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Privy Council Office, December 14, 1897.

MERCHANT SHIPPING ACT, 1894.

NOTICE is hereby given that, after the expiration of forty days from the date hereof, it is proposed to submit to Her Majesty in Council, in pursuance of the above-mentioned Act, the draft of an Order in Council approving certain Pilotage Bye-laws, Rules, and Regulations made by the Pilotage Authority for the Port of Waterford.

And notice is hereby further given that, in accordance with the provisions of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, copies of the proposed draft Order in Council can be obtained by any public body, within forty days of the date of this notice, at the Privy Council Office, Whitehall.

Foreign Office, December 8, 1897.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Chester W. Martin as Consul of the United States of America at Amherstburg, Ontario; of Mr. Frederick Eggena as Consul of Germany at Rangoon; of Baron Henry von Siebold as Consul of Austria-Hungary at Singapore; of Don José de Cubas as Consul of Spain at Newport; of Don Celestino Marconell as Consul of Spain at Kingston, Jamaica; of Mr. William J. Williams as Consul of Denmark at St. Helena; of Mr. E. Langguth as Consul of Austria-Hungary at Auckland; of Mr. Theodore J. Walsh as Consul of Paraguay at Birmingham; and of Don Angelo Sanchez Vera as Vice-Consul of Spain at Glasgow.

Downing Street, December 14, 1897.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of the appointment of William Nicoll, Esq., Advocate (Queen's Advocate, Lagos), to be a Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of the Gold Coast Colony; and of Francis Oswald Edlin, Esq., Barrister-at-Law (a District Commissioner of the Gold Coast Colony), to be Queen's Advocate for the Colony of Lagos.

St. James's Palace, December 13, 1897.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Archibald Boyd Carpenter, M.A., Rector of St. George's, Bloomsbury, and Honorary Chaplain to Her Majesty, to be one of the Chaplains in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the

room of the Reverend Canon J. N. Dalton, M.A., C.M.G., appointed a Deputy Clerk of the Closet to Her Majesty.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Frederick Cecil Alderson, M.A., Canon of Peterborough and Rector of Lutterworth, to be one of Her Majesty's Honorary Chaplains, in the room of the Reverend Archibald Boyd Carpenter, M.A., promoted.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Reverend Robert Henry Hadden, B.A., Vicar of St. Botolph, Aldgate, to be one of Her Majesty's Honorary Chaplains, in the room of the Reverend Canon J. Taylor Smith, now Bishop of Sierra Leone.

Admiralty, 11th December, 1897.

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

Admiral Sir Henry Frederick Nicholson, K.C.B., has this day been placed on the Retired List, at his own request.

Consequent on the above the following promotions have been made from the same date:—

Vice-Admiral Sir Alexander Buller, K.C.B., to be Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Rear-Admiral Claude Edward Buckle to be Vice-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Captain Albert Baldwin Jenkins to be Rear-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

The following Sub-Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

Frederick Noel Fergus.

Ivor Francis Chichester.

Bernard St. George Collard.

Dated 15th November, 1897.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant Henry John Boby has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 9th December, 1897.

Engineer Charles Gillos Wilson has been promoted to the rank of Senior Engineer. Dated 9th December, 1897.

War Office, Pall Mall,

14th December, 1897.

3rd Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant William C. Peel resigns his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1897.

3rd Hussars, Lieutenant George Landale, from Local Military Forces, Victoria, to be Second Lieutenant, vice W. O. Cautley, resigned. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Royal Engineers, In consequence of the promotion of Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel E. P. Leach, V.C., C.B., to the rank of Major-General, the promotions of the undermentioned Officers are antedated as follows:—

Lieutenant-Colonel E. J. Bor to 1st October, 1897.

Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. McCallum, C.M.G., (Reserve List) to 7th October, 1897.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. C. Harrison to 7th October, 1897.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. Kellie to 2nd November, 1897.

Major C. A. R. Browne to 1st October, 1897.

Major W. Russell to 7th October, 1897.

Major F. V. Jeffreys to 23rd October, 1897.

Major H. B. Roberts to 2nd November, 1897.

Major E. Townshend to 19th November, 1897.

Captain H. H. Austin to 1st October, 1897.

Captain H. O. Lathbury to 7th October, 1897.

Captain C. R. Dobbs to 23rd October, 1897.

Captain A. E. G. Watherston to 2nd November, 1897.

Captain E. H. Haig to 19th November, 1897.

Major Pelham G. Von Donop to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel E. C. S. Moore, placed on half-pay. Dated 23rd November, 1897.

Captain Arthur E. Sandbach to be Major, vice P. G. Von Donop. Dated 23rd November, 1897.

Lieutenant George A. J. Leslie to be Captain, vice A. E. Sandbach. Dated 23rd November, 1897.

Second Lieutenant Alan D. Cardon to be Lieutenant. Dated 12th December, 1897.

Coldstream Guards, Major Vesey John Dawson to be Lieutenant-Colonel, on augmentation. Dated 1st December, 1897.

Captain Frederick I. Maxse to be Major, vice V. J. Dawson. Dated 1st December, 1897.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Northumberland Fusiliers, Supernumerary Captain William A. Willmott to be Captain, vice P. S. Wilkinson, seconded. Dated 15th December, 1897.

The Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), Lieutenant Wynyard M. Hall is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 27th November, 1897.

The Leicestershire Regiment, Captain Charles G. Blackader is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 27th November, 1897.

The promotion to the rank of Captain of Lieutenant C. M. P. Hassall is antedated to 6th November, 1897, in succession to Major R. L. Milne, D.S.O., employed under the Foreign Office.

Lieutenant the Honourable Harold B. Hawke to be Captain, vice C. H. Hunt, retired. Dated 15th December, 1897.

The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant A. A. P. Butler is antedated to 6th November, 1897.

The Royal Scots Fusiliers, Second Lieutenant Herbert W. Bullock is superseded for absence without leave. Dated 15th October, 1897.

Gentleman Cadet Maurice Edwin McConaghey, from the Royal Military College, to be Second Lieutenant, vice H. W. Bullock. Dated 15th December, 1897.

The East Surrey Regiment, Second Lieutenant Leslie Murray, from the Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment), to be Second Lieutenant, vice T. I. N. Mears, who exchanges. Dated 15th December, 1897.

The Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), Lieutenant Cron Hope Baillie Wright, from Local Military Forces, Cape of Good Hope, to be Second Lieutenant, vice V. J. Tighe, seconded. Dated 15th December, 1897.

The Hampshire Regiment, Second Lieutenant Edmund Rochfort Street, from 10th Battalion Active Militia of Canada, to be Second Lieutenant, vice the Honourable L. C. W. Palk, promoted. Dated 15th December, 1897.

The Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant A. B. Molesworth is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 27th November, 1897.

The Northamptonshire Regiment, Lieutenant Robert Eddington Gordon, from Local Military Force Victoria, to be Second Lieutenant, vice R. C. Coldwell, promoted. Dated 15th December, 1897.

The Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment), Second Lieutenant Trevor I. N. Mears, from the East Surrey Regiment, to be Second Lieutenant, vice L. Murray, who exchanges. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Lieutenant Theophilus Hastings Parker, from Local Military Forces, Tasmania, to be Second Lieutenant, vice F. W. Stoddart, promoted. Dated 15th December, 1897.

The Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), Lieutenant Thomas M. Webb is seconded for service under the Colonial Office. Dated 27th November, 1897.

The York and Lancaster Regiment, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William J. Kirkpatrick to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice C. J. Whitaker, retired. Dated 10th November, 1897.

The Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians), Second Lieutenant Arthur Cavenish Bentick Gray, from 3rd Regiment Canadian Artillery, to be Second Lieutenant, vice L. R. G. Bell, promoted. Dated 15th December, 1897.

The Royal Munster Fusiliers, Captain Wilfrid W. Blackden is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Volunteers. Dated 1st December, 1897.

The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own), Captain Robert G. T. Baker-Carr is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 19th July, 1897.

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

Reginald Alexander, Adjutant, to 19th July, 1897, vice R. G. T. Baker-Carr.

Albert V. J. Cowell to 19th July, 1897.

George H. Thesiger, Adjutant, to 26th July, 1897, vice H. C. Petre, seconded.

Reginald B. Stephens to 26th July, 1897.

Charles W. C. Knox to 28th July, 1897, in succession to Major L. L. Nicol, Adjutant 7th Battalion.

Hew D. Ross to 13th August, 1897, in succession to Major C. à Court, who holds a Staff appointment.

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

L. H. Thornton to 19th July, 1897.

J. T. Burnett-Stuart to 26th July, 1897.

B. H. H. Cooke to 28th July, 1897.

S. E. Hollend to 13th August, 1897.

Staff, Lieutenant N. W. Haig, 6th Dragoons, to be Aide-de-Camp to Lieutenant-Colonel Sir G. Smith, K.C.M.G., Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Western Australia. Dated 5th December, 1897.

