Bethune. Dated 18th November, 1897.

Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers). The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant A. L. W. Hughes is antedated to 1st June, 1897, vice A. R. Burrowes, promoted.

The Connaught Rangers. Lieutenant Osmond D. Blunt is seconded for service under the Foreign Office. Dated 13th November, 1897.

The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own). Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel L. R. Stopford Sackville, on completion of his period of service in command of a Battalion, is placed on half-pay. Dated 1st December, 1897.

Major Arthur R. Pemberton to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel L. R. Stopford Sackville. Dated 1st December, 1897.

Army Service Corps. Captain Richard H. L. Kaye resigns his Commission. Dated 1st December, 1897.

Staff. Major F. E. Cooper, Royal Artillery, from Staff Captain at Head-Quarters, to be a Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General at Head-Quarters, vice Major J. S. S. Barker, Royal Artillery, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 15th November, 1897.

Captain H. H. Wigram, Scots Guards, to be a Staff Captain at Head-Quarters, vice Major F. E. Cooper, Royal Artillery. Dated 15th November, 1897.

Major A. E. J. Cavendish, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), to be a Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General, vice Major T. D. Pilcher, the Northumberland Fusiliers, who has vacated that appointment. Dated 20th November, 1897.

Captain J. F. Cadell, Royal Artillery, to be a Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General for Instruction, vice Major W. B. Capper, the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), who has vacated that appointment. Dated 22nd November, 1897.

Lieutenant G. P. Tharp, the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), to be Aide-de-Camp to the Right Honourable the Earl of Aberdeen, G.C.M.G., Governor-General of the Dominion of Canada and Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Prince Edward Island. Dated 30th October, 1897.

School of Gunnery. Lieutenant-Colonel H. Barron, from Royal Artillery, to be a Chief Instructor, vice Colonel J. F. Bally, appointed Commandant and Superintendent. Dated 21st November, 1897.

Army Veterinary School. Veterinary-Captain Robert Moore, F.R.C.V.S., Army Veterinary Department, to be Professor, vice Veterinary-Major S. Longhurst, F.R.C.V.S., Army Veterinary Department, whose period of service in that appointment expires. Dated 1st December, 1897.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels:—

Henry M. Rose, Indian Staff Corps. Dated 26th September, 1897.

Albert P. Wodehouse, the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers. Dated 1st December, 1897.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Colonel Edmund S. Ludlow, C.I.E., is transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 14th November, 1897.

The date of the grant of the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel to Major M. C. Cooke-Collis is 25th July, 1897, and not as stated in the Gazette of 26th October, 1897.

Major Frank Lewis Jones is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel while serving as a Regimental Commandant, Indian Army. Dated 10th September, 1897.

INDIAN ARMY.

Colonel Joseph G. T. Carruthers, Bengal Infantry, is transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 11th November, 1897.

MEMORANDA.

Major T. D. Pilcher, the Northumberland Fusiliers, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel whilst employed in West Africa. Dated 27th November, 1897.

The undermentioned Officers are granted the temporary rank of Major whilst employed in West Africa. Dated 27th November, 1897 :—
Captain R. N. R. Reade, the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry).

Captain A. J. Richardson, the East Yorkshire Regiment.

The undermentioned Officers are granted the temporary rank of Captain whilst employed in West Africa. Dated 27th November, 1897 :—
Lieutenant T. M. Webb, the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment).

Lieutenant W. M. Hall, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment).

Lieutenant V. Lewis, the Royal Scots Fusiliers.

Lieutenant A. H. Tyler, Royal Engineers, is granted the local rank of Captain whilst Commanding Royal Engineer on the West Coast of Africa. Dated 20th November, 1897.

The undermentioned Deputy Commissaries and Honorary Lieutenants are granted the honorary rank of Captain :—

William Henry Pitts, Bombay Establishment. Dated 1st July, 1897.

John Mason, Bombay Establishment. Dated 11th August, 1897.

The undermentioned Deputy Assistant Commissaries are granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant :—

James Walker, Bombay Establishment. Dated 1st July, 1897.

Thomas Heney, Bombay Establishment. Dated 11th August, 1897.

RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Lieutenant A. F. Farish, Captain 1st Tower Hamlets Volunteer Rifle Corps, resigns his Commission. Dated 1st December, 1897.

Lieutenant E. Treffry, Honourable Artillery Company of London, to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.

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30th November, 1897.

The undermentioned Officers to be Second Lieutenants. Dated 1st December, 1897 :—

1st *Life Guards*, Lieutenant Walter Waring, from 3rd Battalion the Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment), in succession to Lieutenant Simon J., Lord Lovat, resigned.

1st *Dragoon Guards*, Lieutenant Robert Johnstone Grewing, from 3rd Battalion the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), vice J. A. C. Hamilton, promoted.

2nd *Dragoon Guards*, Lieutenant John Henry Pigé-Leschallas, from 4th Battalion Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), vice C. A. L. French, promoted.

9th *Lancers*, Second Lieutenant John Steuart Duckett, from 3rd Battalion the Royal Scots Fusiliers, vice W. S. Thorpe, deceased.

10th *Hussars*, Lieutenant the Honourable Thomas Lister, from 3rd Battalion the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), vice E. R. A. Shearman, promoted.

14th *Hussars*, Lieutenant Elliot Philipson Philipson-Stow, from 4th Battalion the East Surrey Regiment, vice T. E. L. Hill-Whitson, promoted.

15th *Hussars*, Lieutenant Blyth Ritchie, from 3rd Battalion the Royal Irish Rifles, vice P. G. Molyneux, deceased.

Lieutenant William Philip Cantrell Cantrell-Hubbersty, from 3rd Battalion the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), vice the Honourable W. A. Nugent, promoted.

17th *Lancers*, Lieutenant Alan Francis Fletcher, from 4th Battalion the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, on augmentation.

Lieutenant Robert Bingham Brassey, from 4th Battalion the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, on augmentation.

18th *Hussars*, Lieutenant James Gordon Dugdale (University Candidate), from 2nd Volunteer Battalion the East Lancashire Regiment, vice M. Brotherhood, deceased.

21st *Lancers*, Second Lieutenant Oswald Walter Brinton, from 4th Battalion the Worcestershire Regiment, vice P. Chapman, promoted.

Grenadier Guards, Lieutenant Gilbert Byng Alwyne Russell (University Candidate), from 5th Battalion the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), vice G. S. Clive, promoted.

Second Lieutenant the Honourable George Henry Douglas-Pennant, from 3rd Battalion the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, in succession to Lieutenant F. R., Viscount Kilcoursie, appointed Adjutant.

Second Lieutenant the Honourable Arthur Orlando Wolstan Cecil Weld Forester, from 3rd Battalion the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), vice G. L. A. Dodd, resigned.

Scots Guards, Second Lieutenant the Honourable Richard Coke, from the Prince of Wales's Own, Norfolk Artillery, Eastern Division, Royal Artillery, vice J. C. Heriot-Maitland, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Francis Maurice Augustus Atkinson-Clark (University Candidate), from 4th Battalion the Norfolk Regiment, in succession to Lieutenant R. N. W. Larking, seconded.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Lieutenant Lionel Babington Ravenscroft, from 3rd Battalion the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), vice C. H. Fanshawe, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Ambrose Upton Gledstanes, from 3rd Battalion the Royal Dublin Fusiliers, vice J. A. F. Field, promoted.

The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Lieutenant Paul Whetham, from 4th Battalion the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), vice B. T. Churcher, promoted.

Lieutenant Charles Harold Bennett, from the Sussex Artillery, Eastern Division, Royal Artillery, vice E. B. Mathew-Lannowe, promoted.

The Buffs (East Kent Regiment), Second Lieutenant Francis Charles Alexander Macnab, from 3rd Battalion the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, vice C. B. Stokes, promoted.

Lieutenant Geoffrey Turner Deverbux Hickman, from 4th Battalion the Cheshire Regiment, vice H. A. B. Ternan, promoted.

The King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment), Lieutenant Thomas Dare Jackson, from 4th Battalion the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, vice M. M. Crocker, deceased.

The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Lieutenant Julian Lawrence Fisher, from 3rd Battalion the Suffolk Regiment, vice W. F. Sweny, promoted.

The Norfolk Regiment, Second Lieutenant John Clayton Atkinson, from 3rd or South Regiment, Royal Jersey Militia, vice R. L. P. Birch, promoted.

Lieutenant Percy Needd Worthington, from 3rd Battalion, vice D. M. Oliver, promoted.

The Lincolnshire Regiment, Lieutenant Ernest Elborough Woodcock, from 3rd Battalion the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), vice C. J. Rennie, promoted.

The Devonshire Regiment, Lieutenant Claude Alexander Lafone, from 3rd Battalion, vice P. E. Knapp, promoted.

The Suffolk Regiment, Lieutenant Frederick William Orby Maycock, from 4th Battalion the Essex Regiment, vice F. F. W. Hall, promoted.

Lieutenant Arthur Hilliard Williams Temple, from 3rd Battalion the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), vice F. A. White, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Alfred Lynn Allen (University Candidate), from 1st Volunteer Battalion the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, vice S. J. Carey, promoted.

The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), Lieutenant Claude Ernest Myln Walker, from 3rd Battalion the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), vice E. H. S. James, transferred to the Indian Staff Corps.

The Bedfordshire Regiment, Lieutenant Altham Browning Wilmer, from 4th Battalion the Essex Regiment, vice H. P. Turner, promoted.

Lieutenant William Henry Deune, from 4th Battalion the Cheshire Regiment, vice H. P. Strong, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Frank Augustus Douglas Stevens, from 3rd Battalion the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), vice C. P. Strong, promoted.

The Leicestershire Regiment, Lieutenant Thomas Norman Puckle, from 3rd Battalion the East Surrey Regiment, vice C. H. Haig, promoted.

Lieutenant Francis Le Maistre Gruchy, from 2nd or East Regiment, Royal Jersey Militia, vice D. C. Faichnie, promoted.

Lieutenant Herbert Carter Chapman, from 4th Battalion the Suffolk Regiment, vice A. A. P. Butler, promoted.

The Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), Lieutenant Norman Edward Swan, from 3rd Battalion the Durham Light Infantry, vice E. H. Chapman, promoted.

The Lancashire Fusiliers, Second Lieutenant Richard Jebb Dennis, from 3rd Battalion, vice H. B. Toller.

The Cheshire Regiment, Second Lieutenant William Welch Barrows Gover, from 4th Battalion the Durham Light Infantry, vice R. S. Thomas, transferred to the Indian Staff Corps.

The South Wales Borderers, Lieutenant William Charles Curgenvin, from 3rd Battalion, vice B. W. Collier, promoted.

Lieutenant Thomas Cattell Greenway, from 3rd Battalion, vice E. Colson, promoted.

The King's Own Scottish Borderers, Lieutenant Thomas William Youngson, from 3rd Battalion the Border Regiment, vice C. Leigh, promoted.

Lieutenant Hubert Armstrong, from 3rd Battalion the Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment), vice W. A. Allan, deceased.

Lieutenant John Alexander Doig, from 4th Battalion the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), vice E. S. D'E. Coke, promoted.

The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles), Lieutenant Arthur Lord Mackinnon, from 4th Battalion the Manchester Regiment, vice F. L. S. Clarke, promoted.

Lieutenant Francis Alexander Chetwood Hamilton, from 3rd Battalion, vice I. Stewart, promoted.

The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Lieutenant Arthur Mostyn Davies, from 5th Battalion, vice A. H. Arbuthnot, promoted.

Lieutenant Walter Ochiltree Stuart, from 5th Battalion, vice A. Coast, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Charles Henry George Vesey Stokes, from 4th Battalion, vice J. Evans, promoted.

The Worcestershire Regiment, Second Lieutenant Ernest William Moss, from 3rd Battalion, vice B. O. Richards, promoted.

The East Lancashire Regiment, Lieutenant Alfred Aquila Smith, from 4th Battalion the Cheshire Regiment, vice R. J. Hilson, promoted.

The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, Second Lieutenant Osbert Renn Leigh Hampden, from 3rd Battalion the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, vice F. A. Dickinson, promoted.

The Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), Lieutenant Richard Francis Gatehouse, from 5th Battalion the Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own), vice R. N. Bray, promoted.

The Border Regiment, Second Lieutenant John Carlisle Deey Spedding, from 4th Battalion the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), on augmentation.

Second Lieutenant Andrew William Quinlan (University Candidate), from 16th Middlesex Volunteer Rifle Corps, on augmentation.

The Hampshire Regiment, Second Lieutenant Charles Herbert Hill, from 3rd Battalion, vice H. L. C. Turner, promoted.

The Dorsetshire Regiment, Lieutenant Altham Leonard Moulton-Barrett, from 1st or West Regiment Royal Jersey Militia, vice F. W. R. Hill, promoted.

Lieutenant George Milbourne Herbert, from 4th Battalion the King's (Liverpool Regiment), vice J. C. Hewett, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Douglas Bloomfield Gore-Booth (University Candidate), from 3rd Battalion the South Staffordshire Regiment, vice A. A. Mercer, promoted.

The Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Lieutenant Charles Evelyn Forrest, from 3rd Battalion, vice C. H. Richards, promoted.

Lieutenant Lancelot Edward Seth Ward, from 3rd Battalion, vice C. Cator, promoted.

Second Lieutenant John Arthur Ballard, from 3rd Battalion, vice A. R. Bright, promoted.

The Essex Regiment, Lieutenant Lumley Owen William Jones, from 4th Battalion the South Wales Borderers, vice A. D. Green, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Geoffrey Weston Howard, from 4th Battalion the Worcestershire Regiment, vice A. G. Pratt, promoted.

The Northamptonshire Regiment, Second Lieutenant Charles Walter Barton, from 3rd Battalion the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, vice E. Knatchbull-Hugessen, promoted.

Lieutenant Francis Pope, from 3rd Battalion the York and Lancaster Regiment, vice A. H. Macintire, killed in action.

Lieutenant Harold Cartwright, from 4th Battalion the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), vice H. S. D. Stuart, promoted.

The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), Lieutenant William Henry Annesley, from 5th Battalion Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), vice W. C. Browne-Clayton, promoted.

Lieutenant John Owen Greenwood, from 4th Battalion Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), vice V. E. Muspratt, promoted.

The Manchester Regiment, Second Lieutenant Richard Newman Hardcastle, from 3rd Battalion the East Yorkshire Regiment, vice A. G. Sharp, promoted.

Lieutenant Rupert Hunt-Grubbe, from 4th Battalion the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), vice T. W. H. Jones, promoted.

Lieutenant Humphrey Verdon Roe, from 3rd Battalion the King's (Liverpool Regiment), on augmentation.

Second Lieutenant Frederick Cleave Strickland Dunlop, from 3rd or South Regiment, Royal Jersey Militia, on augmentation.

The Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), Lieutenant Edward Sambrooke John Anderson, from 3rd Battalion the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), vice D. T. Seckham, promoted.

The York and Lancaster Regiment, Second Lieutenant Alexander Gordon Lind, from 3rd Battalion the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, vice C. H. Taylor, promoted.

The Durham Light Infantry, Second Lieutenant Herbert Ponsonby Watts, from 4th Battalion, vice A. S. Way, promoted.

Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, the Duke of Albany's), Lieutenant Robert Sym Wilson, from 3rd Battalion, vice A. J. McNeill, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Harry John Hall, from 3rd Battalion the King's Own Scottish Borderers, vice F. J. Marshall, promoted.

The Gordon Highlanders, Lieutenant James Marshall Maclaren, from 3rd Battalion the Cameronians (Scottish Rifles), vice W. M. K. Marshall, promoted.

Lieutenant the Honourable Reginald George Benedict Forbes, from 3rd Battalion the Cheshire Regiment, vice C. W. McD. Findlay, promoted.

Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), Lieutenant Miles Bertie Cunninghame Carbery, from 5th Battalion, vice H. Cracroft, promoted.

The Connaught Rangers, Second Lieutenant George Frank Brooke, from 4th Battalion the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, vice J. L. J. Conry, promoted.

Lieutenant John Charles MacSwiney, from 3rd Battalion the Cheshire Regiment, vice R. W. Harling, promoted.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Hack, from the Duke of Connaught's Own, Sligo Artillery, Southern Division, Royal Artillery, vice W. N. S. Alexander, promoted.

Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), Lieutenant Walter Gordon Neilson, from 4th Battalion the Cameronians (Scottish Rifles), vice R. P. D. Pattison, promoted.

Lieutenant Harry Michael Thomson, from 4th Battalion the East Surrey Regiment, vice G. E. Courtenay, promoted.

The Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians), Lieutenant John Francis Scobell, from 4th Battalion the South Staffordshire Regiment, vice M. F. Fox, promoted.

The Royal Munster Fusiliers, Lieutenant George Norman Simms, from 3rd Battalion the Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment), vice C. H. B. Jarrett, promoted.

The Royal Dublin Fusiliers, Second Lieutenant John McDougall Haskard, from 3rd Battalion the Lancashire Fusiliers, vice P. Maclear, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Thomas Butler Ely (University Candidate), from 1st Volunteer Battalion the Royal Sussex Regiment, vice C. N. Perreau, promoted.

The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own), Lieutenant Percy Redfern Creed, from 9th Battalion, vice J. F. H. Kane, deceased.

The West India Regiment, Second Lieutenant Alexander Aitken Johnstone Broun, from 2nd or East Regiment, Royal Jersey Militia, vice H. T. Eckersley, promoted.

War Office, 30th November, 1897.

MILITIA.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

The Donegal Artillery (the Prince of Wales's) (Southern Division), Lieutenant Lewis Forsyth Allan, from the 1st Edinburgh (City) Volunteer Artillery, to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.

The Londonderry Artillery (Southern Division), Lieutenant-Colonel D. W. Stevenson is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 1st December, 1897.

The Yorkshire Artillery (Western Division), Second Lieutenant E. H. Arkwright resigns his Commission. Dated 1st December, 1897.

ROYAL ENGINEERS (MILITIA).

Royal Monmouthshire, Christian Francis John Galloway, Gent, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.

INFANTRY.

4th Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel J. M. Leith resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform on his retirement. Dated 1st December, 1897.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Lancashire Fusiliers, Captain and Honorary Major Christopher Thomas Sennett, retired, late 3rd Battalion, the East Lancashire Regiment, to be Captain, and to be appointed Instructor of Musketry to the 4th Battalion under the provisions of paragraph 259 of the Militia Regulations, 1897. Dated 1st December, 1897.

4th Battalion, the Cheshire Regiment, Major J. A. Arnott is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st December, 1897.

Captain C. W. Willis is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 1st December, 1897.

Second Lieutenant G. Clayhills to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.

4th Battalion, the Gloucestershire Regiment, Robert Longfield Beasley, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), James Alexander Ballantine, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Border Regiment, John Hubert Matthews, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Dorsetshire Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. Austen is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 1st December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment, Ernest Percival Ormrod, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Manchester Regiment, Herbert Thomas Walker, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Highland Light Infantry, Lieutenant and Instructor of Musketry W. Mearns resigns his Commission. Dated 1st December, 1897.

9th Battalion, the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), Major E. W. Purdon is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st December, 1897.

MILITIA MEDICAL STAFF CORPS.

The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Surgeon-Lieutenants:—

Alfred Hugh Benson. Dated 1st December, 1897.

William Fletcher, M.B. Dated 1st December, 1897.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Denbighshire (Hussars), Lieutenant F. E. Cotton resigns his Commission; also is granted the honorary rank of Captain, with permission to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 1st December, 1897.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

ARTILLERY.

2nd Middlesex, Captain and Honorary Major F. J. Down resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 1st December, 1897.

Lieutenant L. W. Evans to be Captain. Dated 1st December, 1897.

4th Lancashire, George Henry Cookson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.

Lieutenant L. L. H. Osborn, Royal Artillery, to be Adjutant, vice Captain E. A. Gartside-Tippinge, who has resigned the appointment. Dated 24th November, 1897.

Lieutenant L. L. H. Osborn, Royal Artillery, is granted the rank of Captain whilst serving as Adjutant. Dated 24th November, 1897.

1st Renfrew and Dumbarton, Captain J. H. Fowler resigns his Commission. Dated 1st December, 1897.

Second Lieutenant J. Birkmyre resigns his Commission. Dated 1st December, 1897.

1st Lanarkshire, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel J. Coubrough resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 1st December, 1897.

1st Ayrshire and Galloway, Surgeon-Lieutenant J. G. Thomson resigns his Commission. Dated 1st December, 1897.

1st Caithness, William Durran, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.

1st Worcestershire and Warwickshire, The Reverend S. R. James, M.A., late Major Commandant, 4th (Eton College) Volunteer Battalion the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 17th November, 1897.

1st Northumberland (Western Division, Royal Artillery), The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

J. C. Wedgwood. Dated 1st December, 1897.

J. G. H. McLoughlin. Dated 1st December, 1897.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

W. A. Hartley. Dated 1st December, 1897.

A. Westmacott. Dated 1st December, 1897.

G. Fenwick. Dated 1st December, 1897.

1st Devonshire (Western Division, Royal Artillery), Captain R. D. Anderson is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 1st December, 1897.

1st Cornwall (Duke of Cornwall's) (Western Division, Royal Artillery), Major W. T. Lovering is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st December, 1897.

1st Glamorganshire, Major W. Jones is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st December, 1897.

1st Gloucestershire, Lieutenant W. H. Wise to be Captain. Dated 1st December, 1897.

1st Berwick-on-Tweed, The Reverend Henry Bernard Hodgson, B.A., to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 1st December, 1897.

1st Newcastle-on-Tyne (Western Division, Royal Artillery), Acting Chaplain the Reverend E. A. Langston, M.A., resigns his appointment. Dated 1st December, 1897.

ROYAL ENGINEERS (VOLUNTEERS).

1st Flintshire (Buckley), Captain and Honorary Major J. M. Gibson resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 1st December, 1897.

1st Lanarkshire, Second Lieutenant W. C. Easton to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.

2nd Lancashire (The St. Helens), Second Lieutenant C. T. Brown to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.

Submarine Miners.

The Clyde Division, Major W. W. B. Rodger resigns his Commission. Dated 1st December, 1897.

The Tyne Division, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Joseph White. Dated 1st December, 1897.

William Willoughby Winlaw. Dated 1st December, 1897.

RIFLE.

6th Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Robert Dick Blain, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.

8th Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants (Supernumerary):—

Louis Alexander Henderson. Dated 1st December, 1897.

- William Gardner Thomson. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Lieutenant H. H. Kent to be Captain. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 4th Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Francis George Hargan, Gent., to be Quartermaster. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Northumberland Fusiliers, Captain J. S. Manford resigns his Commission. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the King's (Liverpool Regiment), Second Lieutenant H. G. Carter to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment, John Seppings Beloe, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 4th Volunteer Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment, Lieutenant J. C. Blofeld to be Captain. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- Second Lieutenant C. Gaze to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 4th (Cambridge University) Volunteer Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment, Charles Frederick Hadfield, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- James Slade Foster Chamberlain, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel H. M. Skrine resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), Captain J. W. Gifford is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the East Yorkshire Regiment, Captain W. W. Hall is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Lancashire Fusiliers, Captain Wilfrid Worsley Blackden, Royal Munster Fusiliers, to be Adjutant, vice Major G. E. C. Cure, Lancashire Fusiliers, whose period of service has expired. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, Herbert Whitley Skey Williams, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 1st (Brecknockshire) Volunteer Battalion, the South Wales Borderers, Lieutenant W. M. North resigns his Commission. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the South Wales Borderers, Lieutenant W. E. Morris resigns his Commission. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment, Lieutenant F. J. Terry resigns his Commission. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—
Henry Dyson Walker. Dated 1st December, 1897.
Harold Wilson. Dated 1st December, 1897.
John Tinker. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- Surgeon-Lieutenant R. C. Brown, M.B., resigns his Commission. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Surgeon-Lieutenants:—
Louis Petro Demetriadi. Dated 1st December, 1897.
Henry William Williams, M.B. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Sussex Regiment, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—
S. T. Maynard. Dated 1st December, 1897.
C. V. Johnson. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 2nd (Duke of Connaught's Own) Volunteer Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment, Surgeon-Lieutenant C. S. Ticehurst to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 1st (Oxford University) Volunteer Battalion, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, George Loyd Courthope, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 4th (Eton College) Volunteer Battalion, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Major Commandant the Reverend S. R. James resigns his Commission on appointment as Acting Chaplain to the 1st Worcestershire and Warwickshire Volunteer Artillery. Dated 16th November, 1897.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Essex Regiment, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—
Harry Harcourt Slade. Dated 1st December, 1897.
William Constable Shepherd. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 4th (Nottinghamshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), Captain C. J. Huskinson is seconded whilst holding the appointment of Signalling Officer to the North Midland Volunteer Infantry Brigade. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel W. W. Cannon resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), Quartermaster (Major) J. B. Horton, whose resignation appeared in the London Gazette of 28th September, 1897, is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 29th September, 1897.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the King's Own (Yorkshire Light Infantry), Major W. H. Blackburn is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 12th Middlesex (Civil Service), The undermentioned Officers to be Captains:—
Lieutenant W. L. B. Clode. Dated 1st December, 1897.
Second Lieutenant R. G. Hayes. Dated 1st December, 1897.
Second Lieutenant G. F. Allsop to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- 13th Middlesex (Queen's Westminster), Lieutenant R. Carr to be Captain. Dated 1st December, 1897.
- Second Lieutenant B. H. Gainsford to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.

1st London, Second Lieutenant P. W. Richardson resigns his Commission. Dated 1st December, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), Honorary Chaplain the Right Reverend Sir L. T. Stamer, Bart., D.D. (Bishop of Shrewsbury), retires under the provisions of paragraph 111 of the Volunteer Regulations, 1896. Dated 1st December, 1897.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the York and Lancaster Regiment, Captain G. E. Crawshaw is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 1st December, 1897.

4th Volunteer Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry, Honorary Chaplain the Reverend J. Mathwin retires under the provisions of paragraph 111 of the Volunteer Regulations, 1896. Dated 1st December, 1897.

3rd (The Blythswood) Volunteer Battalion, the Highland Light Infantry, Captain F. J. Stevenson is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 1st December, 1897.

4th (Donside Highland) Volunteer Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders, Acting Chaplain the Reverend J. Gillan resigns his appointment. Dated 1st December, 1897.

16th Middlesex (London Irish), Harry Miller Ballingall, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.

24th Middlesex, Lieutenant E. W. H. Fyers to be Captain. Dated 1st December, 1897.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants :—

L. G. Hamilton. Dated 1st December, 1897.

H. A. H. Steward. Dated 1st December, 1897.

1st Tower Hamlets, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel J. S. Thompson resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 1st December, 1897.

CADET BATTALIONS.

1st Cadet Battalion, the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), Honorary Captain A. H. Scott-White to be Honorary Major. Dated 1st December, 1897.

Honorary Lieutenant J. Donnelly to be Honorary Captain. Dated 1st December, 1897.

Honorary Second Lieutenant O. Le M. Theobalds to be Honorary Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.

1st Cadet Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), The Honourable Maxwell Steele Bowen to be Honorary Second Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1897.

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens,
November 27, 1897.

ALLERTON, WOOLTON, CHILDWALL, AND GARSTON ELECTRIC LIGHTING ORDER, 1896.

THE Board of Trade hereby give notice that they have revoked the Allerton, Woolton, Childwall, and Garston Electric Lighting Order, 1896, as confirmed by the Electric Lighting Orders Confirmation (No. 7) Act, 1896, in so far as the Order relates to the district of Garston, as from the 19th November, 1897, and that the said revocation is to take effect from that date.

Dated this 27th day of November, 1897.

Courtenay Boyle, Secretary.

PARCEL POST.

BRITISH EAST AFRICA AND ZANZIBAR.

IN pursuance of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, Her Majesty's Postmaster-General hereby gives notice that a Treasury Warrant, dated the 29th day of October, 1897, has been made, on his representation, by the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in pursuance of the Post Office Acts, ordering, directing, and declaring that on and from the 1st day of January, 1898, parcels may, subject to the provisions of the said Warrant, and at the rates of postage therein specified, and in accordance with the regulations therein contained, be transmitted by Post from the United Kingdom to British East Africa and Zanzibar.

And the Postmaster-General further gives notice that copies of the said Warrant may be purchased, either directly or through any bookseller, from Eyre and Spottiswoode, East Harding-street, Fleet-street, E.C.; or John Menzies and Co., 12, Hanover-street, Edinburgh, and 80, West Nile-street, Glasgow; or Hodges, Figgis, and Co. Limited, 104, Grafton-street, Dublin.

Dated this 29th day of November, 1897.

Civil Service Commission, November 30, 1897.

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

November 25, 1897.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Telegraph Learner in the Central Office, London, Alice Phillips.

Learners, London, Archibald Percy Cousens, George Herbert Elliott, William Henry Grimes, William Pallett.

Male Sorter, London, John Weatherley Jesse Reeves.

Male Learner, Edinburgh, William Cooper Hood.

Male Learners, Joseph Alfred Carr (Cardiff), Mark Ormston (Newcastle-on-Tyne), Michael Reilly (Belfast).

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Post Office: Male Learner, Cork, Daniel Allen.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Sheerness Dockyard, Shipwrights, William Alfred Read, Walter Frederick Turner.

Post Office: Postmen, London, Brooke Knowles Bayley, Romer Daniel Spooner.

Porters, London, Patrick Kelly, Arthur Smith.

Skilled Lineman, George Davidson.

Sorting Clerk and Telegraph Learner, Cardiff, Annie Jones.

Learners, Edith Alice Belding (Hull), Robert Stubbs Henderson (Carlisle), Herbert Wilson (St. Helens).

Postmen, Frederick James Hamilton (Woolwich), Alfred Benjamin Martin (Worcester), David Donaldson Morrison (Dundee), Nathan Noble (York), William Noton (Nottingham), Bertram George Price (Worcester).

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

Public Works Office, Dublin, Land Improvement Inspector, Frederick Edward Sandford-Pakenham.

Post Office: Second Class Engineer, Richard Gill.

**FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY
COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).**

Christopher Patrick Clarke, Albert John Harris.

November 26, 1897.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Learners, London, Percy John Dewey, Arthur Frederick Dyte, Samuel William Henry Humm, Frank Horace Maddison, Herbert George William Pearce, George Herbert Shapley.

Male Learner, Edinburgh, John Muir Mason.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Computer at the Royal Observatory, Greenwich, Herbert Henry Furner.

Post Office: Male Learners, Dublin, James Edward Graham, Richard Leslie Graham.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Sorter-Tracer, London, George William James Wright.

Learners, Annie Moorhouse (Leeds), Frederick James Webb (Hastings).

Postmen, Southport, George Bullough, Edwin Arthur Capper, Robert Porter, James Winrow.

Postmen, Bradford, William Allen, Joseph Hainsworth, Archibald Knowles.

Postmen, Donald Campbell Leitch (Glasgow), Adam McGillivray (Aberdeen), James Shanly (Mullingar), Robert Telfer (Wishaw).

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

Treasury: Clerk in charge of Accounts in the Solicitor's Department, Walter Christian Bernard Ravn.

**FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY
COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).**

Thomas Burns, Leonard Henry William Gibbs, John Denis Murphy.

November 27, 1897.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Valuation Office, Ireland: Valuer and Surveyor (Second Section), William James Ward.

Post Office: Learners, London, Arthur Allen Upson, Hugh Ernest Williams.

Male Learners, Peter Taylor (Glasgow), Daniel Dempsey (Belfast).

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Post Office: Male Learner, Londonderry, Patrick Joseph Halpin.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Learners, Ada Beatrice Aubrey (Horsham), Thomas Treglown Beckerlegge (Cardiff).

Postman, Tewkesbury, Henry Archibald Beaumont.

**FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY
COPYISTS (NEW CLASS).**

John Lawlor Lacy, Joseph Shevlin.

**ORDER OF THE BOARD OF
AGRICULTURE.**

(DATED 27TH NOVEMBER 1897.)

(SWINE-FEVER INFECTED AREA.)

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

1. The Order described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby from and after the commencement of this Order revoked: Provided that such revocation shall not invalidate or make unlawful anything done under the Swine-Fever (Infected Areas) Order of 1896 and the Order described in the Schedule to this Order before the commencement of this Order, or interfere with the institution or prosecution of any proceeding in respect of any offence committed against, or any penalty incurred under, those Orders before the commencement of this Order.

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

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

L. S.

T. H. Elliott,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Order Revoked.

No.	Date.	Subject.
5690	1897. 3 September ...	Declaring the following to be a Swine-Fever Infected Area for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Infected Areas) Order of 1896, namely,—an Area in the county of Carnarvon comprising the parishes of Llanrug, Llanberis, and Llanddeiniolen.

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

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

(Nos. 725 to 728 of the year 1897.)

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

No. 725.—MEDITERRANEAN—GULF OF TUNIS.

(1) *Piana Light—Amended Visibility of Green Sector.*

THE French Government has given notice, that the sector of green light, shown from Piana Lighthouse, is only visible from S. 63° E. to S. 79° E., and consequently it does not cover the five fathom line southward of Cape Farina.

Approximate position on Chart No. 250, lat. 37° 11' 5" N., long. 10° 20' 10" E.

(2) *Sunken Rock South-Westward of Ras Durdas.*

Also, of the existence of a rock, with a depth of 8 feet on it, situated nearly 2 cables offshore in a position with Ras Durdas bearing N. 46° E., distant 1½ miles.

Approximate position on Chart No. 250, lat. 36° 50' 50" N., long. 10° 34' 40" E.

(3) *Rocky Ground North-Eastward of Ras Idda.*

Also, that detached rocks, with depths of 10 to 20 feet on them, extend about N.E. by E. for a distance of 3½ cables from Ras Idda. Cape Bon Lighthouse kept in sight leads eastward of these dangers.

Approximate position, outer rock, on Chart No. 250 lat. 37° 3' 0" N., long. 11° 5' 30" E.

[Variation 10° Westerly in 1897.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Fratelli Rocks to Mahedia, No 250 (1, 2, 3); Plan of Cape Farina anchorage on sheet No. 1381 (1). Also, List of Lights, Part V, 1897, No. 1111a; and Mediterranean Pilot, Vol. I, 1894, pages 296, 302, 304.

No. 726.—STRAIT OF MAKASSAR.

(1) *Pulo Laut Strait—Rock South-Eastward of Suangi Island.*

THE Netherlands Government has given notice of the existence of a rock, which dries at half tide, or about 3 feet, and is about two-tenths of a cable in length east and west, situated with the tree on the south-east end of Suangi island bearing N. 47° W., distant 8 cables; and entrance of Selaru river N. 38° E.

Approximate position, lat. 3° 27' 35" S., long. 116° 1' 40" E.

(2) *Amended Particulars of Hercules Reef, Ares Bank, &c.*

Also that—

a. Hercules reef, in approximately latitude 2° 22½' S., longitude 116° 43' E., partly dries at low water.

A rock, with a depth of 16 feet on it, and about a cable in diameter, is situated N. 20° E., distant 2½ cables, from Hercules reef; and there are depths of 8 fathoms in a S.S.W. direction for about 1½ cables from that reef; in other directions the soundings around Hercules reef are 12 to 19 fathoms.

b. Ares bank, eastward of Ares or Aru point, is reported to be situated 2 miles westward of the position in which it has hitherto been shown, and a note to that effect has been placed on the chart.

The beacon on this bank is surmounted by a white ball, and situated approximately in lat. 2° 15' 15" S., long. 116° 39' 30" E.

c. A rocky patch, now named September reef, consisting of sand, coral, and stones, dries over a length of about 2 cables in a N. by E. and S. by W. direction, and is about a cable in breadth. It is situated in approximately lat. 2° 17' 10" S., long. 116° 48' 10" E.

A rocky patch, of considerable extent, with a depth of 15 feet on it, is situated with its centre S. 54° W., distant 3½ cables, from September reef; and there are other patches with depths of 5 to 6 fathoms on them, extending about a mile and a quarter southward, and nearly a mile northward and north-westward, from September reef; the general depths around being 11 to 20 fathoms.

d. A rock which dries, with depths of 4 fathoms around, is situated in approximately lat. 2° 21' 50" S., long. 116° 36' 40" E.; a rock, with a depth of 2 feet on it, in lat. 2° 24' 50" S., long. 116° 35' 0" E.; and a rock, with a depth of 4 feet on it, and depths of 2 fathoms around, in lat. 2° 27' 20" S., long. 116° 34' 5" E.

[Variation 2° Easterly in 1897.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Plan of Pulo Laut Strait on Sheet No. 2662 (1); South Part of the Strait of Makassar, No. 2637 (2). Also, Sailing Directions for the Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1893, page 314.

No. 727.—AFRICA—ZANZIBAR ISLAND.

Ras Nungwe Light Regularly Exhibited.

INFORMATION has been received from the Port Officer at Zanzibar that the light on Ras Nungwe (revolving every half minute, and other particulars as given at No. 52, List of Lights, Part VI, 1897) is now regularly exhibited, and the word "occasional" against the light on the charts; and the remark on page 19 in Light List, Part VI, should consequently be expunged.

Approximate position, lat. 5° 43' 5" S., long. 39° 18' 5" E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Zanzibar to Malindi, No. 664; Pangani to Ras Kimbiji, No. 640b. Also, List of Lights, Part VI, 1897, No. 52; and Africa Pilot, Part III, 1889, page 381.

No. 728.—MEDITERRANEAN—ALGERIA.

Rock East-South-East of Cape Rosa.

THE French Government has given notice, dated 4th November, 1897, of the existence of a rock about half a cable long north and south and a quarter of a cable broad, with a least depth of 15 feet on it, situated in a position with Cape Rosa Lighthouse bearing N. 74° W., distant 3½ miles; and Bugaya summit (1,132) S. 34° W.

Approximate position on Chart No. 252, lat. 36° 56' 40" N., long. 8° 19' 15" E.

[Variation 11° Westerly in 1897.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—C. Bougaroni to Fratelli Rocks, No. 252. Also, Mediterranean Pilot, Vol. I, 1894, page 283.

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
27th November, 1897.

INCOME TAX.

WHEREAS it has become necessary to renew the list of persons to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners appointed to act in the division of the Society of Lincoln's-inn and Inns of Chancery, as Commissioners for the general purposes of the Acts of Parliament for granting to Her Majesty duties on profits arising from property, professions, trades, and offices: Now we, two of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, in pursuance of the powers vested in us in that behalf, do hereby convene a meeting of the Land Tax Commissioners for the division aforesaid, being respectively qualified to act as such Com-

missioners, to be holden at the Hall, Lincoln's-inn, on Friday, the 3rd day of December, 1897, at a quarter-past four o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of choosing fit and proper persons to be Commissioners to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners for the general purposes of the Income Tax for the division of the Society of Lincoln's-inn and Inns of Chancery aforesaid.

F. Lucy Robinson.
Bernard Mallet.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House,
London, November 27, 1897.

In the Privy Council.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to Lorentz Albert Groth K.G.V. of No. 30 Finsbury-pavement London E.C. bearing date the 17th June 1884 and numbered 9112 for improvements in gas or oil motors.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of Gottlieb Daimler of Canstatt, Wurtemberg in the Empire of Germany Engineer, and of the British Motor Company Limited of 40 Holborn-viaduct in the city of London the last named being assignees and registered holders of the above-mentioned patents to present a petition to Her Majesty in Council praying that the term of years for which the above-named letters patent are granted may be extended. And notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of January 1898 or on such subsequent day as the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Privy Council shall appoint for that purpose an application will be made to the said Judicial Committee for a time to be fixed for the hearing of the matter of the

said petition and any person desirous of being heard in opposition to the prayer of the said petition must enter a caveat to that effect in the Privy Council Office on or before the 11th day of January 1898.—Dated this 24th day of November 1897.

STEADMAN and VAN PRAAGH 23 Old Broad-street E.C. Solicitors for the above-named Petitioners.

In the Privy Council.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to Alexander McLean of Canterbury Wharf, Relyedere-road in the county of Surrey, Cement Manufacturer, and bearing date the 9th day of June 1884 and No. 8747.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of Alexander McLean and the Adamant Stone and Paving Company Limited 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 10th day of January 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 10th day of January next.—Dated this 30th day of November 1897.

BURN and BERRIDGE 11 Old Broad-street 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 27th November, 1897, conformably with the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37,

					QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
					Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	...	...	...	...	83,799	3	33	8
Barley	...	...	...	...	173,774	3	25	9
Oats	...	...	...	...	18,160	0	16	8

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

Corresponding Week in		QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICE.					
		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
		Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1893	...	52,784	1	146,879	7	17,818	7	27	0	28	8	18	3
1894	...	44,732	1	166,893	2	21,239	5	20	7	22	0	14	3
1895	...	31,532	2	176,353	0	16,101	5	25	2	24	7	14	3
1896	...	61,585	3	183,209	1	16,489	5	33	4	26	9	17	7

* 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.,
November 27, 1897.

T. H. ELLIOTT.

AVERAGE PRICE of Wheat, Barley, and Oats per Quarter of Eight Bushels (Imperial Measure), as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise at each of the undermentioned Towns during the week ended Saturday, the 27th November, 1897.

Towns.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Towns.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
London	35 0	28 4	18 2	Horsham	Nil.		
Uxbridge	34 1			Pulborough	Nil.		
Romford	35 6	21 0		Chichester	34 1	30 4	17 0
Chelmsford	36 7	29 0	16 6	Newport (Hants)		33 1	
Colchester	34 3	27 9	17 6	Fareham	Nil.		
Braintree	33 3	26 6	13 3	Southampton	24 2		
Saffron Walden	31 11	26 2		Winchester	34 6	28 0	16 2
Bishop's Stortford	33 3	29 5		Basingstoke	33 4	28 7	15 8
Hertford	33 7	25 11		Andover	31 2	26 5	15 9
Royston (Herts)	32 9	24 2	18 6	Ringwood		23 4	
Hitchin	32 10	23 10	18 8	Wimborne	33 0	23 6	16 5
Auton (Bedford)	32 9	21 9	16 9	Wareham	30 11	28 5	
Bedford	32 11	26 11	17 6	Dorchester (Dorset)	33 4	23 9	
St. Neots (Hunts)	32 9	23 11	15 10	Blandford	33 5		
Huntingdon	Nil.			Bridport		25 5	
St. Ives (Hunts)	33 2	25 4	17 1	Honiton	Nil.		
Wisbeach	33 5	21 4	17 6	Tiverton (Devon)	32 2		
Ely (Cambridge)	32 10	20 2	16 8	Barnstaple	Nil.		
Cambridge	33 5	25 10	16 5	Exeter	32 11		
Haverhill	32 10	27 5		Newton Abbot	33 2	24 3	
Sudbury (Suffolk)	33 3	26 4		Totnes	32 1	20 9	15 9
Hadleigh (Suffolk)	34 0	26 11		Kingsbridge	32 8	21 5	15 5
Ipswich	34 4	28 9	15 11	Plymouth	33 1	21 8	15 8
Woodbridge	34 0	31 10		Okehampton	Nil.		
Stowmarket	33 10	28 3	15 11	Liskeard	Nil.		
Bury St. Edmunds	33 3	29 2	15 10	Wadebridge	33 11	20 11	15 5
Saxmundham	35 3	28 8		Truro	33 3	21 10	15 4
Framlingham	34 11	27 1		Bridgwater	34 7	26 9	
Eye (Suffolk)	33 0	28 11		Taunton	34 7	23 11	
Halesworth	35 0	29 9		Yeovil	33 11	23 2	20 11
Bungay	33 10	29 3		Frome	33 6	27 0	
Beccles	33 10	29 0	15 4	Bath	32 9	26 5	
Diss	32 10	23 7	17 11	Bristol	32 7		
Harleston (Norfolk)	33 2	27 6		Warminster	32 7	23 1	15 2
Yarmouth (Norfolk)		30 9		Salisbury	32 7	28 6	15 10
Norwich	33 10	23 10	17 2	Devizes	33 5	24 10	
North Walsham (Norfolk)	32 9	22 11		Swindon (Wilts)	31 8	26 9	18 3
Holt (Norfolk)	32 4	21 10	15 10	Cirencester	31 4	20 6	15 10
Fakenham	31 1	24 6	14 10	Gloucester	34 3		19 6
East Dereham	32 4	26 7	16 0	Cheltenham	32 10	17 0	14 1
Watton (Norfolk)		28 2	17 6	Tewkesbury	32 11		
Lynn	33 11	26 8	16 8	Chepstow	31 9	29 8	16 2
Spalding	33 1	21 4	16 5	Newport (Mon.)	31 1		
Stamford	32 10	26 7	16 7	Monmouth	Nil.		
Grantham	33 9	23 4	17 10	Ross	31 9	25 10	
Sleaford	33 9	24 3	18 11	Hereford	31 8	24 1	16 7
Boston	32 8	20 11	15 9	Evesham	31 11		
Louth	33 3	21 4	16 4	Worcester	31 11	20 9	16 6
Lincoln	34 1	23 6	16 5	Ludlow		23 8	
Gainsborough	35 4	20 8	15 2	Bridgnorth	32 2	26 5	15 8
Brigg	34 2	23 1	15 4	Shrewsbury	32 3	25 3	17 2
Hull	34 4	16 7	16 7	Oswestry	30 10	26 5	17 11
Howden	34 2	22 4	15 4	Market Drayton	33 1	26 1	18 1
Beverley	34 6	23 11		Wolverhampton	34 7	26 8	23 11
Bridlington	32 10	21 11	16 0	Stafford	32 10	25 10	16 0
Retford		23 8		Burton-on-Trent	34 4	27 8	15 9
Worksop	35 2	23 4	18 0	Derby	33 9		16 6
Mansfield	34 4	21 11	15 0	Sheffield	31 7		
Newark	34 6	23 11	16 5	Doncaster	34 5	25 2	17 0
Nottingham	33 8	22 8	17 8	Goole	35 1	23 3	15 9
Loughborough	34 0	23 6	18 5	Pontefract	34 8	24 2	16 11
Leicester	34 0	23 11	17 3	Wakefield		23 6	
Melton Mowbray	31 6	23 4	17 1	Leeds	35 9	28 3	17 7
Oakham	31 6		17 7	Knarborough	33 1	20 8	16 9
Peterborough	30 6	26 2	16 3	Ripon	34 5	21 0	16 10
Kettering	32 5	23 0		York	32 3	22 1	16 8
Northampton	31 11	24 9	18 1	Easingwold		20 8	
Daventry	30 4		14 3	Malton	33 4	23 1	15 8
Coventry	32 5	26 2	16 9	Scarborough	33 4	22 1	15 10
Birmingham	34 11	26 3		Thirsk		21 4	
Warwick	32 10		17 4	Bedale	32 11	23 7	17 6
Stratford-on-Avon	32 4	29 5		Northallerton	33 11	22 1	15 4
Banbury	31 6	20 8	16 1	Darlington	33 1	21 5	15 10
Oxford	33 4	26 4	16 10	Stockton-on-Tees	32 5	23 6	
Bicester		21 8	15 10	Bishop Auckland	36 0		
Newport Pagnell	32 5	21 0	18 11	Sunderland	31 7	20 7	
Aylesbury	32 4	29 8	18 3	Newcastle-on-Tyne	35 8	19 8	18 1
Abingdon	34 10	26 6		Alnwick		23 9	18 7
Didcot	Nil.			Berwick	29 6	21 6	16 0
Wallingford	33 0	32 5	15 4	Carlisle	33 1	20 3	17 5
Hungerford	31 10	23 9	15 6	Egremont (Cumberland)	Nil.		
Newbury (Berks)	34 10	27 6		Penrith	28 10		16 10
Reading	35 0	32 1	21 0	Kendal	Nil.		
Farnham (Surrey)	36 0	30 1		Garstang	26 8		
Guildford	33 11	22 3	16 1	Preston (Lancashire)	34 5		15 10
Reigate			18 6	Manchester	Nil.		
Kingston (Surrey)	34 3	29 9		Warrington	33 3		16 2
Croydon (Surrey)	34 3			Chester	33 3		
Dartford	Nil.			Llangefni (Anglesey)			14 1
Rochester (Kent)	Nil.			Carnarvon			18 11
Sandwich	31 3	17 6	17 0	Denbigh	30 2		
Canterbury	37 0	30 3	18 0	Wrexham	30 9	23 9	15 11
Ashford (Kent)	35 0	29 4	16 7	Welshpool	31 4	23 10	
Maidstone	33 9	33 5	16 10	Cardigan		26 11	16 8
Tunbridge	Nil.			Haverfordwest		23 9	13 9
Lowes	33 5	35 5		Cardmarthen	Nil.		
Brighton	33 2		18 10	Cardiff	Nil.		
Hayward's Heath	34 3			Brecon	30 1	24 8	18 6

THE LONDON GAZETTE, NOVEMBER 30, 1897.

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Treasury, November 30, 1897.

ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of Agricultural Produce Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 27th November, 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	10,611	10,142
Sheep and Lambs	...	...	...	"	10,376	7,583
Swine	...	...	...	"	—	—
Fresh Meat :—						
Beef	...	...	...	cwts.	54,819	41,460
Mutton	...	...	...	"	30,336	44,874
Pork	...	...	...	"	9,515	8,686
Salted or Preserved Meat :—						
Bacon	...	...	...	"	135,988	74,341
Beef	...	...	...	"	6,627	922
Hams	...	...	...	"	35,275	19,398
Pork	...	...	...	"	6,300	3,984
Meat unenumerated, salted and fresh	...	...	...	"	5,681	6,077
Meat preserved, otherwise than by salting	...	...	...	"	10,358	5,301
Dairy Produce and Substitutes :—						
Butter	...	...	...	"	55,875	56,202
Margarine	...	...	...	"	18,855	18,205
Cheese	...	...	...	"	64,952	44,226
Milk, Condensed	...	...	...	"	12,162	18,410
Milk and Cream, Fresh or Preserved, other than Condensed Milk	...	...	...	...	Galls. 796	Cwts. 1,142
Eggs	...	...	...	Great Hundred	293,986	350,844
Poultry and Game	...	...	...	Value £	8,788	15,249
Rabbits, dead (not tinned)	...	...	...	cwts.	4,017	4,057
Lard	...	...	...	"	39,109	42,426
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour :—						
Wheat	...	...	...	"	1,107,100	1,055,800
Wheat Meal and Flour	...	...	...	"	575,660	331,500
Barley	...	...	...	"	583,040	368,900
Oats	...	...	...	"	547,300	335,700
Pease	...	...	...	"	143,200	15,600
Beans	...	...	...	"	70,680	41,490
Maize or Indian Corn	...	...	...	"	1,322,800	597,900
Fruit, Raw :—						
Apples	...	...	...	Bush.	361,905	124,264
Oranges	...	...	...	"	318,768	215,199
Lemons	...	...	...	"	35,030	30,593
Cherries	...	...	...	"	—	—
Plums	...	...	...	"	—	77
Pears	...	...	...	"	2,672	5,353
Grapes	...	...	...	"	781	5,814
Unenumerated	...	...	...	"	10,761	12,420
Hay	...	...	...	Tons	1,768	1,688
Hops	...	...	...	cwts.	16,207	7,871
Vegetables :—						
Onions, raw	...	...	...	Bush.	159,863	100,247
Potatoes	...	...	...	cwts.	10,212	150,752
Unenumerated	...	...	...	Value £	20,025	15,206

Statistical Office, Custom House, London,
November 29, 1897.

T. J. PITTAR.

The Transvaal Gold Exploration and Land Company Limited (in Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that Certificate No. 6939 for 62 shares, numbered from 817011 to 817072 registered in the name of Gwendolen Mary Jefferson of Abdale, Hatfield Herts (at present residing at No. 7 Bryanston-square, London, W.), is alleged to have been lost or inad-

vertently destroyed, and unless reasonable objection is lodged at the offices of the Company, Suffolk House, 3 Laurence Pountney-hill, Cannon-street, E.C., on or before Monday the 13th day of December, 1897, a fresh certificate will be issued. —1 Queen Victoria-street, London, E.C., 27th November, 1897. C. L. NICHOLS Liquidator.

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 47 Weeks ended 25th November, 1897.

PORTS.	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.
Week ended 25th November, 1897.												
Liverpool ...	90,477	...	...	11,272	84	101,833	1,236	...	258	1,605	...	3,099
London ...	809	...	237	...	5	1,051	...	...	55	...	...	55
Hull ...	1,859	...	...	...	...	1,859	4,941	...	...	...	...	4,941
Manchester ...	10,738	...	...	6,473	...	17,211	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Ports ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,000	...	...	5	...	2,005
Total ...	103,883	...	237	17,745	89	121,954	8,177	...	313	1,610	...	10,100
47 Weeks ended 25th November, 1897.												
Liverpool ...	2,015,038	68,618	53,591	230,565	49,476	2,417,288	118,256	3,320	9,831	49,418	14,390	195,215
London ...	10,438	...	40,647	...	700	51,785	13,699	...	38,341	...	132	52,172
Hull ...	65,644	...	3,204	17,123	...	85,971	92,400	500	2,704	21,625	712	117,941
Manchester ...	165,741	...	...	67,409	...	233,150	15	...	...	469	...	484
Other Ports ...	44,585	1,316	3	...	162	46,066	42,335	...	445	10	53	42,843
Total ...	2,301,446	69,934	97,445	315,097	50,338	2,834,260	266,705	3,820	51,321	71,522	15,287	408,655

Dated November 26, 1897.

A. E. BATEMAN,
Commercial, Labour, and Statistical Department, Board of Trade.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act seventh and eighth Victoria, cap. 32, of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES of the several Banks of Issue in ENGLAND and WALES, in Circulation during the Week ended Saturday, the 20th day of November, 1897.

PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.						Average Amount.
						£
Ashford Bank	Ashford ...	Pomfret and Co.				4784
Aylesbury Old Bank	Aylesbury ...	Cobb, Bartlett, and Co.				6791
Banbury Bank	Banbury ...	Gillett and Co.				5225
Banbury Old Bank	Banbury ...	T. R. Cobb and Son				4546
Bedford Bank	Bedford ...	Barnard and Co.				11502
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank	Bicester ...	Tubb and Co.				7850
Buckingham Bank	Buckingham ...	Bartlett and Co.				6389
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank	Cambridge ...	Foster and Co.				24179
Canterbury Bank	Canterbury ...	Hammond and Co.				6532
City Bank, Exeter	Exeter ...	Milford and Co.				3767
Derby Bank	Derby ...	Samuel Smith and Co.				5124
Exeter Bank	Exeter ...	Sanders and Co.				7070
Faversham Bank	Faversham ...	Hilton and Co.				2525
Ipswich Bank	Ipswich ...	Bacon and Co.				11484
Kingston-upon-Hull and Hull Bank	Kingston-upon-Hull ...	Smith Brothers and Co.				9912
Kington and Radnorshire Bank	Kington ...	Davies and Co.				13149
Leeds Old Bank	Leeds ...	Beckett and Co.				45060
Leeds Bank	Leeds ...	Wm. Wms. Brown and Co.				20105
Lincoln Bank	Lincoln ...	Smith, Ellison, and Co.				52857
Llandovery, Lampeter, and Llan-dilo Banks	Llandovery ...	D. Jones and Co.				15963
Naval Bank	Plymouth ...	Harris, Bulteel, and Co.				4931
Newark Bank	Newark ...	Samuel Smith and Co.				7096
Newmarket Bank	Newmarket ...	Hammond and Co.				6599
Nottingham Bank	Nottingham ...	Samuel Smith and Co.				15371
Oxford Old Bank	Oxford ...	Parsons and Co.				14119
Oxfordshire Witney Bank	Witney ...	Gillett and Co.				4385
Reading Bank	Reading ...	Simonds and Co.				9936
Reading Bank	Reading ...	Stephens, Blandy, and Co.				8391
Richmond Bank	Richmond ...	Roper and Co.				3973
Sleaford and Newark Bank, and Newark and Sleaford Bank	Sleaford ...	Peacock and Co.				12280
Tring, Aylesbury, and Chesham Bank	Tring ...	Butcher and Sons				7710
Uxbridge Old Bank	Uxbridge ...	Woodbridge and Co.				949
Wallingford Bank	Wallingford ...	Hedges, Wells, and Co.				1185
Wellington Somerset Bank	Wellington ...	Fox, Fowler, and Co.				3418
West-Riding Bank, Wakefield, and Pontefract Bank	Wakefield ...	Leatham, Tew, and Co.				19072
Worcester, Great Malvern, and Tewkesbury Old Bank	Worcester ...	Berwick, Lechmere, and Co.				14381
Yarmouth, Norfolk, and Suffolk Bank	Great Yarmouth ...	Lacons, Youell, and Co.				4527
York and East Riding Bank	Beverley ...	Beckett and Co.				40336

JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.						Average Amount.
						£
Bank of Whitehaven Limited	...	...	...	...	Whitehaven	10830
Bradford Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Bradford	24170
Bradford Commercial Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Bradford	10819
Burton Union Bank Limited	...	...	...	...	Burton-upon-Trent	16448
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Carlisle	24709
Cumberland Union Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Carlisle	33853
Derby and Derbyshire Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Derby	5481
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Halifax	6807
Halifax Commercial Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Halifax	7118
Halifax Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Halifax	13128
Knaresborough and Claro Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Harrogate	21969
Lancaster Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Lancaster	58518
Leicestershire Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Leicester	30130
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Lincoln	46320
Moore and Robinson's Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Nottingham	11567
North and South Wales Bank Limited	...	...	...	...	Liverpool	49837
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Nottingham	23605
Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Leicester	21508
Sheffield and Hallamshire Bank Limited	...	...	...	...	Sheffield	6612
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Sheffield	11995
Sheffield Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Sheffield	13210
Stamford, Spalding, and Boston Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Stamford	40985
Stuckey's Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Langport	114037
Swaledale and Wensleydale Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Richmond (Yorks)	46986
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank Limited	...	...	...	...	Wakefield	6936
West Riding Union Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Huddersfield	10954
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Whitehaven	24169
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Salisbury	61413
York City and County Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	York	93887
Yorkshire Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Leeds	111391
York Union Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	York	71913

Inland Revenue Office, November 27, 1897.

J. S. PURCELL, Registrar of Bank Returns.

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named the Wesleyan Chapel situated at Cowbridge (East Village) in the civil parish of Cowbridge in the county of Glamorgan in the registration district of Bridgend being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 23rd day of November 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 24th November 1897.

R. HARMAR COX Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Wesleyan Chapel situated at North Hill, Church Town, in the civil parish of North Hill in the county of Cornwall in the registration district of Launceston being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 24th November 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 24th November 1897.

GEO. GRAHAM - WHITE Superintendent Registrar.

No. 26915.

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NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named Congregational Chapel situated at Way Village in the civil parish of Cruwys Morchard in the county of Devon in the registration district of Tiverton being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 24th day of November 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 24th day of November 1897.

THOS. CLARKE Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Wesleyan Methodist Chapel situated at Mumby in the civil parish of Mumby in the county of Lincoln in the registration district of Spilsby being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the 25th day of November 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 25th day of November 1897.

GEORGE WALTER Superintendent Registrar.

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

South Crosland, Lepton, Kirkheaton, Rishworth, Stainland, Soyland, Clifton, Skircoat, Sowerby (including its detached part), Barkisland, Fixby, Elland, Greetland, Upper Greetland, Hipperholme, Southowram, Norland, Wike, Cleckheaton, Liversedge, Hartshead, Ravensthorpe, and Mirfield, in the West Riding of the county of York, and also comprising the boroughs of Brighouse, Halifax, and Huddersfield (27 September, 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).

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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).

Essex.—A district or area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Tendring, Lexden, and Winstree, Witham, South Hinckford, 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).

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).

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the undermentioned DISEASES for the Week ended November 27th, 1897, distinguishing Counties (including Boroughs*).

ANTHRAX.			
County.	Outbreaks reported.	Animals Attacked.	
ENGLAND.	No.	No.	
Hereford	1	1	
Leicester	1	3	
Northampton	1	1	
Surrey	1	1	
Worcester	1	1	
TOTAL	5	7	

RABIES.			
County.	Cases reported during the Week.		Number of Dogs destroyed as having been exposed to infection.
	Dogs.	Other Animals.	
ENGLAND.	No.	No.	No.
Lancaster ... ..	...	...	1
London	18	...	25
Middlesex ... ..	...	1	1
SCOTLAND.			
Lanark	3	...	7
TOTAL	1	...	1

GLANDERS (INCLUDING FARCY).			
County.	Outbreaks reported.	Animals which remained diseased at the end of the previous week.	Animals reported during the Week as Attacked.
ENGLAND.	No.	No.	No.
Lancaster	1	...	1
London	18	...	25
Middlesex ... ..	...	1	1
SCOTLAND.			
Lanark	3	...	7
TOTAL	22	1	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.

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 :—

Berkshire.—The petty sessional divisions of Reading, Wokingham, Maidenhead, and Windsor, and the municipal borough of Maidenhead, in the county of Berks. Boroughs of Reading, and Windsor (New) (1 October, 1897).

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

Buckinghamshire.—The petty sessional divisions of the Hundred of Stoke, the Hundred of Burnham (exclusive of the Chesham Division), the Hundred of Desborough (First Division), and the Hundred of Desborough (Second Division), in the county of Buckingham. Borough of Chepping (or High Wycombe (1 October, 1897).

Carmarthenshire.—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 (17 August, 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).

Devonshire.—County of Devon, Boroughs of Barnstaple, Devonport, Exeter, Plymouth, Tiverton, and Torquay (17 August, 1897).

Durham.—The petty sessional divisions of Darlington, Stockton-on-Tees, and West Hartlepool, in the county of Durham. Boroughs of Darlington, Hartlepool, Stockton-on-Tees, and West Hartlepool (21 October, 1897).

Glamorganshire.—The petty sessional divisions of Gower, Swansea, Pontardawe, Neath, and Aberavon, in the county of Glamorgan. Boroughs of Aberavon, Neath, and Swansea (17 August, 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).

Hampshire.—(1.) The petty sessional division of Odiham, the parishes of Mortimer West End, Silchester, Bramley, Sherfield-upon-Loddon, Hartley Wespall (including a detached part of this parish lying to the north of the parish of Newnham), Stratfield Turgis, and Stratfield Saye, in the county of Southampton (1 October, 1897).

(2.) The petty sessional divisions of Alton, Winchester, Petersfield (including the detached part of the petty sessional division of Petersfield at Bramshot), Droxford, Fareham, and Basingstoke (except such portion of the petty sessional division of Basingstoke as is subject to the provisions of the Hampshire (Muzzling of Dogs) Order of 1897), and the municipal borough of Basingstoke, in the county of

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

Southampton. Boroughs of Portsmouth and Winchester (15 October, 1897).

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

Isle of Wight.—County of the Isle of Wight. Borough of Ryde (17 August, 1897).

Kent.—The petty sessional divisions of Rochester, Bearstead, Malling, Cranbrook, Tunbridge Wells, Tunbridge, Sevenoaks, Bromley, and Dartford (except such portions of the petty sessional divisions of Bromley and Dartford as are subject to the provisions of the City and Metropolitan Police Districts (Muzzling of Dogs) Temporary Order of 1897), and the municipal borough of Tenterden, in the county of Kent. Boroughs of Chatham, Gravesend, Maidstone, Rochester, and Tunbridge Wells (2 November, 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).

Oxfordshire.—The petty sessional divisions of Watlington, and Henley, and the municipal borough of Henley-upon-Thames, in the county of Oxford (1 October, 1897).

Radnorshire.—The petty sessional divisions of Painscastle, New Radnor, Colwyn, Presteign, Knighton (except the parishes of Beguildy and Llanbister), and Cefnlllys (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).

Surrey.—County of Surrey (except such portion of the county as is situate within the Metropolitan Police District provision as to which portion is made by a separate Order of the Board). Boroughs of Guildford and Reigate (1 October, 1897).

Sussex.—(1.) The petty sessional division of East Grinstead in the Eastern Division of the county of Sussex, the petty sessional division of Horsham in the Western Division of the county of Sussex (9 September, 1897).

(2.) The petty sessional divisions of Burwash, Battle, Frant, Hastings, Hailsham, Rye, and Uckfield; the municipal borough of Rye; the liberty of Petit Iham adjoining the parish of Winchelsea (commonly known as St. Leonard Winchelsea), and the liberty of the Sluice Bexhill, both being liberties of the Cinque Port of Hastings; in the Eastern Division of the county of Sussex. Boroughs of Eastbourne and Hastings (28 September, 1897).

(3.) The petty sessional divisions of Midhurst, Petworth, and Chichester, and the municipal borough of Chichester, in the Western Division of the county of Sussex (15 October, 1897).

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.—(1.) The petty sessional divisions of North Langbaugh, East Langbaugh, West Langbaugh, Ryedale, Birdforth, Yarm, Allertonshire, Hallikeld, East Gilling, West Gilling, East Hang, West Hang, and Gréta Bridge, and the municipal borough of Richmond, in the North Riding of the county of York. Boroughs of Middlesbrough and Thornaby-on-Tees (21 October, 1897).

(2.) West Riding of the county of York (except the petty sessional divisions of Eweross, 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 Starbotton, 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 Nov. 27, 1897	No. 5	No. 7	No. ...	No. ...	No. 22	No. 34	No. ...	No. ...	No. ...	No. 1	No. ...	No. 31	No. 843
Corresponding week in 1896	13	27	...	...	25	34	...	...	...	2	...	66	1,197
Corresponding week in 1895	9	32	...	...	16	32	...	...	...	10	...	131	1,714
Corresponding week in 1894	9	12	...	...	22	37	...	...	...	8	...	85	648
Total for 48 Weeks 1897.	400	811	...	...	848	1,469	7	46	741	147	16	2,078	38,623
Corresponding period in 1896	456	841	...	...	754	1,205	2	9	183	422	22	4,935	75,756
Corresponding period in 1895	388	839	...	...	910	1,474	1	...	43	634	54	5,838	63,510
Corresponding period in 1894	484	942	3	268	899	1,328	2	15	391	198	10	5,386	53,775

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

Board of Agriculture, 30th November, 1897.

Board of Trade.—Session 1898.

Burslem Electric Lighting.

(The Production, Storage, and Supply of Electricity by the Corporation of Burslem within the Borough of Burslem; the Acquisition and Appropriation of Lands and Construction of Works; the Breaking Up and Interference with Streets, Railways, and Tramways; the Laying Down and Erection of Electric Lines, Pipes, Wires, and Apparatus; the Taking and Recovery of Rates and Charges; the Entry into Houses and Lands; the Making of Contracts and the Transfer of the Undertaking; the Borrowing of Money; and other Matters).

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the borough of Burslem (who are hereinafter called the Corporation, and whose address is the Town Hall, Burslem) intend to apply to the Board of Trade, on or before the 21st day of December next, for a Provisional Order (hereinafter called the Order), under the Electric Lighting Acts, 1882 and 1888, for all or some of the following amongst other purposes, that is to say:—

1. To authorize the Corporation to produce, store, supply, sell, and distribute electricity for public and private purposes, as defined by the said Acts, within the borough of Burslem (hereinafter called the area of supply).
2. To enable the Corporation to purchase, take on lease, and hold lands or interests or easements in or over lands, or to appropriate for the purposes of the Order any lands belonging to or held by them, and to erect, maintain, work, and use upon such lands all necessary or proper engines, dynamos, batteries, machinery, apparatus, works, buildings, and appliances for generating, producing, storing, supplying, and distributing electricity, or for other the purposes of the Undertaking, and to empower the Corporation to sell or dispose of any lands not required for the purposes of the Undertaking.
3. To authorize the Corporation to break up and interfere with all streets, roads, public places,

ways, footpaths, railways, navigable rivers, towing paths, bridges, culverts, sewers, drains, and gas and water mains and pipes, and telegraph and telephone and other wires within the area of supply, and to lay down, erect, maintain, renew, and remove either above or under ground or otherwise electric lines, conductors, mains, pipes, tubes, wires, posts, and street or distributing boxes, meters, apparatus, and other works or things required for the purpose of enabling the Corporation to supply, produce, store, convey, transmit, or distribute electricity within the area of supply, and to confer all such other powers upon the Corporation as may be necessary for effecting the objects of the proposed Undertaking.

4. To authorize the Corporation to take, collect, and recover rates, rents, and charges for the supply of electricity, and the use of any machines, lamps, meters, fittings, or apparatus connected therewith.
5. To make provision for the inspection and testing of mains, conductors, and works, for the appointment and remuneration of electric inspectors, and for the supply, use, inspection, testing, and certifying of meters, fittings, and instruments.
6. To authorize the Corporation to enter upon any house, buildings, or lands supplied or proposed to be supplied with electricity for any purpose relating to such supply.
7. To authorize the Corporation to enter into contracts with companies or persons for the execution and maintenance of works and the supply of electricity, and to relieve the Corporation from the consequence of any acts or defaults of any such contractors, and to empower the Corporation to transfer to companies or persons all or some of their powers, duties, liabilities, and works for such period and upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon.
8. To confer upon the Corporation all or some of the powers of the Electric Lighting Acts,

1882 and 1888, and enactments incorporated therewith, and to alter, vary, or extinguish all rights and privileges which would or might interfere with any of the objects of the Order, and to confer all other rights and privileges necessary for carrying such objects into effect.

9. To empower the Corporation to borrow money for all or any of the purposes of the Order, and to charge the moneys so borrowed and interest upon the district fund and general district rate of the borough, and to empower the Corporation to apply any of their corporate funds to any of the purposes of the Order, and to provide for the disposal or application of the revenue arising from the Undertaking.

10. To incorporate with the Order section 265 of the Public Health Act, 1875 (relating to the protection of local authorities and their officers from personal liability), and to extend that section to matters arising under the Order.

The names of the streets in which it is proposed that electric lines shall be laid down within a specified time are as follows:—

Market-place, Wedgwood-place, Queen-street, St. John's-square, Moorland-road (portion of), Waterloo-road (portion of).

The following streets are not repairable by the Corporation, and the Corporation propose to take powers to break up the same:—

Blake-street, Spen-street, Riley-street, Murhall-street.

The following are the Tramways which the Corporation propose to take powers to break up:—

North Staffordshire Tramways Company's Tramways, British Electric (Pioneer Traction Company's) Tramways.

And notice is hereby given, that the draft of the Order will be deposited at the office of the Board of Trade on or before the 21st day of December next, and printed copies of the draft Order when deposited, and of the Order when made, may be obtained (at the price of one shilling for each copy) at the offices of the under-mentioned Town Clerk and Parliamentary Agents.

And notice is hereby further given, that a map showing the boundaries of the proposed area of supply and the streets in which it is proposed that electric lines shall be laid down within a specified time, and a copy of this advertisement as published in the London Gazette, will be deposited on or before the 30th day of November instant for public inspection, at the office of the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Stafford, at Stafford, in the said county, and at the Town Clerk's Office, in the borough of Burslem.

And notice is hereby given lastly, that every local or other public authority, company, or person desirous of bringing before the Board of Trade any objection respecting the application must do so by letter addressed to the Board of Trade, marked on the outside of the cover enclosing it "Electric Lighting Acts," on or before the 15th day of January, 1898, and a copy of such objection must also be forwarded to the under-mentioned Town Clerk or Parliamentary Agents.

Dated the 17th day of November, 1897.

ARTHUR ELLIS, Town Clerk, Burslem.

SHARPE, PARKER, PRITCHARDS, and
BARHAM, 9, Bridge-street, Westminster,
Parliamentary Agents.

Board of Trade.—Session 1898.

Carlisle Tramways (Provisional Order).
(Construction of Street Tramways in and near Carlisle; Gauge; Use of Mechanical Power on intended Tramways; Tolls; Provisions for Protection of Works; Purchase of Electric Power from other Companies; Agreements.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to the Board of Trade, on or before the 23rd day of December next, for a Provisional Order under the Tramways Act, 1870, for all or some of the following purposes (that is to say):—

To authorise a Company to be incorporated in accordance with the Rules of the Board of Trade or any company or corporation, person or persons, to be named in the draft Provisional Order (hereinafter called "the Promoters"), and to authorise the Promoters to construct, lay down, maintain, and use, with all proper rails, plates, sleepers, posts, tubes, wires, apparatus, works, and conveniences connected therewith, the tramways hereinafter described, or some or off of them (that is to say):—

(In the following descriptions of the proposed tramways the distances and lengths given for the purposes of describing the commencement or termination of any tramway, or double line, or narrow place, are to be read as if the words "or thereabouts" had been inserted after each such distance or length.)

Tramway No. 1, commencing in Botchergate at a point distant 0·60 chain east of the intersection of the centre lines of The Crescent and Botchergate, passing thence in an easterly direction along Botchergate and London-road, and terminating therein at a point 1·20 chains west of intersection of the centre lines of the River Patteril under the Patteril-bridge and London-road.

Tramway No. 1 is intended to be laid as a single line except at the following places, where it is intended to be laid double (that is to say):—

(a) In Botchergate, from its point of commencement for a distance of 1 chain.

(b) In Botchergate and London-road, between points respectively 1·90 chains and 4·9 chains east of the intersection of the centre lines of South Henry-street and Botchergate.

(c) In London-road, between points respectively 0·30 chain and 3·30 chains east of the intersection of the centre lines of London-road and Alexander-street.

(d) In London-road, for a distance of 17·30 chains and 6·30 chains respectively from its point of termination.

Tramway No. 2, commencing in Botchergate by a junction with Tramway No. 1 at a point distant 1·00 chain east of the intersection of the centre lines of Union-street and Botchergate, passing thence in a southerly direction into and along St. Nicholas-street, St. Nicholas-bridge, and Blackhall-street, terminating in the last-mentioned street at a point corresponding with the intersection of the centre lines of Beaconsfield-street and Blackhall-street.

Tramway No. 2 is intended to be laid as a single line except at the following places, where it is intended to be laid double (that is to say):—

(a) In Botchergate and St. Nicholas-street, for a distance of 1·70 chains from its point of commencement.

(b) In St. Nicholas-street and St. Nicholas-bridge, between points respectively 4·40

chains and 7.40 chains south of the intersection of the centre lines of Court-street and St. Nicholas-street.

(c) In St. Nicholas-bridge, between points respectively 5.80 chains and 2.80 chains north of the intersection of the centre lines of Nicholas-street and Blackhall-street.

(d) In Blackhall-street, between points respectively 4.00 chains and 1.00 chain north of the intersection of the centre lines of Beaconsfield-street and Blackhall-street.

Tramway No. 3, commencing in Botchergate by a junction with Tramways Nos. 1 and 8 at the point of their commencement, passing thence in a north-westerly direction into and along English-street, and terminating therein at a point 0.20 chain north-west of the intersection of the centre lines of Devonshire-street and English-street.

Tramway No. 3 is intended to be laid as a double line except at the following place, where it is intended to be laid single (that is to say) :—

(a) In English-street, for a distance of 1.80 chains south-east of the intersection of the centre lines of Devonshire-street and English-street.

Tramway No. 4, commencing in English-street by a junction with Tramways Nos. 3 and 11 at the point of termination of Tramway No. 3, passing thence in a northerly direction along English-street, and terminating therein at a point 0.60 chain north of the intersection of the centre lines of Bank-street and English-street.

Tramway No. 4 is intended to be laid as a double line except at the following place, where it is intended to be laid single (that is to say) :—

(a) In English-street, from the commencement of the tramway for a distance of 2.10 chains from its point of commencement.

Tramway No. 5, commencing in English-street by a junction with Tramways Nos. 4 and 19 at the termination of Tramway No. 4, passing thence in a north-westerly direction along English-street, westerly into and along Castle-street, Annetwell-street, and Caldew-bridge, and terminating therein at a point 0.40 chain east of the intersection of the centre lines of Devonshire-walk and Caldew-bridge.

Tramway No. 5 is intended to be laid as a single line except at the following places, where it is intended to be laid double (that is to say) :—

(a) In English-street, from the commencement of the tramway for a distance of 5.40 chains.

(b) In Castle-street, between points respectively 0.10 chain east and 8.90 chains west of the intersection of the centre lines of Paternoster-row and Castle-street.

Tramway No. 6, commencing in Caldew-bridge by a junction with Tramway No. 5 at its point of termination, passing thence in a westerly direction along Caldew-bridge, Bridge-street, Church-street, Caldcoats, and terminating in Caldcoats at a point 6.80 chains east of the centre line of the bridge carrying the North British Railway over Caldcoats.

Tramway No. 6 is intended to be laid as a single line except at the following places, where it is intended to be laid double (that is to say) :—

(a) In Caldew-bridge and Bridge-street, between points respectively 3.10 chains and 0.10 chain east of the intersection of the centre lines of Bridge-lane and Bridge-street.

(b) In Church-street, between points respectively 4.50 chains and 13.00 chains west of the intersection of the centre lines of Bridge-lane and Bridge-street.

Tramway No. 7, commencing in Caldcoats by a junction with Tramway No. 6 at its point of termination, passing thence in a westerly direction along Caldcoats, Port-road, Newtown-place, Collin-place, and Newtown, and terminating therein at a point 2.00 chains west of the intersection of the centre lines of Shady Grove-lane and Newtown.

Tramway No. 7 is intended to be laid as a single line except at the following places, where it is intended to be laid double (that is to say) :—

(a) In Port-road, between points respectively 5.40 chains and 2.40 chains east of the intersection of the centre lines of Granville-road and Port-road.

(b) In Newtown-place, between points respectively 0.80 chain and 3.80 chains west of the intersection of the centre lines of Wood-street and Newtown-place.

(c) In Collin-place, between points respectively 7.30 chains and 10.30 chains west of the intersection of the centre lines of Lawson-street and Collin-place.

(d) In Newtown, between points respectively 12.00 chains and 9.00 chains east of the intersection of the centre lines of Shady Grove-lane and Newtown.

(e) In Newtown, between points respectively 2.00 chains east and 1.00 chains west of the intersection of the centre lines of Shady Grove-lane and Newtown.

Tramway No. 8, commencing in Botchergate by a junction with Tramways Nos. 1 and 3 at the point of their commencement, passing thence in a northerly direction into and along the Crescent, easterly along Henry-street and Warwick-road, and terminating in the last mentioned road at a point 0.60 chains east of the intersection of the centre lines of Hartington-place and Warwick-road.

Tramway No. 8 is intended to be laid as a double line throughout.

Tramway No. 9, commencing in Warwick-road by a junction with Tramways Nos. 8 and 19 at their point of termination, passing thence in an easterly direction along Warwick-road, and terminating therein at a point 10.00 chains east of the intersection of the centre lines of Botcherby Old-road and Warwick-road.

Tramway No. 9 is intended to be laid as a single line except at the following places, where it is intended to be laid double (that is to say) :—

(a) In Warwick-road, from the commencement of the tramway, for a distance of 17.30 chains.

(b) In Warwick-road, between points respectively 2.70 chains and 5.70 chains east of the intersection of the centre lines of Botcherby Old-road and Warwick-road.

Tramway No. 10, commencing in Warwick-road by a junction with Tramway No. 9 at its point of termination, passing thence in an easterly direction along Warwick-road, and terminating therein at a point 1.40 chains east

of the intersection of the centre lines of Carlton-terrace and Warwick-road.

Tramway No. 10 is intended to be laid as a single line except at the following place, where it is intended to be laid double (that is to say):—

- (a) In Warwick-road, between points respectively 3·60 chains and 0·60 chain west of the intersection of the centre line of Carlton-terrace and Warwick-road.

Tramway No. 11, commencing in Lowther-street by a junction with Tramway No. 15 at a point distant 0·70 chain south of the intersection of the centre lines of Devonshire-street and Lowther-street, passing thence in a westerly direction into and along Devonshire-street and terminating in English-street by a junction with Tramway No. 3 at its point of termination.

Tramway No. 11 is intended to be laid as a single line throughout.

Tramway No. 12, commencing in English-street by a junction with Tramway No. 11 at its point of termination, passing thence in a south-westerly direction into and along Victoria-viaduct and Denton-street, and terminating in Denton-street at a point 0·30 chain north of the intersection of the centre line of Norfolk-street and Denton-street.