Army Pay Department, Staff Paymaster and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. Jackson to be Chief Paymaster, with the honorary rank of Colonel, vice Honorary Colonel W. M. Playfair, retired. Dated 8th December, 1897.

Staff Paymaster and Honorary Major G. H. Singer is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 14th December, 1897.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable Charles Dutton, Recruiting Staff Officer Class 1, to be Colonel. Dated 20th November, 1897.

MEMORANDA.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Edward P. Leach, V.C., C.B., Royal Engineers, to be Major-General, in succession to General A. F. Hamilton, Royal (late Madras) Engineers, retired. Dated 1st October, 1897.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Linton, half-pay, retires on retired pay. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel the Honourable Charles Dutton, on completion of his period of service on the Staff, is placed on half-pay. Dated 13th December, 1897.

Major Hamilton J. Kliverson, half-pay, is placed on retired pay. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Captain Gerrase F. Whitehead, half-pay, retires from the Service receiving a gratuity, with permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 15th December, 1897.

The date of the grant of the honorary rank of Captain and of Lieutenant respectively to the undermentioned Officers of the Bombay Establishment, is 11th September, 1897, and not as stated in the Gazette of 30th November, 1897:—

Deputy Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant John Mason.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary Thomas Heney.

War Office, 14th December, 1897.

MILITIA.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

The Fife Artillery (Southern Division), Second Lieutenant D. Burges to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

The Wicklow Artillery (Southern Division), Supernumerary Captain H. P. Ringwood resigns his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1897.

The Durham Artillery (Western Division), Francis Edward Belcombe, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

INFANTRY.

3rd Battalion, the Northumberland Fusiliers, Stephen Seymour Butler, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

E. S. Brand. Dated 15th December, 1897.

H. Sidney. Dated 15th December, 1897.

W. J. Stomm. Dated 15th December, 1897.

C. F. Roundell. Dated 15th December, 1897.

R. F. Ellis. Dated 15th December, 1897.

N. W. Gardner. Dated 15th December, 1897.

H. C. Fraser. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Frederick William Ullathorne Cosens, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

5th Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Frank William Evans Johnson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

4th Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment, Major Edward William Chambers, retired, late 3rd Battalion the Manchester Regiment, to be Captain. Dated 15th December, 1897.

4th Battalion, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

H. E. J. Eyre. Dated 15th December, 1897.

W. H. M. Freestun. Dated 15th December, 1897.

H. I. R. Allfrey. Dated 15th December, 1897.

J. B. Walker. Dated 15th December, 1897.

J. H. Hayes. Dated 15th December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), John Alistair Barff, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel A. H. Lucas resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to wear the prescribed uniform on his retirement. Dated 15th December, 1897.

4th Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment, Major Sir E. R. S. Sebright, Bart., is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 15th December, 1897.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the South Staffordshire Regiment, Supernumerary Lieutenant C. T. V. Fosbery to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Dorsetshire Regiment, Captain and Honorary Major H. C. G. Batten to be Major. Dated 15th December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders), Edward MacKenzie Murray, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment), Lieutenant H. V. Rhodes to be Captain. Dated 15th December, 1897.

8th Battalion, the King's Royal Rifle Corps, Major Lord F. FitzGerald is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Captain and Instructor of Musketry J. K. Millner is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 15th December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), Walter Petit Salt, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

3rd Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders, Captain A. H. Leith to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Captain J. G. Malcolmson, who vacates the appointment, under the provisions of paragraph 259 of the Militia Regulations, 1897. Dated 15th December, 1897.

5th Battalion, the Connaught Rangers, Lieutenant-Colonel T. Y. L. Kirkwood is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 15th December, 1897.

4th Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), Lieutenant W. H. Robinson is seconded whilst holding the appointment of extra Aide-de-Camp to Sir C. Bruce, K.C.M.G., Governor of Mauritius. Dated 15th December, 1897.

5th Battalion, the Royal Dublin Fusiliers, Captain W. H. Beamish resigns his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1897.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Ayrshire (Earl of Carrick's Own), Captain D. W. Shaw is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Dorset (Queen's Own), Supernumerary Major the Honourable H. B. Portman resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Gloucestershire (Royal Gloucestershire Hussars), Captain and Honorary Major C. H. Palairat resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Nottinghamshire (Southern Nottinghamshire), The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Montgomerie Boyle. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Uvedale Halton Tristram. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Shropshire, Hugh Dryden Corbet, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Westmoreland and Cumberland, Lieutenant G. H. Turner resigns his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1897.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

ARTILLERY.

2nd Sussex, The Reverend H. U. Whelpton, M.A., to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Norfolk (Eastern Division, Royal Artillery), The Reverend Lawrence Gifford Pollard, B.A., to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Edinburgh (City), The services of Second Lieutenant I. Coates are dispensed with. Dated 15th December, 1897.

2nd Lancashire, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel B. G. Williams resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 15th December, 1897.

The undermentioned Officers resign their Commissions:—

Captain R. A. Rockliff. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Lieutenant J. L. Eills. Dated 15th December, 1897.

The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Benjamin Franklin Babcock, jun. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Reginald George Layton. Dated 15th December, 1897.

3rd Lancashire, Acting Chaplain the Reverend Canon T. A. Stowell, M.A., retires under the provisions of paragraph 111 of the Volunteer Regulations, 1896. Dated 15th December, 1897.

5th Lancashire, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel H. Coupland resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Dorsetshire (Southern Division, Royal Artillery), The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Edward Henry Bone. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Hubert Schröder. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Lanarkshire, Captain G. L. Mackenzie resigns his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Ayrshire and Galloway, Second Lieutenant J. Preston resigns his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Argyll and Bute, Colin George Pulham Campbell, Esq., Second Lieutenant Reserve of Officers, and late Second Lieutenant Scots Guards, to be Captain. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Berwickshire, William McDougall, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Orkney, Surgeon-Lieutenant B. D. C. Bell resigns his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Shropshire and Staffordshire, Charles William Hince, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

2nd Northumberland (Percy) (Western Division, Royal Artillery), George Tate, jun., Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Devonshire (Western Division, Royal Artillery), Lieutenant R. K. Blair resigns his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Acting Chaplain the Reverend T. F. Daffen, M.A., resigns his appointment. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Glamorganshire, Lieutenant F. H. Kempthorne to be Captain. Dated 15th December, 1897.

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

H. Coates. Dated 18th November, 1897.

T. Spencer. Dated 15th December, 1897.

2nd Durham (Sezham) (Western Division, Royal Artillery), Lieutenant C. F. G. Mann resigns his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1897.

ROYAL ENGINEERS (VOLUNTEERS).

1st Durham, Second Lieutenant H. R. Chapman to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Samuel Mace, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

RIFLE.

8th Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Second Lieutenant G. Jeffrey to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Lieutenant J. A. Ness resigns his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), Lewis Henry Page, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Cadet Corps (Chatham House College, Ramsgate), attached to 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), Honorary Captain F. Goodenough-Bayly resigns his appointment. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Arthur Glyn Price, Esq., to be Honorary Captain. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Captain T. J. Graham is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Captain J. Hunt resigns his Commission; also is granted the honorary rank of Major, with permission to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 15th December, 1897.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Lieutenant-Colonel A. Ash to be Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant under the provisions of paragraph 55A of the Volunteer Regulations, 1896. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Captain and Honorary Major R. B. Caldicott resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Captain R. F. Flower resigns his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1897.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Captain W. F. Vallat resigns his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Lieutenant T. Standing to be Captain. Dated 15th December, 1897.

4th Volunteer Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment, Lieutenant F. A. Searle resigns his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), John Weddall Nelson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Lancashire Fusiliers, Captain W. Oram resigns his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Cheshire Regiment, Andrew Robertson Wilson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Cheshire Regiment, Major W. Mothersill is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 15th December, 1897.

The undermentioned Officers resign their Commissions:—

Captain F. W. Stocks. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Lieutenant J. N. Sidebotham. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Surgeon-Captain A. H. Marsh. Dated 15th December, 1897.

5th Volunteer Battalion, the Cheshire Regiment, Captain and Honorary Major G. H. Shakerley resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 15th December, 1897.

3rd (Dumfries) Volunteer Battalion, the King's Own Scottish Borderers, Second Lieutenant J. R. Byers to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st (Cumberland) Volunteer Battalion, the Border Regiment, Lieutenant J. H. Brown to be Captain. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment, The undermentioned Lieutenants resign their Commissions:—

D. J. Thomas. Dated 15th December, 1897.

E. C. Pern. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Robert Lamb, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment), Lieutenant A. Carey resigns his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Essex Regiment, Lieutenant H. King resigns his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1897.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), Quartermaster W. B. Dickenson resigns his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Quartermaster and Honorary Captain William Lynch, retired, late 3rd Battalion, to be Quartermaster. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment, Lieutenant J. C. Milton to be Captain. Dated 15th December, 1897.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment, Captain G. F. Smith is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment), The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Montagu Edward Nigel Jones. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Claude Augustin de Cosson. Dated 15th December, 1897.

3rd Middlesex, Thomas Glover, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

22nd Middlesex (Central London Rangers), Supernumerary Captain and Instructor of Musketry R. W. Barnett resigns his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Captain Charles John Markham, King's Royal Rifle Corps, to be Adjutant, vice Major T. E. Milborne-Swinnerton-Pilkington, whose period of service expires. Dated 3rd January, 1898.

1st London, Lieutenant H. J. Moger resigns his Commission. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Wiltshire, Captain F. Hodding resigns his Commission; also is granted the honorary rank of Major, with permission to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Manchester Regiment, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel J. Higson to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Captain and Honorary Major P. Fletcher to be Major. Dated 15th December, 1897.

6th Volunteer Battalion, the Manchester Regiment, Second Lieutenant (Extra-Supernumerary) G. P. Andrew to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Sutherland (the Sutherland Highland), Second Lieutenant W. C. Ross to be Captain. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st (Renfrewshire) Volunteer Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), James Gibson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th December, 1897.

7th (Clackmannan and Kinross) Volunteer Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), John Barclay Norval Moyes, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

7th Middlesex (London Scottish), John Hugh Torrance, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

20th Middlesex (Artists'), Lieutenant Charles Sempill de Segundo, M.B., resigns his Commission, and is appointed Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

1st Tower Hamlets, Captain V. Dunfee to be Major. Dated 15th December, 1897.

2nd Tower Hamlets, Frederic Mercer, Gent., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the North Riding of the County of York.

John Bellerby, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 8th December, 1897.

Treasury Chambers, December 9, 1897.

THE Commissioners of Her Majesty's Woods, Forests, and Land Revenues, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice that the undermentioned office is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council dated the 4th of June, 1870, viz.:

Temporary Assistant Architect and Surveyor in the Department of the Commissioners of Woods.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 14TH DECEMBER 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 Orders described in the Schedule to this Order are 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 Orders 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 seventeenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

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



T. H. Elliott,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Orders Revoked.

No.	Date.	Subject.
	1897.	
5573	15. March ...	Declaring a Swine-Fever Infected Area for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Infected Areas) Order of 1896 in the county of Stafford.
5681	20 August ...	Extending the limits of the Swine-Fever Infected Area declared by Order 5573 so as to include the following Area, namely,—an Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Bilston, Sedgley, Willenhall, Rushall, Handsworth, Smethwick, Wednesbury, Tipton, and Rowley Regis, and the parishes of Kingswinford, Brierley Hill, Quarry Bank, and Wednesfield, in the county of Stafford, and also comprising the boroughs of Walsall, Wednesbury, West Bromwich, Wolverhampton, and Dudley.
5724	25 November ...	Exempting the borough of Wolverhampton from operation of Order No. 5681.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Board of Agriculture, 24, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.

Civil Service Commission, December 14, 1897.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that an Open Competitive Examination for not fewer than 60 situations as Male Sorter in the General Post Office, London, will be held in London, on the 1st February, 1898, under the Regulations dated 18th May, 1897, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

No person will be admitted to Examination from, whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the

19th January, 1898, an application, in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

Civil Service Commission, December 13, 1897.

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

December 9, 1897.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Irish Land Commission: Third Class Clerk, John James Gilfoyle.

Post Office: Learners, London, Harry Borrett, Norton Oswald Davies, Harold Edward John Mandall, George James Michael, John Joseph Cecil Rowden.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Portsmouth Dockyard, Shipwrights, William Arthur Bex, Thomas Mason Cole, George Davies, Henry Charles Layton, William Nicholas Mitchell, Joseph Drake Pennick, Tom Saunders, William Henry Saunders, Thomas Courts Stephens, Edward Gibson Suter, Alfred Tillett.

Joiners, Thomas William Llewellyn, Herbert John George Morley, George Richard Mott, Thomas White Williams.

Smith, William Thomas Fox.

Post Office: Learners, Mary Amelia Ferguson (Drogheda), Lily Laura Norton (Ryde, Isle of Wight).

Postman, Inverness, Adam Taylor.

December 10, 1897.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Male Sorter, London, George Burgoyne Oliver Sparkes.

Girl Clerk in the Savings Bank Department, Annie Clarkson.

Learners, London, Frank William Kennard, Henry Percy Loveland, Bertram George Lovelace, Thomas Joseph Nash, Arthur Hamilton North, Robert Chamley Storey.

Male Learners Liverpool, John Bridge Fenlon, Robert Pringle.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I, Alfred John Sharp.

Post Office: Postmistress, Newport, Pembroke-shire, Mary Ann Jane Crosswell Mathias.

Sorting Clerk and Telegraph Learner, Bailey, Charles Edwin Roberts.

Learners, John Carter (Marlborough), Ernest Charles Ephraim Dracup (Reading), Frances Ethel Amy Goyne (Shrewsbury), Robert Richard Jones (Conway), John Langley Whittington (Braintree), William Whyatt (Cambridge), William Wilson (Denny).

Postmen, Thomas Cropper (Middlesbrough), William Evans (Southport), Michael Finn (Queenstown), Richard Howard (Southport), Louis Pierre Olin (Dublin), John Presley (Enniskillen), Ernest George Robjant (Enfield), John William Smith (Bradford), George Francis Weaver (Birmingham).

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

Stationery Office: Temporary Staff Posts, Alfred John Ellis, Charles Green, George Henry Thwaites.

December 11, 1897.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Learners, London, Henry Charles Smallwood, Walter Jesse Meekings.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

British Museum: Boy Attendant, Joseph Walter Charles Chainey.

Local Government Board, England: Messengers, Arthur Charles Jones, Harry Lavis.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I, George Thomas Applegate.

Prisons Department, Scotland: Female Warder, Elizabeth Tennant.

Post Office: Postman, London, John Henry Davies.

Learners, Robert Joseph Large (Birmingham), Albert Roger Pennington (Barrow-in-Furness).

Postman, Edinburgh, Andrew Robertson Foster.

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

Local Government Board, England: Minor Staff Posts, John William Colton, John William Davidson, George Herbert Follows, Charles Jonathan Huddart, Thomas Robinson Johnson, Arthur Albert Kent, Thomas Lawrance.

Temporary Staff Posts, Frederick Copping Allworth, Alfred John Eves, Lewis Wilson Shubrook, William John Sutton, John Woollett Trickey, Franklyn Lewis Turner, Frederick James Welch.

Scotch Education Department: Sub-Inspector, First Class, Simon Dalgey Black.

Stationery Office: Temporary Staff Post, Isaac Adolphus Herbert Watson.

Post Office: Skilled Telegraphist, London, Emily Palmer.

Second Class Engineer, Ernest Wilmot Rees.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

(Nos. 760 to 762 of the year 1897.)

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

No. 760.—ENGLAND—EAST COAST.

Sheerness—Sunken Barge off Garrison Point.

INFORMATION has been received from the Queen's Harbour Master, Sheerness, dated 2nd December, 1897, that the wreck of a barge lies sunk, in a depth of 9 fathoms at low water springs, in a position with Garrison Point Lighthouse bearing S.S.E., distant nearly $3\frac{1}{2}$ cables.

A wreck-marking vessel and wreck buoy have been placed to mark the wreck.

Approximate position, lat. $51^{\circ} 27' 5''$ N., long. $0^{\circ} 44' 25''$ E.

[Variation 16° Westerly in 1897.]

This Notice temporarily affects the following Admiralty Plan:—River Medway, Sheet I, No. 1833. Also, North Sea Pilot, Part III, 1897, page 383.

No. 761.—SCOTLAND—WEST COAST.

Rocks in Scourie Bay.

INFORMATION has been received from the Sutherland Estate Office of the existence of the undermentioned rocks in Scourie Bay:—

1. A rock, which dries at low water springs, situated on the south side of the fairway, in a position with the Factor's house bearing about E. by S. $\frac{1}{4}$ S., distant about $3\frac{1}{2}$ cables.

Approximate position, lat. $58^{\circ} 21' 15''$ N., long. $6^{\circ} 9' 50''$ W.

2. A small sunken rock, situated near the north shore, with the Factor's house bearing about E.S.E., distant $2\frac{1}{2}$ cables.

NOTE.—The positions given must be considered as approximate.

[Variation 21° Westerly in 1897.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Plan:—Lochs Laxford and Inchard, No. 2503. Also, Sailing Directions for the West Coast of Scotland, 1894, page 444.

No. 762.—INDIA—WEST COAST.

Karachi Harbour—Buoy Marking Southern Limit of Port.

THE Government of India has given notice, dated 3rd November 1897, that a conical buoy, painted red, has been moored in a depth of 20 feet at low water spring tides, in a position with the extremity of Manora Point breakwater bearing west, distant $3\frac{1}{2}$ cables, to mark the southern limit of the port of Karachi.

This buoy will be withdrawn during the south-west monsoon.

Approximate position, lat. $24^{\circ} 47' 5''$ N., long. $66^{\circ} 59' 15''$ E.

[Variation 1° Easterly in 1897.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Plan:—Karachi Harbour, No. 40. Also, West Coast of Hindustan Pilot, 1891, page 325.