Tramway No. 12 is intended to be laid as a single line except at the following places, where it is intended to be laid double (that is to say):—

- (a) In Victoria-viaduct, between points respectively 0·80 chain and 3·80 chains south of its point of commencement.
- (b) In Victoria-viaduct, between points respectively 2·40 chains east and 0·60 chain west of the intersection of the centre lines of Charlotte-street and Victoria-viaduct.
- (c) In Denton-street, between points respectively 3·70 chains and 6·70 chains south of the intersection of the centre lines of Thomas-street and Denton-street.
- (d) In Denton-street, for a distance of 1·60 chains from its point of commencement.

Tramway No. 13, commencing in Denton-street by a junction with Tramway No. 12 at its point of termination, passing thence in a southerly direction along Denton-street, and terminating therein at a point 0·20 chain north of the intersection of the centre lines of North-street and Denton-street.

Tramway No. 13 is intended to be laid as a single line except at the following places, where it is intended to be laid double (that is to say):—

- (a) In Denton-street, from the commencement of the tramway for a distance of 1·40 chains.
- (b) In Denton-street, between points respectively 10·00 chains and 13·00 chains south of the intersection of the centre lines of Dale-street and Denton-street.

Tramway No. 14, commencing in Scotch-street at a point 1·10 chains south of the intersection of the centre lines of West Tower-street and Scotch-street, passing thence in a southerly direction along Scotch-street and English-street, and terminating in the last-mentioned street by a junction with Tramway No. 5 at a point 1·80 chains north of the intersection of the centre lines of Bank-street and English-street.

Tramway No. 14 is intended to be laid as a double line except at the following place, where it is intended to be laid single (that is to say):—

- (a) In Scotch-street, for a distance of 3·40 chains from its point of commencement.

Tramway No. 15, commencing in Eden-bridge by a junction with Tramway No. 16 at a point distant 0·60 chain north of the intersection of the centre lines of Eden-bridges and Lowther-street, passing thence in a south-easterly direction into and along Lowther-street, continuing therein in a southerly direction, and terminating in The Crescent by a junction with Tramway No. 8 at a point 0·70 chain south of the intersection of the centre lines of Henry-street and Lowther-street.

Tramway No. 15 is intended to be laid as a double line except at the following place, where it is intended to be laid single (that is to say):—

- (a) In Eden-bridge and Lowther-street, for a distance of 1·00 chain from its point of commencement.

Tramway No. 16, commencing in Eden-bridge by a junction with Tramway No. 15 at its point of commencement, passing thence in a north-westerly direction along Eden-bridge, and northerly along Scotland-road, terminating in the last-mentioned road at a point 0·20 chain north of the intersection of the centre lines of Church-terrace and Scotland-road.

Tramway No. 16 is intended to be laid as a single line except at the following place, where it is intended to be laid double (that is to say):—

- (a) In Scotland-road, between points respectively 2·00 chains and 7·00 chains north of the intersection of the centre lines of St. George's-crescent and Scotland-road.

Tramway No. 17, commencing in Scotland-road by a junction with Tramway No. 16 at its point of termination, passing thence in a northerly direction along Scotland-road, and terminating therein at a point 7·70 chains north of the intersection of the centre lines of Rosebery-road and Scotland-road.

Tramway No. 17 is intended to be laid as a single line except at the following place, where it is intended to be laid double (that is to say):—

- (a) In Scotland-road, between points respectively 3·20 chains and 6·20 chains north of the intersection of the centre lines of Rosebery-road and Scotland-road.

Tramway No. 18, commencing in Etterby Scaur at a point distant 3·40 chains west of the intersection of the centre lines of Eden-road and Etterby Scaur, passing thence in an easterly direction along Etterby Scaur, Eden-place, Etterby-street, and terminating in Scotland-road by a junction with Tramways Nos. 16 and 17 at the point of termination of Tramway No. 16.

Tramway No. 18 is intended to be laid as a single line except at the following places, where it is intended to be laid double (that is to say):—

- (a) In Etterby Scaur and Eden-place, between points respectively 2·40 chains west and 0·60 chain east of the intersection of the centre lines of Eden-road and Etterby Scaur.
- (b) In Etterby-street, between points respectively 11·40 chains and 14·40 chains east of

the intersection of the centre lines of Eden-road and Enderby Square.

Tramway No. 19, commencing in English-street by a junction with Tramway No. 4 at its point of termination, passing thence in an easterly direction into and along Bank-street, Lonsdale-street, Chiswick-street, southerly along Hartington-place, and easterly into and terminating in Warwick-road by a junction with Tramway No. 8 at its point of termination.

Tramway No. 19 is intended to be laid as a single line except at the following places, where it is intended to be laid double (that is to say):—

(a) In Bank-street, between points respectively 3.50 chains and 0.50 chain east of the intersection of the centre lines of Lowther-street and Bank-street.

(b) In Chiswick-street, between points respectively 0.40 chain and 3.10 chains east of the intersection of the centre lines of Spencer-street and Chiswick-street.

Tramway No. 20 (a loop line), commencing in Scotland-road by a junction with Tramway No. 17 at a point 1.30 chains north of the intersection of the centre lines of Enderby-street and Scotland-road, passing thence in a southerly direction into Enderby-street, and terminating therein at a point 0.50 chain west of the intersection of the centre lines of Marlborough-gardens and Enderby-street.

Tramway No. 20 is intended to be laid as a single line throughout.

Tramway No. 21 (a loop line), commencing in Scotch-street by a junction with Tramway No. 14 at a point 9.80 chains south of the intersection of the centre lines of West Tower-street and Scotch-street, passing thence in a south-westerly direction into English-street, and terminating therein at a point 4.70 chains west of the intersection of the centre lines of Bank-street and English-street.

Tramway No. 21 is intended to be laid as a double line throughout.

Tramway No. 22 (a loop line), commencing in Bank-street by a junction with Tramway No. 19 at a point 0.50 chain east of the intersection of the centre lines of Bank-street and English-street, passing thence in a south-westerly direction into English-street, and terminating therein at a point 0.70 chain south of the intersection of the centre lines of Bank-street and English-street.

Tramway No. 22 is intended to be laid as a single line throughout.

Tramway No. 23 (a loop line), commencing in Lowther-street by a junction with Tramway No. 15 at a point 0.50 chain north of the intersection of the centre lines of Bank-street and Lowther-street, passing thence in a southerly direction into Bank-street, and terminating therein at a point 0.50 chain west of the intersection of the centre lines of Bank-street and Lowther-street.

Tramway No. 23 is intended to be laid as a single line throughout.

Tramway No. 24 (a loop line), commencing in English-street by a junction with Tramway No. 4 at a point 1.00 chain north of the intersection of the centre lines of Devonshire-street and English-street, passing thence in a southerly direction into Victoria-viaduct, and terminating therein

at a point 0.40 chain west of the intersection of the centre lines of English-street and Victoria-viaduct.

Tramway No. 24 is intended to be laid as a single line throughout.

Tramway No. 25 (a loop line), commencing in Lowther-street by a junction with Tramway No. 15 at a point 0.50 chain north of the intersection of the centre lines of Devonshire-street and Lowther-street, passing thence in a south-westerly direction into Devonshire-street, and terminating therein at a point 0.50 chain west of the intersection of the centre lines of Lowther-street and Devonshire-street.

Tramway No. 25 is intended to be laid as a single line throughout.

Tramway No. 26 (a loop line), commencing in Hartington-place by a junction with Tramway No. 19 at a point 0.50 chain north of the intersection of the centre lines of Hartington-place and Henry-street, passing thence in a southerly direction into Henry-street, and terminating therein at a point 0.60 chain west of the intersection of the centre lines of Hartington-place and Henry-street.

Tramway No. 26 is intended to be laid as a single line throughout.

Tramway No. 27 (a loop line), commencing in Lowther-street by a junction with Tramway No. 15 at a point 0.90 chain north of the intersection of the centre lines of Lowther-street and Henry-street, passing thence in a south-easterly direction into Henry-street, and terminating therein at a point 1.00 chain east of the intersection of the centre lines of Lowther-street and Henry-street.

Tramway No. 27 is intended to be laid as a double line throughout.

Tramway No. 28 (a loop line), commencing in English-street by a junction with Tramway No. 3 at a point 0.80 chain west of the intersection of the centre lines of The Crescent and English-street, passing thence in an easterly direction into The Crescent, and terminating therein at a point 0.80 chain north-east of the intersection of the centre lines of The Crescent and English-street.

Tramway No. 28 is intended to be laid as a double line throughout.

In the following instances the said tramways will be laid along the several streets and roads hereinafter mentioned, so that for a distance of 30 feet or upwards a less space than 9 feet 6 inches will intervene between the outside of the footpath on the side or sides of the streets or roads hereinafter mentioned and the nearest rail of the tramway:—

Tramway No. 1.—(a) In London-road on both sides thereof, between points respectively 0.60 chain and 2.80 chains east of the intersection of the centre lines of Alexander-street and London-road.

Tramway No. 2.—(a) In St. Nicholas-street on both sides thereof, between points respectively 1.20 chains and 20.00 chains south of the intersection of the centre lines of London-road and Princess-street.

(b) In St. Nicholas-bridge on both sides thereof, between points respectively 0.50 chains and 3.30 chains north of the intersection of the centre lines of Regent-street and St. Nicholas-bridge.

(c) In St. Nicholas-bridge on both sides thereof, between points respectively 0.30 chain north and 1.60 chains south of the intersection

of the centre lines of Regent-street and St. Nicholas-bridge.

(d) In Blackhall-street on both sides thereof, between points respectively 4.60 chains and 7.40 chains south of the intersection of the centre lines of Nicholson-street and Blackhall-street.

Tramway No. 3.—(a) In English-street on both sides thereof, between points respectively 1.80 chains south and 0.40 chain north of the intersection of the centre lines of Devonshire-street and English-street.

Tramway No. 5.—(a) In Castle-street on both sides thereof, between points respectively 3.80 chains and 5.20 chains west of the intersection of the centre lines of St. Cuthbert's-lane and Castle-street.

(b) In Annetwell-street on both sides thereof, between points respectively 0.50 chain and 6.60 chains west of the intersection of the centre lines of Castle-lane and Annetwell-street.

Tramway No. 6.—(a) In Caldew-bridge on both sides thereof, between points respectively 1.50 chains and 5.70 chains west of the intersection of the centre lines of Devonshire-yeuk and Caldew-bridge.

(b) In Bridge-street on both sides thereof, between points respectively 0.20 chain and 4.00 chains east of the intersection of the centre lines of Bridge-lane and Bridge-street.

Tramway No. 7.—(a) In Caldcoats on the south side thereof, between points respectively 3.30 chains east and 0.20 chain west of the intersection of the centre lines of the bridge carrying the North British Railway over Caldcoats.

(b) In Caldcoats on the north side thereof, between points respectively 3.20 chains and 1.60 chains east of the intersection of the centre lines of the bridge carrying the North British Railway over Caldcoats.

(c) In Caldcoats on the north side thereof, between points respectively 0.70 chain east and 0.20 chain west of the intersection of the centre lines of the bridge carrying the North British Railway over Caldcoats.

(d) In Port-road and Newtown-place on both sides thereof, between points respectively 7.00 chains east and 4.60 chains west of the intersection of the centre lines of Ashley-street and Port-road.

(e) In Collin-place on both sides thereof, between points respectively 7.20 chains and 13.00 chains west of the intersection of the centre lines of Lawson-street and Collin-place.

(f) In Newtown on both sides thereof, between points respectively 11.80 chains and 9.20 chains east of the intersection of the centre lines of Shady Grove-lane and Newtown.

Tramway No. 9.—(a) In Warwick-road on both sides thereof, between points respectively 3.00 chains and 5.30 chains east of the intersection of the centre lines of Botcherby Old-road and Warwick-road.

Tramway No. 10.—(a) In Warwick-road on both sides thereof, between points respectively 3.40 chains and 0.70 chain west of the intersection of the centre lines of Carlton-terrace and Warwick-road.

Tramway No. 12.—(a) In Victoria-viaduct on both sides thereof, between points respectively 0.10 chain and 2.00 chains south of the intersection of the centre lines of Blackfriars-street and Victoria-viaduct.

(b) In Victoria-viaduct on both sides thereof, between points respectively 4.50 chains and 5.00 chains west of the intersection of the centre lines of James-street and Victoria-viaduct.

(c) In Denton-street on both sides thereof,

between points respectively 3.80 chains and 6.50 chains south of the intersection of the centre lines of Thomas-street and Denton-street.

Tramway No. 13.—(a) In Denton-street on both sides thereof, between points respectively 0.20 chain and 0.70 chain south of the intersection of the centre lines of East Norfolk-street and Denton-street.

(b) In Denton-street on both sides thereof, between points respectively 10.20 chains and 13.00 chains south of the intersection of the centre lines of Dale-street and Denton-street.

Tramway No. 16.—(a) In Eden-bridges on both sides thereof, between points respectively 3.20 chains and 9.40 chains north-west of the intersection of the centre lines of Lowther-street and Eden-bridges.

(b) In Scotland-road on both sides thereof, between points respectively 0.60 chain and 1.50 chains north of the intersection of the centre lines of Church-street and Scotland-road.

Tramway No. 18.—(a) In Eden-place on both sides thereof, between points respectively 6.60 chains and 7.40 chains east of the intersection of the centre lines of Eden-road and Eden-place.

(b) In Eden-place and Eterby-street on both sides thereof, between points respectively 13.40 chains and 14.00 chains east of the intersection of the centre lines of Eden-road and Eden-place.

Tramway No. 19.—(a) In Bank-street on both sides thereof, between points respectively 3.20 chains and 4.20 chains east of the intersection of the centre lines of English-street and Bank-street.

(b) In Chiswick-street on both sides thereof, between points respectively 0.70 chain and 2.90 chains east of the intersection of the centre lines of Spencer-street and Chiswick-street.

All the before-mentioned tramways will be made and pass from, in, through, or into the following parishes, townships, or extra-parochial places, or some or one of them (that is to say):—St. Mary, St. Cuthbert, Stanwix, Eterby, Botchergate, Caldewgate, Rickergate, Botcherby, and Cummersdale, all in the county of Cumberland.

The tramways will be constructed on the gauge of 3 feet 6 inches, or such other gauge as the Board of Trade may authorise, and it is not proposed to run over any of the said tramways carriages or trucks adapted for use upon railways.

To authorise the Promoters to work and use the intended tramways, or any of them, by means of carriages, trucks, and vehicles propelled by animal power and electrical power, either carried in the carriages, vehicles, and trucks, or generated and applied from stations or other mechanical power; stationary or otherwise, and for that purpose to confer on the Promoters such rights, powers, and privileges as may be necessary or expedient for carrying into effect the purposes of the Order, and in particular power to enter upon and open the surface of, and to lay down on, in, under, or over the surface of any street, road, or place such posts, wires, tubes, mains, plates, boxes, or apparatus, and to make and maintain such openings, posts, wires, tubes, or ways on, in, under, or over any such surface, and to attach to any house or building such supports, brackets, and fittings as may be necessary or convenient either for the actual working of the tramways or for providing access to or in connection with any engines, machinery, or apparatus, or for conducting any portions of such tramways, and to empower the Promoters for the purpose of

working the tramways to erect engines and machinery, and to acquire and hold patent and other rights and licences, and to use patent and other rights and licences in relation to any such electrical or other power.

To authorise the Promoters from time to time, and either temporarily or permanently, to make, maintain, alter, remove, or abandon such tramways, crossings, passing places, deviations, sidings, junctions, turn outs, and other works as may be necessary or convenient for the efficient working of the tramways or any of them, or otherwise, in the interest of the Promoters, or for facilitating the passage of traffic along streets or roads, or for providing access to any stable or carriage-shed, stations, works, or buildings of the Promoters.

To empower the Promoters on the one hand, and the authority having the control or management of the streets or roads along which any tramway is intended to be laid on the other hand, to enter into and carry into effect contracts or agreements with respect to the alteration of the width or levels of any streets or roads, the laying down, maintaining, renewing, repairing, working, using of the proposed tramways and the rails, plates, sleepers, and works connected therewith, and for facilitating the passage of carriages and traffic over and along the same.

To make provision for preventing injury to any tramways belonging to, or worked, or used by the Promoters, and to any works, carriages, and electrical or other machinery or apparatus connected therewith and danger to passengers thereon, and if and so far as may be thought fit, to extend and apply to injuries, to interference with and obstruction of the tramways, works, and property of the Promoters, all or any of the provisions of the Malicious Damage Act, 1861, and to impose in respect of any such injury, interference, or obstruction any punishment or penalty prescribed by that Act, or such other punishment or penalty as may be defined in the Order.

To enable the Promoters to levy tolls and charges for the use of the intended tramways by carriages passing along the same, and for the conveyance of passengers or traffic upon the same, and to confer, vary, or extinguish exemptions from the payment of tolls, rates, or charges.

To reserve to the Promoters the exclusive right of using on the proposed tramways engines and carriages with flange wheels or wheels specially or particularly adapted to run on a grooved edge or other rail.

To empower the Promoters on the one hand and the mayor, aldermen, and burgesses of the city of Carlisle, and any other local authority, or any one or more of them on the other hand, to enter into and carry into effect agreements with respect to all or any of the matters aforesaid, and to confirm and give effect to any such agreement already entered into or to be entered into, to empower the said mayor, aldermen, and burgesses of the city of Carlisle, or such local authority to apply to any of the purposes aforesaid any of their corporate funds or other moneys under their control.

To empower the Promoters to enter into and carry into effect agreements with any other company, body, or person for the supply by such company, body, or person of electrical power for the purposes of the Order.

To enable the Promoters for the purposes of the proposed tramways to purchase by agreement or to take easements over lands and houses,

and to erect offices, buildings, and other conveniences on any such lands.

To vary or extinguish all rights and privileges inconsistent with or which would or might in any way interfere with any of the objects of the Order, and to confer other rights and privileges.

To incorporate in the Order and extend and apply to the intended tramways and works the whole or some of the provisions of the Tramways Act, 1870, and so far as may be deemed expedient to alter, amend, repeal, render inapplicable, or extend all or some of the provisions of that Act and of the Locomotive Acts, 1861 and 1865, and the Highways and Locomotives Amendment Act, 1878.

And notice is hereby further given, that on or before the 30th day of November instant plans and sections of the intended tramways and works and a copy of this notice as published in the London Gazette will be deposited with the Clerk of the Peace and Town Clerk for the city of Carlisle at the office of the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Cumberland, at their respective offices in the city of Carlisle, at the office of the Clerk of the Parliaments, House of Lords, at the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons, and at the office of the Board of Trade, Whitehall, London; and on or before the same day a copy of so much of the said plans and sections as relates to each parish in which such tramways are proposed to be laid, together with a copy of this notice as published in the London Gazette, will be deposited with the parish clerk of such parish, at his residence, or in the case of any rural parish for which a parish council has been elected with the clerk of such council, at his residence, or (if there be no clerk) with the chairman of such council, at his residence.

The draft of the proposed Provisional Order will be deposited at the office of the Board of Trade on or before the 23rd day of December next, and printed copies of such draft when deposited, and of the intended Order when made, will be deposited at the offices of the undersigned, and will be there furnished (at the price of one shilling for each copy) to all persons applying for them.

Every company, corporation, or person desirous of making any representation to the Board of Trade, or of bringing before them any objections respecting the intended application, may do so by letter addressed to the Assistant Secretary of the Railway Department, Board of Trade, Whitehall, London, on or before the 15th January next, and copies of such representation or objections must at the same time be sent to the Promoters, and, in forwarding to the Board of Trade such objections, the objectors or their Agents should state that a copy of the same has been sent to the Promoters or their Agents.

Dated the 18th day of November, 1897.

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Board of Trade.—Session 1898.

Bolton (Corporation), Suburban Electric Lighting Provisional Order.

(Application to the Board of Trade under "The Electric Lighting Acts, 1882 and 1888," for a Provisional Order enabling the Corporation to Produce and Supply Electric Light for Public

and Private Purposes within the Urban District and Township of Astley Bridge, and the Townships of Heaton, Smithills, Darcy Lever, Brightmet, Lostock, Deane-over-Hulton, Middle Hulton, Tonge, and Great Lever, within the District of the Bolton Rural District Council, and to Levy, Make, and Recover Rates and Charges therefor; and to break-up Streets, Railways, and Tramways, and to cross Rivers and Canals, and lay Electric Lines; to Manufacture, Hire, Sell, Let and Fix Electric Apparatus, and Other Incidental Powers).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of the Borough of Bolton (hereinafter called the Undertakers), and whose address is the Town Hall, Bolton, intend to apply to the Board of Trade on or before the 21st day of December next for a Provisional Order under "The Electric Lighting Acts, 1882 and 1888," for the following purposes, or some of them, that is to say:—

1. To enable the Undertakers to make and maintain on any lands now belonging to them, or which they may hereafter acquire, works for the production, storage, supply, and distribution of electricity, and to supply the same for all or any public and private purposes within all or any of the following districts and townships, or any part or parts thereof respectively, that is to say:—The Urban District and Township of Astley Bridge, and the Townships of Heaton, Smithills, Darcy Lever, Brightmet, Lostock, Deane-over-Hulton, Middle Hulton, Tonge, and Great Lever, within the district of the Bolton Rural District Council, all which districts and townships are situate in the County of Lancaster, and are hereafter included in the expression "area of supply," and to exercise (with or without modification) with respect to such production, storage, supply and distribution all or any of the powers of "The Electric Lighting Acts 1882 and 1888," and any Act amending or extending the same respectively and of "The Gas Works Clauses Act 1847," and "The Gas Works Clauses Act 1871," and such other rights and powers as may be conferred by the Order, including the power to levy charge and recover rates, rents, and charges, and to make, lay down, erect, construct and place all such works, buildings and apparatus (including in that word where used in this notice, mains, wires, engines dynamos, meters, machinery, pipes, conductors, poles, brackets and fittings), and do all such matters and things as may be necessary or expedient for all or any of the purposes aforesaid.

2. The following are the names of the streets in which it is proposed that electric lines should be laid down within a specified time, that is to say:—Chorley New-road to Lostock Junction-lane in Heaton; Chorley Old-road to the junction therewith of Church-road in Smithills; Blackburn-road to the junction therewith of Belmont-road in Astley Bridge; Manchester-road to the junction therewith of Green-lane in Great Lever; Wigau-road to the junction therewith of Deane Church-lane.

3. For all or any of the purposes of the intended Order to break up stop up, or interfere with, and to cross or pass over, under or along, as the case may require, all public and private streets (including in that word roads, highways, thoroughfares, bridges and places) within the area of supply and any watercourses, sewers, drains, pipes and telegraph, telephonic, and electric apparatus in, over, under, or along the same respectively, and particularly so to break up, stop up, and interfere with all streets within the area of supply repairable by the respective Road Authorities

therein, and the following streets not so repairable (that is to say):—Albert-road, Green Mount-lane, and Victoria-road in Heaton. And to cross or pass over, under, through, or along rivers and canals within the area of supply, and to cross or pass over, under, or along and break up the following railways and tramways so far as they are respectively situate within the area of supply (that is to say):—

The Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway, the London and North Western Railway, and the Bolton and Suburban Tramways of the Undertakers.

And to lay, place, renew, alter, and maintain in, under, over, across, and along such streets, railways, tramways, rivers, and canals apparatus.

4 To authorise the Undertakers to manufacture, hire, sell, let, fix, maintain, and repair apparatus for and in relation to the production, supply, distribution, utilisation, and measurement of electricity, and to make and recover rents and charges therefor.

5. To enable the Undertakers to acquire, hold, and use patent rights or licences and authorities under letters patent for the use of inventions, processes, and apparatus for or relative to the matters aforesaid, or any of them.

6. To enable the Undertakers and any Local or Road Authority, Company or Person to enter into and fulfil contracts and agreements for or in relation to all or any of the purposes before mentioned and to enable the Undertakers to sell, demise or let to such Local Authority, Company or Person, any lands for the time being belonging to the Undertakers and to enable them to acquire lands by agreement for all or any of the purposes of the intended Order, and to confirm, with or without alteration, any such contracts or agreements already, or which, before the passing of the Act to confirm the said Order, may be made, and to empower such Local and Road Authorities to expend their funds, rates and revenues, and to borrow moneys for the purposes aforesaid.

7. To incorporate with the intended Order, with or without alteration, the provisions or some of the provisions of "The Gas Works Clauses Act, 1847," "The Gas Works Clauses Act, 1871," and "The Lands Clauses Acts" except the provisions of the last-mentioned Acts relating to the purchase and taking of lands otherwise than by agreement, and if necessary or expedient to alter, amend, and extend The Bolton Electric Lighting Order, 1891.

On or before the 30th day of November instant a copy of this Notice as published in the London Gazette, and a map showing the proposed area of supply will be deposited for public inspection with the Clerk of the Peace for the County of Lancaster at his office at Preston, and with the Town Clerk of Bolton at his office in the Town Hall, Bolton, and with the Clerk to the Urban District Council of Astley Bridge, at his office, and with the Clerk to the Bolton Rural District Council at his office, and also at the office of the Board of Trade, Whitehall, London.

Printed copies of the Draft Provisional Order will be deposited at the said office of the Board of Trade on or before the 21st day of December next, and printed copies of the Draft Provisional Order when deposited, and of the Provisional Order when made may be obtained at the offices of the undersigned, and at the offices of the respective Clerks to the said Urban District and Rural District Councils on payment of one shilling for each copy.

Any local or other public Authority Company or person desirous of bringing before the Board of Trade any objection respecting the intended application must do so by letter addressed to the

Board of Trade (marked on the outside of the cover enclosing it, "Electric Lighting Acts") on or before the 15th day of January 1898, and a copy of such objection must also be forwarded to the offices of either of the undersigned.

Dated this 16th day of November, 1897.

R. G. PINNELL, Town Clerk, Bolton;
Dyson and Co., Parliamentary Agents, 9,
Great George-street, Westminster

Board of Trade.—Session 1898.

Weymouth Harbour (Provisional Order).

(Alteration and Amendment of Weymouth and Melcombe Regis Corporation Act, 1887, and the Weymouth Harbour Order, 1893, so as to Extend the Borrowing Power of the Corporation.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of the Borough of Weymouth and Melcombe Regis, in the County of Dorset (hereinafter referred to as "the Corporation"), intend to apply to the Board of Trade for a Provisional Order under "The General Pier and Harbour Act, 1861," and "The General Pier and Harbour Act, 1861, Amendment Act" to be confirmed by Parliament in the ensuing Session, for the following or some of the following purposes, that is to say:—

To alter and amend the Weymouth and Melcombe Regis Corporation Act, 1887, and the Weymouth Harbour Order, 1893, so as to extend the borrowing powers of the Corporation, and to empower them for the purposes of Section 19 of the said Act, to borrow and re-borrow money by mortgage, or the creation and issue of stock on the security of the tolls, rates and charges, and other the revenue derivable from the Harbour and Pier Undertakings of the Corporation, and on the Borough Fund and Borough Rate of the Borough.

The Order will vary and extinguish all rights and privileges which will or may interfere with its objects, and confer other rights and privileges, and will incorporate with itself such provisions as may be deemed necessary of "The Harbours, Docks, and Piers Clauses Act, 1847," and will repeal, alter and amend or re-enact such of the provisions as may be thought necessary of "The Weymouth and Melcombe Regis Markets and Pier Act, 1854," and the Weymouth Harbour Order, 1893.

On or before the 30th November, a copy of this Notice will be deposited with the Clerk of the Peace for the County of Dorset, at his office at Sherbourne, and at the Customs House, Weymouth.

On and after the 23rd day of December next, printed copies of the proposed Provisional Order will be furnished at the price of one shilling each to all persons applying for the same at the offices of the undersigned.

Dated this 19th day of November, 1897.

R. N. HOWARD, Town Clerk, Weymouth.
Dyson & Co., 9, Great George-street,
Westminster, Parliamentary Agents

Board of Trade.—Session 1898.

Kemp Town (Brighton) Jetty and Landing Stage.

(Application for Provisional Order for Power to Construct a Jetty and Landing Stage at Kemp Town (Brighton), in the County of Sussex; Tolls and Charges for Use of Jetty and Landing Stage; Licences, Bye-laws, &c.; Sale or Lease of Undertaking or Part thereof; Agreements with Local Authorities and Others.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to the Board of Trade, on or before the 23rd day of December, for a

Provisional Order (hereinafter called "the Order") by the person or persons to be hereafter named in the Order (hereinafter referred to as "the Undertakers"), pursuant to the General Pier and Harbour Act, 1861, and the General Pier and Harbour Act, 1861, Amendment Act, and to confer on the Undertakers the following, or some of the following, powers (that is to say):—

To empower the Undertakers to make and maintain a jetty or landing stage, with pier head, and all proper landing stages, landing places, toll-houses, toll-gates and bars, posts, and other works and conveniences in the county borough of Brighton, in the county of Sussex, commencing by a junction with the existing Paston-place groyne, situate opposite Paston-place, in the parish of Brighton, and proceeding thence in a southerly direction over the foreshore and into the sea for a distance of 250 feet or thereabouts from its junction with the aforesaid groyne, and terminating in the sea, such termination being at a total distance south of the sea wall of 600 feet or thereabouts.

To make, provide, and maintain in connection with the jetty and landing stage, approaches, toll-houses, toll-gates, turnstiles, mooring-posts, and other works and conveniences and appliances.

To erect upon the jetty and landing stage such shelters and other conveniences, with suitable approaches thereto, as may be agreed between the Corporation of the county borough of Brighton and the Undertakers, and to also agree with the said Corporation as to the utilization of the Paston-place groyne as an approach to the intended jetty or landing place, but not so as to curtail the user of the groyne by the public as at present.

To demand, take, and recover tolls, rates, rents, dues, and charges, upon or in respect of the use of the pier, jetty and landing stage from vessels using the same, and from passengers and luggage landed or embarked at or from the same, or from persons, vessels, and boats in any way using the same, and from time to time to alter the tolls, rates, rents, dues, and charges, and to confer, vary, or extinguish exemptions therefrom, and to confer, vary, or extinguish other rights or privileges.

To make bye-laws, rules, and regulations for the management, use, and protection of the jetty and landing stage works and property, and the control and regulation of vessels and persons using the same, and the conduct of the officers and servants, and to impose penalties for the breach of any such bye-laws, rules, and regulations.

To vary or extinguish any regulations, right, or privilege now existing as to the use or enjoyment of so much of the sea beach and foreshore as may be occupied by or be necessary for the jetty, landing stage, works and approaches.

To sell, lease, or let the whole or any part of the Undertaking, or the tolls, rates, rents and charges to be levied and charged in respect thereof and to authorise any person, persons, or company to purchase or take a lease thereof.

To enable the Undertakers to enter into and carry into effect agreements with the Corporation of the county borough of Brighton and any other authority, company, or persons within the district respecting the construction, use, and management of the jetty and landing stage, or any of the matters aforesaid.

To incorporate with the Order the provisions or some of the provisions of the Harbours Docks and Piers Clauses Act, 1847, the Lands Clauses Acts (so far as they relate to the purchase of land by agreement), and to confer upon the Undertakers the powers and facilities contained

in the General Pier and Harbour Act, 1861, and the General Pier and Harbour Act, 1861, Amendment Act, and such other powers and provisions as may be deemed expedient.

And notice is hereby further given, that on or before the 30th day of November instant, plans and sections of the proposed jetty and landing stage, and a copy of this notice as published in the London Gazette, will be deposited at the Board of Trade, Whitehall, London; with the Clerk of the county borough of Brighton, and with the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Sussex, at his office at Lewes, and at the Custom House at Shoreham.

Printed copies of the draft Provisional Order will, on or before the 23rd day of December next, be deposited at the office of the Board of Trade aforesaid, and also at the Custom House at Shoreham, and on and after that date printed copies thereof will be furnished by the solicitors and agents for the Undertakers, at their offices as undermentioned, to all persons applying for the same, at the price of one shilling each.

All companies, corporations, or persons desirous of making any representations to the Board of Trade, or of bringing before them any objection respecting the application, may do so by letter addressed to the Assistant Secretary of the Harbour Department, Board of Trade, Whitehall-gardens, London, on or before the 20th day of January, 1898, and a copy of such objection must at the same time be sent to the undermentioned Parliamentary Agents for the Undertakers.

Dated this 20th day of November, 1897.

J. K. NIX and TREACHER, Brighton, Solicitors.

W. and W. M. BELL, 27, Great George-street, Westminster, Parliamentary Agents.

Board of Trade.—Session 1898.

Waterloo-with-Seaforth Tramways.

(Construction of Tramways; Gauge; Motive Power; Power to Council to Work Tramways and Levy Tolls, Rates, and Charges; Agreements as to Sale or Lease of Tramways; the Borrowing of Money; and other matters.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Urban District Council of Waterloo-with-Seaforth, in the county of Lancaster (hereinafter called "the Council") intend to apply to the Board of Trade, on or before the 23rd day of December, 1897, for a Provisional Order (hereinafter called "the Order"), to be confirmed by Parliament in the ensuing session, for all or some of the following, amongst other purposes (that is to say):—

To authorise the Council to construct and maintain in the urban district of Waterloo-with-Seaforth, in the parish of Sefton in the county of Lancaster, all or some of the tramways hereinafter described, with all necessary and proper rails, plates, sleepers, channels, junctions, turntables, turnouts, crossings, passing places, stables, carriage houses, sheds, buildings, works, and conveniences connected therewith, respectively.

Where in the description of any of the proposed tramways any distance is given with reference to any street or road which intersects or joins the street or road in which any tramway is to be laid, or to the junction or intersection of any streets or roads, the distance is to be taken as measured from the point at which lines drawn along the centre of the two streets or roads and continued would intersect each other, and a point described as being opposite

a street or road is to be taken, unless otherwise stated, as opposite the centre of the street or road.

The tramways proposed to be authorised are the following:—

Tramway No. 1, situate in Crosby-road North, in the township of Waterloo, commencing at the boundary of the township of Waterloo, opposite to College-road, and terminating at a point 0.2 chain north, from the north side of Bramhall-road.

This tramway will be laid as a single line, except at the following places, where it will be laid as a double line, namely:—

- (a) From a point 0.3 chain north from the north side of St. John's-road to a point 1 chain south from the south side of St. John's-road.
- (b) From a point 1.4 chains north from the north side of Haigh-road to a point 0.8 chain south, from the south side of South-road.
- (c) From a point 0.4 chain north from the north side of Hougoumont-avenue to a point 0.4 chain south from the south side of Hougoumont-avenue.

In the following instances the tramway will be so laid that for a distance of 30 feet or upwards a less space than 9 feet 6 inches will intervene between the outside of the footpath on each side of the road and the nearest rail of the tramway, namely:—

- (a) Between a point opposite to the south side of Hicks-road, and a point opposite to the north side of Haigh-road.
- (b) Between a point opposite to the north side of South-road, and a point 2 chains north from the north side of South-road.

Tramway No. 2, situate in the townships of Waterloo and Seaforth, commencing in Crosby-road north, in the township of Waterloo, by a junction with the proposed Tramway No. 1, at the termination thereof passing along Crosby-road north and Crosby-road south, and terminating in Crosby-road south, at a point 0.4 chain north from the north side of Church-road.

This tramway will be laid as a single line, except in the following places, where it will be laid as a double line, namely:—

- (a) In Crosby-road North from a point 0.2 chain north from the north side of Bramhall-road to a point 0.7 chain south from the south side of Great George's-road.
- (b) In Crosby-road South from a point 0.5 chain north from the north side of Victoria-road to a point 0.6 chain south from the south side of Victoria-road.
- (c) In Crosby-road South from a point 0.2 chain south from the south side of Durham-road to a point 2 chains south from the south side of Durham-road.
- (d) In Crosby-road South from a point 0.5 chain north from the north side of Claremont-road to a point 0.7 chain south from the south side of Claremont-road.
- (e) In Crosby-road South from a point 0.6 chain north from the north side of Lathom-avenue to a point 0.7 chain south from the south side of Lathom-avenue.

In the following instance the tramway will be so laid that for a distance of 30 feet or upwards a less space than 9 feet 6 inches will intervene between the outside of the footpath on the west side and the nearest rail of the tramway, namely:—

In Crosby-road South, from a point 0.5 chain south from the south side of Durham-

road to a point 1·9 chains south from the south side of Durham-road.

Tramway No. 3, situate in Crosby-road South, in the township of Seaforth, commencing by a junction with the proposed Tramway No. 2, at the termination thereof, and terminating at the boundary of the township of Seaforth.

The tramway will be laid as a single line, except at the following places, where it will be laid as a double line, namely:—

- (a) From a point 0·4 chain north from the north side of Charch-road to a point 0·9 chain south from the south side of Church-road.
- (b) From a point 0·5 chain north from the north side of Henley-street to a point 0·5 chain south from the south side of Henley street.
- (c) From a point 1·6 chains north from the north side of Fort-road to a point 0·3 chain south from the north side of Fort-road.

In the following instance the tramway will be so laid that for a distance of 30 feet or upwards a less space than 9 feet 6 inches will intervene between the outside of the footpath on the west side of the road and the nearest rail of the tramway, namely:—

From a point 0·7 chain north from the north side of Fort-road to a point 0·1 chain south of the north side of Fort-road.

The said intended tramways are proposed to be constructed on a gauge of 4 feet 8½ inches, and it is not intended to run thereon carriages or trucks adapted to run on railways.

To empower the Council to make from time to time such crossings, passing places, sidings, loops, junctions, and other works, in addition to those specified herein as may be necessary or convenient to the efficient working of the intended tramways or any of them, or for affording access to the stables, carriage houses, sheds, and works of the Council or their lessees, or for effecting junctions with any other Corporation, District Council, Company, or person.

To empower the Council for all or any of the purposes of this Order to stop, break up, alter, remove and interfere with, temporarily or permanently, public and private streets, roads, highways, tramways, bridges, rivers, streams, water-courses, footways, sewers, drains, gas and water mains, electric lighting mains or boxes, pipes, tubes, and telegraph, telephone, and other apparatus.

To empower the Council from time to time, when by reason of the execution of any work in or the alteration of any street, road, highway, or thoroughfare in which any tramway shall be laid, it is necessary or expedient so to do, to alter, remove, or discontinue all or any of such tramway, and to make and lay down temporarily or permanently in the same or any adjacent street, road, highway, or thoroughfare a substituted tramway or substituted tramways.

To empower the Council from time to time to take up and remove any of the tramways or any part or parts thereof respectively, and to relay the same in such part of the street or road as the Council may think fit.

To empower the Council to lay down double in lieu of single lines, and single in lieu of double lines, or interlacing lines in lieu of double or single lines.

To provide for the repair by the Council, their lessees, or other persons, bodies, or authorities, of any streets, roads, highways, or thoroughfares in which any tramway may, for the time being, be laid, and for the use or

disposition of any materials or things found in the construction or repair of any of the intended tramways.

To provide that so much of Section 34 of the Tramways Act, 1870, as limits the extent of any carriages used on any tramway beyond the outer edge of the wheels of such carriages shall not apply to carriages used on the said intended tramways.

To empower the Council and their lessees from time to time to work the said intended tramways by animal power and by any mechanical power (including in that expression steam, electric, and any other motive power not being animal power), and partly by one power and partly by another, and for that purpose to erect, place, make, and maintain works, engines, machinery, dynamos, and apparatus for the production, storage, and supply of electricity or other power, and to lay down, erect, construct, maintain above, upon, and below the surface of the ground, and to attach to houses and buildings, mains, wires, pipes, conductors, cables, ropes, posts, brackets, boxes, apparatus, and things necessary or proper for the transmission of electricity or other power, and the working of the intended tramways or any of them by electricity or other power.

To empower the Council to work the said intended tramways, and to place and run carriages thereon, and to demand and take tolls in respect of the use of such carriages.