By command of their Lordships,

W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
9th to 10th December, 1897.

Registration of Births and Deaths.

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of the provisions of the twenty-first section of an Act passed in the thirty-eighth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intitled "The Births and Deaths Registration Act, 1874," I, Sir Brydges Powell Henniker, Bart., Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in England, have, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, ordered and declared that on and after the 1st day of January next, in order to make the two Sub-Districts of Woodstock Registration District co-extensive with the two Relief Districts of Woodstock Poor Law Union, Tackley Civil Parish shall be transferred from Deddington Sub-District of Woodstock Registration District, to Woodstock Sub-District of the same Registration District.—Witness my hand this 10th day of December, 1897.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Twynholm Assembly Hall situated at Fulham Cross, Fulham S.W. in the civil parish of Fulham in the county of London in the registration district of Fulham being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the third December 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this third December 1897.

T. A. MARSH Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named St. Francis Roman Catholic Church situated at Sawley-road, Long Eaton in the civil parish of Long Eaton in the county of Derby in the registration district of Shardlow being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the eighth December 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this ninth December 1897.

NICHOLAS TWIGGE Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Wesleyan Chapel situated at Witchampton in the civil parish of Witchampton in the county of Dorset in the registration

district of Wimborne being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the tenth day of December 1897, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this tenth day of December 1897.

TOM GOMER Superintendent Registrar.

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

WM. T. BAMFORTH Superintendent Registrar.

Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Cambrian Society, Register No. 66 held at Temple Bar Inn Llandebie R.S.O. in the county of Carmarthen, is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 1st day of December 1897 unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears, proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Society to set aside such dissolution, and the same is set aside accordingly.

E. W. BRABROOK Chief Registrar.

28, Abingdon-street, Westminster,
the 1st day of December 1897.

Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

NOTICE is hereby given that the A Friend-in-Need Lodge 320 Merthyr Unity Philanthropic Institution Friendly Society, Register No. 1612 held at Lion Inn, 8 Neath-road Briton Ferry in the county of Glamorgan is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 1st day of December 1897, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears, proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Society to set aside such dissolution, and the same is set aside accordingly.

E. W. BRABROOK, Chief Registrar.

28, Abingdon-street, Westminster,
the 1st day of December 1897.

Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Friendly Benefit Society, Register No. 1298 held at the White Hart Inn Milton-next-Sittingbourne in the county of Kent is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 1st day of December 1897, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears, proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Society to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

E. W. BRABROOK, Chief Registrar.

28, Abingdon-street, Westminster,
the 1st day of December 1897.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the King William Lodge of Independent Free Gardeners Society Registered No. 2166 formerly held at Shoulder of Mutton Inn Briestfield in the county of York are hereby required to send in written particulars of such claims or demands to me the undersigned on or before the 14th day of January 1898 after which date I shall proceed to distribute the assets of the Lodge amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have had notice and I shall not be liable to any person or persons of whose claims I shall not then have had notice for the assets so distributed or any part thereof. After payment of all claims and costs of winding up the Society I shall proceed to distribute the remainder amongst the Members of the Society in accordance with the terms contained in the Instrument of Dissolution.—Dated this 8th day of December 1897.

E. A. BEAUMONT 28 Queen-street Huddersfield Chartered Accountant the person appointed to wind up the said Society.

In the Privy Council.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to Henry Hughes, of the city and county of Bristol, Manufacturer, bearing date the 10th day of June, 1884 and numbered 8825.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the above named Henry Hughes 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 14th 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 14th day of January next.—Dated this 7th day of December 1897.

DARLEY and CUMBERLAND 36 John-street
Bedford-row Agents for
TARR and ARKELL Bristol Solicitors for
the Petitioner.

The Ewood Park Manufacturing Company,
Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the offices of Messrs. G. F. Scott and Co., 39, Mosley-street, Manchester, on the 3rd day of December, 1897, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed, viz.:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Thomas Waterworth, of 68, Victoria-street, Blackburn, Chartered Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

Dated this 3rd day of December, 1897.

G. FREDK. SCOTT Chairman.

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 11th December, 1897, conformably with the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37.

						QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
						Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	...	...	...	...	...	65,817	5	33	9
Barley	...	...	...	...	...	148,981	0	26	0
Oats	...	...	...	...	...	17,181	7	16	6

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	...	...	54,311	2	118,992	0	15,339	4	26	9	28	10	18	3
1894	...	...	60,945	1	157,656	5	22,907	7	20	10	21	5	14	3
1895	...	...	29,010	7	152,223	3	19,506	7	24	9	23	11	13	11
1896	...	...	66,639	5	144,386	5	15,941	4	32	2	25	4	16	8

* 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.,
December 11, 1897.

P. G. CRAIGIE.

AVERAGE PRICE of Wheat, Barley, and Oats per Quarter of Eight Bushels (Imperial Measure), as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise at each of the undermentioned Towns during the week ended Saturday, the 11th December, 1897.