To authorise the Council and their lessees or other the person or persons working the said intended tramways to levy tolls, rates, and charges for the use thereof, by carriages passing along the same, and the conveyance of passengers, goods, minerals, animals, merchandise, and other traffic upon the same, and to confer exemptions from tolls, rates, and charges.

To authorise the Council and any Corporation, person, company, or body from time to time to enter into and fulfil contracts and agreements for and in relation to the construction, working, lease, sale, and purchase of the whole or any part of the tramways, in consideration of such gross sum or sums, rent or rents, and generally upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed on between the contracting or agreeing parties, or as the Order may define, and to confirm any such contracts and agreements which may have been, or which during the progress of the Order may be entered into.

To authorise the Council to remove from the tramways any carriage or horse unfit for use upon the tramways.

To enable the Council for all or any of the purposes of the intended tramways and works to acquire land and houses by agreement, and to take easements over lands and houses, and to erect and hold offices, buildings, and other conveniences on any such lands.

To empower the Council to borrow money for all or any of the purposes of the Order, to charge the moneys so raised or borrowed and the interest thereon on the district fund and general district rate of the urban district of Waterloo-with-Seaforth, and on the properties and revenues of the Council, and to empower the Council to apply any of their funds to any of the purposes of the Order.

To vary or extinguish all rights and privileges inconsistent with, or which would or might in any way interfere with the objects of the Order, and to confer other rights and privileges.

To incorporate with the Order, with or with-

out amendments, or render inapplicable, all or some of the provisions of the Tramways Act, 1870, and the Lands Clauses Acts.

Plans and sections of the proposed tramways and works, and copies of this advertisement will be deposited on or before the 30th day of November, 1897, at the offices of the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Lancaster, at his office at Preston; of the Urban District Council of Waterloo-with-Seaforth, at the Town Hall, Waterloo; with the parish clerk of the parish of Sefton, at the School House, Sefton, via Blundellsands; with the assistant-overseer for Waterloo, at his residence, 26, Oxford-road, Waterloo; and with the vestry clerk of Seaforth, at his residence, 1, Gordon-road, Seaforth; and on or before the same day, copies of the said plans and sections, and of this advertisement, will be deposited at the office of the Board of Trade, Whitehall, London; with the Clerk of the Parliaments, House of Lords; and at the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons.

The draft of the Order will be deposited at the office of the Board of Trade on or before the 23rd day of December, 1897, and printed copies of the Draft Order when deposited, and of the Order then made, will be obtainable at the price of one shilling each at the respective offices of the undersigned Clerk to the Council and Parliamentary Agents.

Every Company, Corporation, or person desirous of making any representation to the Board of Trade, or of bringing before them any objection respecting the application, may do so by letter addressed to the Assistant-Secretary of the Railway Department of the Board of Trade, on or before the 15th day of January, 1898, and copies of such objections must at the same time be sent to the undermentioned Clerk to the Council or Parliamentary Agents on behalf of the Council. In forwarding to the Board of Trade such objections, the objectors or their agents should state that a copy of the same has been sent to the Council or their agents.

Dated this 19th day of November, 1897.

JOHN I. THOMPSON, Clerk to the Urban District Council of Waterloo-with-Seaforth, Town Hall, Waterloo.

SHARPE, PARKER, PRITCHARDS, and BARHAM, 9, Bridge-street, Westminster, Parliamentary Agents.

Board of Trade.—Session 1898.

Great Crosby Tramways.

(Construction of Tramways, Gauge, Motive Power, Power to Urban District Council to work Tramways and levy Tolls, Rates and Charges; Agreements as to Sale or Lease of Tramways, the borrowing of Money, and other matters.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that the urban district council of Great Crosby, in the county of Lancaster (hereinafter called "the Council"), intend to apply to the Board of Trade, on or before the 23rd day of December, 1897, for a Provisional Order (hereinafter called "the Order"), to be confirmed by Parliament in the ensuing Session, for all or some of the following amongst other purposes (that is to say):

To authorise the Council to construct and maintain in the township and urban district of Great Crosby, the parish of Sefton, and the county of Lancaster, all or some of the tramways hereinafter described with all necessary and proper rails, plates, sleepers, channels,

junctions, turntables, turnouts, crossings, passing places, stables, carriage houses, sheds, buildings, works, and conveniences connected therewith respectively.

The tramways proposed to be authorised are the following:—

Tramway No. 1.—Commencing in Blundellsands-road East at a point 0·8 chain west from the west side of Byron-road, passing along Blundellsands-road East and Victoria-road, and terminating in Victoria-road at its junction with the west side of Cook's-road.

This tramway will be laid in a single line, except at the following places, where it will be laid as a double line, viz.:

- (a) In Blundellsands-road East from a point 0·1 chain west, from the west side of Byron-road to a point 0·4 chain east from the east side of Abbotsford-road.
- (b) In Blundellsands-road East from a point 0·6 chain west from the west side of Waverley-road to a point 0·3 chain east from the east side of Waverley-road.
- (c) In Blundellsands-road East from a point 1·0 chains west from the west side of College-road to a point 0·2 chain east from the east side of College-road.
- (d) In Victoria-road from a point 0·8 chain west from the west side of Cambridge-road to a point 0·3 chain east from the east side of Cambridge-road.
- (e) In Victoria-road from a point opposite to the west boundary wall of the premises known as "Ivydene" to a point 0·3 chain west from the east boundary wall of the premises known as "Beaconsfield."
- (f) In Victoria-road from a point 1·5 chains west from the west side of Cook's-road to the termination of the tramway.

In the following instances the tramway will be so laid that for a distance of 30 feet or upwards a less space than 9 feet 6 inches will intervene between the outside of the footpath and the nearest rail of the tramway, namely:—

- (a) In Blundellsands-road East on both sides from a point 0·8 chain west from the west side of Byron-road, and a point 0·3 chain east from the east side of Abbotsford-road.
- (b) In Victoria-road on the north side from a point 0·7 chain east from the east side of College-road and the termination of the tramway.
- (c) In Victoria-road on the south side from a point 0·7 chain west from the west side of Cambridge-road, and a point 0·2 chain east from the east side of Cambridge-road.
- (d) In Victoria-road on the south side from a point opposite to the west boundary wall of premises known as "Ivydene" to a point 0·4 chain west from the east boundary wall of premises known as "Beaconsfield."
- (e) In Victoria-road on the south side from a point 1·3 chain west from the west side of Cook's-road to the termination of the tramway.

Tramway No. 2.—Commencing in Cook's-road by a junction with Tramway No. 1 at a point opposite to the west side of Cook's-road, passing along Cook's-road and Liverpool-road, and terminating in Liverpool-road at a point 0·3 chain north from the south side of Queen's-road.

This tramway will be laid as a single line throughout, except at the following places, where it will be laid as a double line, viz.:

- (a) In Cook's-road from a point 0·2 chain east from the west side of Cook's-road to

a point 1·2 chain south from the south side of Victoria-road.

- (b) In Cook's-road from a point 0·6 chain north from the north side of Alexandra-road to a point 0·3 chain south from the south side of Alexandra-road.
- (c) In Liverpool-road from a point 2·8 chains north from the north side of Moor-lane to a point 0·3 chain north from the north side of Moor-lane.
- (d) In Liverpool-road from a point 0·7 chain north from the north side of Alma Vale to a point 0·5 chain south from the south side of Alma Vale.
- (e) In Liverpool-road from a point 1·2 chain north from the south side of York-road to a point 0·3 chain south from the south side of York-road.

In the following instances the tramway will be so laid that for a distance of 30 feet or upwards a less space than 9 feet 6 inches will intervene between the outsides of the footpath and the nearest rail of the tramway, namely:—

- (a) In Cook's-road on the east side from a point 0·1 chain north from the south side of Victoria-road to a point 0·9 chain south from the south side of Alexandra-road.
- (b) In Cook's-road on the west side from a point 0·2 chain east from the west side of Cook's-road to a point 1·1 chain south from the south side of Victoria-road.
- (c) In Liverpool-road on the east side from a point 2·6 chains north from the north side of Moor-lane to a point 0·6 chain north from the north side of Moor-lane.
- (d) In Liverpool-road on the east side from a point 0·3 chain north from the south side of York-road to a point 0·2 chain south from the south side of York-road.
- (e) In Liverpool-road on the west side from a point 2·6 chains north from the north side of Moor-lane to a point 0·6 chain north from the north side of Alma Vale.
- (f) In Liverpool-road on the west side from a point 0·9 chain north from the south side of York-road to a point 0·3 chain north from the south side of Queen's-road.

Tramway No. 3.—Commencing in Liverpool-road by a junction with the proposed Tramway No. 2 at a point 0·3 chain north from the south side of Queen's-road, passing along Liverpool-road, and terminating at the township boundary opposite to the north side of College-road.

This tramway will be laid as a single line throughout, except at the following places, where it will be laid as a double line, viz.:—

- (a) In Liverpool-road from a point opposite to the south side of Endbutt-lane to a point 1·3 chains north from the north side of Fairholme-road.
- (b) In Liverpool-road from a point 0·2 chain north from the north side of Preseland-road to a point 1·2 chains south from the south side of Preseland-road.
- (c) In Liverpool-road from a point 0·6 chain north from the north side of Myer's-road West to a point 0·7 chain south from the south side of Myer's-road West.
- (d) In Liverpool-road from a point 3·6 chains south from the south side of Myer's-road to a point 5·5 chains south from the south side of Myer's-road.
- (e) In Liverpool-road from a point 3·1 chains north from the north side of College-road to a point 1·4 chains north from the north side of College-road.

In the following instances the tramway will

be so laid, that for a distance of 30 feet or upwards, a less space than 9 feet 6 inches will intervene between the outside of the footpath and the nearest rail of the tramway, namely:—

- (a) In Liverpool-road on the east side from a point 3·7 chains south from the south side of Myer's-road to a point 5·4 chains south from the south side of Myer's-road.
- (b) In Liverpool-road on the east side from a point 3·0 chains north from the north side of College-road to a point 1·4 chains north from the north side of College-road.
- (c) In Liverpool-road on the west side between a point 0·3 chain north from the south side of Queen's-road, and a point 1·1 chain south from the south side of Claremont-road.
- (d) In Liverpool-road on the west side from a point 1 chain south from the south side of Fairholme-road to a point 4·6 chains south from the south side of Preseland-road.

Tramway No. 4.—Commencing in Liverpool-road at a junction with the proposed Tramway No. 2 at a point 0·2 chain south from the south side of Moor-lane, passing along Moor-lane, and terminating in Moor-lane at the township boundary.

This tramway will be laid as a single line throughout, except between the points hereinafter specified, where it will be laid as a double line (that is to say):—

- (a) In Moor-lane from a point 50 chains east from the east side of Liverpool-road to a point 64 chains east from the east side of Liverpool-road.
- (b) In Moor-lane, from a point 1 chain west from the west boundary wall of the premises known as "The Grange," to a point 1 chain east from the west boundary wall of the premises known as "The Grange."
- (c) In Moor-lane, from a point 0·6 chain east from the east side of Scab-lane to a point 2·6 chains east from the east side of Scab-lane.
- (d) In Moor-lane, from a point 0·8 chain west from the west boundary wall of the premises known as "Woodcroft," to a point 0·7 chain east from the west boundary wall from the premises known as "Woodcroft."
- (e) In Moor-lane, from a point 2 chains west from the west side of Forefield-lane to a point 0·2 chain west, from the west side of Forefield-lane.
- (f) In Moor-lane, from a point 1·8 chains west from the west side of Chesterfield-road to a point opposite the west side of Chesterfield-road.
- (g) In Moor-lane, from a point 3·2 chains west from the termination of Tramway No. 4, to a point 0·9 chain west from the termination of Tramway No. 4.

In the following instances the tramway will be so laid that a less space than 9 feet 6 inches will intervene between the outsides of the footpaths and the nearest rail of the tramway, namely:—

- (a) In Moor-lane on the north side between a point 5·1 chains east from the east side of Liverpool-road, and a point 6·3 chains east from the east side of Liverpool-road.
- (b) In Moor-lane on the north side between a point 0·8 chain west from the west boundary wall of the premises known as "The Grange," and a point 0·8 chain east from the west boundary wall of the premises known as "The Grange."
- (c) In Moor-lane on the north side between a

point 0·7 chain east from the east side of Scab-lane, and a point 2·5 chains east from the east side of Scab-lane.

(d) In Moor-lane on the north side between a point 0·6 chain west from the west boundary wall of the premises known as "Woodcroft" and a point 0·5 chain east from the west boundary wall of the premises known as "Woodcroft."

(e) In Moor-lane on the north side between a point 1·5 chain west from the west side of Forefield-lane and a point 0·4 chain west from the west side of Forefield-lane.

(f) In Moor-lane on the north side between a point 1·6 chain west from the west side of Chesterfield-road and a point 0·1 chain west from the west side of Chesterfield-road.

(g) In Moor-lane on the north side between a point 3 chains west from the termination of this tramway and a point 1·1 chain west from the termination of this tramway.

(h) In Moor-lane on the south side between a point opposite the south-west corner of Moor-lane and the termination of this tramway.

The said intended tramways are proposed to be constructed on a gauge of 4 feet 8½ inches, and it is not intended to run thereon carriages or trucks adapted to run on railways.

To empower the Council to make from time to time such crossings, passing places, sidings, loops, junctions, and other works, in addition to those specified herein, as may be necessary or convenient to the efficient working of the intended tramways or any of them, or for affording access to the stables, carriage houses, sheds, and works of the Council or their lessees, or for effecting junctions with any other Corporation, District Council, Company, or person.

To empower the Council for all or any of the purposes of this Order to stop, break up, alter, remove, and interfere with, temporarily or permanently, public and private streets, roads, highways, tramways, bridges, rivers, streams, water-courses, footways, sewers, drains, gas and water mains, electric lighting mains, or boxes, pipes, tubes, and telegraph, telephone, and other apparatus.

To empower the Council from time to time when by reason of the execution of any work in or the alteration of any street, road, highway, or thoroughfare in which any tramway shall be laid, it is necessary or expedient so to do, to alter, remove, or discontinue all or any of such tramways, and to make and lay down temporarily or permanently in the same or any adjacent street, road, highway, or thoroughfare a substituted tramway or substituted tramways.

To empower the Council to lay down double in lieu of single lines, and single in lieu of double lines, or interlacing lines in lieu of double or single lines.

To empower the Council from time to time to take up and remove any of the tramways or any part thereof respectively, and to relay the same in such part of the street or road as the Council may think fit.

To provide for the repair by the Council, their lessees, or other persons, bodies, or authorities, of any streets, roads, highways, or thoroughfares in which any tramway may, for the time being, be laid, and for the use or disposition of any materials or things found in the construction or repair of any of the intended tramways.

To provide that so much of section 34 of the Tramways Act, 1870, as limits the extent of any carriages used on any tramway beyond the outer

edge of the wheels of such carriages shall not apply to carriages used on the said intended tramways.

To empower the Council and their lessees from time to time to work the said intended tramways by animal power, and by any mechanical power (including in that expression steam, electric, and any other motive power not being animal power), and partly by one power and partly by another, and for that purpose to erect, place, make, and maintain works, engines, machinery, dynamos, and apparatus for the production, storage, and supply of electricity, or other power, and to lay down, erect, construct, maintain above, upon, and below the surface of the ground, and to attach to houses and buildings, mains, wires, pipes, conductors, cables, ropes, posts, brackets, boxes, apparatus, and things necessary or proper for the transmission of electricity or other power, and the working of the intended tramways, or any of them, by electricity or other power.

To empower the Council to work the said intended tramways, and to place and run carriages thereon, and to demand and take tolls in respect of the use of such carriages.

To authorise the Council and their lessees or other, the person or persons working the said intended tramways to levy tolls, rates, and charges for the use thereof, by carriages passing along the same, and the conveyance of passengers, goods, minerals, animals, merchandise, and other traffic upon the same, and to confer exemptions from tolls, rates, and charges.

To authorise the Council and any Corporation, person, Company, or body, from time to time, to enter into and fulfil contracts and agreements for, and in relation to the construction, working, lease, sale, and purchase of the whole or any part, of the tramways, in consideration of such gross sum or sums, rent or rents, and generally upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed on between the contracting or agreeing parties, or as the Order may define, and to confirm any such contracts and agreements which may have been, or which during the progress of the Order may be entered into.

To authorise the Council to remove from the tramways any carriage or horse unfit for use.

To enable the Council for all or any of the purposes of the intended tramways and works to acquire lands and houses by agreement, and to take easements over lands and houses, and to erect and hold offices, buildings, and other conveniences on any such lands.

To empower the Council to borrow money for all or any of the purposes of the Order, to charge the moneys so raised or borrowed and the interest thereon on the District Fund and General District Rate of the urban district of Great Crosby, and on the properties and revenues of the Council, and to empower the Council to apply any of their funds to any of the purposes of the Order.

To vary or extinguish all rights and privileges inconsistent with, or which would or might in any way interfere with the objects of the Order, and to confer other rights and privileges.

To incorporate with the Order, with or without amendments, or render inapplicable, all or some of the provisions of the Tramways Act, 1870, and the Lands Clauses Acts.

Plans and sections of the proposed tramways and works, and copies of this advertisement will be deposited on or before the 30th day of November, 1897, with the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Lancaster at his office at Preston; the clerk to the council at his office

at Great Crosby; and the parish clerk of the parish of Sefton, at his residence, School House, Sefton; and the assistant-overseer of the township of Great Crosby, at his office, College-road, Great Crosby; and on or before the same day copies of the said plans and sections and of this advertisement will be deposited at the office of the Board of Trade, Whitehall, London, with the Clerk of the Parliaments, House of Lords, and at the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons.

The Draft of the Order will be deposited at the office of the Board of Trade on or before the 23rd day of December, 1897, and printed copies of the Draft Order when deposited, and of the Order when made, will be obtainable at the price of one shilling each at the respective offices of the undersigned Clerk of the Council and Parliamentary Agents.

Every Company, Corporation, or person desirous of making any representation to the Board of Trade, or of bringing before them any objection respecting the application, may do so by letter addressed to the Assistant Secretary of the Railway Department of the Board of Trade on or before the 15th day of January, 1898, and copies of such objections must at the same time be sent to the undermentioned Clerk of the Council or Parliamentary Agents on behalf of the Council. In forwarding to the Board of Trade such objections, the objectors or their Agents should state that a copy of the same has been sent to the Council or their Agents.

Dated this 19th day of November, 1897.

JOSIAH DEAN, Clerk of the Urban District Council of Great Crosby, Council Offices, College-road, Great Crosby.

SHARPE, PARKER, PRITCHARDS, and BARHAM, 9, Bridge-street, Westminster, Parliamentary Agents.

Board of Trade.—Session 1898.

Royal Leamington Spa Electric Lighting. (The Production, Storage, and Supply of Electricity by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Royal Leamington Spa, within the Borough of Royal Leamington Spa; the Acquisition and Appropriation of Lands and Construction of Works; the Breaking up and Interference with Streets, Railways, and Tramways; the Laying Down and Erection of Electric Lines, Pipes, and Apparatus; the Taking and Recovery of Rates and Charges; the Entry into Houses and Lands; the Making of Contracts, and the Transfer of the Undertaking; the Borrowing of Money, and other matters.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of the borough of Royal Leamington Spa (who are hereinafter called "the Corporation," and whose address is the Town Hall, Leamington Spa), intend to apply to the Board of Trade, on or before the 21st day of December next, for a Provisional Order (hereinafter called "the Order"), under the Electric Lighting Acts, 1882 and 1888, for all or some of the following amongst other purposes (that is to say):—

1. To authorise the Corporation to produce, store, supply, and distribute electricity for public and private purposes, as defined by the said Acts, within the borough of Royal Leamington Spa, in the county of Warwick (hereinafter called "the area of supply").
2. To enable the Corporation to purchase,

take on lease, and hold lands, or interests or easements, in or over lands, or to appropriate for the purposes of the Order any lands belonging to or held by them, and to erect, maintain, work, and use upon such lands all necessary or proper engines, dynamos, batteries, machinery, apparatus, works, buildings, and appliances for generating, producing, storing, supplying, and distributing electricity, or for other purposes of the undertaking, and to empower the Corporation to sell or dispose of any lands not required for purposes of the undertaking.

3. To authorise the Corporation to open, break up, and interfere with all streets, roads, public places, ways, footpaths, railways, canals, navigable rivers, towing-paths, bridges, culverts, sewers, drains, gas and water mains and pipes, and telegraph and telephone and other wires within the area of supply: and to lay down, erect, maintain, renew, and remove, either above or under ground, or otherwise, electric lines, conductors, mains, pipes, tubes, wires, posts, street, or distributing boxes, meters, apparatus, and other works or things required for the purpose of enabling the Corporation to supply, produce, store, convey, transmit, or distribute electricity within the area of supply, and to confer all such other powers upon the Corporation as may be necessary for effecting the objects of the proposed undertaking.
4. To authorise the Corporation to manufacture, purchase, hire, sell, and let, lamps, accumulators, meters, dynamos, fittings, plant, machinery, and other matters, or things required for the purposes of the Order, and to acquire, work, and use patent rights for the producing, storing, controlling, distributing, and measuring, or otherwise relating to the supply of electricity.
5. To authorise the Corporation to take, collect, and recover rates, rents, and charges for the supply of electricity, and the use of any machines, lamps, meters, fittings, or apparatus connected therewith.
6. To make provision for the inspection and testing of mains, conductors, and works, for the appointment and remuneration of electric inspectors, and for the supply, use, inspection, testing, and certifying of meters, fittings, and instruments.
7. To authorise the Corporation to enter upon any houses, buildings, or land, supplied, or proposed to be supplied, with electricity for any purposes relating to such supply.
8. To authorise the Corporation to enter into contracts with Companies or persons for the execution and maintenance of works, and the supply of electricity, and to relieve the Corporation from the consequences of any acts or defaults of any such contractors, and to empower the Corporation to transfer to Companies or persons, all or some of their powers, duties, liabilities, and works for such period; and upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon.
9. To confer upon the Corporation all or some of the powers of the Electric Lighting Acts, 1882 and 1888, and enactments incorporated therewith, and to alter, vary, or extinguish all rights and privileges which would or might interfere with any of the objects of the Order, and to confer all

other rights and privileges necessary for carrying such objects into effect.

10. To empower the Corporation to borrow money for all or any of the purposes of the Order, and to charge the moneys so borrowed and interest upon the district fund and general district rate of the borough, and to empower the Corporation to apply any of their funds to any of the purposes of the Order, and to provide for the disposal or application of the revenue arising from the undertaking.
11. To incorporate with the Order section 265 of the Public Health Act, 1875 (relating to the protection of local authorities and their officers from personal liability), and to extend that section to matters arising under the Order.

The Corporation propose to take power by the Order to open and break up the following streets not repairable by a local authority, railways, and tramways, viz.:—Rosefield-terrace, Vicarage-road, Guy's Cliffe-road, St. Mark's-road, Mews lying between Guy's Cliffe-road and St. Mark's-road, Highfield-terrace, Woodcote-road, Leicester-street, Northumberland-road, Percy-terrace, Oswald-road, Clapham-terrace, Camberwell-terrace, Albany-terrace, Waller-street, Milverton-crescent, Milverton-crescent-mews, Bertie-terrace, Clarence-terrace, Waterloo-place, Clarendon-place, Clarendon-square, Lansdowne-crescent, Stanley-place, Beauchamp-avenue, Binswood-avenue, Bath-street, Victoria-terrace, Parade, and Victoria Bridge.

The London and North Western Railway, the Great Western Railway, the Warwick and Leamington Tramway, the Warwick and Napton Canal, and the several lines, branches, sidings, and works belonging to, worked, or used by the owners or occupiers thereof, with or without their consent.

The names of the streets in which it is proposed that electric lines shall be laid down within a specified time are as follows:—Kenilworth-road, Lillington-avenue, Lillington-road, Binswood-avenue, Beauchamp-avenue, Beauchamp-square, Clarendon-avenue, Clarendon-square, part of Northumberland-road, viz.:—150 yards at each end of the said road, Parade, Dale-street, Milverton-terrace, Warwick-street, Regent-street, Holly-walk, Regent-grove, Euston-place, Warwick New-road, Portland-place, Dormer-place, Newbold-terrace, Newbold-terrace East, Adelaide-road, Avenue-road, Spencer-street, Victoria-terrace, Bath-street, Priory-terrace, part of Leam-terrace, viz.:—that part which lies between Priory-terrace and Willes-road, Russell-terrace, part of Radford-road, viz.:—that part which lies between High-street and St. Mary's-road, High-street, part of Clemens-street, viz.:—100 yards along the said street, commencing from High-street, part of Willes-road, viz.:—that part which lies between Holly-walk and Newbold-terrace, and that part which lies between Leam-terrace and St. Mary's-road, part of St. Mary's-road, viz.:—that part which lies between Willes-road and Radford-road, Guy's Cliffe-road, part of Rugby-road, viz.:—that part which lies between Guy's Cliffe-road and Binswood-avenue, St. Mark's-road, and Heath-terrace.

And notice is hereby given that the draft of the Order will be deposited at the office of the Board of Trade, on or before the 21st day of December next, and printed copies of the Draft Order when deposited, and of the Order when made, may be obtained (at the price of one shilling for each copy) at the offices of the

undermentioned Town Clerk and Parliamentary Agents.

And notice is hereby further given that a map showing the boundaries of the proposed area of supply, and the streets in which it is proposed that electric lines shall be laid down, within a specified time, and a copy of this advertisement as published in the "London Gazette," will be deposited on or before the 30th day of November instant, for public inspection at the office of the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Warwick, at Leamington Spa, in the said county, and at the office of the Town Clerk of Royal Leamington Spa.

And notice is hereby lastly given that every local or other public authority, Company, or person desirous of bringing before the Board of Trade any objection respecting the application must do so by letter addressed to the Board of Trade, marked on the outside of the cover enclosing it "Electric Lighting Acts," on or before the 15th day of January, 1898, and a copy of such objection must also be forwarded to the under-mentioned Town Clerk or Parliamentary Agents.

Dated the 15th day of November, 1897.

H. C. PASSMAN, Town Clerk, Leamington Spa.

SHARPE, PARKER, PRITCHARDS and
BARHAM, 9, Bridge-street, Westminster,
Parliamentary Agents.

Board of Trade.—Session 1898.

Margam Electric Lighting.

(The Production, Storage, and Supply of Electricity by the Urban District Council of Margam within their District; the Acquisition and Appropriation of Lands, and Construction of Works; the Breaking Up and Interference with Streets and Railways; the Laying Down and Erection of Electric Lines, Pipes, Wires, and Apparatus; the Taking and Recovery of Rates and Charges; the Entry into Houses and Lands; the Making of Contracts; the Transfer of the Undertaking; the Borrowing of Money; and Other Provisions.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Urban District Council of the Urban District of Margam, in the county of Glamorgan (hereinafter called "the Council"), and whose address is at the Council Offices, Taibach, Port Talbot, intend to apply to the Board of Trade, on or before the 21st day of December next, for a Provisional Order (hereinafter called "the Order") under the Electric Lighting Acts, 1882 and 1888, for all or some of the following amongst other purposes (that is to say):—

1. To authorise the Council to generate, store, supply, and distribute electricity for public and private purposes, as defined by the Electric Lighting Acts, within the whole of the urban district of Margam, in the county of Glamorgan aforesaid (hereinafter referred to as "the area of supply").

2. To enable the Council to acquire by agreement, or take on lease and hold lands and premises or interests or easements in or over lands, or to appropriate for the purposes of the Order any lands belonging to or held by them, and to construct, provide, lay down, alter, or renew and maintain upon such lands all necessary stations and works for the generation, storage, distribution, and supply of electricity as may be necessary from time to time for such purpose, together with all buildings, steam and other engines, dynamos, batteries, machinery, apparatus, works, and appliances necessary or convenient for the purposes aforesaid or for

other purposes of the undertaking, and to empower the Council to sell or dispose of any lands not required for the purposes of the undertaking.

3. To authorise the Council to open, break up, and interfere with all streets, roads, public places, ways, footpaths, railways, canals, navigable rivers, towing paths, bridges, culverts, sewers, drains, and gas and water mains and pipes and telegraph and telephone and other wires within the area of supply, and to lay down, erect, maintain, renew, and remove, either above or under ground or otherwise, electric lines, conductors, mains, pipes, tubes, wires, posts, street or distributing boxes, meters, apparatus, and other works or things required for the purpose of enabling the Council to supply, produce, store, convey, transmit, or distribute electricity within the area of supply, and to confer all such other powers upon the Council as may be necessary or expedient for effecting the objects of the proposed undertaking.

4. To authorise the Council to manufacture, purchase, hire, sell, and let all necessary lamps, accumulators, meters, dynamos, fittings, plant, machinery, apparatus, and other matters or things required for the purpose of the Order and to acquire, work, and use patent rights for the generating, storing, collecting, distributing, and measuring or otherwise relating to the supply of electricity.

5. To authorise the Council to take, collect, and recover rates, rents, and charges for the supply of electricity and the use of any machine, lamps, meters, fittings, or apparatus connected therewith.

6. To authorise the Council to break up, pass or cross over or under all streets and parts of streets carried over and under any railway, canal, or navigable river, and to break up or interfere with the Rhondda and Swansea Bay Railway, the Great Western Railway, and the Port Talbot Railways and Docks, and the private railway of Messrs. Vivian and Sons, so far as they are situated within the area of supply.

7. To authorise the Council to break up the following streets, roads, footways, thoroughfares, and places not belonging to or not repairable by the Council (that is to say):—

The main road leading from Aberavon to Taibach.

8. The names of the streets and public places in which it is proposed that electric lines shall be laid down within a period to be specified in the Order are as follows:—The portion of the main road leading from Aberavon to Pyle, and lying between the bridge over the River Avon and the Lodge at Glanafon, Taibach.

9. To make provision for the inspection and testing of mains, conductors, and other works, for the appointment and remuneration of electric inspectors, and for the supply, use, inspection, testing, and certifying of meters, fittings, and instruments.

10. To authorise the Council to enter upon any houses, buildings, or land supplied or proposed to be supplied with electricity for any purpose relating to such supply.

11. To prescribe and limit the price to be charged for electricity.

12. To authorise the Council to enter into contracts with companies or persons for the execution and maintenance of works and the supply of electricity, and to relieve the Council from the consequences of any acts or defaults of any such contractors, and to empower the Council to transfer to companies or persons all

or some of their powers, duties, liabilities, and works for such period and upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon between the parties, subject to the approval of the Board of Trade.

13. To confer upon the Council all or some of the powers of the Electric Lighting Acts, 1882 and 1888, and enactments incorporated therewith, and to alter, vary, or extinguish all rights and privileges which would or might interfere with any of the objects of the Order, and to confer all other rights and privileges necessary for carrying such objects into effect.

14. To empower the Council to borrow money for all or any of the purposes of the Order, and to charge the moneys so borrowed and interest upon the general district rate; and to empower the Council to apply any of their funds to any of the purposes of the Order, and to provide for the disposal or application of the revenue arising from the undertaking.

15. To incorporate with the Order Sections 264 and 265 of the Public Health Act, 1875 (relating to actions against local authorities, their officers and servants, and their protection from personal liability), and to extend those sections to matters arising under the Order.

And notice is hereby given, that the draft of the Order will be deposited at the offices of the Board of Trade on or before the 21st day of December next, and printed copies of the draft Order when deposited, and of the Order when made, may be obtained (at the price of one shilling for each copy) at the offices of the undermentioned Solicitor and Parliamentary Agents respectively.

And notice is hereby further given, that a map showing the boundaries of the proposed area of supply and the streets in which it is proposed that electric lines shall be laid down within a specified time, and a copy of this advertisement as published in the London Gazette, will be deposited on or before the 30th day of November instant for public inspection at the offices of the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Glamorgan, at his office at Cardiff, and at the Council offices, Taibach, Port Talbot.

And notice is hereby further given, that every local or other authority, company, or person desirous of bringing before the Board of Trade any objection respecting the application must do so by letter addressed to the Board of Trade, marked on the outside of the cover enclosing it "Electric Lighting Act," on or before the 15th day of January, 1898, and a copy of such objection must also be forwarded to the undersigned Solicitor or Parliamentary Agents.

Dated this 22nd day of November, 1897.

D. E. JONES, Solicitor and Clerk to the Urban District Council of Margam, Port Talbot.

BAKER, LEES, and CO., 22, Great George-street, Westminster; Parliamentary Agents.

Stoke-upon-Trent Electric Lighting.
Board of Trade.—Session 1898.

(The Production, Storage, and Supply of Electricity by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Stoke-upon-Trent, within that Borough; the Acquisition and Appropriation of Lands and Construction of Works; the Breaking up and Interference with Streets, Railways and Tramways; the Laying Down and Erection of Electric Lines, Pipes, and Apparatus; the Taking and Recovery of Rates and Charges;

the Entry into Houses and Lands; the Making of Contracts, and the Transfer of the Undertaking; the Borrowing of Money; and other matters.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the borough of Stoke-upon-Trent (who are hereinafter called the Corporation, and whose address is Town Hall, Stoke-upon-Trent), intend to apply to the Board of Trade, on or before the 21st day of December next for a Provisional Order (hereinafter called the Order), under the Electric Lighting Acts, 1882 and 1888, for all or some of the following amongst other purposes (that is to say):—

1. To authorise the Corporation to produce, store, supply, and distribute electricity for public and private purposes as defined by the said Acts, within the borough of Stoke-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford (hereinafter called the area of supply).

2. To enable the Corporation to purchase, take on lease, and hold lands or interests or easements in or over lands, or to appropriate, for the purposes of the Order, any lands belonging to or held by them, and to erect, maintain, work and use upon such lands all necessary or proper engines, dynamos, batteries, machinery, apparatus, works, buildings, and appliances for generating, producing, storing, supplying and distributing electricity or for other purposes of the undertaking, and to empower the Corporation to sell or dispose of any lands not required for purposes of the undertaking.

3. To authorise the Corporation to open, break up and interfere with all streets, roads, public places, ways, footpaths, railways, canals, navigable rivers, towing paths, bridges, culverts, sewers, drains, gas and water mains, and pipes, and telegraph, and telephone and other wires within the area of supply; and to lay down, erect, maintain, renew, and remove, either above or under ground or otherwise, electric lines, conductors, mains, pipes, tubes, wires, posts, street or distributing boxes, meters, apparatus and other works or things required for the purpose of enabling the Corporation to supply, produce, store, convey, transmit or distribute electricity within the area of supply, and to confer all such other powers upon the Corporation as may be necessary for effecting the objects of the proposed undertaking.

4. To authorise the Corporation to manufacture, purchase, hire, sell, and let lamps, accumulators, meters, dynamos, fittings, plants, machinery, and other matters or things required for the purposes of the Order, and to acquire, work, and use patent rights for the producing, storing, controlling, distributing and measuring or otherwise relating to the supply of electricity.

5. To authorise the Corporation to take, collect, and recover rates, rents, and charges for the supply of electricity and the use of any machines, lamps, meters, fittings, or apparatus connected therewith.

6. To make provision for the inspection and testing of mains, conductors, and works for the appointment and remuneration of electric inspectors, and for the supply, use, inspection, testing, and certifying of meters, fittings, and instruments.

7. To authorise the Corporation to enter upon any houses, buildings, or lands supplied or proposed to be supplied with electricity for any purposes relating to such supply.

8. To authorise the Corporation to enter into

contracts with Companies or persons for the execution and maintenance of works, and the supply of electricity; and to relieve the Corporation from the consequences of any acts or defaults of any such Contractors, and to empower the Corporation to transfer to Companies or persons all or some of their powers, duties, liabilities, and works for such period, and upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon.

9. To confer upon the Corporation all or some of the powers of the Electric Lighting Acts, 1882 and 1888, and enactments incorporated therewith, and to alter, vary, or extinguish all rights and privileges which would or might interfere with any of the objects of the Order, and to confer all other rights and privileges necessary for carrying such objects into effect.

10. To empower the Corporation to borrow money for all or any of the purposes of the Order, and to charge the moneys so borrowed and interest upon the district fund and general district rate of the borough, and to empower the Corporation to apply any of their funds to any of the purposes of the Order, and to provide for the disposal or application of the revenue arising from the undertaking.

11. To incorporate with the Order, section 265 of the Public Health Act, 1875 (relating to the protection of local authorities and their officers from personal liability) and to extend that section to matters arising under the Order.

The Corporation propose to take power by the Order, to open and break up the following streets not repairable by a local authority railways and tramways, viz.:—

Allen-street, Back Glebe-street, Cornwallis-street, Cumming-street, Cartledge-street, Clarence-street, Clifton-street, Evelyn-street, Eardley-street, Gas-street, Garner-street, Harding-terrace, Home-street, Kirkham-street, King's-terrace, Knowl-street, King's Field-oval, Minton-street, Malt-house-street, Nursery-street, Nicholls-street, Quarry-road, Queen's-road, Rope-street, Sheppard-street, Selwyn-street, Summer-street, School-street, Sutherland-street, Upper Vine street, The Villas, Villa-street, Williams-street, Woodland-street, York-street, the bridges carrying Glebe-street, Copeland-street, Church-street, Corporation-street, the main road, Newcastle, to Stone and bridges near Minton's works, and Kirkby's mill and soap works, bridge, Oakhill, over the canals of the North Staffordshire Railway Company, the road under and level crossing over the North Staffordshire Railway, between Glebe-street and Winton-terrace, Victoria-road, Basford, where it crosses the tunnel of the said railway, and the bridge carrying the main road over the said railway at Etruria-station, the North Staffordshire Tramways and the Potteries Extension Tramways.

The names of the streets in which it is proposed that electric lines shall be laid down within a specified time are as follows:—

Glebe-street (from Canal Bridge to Church-street), Church-street (from Glebe-street to Campbell-place), High-street (from Campbell-place to Cross-street), Liverpool-road (from High-street to Denbigh Castle), London-road (from Campbell-place to the Free Library).

And notice is hereby given, that the draft of the Order will be deposited at the office of the Board of Trade, on or before the 21st day of

December next, and printed copies of the Draft Order when deposited, and of the Order when made, may be obtained at the price of one shilling for each copy, at the offices of the under-mentioned Town Clerk and Parliamentary Agents.

And notice is hereby further given, that a map showing the boundaries of the proposed area of supply and the streets in which it is proposed that electric lines shall be laid down within a specified time, and a copy of this advertisement as published in the London Gazette, will be deposited on or before the 30th day of November instant, for public inspection, at the office of the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Stafford at Stafford in the said county, and at the office of the Town Clerk of Stoke-upon-Trent.

And notice is hereby lastly given, that every local or other public authority, Company or person, desirous of bringing before the Board of Trade any objection respecting the application, must do so by letter addressed to the Board of Trade, marked on the outside of the cover enclosing it "Electric Lighting Acts," on or before the 15th day of January, 1898, and a copy of such objection must also be forwarded to the undermentioned Town Clerk or Parliamentary Agents.

Dated the 22nd day of November, 1897.

JNO. B. ASHWELL, Town Clerk, Stoke-upon-Trent.

SHARPE, PARKER, PRITCHARDS, and BARHAM,
9, Bridge-street, Westminster, Parliamentary Agents

Board of Trade.—Session 1898.

Shrewsbury Electric Lighting.

(The Production, Storage, and Supply of Electricity by the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Shrewsbury, within that Borough; the Purchase of the Undertaking and Works of the Shropshire Electric Light and Power Company, Limited, and the Revocation of the Shropshire Electric Lighting Order, 1894; the Acquisition and Appropriation of Lands and Construction of Works; the Breaking up and Interference with Streets; the Laying Down and Erection of Electric Lines, Pipes, and Apparatus; the Taking and Recovery of Rates and Charges; the Entry into Houses and Lands; the Making of Contracts and the Transfer of the Undertaking; the Borrowing of Money; and other matters.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the borough of Shrewsbury (who are hereinafter called "the Corporation," and whose address is the Guild-hall, Shrewsbury) intend to apply to the Board of Trade on or before the 21st day of December next for a Provisional Order (hereinafter called "the Order"), under the Electric Lighting Acts, 1882 and 1888, for all or some of the following, amongst other purposes (that is to say):—

1. To authorise the Corporation to produce, store, supply, and distribute electricity for public and private purposes, as defined by the said Acts within the borough of Shrewsbury, in the county of Salop (hereinafter called "the area of supply").

2. To enable the Corporation to purchase, take on lease, and hold lands or interests, or easements in or over lands, or to appropriate for the purposes of the Order any lands belonging to or held by them, and to erect, maintain, work, and use upon such lands all necessary or proper engines, dynamos, batteries, machinery,

apparatus, works, buildings, and appliances for generating, producing, storing, supplying, and distributing electricity, or for other purposes of the undertaking, and to empower the Corporation to sell or dispose of any lands not required for purposes of the undertaking.

3. To authorise the Corporation to open, break up, and interfere with all streets, roads, public places, ways, footpaths, railways, canals, navigable rivers, towing paths, bridges, culverts, sewers, drains, gas and water mains and pipes, and telegraph and telephone and other wires within the areas of supply; and to lay down, erect, maintain, renew, and remove, either above or under ground, or otherwise, electric lines, conductors, mains, pipes, tubes, wires, posts, street or distributing boxes, meters, apparatus, and other works or things required for the purpose of enabling the Corporation to supply, produce, store, convey, transmit, or distribute electricity within the area of supply, and to confer all such other powers upon the Corporation as may be necessary for effecting the objects of the proposed undertaking.

4. To authorise the Corporation to manufacture, purchase, hire, sell, and let lamps, accumulators, meters, dynamos, fittings, plant, machinery, and other matters or things required for the purposes of the Order, and to acquire, work, and use patent rights for the producing, storing, controlling, distributing, and measuring, or otherwise relating to the supply of electricity.

5. To authorise the Corporation to take, collect, and recover rates, rents, and charges, for the supply of electricity, and the use of machines, lamps, meters, fittings, or apparatus connected therewith.

6. To make provision for the inspection and testing of mains, conductors, and works, for the appointment and remuneration of electric inspectors, and other officers, and for the supply, use, inspection, testing and certifying of meters, fittings, and instruments.

7. To authorise the Corporation to enter upon any houses, buildings or lands supplied, or proposed to be supplied, with electricity for any purposes relating to such supply.

8. To authorise the Corporation to enter into contracts with Companies or persons for the execution and maintenance of works, and the supply of electricity; and to relieve the Corporation from the consequences of any acts or defaults of any such contractors, and to empower the Corporation to transfer to Companies or persons all or some of their powers, duties, liabilities and works for such period, and upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon.

9. To empower the Corporation to acquire the undertaking and works of the Shropshire Electric Light and Power Company, Limited, and to revoke the Shropshire Electric Lighting Order, 1894, or to vest the powers thereby conferred in the Corporation.

10. To confer upon the Corporation all or some of the powers of the Electric Lighting Acts, 1882 and 1888, and enactments incorporated therewith, and to alter, vary, or extinguish all rights and privileges which would or might interfere with any of the objects of the Order, and to confer all other rights and privileges necessary for carrying such objects into effect.

11. To empower the Corporation to borrow money for all or any of the purposes of the Order, and to charge the money so borrowed and interest upon the district fund and general

district rate of the borough, and to empower the Corporation to apply any of their funds to any of the purposes of the Order, and to provide for the disposal or application of the revenue arising from the undertaking.

12. To incorporate with the Order section 265 of the Public Health Act, 1875 (relating to the Protection of Local Authorities and their officers from personal liability), and to extend that section to matters arising under the Order.

The Corporation propose to take power by the Order to open and break up the bridge carrying Abbey Foregate over the Potteries, Shrewsbury, and North Wales Railways for the purpose of laying electric lines therein.

The name of the street in which it is proposed that electric lines shall be laid down within a specified time is Abbey Foregate.

And notice is hereby given that the draft of the Order will be deposited at the office of the Board of Trade on or before the 21st day of December next, and printed copies of the Draft Order when deposited, and of the Order when made may be obtained at the price of one shilling for each copy at the offices of the undermentioned Town Clerk and Parliamentary Agents.

And notice is hereby further given that a map showing the boundaries of the proposed area of supply, and the streets in which it is proposed that electric lines shall be laid down within a specified time, and a copy of this advertisement as published in the London Gazette will be deposited on or before the 30th day of November instant, for public inspection at the office of the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Salop, at Shrewsbury, and at the office of the Town Clerk of Shrewsbury.

And notice is hereby lastly given, that every local or other public authority, Company or persons desirous of bringing before the Board of Trade any objection respecting the application must do so by letter addressed to the Board of Trade, marked on the outside of the cover enclosing it "Electric Lighting Acts," on or before the 15th day of January, 1898, and a copy of such objection must also be forwarded to the undermentioned Town Clerk or Parliamentary Agents.

Dated the 18th day of November, 1897:

H. C. CLARKE, Town Clerk, Shrewsbury.
SHARPE, PARKER, PRITCHARDS and BARHAM,
9, Bridge-street, Westminster, Parliamentary Agents.

Board of Trade—Session 1898.

Borough of Portsmouth Water.

(Additional Capital; Purchase of Lands by Agreement; Amendment of Acts.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that the borough of Portsmouth Waterworks Company (hereinafter called "the Company") intend to apply to the Board of Trade on or before the 23rd day of December next, under the Gas and Waterworks Facilities Act, 1870, for a Provisional Order, to be confirmed by Parliament in the ensuing Session, for the following purposes:—

1. To empower the Company to raise further money for the general purposes of their Undertaking, and for such other purposes as may be authorised by the intended Order, by the creation and issue of new shares or stock, and by borrowing on mortgage, or by the creation and issue of debenture stock, or partly in one mode and partly in another, or others, and in such proportions as may be prescribed or authorised by the intended Order, and to attach to such new

shares or stock such preference or priority in the payment of dividend, and such other rights, privileges, and conditions as may be prescribed or authorised as aforesaid, and to apply to the purposes aforesaid any capital which the Company have now power to raise for any other purpose.

2. To empower the Company to purchase by agreement, and to hold lands and rights and easements in lands, and in and upon such lands and any other lands of the Company to execute works for the protection of their water supply and for the general purposes of their waterworks and Undertaking, and to vary or extinguish any rights or privileges connected with any such lands, or which would be inconsistent with the objects of the intended Order, and to confer, vary, or extinguish other rights and privileges.

3. To amend, extend, or alter, so far as may be necessary for the purposes of the intended Order, the borough of Portsmouth Waterworks Act, 1857, and any other Act or Acts relating to the Company.

4. Copies of this advertisement will, on or before the 30th day of November instant, be deposited at the Board of Trade, Whitehall, London; and at the office, at Winchester, of the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Southampton.

5. Printed copies of the draft Provisional Order will be deposited at the office of the Board of Trade on or before the 23rd day of December next, and printed copies of the draft Provisional Order, when deposited, and of the Provisional Order, when made, may be obtained at the office of Mr. R. W. Ford, 31, St. Thomas-street, Portsmouth; and of Messrs. Sherwood and Co., 7, Great George-street, Westminster; at the price of one shilling each.

6. Every company, corporation, or person desirous of making any representation to the Board of Trade, or of bringing before them any objection respecting the intended application, may do so by letter, addressed to the Assistant Secretary of the Railway Department of the Board of Trade, on or before the 15th day of January next, and copies of their objections must at the same time be sent to the Promoters or the undersigned solicitor or Parliamentary agents for the Company, and in forwarding to the Board of Trade such objections, the objectors or their agents should state that a copy of the same has been sent to the Promoters or their agents.

Dated this 24th day of November, 1897.

R. W. FORD, 31, St. Thomas-street,
Portsmouth, Solicitor for the Order.
SHERWOOD and Co, 7, Great George-street,
Westminster, Parliamentary Agents.

Board of Trade—Session 1898.

The Lewisham District Electric Lighting.

(The Production, Storage, and Supply of Electricity by the Board of Works for the Lewisham District within their District; the Acquisition and Appropriation of Lands and Construction of Works; the Breaking Up and Interference with Streets and Railways; the Laying Down and Erection of Electric Lines, Pipes, Wires, and Apparatus; the Taking and Recovery of Rates and Charges; the Entry into Houses and Lands; the Making of Contracts, and the Transfer of the Undertaking; the Borrowing of Money; and other provisions).

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Board of Works for the Lewisham district, in the

county of London (hereinafter called "the Board of Works"), and whose address is at Lewisham Town Hall, Catford, intend to apply to the Board of Trade, on or before the 21st day of December next, for a Provisional Order (hereinafter called "the Order") under the Electric Lighting Acts, 1882 and 1888, for all or some of the following, amongst other purposes (that is to say):—

1. To authorise the Board of Works to generate, store, supply, and distribute electricity for public and private purposes, as defined by the Electric Lighting Acts, within the whole of the Lewisham district, in the county of London aforesaid (hereinafter referred to as "the area of supply").

2. To enable the Board of Works to acquire by agreement, or take on lease and hold lands and premises, or interests or easements, in or over lands, or to appropriate for the purposes of the Order any lands belonging to or held by them, and to construct, provide, lay down, alter, or renew and maintain upon such lands all necessary stations and works for the generation, storage, distribution, and supply of electricity as may be necessary from time to time for such purpose, together with all buildings, steam and oil engines, dynamos, batteries, machinery, apparatus, works, and appliances necessary or convenient for the purposes aforesaid; or for other purposes of the Undertaking, and to empower the Board of Works to sell or dispose of any lands not required for the purposes of the Undertaking.

3. To authorise the Board of Works to open, break up, and interfere with all streets, roads, public places, ways, footpaths, railways, canals, navigable rivers, towing paths, bridges, culverts, sewers, drains, and gas and water mains and pipes, and telegraph and telephone and other wires, within the area of supply, and to lay down, erect, maintain, renew, and remove, either above or underground, or otherwise, electric lines, conductors, mains, pipes, tubes, wires, posts, street or distributing boxes, meters, apparatus, and other works or things, required for the purpose of enabling the Board of Works to supply, produce, store, convey, transmit, or distribute electricity within the area of supply, and to confer all such other powers upon the Board of Works as may be necessary or expedient for effecting the objects of the proposed Undertaking.

4. The streets, roads, or places not repairable by the local authority which the Board propose to take power to break up are as follows:—

Adamsrill-road, Agnew-road, Aylward-road, Ackroyd-road, Bampton-road, Benson-road, Ballina-street, Brockley-park, Bovill-road, Chaplin-street, Canonbie-road, Codrington-hill, Cintra-park, Cyprus-road, Claremont-terrace, De Frene-road, Duneombe-hill, Davenport-road, Elm-lane, Ewelme-road, Fox-hill, Fernor-road, Grierson-road, Gabriel-street, Honor Oak-rise, Howden-road, Herschell-road, Haseltine-road, Kangley Bridge-road, Lennard-road, Lindon-grove, Lessing-street, Lowther-hill, Marler-road, Madeline-road, Mowbray-road, Nyon-street, Rutland-park, Rutland-road, Rojack-road, Ravensbourne-park, Ravensbourne-street, St. Michael's-road, St. Michael's-crescent, South-road, Sylvan-road, Sangley-road, Staustead-grove, Silvermere-road, Trewsbury-road, Thicket-grove, Whatman-road, Duncravie-road, Springbank-road, Wellmeadow-road, Hither Green-lane (part of), Torridon-road, St. Philip's-road, Sandhurst-road, Ardgowan-road, Minard-road, Brownhill-road (part of), Arrgask-road, Fordil-road, Glenfarg-road, Broadfield-road.

5. To authorise the Board of Works to manufacture, purchase, hire, sell, and let all necessary

lamps, accumulators, meters, dynamos, fittings, plant, machinery, apparatus, and other matters or things required for the purpose of the Order, and to acquire work and use patent rights for the generating, storing, collecting, distributing, and measuring, or otherwise relating to the supply of electricity.

6. To authorise the Board of Works to take, collect, and recover rates, rents, and charges for the supply of electricity, and the use of any machine, lamps, meters, fittings, or apparatus connected therewith.

7. To authorise the Board of Works to break up, pass over, cross over or under all streets and parts of streets carried over and under any railway, canal, or navigable river; so far as they are situated within the area of supply.

8. The name of the street and public place in which it is proposed that electric lines shall be laid down within a period to be specified in the Order is as follows:—High-street, Lewisham, Rushy Green, and Catford-road.

9. To make provision for the inspection and testing of mains, conductors, and other works, for the appointment and remuneration of electric inspectors, and for the supply, use, inspection, testing, and certifying of meters, fittings, and instruments.

10. To authorise the Board of Works to enter upon any houses, buildings, or land supplied, or proposed to be supplied, with electricity, for any purposes relating to such supply.

11. To prescribe and limit the price to be charged for electricity.

12. To authorise the Board of Works to enter into contracts with companies or persons for the execution and maintenance of works and the supply of electricity, and to relieve the Board of Works from the consequences of any acts or defaults of any such contractors, and to empower the Board of Works to transfer to companies or persons all or some of their powers, duties, liabilities and works for such period and upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon between the parties subject to the approval of the Board of Trade.

13. To confer upon the Board of Works all or some of the powers of the Electric Lighting Acts, 1882 and 1888, and enactments incorporated therewith, and to alter, vary, or extinguish all rights and privileges which would or might interfere with any of the objects of the Order, and to confer all other rights and privileges necessary for carrying such objects into effect.

14. To empower the Board of Works to borrow money for all or any of the purposes of the Order, and to charge the moneys so borrowed and interest upon the general district rate, and to empower the Board of Works to apply any of their funds to any of the purposes of the Order, and to provide for the disposal or application of the revenue arising from the Undertaking.

15. To incorporate with the Order Sections 264. and 265. of the Public Health Act, 1875. (relating to actions against local authorities, their officers, and servants, and their protection from personal liabilities), and to extend those sections to matters arising under the Order.

And notice is hereby given, that the draft of the Order will be deposited at the offices of the Board of Trade on or before the 21st day of December next, and printed copies of the draft Order when deposited, and of the Order when made, may be obtained (at the price of one shilling for each copy) at the offices of the Board of Works at the Lewisham Town Hall, Catford, and at the offices of the undermentioned Solicitor.

And notice is hereby further given, that a map showing the boundaries of the proposed area of supply, and the streets in which it is proposed that electric lines shall be laid down within a specified time, and a copy of this advertisement, as published in the London Gazette, will be deposited, on or before the 30th day of November instant, for public inspection at the offices of the Clerk of the Peace for the county of London, at his office, the Sessions House, Clerkenwell, and with the Clerk of the Board of Works at his office at the Lewisham Town Hall, Catford.

And notice is hereby further given, that every local or other authority, company, or person desirous of bringing before the Board of Trade any objection respecting the application must do so by letter addressed to the Board of Trade, marked on the outside of the cover enclosing it "Electric Lighting Acts" on or before the 15th day of January, 1898, and a copy of such objection must also be forwarded to the undersigned Solicitor.

Dated this 24th day of November, 1897.

TEMPER L. DOWN, 3, Pope's Head Alley,
Cornhill, Solicitor.

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

1897. A. 99.

In the Matter of the Abney Park Cemetery Company Limited and in the Matter of the Companies (Memorandum of Association) Act 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition presented to the High Court of Justice (Chancery Division) on the 13th day of July 1897 for confirming a Special Resolution passed and confirmed at Extraordinary General Meetings of the Company held respectively on the 22nd day of July 1896 and the 7th day of August 1896 whereby it was resolved "That the Memorandum and Articles of Association submitted to this Meeting and identified by the signature of Ebenezer Clarke Esquire the Chairman of the Company be and the same are hereby approved and that pursuant to the provisions of the Companies (Memorandum of Association) Act 1890 the form of the Company's constitution be altered by substituting such Memorandum with extended objects as therein set forth and such Articles of Association for the Company's Deed of Settlement dated February 11th 1890 and for all the regulations of the Company subsequently made and now in force and that the directors be and are hereby authorized to apply to the Court to confirm this resolution under the said Act," is directed to be heard before his Lordship Mr. Justice North on Saturday the 11th day of December 1897. Any creditor or shareholder desiring to oppose the making of an Order confirming the said resolution 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 Solicitors on payment of the proper charges therefor.

BILLINGHURST WOOD and POPE 7 Bucklersbury London E.C. Solicitors for the Company.

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

1897. T. No. 0131.

In the Matter of the Ticket Punch and Register Company 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 November 1897 for confirming a Special Resolution in the following words viz:—"That the capital of the Company be reduced from £50,000 divided into 10,000 shares of £5 each to £10,000 divided into 10,000 shares of £1 each and that such reduction be effected by cancelling capital which has been lost or is unrepresented by available assets to the extent of £4 per share upon each of the 4,000 shares which have been issued and are now outstanding and by reducing the nominal amount of all shares in the Company's capital from £5 to £1 per share" is directed to be heard before his Lordship on the 11th day of December 1897. Any creditor or shareholder of the Company desiring to oppose the making of an Order for 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 November 1897.

E. FLUX and LEADBITTER 144 Leadenhall-street, London Agents for
SLATER and Co. Darlaston Solicitors for the above named Company.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

Mr. Justice Stirling.

1897. M. No. 081.

In the Matter of the Middle on Estate and Colliery 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 High Court of Justice on the 3rd day of June 1897 for confirming a resolution of the above named Company:—"That the capital of the Company be reduced from £170,500 (divided into 273 ordinary and 68 new preference shares all of £500 each) to £136,500 (divided into 273 ordinary shares of £500 each and that such reduction be effected by applying the sum of £23,800 (part of the paid up capital of the Company) and the sum of £10,200 (part of the Company's reserve fund) to the payment to the holders of the 68 new preference shares the sum of £500 per share and by cancelling the said new preference shares" and is directed to be heard at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London before Mr. Justice Stirling on Saturday the 11th day of December 1897.—Dated the 27th day of November 1897.

T. B. and W. NELSON 143 Cannon-street
London E.C., Agents for
NELSON EDLISONS and LUTON Leeds.

In the Matter of the "Argonaut" Steamship 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 Company from £30,000 to £15,000 was on the 11th day of November 1897 presented to the High Court of Justice and is now pending and that the list of creditors of the Company is to be made out as for the 10th day of January 1898.

SWYERSTONE and STONE 31 Great St.
Helen's E.C., Solicitors for the Company.

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

1897. G. No. 0143.

In the Matter of George Butler and 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 Company from £50,000 to £35,000 was on the 30th day of October 1897 presented to Her Majesty's High Court of Justice and is now pending; and that the list of creditors of the Company is to be made out as for the 31st day of December 1897.

BELL, BRODRICK and GRAY Ormond
House Great Trinity-lane London E.C.
Agents for

HARROP and HARROP of Swinton and
Rotherham both in the county of York
Solicitors to the Company.

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

Mr. Justice Wright.
No. 0074 of 1895.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the Candelaria Waterworks and Milling 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 19th day of March 1895 presented to the said Court by John Leman Whelen and Charles Frederick Higginson creditors of the said Company and that the prayer of the said petition (as now amended) is that the said Company may be wound up compulsorily or alternatively that the voluntary liquidation of the said Company may be continued subject to the supervision of the said Court. The said petition is directed to be heard before the said Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London on Wednesday the 8th day of December 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.

TATHAM and LOUSADA 17 Old Broad-street E.C. Solicitors for the 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 by 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 7th day of December 1897.

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

Mr. Justice Wright.
No. 00328 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890, and in the Matter of the Umtoli Gold Reefs 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 24th day of November 1897, presented to the said Court by contributories of the said Company. And that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice on the 8th day of December 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.

WYATT DIGBY and Co. 5 and 6 Clement's-inn Strand London W.C. Solicitors for the 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 7th day of December 1897.

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

Mr. Justice Wright.
No. 00327 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and in the Matter of the Abercorn Reefs 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 24th day of November 1897, presented to the said Court by Alexander Legge of Auchinblay Henry Montague Dale of 56, St. George's-road, Warwick-square Belgravia and David Younger of 20 New Oxford-street London contributories of the said Company. And that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice on the 8th day of December 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.

WYATT DIGBY and Co. 5 and 6 Clement's-inn London W.C. Solicitors for the 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 7th day of December, 1897.

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

Mr. Justice Wright.
No. 00329 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the Renmark Gold Mines, 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 24th day of November 1897 presented to the said Court by the Mount Renmark Gold Mining Com-

pany Limited of 55 and 56 Bishopsgate-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 8th day of December 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. —Dated the 25th day of November 1897.

SYDNEY E. PRESTON 17, Coleman-street, in the city of London, Solicitor for the 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 7th day of December 1897.

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

Mr. Justice Wright.
No. 00330 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and in the Matter of the London Sewing Machine Syndicate Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding-up of the above-named Company subject to the supervision of the High Court of Justice was on the 25th day of November 1897 presented to the said Court by the said Company. And that the said petition is directed to be heard before the said Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London on the 8th day of December 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.

FRANCIS SCOTT 72 Bishopsgate-street Within E.C. Solicitor for the 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 7th day of December 1897.

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

Mr. Justice Vaughan Williams.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and in the Matter of Hubbard and Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Com-

pany by the High Court of Justice was, on the 25th day of November 1897, presented to the said Court by Frank Horsell and Co. Limited of 33 Victoria-road Leeds in the county of York Manufacturers of Printers' Ink 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 8th day of December 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.

HENRY PUMFREY 14 Paternoster-row E.C. Solicitor for the Petitioner.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above-named, notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person, or, if a firm, the name and address of the firm, and must be signed by the person or firm, or his or their Solicitor (if any), and must be served, or, if posted must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above-named not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 7th day of December 1897.

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

Mr. Justice Wright.
No. 00334 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the Roydon Brick and Tile 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 26th day of November 1897 presented to the said Court by Wallis and Steevens Limited of the North Hants Iron Works Basingstoke in the county of Hants, Engineers, creditors of the said Roydon Brick and Tile Company Limited. And that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London on the 8th day of December 1897 and any creditor or contributory of the said Roydon Brick and Tile Company Limited 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 Roydon Brick and Tile Company Limited requiring the same, by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

FLUNKETT and LEADER 60 St. Paul's-churchyard London Solicitors for the 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 Solicitors notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person or if a firm the name and address of the firm and must be signed by the person or firm or his or their Solicitor (if any) and must be served or if posted must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above named not later than 6 o'clock in the afternoon of the 7th of December 1897.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

In the Matter of the Railway Companies Act 1867 and in the Matter of the East and West India Dock Company.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 20th November 1897, a scheme of arrangement between the above named Company and their creditors was filed in the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice. The said scheme contains provisions for settling the rights of the present proprietors and of the holders of preference stock intended to be issued under the scheme as among themselves and for raising additional stock and loan capital to carry into effect a conversion of the outstanding securities of the Company as follows:—

Under the proposed scheme the various securities will be dealt with as follows assuming that all the mortgagees of 1885 exercise the option given them—

Present Description.	To be Converted Into
Debentures of 1892	112 per cent. 3% prior lien debenture stock
First Mortgage Certificates of 1865 ...	110 per cent. 3% prior lien debenture stock
East and West India Dock Debenture Stock	100 per cent. 3% consolidated debenture stock and 27 per cent. 4% preference stock
Mortgages of 1885	112 per cent. 3% consolidated debenture stock
Deferred Debenture Stock	108 per cent. 4% preference stock for every £100 stock
Deferred Debenture Stock, Arrears of Interest	An amount of 4% preference stock equal to the amount of arrears of interest

The Effect of this Conversion is shown in the Following Statement.

Present Securities.				To be issued under Scheme in lieu of Present Securities.				
Description.	Amount Issued.	Rate of Interest.	Present Annual Charge.	3% Prior Lien Debenture Stock.	3% Consolidated Debenture Stock.	4% Preference Stock.	Total to be Issued.	Future Annual Charge.
Debentures of 1892	94,700	3½%	4,500*	106,641	...	...	106,064	3,182
First Mortgage Certificates of 1865	323,600	3¼%	11,326	355,960	...	...	355,960	10,679
East and West India Dock Debenture Stock	2,297,984	4%	91,919	...	2,297,584	620,456	2,918,440	93,758
Mortgages of 1885	530,000	4%	21,200	...	593,600	...	593,600	17,808
Deferred Debenture Stock	293,896	4%	11,756	...	...	317,408	317,408	12,496
	£3,540,180.	...	140,701	462,024	2,891,584	937,864	4,291,472	138,123

* This includes 1½ per cent. Sinking Fund.

The amount of preference stock and dividend thereon may have to be increased by the capitalization of any arrears of interest which may be outstanding on the deferred debenture stock at the time of conversion. The arrears outstanding to date amount to £31,594. Subject to this capitalization the annual charge on each description of security will be as follows:—

Prior lien debenture stock...	£13,861
Consolidated debenture stock...	86,748
Preferred stock	37,514
	<u>£138,123</u>

Also under the proposed scheme power is taken to issue £750,000 3 per cent. prior lien debenture stock, of this amount £462,024 would be absorbed by the conversion as shown above leaving a balance of £287,976 available for further issue for the purpose of advances to the Joint Committee on account of new works. On such advances the Company would receive interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum. Power is also taken to issue an amount of £250,000 preference stock for capital purposes of any description approved by the Directors. There are no provisions for raising additional stock or loan capital under the scheme beyond those above stated. A copy of the said scheme will be furnished to any person requiring the same at the office of the Company at No. 109 Leadenhall-street in the city of London on payment of the regulated charges for the same.—Dated this 30th day of November 1897.

FRESHFIELDS and WILLIAMS 5 Bank-buildings London E.C. Solicitors for the Company.

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

Mr. Justice Wright.
00271 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890
and in the Matter of the Globe Engineering
Coy. Limited.

By an Order made by Mr. Justice Wright in the above matter dated the 18th day of November 1897 on the petition of the Aluminium Supply Company Limited whose registered office is situate at 10 Ironmonger-lane in the city of London creditors of the above named Company it was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the said Globe Engineering Company 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 it be referred to the Registrar Companies (Winding-up) to appoint some fit and proper person to act as Liquidator of the above named Company in the place of Hermann Möller the Liquidator appointed in the voluntary winding up. And it was ordered that such Liquidator when appointed as therein before directed do on the 18th day of December 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 said petition of the petitioners and of the said Company and of the creditors appearing be taxed and paid out of the assets of the said Company but on such taxation only one set off costs is to be allowed between the said creditors. And the creditors contributories and Liquidator of the said Company and all other persons interested were to be at liberty to apply as there may be occasion and any creditor is to be at liberty to nominate a person to act as Liquidator in place of the said Hermann Möller.—Dated this 27th day of November 1897.

GEORGE BOWN HEXTALL 10 Ironmonger-lane E.C. Solicitor for the Petitioners.

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

Lord Justice Vaughan Williams.
00258 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the Maskelyne British Typewriter Limited.

By an Order made by the Honourable Lord Justice Vaughan Williams in the above matter dated the 1st day of November 1897 on the petition of John Dyer of 1 Richmond-villas Swansea in the county of Glamorgan a shareholder of the above named Company it was ordered that the voluntary winding-up of the said Maskelyne British Typewriter Limited be continued but subject to the supervision of that Court and

any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding up might be adopted as the Court should think fit. And it was ordered that Charles Fitch Kemp of 73 Lombard-street in the city of London Chartered Accountant be appointed Liquidator of the said Company in the place of Alfred Akers subject to his giving security to the satisfaction of the Court. And it was ordered that the said Charles Fitch Kemp as such Liquidator on the 1st December 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 might 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 of the said petition be taxed and paid out of the assets of the said Company. And the creditors contributories and Liquidator of the said Company and all other persons interested are to be at liberty to apply as there might be occasion. And the time for advertising this Order was thereby extended to the 30th November 1897.—Dated the 29th day of November 1897.

PAUL E. VANDERPUMP and SON 5 Philpot-lane, E.C., Agents for
INGLEDEW SONS and VANDERPUMP Swansea, Solicitors for the Petitioner.

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

Mr. Justice Wright.
00255 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the 1897 Jubilee Sites Syndicate Limited.

By an Order made by Mr. Justice Wright in the above matters dated the 10th day of November 1897 on the petition of Robert Edington of 10 Commercial-street Newport in the county of Monmouth, a shareholder of the above named Company who pursuant to the Companies (Winding-up) Rules of the 29th March 1893 was substituted by the Court as petitioner for Theophilus Moultrie Kelsall the petitioner named in the petition on the 7th October 1897 preferred unto the Court praying that an Order might be made for the winding-up by the Court of the said Company. It was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the said 1897 Jubilee Sites Syndicate Limited be continued, but subject to the supervision of the Court; and any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding up might be adopted as the Court should think fit, and it was ordered that Henry Charles Wilson of No. 1 West-street Finsbury-circus in the city of London Chartered Accountant the Liquidator in the voluntary winding up of the said Company should on the 10th day of December 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 might 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 should have been taxed and 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 said petition of the petitioner Robert Edington (subsequent to the 29th October 1897) and of the said Company be taxed and paid out of the assets of the said Company. And the said Robert Edington was to be at liberty to apply for the appointment of an additional Liquidator. And the creditors contributories and Liquidator of the said Company and all other persons interested were to be at liberty to apply as there might be occasion. And the time for advertising this Order was thereby extended to the 3rd day of December 1897.—Dated the 29th day of November 1897.

MUNNS and LONGDEN 8 Old Jewry London
E.C. Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In the Chancery of the County Palatine of
Lancaster.—Manchester District.

1897. Letter B. No. 9191.

In the Matter of the Boundary Spinning Company Limited and Reduced and in the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1893 and in the Matter of the Chancery of Lancaster Acts 1850 to 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Order of the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster Manchester District dated the 8th day of November 1897 confirming the reduction of the capital of the above named Company from £100,000 to £90,000 and the Minute (approved by the Court) showing with respect to the capital of the Company as altered the several particulars required by the above Statutes, were registered by the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies on the 18th day of November 1897. And further take notice that the said Minute is in the words and figures following:—"The capital of the Boundary Spinning Company Limited is £90,000 divided into 24,000 shares of £4 10s. 0d. each. At the time of the registration of this Minute the sum of £2 10s. 0d. has been and is to be deemed to be paid on each of the 12,000 shares which have been issued, the remaining 8,000 shares have not been issued."—Dated the 26th day of November 1897.

PONSONBY and CARLILE 5 Clegg-street
Oldham Solicitors for the Company.

**WROUGHT IRON AND STEEL CASKS,
DRUMS, &c.**

TENDERS will be received until twelve o'clock noon, on Friday, the 10th December, for the supply, as required, of

**WROUGHT IRON and STEEL CASKS,
DRUMS, &c.,**

until the 31st December, 1900.

Manufacturers only will be accepted.

Patterns may be seen at the Admiralty Pattern Rooms, 72, Great Queen-street, Lincoln's-inn,

W.C., and at Great Western House, Livery-street, Birmingham.

Forms of tender, containing conditions of contract and all particulars, may be obtained on personal application at this Office, or by letter addressed "Director of Navy Contracts, Admiralty, Whitehall, S.W." Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall,
November 24, 1897.

British Linen Company Bank,

Edinburgh, November 30, 1897.

THE General Court of Proprietors of the British Linen Company have ordered that to settle the Half-year's Dividend on the Capital Stock of the Company to be paid at Christmas next, the Transfer Books shall be closed from this date to the 27th proximo inclusive, and notice is hereby given to the Proprietors that the Dividend, without deduction of Income Tax, will be paid on Monday the 27th day of December next.

THOS. E. STEWART Secretary.

Atlas Assurance Company.

92, Cheapside, London, E.C.

THE Court of Directors hereby give notice, that an Extraordinary General Court of Proprietors will be held at the Company's House, in Cheapside, on Friday, the 17th day of December, 1897, at 12 o'clock precisely, for the purpose of electing a Director, in the room of Sir William John Walter Baynes, Bart., deceased.

Proprietors are required to give notice in writing to the Secretary not less than seven clear days before the day of election, of their intention to offer themselves as candidates to fill the present vacancy.—Dated this 26th day of November, 1897.

By order of the Court of Directors,

SAML. J. PIPKIN, Secretary.

The Clitheroe Manufacturing Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company duly convened and held at the Warehouse, in Holmes Mill, in Clitheroe, in the county of Lancaster, on the 25th day of November 1897 the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed:—

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

2. "That Edward Chester, of Clitheroe aforesaid, Accountant be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company."

JAMES ROBINSON Chairman.

JOHN EASTHAM Clitheroe Solicitor.

Westfield Soap Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened, and held at the registered office of the Company, No. 45, Sankey-street, Warrington, in the county of Lancaster, on Thursday, the 11th day of November, 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 Friday, the 26th day of November, 1897, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

Resolved—"That this Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and that Michael Jones,

Evans, of No. 37, Cambrian-views, Chester, Commercial Traveller, and Joseph Scholfeld, of No. 320, Liverpool-road, Patricroft, Grocer, be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purpose of such winding up.

"That the Liquidators be empowered to sell the goodwill, trade marks, machinery, fixtures, tools, chattels and effects, and all other the property of the Company to Mr. James Bolton as Trustee for a new Company about to be formed. The consideration to be £5,000, and to be paid by the allotment of 5,000 fully paid up ordinary shares in the Company about to be formed."

M. J. EVANS, Chairman of the Meetings.

The Companies Act 1865.

Isle of Man.

The Mount Murray Hotel Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held on Wednesday the 20th day of October 1897 the following resolution was duly passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the same Company duly convened and held on Saturday the 13th day of November 1897 the following resolution was confirmed:—

"That the Mount Murray Hotel Company Limited be dissolved and wound up voluntarily."

At the same Meeting held on the 13th day of November 1897 Herbert Kidson of Manchester Esquire was appointed Liquidator for the purpose of the said winding up of the said Company.—
Dated this 13th day of November 1897.

HERBERT KIDSON Chairman.

The People's Amusements Syndicate Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened and held at 3, Arundel-street, Strand, London, W.C., on the 20th day of October, 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 3, Arundel-street aforesaid, on the 19th day of November, 1897, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

Resolved—1. "That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890.

2. "That Henry J. Wood, of 1, Prima-road, Brixton, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company."

HARRY RANDALL, Chairman.

GIBBS, WHITE, and STRONG, 4, Eastcheap, E.C., Solicitors for the People's Amusements Syndicate Limited.

In the Matter of the London Sewing Machine Syndicate Limited.

AT an Extraordinary Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at No. 10 Blomfield-street London E.C. on Wednesday the 24th day of November 1897 the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Company that the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and that Mr. Charles Minshull of 13 South-square Gray's Inn London Chartered Accountant be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

S. A. COBBETT Chairman.

In the Matter of the Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1893, in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, in the Matter of Brownfield's Guild Pottery Society Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Society, duly convened, and held at the Guild Pottery, Cobridge, in the county of Stafford, on Thursday, the 25th day of November, 1897, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that the Society cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and accordingly that the Society be wound up voluntarily, and at the same Meeting Messrs. Charles Ernest Bullock of Hanley Chartered Accountant and Thomas Wood of 10 Norfolk-street Manchester Chartered Accountant were appointed joint Liquidators for the purposes of such winding up."

Dated this 25th day of November, 1897.

JAMES BROADBENT Chairman.

In the Matter of Mortgage and Securities Company Limited.

AT Extraordinary General Meetings of the above named Company, duly convened and held respectively on the 3rd day of November, 1897, and the 24th day of November, 1897, the subjoined Special Resolutions were duly passed and confirmed:—

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

2. "That Mr. Clarence Herbert Poulton be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of the winding up."

Dated this 25th day of November 1897.

E. D. OPPERT Chairman.

The William Woodbyrne Syndicate Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the William Woodbyrne Syndicate Limited duly convened and held on the 10th day of November 1897 the following resolutions were duly passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Syndicate also duly convened and held on the 25th day of November 1897 the following resolutions were duly confirmed viz:—

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

2. "That Mr. James Alexander Wilkie be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated the 26th day of November 1897.

J. D. PATTULLO Chairman.

The Tigerfontein Gold Mines Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Tigerfontein Gold Mines Limited duly convened and held on the 11th day of November 1897 the following resolution was duly passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Company also duly convened and held on the 26th day of November 1897 the following resolution was duly confirmed viz:—

"That it is desirable to effect an amalgamation of this Company with the Rooderand Gold Mining Company Limited and that Arthur Goddard of St. George's House Eastcheap in the city of London be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated the 26th day of November, 1897.

J. SEEAR Chairman.

In the Matter of the Carrington Gold Mining Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 12th day of January 1898 to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Charles Collinson Rawson c/o Messrs. Shields and Rawson of No. 54 Old Broad-street 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 26th day of November 1897.

COURTENAY CROOME SON and FINCH 9
Gracechurch-street London E.C. Solicitors to the above named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the La Plata Mines Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 7th day of January 1898 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. Josiah Richards of 11 Poultry 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 25th day of November 1897.

ROMER and HASLAM 4 Copthall-chambers
London E.C. Solicitors to the above named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1893, and in the Matter of the Northern Counties Wine Company Limited in Voluntary Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the thirtieth day, of December 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 Thrale Coulson Martin of 42 Grainger-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 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 25th day of November 1897:

THRALE C. MARTIN, Liquidator.

Warkworth Ship Company Ltd. (in Liquidation).

THE creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the fourteenth day of January 1898 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 me the undersigned Thomas Bowden, Chartered Accountant, 42 Mosley-street Newcastle-on-Tyne, in the county of the same city, the Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing from me the said Liquidator are by their Solicitor 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 27th day of November 1897.

THOMAS BOWDEN Liquidator.

GEO. ARMSTRONG and SONS Solicitors.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of John Hawkins and Co. Limited.

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 on Thursday the 30th day of December 1897 at eleven o'clock in the forenoon at 12 Hargreaves-street Burnley 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 25th day of November 1897.

RICHARD WATSON Liquidator.

Field's "M.P." Development Association Limited.

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 my offices No. 3 Church-passage Guildhall in the city of London on Wednesday the fifth day of January 1898, at three 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 the twenty-sixth day of November 1897.

BENJ. NEWSTEAD Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1893 and in the Matter of the China Steam Ship Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held on Thursday the sixth of January 1898 at 252 Gresham House Old Broad-street in the city of London 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 has been 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 shall be disposed of.—Dated this 26th of November 1897.

G. VON CHAUVIN Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1893 and in the Matter of the Electrical Manufacturers Limited.

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 13 Basinghall-street in the city of London on Friday the 31st day of December 1897 at eleven o'clock in the forenoon 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 the 27th day of November 1897.

GEO. A. G. ROBERTSON Liquidator.

The Tinsley Rolling Mills Company Limited (which was registered on the 15th of June 1874). **N**OTICE is hereby given that a Final General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the office of Messieurs Branson and Son 9 Bank-street Sheffield on Friday the thirty-first day of December 1897 at twelve o'clock at noon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated this twenty-seventh day of November 1897.

WILLIAM WING Liquidator.

G. H. Corbett and Co. Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Camp, Audnam, Stourbridge, on the 30th day of December, 1897, at half past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, to receive the Liquidator's report showing how the winding up of the Company has been conducted, and its property disposed of, and to hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also to determine by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company and the Liquidator shall be disposed of.—Dated the 24th day of November 1897.

GEORGE HARRY CORBETT Liquidator.

F. G. B. CRAWLEY 5 Chancery-lane
London, Solicitor.

The Anglo-Westralian and General Explorations Limited.

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 58 Coleman-street in the city of London on Monday the 3rd day of January 1898 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon 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 29th day of November 1897.

FRAS. W. PIXLEY Liquidator.

Buckfastleigh Totnes and South Devon Railway Company. (In Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the affairs of the Company being fully wound up, a General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Buckfastleigh Totnes and South Devon Railway Company (in Liquidation) will be held at the Commercial Hotel, Totnes on Thursday the 30th day of December 1897 at four o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of having the Liquidator's account laid before them and hearing any

explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated this 27th day of November 1897.

By order of the Directors.

JOHN FURNEAUX Chairman.