Towns.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Towns.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
London ...	80 10	80 10	17 11	Horsham ...	Nil.	...	...
Uxbridge ...	85 0	...	...	Pulborough ...	Nil.	...	...
Bomford ...	82 6	...	...	Chichester ...	34 4	28 7	17 10
Chelmsford ...	86 7	28 9	15 8	Newport (Hants) ...	...	29 6	...
Colchester ...	34 8	27 7	14 7	Rareham ...	Nil.	...	...
Braintree ...	33 6	27 2	...	Southampton ...	35 3	...	...
Saffron Walden ...	33 5	26 4	15 4	Winchester ...	34 3	23 4	17 3
Bishop's Stortford ...	33 6	27 10	...	Basingstoke ...	34 7	29 1	16 2
Hertford ...	33 7	31 9	16 9	Andover ...	37 1	...	18 6
Royston (Herts) ...	32 2	27 9	17 3	Ringwood ...	Nil.	...	...
Hitchin ...	32 5	25 1	17 8	Wimborne ...	34 3	25 6	16 5
Luton (Bedford) ...	33 8	22 5	16 1	Warcham ...	...	27 0	...
Bedford ...	33 4	26 1	...	Dorchester (Dorset) ...	34 2	27 2	15 7
St. Neots (Hunts) ...	32 7	24 9	18 1	Blandford ...	33 7	25 1	16 2
Huntingdon ...	Nil.	...	...	Bridport ...	34 8	24 10	16 3
St. Ives (Hunts) ...	33 5	23 10	16 1	Honiton ...	Nil.	...	...
Wisbeach ...	33 8	21 4	17 0	Tiverton (Devon) ...	26 0	...	15 8
Ely (Cambridge) ...	33 3	29 6	15 10	Barnstaple ...	Nil.	...	...
Cambridge ...	33 8	25 4	16 8	Exeter ...	25 2	27 3	...
Haverhill ...	33 10	28 5	...	Newton Abbot ...	...	23 11	...
Sudbury (Suffolk) ...	34 6	27 11	...	Totnes ...	33 5	20 4	14 10
Hadleigh (Suffolk) ...	34 4	27 11	17 11	Kingsbridge ...	32 3	23 0	16 0
Ipswich ...	34 1	28 9	14 10	Plymouth ...	31 0	21 3	15 8
Woodbridge ...	35 4	30 1	...	Okehampton ...	...	...	15 4
Stowmarket ...	32 8	28 2	17 11	Liskeard ...	Nil.	...	...
Bury St. Edmunds ...	33 4	28 6	15 11	Wadebridge ...	31 8	21 4	14 11
Saxmundham ...	35 2	27 5	...	Truro ...	33 7	21 10	16 8
Framlingham ...	35 7	29 6	18 0	Bridgwater ...	34 10	26 4	...
Eye (Suffolk) ...	34 2	28 7	...	Taunton ...	33 6	25 10	...
Halesworth ...	32 5	29 8	...	Yeovil ...	33 4	...	16 1
Bungay ...	33 6	28 5	...	Frome ...	Nil.	...	...
Beccles ...	33 9	28 10	16 3	Bath ...	...	26 11	...
Diss ...	34 0	28 0	18 7	Bristol ...	33 0	28 1	...
Harleston (Norfolk) ...	34 1	28 4	...	Warminster ...	34 6	25 6	15 11
Yarmouth (Norfolk) ...	33 11	26 9	...	Salisbury ...	34 8	25 4	16 11
Norwich ...	33 5	27 8	16 2	Devizes ...	34 4	23 10	16 2
North Walsham (Norfolk) ...	...	28 0	16 3	Swindon (Wilts) ...	35 4	24 4	17 7
Holt (Norfolk) ...	...	20 6	...	Cirencester ...	31 8	18 4	15 10
Fakenham ...	33 4	25 5	14 11	Gloucester ...	35 0	19 2	19 7
East Dereham ...	33 4	26 4	18 7	Cheltenham ...	32 10	20 1	14 4
Watton (Norfolk) ...	33 4	25 4	...	Tewkesbury ...	34 8	...	...
Lynn ...	33 9	24 9	16 11	Chepstow ...	...	29 1	...
Spalding ...	33 2	21 11	16 11	Newport (Mon.) ...	31 8	...	...
Stamford ...	33 0	25 7	19 11	Monmouth ...	Nil.	...	...
Grantham ...	34 2	24 2	16 11	Ross ...	33 4	23 5	...
Sleaford ...	34 5	23 2	16 2	Hareford ...	32 5	21 5	14 7
Boston ...	33 10	20 9	16 2	Evesham ...	33 7	...	...
Louth ...	34 3	23 8	17 4	Worcester ...	33 10	26 1	17 9
Lincoln ...	34 3	24 4	16 5	Ludlow ...	Nil.	...	...
Gainsborough ...	35 0	21 4	14 5	Bridgnorth ...	32 2	24 4	15 0
Brigg ...	33 2	24 3	15 9	Shrewsbury ...	33 4	...	16 9
Hull ...	33 0	...	16 0	Oswestry ...	30 9	24 9	...
Howden ...	...	23 0	...	Market Drayton ...	32 5	25 10	16 3
Beverley ...	32 0	23 10	...	Wolverhampton ...	34 2	26 5	23 1
Bridlington ...	33 9	21 3	16 10	Stafford ...	31 7	25 1	17 0
Retford ...	35 0	24 1	17 5	Burton-on-Trent ...	34 2	26 5	17 8
Worksop ...	...	24 9	16 1	Derby ...	34 2	...	15 10
Mansfield ...	31 11	18 4	16 4	Sheffield ...	33 6	16 10	...
Newark ...	34 1	25 4	15 1	Doncaster ...	35 3	24 1	17 1
Nottingham ...	35 2	21 6	17 3	Goole ...	35 11	...	...
Loughborough ...	35 3	24 0	14 10	Pontefract ...	35 0	25 9	17 4
Leicester ...	31 10	22 9	18 0	Wakefield ...	35 5	25 3	...
Melton Mowbray ...	32 3	21 10	16 10	Leeds ...	35 9	29 7	...
Oakham ...	Nil.	...	...	Knaresborough ...	...	22 9	...
Peterborough ...	33 8	24 5	16 10	Ripon ...	...	...	23 2
Kettering ...	33 4	22 11	15 10	York ...	34 11	23 0	17 0
Northampton ...	32 2	24 9	16 0	Easingwold ...	Nil.	...	...
Daventry ...	Nil.	...	...	Malton ...	34 3	23 4	16 9
Coventry ...	32 0	20 6	17 4	Scarborough ...	34 1	23 8	16 9
Birmingham ...	31 1	23 9	...	Thirsk ...	34 1	22 5	17 4
Warwick ...	32 11	20 7	17 4	Bedale ...	...	23 8	...
Stratford-on-Avon ...	...	30 2	...	Northallerton ...	...	22 2	...
Banbury ...	30 1	21 2	15 5	Darlington ...	34 0	22 1	18 5
Oxford ...	35 1	25 11	...	Stockton-on-Tees ...	34 4	...	...
Bicester ...	34 4	...	15 1	Bishop Auckland ...	36 1	...	...
Newport Pagnell ...	32 9	24 1	17 2	Sunderland ...	33 2	19 6	...
Aylesbury ...	33 9	...	...	Newcastle-on-Tyne ...	34 6	17 10	...
Abingdon ...	35 2	30 8	17 1	Alnwick ...	...	21 4	18 10
Didcot ...	38 0	20 0	...	Berwick ...	30 5	22 11	17 0
Wallingford ...	35 3	21 4	...	Carlisle ...	29 4	23 8	15 11
Hungerford ...	37 0	28 4	17 0	Egremont (Cumberland) ...	Nil.	...	...
Newbury (Berks) ...	36 10	26 5	15 6	Ponrith ...	...	...	16 8
Reading ...	36 10	32 1	17 6	Kendal ...	Nil.	...	...
Farnham (Surrey) ...	...	32 9	...	Garstang ...	32 2	...	15 2
Guildford ...	35 7	31 9	...	Preston (Lancashire) ...	Nil.	...	...
Reigate ...	Nil.	...	...	Manchester ...	32 7	...	...
Kingston (Surrey) ...	Nil.	...	...	Warrington ...	33 9	...	16 1
Croydon (Surrey) ...	31 9	...	...	Chester ...	33 7	25 7	...
Dartford ...	Nil.	...	...	Llangefni (Anglesey) ...	...	22 7	13 11
Rochester (Kent) ...	Nil.	...	...	Caerwron ...	...	...	13 8
Sandwich ...	33 0	20 1	19 10	Deubigh ...	30 3	...	...
Canterbury ...	35 10	31 3	17 0	Wrexham ...	...	26 7	14 9
Ashford (Kent) ...	31 7	29 10	20 6	Walspool ...	32 0	21 8	...
Maidstone ...	35 1	35 6	...	Cardigan ...	...	26 8	...
Tunbridge ...	Nil.	...	...	Haverfordwest ...	...	20 4	14 5
Lewes ...	...	...	17 8	Carmarthen ...	Nil.	...	...
Brighton ...	33 5	...	...	Cardiff ...	Nil.	...	...
Hayward's Heath ...	33 10	...	...	Brecon ...	Nil.	...	...

RECEIPTS into and ISSUES out of the EXCHEQUER, between the 1st April, 1897, and the 11th December, 1897.

REVENUE AND OTHER RECEIPTS.	Estimate for the Year 1897-98	Total Receipts into the Exchequer from		EXPENDITURE AND OTHER ISSUES.	Estimate for the Year 1897-98. (including Supplementary Estimates).	Total Issues out of the Exchequer to meet Payments from	
		1st April, 1897, to 11th December, 1897.	1st April, 1896, to 12th December, 1896.			1st April, 1897, to 11th December, 1897.	1st April, 1896, to 12th December, 1896.
Balances in Exchequer on 1st April:—	£	£	£				
Bank of England... ..	—	9,122,935	8,163,964				
Bank of Ireland	—	744,198	811,237				
		9,867,133	8,975,201				
REVENUE.				EXPENDITURE.			
Customs	21,500,000	15,368,000	15,013,000	Permanent Charge of Debt... ..	25,000,000	17,327,320	17,843,466
Excise	27,750,000	19,842,000	19,405,000	Other Consolidated Fund Services	1,650,000	1,120,289	1,126,021
Estate, &c., Duties	9,700,000	7,429,000	7,628,000	Supply Services	76,087,000	48,850,711	47,635,255
Stamps	7,000,000	5,330,000	5,281,000		102,737,000		
Land Tax and House Duty	2,400,000	495,000	470,000			67,298,320	66,604,742
Property and Income Tax	16,900,000	4,590,000	4,477,000				
Post Office	11,935,000	7,800,000	7,610,000	OTHER ISSUES.			
Telegraph Service	2,919,000	2,165,000	2,090,000	For Advances for Bullion, &c.		450,000	610,000
Crown Lands	415,000	275,000	275,000	For Supply purposes (net amount)... ..		1,325,000	1,592,200
Interest on Suez Canal Shares, &c.	750,000	442,420	438,437	Under Barracks Act, 1890		200,000	320,000
Miscellaneous	1,775,000	1,273,036	1,341,126	„ Telegraph Acts, 1892 and 1896		130,000	98,000
				„ Uganda Railway Act, 1896		408,000	228,000
REVENUE	103,044,000	65,009,456	64,028,613	„ Public Offices (Acquisition of Site) Act, 1895		250,000	55,000
				Surplus Revenue of 1895-96 applied under the Naval Works Act, 1896		146,000	1,086,590
Total, including Balance		74,876,589	73,003,814	Surplus Revenue of 1896-97 applied under the Military Works Act, 1897		360,000	—
						70,567,320	70,594,532
OTHER RECEIPTS.							
Repayment of Advances for Bullion, &c.		233,655	447,667				
Under Telegraph Act, 1892		—	547,114				
„ Uganda Railway Act, 1896		—	147,000				
Totals		75,160,244	74,145,595				

	1897. 11th December, £	1896. 12th December, £
Balances in Exchequer—		
Bank of England	3,958,183	2,959,135
Bank of Ireland	634,741	591,928
Totals	4,592,924	3,551,063

Treasury, December 14, 1897.

ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of Agricultural Produce Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 11th December, 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	8,011	9,184
Sheep and Lambs	...	...	...	"	5,959	7,836
Swine	...	...	...	"	—	—
Fresh Meat:—						
Beef	...	...	...	cwts.	32,570	37,492
Mutton	...	...	...	"	37,140	74,055
Pork	...	...	...	"	10,764	14,518
Salted or Preserved Meat:—						
Bacon	...	...	...	"	80,279	102,608
Beef	...	...	...	"	5,413	2,827
Hams	...	...	...	"	28,343	17,659
Pork	...	...	...	"	4,807	4,313
Meat unenumerated, salted and fresh	...	...	...	"	6,394	22,370
Meat preserved, otherwise than by salting	...	...	...	"	13,384	10,899
Dairy Produce and Substitutes:—						
Butter	...	...	...	"	56,386	55,381
Margarine	...	...	...	"	21,466	20,697
Cheese	...	...	...	"	27,334	103,326
Milk, Condensed	...	...	...	"	17,003	16,041
Milk and Cream, Fresh or Preserved, other than Condensed Milk	...	...	...	...	Galls. 1,243	Cwts. 454
Eggs	...	...	...	Great Hundred	351,304	281,463
Poultry and Game	...	...	...	Value £	19,567	16,952
Rabbits, dead (not tinned)	...	...	...	cwts.	3,141	5,159
Lard	...	...	...	"	13,880	27,861
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour:—						
Wheat	...	...	...	"	1,651,700	1,397,200
Wheat Meal and Flour	...	...	...	"	485,940	526,500
Barley	...	...	...	"	440,020	276,100
Oats	...	...	...	"	568,640	284,900
Pease	...	...	...	"	118,590	50,710
Beans	...	...	...	"	21,490	42,570
Maize or Indian Corn	...	...	...	"	1,177,600	782,700
Fruit, Raw:—						
Apples	...	...	...	Bush.	382,917	93,263
Oranges	...	...	...	"	345,614	401,432
Lemons	...	...	...	"	24,954	46,782
Cherries	...	...	...	"	—	—
Plums	...	...	...	"	—	—
Pears	...	...	...	"	2,366	4,496
Grapes	...	...	...	"	695	485
Unenumerated	...	...	...	"	9,281	13,194
Hay	...	...	...	Tons	3,268	2,026
Hops	...	...	...	cwts.	8,478	7,396
Vegetables:—						
Onions, raw	...	...	...	Bush.	110,168	122,909
Potatoes	...	...	...	cwts.	2,009	110,449
Unenumerated	...	...	...	Value £	12,863	14,663

Statistical Office, Custom House, London,
December 13, 1897.

T. J. PITTAR.

In the Matter of the Mines and Mercantile Finance Corporation Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at 14 and 15 Coleman-street in the city of London on the 22nd day of November last the following Special Resolution was duly passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company also duly convened and held at the same place on the 8th day of December last the following resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Mines and Mercantile Finance Corporation Limited be voluntarily wound up and that James Dennis of 129 Cheapside in the city of London Merchant and G. Shirley of 14 and 15 Coleman-street in the city of London Secretary of the aforesaid Company be and are hereby appointed joint Liquidators of the Company for the purposes of such winding up."

Dated the 10th day of December 1897.

R. SHACKEEL Chairman.

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 49 Weeks ended 9th December, 1897.

PORTS.	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.
Week ended 9th December, 1897.												
Liverpool ...	137,021	582	14	10,542	361	148,520	503	715	...	858	625	2,701
London ...	...	...	207	...	...	207	144	...	...	...	...	144
Hull ...	994	...	...	...	...	994	430	...	...	982	26	1,438
Manchester ...	8,849	...	...	7,167	...	16,016	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Ports ...	2,669	...	...	...	...	2,669	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	149,533	582	221	17,709	361	168,406	1,077	715	...	1,840	651	4,283
49 Weeks ended 9th December, 1897.												
Liverpool ...	2,237,679	69,200	54,044	249,176	51,346	2,661,445	119,893	4,035	10,128	51,468	15,368	200,892
London ...	10,438	...	40,934	...	700	52,072	14,761	...	38,409	...	187	53,307
Hull ...	66,888	...	3,204	18,496	...	88,588	95,807	500	2,704	22,998	758	122,767
Manchester ...	176,798	...	...	74,576	...	251,374	15	...	...	469	...	484
Other Ports ...	47,254	1,316	3	...	162	48,735	42,835	...	445	10	53	43,343
Total ...	2,589,057	70,516	98,185	342,248	52,208	3,102,214	273,311	4,535	51,686	74,945	16,316	420,793

Dated December 10, 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 4th day of December, 1897.

PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.				Average Amount.
				£
Ashford Bank	Ashford ...	Pomfret and Co.		4978
Aylesbury Old Bank	Aylesbury ...	Cobb, Bartlett, and Co.		6700
Banbury Bank	Banbury ...	Gillett and Co.		5369
Banbury Old Bank	Banbury ...	T. R. Cobb and Sen		4184
Bedford Bank	Bedford ...	Barnard and Co.		11370
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank	Bicester ...	Tubb and Co.		7967
Buckingham Bank	Buckingham ...	Bartlett and Co.		6770
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank	Cambridge ...	Foster and Co.		23559
Canterbury Bank	Canterbury ...	Hammond and Co.		6957
City Bank, Exeter	Exeter ...	Milford and Co....		3721
Derby Bank	Derby ...	Samuel Smith and Co.		4882
Exeter Bank	Exeter ...	Sanders and Co....		7092
Faversham Bank	Faversham ...	Hilton and Co.		2422
Ipswich Bank	Ipswich ...	Bacon and Co.		11428
Kingston-upon-Hull and Hull Bank... ..	Kingston-upon-Hull ...	Smith Brothers and Co.		11450
Kington and Radnorshire Bank	Kington ...	Davies and Co.		12305
Leeds Old Bank	Leeds ...	Beckett and Co.		43664
Leeds Bank	Leeds ...	Wm. Wms. Brown and Co.		24139
Lincoln Bank	Lincoln ...	Smith, Ellison, and Co....		53059
Llandovery, Lampeter, and Llan-dilo Banks... ..	Llandovery ...	D. Jones and Co.		15202
Naval Bank	Plymouth ...	Harris, Bulteel, and Co.		4874
Newark Bank	Newark ...	Samuel Smith and Co.		7283
Newmarket Bank	Newmarket ...	Hammond and Co.		6361
Nottingham Bank	Nottingham ...	Samuel Smith and Co.		15724
Oxford Old Bank	Oxford ...	Parsons and Co.		13930
Oxfordshire Witney Bank	Witney ...	Gillett and Co.		4644
Reading Bank	Reading ...	Simonds and Co.		10150
Reading Bank	Reading ...	Stephens, Blandy, and Co.		9283
Richmond Bank	Richmond ...	Roper and Co.		3963
Sleaford and Newark Bank, and Newark and Sleaford Bank	Sleaford ...	Peacock and Co.		11720
Tring, Aylesbury, and Chesham Bank	Tring ...	Butcher and Sons		7753
Uxbridge Old Bank	Uxbridge ...	Woodbridge and Co.		840
Wallingford Bank	Wallingford ...	Hedges, Wells, and Co....		1337
Wellington Somerset Bank	Wellington ...	Fox, Fowler, and Co.		3305
West Riding Bank, Wakefield; and Pontefract Bank	Wakefield ...	Leatham, Tew, and Co.		18540
Worcester, Great Malvern, and Tewkesbury Old Bank	Worcester ...	Berwick, Lechmere, and Co.		13532
Yarmouth, Norfolk, and Suffolk Bank	Great Yarmouth ...	Lacons, Youell, and Co.		4495
York and East Riding Bank	Beverley... ..	Beckett and Co....		43155

JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£
Bank of Whitehaven Limited	Whitehaven ...	...	10772
Bradford Banking Company Limited	Bradford ...	...	24887
Bradford Commercial Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	Bradford ...	...	11830
Burton Union Bank Limited	Burton-upon-Trent	...	17329
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company Limited	Carlisle ...	...	22277
Cumberland Union Banking Company Limited	Carlisle ...	...	31815
Derby and Derbyshire Banking Company Limited	Derby ...	...	5230
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company Limited	Halifax ...	...	6937
Halifax Commercial Banking Company Limited	Halifax ...	...	8892
Halifax Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	Halifax ...	...	18889
Knaresborough and Claro Banking Company Limited	Harrogate...	...	22285
Lancaster Banking Company Limited	Lancaster ...	...	54319
Leicestershire Banking Company Limited	Leicester ...	...	31441
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company Limited	Lincoln ...	...	47110
Moore and Robinson's Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited	Nottingham ...	...	12016
North and South Wales Bank Limited	Liverpool ...	...	46657
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited	Nottingham ...	...	23192
Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company Limited	Leicester ...	...	20793
Sheffield and Hallamshire Bank Limited	Sheffield ...	...	8629
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	Sheffield ...	...	12308
Sheffield Banking Company Limited	Sheffield ...	...	14778
Stamford, Spalding, and Boston Banking Company Limited	Stamford ...	...	40705
Stuckey's Banking Company Limited	Langport ...	...	112930
Swaledale and Wensleydale Banking Company Limited	Richmond (Yorks)	...	45817
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank Limited	Wakefield ...	...	6752
West Riding Union Banking Company Limited	Huddersfield ...	...	11687
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	Whitehaven ...	...	21985
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company Limited	Salisbury ...	...	61295
York City and County Banking Company Limited	York ...	...	87820
Yorkshire Banking Company Limited	Leeds ...	...	110868
York Union Banking Company Limited	York ...	...	68795

Inland Revenue Office, December 11, 1897.