JOHN L. WINTER Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned James William Greenfield and George Greenfield junior carrying on business as Sugar Brokers at 14 Mincing-lane London E.C. under the style or firm of Greenfield Brothers has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 20th November 1897. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the undersigned George Greenfield by whom the business will be continued at the same address and under the same name.—Dated this 24th day of November 1897.

JAMES WILLIAM GREENFIELD.
GEORGE GREENFIELD, JUNIOR.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned David Gibb and Arthur Crichton Gibb carrying on business as David Gibb and Company at No. 1A Birchfield-street Limehouse in the county of London under the style or firm of David Gibb and Company has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the twenty-fourth day of November one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Arthur Crichton Gibb.—Dated this twenty-fourth day of November one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

DAVID GIBB.
A. CRICHTON GIBB.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Richard Plant and Thomas Edwin Fletcher carrying on business as Hardware Merchants at 86 Worcester-street Birmingham in the county of Warwick under the style or firm of Plant and Fletcher was dissolved as and from the 25th day of November 1897, by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Richard Plant.—Dated the 25th day of November 1897.

RICHARD PLANT.
THOMAS EDWIN FLETCHER.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned George Clark junior and Henry Battams carrying on business as Chartered Accountants at 4 Brabant-court Philpot-lane London E.C. under the style or firm of Clark Battams and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the second November one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. All debts due to and owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said George Clark junior by whom the business will be continued under the old style.—Dated 22nd November 1897.

GEO. CLARK JR.
HENRY BATTAMS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership subsisting between us the undersigned Louisa Whittow, Charles Lycidas Fowles, and George Edwin Standfast carrying on business at Nos. 9 to 11 Basinghall-street in the city of London as Leather and Elastic Web Warehousemen under the style or firm of W. S. Whittow and Co. was determined by effluxion of time on the 23rd day of August 1897 and was and is dissolved as on and from that date. All debts due to or from the late firm will be received or paid by the said Louisa Whittow and Charles Lycidas Fowles.—Dated this 27th day of November 1897.

LOUISA WHITTOW.
C. L. FOWLES.
G. E. STANDFAST.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned James William Thompson and John Francis Greenhalgh carrying on business as Architects Surveyors and Civil Engineers at Southend-on-Sea in the county of Essex under the style or firm of Thompson and Greenhalgh has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 30th day of June last. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John Francis Greenhalgh. All persons having claims against the said Partnership are required to send particulars thereof in writing to the said John Francis Greenhalgh within seven days from this date.—As witness our hands this 3rd day of November 1897.

JAMES WILLIAM THOMPSON.
JOHN FRANCIS GREENHALGH

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Bertram Alford and James Foster Burdis carrying on business as Insurance Brokers at 85, Gracechurch-street in the city of London under the style or firm of Alford and Burdis has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 30th day of September 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Bertram Alford.—Dated this 26th day of November 1897.

BERTRAM ALFORD.
JAS. F. BURDIS.

WE, the undersigned, William Bosley of 30 Black-horse-road Walthamstow in the county of Essex Builder William Bosley the younger of the same place Builder and James Rippin of 1 Buxton-road Walthamstow aforesaid Builder hereby mutually agree and declare that the Partnership existing between us by virtue of Articles of Partnership dated on or about the seventh day of April one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six was mutually dissolved as from the twenty-fourth day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.—Dated this 26th day of November 1897.

W. BOSLEY SEN.
W. BOSLEY JR.
JAS. RIPPIN.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Joseph Sarginson Peal and Charles William Peal under the firm of Joseph Peal and Sons at No. 6 Saville-row Newcastle-upon-Tyne in the profession or business of Dentists was this day dissolved by mutual consent so far as regards the said Charles William Peal who retires from the said firm. All debts due and owing to the said firm will be received and paid by the said Joseph Sarginson Peal who will continue the business at No. 70 Je-mond-road Newcastle-upon-Tyne under the present style or firm of Joseph Peal and Sons.—As witness our hands this twenty-second day of November one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

JOSEPH SARGINSON PEAL.
CHARLES WILLIAM PEAL.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Henry Meates and Thomas Meates both of Colwall in the county of Hereford carrying on business as Coal and Salt Merchants and Dealers in Building Materials at Colwall and Ledbury in the county of Hereford and at Newent in the county of Gloucester under the style or firm of John Meates and Sons has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the twenty-sixth day of November 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Henry Meates.—Dated this 26th day of November 1897.

HENRY MEATES.
THOS. MEATES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Samuel Henry Jacks and Arthur Stanley Banks carrying on business as Grocers at 45 Upper Jackson-street Hulme Manchester under the style or firm of A. S. Banks and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the fifteenth day of November 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Arthur Stanley Banks.—Dated the twenty-second day of November 1897.

S. H. JACKS.
A. S. BANKS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Charles James Russell George Russell Percy Lancelot Russell and Bernard Stanley Russell carrying on business as Brewers Maltsters Millers and Corn Factors at Malton in the county of York under the style or firm of James Russell and Son has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 24th day of November 1897.

CHARLES JAMES RUSSELL.
GEORGE RUSSELL.
PERCY L. RUSSELL.
BERNARD S. RUSSELL.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership formerly subsisting between the undersigned John Earle and George Bourne now deceased in the business of Tube Manufacturers and Metal Rollers at Heath-street South and Hooper-street both in the city of Birmingham under the style of Earle Bourne and Co. was dissolved on the 11th day of September 1896 by the death of the said George Bourne.—Dated this 22nd day of November 1897.

JOHN EARLE.
R. F. BOURNE,
T. G. TRUEMAN,
Executors of George Bourne deceased.

TAKE notice that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned in the trade or business of Pianoforte Sellers Organ Studio and School of Music and carried on by us at No. 1 Market-parade High-road Ilford in the county of Essex under the style of Gaster and Taylor has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to the said firm will be received by me the undersigned Henry Norman Taylor who will continue to carry on the said business.—Dated this 20th day of November 1897.

ALFRED HENRY GASTER.
HENRY NORMAN TAYLOR.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Stephen Staight and Richard Charles Holland carrying on business as Ivory Merchants, Manufacturers and Cutters at Feltham in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of Staight and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent, as and from the thirtieth day of November 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Richard Charles Holland.—Dated this 27th day of November 1897.

STEPHEN STAIGHT.
RICHARD CHARLES HOLLAND.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership subsisting between us the undersigned Mary Adams Lewis Abbotts and William Cliff carrying on business as Plumbers Glaziers Painters and Decorators at Stafford under the firm of Adams and Co. has been dissolved as and from the thirtieth day of September last by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Mary Adams and Lewis Abbotts who will in future carry on the said trade on their own account.—Dated this twenty-fifth day of November 1897.

MARY ADAMS.
LEWIS ABBOTTS.
WILLIAM CLIFF.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned William Waite-Wright and William Baum as Leather Dressers at 2 and 4 Saint Peter's-lane in the county borough of Leicester under the style of the Britannia Leather Dressing Company has been dissolved by mutual consent as on and from the twenty-seventh day of November instant and that all debts due to and from the late firm will be received and paid by the said William Baum.—Dated this 27th day of November 1897.

WM. WAITE-WRIGHT.
WILLIAM BAUM.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned William James Curtis and Harry William Cox carrying on business as Builders at Caterham in the county of Surrey under the style or firm of Curtis and Company has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 26th day of November 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said William James Curtis.—Dated this 26th day of November 1897.

WILLIAM JAMES CURTIS.
HARRY W. COX.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Henry Frank Warner Prentice and John Robert Ashby carrying on business as Jobmasters and Horsedealers at Winnold Yard St. Leonards-road Bexhill under the style or firm of Prentice and Ashby has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 31st day of October 1897.—Dated 25th day of November 1897.

H. PRENTICE.
J. R. ASHBY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Thomas Loveridge and Edward Ison carrying on business as Ship Furnishers and Engineers' Ironmongers at No. 153 Bute-road Cardiff under the style or firm of R. W. James and Company has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 30th day of June 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Thomas Loveridge.—Dated 24th day of November 1897.

THOMAS LOVERIDGE.
EDWARD ISON.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Herbert William Cowley William Booth and Abraham Parker Lord carrying on business as Engineers at Little Globe Iron Works Middleton in the county of Lancaster under the style or firm of Messrs. Cowley Booth and Lord has been dissolved by mutual consent so far as the said William Booth is concerned as and from the sixth day of November 1897.—Dated the fifteenth day of November 1897.

H. W. COWLEY.
WILLIAM BOOTH.
ABM. P. LORD.

Mesdames Hayward 64 New Bond Street W.

TAKE notice that according to the Articles of Partnership between Mrs. Augusta Mary Silberberg and Mrs. Ellen Eliza Foulston their term of partnership as Court Dressmakers and Ladies' General Outfitters under the above style came to an end by effluxion of time on the 28th February last. The business will be carried on in future by Mrs. Augusta Mary Silberberg under the above style of Mesdames Hayward at 64 New Bond-street W. aforesaid.—Dated this 23rd day of November 1897.

AUGUSTA MARY SILBERBERG.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by George Jennings and Edwin Jennings under the firm of George Jennings and Co. at 155 Edgware-road in the trade or business of Ball and Refreshment Contractors was this day dissolved by Judgment in an action.—Dated this 23rd day of November 1897.

EDWIN JENNINGS.

FREDERICK SLACK Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Frederick Slack late of Rotherham in the county of York Printer, Bookbinder, and Stationer deceased (who died on the 15th day of February 1897 at Rotherham aforesaid and whose will was proved in the Wakefield Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice on the 15th day of May 1897 by Edward Ollevant, Elizabeth Atkinson, and William Henry Slack the executors named in the said will) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned Solicitors to the said executors on or before the 10th day of January 1898 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims or demands of which they shall then have had notice and the said executors will not be liable or accountable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice; and all persons indebted to the estate of the said Frederick Slack deceased are hereby requested to forthwith pay to us on behalf of the said executors the amount of their respective debts.—Dated this 24th day of November 1897.

OXLEY and COWARD Rotherham Solicitors to the said Executors.

JOSHUA WILSON, Esq., Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands against the estate of Joshua Wilson of the city of Leeds and of Belfort, Harrogate, Manufacturer, who died on the 3rd day of September 1897, and whose will with two codicils thereto was proved at Wakefield on the 21st day of October 1897 by Joshua Wilson, Sam Wilson and John William Wilson the executors therein named, are required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 25th day of January 1898, after which date the said executors will 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 25th day of November 1897.

SIMPSON and SIMPSON 47 Albion-street Leeds.

LOUISA CURRELL Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of Louisa Currell late of Thorpe Ferrow in the parish of Bedale in the county of York Spinster (who died on the 15th day of October 1897), are to send particulars thereof to the undersigned Solicitors for Eliza Ford the administratrix of the personal estate and effects of the deceased on or before the 1st day of January next, after which date the administratrix will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of November 1897.

MOWLL and MOWLL Dover, Solicitors for the Administratrix.

Re FRANK NEWBOULD Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Francis Newbould late of Broomhill Chesterfield-road Eastbourne in the county of Sussex formerly of Charlton Kings near Cheltenham in the county of Gloucester Esquire (who died on the 30th day of

September 1897 and whose will with two codicils thereto was proved at Lewes on the 22nd day of November 1897 by the executors Francis Samuel Newbould Carl Bovenschen and Alfred Ernest Maxfield) are on or before the 1st day of February next to send in particulars of such claims or demands to the said executors at the offices of the undersigned Solicitors and in default thereof the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased and will not be liable for such assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claims or demands they shall not have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of November 1897.

HENRY and ALFRED MAXFIELD Cairns-chambers, Church-street, Sheffield, Solicitors for the Executors.

JOHN WHITE Deceased.

22nd and 23rd Vic. cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John White late of Peter-street in the city and county of Bristol retired Warehouseman deceased (who died on the 22nd day of September 1897 and whose will was proved in the Bristol District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 21st day of October 1897 by James Albert White the surviving executor therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned on or before the 31st day of December next after which date the 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.—Dated this 26th day of November 1897.

BENSON CARPENTER CROSS and CO. of Bank-chambers Corn-street Bristol Solicitors for the Executor.

Re Mr. ROBERT CLEMITSON Deceased.

Notice to Creditors.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Mr. Robert Clemitson late of the Malthouse East Horsley Leatherhead in the county of Surrey (formerly of Regent House Nos. 238 and 240 Regent-street in the county of London) Silk Mercer deceased, who died on the 2nd day of June 1897 and letters of administration of whose personal estate and effects were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 13th of November 1897 to Mrs. Jane Lucretia Amelia Clemitson (Widow) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said administratrix on or before the 31st day of December 1897 after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice and the said administratrix will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not have had notice at the time of the distribution of the said assets.—Dated this 26th day of November 1897.

W. H. HERBERT 10 Cork-street Burlington-gardens London W.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vic. c. 35 that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Henry Hezekiah Austen late of No. 8 London-road Northfleet in the county of Kent Manager of Chalk Quarries deceased who died on the 25th day of July 1897 and administration of whose estate and effects was granted to Emily Elizabeth Austen of No. 8 London-road Northfleet aforesaid Widow on the 11th day of November 1897 by the Principal Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims to the said administratrix at the offices of the undersigned her Solicitors on or before the first day of January next; and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Henry Hezekiah Austen deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice and that she will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 18th day of November 1897.

TOLHURST LOVELL and CLINCH Gravesend Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

Re. WILLIAM SLAUGHTER Deceased.
Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vict. cap. 35 intituled "An Act to further Amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands against the estate of William Slaughter late of the Norfolk Hotel 30 Surrey-street Strand London in the county of Middlesex Railway Advertising Lessee and trading under the style or firm of the North of England and Scottish Advertising Company at 100 George-street Edinburgh (who died on the 24th day of October 1896 and whose will with one codicil thereto was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the tenth day of April 1897 by Mary Elizabeth Slaughter and Robert Redpath the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned on or before the 30th day of December 1897 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of November 1897.

JNO. G. AITCHISON 20, Collingwood-street Newcastle-upon-Tyne Solicitor for the said Executors.

ROBERT CARTER Deceased.
Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Victoria chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Robert Carter formerly of the Rose and Crown 51 Charles-street Stepney Middlesex but late of Clebane Cookham-road Maidenhead Berks Licensed Victualler who died on the 13th day of September 1896 and probate of whose will was granted to Thomas Bailey Richards of the Hawthorns Woodford-green Essex Licensed Victualler and Robert John Carter of 24 High-street Plumstead Kent Licensed Victualler by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 2nd day of October 1896 are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims to us the undersigned the Solicitors to the executors on or before the 31st day of December 1897 after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of November 1897.

SAVERY and STEVENS, 2 Brabant-court, Philpot-lane, London, E.C. Solicitors for the Executors.

WILLIAM CURTIS Deceased.
Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria c. 35.
NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Curtis late of Fernham near Faringdon in the county of Berks Farmer and Horse Dealer deceased (who died on the third day of February 1897 and whose will was proved in the Oxford Registry of Probate on the fifth day of April 1897 by Lydia Cook of Fernham, Berks, Widow, John George Abraham of Chadlington Charlbury, Oxon, Farmer, and James Henry, Wilson of Shrivvenham, Berks, Cattle Dealer, the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims and demands to us the undersigned on or before the 18th day of December 1897 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of November 1897.

JOTCHAM and SON Faringdon Berks, Solicitors for the said Executors.

FRANCES RAINGILL Deceased.
Pursuant to Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Victoria chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having claims or demands upon or against the estate of Frances Raingill late of 73 Houghton-street Southport in the county of Lancaster Spinster deceased (who died on the 5th day of September 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry on the 22nd day of October 1897 by Thomas Raingill and Frederick Beck the executors therein named) are hereby required to send in particulars of their debts, claims or demands to us the undersigned on or before the 31st day of

January next after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed or any part thereof to any person of whose debt claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of November 1897.

CHAPMAN ROBERTS and BECK 32 Fountain-street Manchester Solicitors to the said Executors.

FRANCIS VINEY DAVIS Deceased.
Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vict. cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Francis Viney Davis of Mount Wise Overhill-road Dulwich in the county of Surrey Gentleman (who died on the 8th day of August 1896 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 15th day of October 1896 by Julius Paget one of the executors named in the said will) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned Solicitor for the said Julius Paget on or before the 7th day of January 1898 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 and demands 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 claim or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of November 1897.

W. J. CROSSFIELD 16 Mark-lane, London Solicitor for the said Executor.

GEORGE HEWES 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 George Hewes late of North Collingham in the county of Nottingham Gardener deceased (who died on the 29th day of May 1897 and whose will was proved in the Nottingham District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 15th day of September 1897 by Robert Hodgkinson of Newark-upon-Trent in the county of Nottingham Solicitor and Wilson Atkinson of 2 Beaconsfield-terrace Rycroft-street Grantham in the county of Lincoln Traveller the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned as Solicitor to the said executors on or before the 31st day of December 1897 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims or demands of which they shall then have had notice and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of November 1897.

ROB. HODGKINSON Newark-upon-Trent, Notts, Solicitor to the said Executors.

JAMES GEORGE MITCHAM Deceased.
Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts claims or demands against the estate of James George Mitcham late of 46 Chesterton-road Notting Hill Middlesex and of Newcastle-place Edgware-road Middlesex Omnibus Proprietor who died on the 28th October 1897 intestate and letters of administration of whose estate and effects were on the 13th November 1897 granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice to Martha Eliza Mitcham Widow of the deceased are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their debts claims or demands to us the undersigned as Solicitors to the said administratrix on or before the 11th January 1898 and notice is hereby given that at the expiration of that time the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said intestate amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice and that she will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt claim or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th November 1897.

COOPER and BAKER 6 and 7 Portman-square, W. Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

D. L. THOMAS Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of D. L. Thomas late of No. 54 Gadlys-road Aberdare in the county of Glamorgan Grocer (who died on the 21st day of May 1897 and to whose estate letters of administration were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice to Rees Thomas on the 24th day of August 1897) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims to me the undersigned on or before the 11th day of December next after which date I will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have had notice.—Dated the 27th day of November 1897.

J. W. EVANS Aberdare Solicitor for the said Administrator.

Re WILLIAM HEAD Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of Wm. Head late of Lyndhurst in the county of Southampton, Corn Merchant, deceased, who died on the 16th day of October 1896 (and whose will was proved in the Winchester District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the fourteenth day of January, 1897 by Thomas Edward Smith the executor) are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims to the undersigned on or before the 20th day of January next at which date the executor will distribute the assets of the deceased, having regard only to the claims then received.—Dated this 23rd day of November 1897.

COXWELL and POPE 7 Gloucester-square Southampton Solicitors to the said Executors.

WILLIAM WHITELEGGE Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of the Revd. Canon William Whitelegge late of Chichester Lodge Long Ditton Surrey who died on the 31st day of July 1897 are to send particulars thereof to the undersigned Solicitors for Robert Jackson Bates and William Christopher Higgins Burne Esquires the executors on or before the 31st day of December next after which day the executors will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of November 1897.

BURNE and WYKES 1 Lincoln's-inn-fields W.C.

ROBERT GYMER Deceased.

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

ALL persons having any claims against the estate of Robert Gymer late of No. 14 Richards-place Brown's-road Walthamstow Essex retired Victualler who died on the 11th September 1897 are hereby required to send particulars thereof to us the undersigned on or before the 1st January 1898 after which date the assets of the said deceased will be distributed amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the executors of the will of the said deceased shall then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of November 1897.

W. HOUGHTON and SON 56 New Broad-street E.O. Solicitors for Gilbert Houghton and Thomas Odell Executors of the said Robert Gymer.

Re JANE HARPHAM Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Jane Harpham late of No. 99 Christchurch-street Ipswich in the county of Suffolk (wife of Alfred Lester Harpham who died on the 28th day of September 1897 and whose will was proved on the 23rd day of November 1897 in the Ipswich District Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice by Joseph Greetham the younger of Swineshead in Lincoln the sole executor) are requested to send forthwith to the said Joseph Greetham the younger at 99 Christchurch-street Ipswich or to me the undersigned particulars of such claims.—Dated 26th November 1897.

REGINALD BRIDGER 13 Museum-street Ipswich Solicitor for the Executor.

Mrs. JANE NEWTON 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 or upon the estate of Mrs. Jane Newton late of Shardlow in the county of Derby Widow deceased (who died on

the 22nd day of July 1897 and whose will is proved in the Derby District Probate Registry by Frederick Henry of the city of Nottingham House Furnisher the sole executor therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned Eking and Wyles of the Long-row Market-place Nottingham the Solicitors for the said executor on or before the 30th day of December 1897 after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and that the said executor will not be liable to any person or persons of whose claim or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of November 1897.

EKING and WYLES Solicitors Long-row, Nottingham.

WILLIAM KILLICK Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that creditors and other persons having claims or demands against the estate of William Killick late of Ewell Surrey Builder deceased (who died on the 24th September 1897 and whose will was proved on the 20th November 1897 by Miss Fanny Killick and Mr. George Henry Green two of the executors therein named) are required to send particulars in writing of their claims and demands to us the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 2nd day of January 1898 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the estate among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated 26th November 1897.

MILLER SMITH and BELL 3 Salters-hall-court London E.C. Solicitors for Executors.

Re GEORGE FREDERICK AUGUSTUS SMITH Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Vic. c. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim upon or against the estate of George Frederick Augustus Smith, late of 44, Leazes-terrace, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Gentleman, a Bachelor, who died on the 9th day of June, 1897, and letters of administration having been granted by the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice to Mrs. Helen Stevenson the natural and lawful sister of the said intestate on the 9th day of July 1897 are hereby required to send particulars of their claims or demands on or before the 10th day of January 1898, to us the undersigned after which time the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice and will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claims she shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 26th day of November 1897.

JOSEPH A. PHILIPSON and TURNBULL 89 Pilgrim-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

WILLIAM RICHARD JONES-BYROM Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all the creditors and other persons having any debts claims or demands upon or against the estate of William Richard Jones-Byrom late of Dieu-la-Cresse Abbey, Leek, Staffordshire, deceased, late a Captain in Her Majesty's 3rd Regiment of Hussars (who died on the 8th day of September 1897 and whose will with one codicil thereto was proved by Walter Goring of Wiston Park Sussex a Captain in the 3rd Regiment of Hussars and George Henry Renny of No. 38 Queen-street Manchester Esqre. the executors therein named in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 20th day of November 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 30th day of December 1897 and notice is hereby given that at the expiration of that time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice, and 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 23rd day of November 1897.

BOCKETT STUNT and NASH 60 Lincoln's-inn-fields London Solicitors to the said Executors.

MARGARET CATHERINE PIGOU Widow, Deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vict. c. 35 that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Margaret Catherine Pigou late of No. 5 Warrior-square-terrace St. Leonards-on-Sea in the county of Sussex Widow deceased (who died on the 22nd day of October 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 20th day of November 1897 by Frederick Alexander Preston Pigou of Bignores Dartford in the county of Kent Esquire the sole executor therein named) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executor on or before the 28th day of December 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 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 debts claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of November 1897.

H. ASTLEY ROBERTS 2 Circus-place Finsbury-circus London E.C. Solicitor for the said Executor.

FRANCIS WARNER BROOKE Deceased.

Pursuant to "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 Francis Warner Brooke, late of 25 Mason-street Hull Gentleman deceased who died on the 18th day of August 1897 and whose will was proved by Alfred Thorney of 10 Parliament-street Hull aforesaid Gentleman and John Cornelius Manley of the same city Coal Merchant the executors therein named in the District Registry at York of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 11th day of September 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 fifteenth day of January 1898 and notice is hereby further 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 27th day of November 1897.

THORNEY and SON 10 Parliament-street Hull Solicitors to the said Executors.

JULIA STEPHENSON 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 Julia Stephenson late of 3 Swinburne-road Eaglescliffe in the county of Durham Spinster who died at 3 Swinburne-road Eaglescliffe aforesaid on the 20th day of October 1897 and whose will was proved in the Durham District Registry of the Probate Division of the Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 19th day of November 1897 by Major-General Van Stranzenee of Leamington in the county of Warwick C.B. and Sir William Henry Edward Chaytor of Croft-on-Tees in the North Riding of the county of York Baronet the executors therein named are hereby required to send in writing particulars of such claims to me the undersigned Solicitor for the said executors on or before the 31st day of December 1897 next after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of November 1897.

RICHARD BOWES Darlington Solicitor for the said Executors.

CHRISTOPHER SHORROCK 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 Christopher Shorrook late of Moss Bridge Darwen in the county of Lancaster Cotton Spinner and Manufacturer deceased (who died on the 4th day of October 1897 and whose will was proved in the Lancaster District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 21st day of October 1897 by Joseph Shorrook and Jane Shorrook the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me

the undersigned on or before the 1st day of January 1898 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 have had notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of November 1897.

CHAS. COSTEKER 4 Church-street Darwen Solicitor for the said Executors.

Re ELI AUDSLEY Deceased.

Re OLIVE AUDSLEY 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 Eli Audsley late of No. 5 Lofthouse-place in the city of Leeds Gentleman (who died on the 29th day of May 1894 and whose will was proved by Olive Audsley his Widow and also against the said Olive Audsley who died at No. 5 Lofthouse-place aforesaid on the 3rd day of October 1897 and whose will was proved on the 19th day of November 1897 in the District Registry at Wakefield attached to the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice by George Dews Audsley and Andrew Anderson the executors therein named) are required to send in writing the particulars of their claims against either of the above-named deceased to the undersigned on or before the 23rd day of December next after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of November 1897.

MIDDLETON and SONS Calverley-chambers Victoria-square Leeds Solicitors for the said Executors.

MATTHIAS BAILEY Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Statute 22nd and 23rd Vict. cap. 35 that all persons having any debts claims or demands against the estate of Matthias Bailey late of Hardshaw-street, St. Helen's in the county of Lancaster Butcher (who died on the 25th day of October 1897 and whose will was proved in the Liverpool District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 19th day of November 1897 by Sarah Isabella Bailey and Levi Pennington the executors therein named) are hereby required to send in particulars in writing of such debts claims and demands to me the undersigned before the 31st day of December next after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims and demands of which the said executors 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 debts claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of November 1897.

THOMAS BREWIS, 55, Corporation-street, St. Helen's Solicitor for the Executors.

THOMAS LAWRENCE Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Lawrence late of West Whiteway Farm, East Lulworth in the county of Dorset Farmer, deceased (who died on the 28th day of January 1897 intestate, and of whose estate letters of administration were granted on the 25th day of February 1897) are required to send particulars thereof to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the administratrix on or before the 18th day of December 1897, after which date the administratrix will distribute the assets, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of November 1897.

TREVANION CURTIS and RIDLEY New-street Poole Dorset Solicitors for the Administratrix.

Re Miss ELIZABETH REES Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Victoria cap. 35 that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Elizabeth Rees late of Picton-place Swansea in the county of Glamorgan Spinster deceased (who died on the 31st day of May 1897 and whose will was proved by Thomas Noon Talfourd Strick the surviving executor therein named on the 29th day of October 1897 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice) are required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims to the undersigned the Solicitors of the said executor on or before the 1st day of January 1898 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 and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of November 1897.

STRICK BELLINGHAM and HANSON 28 Fisher-street, Swansea Solicitors for the said Executor.

HENRY CULLUM Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic. c. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Henry Cullum of Worthing in the county of Sussex Gentleman (who died on the 26th day of September 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 4th day of November 1897 by Richard Francis Henry King one of the executors named in the said will) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned Solicitors for the said Richard Francis Henry King on or before the 31st December 1897; 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 and demands 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 claim or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 25th day of November 1897.

PITCHFORTH KING and HEELIS, 23, Bucklers-bury, London, E.C., Solicitors for the said Executor.

MARY ANN DAVIES Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of Mary Ann Davies late of 219 Graham-road Hackney Widow deceased (who died on the 1st day of October 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 18th November 1897 by the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 31st day of December 1897 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 30th November 1897.

MAKINSON CARPENTER and SON Devereux-buildings Temple W.C. Solicitors for the said Executors.

PETER WRIGHT PICKUP Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic. c. 35.

CREDITORS and others having any claim against the estate of Peter Wright Pickup late of the Quarry Colwall near Great Malvern in the county of Worcester and late of Rishton Colliery Rishton near Blackburn in the county of Lancaster Colliery Proprietor (who died on the 1st day of September 1897 and letters of administration of whose personal estate were granted to Hannah Pickup of the Quarry Colwall aforesaid Widow on the 18th day of November 1897 by the Principal Registry) are to send particulars of such claim to the administratrix at the offices of the undersigned on or before the 7th day of January next after which date the administratrix will proceed to distribute the intestate's assets among the persons entitled thereto.—Dated this 26th day of November 1897.

EARLE SONS and CO. 54 Brown-street Manchester Solicitors for the Administratrix.

Mrs. **MARY MCLEOD**, Deceased.

THOMAS HAWKS MCLEOD, Deceased.

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

ALL creditors and others having claims against the estate of Mary McLeod, formerly of Mottingham, in the county of Kent, subsequently of Beaconsfield, Great Malvern, in the county of Worcester, but late of Burton Court, Ross, in the county of Hereford, Widow, deceased (who died on the 24th day of July 1895 and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry on the 18th day of December 1895) are to send particulars of their claims to the Reverend Robert Stevenson, the executor, at our office, on or before the 8th day of January 1898, after which date the said executor will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the deceased, or any part thereof, having regard only to the claims of which

he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of November 1897.

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

NOTE—The said Mrs. Mary McLeod deceased was the sole acting executrix of the will of her husband, the late Thomas Hawks McLeod, formerly of Mottingham aforesaid, Esquire, who died on the 7th day of July 1883, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry on the 13th day of November 1883, and the foregoing notice is intended to embrace all claims and demands competent against the estate of the said Mrs. Mary McLeod, or against the said executor, in relation to the estate of the said Thomas Hawks McLeod deceased.

LEONE GLUKMAN Deceased.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in the matter of the estate of Leone Glukman deceased Weingarten v. Jefferey, 1885 G. 1335 an enquiry was directed to be made who were the next-of-kin of the testator Leone Glukman living at the time of his death, and whether any of them have since died, and if so, who are their legal personal representatives. The said Leone Glukman deceased who died on the 16th November 1881 at Nice in the Republic of France is alleged to have been born either at Toukam Courland in Russian Poland or at Riga in the Government of Livonia in the Empire of Russia between the years 1801 and 1809 and to have been the son of Lewin and Jette Glukman. Now any persons claiming to be such next-of-kin of the said Leone Glukman living at the time of his death, or to be the legal personal representative of such of the next-of-kin as have since died, are by their Solicitors on or before the 31st day of January 1898 to come in and prove their claims at the chambers of Mr. Justice North at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London England or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Friday the 4th day of February 1898 at 1 o'clock in the afternoon at the said chambers is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 20th day of November 1897.

E. W. WALKER Master.

NICOL SON and JONES 39 Lime-street London, E.C. Defendant's Solicitors.

PURSUANT to a Judgment of the High Court of Justice Chancery Division made in an action in the matter of the estate of Emma Parker deceased and in the matter of the estate of Eliza Ann Parker deceased Howell v. Popkin 1896 P. 2247 the persons claiming to be next-of-kin according to the Statutes for the distribution of intestates' estates of Emma Parker late of 10 Queen's-gardens Richmond Surrey Spinster living at the time of her death which took place on the 5th of March 1892 or to be the legal personal representatives of such of the said next-of-kin as are now dead are by their Solicitors on or before the 7th of January 1898 to come in and prove their claims at the chambers of Mr. Justice Kekewich at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Judgment. Friday the 14th of January 1898 at 12 o'clock at noon at the said chambers is appointed for hearing, and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated the 24th day of November 1897.

RICHD. JOHN VILLIERS Master.

ERNEST R. CHAMPION 17 Ironmonger-lane, London Plaintiff's Solicitor.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in the matter of the estate of John Teale deceased and in an action Frederick Wallace Heaton against Mary Ann Teale the creditors of John Teale late of Leyburn in the county of York Solicitor who died in or about the month of October 1896, are on or before the 3rd day of January 1898, to send by post, prepaid to S. Gissing Skelton of 27 Lincoln's-inn-fields London the Solicitor of the defendant Mary Ann Teale the executrix of the deceased their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any), held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before Mr. Justice Stirling at his chambers, the Royal Courts of Justice, London on the 11th day of January 1898, at 12 o'clock noon, being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 25th day of November 1897.

HICKIN SMITH and CAPEL-CURE Agents for C. HORNER Leyburn Solicitor for Plaintiff.

In the Matter of a Deed of Arrangement with Creditors made by George Needham of Ripley in the county of Derby Saddler on the 24th day of June 1897 and duly registered on the 26th day of June 1897.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors who have not already assented to the above mentioned Deed of Arrangement are required to send in particulars of their claims against the debtor's estate together with a notification of their assent to the said deed to Samuel Thomas Watson of Ripley near Derby Accountant, the Trustee under the said deed on or before the 15th day of December 1897 otherwise they will be excluded from the Dividend which is intended to be declared.—Dated this 27th day of November 1897.

W. WOODING NELSON, Alfreton, Trustee's Solicitor.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors, dated the 10th day of February 1897 and executed by John Charles Condliff, Charles Henry Wyatt, and Edwin John Austin Allen of No. 21 Beckenham-road, Penge, in the county of Surrey, Printers, trading as Condliff Wyatt and Allen.

NOTICE is hereby given that a First and Final Dividend is about to be declared in the above matter. Any person or persons having claims against the above-named debtors are required to send particulars thereof in writing to me, the undersigned Trustee, at No. 24 Coleman-street in the city of London on or before the 15th day of December 1897, in default of which the estate will be distributed by me having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have had notice.

W. H. GOODWIN, Trustee.

Deeds of Arrangement Acts.

Re William Smyth, of Bwilland and Bockford, both in Suffolk, Miller, Merchant and Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Trustee of this matter, proposes to declare and pay a First and Final Dividend herein, and all persons not having sent in their claims, are requested to send the same to such Trustee, Mr. Alfred Preston, of Worlingworth, Suffolk, Auctioneer and Valuer, before the 30th instant, or in default they will be excluded from the Dividend proposed to be declared, and the Trustee will not be answerable for the assets so distributed, in respect of any debt or claim of which he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this twelfth day of November, 1897.

W. E. KENSEY 15, Tower-street, Ipswich, Solicitor to the said Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors executed on the 9th day of September 1897 by Thomas Ignatius Wearden (trading as Wearden and Roscoe) of No. 7 Westgate, Bradford, Plumber and Glazier.

THE creditors of the above named Thomas Ignatius Wearden who have not already sent in their claims are required on or before the 7th day of December 1897 to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts to William Martello Gray of District Bank-chambers Bradford 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 19th day of November 1897.

ROBINSON SCOTT and HOLMES Solicitors for the above-named Trustee, 1, Piccadilly, Bradford.

The Bankruptcy Act 1869.

In the County Court of Devonshire holden at Plymouth and East Stonehouse.

A DIVIDEND of 10s. in the pound (making with Dividends previously declared 20s. in the pound) and 4d. in the pound on account of interest has been declared in the matter of John Blight of Her Majesty's ship "Indus" at Devonport, Engineer in the Royal Navy and of 29 Cecil-street Plymouth both in the county of Devon, Draper and Haberdasher, adjudicated bankrupt on the 28th day of June 1872 and will be paid by me at my offices 10 Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth, on and after the 6th day of December 1897.—Dated this 27th day of November 1897.

JOHN GREENWAY 10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth, Official Receiver and Trustee.

In the High Court of Justice, in Bankruptcy.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition filed the 15th day of November 1897.

To Ernest William Cecil Gibbs late of Maisonette Lanercost-road Tulse Hill in the county of London but whose present residence the Petitioning Creditors are unable to ascertain.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Petition has been presented against you to this Court by Waterlow Brothers and Layton Limited of 24 Birchm-lane in the city of London Printers and Publishers 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 Petition upon you; and further take notice that the said Petition will be heard at this Court on the 10th day of December 1897 at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon, on which day you are required to appear, and if you do not appear the Court may make a Receiving Order against you in your absence. The Petition can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated 28th day of November 1897.

HERBERT J. HOPE, Registrar.

In the High Court of Justice, in Bankruptcy.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition filed the 15th day of November 1897.

To Frederick Thomas Meade Gibbs late of 68 Hemstall-road Kilburn in the county of London but whose present residence the Petitioning Creditors are unable to ascertain.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Petition has been presented against you to this Court by Waterlow Brothers and Layton Limited of 24 Birchm-lane in the city of London Printers and Publishers and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette and in the Morning Post newspapers shall be deemed to be service of the Petition upon you; and further take notice that the said Petition will be heard at this Court on the 10th day of December 1897 at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon, on which day you are required to appear, and if you do not appear the Court may make a Receiving Order against you in your absence. The Petition can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated 26th day of November 1897.

HERBERT J. HOPE Registrar.