J. S. PURCELL, Registrar of Bank Returns.

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

Mr. Justice Wright.
00260 of 1897.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of P. S. Phillips Limited.

BY an Order made by Mr. Justice Wright in the above matters dated the 17th day of November 1897 upon the petition of George William Hawksley trading as Hawksley Wild and Co. of the Brightside Boiler and Engine Works in the city of Sheffield Engineer a creditor of the above named Company it was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the said P. S. Phillips 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 it be referred to the Registrar Companies (Winding-up) to appoint an additional Liquidator of the said Company to act with the present Liquidator Philip Samuel Phillips but such additional Liquidator when appointed was not to act without the leave of the Court beyond

investigating into the affairs of the said Company and reporting the result of such investigation to the Court such report to be filed within 3 months from the date of the said Order. And it was ordered that the costs of the petitioner of the said Company and of the creditors supporting the said petition be taxed and paid out of the assets of the said Company but on such taxation only one set of costs was to be allowed the said creditors. And the creditors contributories and Liquidator or Liquidators of the said Company and all other persons interested were to be at liberty to apply as there might be occasion and the time within which the said Order was to be advertised in the London Gazette was extended until the 14th day December 1897.—Dated the 9th day of December 1897.

LE BRASSEUR and OAKLEY 12 New-courthouse Lincoln's-inn London W.C. Agents for

LE BRASSEUR and BOWEN of Newport in the county of Monmouth Solicitors for the said Petitioner.

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

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).

Bedfordshire and Huntingdonshire.—A district or Board of Agriculture, 14th December, 1897.

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 December 11th, 1897, distinguishing Counties (including Boroughs*).

ANTHRAX.			
County.	Outbreaks reported.	Animals Attacked.	
ENGLAND.		No.	No.
Cornwall	1	1	
Essex	1	3	
Norfolk	1	1	
Northampton	1	1	
WALES.			
Carmarthen	1	2	
SCOTLAND.			
Banff	1	1	
Fife	1	1	
Liolithgow	1	1	
TOTAL	8	11	

RABIES.			
County.	Cases reported during the Week.		Number of Dogs destroyed as having been exposed to Infection.
	Dogs.	Other Animals.	
ENGLAND.			
London	No. 3	No. ...	No. 3
Surrey	2	...	...
Sussex, Western Division.	1	...	...
York, North Riding ...	1	...	...
WALES.			
Carmarthen ... ..	...	...	3
TOTAL	7	...	6

GLANDERS (INCLUDING FARCY).			
County.	Outbreaks reported.	Animals which remained Diseased at the end of the previous week.	Animals reported during the Week as Attacked.
ENGLAND.		No.	No.
Hertford	1	...	1
Kent	2	...	4
London	12	...	16
Middlesex	1	...	3
SCOTLAND.			
Lanark	1	...	7
TOTAL	17	...	31

* 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).

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

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 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 Greta 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 Ewercross, 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 Starbottan, 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 Dec. 11, 1897	No. 8	No. 11	...	...	No. 17	No. 31	...	...	...	No. 7	No. ...	No. 20	No. 340
Corresponding week in	1896	8	12	...	...	16	26	...	...	2	...	63	1,359
	1895	10	19	...	...	13	42	...	...	8	...	134	1,913
	1894	13	18	...	...	18	32	...	...	9	...	79	698
Total for 50 Weeks 1897.	414	852	...	...	884	1,529	7	46	741	154	16	2,118	39,640
Corresponding period in	1896	473	869	...	...	790	1,263	2	9	183	428	5,060	78,036
	1895	408	872	...	...	913	1,550	1	...	43	657	6,106	67,165
	1894	477	975	3	268	940	1,390	2	15	391	224	5,564	55,103

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

Board of Agriculture, 14th December, 1897.

Lead Office, December 7, 1897.

THE Court of Assistants of the Corporation of the Governor and Company for Smelting down Lead with Pit Coal and Sea Coal, do hereby give notice, that a General Court of Election of a Governor, Deputy-Governor, and eight Assistants for the year ensuing will be held at the Company's Office, 9, Martin's-lane, London, on Tuesday, 4th January next, from twelve o'clock at noon till one o'clock in the afternoon. The Transfer Book will be closed from the 30th instant to the 4th January inclusive.

JOHN ELLIOTT, Secretary.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893.

The Holman's Lucky Hill Gold Mine Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at Winchester House, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, on Thursday, the 25th day of November, 1897, the following resolutions were passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, also duly convened and held at Winchester House, Old Broad-street, in the said city of London, on Friday, the 10th day of December, 1897, the said resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company, and that with a view thereto the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Edward William Fellgate, of 63, New Broad-street, in the city of London, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up at a remuneration of £50.

2. "That the said Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized to consent to the registration of a new Company, to be named 'The Holman's Lucky Hill Gold Mine, Limited,' with a Memorandum and Articles of Association, which have been already prepared with the privity and approval of the Directors.

3. "That the draft agreement submitted to this Meeting and expressed to be made between this Company and its Liquidator of the one part and the new Company of the other part be and the

same is hereby approved, and that the said Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized, pursuant to section 161 of the Companies Act of 1862, to enter into an agreement with such new Company (when incorporated) in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect with such (if any) modifications as he thinks expedient."

GEO. HARDIE Chairman.

"Leyden" Steamship Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at the registered office of the Company, 19, Tower-buildings North, Liverpool, on the 23rd 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 the 9th day of December, 1897, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That the 'Leyden' Steamship Company, Limited, be wound up under voluntary liquidation.

2. "That Mr. H. H. McAllester shall be and is hereby appointed as Liquidator to wind up the affairs of the 'Leyden' Steamship Company, Limited, and to distribute the assets."

R. ALEXANDER, Chairman.

F. G. B. CRAWLEY, 5, Chancery-lane, London, Solicitor.

In the Matter of the United Kingdom Oil and Meal Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company duly convened and held at Cogan House Bowl-alley-lane Hull on the 22nd day of November 1897 the following Special Resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company also duly convened and held at the same place on the 8th day of December 1897 the following resolution was duly confirmed viz:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily

and that Mr. William Dyson Theaker of Exchange-buildings Bowlalley-lane Hull Accountant be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

Dated the 8th day of December 1897.

THOS. BINLEY Chairman.

In the Matter of the Byron Syndicate Limited.

AT Extraordinary General Meetings of the Members of the above named Company duly convened and held at No. 23 Bucklersbury E.C., on the 22nd day of November and the 9th day of December 1897 respectively the subjoined Special Resolutions were duly passed and confirmed:—

1. "That the Byron Syndicate, Limited, be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1867.

2. "That Mr. Gerald B. Manley be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up at a remuneration of fifty guineas."

Dated this ninth day of December 1897.

J. EDWD. C. BRADLEY Chairman.

The Sanitary Burial Association Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company duly convened and held at No. 3 Brabant-court Philpot-lane in the city of London on the 8th day of December 1897 the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed:—

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

"That Mr. M. Ehrenfeldt, of 3, Brabant-court Philpot-lane, E.C., is hereby appointed the Liquidator of the Company."

Dated this 8th December 1897.

A. J. BLACKMAN Chairman.

The Guadalupe (Honduras) Gold and Silver Mining Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company held at No. 11A Union-court Old Broad-street in the city of London on the 9th day of December 1897 the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

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

And at the same Meeting Alfred Beavis Chartered Accountant of 11A Union-court Old Broad-street London E.C. was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.—Dated this 9th day of December 1897.

RICHARD H. NERNAY Secretary.

Eunson and Scurr, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at the Company's office, Fulwell-road, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, on the 15th November, 1897, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place on the 1st December, 1897, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company, and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Percy Farbridge Ward,

of 32 Grainger-street West, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Chartered Accountant, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

ISAAC MAUGHAN Chairman.

The Grand Hotel Company of Manchester, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Grand Hotel Company of Manchester, Limited, duly convened and held at 1, Great George-street, Westminster, London, on the 17th 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 the 3rd day of December, 1897, the said Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That the sale of the Company's property to Arthur Chetwynd having been confirmed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on the 8th day of November, 1897, the Company be wound up voluntarily.

2. "That Mr. Andrew Archer Gillies, of 46, Brown-street, in the city of Manchester, Chartered Accountant, be and is hereby appointed the Liquidator for the purpose of such voluntary winding-up."

GRANVILLE R. RYDER Chairman.

ROBERT C. PONSONBY 1. Clement's-inn Strand W.C. Solicitor.

In the Matter of the Throgmorton Syndicate, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at Lombard House, George-yard, Lombard-street, in the city of London, on Monday the 1st day of November, 1897, the following Special Resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company also duly convened and held at the same place, on Tuesday the 16th day of November, 1897, the following resolution was confirmed:—

"That the Throgmorton Syndicate, Limited, be wound up voluntarily, and that Charles Minshall be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated this 16th day of November, 1897.