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.
3760	Atherton, —, and Dolman, John (trading as Atherton and Dolman) ...	Lately carrying on business at 1, Ellerthorpe-street, and at 59, Chrisp-street, Poplar, Middlesex	Builders	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 6, 1897	1355 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897	643	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (H.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3761	Forster, John Clark (trading as Fergusson and Forster)	11 and 12, Great Tower-street, in the city of London, and 6 and 7, Osborn-street, White-chapel, in the county of London, and residing at Wildcroft, Buckland, near Reigate, Surrey	Wholesale Spice Merchant and Liquorice Importer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 26, 1897	1462 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897	644	Debtor's	
3762	Harrison, Alfred H. ...	13, Westminster-chambers, Victoria-street, Westminster, lately residing at 98, Addison-road, London, W.	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Aug. 20, 1897	1639 of 1897	Nov. 5, 1897	602	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3763	James, Thomas (carrying on business as James Brothers and Co.)	Residing and carrying on business at 11, St. Ann's-road, Stamford Hill, and 167, Oxford-street, Stepney, both in Middlesex	Whitesmiths and General Ironmongers	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 27, 1897	1468 of 1897	Nov. 27, 1897	645	Debtor's	
3764	Mole, William Henry ...	40, Linver-road, Parson's Green, in the county of London	Commercial Clerk ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 27, 1897	1470 of 1897	Nov. 27, 1897	646	Debtor's	
3765	Stewart, Charles Nigel ...	Now and lately carrying on business at 39, Victoria-street, Westminster, in the county of London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Aug. 4, 1897	961 of 1897	Nov. 23, 1897	642	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3766	Morris, Daniel ...	23, Davis-street, Aberaman, Aberdare, in the county of Glamorgan	Collier, lately Builder ...	Aberdare ...	Nov. 25, 1897	23 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897	23	Debtor's	
3767	Brookes, William ...	17, Madoc-street, Llandudno, Carnarvonshire	Butcher's Manager ...	Bangor ...	Nov. 24, 1897	36 of 1897	Nov. 24, 1897	36	Debtor's	
3768	Roberts, John ...	Residing and carrying on business at West View, Caroline-street, Llandudno, Carnarvonshire	Contractor ...	Bangor ...	Nov. 26, 1897	37 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897	37	Debtor's	
3769	Driver, James, the younger	Residing and carrying on business at Standerly Farm, Oswaldtwistle, in the county of Lancaster	Farmer	Blackburn —	Nov. 25, 1897	19 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897	17	Debtor's	

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3770	Bartlett, Henry ...	61, Preston-street and 29, Castle-street, both in Brighton, Sussex	Builder	Brighton ...	Nov. 25, 1897	72 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897	33	Debtor's	
3771	Jones, Alfred ...	Lyminster, near Littlehampton, late of Selsey, both in Sussex	Of no occupation, late Builder	Brighton ...	Nov. 26, 1897	73 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897	34	Debtor's	
3772	Dobbs, James Nicholas ...	High-street, Rhymney, in the county of Monmouth, lately residing at 12, Partridge-road, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, and previously residing and carrying on business at the Clifton Hotel, Clifton-street, Cardiff	Late Innkeeper, now out of business	Cardiff ...	Nov. 25 1897	90 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897	37	Debtor's	
3773	Scutt, Thomas Jones ...	Fordington, Dorchester, in the county of Dorset	Agricultural Implement Maker's Traveller	Dorchester ...	Nov. 27, 1897	20 of 1897	Nov. 27, 1897	18	Debtor's	
3774	Taine, Joshua Aldridge...	Bannatyne, Grand-parade, Eastbourne, in the county of Sussex	Boarding-house Keeper...	Eastbourne and Lewes	Nov. 27, 1897	13 of 1897	Nov. 27, 1897	6	Debtor's	
3775	Dassett, William George	13, Hurstborne-road, Forest Hill, Kent ...	Shipping Clerk	Greenwich ...	Nov. 26, 1897	29 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897	24	Debtor's	
3776	Shelley, Charles ...	Roebeck Inn, Hope-street, Hanley, Staffordshire	Licensed Victualler ...	Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall	Nov. 13, 1897	30 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897	24	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (D.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3777	Barker, Anne ...	Lately residing and carrying on business at 22, Applegate-street, Leicester	Milliner, Spinster ...	Leicester ...	Sept. 20, 1897	58 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897	78	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (D.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3778	Urwick, William Edward	2, Friars-terrace, Old-street, Ludlow ...	Auctioneer	Leominster ...	Nov. 25, 1897	13 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897	12	Debtor's	
3779	Bradshaw, Watson Per-rin William	64, Boxley-road, Maidstone, Kent ...	Accountant	Maidstone ...	Nov. 26, 1897	11 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897	10	Debtor's	
3780	Reynolds, William ...	22A, Hanging-ditch, in the city of Manchester, and residing at Brookdale-villas, Alderley Edge, in the county of Chester	Cheese Factor	Manchester ...	Nov. 25, 1897	93 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897	78	Debtor's	
3781	Laming, Charles William	55, West-street, Ryde, Isle of Wight...	Saddler	Newport and Ryde	Nov. 26, 1897	27 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897	22	Debtor's	
3782	Scholes, Herbert...	2, Claremont, Ripon, Yorkshire ...	Gentleman	Northallerton ...	Nov. 25, 1897	9 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897	8	Debtor's	

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3783	Roe, Frank ...	Northcote-road, in the county of the city of Norwich, carrying on business at Elm Hill, in the city of Norwich, and also at Belfort-place, St. Nicholas-road, Great Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk	Cabinet Maker and Upholsterer	Norwich ...	Nov. 27, 1897	37 of 1897	Nov. 27, 1897	33	Debtor's	
3784	Henderson, Joseph ...	Residing and trading at Exchange House, 53 and 54, Stodman-street, Newark, Nottinghamshire	Outfitter ...	Nottingham ...	Nov. 27, 1897	78 of 1897	Nov. 27, 1897	70	Debtor's	
3785	Ashley, Robert George ...	61, Jessie-road and 110, Fawcett-road, Southsea, in the county of Hants	Carpenter, Joiner, and Ironmonger	Portsmouth ...	Nov. 25, 1897	39 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897	37	Debtor's	
3786	Cross, James Albert ...	1, Great Southsea-street, Southsea, county of Hants	Butcher ...	Portsmouth ...	Nov. 24, 1897	38 of 1897	Nov. 24, 1897	36	Debtor's	
3787	Brown, George William (trading as the Public Benefit Boot Company)	136, Yorkshire - street, Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster	Boot Dealer ...	Rochdale ...	Nov. 10, 1897	11 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897	11	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (H.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3788	Butt, George ...	4, Sutton-road, Watford, in the county of Hertford, formerly of 30, Rochester-row, Westminster, in the county of London	Gasfitter, formerly Coffee-house Keeper	St. Albans ...	Nov. 24, 1897	11 of 1897	Nov. 24, 1897	10	Debtor's	
3789	Stafford, Annie (carrying on business under the name of Annetta Stafford)	7, Hamilton-street, Higher Broughton, Salford, late 301, Lower Broughton-road, Salford, Lancashire	Teacher of Calisthenics and Dancing, Spinster	Salford ...	Nov. 25, 1897	34 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897	31	Debtor's	
3790	Edwards, James...	Laburnum Villa, Bayston Hill, near Shrewsbury, lately residing at Whiston Villa, Ford, in the county of Salop	Labourer ...	Shrewsbury ...	Nov. 25, 1897	14 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897	14	Debtor's	
3791	Fleetham, Anthony ...	30, Zetland-street, Darlington, in the county of Durham	Boilersmith ...	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	Nov. 24, 1897	57 of 1897	Nov. 24, 1897	53	Debtor's	
3792	Troughton, Walter ...	48, Troughton-terrace, Ulverston ...	Builder and Contractor...	Ulverston and Barrow - in - Furness	Nov. 26, 1897	4U of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897	4U	Debtor's	

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3793	Fallas, George William...	Northfield-terrace, Benton Hill, Horbury, Yorkshire, carrying on business at 13, Barstow-square, in the city of Wakefield, and at 22, Stamp Office-place, Wakefield ...	Accountant ... Athletic Goods Merchant	Wakefield	Nov. 26, 1897	37 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897	35	Debtor's	
3794	Late, Thomas ...	Bondgate, Pontefract; late of Spring Gardens, Elland, both in Yorkshire	Market Gardener and Farmer	Wakefield	Nov. 25, 1897	36 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897	34	Debtor's	
3795	Roberts, William ...	76, Brace-street, carrying on business at the London and North Western Railway Wharf, and lately residing at 81, Hatherton-street, all in Walsall, Staffordshire	Wholesale Potato Merchant, Fruit Salesman, and Commission Agent	Walsall	Nov. 25, 1897	40 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897	38	Debtor's	

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Atherton, Stanley and Dolman, John (described in the Receiving Order as Atherton and John Dolman, and trading as Atherton and Dolman)	Lately carrying on business at 1, Ellerthorpe-street and 59, Chrisp-street, Poplar, Middlesex	Builders ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1355 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 12, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Chapman, Herbert ...	Effingham House, Arundel-street, Strand, in the county of London.	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1249 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 12, 1898	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Forster, John Clark (trading as Ferguson and Forster)	11 and 12, Great Tower-street, in the city of London, and 6 and 7, Osborn-street, White-chapel, in the county of London, and residing at Wildcroft, Buckland, near Reigate, in the county of Surrey	Wholesale Spice Merchant and Liquorice Importer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1462 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 13, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Harrison, Alfred H. ...	13, Westminster-chambers, Victoria - street, Westminster, lately residing at 98, Addison-road, London, W.	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1039 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 13, 1898	12.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
James, Thomas (carrying on business as James Brothers and Co.)	Residing and carrying on business at 11, St. Ann's-road, Stamford Hill, and 167, Oxford-street, Stepney, Middlesex	Whitesmith and General Iron-monger	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1468 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 13, 1898	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Laurie, Thomas Percy (trading as J. Hummerston and Co.)	Residing and carrying on business at 20, Chapel-street, Somers Town, London, N.W.	Potato Salesman and Contractor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1282 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 14, 1898	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	

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Moore, William ...	74, Oxford-street, Mountain Ash, in the county of Glamorgan, and carrying on business at 78, Oxford-street, Mountain Ash aforesaid	Fruiterer ...	Aberdare ...	22 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	12 noon	65, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil	Dec. 13, 1897	10.30 A.M.	Temperance Hall, Aberdare	Nov. 26, 1897
Temlins, James ...	Minafon, Aberdovey, Merionethshire, lately carrying on business at the Cambrian Mills, Aberdovey	Late Miller and Flour Dealer	Aberystwith ...	9 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	12.45 P.M.	Townhall, Aberystwith	Dec. 7, 1897	12.15 P.M.	Townhall, Aberystwith	Nov. 25, 1897
Faherty, Frederick Thomas	83, Alston-street, Ladywood, Birmingham, Warwickshire	Builder ...	Birmingham ...	93 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	11 A.M.	23, Colmore-row, Birmingham	Dec. 20, 1897	2 P.M.	County Court, Birmingham	Nov. 11, 1897
Hartwell, William John	Formerly the Monumental Works, Bourton-on-the-Water, Gloucestershire, now residing at 10, Clifton-terrace, South-road, Erdington, Warwickshire	Formerly Plumber and Decorator, now House Painter	Birmingham ...	92 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897	11 A.M.	23, Colmore-row, Birmingham	Dec. 17, 1897	2 P.M.	County Court, Birmingham	Nov. 11, 1897
Lance, Arthur John...	Charlecote, the Avenue, Castle Hill, Ealing, in the county of Middlesex, lately residing at Charlecote, Battledown, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, and afterwards residing at 83, Regent's-park, in the county of London	Draper, but at the present time of no occupation	Brentford ...	21 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 95, Temple-chambers, Temple-avenue, E.C.	Dec. 7, 1897	2.15 P.M.	Townhall, Brentford	
Bartlett, Henry ...	61, Preston-street, Brighton, and carrying on business at 29, Castle-street, Brighton, Sussex	Builder ...	Brighton ...	72 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	12 noon	Official Receiver's Office, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton	Dec. 16, 1897	11 A.M.	Court-house, Church-street, Brighton	Nov. 27, 1897
Chambers, Robert Henry Thomas	Residing and carrying on business at 15, Bright-street, Russell Town, in the city and county of Bristol	Baker and Corn Dealer	Bristol ...	73 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	11.45 A.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol	Dec. 3, 1897	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	Nov. 24, 1897

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Roberts, Walter Henry	Hanham, in the county of Gloucester	Boot Manufacturer	Bristol ...	76 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	12 noon	Offices of Official Receiver Baldwin-street, Bristol	Dec. 17, 1897	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	Nov. 25, 1897
Haworth, William ...	1, Pomfret-street, Burnley, Lancashire	Journeyman Platelayer	Burnley...	24 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	2.45 P.M.	Exchange Hotel, Nicholas - street, Burnley	Dec. 31, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, Burnley	Nov. 25, 1897
Wadsworth, Abraham	Residing at 28, Balmoral-terrace, and carrying on business at the Commercial Inn stables, both in Colne, Lancashire	Cab Proprietor ...	Burnley...	25 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	2.15 P.M.	Exchange Hotel, Nicholas - street, Burnley	Dec. 31, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, Burnley	Nov. 24, 1897
Thomas, Thomas Roach	Residing and carrying on business at Olive-buildings, Olive-street, Grange-town, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan	Grocer ...	Cardiff ...	89 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	10 A.M.	29, Queen - street, Cardiff	Dec. 7, 1897	10.30 A.M.	Townhall, Cardiff	Nov. 23, 1897
Gould, Annie Elizabeth (lately trading as the Dorset Dairy Company)	The Buckinghamshire Dairy Company Limited, 17, Oxford-street, London, lately trading at 78 High-street, Cheltenham, Gloucestershire	Formerly Grocer and Provision Dealer, Wife of Henry Gould	Cheltenham ...	12 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	11.30 A.M.	County Court-buildings, Cheltenham	Dec. 9, 1897	12 noon	County Court, Cheltenham	Nov. 24, 1897
Taylor, David (trading as Taylor and Elam)	Lately residing at 4, Henry-street, Batley Carr, Batley, in the county of York, and lately trading at Town-street, Batley Carr, Batley aforesaid	Machine Agent and Repairer	Dewsbury ...	26 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	10.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Batley	Dec. 7, 1897	2 P.M.	County Court-house, Dewsbury	Nov. 24, 1897
Bradley, Henry Lewis	Residing at 143, Duncombe-street, Great Grimsby, and carrying on business at back of 94, Garibaldi-street, Great Grimsby aforesaid	Flour and Corn Factor	Great Grimsby	39 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	11 A.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 15, Osborne-street, Great Grimsby	Jan. 6, 1898	11 A.M.	Townhall, Great Grimsby	Nov. 24, 1897
Ingram, J. ...	36A, Woolwich Common-road, in the county of Kent	Lieutenant ...	Greenwich ...	27 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	11.30 A.M.	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Dec. 14, 1897	1 P.M.	Court - house, Greenwich	Nov. 26, 1897

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Wescott, C. B. ...	104, Malpas-road, Brookley, in the county of Kent	Builder ...	Greenwich ...	26 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	12 noon	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Dec. 14, 1897	1 P.M.	Court - house, Greenwich	
Carr, Henry Towers ... and Oarr, Allan ...	34, Harley-street, in the city and county of Kingston-upon-Hull Formerly residing at Ulceby, in the county of Lincoln, now of 37, Newland-avenue, in the city of Kingston-upon-Hull										
(trading together in copartnership as H. Towers Carr and Co.)	At 15, Posterngate, in the city of Kingston-upon-Hull	Butter and Margarine Importers	Kingston-upon-Hull	51 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	11 A.M.	Office of Official Receiver, Trinity House-lane, Hull	Dec. 13, 1897	2 P.M.	Court - house, Townhall, Hull	Nov. 26, 1897
Stammers, George ...	Lately residing and carrying on business at 18, Alexander-road, and also lately carrying on business at 11A, Kendal-lane, and 5A, Edwin-road, now of 3, William-street, all in the city of Leeds	Boot and Shoe Maker	Leeds ...	80 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park-row, Leeds	Dec. 21, 1897	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Albion-place, Leeds	Nov. 26, 1897
Yules, Isaac ...	Residing at 6, Elmwood-street, and carrying on business at Bedford-buildings, Bedford-street, both in the city of Leeds	Wholesale Clothier	Leeds ...	75 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park-row, Leeds	Dec. 14, 1897	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Albion-place, Leeds	Nov. 17, 1897
Clarke, Frederick ...	Barrow-upon-Sear, in the county of Leicester	Coal Merchant ...	Leicester ...	82 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	12 noon	Office of Official Receiver, 1, Berridge-street, Leicester	Dec. 16, 1897	10 A.M.	The Castle, Leicester	
Ellis, Charles ...	6, George-street, Belgrave Gate, in the county borough of Leicester	Boot and Shoe Manufacturer	Leicester ...	83 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 1, Berridge-street, Leicester	Dec. 16, 1897	10 A.M.	The Castle, Leicester	
Spencer, Walter ...	Market-place, Hinckley, in the county of Leicester	Tailor and Out-fitter	Leicester ...	72 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	3 P.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 1, Berridge-street, Leicester	Dec. 16, 1897	10 A.M.	The Castle, Leicester	

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Danger, William Landale (lately carrying on business alone under the style or firm of Danger and Son)	Lately residing at Mornington, Penkett-road, Liscard, in the county of Chester, and lately carrying on business at Central-buildings, 41, North John-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, but whose present address is unknown	Solicitor	Liverpool ...	72 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	1 P.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, 35, Victoria-street, Liverpool	Dec. 9, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house; Government - buildings, Victoria - street, Liverpool	Nov. 25, 1897
Cottrell, Jonathan ...	John - street, Bradley Green, in the county of Stafford	Grocer and Baker	Macclesfield ...	5 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 23, King Edward - street, Macclesfield	Dec. 16, 1897	10.30 A.M.	Townhall, Macclesfield	Nov. 22, 1897
K 2 Foxall, George ...	Cranmere Cottage, Stableford, near Bridgnorth, in the county of Salop	Carpenter --and Joiner	Madeley ...	9 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	12 noon	County Court Office, Madeley	Dec. 8, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Court - house, Madeley	Nov. 24, 1897
Henry, Alfred, and Gabbott, Albert Edward (carrying on business in copartnership under the style or firm of A. Henry and Gabbott)	Residing at 101, Heaton Moor-road, Heaton Chapel, in the county of Lancaster, residing at 207, Ashton New-road, in the city of Manchester, at York Mills, Mill-street, Ancoats, in the city of Manchester	Rag and Paper Merchants	Manchester ...	90 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Byrom-street, Manchester	Dec. 13, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, Quay - street, Manchester	Nov. 26, 1897
Hage, Joseph ...	83, Sherwood-street, and trading at 33, Goldsmith-street, both in Nottingham	Fish and Game Salesman	Nottingham ...	75 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 4, Castle-place, Park-street, Nottingham	Jan. 7, 1898	10 A.M.	County Court-house, St. Peter's - gate, Nottingham	Nov. 27, 1897
Leiberman, Morris Harris	237, Arkwright-street, Nottingham, lately residing in lodgings at the Great Northern Hotel, Station-street, and trading at 4A, Emery-lane, both in Boston, Lincolnshire, formerly residing in lodgings at and trading from 7, Melbourne-street, Nottingham	Travelling General and Fancy Draper	Nottingham ...	76 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, 4, Castle-place, Park-street, Nottingham	Jan. 7, 1898	10 A.M.	County Court-house, St. Peter's - gate, Nottingham	Nov. 27, 1897

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Duckworth, William Henry	Residing at 19, Oak-street, Shaw, Lancashire, carrying on business at the Railway Station-yard and at Mosshey, both in Shaw aforesaid	Coal Merchant and Fire Chip Manufacturer	Oldham...	19 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Queen-street, Oldham	Dec. 17, 1897	1.30 P.M.	Court - house, Church - lane, Oldham	
Partington, Thomas ..	23, Wallshaw-street, Oldham, Lancashire	Bobbin and Skewer Manufacturer	Oldham...	16 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Queen-street, Oldham	Dec. 17, 1897	1.30 P.M.	Court - house, Church - lane, Oldham	Nov. 26, 1897
Gosse, William ...	101, London-road and the Victoria Nursery, London-road, North End, Portsmouth, in the county of Hants	Nurseryman ...	Portsmouth ...	37 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Cambridge Junction, High-street, Portsmouth	Dec. 30, 1897	12 noon	Court-house, St. Thomas-street, Portsmouth	Nov. 27, 1897
Butt, George ...	4, Sutton-road, Watford, in the county of Hertford, formerly of 30, Rochester-row, Westminster, in the county of London	Gas Fitter, formerly Coffee-house Keeper	St. Albans ...	11 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 95, Temple-chambers, Temple-avenue, E.C.	Dec. 17, 1897	12 noon	Court-house, St. Albans	
Marsden, Midgley ...	Residing at 15, Weaste-road, Weaste, Salford, Lancashire, formerly of the Cheshire Cheese Hotel, 64A, Bridge-street, Manchester, Lancashire	Formerly Publican, now out of business	Salford ...	29 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Byrom-street, Manchester	Dec. 7, 1897	2 P.M.	Court - house, Encombe-place, Salford	
Stafford, Annie (carrying on business under the name of Annetta Stafford)	7, Hamilton-street, Higher Broughton, Salford, Lancashire, late 301, Lower Broughton-road, Salford, Lancashire	Teacher of Calisthenics and Dancing, Spinster	Salford ...	34 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Byrom-street, Manchester	Dec. 7, 1897	2 P.M.	Court - house, Encombe-place, Salford	Nov. 26, 1897
Edwards, James ...	Laburnum Villa, Bayston Hill, near Shrewsbury, lately residing at Whiston Villa, Ford, in the county of Salop	Labourer ...	Shrewsbury ...	14 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 42, 'St. John's-hill, Shrewsbury	Dec. 7, 1897	10.30 A.M.	Shirehall, Shrewsbury	Nov. 26, 1897
Felton, Charles ...	Tittensor, in the county of Stafford	Blacksmith and Wheelwright	Stafford ...	7 of 1897	Dec. 7, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Newcastle-under-Lyme	Dec. 14, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Magistrates' - room, Shirehall, Stafford	Nov. 25, 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.
Forster, George ...	Residing at 4, Esplanade, Redcar, and carrying on business at 49, Corporation-road, Middlesborough, both in the county of York	Saddler	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	54 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 8, Albert-road, Middlesborough	Dec. 8, 1897	10.30 A.M.	Court - house, Bridge - road, Stockton - on - Tees	Nov. 22, 1897
Sowerby, Thomas ...	35, Milton-street, Saltburn-by-the-Sea, in the county of York	Baker and Confectioner	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	55 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 8, Albert-road, Middlesborough	Dec. 8, 1897	10.30 A.M.	Court - house, Bridge - road, Stockton - on - Tees	
Sambleson, Ernest Edwin Horace	Fairford, Gloucestershire ...	Tailor	Swinden ...	21 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 46, Crick-lade-street, Swinden	Dec. 8, 1897	12 noon	County Court, Public Offices, Regent-circus, Swinden	Nov. 27, 1897
Hayward, George ...	24, Cambridge-street, Tunbridge Wells, in the county of Kent, lately residing and carrying on business at 193, London-road, East Grinstead, in the county of Sussex	Butcher	Tunbridge Wells	20 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Office of C. J. Parris, 65, High-street, Tunbridge Wells	Dec. 8, 1897	2.30 P.M.	Townhall, Tunbridge Wells	Nov. 26, 1897
Brooks, William Isaac (trading as Isaac Haughton)	Bridge-street, Walsall, Staffordshire	Paperhanger ...	Walsall ...	35 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Walsall	Dec. 9, 1897	12 noon	Court - house, Walsall	Nov. 4, 1897
Haddon, Francis William Goodman	18, Birmingham - street, lately residing at Bernard-street, formerly at North-street, Ryecroft, and lately carrying on business at 62, Selborne-street, all in Walsall, Staffordshire	Saddle and Harness Manufacturer	Walsall ...	38 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	10.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Walsall	Dec. 9, 1897	12 noon	Court - house, Walsall	Nov. 24, 1897
Kent, John	57, Union-street, Wednesbury, Staffordshire, and carrying on business there and at Upper High-street, Wednesbury aforesaid	Butcher	Walsall ...	37 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	11.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Walsall	Dec. 9, 1897	12 noon	Court - house, Walsall	Nov. 4, 1897
Owen, Benjamin ...	Penybryn and Bersham-road, Wrexham, Denbighshire	Builder and Contractor	Wrexham ...	20 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	12 noon	The Priory, Wrexham	Dec. 14, 1897	12 noon	County Hall, Wrexham	

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Atherton, Stanley, and Dolman, John (described in Receiving Order as Atherton and John Dolman) ... (and trading as Atherton and Dolman)	Lately carrying on business at 1, Ellerthorpe-street and 59, Chrisp-street, Poplar, Middlesex	Builders	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1355 of 1897	Nov. 27, 1897	Nov. 6, 1897
Bennett, Berkeley Bernard (described in Receiving Order as Berkeley B. Bennett)	Whose present residence the Petitioning Creditor is unable to ascertain	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	648 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897	May 22, 1897
Doddsworth, George Percival ...	Lately residing at 18, Albemarle-street, 56, St. James's-street, and 14, Cork-street, all in Piccadilly, in the county of London, but whose present residence the Petitioning Creditors are unable to ascertain	War Correspondent ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	811 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897	June 29, 1897
Gower, Thomas Price ...	Broad-street House, New Broad-street, in the city of London, lately residing at 48, High-street, Clapham, Surrey	Accountant ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	505 of 1897	Nov. 23, 1897	April 26, 1897
Hawkins, Charles Frederick Bonney ...	A Member of the Grosvenor Club, Bond-street, in the county of London, whose present residence the Petitioning Creditor is unable to ascertain	Clerk in Holy Orders...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1241 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897	Oct. 12, 1897
James, Thomas (carrying on business as James Brothers and Co.)	Residing and carrying on business at 11, St. Ann's-road, Stamford Hill, and 167, Oxford-street, Stepney, both in Middlesex	Whitesmith and General Iron-monger	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1468 of 1897	Nov. 27, 1897	Nov. 27, 1897
Mole, William Henry ...	40, Linver-road, Parson's Green, in the county of London ...	Commercial Clerk ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1470 of 1897	Nov. 27, 1897	Nov. 27, 1897
Rogers, Augustus Onslow (described in Receiving Order and trading as Rogers, Collins, and Co.)	3, Crooked-lane, in the city of London...	Tea and Coffee Dealer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1134 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897	Sept. 15, 1897
Morris, Daniel ...	23, Davis-street, Aberaman, Aberdare, in the county of Glamorgan	Collier, lately Builder ...	Aberdare ...	23 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897	Nov. 25, 1897
Tomlins, James ...	Minafon, Aberdovey, Merionethshire, lately carrying on business at the Cambrian Mills, Aberdovey	Late Miller and Flour Dealer ...	Aberystwith...	9 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897	Nov. 13, 1897

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Brookes, William	17, Madoc-street, Llandudno, Carnarvonshire... ..	Butcher's Manager	Bangor	36 of 1897	Nov. 24, 1897 ...	Nov. 24, 1897
Roberts, John	Residing and carrying on business at West View, Caroline-street, Llandudno, Carnarvonshire	Contractor	Bangor	37 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897 ...	Nov. 26, 1897
Smith, Edward Sharples	New Inn, Rhuddlan, in the county of Flint	Innkeeper	Bangor	34 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897 ...	Oct. 18, 1897
Hartwell, William John	Formerly the Monumental Works, Bourton-on-the-Water, Gloucestershire, now residing at 10, Clifton-terrace, South-road, Erdington, Warwickshire	Formerly Plumber and Decorator, now House Painter	Birmingham	92 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897 ...	Nov. 10, 1897
Jaehnichen, Max (trading as M. Jaehnichen and Co.)	Residing at the Cobden Hotel, Corporation-street, and lately trading at 174, Corporation-street, both in the city of Birmingham, and also at Aldridge-road, Perry Barr, Staffordshire	Merchant and Manufacturer	Birmingham	79 of 1897	Nov. 22, 1897 ...	Oct. 6, 1897
Mason, Joseph	19, Victoria-road, Aston, Warwickshire... ..	Pearl Button Manufacturer	Birmingham	91 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897 ...	Nov. 8, 1897
Driver, James, the younger	Residing and carrying on business at Standerly Farm, Oswaldtwistle, in the county of Lancaster	Farmer... ..	Blackburn	19 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897 ...	Nov. 24, 1897
Bartlett, Henry	61, Preston-street, and 29, Castle-street, both in Brighton, Sussex	Builder... ..	Brighton	72 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897 ...	Nov. 25, 1897
Roberts, Walter Henry	Hanham, in the county of Gloucester	Boot Manufacturer	Bristol	76 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897 ...	Nov. 23, 1897
Widgery, William	49, City-road, in the city of Bristol, and formerly of 110, Egerton-road, Bishopston, Bristol	Lodging-house Keeper, formerly Boot and Shoe Maker	Bristol	72 of 1897	Nov. 27, 1897 ...	Nov. 20, 1897
Dobbs, James Nicholas	High-street, Rhymney, in the county of Monmouth, lately residing at 12, Partridge-road, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, and previously residing and carrying on business at the Clifton Hotel, Clifton-street, Cardiff	Late Innkeeper, now out of business	Cardiff	90 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897 ...	Nov. 25, 1897
Spivack, Tobias (lately carrying on business under the style or firm of T. Spivack and Company)	Residing at 10, Llanbleddian-gardens, Cardiff, lately residing and carrying on business at 92, Castle-road, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan	Wholesale Warehouseman	Cardiff	88 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897 ...	Nov. 16, 1897
Scutt, Thomas Jones	Fordington, Dorchester, in the county of Dorset	Agricultural Implement Maker's Traveller	Dorchester	20 of 1897	Nov. 27, 1897 ...	Nov. 27, 1897

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Taine, Joshua Aldridge	Bannatyne, Grand Parade, Eastbourne, in the county of Sussex	Boarding-house Keeper	Eastbourne and Lewes	13 of 1897	Nov. 27, 1897 ...	Nov. 27, 1897
Dassett, William George	13, Hurstborne-road, Forest Hill, Kent... ..	Shipping Clerk	Greenwich	29 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897 ...	Nov. 26, 1897
Wescott, C. B.	104, Malpas-road, Brockley, Kent	Builder	Greenwich	26 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897 ...	Oct. 12, 1897
Cort, Charles Ernest	46, Station-road, Market Harborough, in the county of Leicester	Baker, Pastrycook, and Confectioner	Leicester	71 of 1897	Nov. 23, 1897 ...	Oct. 29, 1897
Urwick, William Edward	2, Friar's-terrace, Old-street, Ludlow	Auctioneer	Leominster	13 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897 ...	Nov. 25, 1897
Rodwell, William	The Manor Farm, Billington, in the county of Bedford	Farmer and Cattle Dealer	Luton	21 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897 ...	Nov. 18, 1897
Bradshaw, Watson Perrin William	64, Boxley-road, Maidstone, Kent	Accountant	Maidstone	11 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897 ...	Nov. 26, 1897
Reynolds, William	22A, Hanging Ditch, in the city of Manchester, and residing at Brookdale-villas, Alderley Edge, in the county of Chester	Cheese Factor	Manchester	93 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897 ...	Nov. 25, 1897
Taylor, Henry George and Glass, John (lately carrying on business under the style of Taylor, Glass, and Co.)	Formerly residing in lodgings at 6, Lord-street, Lower Broughton, near Manchester Both now residing in lodgings at 214, Pownall-green, Bramhall, Cheshire, and lately carrying on business at Lancaster-avenue, Fennel-street, and at 41, Dale-street, both in Manchester	Commission Agents	Manchester	86 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897 ...	Nov. 4, 1897
Laming, Charles William	55, West-street, Ryde, Isle of Wight	Saddler	Newport and Ryde...	27 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897 ...	Nov. 26, 1897
Scholes, Herbert	2, Claremont, Ripon, Yorkshire	Gentleman	Northallerton	9 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897 ...	Nov. 25, 1897
Roe, Frank	Northcote-road, in the county of the city of Norwich, carrying on business at Elm-hill, in the city of Norwich, and also at Belfort-place, St. Nicholas-road, Great Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk	Cabinet Maker and Upholsterer	Norwich	37 of 1897	Nov. 27, 1897 ...	Nov. 26, 1897

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Henderson, Joseph	Residing and trading at Exchange House, 53 and 54, Stodman-street, Newark, Nottinghamshire	Outfitter	Nottingham	78 of 1897	Nov. 27, 1897 ...	Nov. 27, 1897
Ashley, Robert George	61, Jessie-road and 110, Fawcett-road, Southsea, in the county of Hants	Carpenter, Joiner, and Ironmonger...	Portsmouth	39 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897 ...	Nov. 25, 1897
Cross, James Albert... ..	1, Great Southsea-street, Southsea, county of Hants...	Butcher	Portsmouth	38 of 1897	Nov. 24, 1897 ...	Nov. 23, 1897
Brown, George William (trading as the Public Benefit Boot Company)	136, Yorkshire-street, Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster	Boot Dealer	Rochdale	11 of 1897	Nov. 26, 1897 ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Butt, George	4, Sutton-road, Watford, in the county of Hertford, formerly of 30, Rochester-row, Westminster, in the county of London	Gasfitter, formerly Coffee-house Keeper	St. Albans	11 of 1897	Nov. 24, 1897 ...	Nov. 23, 1897
Stafford, Annie (carrying on business under the name of Annetta Stafford)	7, Hamilton-street, Higher Broughton, Salford, late 301, Lower Broughton-road, Salford, Lancashire	Teacher of Calisthenics and Dancing, Spinster	Salford	34 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897 ...	Nov. 25, 1897
Edwards, James	Laburnum Villa, Bayston Hill, near Shrewsbury, lately residing at Whiston Villa, Ford, in the county of Salop	Labourer	Shrewsbury	14 of 1897	Nov. 25, 1897 ...	Nov. 25, 1897
Fleetham, Anthony	30, Zetland-street, Darlington, in the county of Durham ...	Boilersmith	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	57 of 1897	Nov. 24, 1897 ...	Nov. 24, 1897

ORDER ON APPLICATION TO APPROVE COMPOSITION OR SCHEME.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Order.	Nature of Scheme or Composition sanctioned or Order made.
Ingram, Frederick William	Castle-street and 60, General Gordon - terrace, both in Sunderland, in the county of Durham	Engineer, Iron, Steel, and Machinery Broker	Sunderland ...	19 of 1897	Nov. 18, 1897	That the whole of the debtor's real and personal estate be transferred to Mr. James Storey, of Sunderland, Solicitor, as Trustee, until the unsecured creditors are paid 8s. 6d. in the pound on their provable debts. That the said Composition of 8s. 6d. in the pound be paid within one month of this Scheme being approved by the Court, the payment thereof being secured by the guarantee of Mr. Henry Clasper, of Hedworth-terrace, Sunderland, Metal Broker. Payment in priority of all debts directed to be so paid in the distribution of the property of a bankrupt to be made of moneys now in the Official Receiver's possession or control, or to be paid to him by the debtor before the application to the Court. Provision for the payment of all the proper costs, charges, and expenses of and incidental to the proceedings, and all fees and percentages payable to the Official Receiver and the Board of Trade is provided for out of the afore-said moneys. And that the Receiving Order be discharged

NOTICES OF INTENDED DIVIDENDS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Baker, Charles Walter (described in Receiving Order as Charles Baker, otherwise C. W. Baker Farquharson)	Her Majesty's Prison, Holloway, in the county of Middlesex, and before that residing at Hotels in London, and also formerly residing at Bailey's Hotel, South Kensington, in the county of London	Of no occupation ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	614 of 1896	Dec. 15, 1897 ...	Walter Freire Marreco	1, Clement's-inn, London, W.C.
Lovelace, William Edward	21 and 51, Strutton-ground, Westminster, in the county of London	Boot and Shoe Dealer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	249 of 1897	Dec. 14, 1897 ...	Augustus Cufande Palmer	7 and 8, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.
Preedy, John Knowlton ...	12A, Regent-street, in the county of London, residing at 19, Acacia-grove, West Dulwich, Surrey	Hatter... ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	997 of 1897	Dec. 15, 1897 ...	Thomas Edward Goodyear	99, Cheapside, London, E.C.
Thornton, Charles Dry ...	47, Vanstone-place, Walham Green, and residing at 12, Rylston-road, Fulham, both in Middlesex	Auctioneer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	247 of 1885	Dec. 15, 1897 ...	A. H. Wildy, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Brown, Henry ...	215, Heneage-street, Birmingham, Warwickshire, late 123, Sherlock-street, Birmingham	Baker and Confectioner ...	Birmingham	85 of 1891	Dec. 16, 1897 ...	Luke Jasson Sharp, Official Receiver	Whitehall-chambers, 23, Colmore-row, Birmingham
Cariss, Walter Henry ...	44, Farm-road, Sparkbrook, Birmingham, Warwickshire	Clerk in Holy Orders ...	Birmingham	124 of 1891	Dec. 16, 1897 ...	Luke Jasson Sharp, Official Receiver	Whitehall-chambers, 23, Colmore-row, Birmingham
Saunders, Archimedes ...	131, Grosvenor-street West, in the city of Birmingham	Provision Dealer ...	Birmingham	73 of 1896	Dec. 16, 1897 ...	Luke Jasson Sharp, Official Receiver	Whitehall-chambers, 23, Colmore-row, Birmingham
Bennett, George ...	204, Hotwell-road, Bristol, and 91, High-street, Barry, and having also a residence at 3, Old-field-place, Hotwells, Bristol	General Draper ...	Bristol	40 of 1897	Dec. 15, 1897 ...	Thomas Edward Goodyear	99, Cheapside, London, E.C.
Trye, Reginald Edward ...	Leckhampton Rectory, Leckhampton, Gloucestershire	Clerk in Holy Orders ...	Cheltenham...	27 of 1885	Dec. 15, 1897 ...	John Bull	c/o Whitcombe and Haines, College Green, Gloucester, Solicitors
Boden, Frank ...	28, Bold-lane, in the county borough of Derby	Boot and Clog Manufacturer	Derby	18 of 1897	Dec. 14, 1897 ...	John Smith, Official Receiver	40, St. Mary's-gate, Derby
Fletcher, William...	3, Wood-street and Nottingham-road, and 20, St. Alkmund's-churchyard, all in Derby, Derbyshire	Builder ...	Derby	22 of 1889	Dec. 14, 1897 ...	John Smith, Official Receiver	40, St. Mary's-gate, Derby
Holmes, William ...	Derwent, Upper Walnut-road, Cockington, and trading at Dorset House, Lower Walnut-road, Cockington, Torquay, in the county of Devon	Auctioneer, House Agent, and Furniture Dealer	Exeter	35 of 1896	Dec. 14, 1897 ...	George Graham Poppleton, Chartered Accountant and Albert Joseph Davey, Auctioneer	164, Aldersgate-street, London, E.C. 4, and 23, Fleet-street, Torquay

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Youngs, Francis ...	Residing at 7, Stanley-street, King's Lynn, and carrying on business at Norfolk-street, King's Lynn, Norfolk	Coal and Wood Dealer ...	King's Lynn...	12 of 1897	Dec. 15, 1897 ...	H. P. Gould, Official Receiver	8, King-street, Norwich
Matthews, Benjamin Beckett	5, Bridge-road, Gainsborough, Lincolnshire ...	Grocer and Foreman Painter	Lincoln ...	20 of 1897	Dec. 14, 1897 ...	R. J. Ward, Official Receiver	31, Silver-street, Lincoln
Weston, Thomas ...	43, Stockwell-street, Leek, Staffordshire ...	Tailor ...	Macclesfield...	6 of 1886	Dec. 15, 1897 ...	Arthur C. Procter, Official Receiver	23, King Edward - street, Macclesfield
Dainty, Oliver ...	Stratford-place, St. George's, near Wellington, Salop	General Dealer ...	Madeley ...	7 of 1896	Dec. 14, 1897 ...	T. Bullock, Official Receiver	Shrewsbury
Kahler, Henry William ...	Formerly of Holt, in the county of Norfolk, now residing at 26, Caister-road, Great Yarmouth, in the said county, and lately carrying on business at Holt aforesaid	Baker and Confectioner ...	Norwich ...	27 of 1897	Dec. 15, 1897 ...	H. P. Gould, Official Receiver	8, King-street, Norwich
Roberts, David ...	21 and 24, St. Helens-road, Swansea, Glamorganshire	Draper ...	Swansea ...	17 of 1897	Dec. 13, 1897 ...	George Graham Poppleton, Chartered Accountant	164, Aldersgate - street, London, E.C.
Noakes, Arthur ...	Button's Farm, Wadhurst, Sussex ...	Farmer ...	Tunbridge Wells ...	8 of 1897	Dec. 15, 1897 ...	A. Mackintosh, Official Receiver	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.
Lane, Thomas ...	Bye-street, Ledbury, Herefordshire ...	Bacon Curer and Provision Dealer	Worcester ...	27 of 1896	Dec. 16, 1897 ...	Luke Jesson Sharp, Official Receiver	45, Copenhagen - street, Worcester
<i>The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 26th November, 1897.</i>							
Branthwaite, Edmund	William Sansome-street, Worcester ...	Hop and Seed Merchant ...	Worcester ...	17 of 1897	Dec. 14, 1897 ...	Luke Jesson Sharp, Official Receiver	45, Copenhagen - street, Worcester

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Austen, John William and Austen, Emily ... (trading as John Austen) Both of 7, High-street, St. John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex	Widow Watchmakers	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	622 of 1896	4s. 3½d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey- street, London, W.C.
Spearman, Edmund Robert	3, Bank-buildings, Lothbury, London ...	Formerly Secretary to the Public Works Loan Board	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	778 of 1895	1s.	Eighteenth	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey- street, London, W.C.
Thomas, John Edward ...	51A, Oxford-street, Mountain Ash, Glamor- ganshire	Draper and Outfitter	Aberdare	10 of 1896	2s. 4½d.	First and Final	Dec. 7, 1897... ..	Official Receiver's Office, 65, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil
Goddard, William ...	Charlestown-road, Glossop, Derbyshire, formerly of Victoria-street, Glossop aforesaid	Stonemason	Ashton-under-Lyne and Stalybridge	2 of 1897	2s. 2½d.	First and Final	Dec. 2, 1897... ..	Official Receiver's Offices, Byrom-street, Manchester
Heyes, Joseph ...	233, Audley-range, Blackburn, Lancashire, lately residing and trading at the Ord- nance Inn, 1, Woolwich-street, Black- burn aforesaid	Bricksetter, lately Inn- keeper	Blackburn	19 of 1893	1s. 9d.	First and Final	Dec. 10, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, 14, Chapel street, Preston
Gunson, Mary Jane ...	Custom House-lane, Boston, Lincolnshire, and carrying on business at West-street, Alford, Lincolnshire	Grocer and Provision Dealer, Spinster	Boston	8 of 1897	1s. 7½d.	First and Final	Dec. 4, 1897... ..	Official Receiver's Offices, 31, Silver-street, Lincoln
Spurr, Harriett Dexter ...	2, Haven-bank, Boston, Lincolnshire ...	Widow	Boston	9 of 1897	2s. 3d.	First and Final	Dec. 4, 1897... ..	Official Receiver's Offices, 31, Silver-street, Lincoln
Swinarski, Alexander ...	20, Otley-road, and trading at 7, Coppy Quarry, both in Bradford, Yorkshire	Chairmaker	Bradford	59 of 1896	9½d.	First and Final	Dec. 6, 1897... ..	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford
Wheater, Atkinson ...	Lately of 4, Wood Vine-street, and for- merly trading at the Railway Station, both in Stanningley, Yorkshire, now in lodgings at 3, Mulberry-street, Stanning- ley aforesaid	Formerly Coal Merchant, now Labourer	Bradford	61 of 1896	11½d.	First and Final	Dec. 6, 1897... ..	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford
Simmonds, William ...	21, Montpelier-street and 2, Clifton-place, Brighton	Builder	Brighton	114 of 1896	4s. 3d.	First and Final	Dec. 13, 1897	Office of Official Receiver, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Hunt, Shadrach, and Watts, William (trading as Hunt and Watts) ...	Bethl-road, St. George, Gloucestershire ...	Boot Manufacturers	Bristol	5 of 1897	1s. 3½d.	First and Final	Dec. 8, 1897... ..	Brighton - chambers, St. Stephen's-avenue, Bristol

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Pole, William ...	86, Clarence-road, in the city and county of Bristol	Pork Butcher ...	Bristol ...	27 of 1897	4s. 5d.	First and Final	Dec. 13, 1897 ...	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol
Winter, James Presgrave (trading as J. P. Winter)	43, High-street and 89, Victoria-street, Bristol	Tobacconist ...	Bristol ...	31 of 1897	10½d.	First and Final	Dec. 6, 1897... ..	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol
Radford, Richard Arthur	149, Waterloo-street, and lately at 141, Victoria-crescent, both in Burton-on-Trent, Staffordshire	Drafter and Brewer's Foreman	Burton-on-Trent ...	3 of 1897	4½d.	First and Final	Dec. 3, 1897... ..	Official Receiver's Office, 40, St. Mary's-gate, Derby
Masters, James ...	85, Portmanmoor-road, Cardiff ...	Builder ...	Cardiff ...	73 of 1896	7½d.	First and Final	Dec. 4, 1897... ..	29, Queen-street, Cardiff
Graham, Edward Irving	Grassgarth, Sebergham, Cumberland ...	Farmer ...	Carlisle ...	16 of 1896	2s. 1½d.	First and Final	Dec. 3, 1897... ..	Official Receiver's Offices, 34, Fisher-street, Carlisle
Watson, Thomas...	High Longthwaite, near Wigton, Cumberland	Cattle Dealer ...	Carlisle ...	18 of 1897	2s. 6½d.	First and Final	Dec. 2, 1897... ..	Official Receiver's Offices, 34, Fisher-street, Carlisle
Evans, Thomas ...	Plasbach, parish of Llandewibrefi, Cardiganshire	Farmer ...	Cardiff ...	10 of 1897	10s. 3d.	First and Final	Dec. 11, 1897 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 4, Queen-street, Carmarthen
Walters, Isaac John (trading as W. J. Walters)	Royal Stores, 30, Rhosmaen - street, Llandilo, Carmarthenshire	Grocer and Confectioner	Carmarthen ...	16 of 1897	3s.	First and Final	Dec. 11, 1897 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 4, Queen-street, Carmarthen
Williams, Richard ...	24, New-road, Llandilo, Carmarthenshire...	Painter and Decorator ...	Carmarthen ...	21 of 1897	1s. 2½d.	First and Final	Dec. 11, 1897 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 4, Queen-street, Carmarthen
Downing, Charles ...	43 and 45, Market-street, Eekington, in the county of Derby	Ironmonger, Furniture Dealer, Builder, and Contractor	Chesterfield...	4 of 1895	5½d.	First and Final	Dec. 8, 1897... ..	Trustee's Offices, 31, Gluman-gate, Chesterfield
Baker, Frederick Thomas	143, Bensham-lane, Thornton Heath, Croydon, Surrey	Now out of employment, formerly Ironmonger's Assistant	Croydon ...	20 of 1897	3s. 6d.	First and Final	Dec. 10, 1897 ...	Offices of Official Receiver, 24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.
Stuttle, William Frank (trading as W. Stuttle)	4, the Broadway, Bromley, Kent ...	Bootmaker ...	Croydon ...	17 of 1897	2s. 2d.	First and Final	Dec. 11, 1897 (or any subsequent Saturday between 10 and 1)	Offices of Trustee, 4, Bond-court, Walbrook, London, E.C.
Barrs, William Dennis ...	Red Hill Works, Dudley, Worcestershire, and of Sunnyside, Himley-road, Dudley aforesaid	Fender and Fire Iron Manufacturer	Dudley ...	6 of 1885	3d.	Supplemental	Dec. 2, 1897... ..	Official Receiver's Offices, Wolverhampton street, Dudley

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Wythes, Joseph ...	Woodside, Dudley, and Holly Hall, Dudley, Worcestershire	Grocer	Dudley	6 of 1896	5d.	Supplemental	Dec. 3, 1897...	Official Receiver's Offices, Wolverhampton - street, Dudley
Holroyd, Alfred ...	161, Pellon-lane, Halifax, Yorkshire	Boot and Shoe Maker ...	Halifax	19 of 1897	3s. 3½d.	First and Final	Dec. 4, 1897...	Townhall-chambers, Halifax
NOTE.—The above Notice is in substitution for Notice of Dividend of 3s. 3½d. per pound published in the London Gazette of the 24th September, 1897, the Dividend then advertised not having been paid.								
Harding, David ...	7, Elfin-villas, Broad-street, Teddington, Middlesex	Builder and Decorator ...	Kingston, Surrey ...	15 of 1897	2s. 1½d.	First and Final	Dec. 14, 1897 ...	Offices of Official Receiver, 24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.
Edwards, Arthur Herbert	30, Dudley-street, Leighton Buzzard, Bedfordshire	Farmer, out of business...	Luton	4 of 1897	5s. 7½d.	First and Final	Dec. 4, 1897...	Official Receiver's Offices, St. Paul's-square, Bedford
Davies, Robert ...	Pontlottyn, Glamorganshire:...	Builder	Merthyr Tydfil ...	1 of 1897	3s. 7½d.	First and Final	Dec. 7, 1897...	Official Receiver's Office, 65, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil
Phillips, Thomas...	Cwmavon, Aberavon, Glamorganshire	Grocer	Neath	7 of 1897	3s. 4d.	First and Final	Dec. 6, 1897...	Offices of Official Receiver, 31, Alexandra-road, Swansea
Simons, Thomas ...	Kislingbury, Northamptonshire ...	Farmer	Northampton ...	6 of 1897	2s. 5½d.	First and Final	Dec. 7, 1897...	Official Receiver's Offices, St. Paul's-square, Bedford
Neal, Alfred ...	Hevingham, Norfolk, lately carrying on business at Bawdeswell, Norfolk, also at Felthorpe, near Norwich	Lately Farmer, now of no occupation	Norwich	46 of 1896	11s. 0½d.	First and Final	Dec. 1, 1897...	Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich
Rothwell, David ...	Residing at 23, Cardinal-street, Oldham, Lancashire	Late Plasterer, now out of business	Oldham	22 of 1896	1s. 2d.	First and Final	Dec. 3, 1897...	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Queen-street, Oldham
Glasbrook, John ...	149, Malins-road, Landport, in the county of Hants	Boilermaker in Her Majesty's Dockyard at Portsmouth	Portsmouth	14 of 1896	1s. 5d.	Third	Dec. 7, 1897...	Official Receiver's Offices, Cambridge Junction, High-street, Portsmouth
Nuttall, Arthur ...	23, Bolton-street, South Shore, Blackpool, Lancashire	Butcher	Preston	18 of 1896	2s. 4½d.	First and Final	Dec. 10, 1897 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 14, Chapel-street, Preston
Eastwood, Martha (trading as Martha Dickinson)	Brown Cow Hotel, Frenchgate, Doncaster, Yorkshire	Licensed Victualler, Spinster	Sheffield	23 of 1897	7s. 4½d.	First and Final	Dec. 3, 1897...	Official Receiver's Offices, Figtree-lane, Sheffield

NOTICES OF DIVIDENDS—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or Otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Russell, Alfred (carrying on business as Alfred Russell and Co.)	Dalriada, Lichfield-road, Walsall, Staffordshire, and carrying on business at 134, Lichfield-street, Walsall aforesaid	Saddler and Coach Iron-monger	Walsall ...	17 of 1897	2s. 3½d.	First and Final	Dec. 8, 1897...	Official Receiver's Office, Wolverhampton
Bamber, John ...	74, Caroline-street, Wigan, Lancashire, carrying on business at 82, Scholes, Wigan aforesaid	Draper, Hosier, Knitter, and Dealer in Second-hand Clothes	Wigan ...	9 of 1897	1s. 5d.	First and Final	Dec. 6, 1897...	Official Receiver's Offices, 16, Wood-street, Bolton
Chapman, Alfred ...	Now residing at 37, Petergate, and carrying on business at Lord Nelson Yard, Walmgate, both in the city of York	Wholesale Cabinet Maker and Timber Merchant	York ...	21 of 1895	1½d.	Supplemental	Dec. 9, 1897...	Official Receiver's Offices, 28, Stonegate, York
Perkin, Moses ...	Grove Villa, Harlow-terrace, Harrogate, in the county of York, lately residing at Victoria Villa, Victoria-avenue, Harrogate aforesaid, and carrying on business at Montpellier-parade, Harrogate aforesaid	Jeweller ...	York ...	30 of 1897	4s. 3d.	First and Final	Dec. 7, 1897...	Official Receiver's Offices, 28, Stonegate, York

APPLICATIONS FOR DEBTORS' DISCHARGE.

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Day fixed for Hearing.
Bevan, Frederick Capel	35, Cornhill, in the city of London, and residing at 33, Earl's Court-square, in the county of London	Stock and Share Broker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1105 of 1897	Dec. 16, 1897, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Hughes, Joseph (trading as Joseph Hughes and Co.)	Carrying on business at Froebel House, 4, St. Andrew's-hill, Doctors' Commons, in the city of London, and residing at the Chestnuts, Sydenham Hill, in the county of London	Publisher	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1192 of 1896	Dec. 16, 1897, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Kingham, John Hester (trading as Kingham and Co.)	7, Strode-road, Willesden, and trading at 26, Alfred-place West, South Kensington, both in Middlesex	Artists' Colourman, Fine Art Dealer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1037 of 1893	Dec. 17, 1897, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Webster, George, and Binnie, John (trading as... .. George Webster and Co.)	Residing at Albert Hall-mansions, Middlesex Residing at Melbourne, in the Colony of Victoria 29, Cannon-street, in the city of London, and of Melbourne aforesaid	Warehousemen	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1390 of 1896	Mar. 15, 1898, 11 A.M., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Howarth, James	30, 32, and 34, Darley-street, Brownlow Fold, Bolton, Lancashire	Provision Dealer, Greengrocer, Beerseller (Outdoor Licence), and Coal Dealer	Bolton	2 of 1888	Jan. 5, 1898, 12 noon, County Court-house, Mawdsley-street, Bolton, Lancashire
Morton, Thomas	Philadelphia, in the county of Durham	Surgeon	Durham	9 of 1897	Dec. 14, 1897, 11.15 A.M., Court-house, Old Elvet, Durham
Allison, John Harry Sigsworth, and ... Pounder, Cuthbert (lately carrying on business under the style or firm of Allison and Pounder)	Residing in Corporation-road Residing in Union-road At Todd's-square, all in Hartlepool, in the county of Durham	Joiners and Builders	Sunderland	10 of 1897	Dec. 16, 1897, 12 noon, Court-house, John-street, Sunderland

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge.
Burkitt, James Walter...	Now or lately carrying on business at 16, Cornhill, in the city of London	Now or lately carrying on business with Donald Maillard Munro (described in Receiving Order as Burkitt, Munro, and Co.) at 16, Cornhill aforesaid, Stock and Share Brokers	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	568 of 1897	Oct. 27, 1897	Discharge suspended for three years. Bankrupt James Walter Burkitt to be discharged as from 27th October, 1900	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 contributed to his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculation
Comer, Ellis ...	46, Holywell-street, Strand, and 9, Percy-street, Tottenham Court-road, both in the county of London, lately residing at 2, Charlotte-street, Fitzroy-square, in the said county	Bath Proprietor, Lodging-house Keeper, and Hairdresser	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	91 of 1896	Nov. 3, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 3rd November, 1899	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; and had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent
Munro, Donald-Maillard	Now or lately carrying on business at 16, Cornhill, in the city of London	Now or lately carrying on business with James Walter Burkitt (described in Receiving Order as Burkitt, Munro, and Co.) at 16, Cornhill aforesaid, Stock and Share Brokers	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	568 of 1897	Oct. 27, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt Donald Maillard Munro to be discharged as from 27th October, 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 contributed to his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculation
Robertson, Alexander (trading as H. W. Robertson and Co.)	4, Falcon-square, in the city of London; and 107, Hazelville-road, Hornsey-lane, Middlesex	Umbrella Manufacturer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1151 of 1896	Nov. 2, 1897	Discharge suspended until 24th December, 1899. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 24th December, 1899. (Public Examination concluded 3rd November, 1896)	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; and had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent
Sanchez, Vincent (trading alone under style of Sanchez and Company)	6 and 8, Eastcheap, in the city of London	Fruit Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1 of 1897	Oct. 26, 1897	Discharge suspended for three years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 26th October, 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

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.
Snead, Harry Seymour (trading as Henry Snead)	Residing at 71, Albany-street, Regent's Park, Middlesex, and carrying on business at 81, Great Titchfield-street, Oxford-street, 31, Great Chapel-street, Westminster, 134, Gray's-inn-road, and 163, King's-road, Chelsea, all in the county of London	Boot and Shoe Maker ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	379 of 1897	Nov. 2, 1897	Discharge suspended for four years from the date of the conclusion of Public Examination. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 4th May, 1901. (Public Examination con- cluded 4th May, 1897)	on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preced- ing his bankruptcy; and had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent 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 busi- ness transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preced- ing his bankruptcy; and had contributed to his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculations
Thompson, Walter ...	12, Pancras-lane, in the city of London	Solicitor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1343 of 1896	Oct. 26, 1897	Discharge suspended for three years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 26th October, 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 busi- ness transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preced- ing his bankruptcy; and had contrib- uted to his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculation
Thorogood, Walter Samuel	82, Newman-street, Oxford- street, in the county of London	Adjudicated bankrupt with John Brewer and described in Receiving Order as Thorogood, Brewer, and Co., Shop and Office Fitters	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	377 of 1896	Nov. 2, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt Walter Samuel Thoro- good to be discharged as from 2nd November, 1899. (Public Examina- tion concluded 2nd June, 1896)	Bankrupt Walter Samuel Thorogood's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; and that the bankrupt Walter Samuel Thorogood had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as suffi- ciently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bank- ruptcy

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.
Newman, Arthur Albert	Lately residing at Clayton, Crescent-road, Bournemouth, in the county of Hants, and now residing at Withymore-road, Winton, near Bournemouth aforesaid, and carrying on business at Bournemouth aforesaid	Cab Driver	Poole	14 of 1896	Oct. 25, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 25th October, 1899	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; and had on a previous occasion made an arrangement with his creditors
Wragg, Annie Jane ...	25 ^c , Glossop road, Sheffield, Yorkshire	Dressmaker and Mil liner, a Spinster	Sheffield	17 of 1893	Oct. 28, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 28th October, 1899	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of her unsecured liabilities; that she had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by her, and as sufficiently disclose her business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding her bankruptcy; and had continued to trade after knowing herself to be insolvent

ADJUDICATION ANNULLED.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Adjudication.	Date of Annulment.	Grounds of Annulment.
Morris, William Joseph ...	Formerly of Eton-villas, now of 2, Etonhurst, the Chase, Great Malvern, in the county of Worcester	Engine Driver' ...	Worcester ...	34 of 1892	Dec. 1, 1892 ...	Nov. 20, 1897 ...	That the bankrupt's debts have been paid in full

APPOINTMENTS OF TRUSTEES.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Trustee's Name.	Address.	Date of Certificate of Appointment.
Smith, Sam	Carrying on business at 90, Red Lion-street, St. George's-in-the-East, in the county of London	Baker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1255 of 1897	Palmer, Augustus Cufaude	7 and 8, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Nov. 23, 1897
Jaehnichen, Max (trading as M. Jaehnichen and Co.)	Now residing at the Cobden Hotel, Corporation-street, in the city of Birmingham, and lately trading at 174, Corporation-street, in the city of Birmingham, and also at Aldridge-road, Perry Barr, Staffordshire	Merchant and Manufacturer	Birmingham ...	79 of 1897	Sharp, Charles Fabian	71, Colmore-row, Birmingham, Incorporated Accountant	Nov. 23, 1897
Law, Raistrick	Lowtown, Pudsey, Yorkshire	General Draper	Bradford	89 of 1897	Senior, Isaac ...	30, East-parade, Leeds, Chartered Accountant	Nov. 24, 1897
Warrilow, William Robert ...	Residing at Seaton House, Richmond-street, Weston-super-Mare, Somersetshire, and carrying on business at Beach-road, Regent-street, Weston-super-Mare aforesaid, 293, Bute-street, Cardiff, Chippenham, Eastover, Bridgwater, and the Parade, Trowbridge	Cycle Maker and Cycle Dealer	Bridgwater	15 of 1897	Honey, Albert Louis	23, Catherine-street, Exeter	Nov. 25, 1897
Stovold, Arthur Charles ...	Late of 11, Brandon-villas, Park-street, Bristol, whose present address is unknown	Tailor's Cutter	Bristol	64 of 1897	Freshwater, Herbert William	St. Stephen's-avenue, Bristol, Chartered Accountant	Nov. 27, 1897
Cross, John Ashby	147, Westgate-road, Newcastle-on-Tyne ...	Hosier	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	48 of 1897	Macrae, Finlay Alexander	9, New Broad-street, London, E.C., Accountant	Nov. 27, 1897
Woodcock, Charles	67, Pimlico-road, S.W., lately residing and carrying on business at 286, Battersea Park-road, in the county of London	Grocer	Wandsworth	39 of 1897	Berry, Oscar	Monument House, Monument-square, London, E.C., Chartered Accountant	Nov. 25, 1897
Cheeseright, Herbert James	86, Lichfield-street, and residing at 74, Bath-road, both in Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford	Draper, trading together with Laura Selina Cheeseright, his Wife, as Cheeseright and Co.	Wolverhampton ...	34 of 1897	Walker, Charles Clare	104, Fore-street, London, E.C., Counting House Manager	Nov. 25, 1897
Cheeseright, Laura Selina (trading as Cheeseright and Co.)	Lichfield-street and Bath-road, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford	General Draper, a Married Woman, trading separate and apart from her Husband, and having separate estate and assets	Wolverhampton ...	33 of 1897	Walker, Charles Clare	104, Fore-street, London, E.C., Counting House Manager	Nov. 25, 1897

NOTICES OF RELEASE OF TRUSTEES.

Debtor's Name.	Debtor's Address.	Debtor's Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Trustee's Name.	Trustee's Address.	Trustee's Description.	Date of Release.
Coulcher, Robert Walpole...	12, Shaa-road, Acton, and 19, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, both in the county of Middlesex, lately carrying on business at 50, Chancery-lane aforesaid	Law Stationer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	491 of 1891	Edwin Leadam Hough	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Senior Official Receiver	Nov. 4, 1897
Cranham, James Laird ...	Residing and carrying on business at 528, Barking-road, Plaistow, Essex	Pawnbroker ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1524 of 1896	Edwin Leadam Hough	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Senior Official Receiver	Nov. 4, 1897
Giddings, William John ...	Trading at 31, Great Ormond-street, in the county of London, and residing at 35, Manor Park-road, East Finchley, Middlesex	Builder and Decorator	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1050 of 1896	Harold Brougham	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver	Nov. 4, 1897
Goudie, Robert Simpson ...	Steele's Hotel, Haverstock Hill, Middlesex	Licensed Victualler ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	32 of 1895	Harold Brougham	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver	Nov. 4, 1897
Hamer, Richard ...	Residing at 22, Chelverton-road, Putney, Surrey, trading at 177, Clarendon-road, Notting Hill, Middlesex, lately residing and trading at 148, High-street, Putney, Surrey	Butcher ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	768 of 1896	Harold Brougham	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver	Nov. 4, 1897
Hanks, Thomas H. ...	90, Charing Cross-road, in the county of London	Gentleman ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	106 of 1896	Harold Brougham	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver	Nov. 4, 1897
Harman, Lewis ...	69, Albert-road, Silvertown, late of 11, Cyprus-place, New Beckton, and formerly of High-street, East Ham, all in Essex	Baker ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	598 of 1896	Harold Brougham	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver	Nov. 4, 1897
Jacobs, Emanuel ...	Residing at 21, King-street, Covent Garden, and formerly at 15, Long Acre, in the county of London	Fruit Salesman's Assistant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	91 of 1897	Harold Brougham	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver	Nov. 4, 1897
Jones, John ...	41, Commercial-road East, in the county of London	Dairyman ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	107 of 1896	Harold Brougham	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver	Nov. 4, 1897
Jones, Millard Richmond ...	38, Alfred-place West, in the county of London	Manager to a Company, carrying on business at 38, Alfred-place West aforesaid	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	47 of 1897	Harold Brougham	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver	Nov. 4, 1897

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Debtor's Name.	Debtor's Address.	Debtor's Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Trustee's Name.	Trustee's Address.	Trustee's Description.	Date of Release.
King, Benjamin (trading as Walter King).	16, Pembury-road, Lower Clapton, in the county of London	Shoe Manufacturer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	40 of 1897	Harold Brougham ...	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 4, 1897
Mathias, Peter ...	73, Listria-park, Stoke Newington, in the county of London, lately trading at 239, Amhurst-road, Stoke Newington aforesaid, and formerly of 76, Plough-road, New Wandsworth, in the county of London	Lately Baker and Confectioner, now out of business	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	290 of 1896	Harold Brougham ..	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 4, 1897
Munro, Donald (described in Receiving Order as D. Munro, Sons, and Co.)	72, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1361 of 1896	Harold Brougham ...	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 4, 1897
Nicholls, Alfred George (trading as Nicholls and Co.)	3, Topsfield-parade, Crouch End, Middlesex, lately residing and trading at the Ship Hotel, Mortlake, Surrey	Plumber, Painter, and Glazier	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	552 of 1896	Harold Brougham ...	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 4, 1897
Roberts, Frederick Walter (described in the Receiving Order as Frederick W. Roberts)	49, Godwin-road, Margate, Kent, lately residing at 19, Christchurch-avenue, Brondesbury, Middlesex, and carrying on business at 110, Cannon-street, in the city of London	Insurance Broker ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1131 of 1896	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 4, 1897
Robinson, Walter ...	38, Tudor-road, Mare-street, Hackney, trading at 24, Tower-street, London Fields, London	Boot and Shoe Manufacturer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	119 of 1895	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 4, 1897
St. John, Harry ...	1 and 2, Gray's-inn-passage, Holborn, in the county of London	Carpenter and Builder	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1198 of 1896	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 4, 1897
Savory, Allan Edward (described in the Receiving Order as A. E. Savory)	27, Hemshall-road, West Hampstead, in the county of London	Gentleman	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	465 of 1896	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 4, 1897
Simon, Isaac ...	351, Commercial-road, E., in the county of London	Boot Manufacturer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1403 of 1896	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 4, 1897
Solomons, Abraham ...	33, Rupert-street, Shaftesbury-avenue, in the county of London, formerly carrying on business at 89, Theobald's-road, in the said county	Commission Agent, formerly Furniture Dealer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1516 of 1896	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 4, 1897

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Debtor's Name.	Debtor's Address.	Debtor's Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Trustee's Name.	Trustee's Address.	Trustee's Description.	Date of Release.
Stichling, Alfred Charles ...	182, Whitechapel-road, Middlesex	Tobacconist ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1278 of 1896	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 4, 1897
Tarbeaux, F. B. ...	40, Stanhope-gardens, South Kensington, late of 2, Old Quebec-street, Portman-square, both in London	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1866 of 1893	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 4, 1897
Waters, W. R. C. ...	Whose present address the Petitioning Creditor is unable to ascertain, and who has within a year before the date of the presentation of the Petition ordinarily resided or had a dwelling-house in England	Architect and Surveyor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	769 of 1896	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 4, 1897
Mackoy, Robert (otherwise known as Robert Newton)	Residing and trading at Simmondley, Glossop, Derbyshire	Slater and Plasterer ...	Ashton-under-Lyne and Stalybridge	20 of 1896	Christopher Jenkins Dibb	Dyrom-street, Manchester	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Berlyn, Abraham ...	Residing at 78, Gough-road, Edgbaston, and trading at 11, Bennett's-hill and 77, Summer Hill-road, all in the city of Birmingham, and at 1, High-street, Stratford-on-Avon, Warwickshire	Dental Surgeon ...	Birmingham	100 of 1895	Luke Jesson Sharp...	23, Colmore-row, Birmingham	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Cariss, Walter Henry	Lately residing at Cloughton Vicarage, Scarborough, Yorkshire, now residing at 30, Sampson-road, Birmingham, Warwickshire	Clerk in Holy Orders...	Birmingham	9 of 1887	Luke Jesson Sharp...	23, Colmore-row, Birmingham	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Milner, Thomas Henry	Lately residing and trading at 156, Great Lister-street, now residing in lodgings in Hubert-street, both in the city of Birmingham	Journeyman Machinist, late Bicycle Manufacturer	Birmingham	92 of 1896	Luke Jesson Sharp...	23, Colmore-row, Birmingham	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Milward, Thomas Drarnwich	17, Bull-street, Harborne, Staffordshire	Builder...	Birmingham	47 of 1895	Luke Jesson Sharp...	23, Colmore-row, Birmingham	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897

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Debtor's Name.	Debtor's Address.	Debtor's Description.	Court.	No of Matter.	Trustee's Name.	Trustee's Address.	Trustee's Description.	Date of Release.
Parker, William ...	24, King-street, Bury, Lancashire	Roundabout Proprietor and Tent Maker	Bolton ...	5 of 1897	Thomas H. Winder	16, Wood-street, Bolton	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Skinner, Alfred (trading as Hilton and Co.)	Gower House, South Ealing, Middlesex	Mineral Water Manufacturer	Brentford ...	16 of 1895	William Lovell Hurt	Portugal House, Portugal-street, London, W.C.	Accountant ...	Oct. 26, 1897
Brown, Albert Henry (trading as Albert Brown)	Residing at 45, Sussex-place, Ashley-road, Bristol, and trading at 5, Portland-square and 112 and 114, Pennywell-road, Bristol	Boot and Shoe Manufacturer	Bristol ...	59 of 1895	Herbert William Freshwater	Brighton-chambers, St. Stephen's-avenue, Bristol	Chartered Accountant	Sept. 14, 1897
Collier, Amos ...	14, Mosley-street, Burton-on-Trent, Staffordshire	Licensed Beerhouse Keeper	Burton-on-Trent ...	16 of 1896	John Smith ...	40, St. Mary's-gate, Derby	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Adams, Arthur Robert ...	5, Ladywell, Dover, Kent...	Bookbinder ...	Canterbury ...	1 of 1897	Worsfold Mowll ...	73, Castle-street, Canterbury	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Horton, Joseph ...	Cradley Heath, Staffordshire ...	Auctioneer ...	Dudley ...	3 of 1897	Edward Percy Jobson	Wolverhampton-street, Dudley	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Daimpré, Isidore ...	Colebrooke, Devonshire ...	Clerk in Holy Orders...	Exeter ...	27 of 1890	Thomas Andrew ...	13, Bedford-circus, Exeter	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Pyle, Mark ...	Keen's Dairy Farm, Exminster, Devonshire	Farmer... ..	Exeter ...	18 of 1896	Thomas Andrew ...	13, Bedford-circus, Exeter	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Shephard, Joseph Henry ...	203, Weelsby-street, New Clee, Great Grimsby	Late Grocer, now of no occupation	Great Grimsby ...	40 of 1895	Arthur Stewart Maples	Trinity House-lane, Hull	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Fletcher, Thomas ... (Deceased)	Late of 131, Leek-road, Smallthorne, Staffordshire	Late Chemist and Grocer	Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall	20 of 1896	George Ibeson ...	76, Derby-street, Macclesfield	Chartered Accountant	Oct. 26, 1897
Webster, William ...	Late of 23, St. Peter's-street, now of 36, Christchurch-street, both in Ipswich, Suffolk	Butcher ...	Ipswich ...	33 of 1896	Frederick Messent ...	36, Princes-street, Ipswich	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Gibson, W. Walter St. George	11, Swan-street, Kidderminster, Worcestershire	Surgeon ...	Kidderminster ...	3 of 1896	Edward Percy Jobson	Wolverhampton-street, Dudley	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
White, William ...	29, Elm-road and Bridge-buildings, Wisbech St. Peter, Cambridgeshire	Auctioneer and Estate Agent	King's Lynn ...	17 of 1895	H. P. Gould ...	8, King-street, Norwich	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897

NOTICES OF RELEASE OF TRUSTEES—continued

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.
Robinson, John William ...	Residing at Fearnbank, Horsforth, near Leeds, Yorkshire, lately carrying on business in partnership with F. Windsor Richards at Peacock's-buildings, Park-row, Leeds, as Engineers and Merchants, now carrying on business at 17, Royal Exchange-buildings, Leeds aforesaid	Iron and Steel Merchant, lately Engineer and Merchant	Leeds ...	3 of 1897	John Bowling ...	22, Park-row, Leeds ...	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Bullock William Bullock, John Hibel Bullock, William Herbert and Bullock, Thomas Albert (trading as William Bullock and Sons)	At 7, Jordangate, Macclesfield, Cheshire	Silk Brokers ...	Macclesfield ...	21 of 1897	George Ibeson ...	76, Derby - street, Macclesfield	Chartered Accountant	Jan. 26, 1897
Adams, John Walter ...	37, Church-road, Newport, Monmouthshire	Grocer and Provision Merchant	Newport, Mon. ...	23 of 1895	George Henry Llewellyn	Gloucester Bank-chambers, Newport, Mon.	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Edmondson, Christopher John	The Mount, Sharrow, Ripon, Yorkshire	Cattle Dealer ...	Northallerton ...	16 of 1896	John Richard Stubbs	8, Albert-road, Middlesborough	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Williams, Thomas ...	17, Martin's-terrace, Aberdare Junction, Glamorganshire	Grocer and Fitter ...	Pontypridd ...	1 of 1896	William Lewes Daniel	65, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Butler, William ...	6, Melbourne-street, Southsea, in the county of Hants	Commission Agent ...	Portsmouth ...	3 of 1897	John Cornelius Moberly	Cambridge Junction, High-street, Portsmouth	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Collins, Henry John ...	51, Charlotte-street, Landport, in the county of Hants	Fruiterer ...	Portsmouth ...	2 of 1897	John Cornelius Moberly	Cambridge Junction, High-street, Portsmouth	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Quinton, Edward ...	28, East - street, Chichester, formerly of, Queen - street, Emsworth, Hampshire	Baker and Grocer ...	Portsmouth ...	27 of 1896	John Cornelius Moberly	Cambridge Junction, High - street, Portsmouth	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Dawson, Robert ...	Flixton, Yorkshire ...	Farmer ...	Scarborough ...	36 of 1896	William Drawbridge	74, Newborough-street, Scarborough	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Giles, Matilda ...	Residing at Reynolds - street, Filey, and trading at John-street, Filey, Yorkshire	Antique Dealer, Widow	Scarborough ...	23 of 1896	William Drawbridge	74, Newborough-street, Scarborough	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897

NOTICES OF RELEASE OF TRUSTEES—continued.

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.
Snowden, William Alfred ...	Gladstone-road and 53, Gordon-street, Scarborough, Yorkshire	Grocer and Provision Merchant	Scarborough ...	22 of 1896	William Drawbridge	74, Newborough-street, Scarborough	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Wray, Henry ...	Black Bull Hotel, Market-place, Malton, Yorkshire	Innkeeper ...	Scarborough ...	21 of 1896	William Drawbridge	74, Newborough-street, Scarborough	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Bartram, William ...	Late of Simpasten, near Aycliffe, in the county of Durham, now of Middridge, near Shildon, in the county of Durham	Miner, late Farmer and Miner	Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough	8 of 1897	John Richard Stubbs	8, Albert-road, Middlesborough	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Wise, John Thomas ...	Gravel Hole Farm, Norton, near Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, formerly also carrying on business with Arthur Wise at Clifton Farm, Rawcliffe, near the city of York, Yorkshire, as Farmers	Farmer ...	Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough	57 of 1896	John Richard Stubbs	8, Albert-road, Middlesborough	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897
Stalworth, John Wilson (Deceased)	Late of Hylton-road, in the city of Worcester	Late Hay and Straw Dealer	Worcester ...	15 of 1896	Luke Jesson Sharp	45, Copenhagen-street, Worcester	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 6, 1897

ADMINISTRATION ORDERS IN THE CASE OF DECEASED DEBTORS.

Name of Deceased.	Last Address.	Last Description.	Date of Death.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Order.	Date of Filing Petition or Application for Transfer.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy, if any, committed by Deceased within three months before the date of his Decease.	Whether Will or other Testamentary Disposition (with date thereof), or Letters of Administration.	Date when proved or granted.
Cranch, John...	West Alvington, Kingsbridge, Devon	Boot and Shoe Dealer and High Bailiff of the Kingsbridge County Court	Mar. 29, 1897	Plymouth and East Stone-house	61 of 1897	Nov. 17, 1897	Nov. 10, 1897	No act of bankruptcy committed. Will of said John Cranch was on the 18th May, 1897; proved by Elizabeth Cranch, then of West Alvington, Kingsbridge, but now of South Brent, in the county of Devon, who consents to Petition	Will dated 17th March, 1897	May 19, 1897

NOTICES TO DEBTORS IN LIEU OF PERSONAL SERVICE OF BANKRUPTCY NOTICES AND PETITIONS, AND OF APPLICATIONS TO COMMIT FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT.

Debtor's Name.	Debtor's Address.	Debtor's Description.	Court.	No.	Nature of Notice of which Substituted Service directed.	Date thereof.	If a Petition or Application to Commit, Date of Hearing.	Name and Description of Person giving Bankruptcy Notice, or by whom Petition is Presented, or by whom Application to Commit is being made.
Vinall, Frederick John ...	Residing at 11, Rodney-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and lately residing and carrying on business at the Empire Public-house, 70, Hanover-street, Liverpool aforesaid	Licensed Victualler ...	Liverpool ...	73 of 1897	Bankruptcy Petition	Nov. 13, 1897	Dec. 10, 1897, 11 A.M., Court-house, Government-buildings, Victoria-street, Liverpool	Alfred Tyrer, trading alone as John Tyrer and Son, of 46, Hanover-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and residing at the Eyrie, Breck-road, Wallasey, in the county of Chester, Wine and Spirit Merchant

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

JOHN SMITH, Inspector-General in Bankruptcy.

THE COMPANIES ACTS, 1862 to 1890.

WINDING-UP ORDERS.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No. of Matter	Date of Order.	Date of Presentation of Petition.
The Coolgardie Central Limited	Copthall House, Copthall-avenue, London, E.C.	High Court of Justice	00805 of 1897	Nov. 24, 1897	Nov. 10, 1897
Deburgo Spring Wheel Company Limited	42A, Bravington-road, Paddington, London	High Court of Justice	00283 of 1897	Nov. 24, 1897	Oct. 25, 1897
The Direct Automatic Stoker Syndicate Limited	2, Grey-street, Ashton-under-Lyne, in the county of Lancaster	Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster (Manchester District)	D9186 of 1897	Nov. 1, 1897	Oct. 20, 1897
The Watford and West Herts and Friends of Labor Loan Society (No. 3579)	The Coffee Tavern, 87, High-street, Watford, Herts	St. Albans	01 of 1897	Nov. 22, 1897	Oct. 25, 1897

FIRST MEETINGS.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	Number.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.
The Cambrian Syndicate Limited	165, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London	High Court of Justice	00243 of 1897	Creditors, Dec. 10, 1897 Contributories, Dec. 10, 1897	12 noon 12.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 31, Alexandra-road, Swansea Official Receiver's Offices, 31, Alexandra-road, Swansea
The Direct Automatic Stoker Syndicate Limited	2, Grey-street, Ashton-under-Lyne, in the county of Lancaster	Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster (Manchester District)	D9186 of 1897	Creditors, Dec. 10, 1897 Contributories, Dec. 10, 1897	2 P.M. 2.15 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Byrom-street, Manchester Official Receiver's Offices, Byrom-street, Manchester

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 London and Universal Bank Limited	499, Strand, in the county of London	High Court of Justice	0087 0088 of 1896	15s.	Second	Dec. 8, 1897, or any subsequent day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Official Receiver's Offices, 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C.
The Sailing Ship Kentmere Company Limited	116, Fenchurch-street, London, E.C.	High Court of Justice	00122 of 1897	20s.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Official Receiver's Offices, 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C.

NOTICES OF RELEASE OF LIQUIDATORS.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Liquidator's Name.	Liquidator's Address.	Date of Release.
The Denver Coal Company Limited	80, Coleman-street, London, E.C.	High Court of Justice	00218 of 1895	George Stapylton Barnes, Senior Official Receiver and Liquidator	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C.	Nov. 23, 1897
The Eastern Empire Music Hall Limited	156, Bow-road, E.	High Court of Justice	00348 of 1894	George Stapylton Barnes, Senior Official Receiver and Liquidator	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C.	Nov. 24, 1897
The Mutual Line of Manx Steamers Limited	20, Water-street, Liverpool	Liverpool	7 of 1895	Frederick Gittins, Official Receiver and Liquidator	35, Victoria-street, Liverpool	Nov. 24, 1897

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

THE estates of John Duncan Morrison, 42 Argyle street Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 26th day of November 1897, by the Sheriff of the county of Lanark.

The first deliverance is dated the 26th day of November 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon within the Faculty Hall, St. George's-place, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 7th day of December 1897.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 26th March 1898.

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

STEWART McNICOLL 83 West Regent-street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE estates of John Semple Farmer at Biggar Shiels by Biggar were sequestrated on the twenty-fourth day of November eighteen hundred and ninety-seven by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated twenty-fourth November eighteen hundred and ninety-seven.

The meeting to elect a Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon on Saturday the fourth day of December eighteen hundred and ninety-seven within the Clydesdale Hotel Lanark.

A composition may be offered at this latter meeting and to entitle creditors to the first dividend their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before twenty-fourth March eighteen hundred and ninety-eight.

The sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the county of Lanark at Lanark.

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

W. and F. C. MACIVOR S.S.C. 6 North St. Andrew-street Edinburgh Agents for Petitioner.
25th November 1897.

THE estates of James Coult's, Bootmaker Number seven High-street Frasersburgh were sequestrated on twenty-sixth November eighteen hundred and ninety-seven by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated seventeenth November eighteen hundred and ninety-seven.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Wednesday the eighth day of December, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven within the Faculty Hall, St. George's-place Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the twenty-sixth day of March eighteen hundred and ninety-eight.

The sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the county of Lanark at Glasgow.

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

DOVE LOCKHART and SMART S.S.C. 29 York-place Edinburgh Agents.

THE estates of William Thomson Merchant, No. 1 Arcade, Stirling, were sequestrated on 25th November 1897 by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated 25th November 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon on Monday the 6th day of December 1897 within the Faculty Hall, St. George's-place, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting and to entitle creditors to the first dividend their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 25th day of March 1898.

The sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the county of Lanark at Glasgow.

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

CLARK and MACDONALD S.S.C. 21 Hill-street, Edinburgh Agents.

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