P. W. EVENNETT Chairman.

In the Matter of Edwin Walker and 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, St. Peter's-street, Huddersfield, in the county of York, on the fifteenth 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 the thirtieth day of November, 1897, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed, viz.:—

1. "That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company, and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. George P. Norton, of Huddersfield, Chartered Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up.

2. "That the said Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized to consent to the registration of a new Company, Limited, with a Memorandum and Articles of Association which have been prepared with the privity and approval of the Directors of this Company.

3. "That the draft agreement submitted to this Meeting and expressed to be made between this Company and its Liquidator of the one part, and Edwin Walker and Company, Limited (the new Company) of the other part, be, and the same is hereby approved, and that the said Liquidator be and he is hereby authorized, pursuant to section 161 of the Companies Act, 1862, to enter into an agreement with such new Company (when incorporated) in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect with such (if any) modifications as he thinks expedient."

Dated the 30th day of November, 1897.

EDWARD ROWBOTTOM Chairman.

Ward and Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened, and held at 98 Woodgrange-road, Forest Gate in the county of Essex on the twenty-third day of November, 1897, the following Special Resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the eighth day of December 1897, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

Resolved—"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Charles James March, Chartered Accountant of the firm of Messrs. W. B. Keen and Co., Church-court, Old Jewry, in the city of London, be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

FUTVOYE, FIELD and BAKER, 23, John-street, Bedford-row, W.C., Solicitors.

The Shoeburyness Gas Consumers Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shoeburyness Gas Consumers Company Limited duly convened and held at the Company's office Smith-street Shoeburyness in the county of Essex on Wednesday the 17th day of November 1897 the subjoined Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place on the 3rd day of December 1897 the subjoined Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890.

2. "That Mr. William Coupe and Mr. James Glasscock of Shoeburyness be the Liquidators of the Company."

W. COUPE Chairman.

In the Matter of the Steamship Trust Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Steamship Trust Limited duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company 95 Colmore-row Birmingham on the 22nd 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 place aforesaid on the 9th day of December 1897, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed, namely:—

1. "That the Steamship Trust Limited be wound up voluntarily.

2. "That Mr. Walter Chamberlain the Chairman of the Board of Directors be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company and distributing its property."

Dated this 9th day of December 1897.

WALTER CHAMBERLAIN Chairman.

In the Matter of the Steamship Trust Limited (in Voluntary Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named Company are required on or before the 17th 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 us the undersigned Solicitors for Mr. Walter Chamberlain 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 9th day of December 1897.

JOHNSON and Co., 36, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, Solicitors to the Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Kent Coalfields Syndicate Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 14th day of February 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 Augustus Venn of 95 Great Russell-street Bloomsbury in the county of London 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 11th day of December 1897.

CHARLES AUGUSTUS VENN Liquidator.

LAKE and LAKE 10 New-square W.C. Solicitors.

In the Matter of Holman's Lucky Hill Gold Mine Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 31st 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 Edward William Fellgate of 63 and 64 New 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 13th day of December 1897.

ERNEST H. SAUNDERS Boston House, New Broad-street London E.C. Solicitor to the above named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Byron Syndicate Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 30th 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. Gerald B. Manley of 23 Bucklersbury, 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 distribu-

tion made before such debts are proved.—Dated this tenth day of December 1897.

LYDE and ROPER 32 Great St. Helen's
London E.C. Solicitors to the above
named Liquidator.

The Guadalupe (Honduras) Gold and Silver
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 the undersigned Alfred Beavis of 11A Union-court, Old Broad-street, London E.C. 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 10th day of December 1897.

ALFRED BEAVIS Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1893 and in the Matter of John Shearman and Co. Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named Company are required on or before the 20th day of December 1897, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims to Joseph Stanfield of 77 St. Mary-street, Cardiff the Liquidator appointed in the voluntary winding up of the said Company.—Dated this 10th day of December 1897.

H. T. Box, Theatre Royal-chambers,
St. Mary-street, Cardiff, Solicitor to the
above-named Liquidator.

The Woodstock Railway Company.

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 37 Great George-street in the city of Westminster on Wednesday the nineteenth day of January 1898 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.—Dated this tenth day of December 1897.

W. F. Woods Liquidator.

The Gordon Club 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. 46 Finsbury-circus in the city of London on Monday the 17th day of January 1898 at 4 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated this 9th day of December 1897.

ALGERNON E. SYDNEY Liquidator.

The New Coal Brick Syndicate Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the offices of Messrs. Hull Blyth and Co. 4 Fenchurch-avenue in the city of London on Wednesday the 19th day of January 1898 at 2.30 o'clock in the

afternoon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books accounts and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated this 9th day of December 1897.

W. M. BLYTH Liquidator.

The Palatine Pneumatic Tyre Company Limited.
In Voluntary Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the offices of Messrs. T. W. Gillibrand and Schofield Accountants 33 Mosley-street, Manchester on Wednesday the 19th day of January 1898 at four 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 Liquidators and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books accounts and documents of the Company and of the Liquidators thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated the 10th day of December, 1897.

T. W. GILLIBRAND } Liquidators.
EDWIN PIERCE }

Newtown Conservative Club Buildings Company,
Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, 136 Ormskirk-road, Newtown near Wigan, on Friday the 14th day of January, 1898, at 8 o'clock P.M. 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 pass resolutions with reference to the books and accounts of the Company.—Dated this 10th day of December, 1897.

JOHN HEATON Liquidator.

HENRY N. BRYAN, Hindley Wigan Soli-
citor.

The Kilburn Town Hall Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at 63 and 64 Chancery-lane on the eighteenth day of January 1898, at 7 o'clock precisely, 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 by Extraordinary Resolution determining the manner in which the books, accounts and other documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated this 11th day of December 1897.

PERCIVAL McCULLOCH Liquidator.

The Share Loan Company 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 the offices of the Company 11 and 12 Clement's-lane on Tuesday the 18th of January at 3 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the

winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated the 18th day of December 1897. C. JOVANNO Liquidator.

The Credenda Tube Company 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 6 Bennett's-hill Birmingham on Wednesday the 19th day of January 1898 at one o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated the 10th day of December 1897.

W. H. TYTHER, Liquidator.

The Manchester and Dieppe Steamship Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the above named Company will be held at the offices of Mr. Walter Price Price-Heywood the Liquidator thereof 26 Brown-street Manchester on Monday the seventeenth January 1897 at three o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of having the Liquidator's accounts, showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, laid before such Meeting, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; 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 11th December 1897.

H. DERWENT SIMPSON 33 Brazen-nose-street, Manchester, Solicitor for Liquidator.

Nottingham Operative Tailors' Co-operative Society Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Society will be held at the office of the Liquidator, 4 Bridlesmith-gate Nottingham, on Saturday the 15th day of January 1898 at 12 o'clock at noon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Society disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.

WM. R. HAMILTON Liquidator.

The Oriental-Norseman Gold Mines Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act of 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at 13 Austin Friars, in the city of London, on Thursday the 20th day of January 1898, at 2 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 14th day of December 1897.

A. P. PHILLIPS Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of Brett's Stamping Company Limited. In Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the offices of Mr. Elkanah Mackintosh Sharp 120 Colmore-row Birmingham on the 27th day of January 1898 at 12 o'clock at noon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator and also to determine by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books of account and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated this 10th day of December 1897.

E. M. SHARP Liquidator.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Thomas Gallimore Hammersley Margaret Hammersley and Susan Annie Corn carrying on business as Manufacturers of Earthenware at the Averhouse Pottery in Burslem in the county of Stafford and at 25 Thavies-inn Holborn in the county of Middlesex under the style or firm of Ralph Hammersley and Son has this day been dissolved by mutual consent so far as regards the said Susan Annie Corn who retires from the firm. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Thomas Gallimore Hammersley and Margaret Hammersley who will continue the said business under the present style or firm of Ralph Hammersley and Son.—As witness our hands this 29th day of November 1897.

T. G. HAMMERSLEY.
MARGARET HAMMERSLEY.
SUSAN ANNIE CORN.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Baron Jacob Cohen and Jacob Lipson carrying on business as the Crown Furuishing Company at 33 Holloway-road London N. has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the twentieth day of June 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 Baron Jacob Cohen.—Dated this 20th day of July 1897.

B. J. COHEN.
J. LIPSON.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Charles Abel Nicoll and Frederick Villiers Lucas carrying on business as Auctioneers House and Estate Agents and Valuers at 21 High-street East Ham and 156 the Grove Stratford under the style or firm of Nicoll and Lucas 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 Charles Abel Nicoll.—Dated this 30th day of November 1897.

C. A. NICOLL.
F. V. LUCAS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Charles Douglas Mackenzie and Wilberforce Augustine Combes as Auctioneers Valuers and Estate Agents at the Oatmeal-row, Market-place, Salisbury, under the style of Mackenzie and Combes has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on by the said Wilberforce Augustine Combes alone.—Dated this 9th day of December 1897.

C. D. MACKENZIE.
W. A. COMBES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned Henry Ladyman and John William Pyman carrying on business as Brush and Mat Manufacturers at 52 Park-lane in the city of Liverpool under the style or firm of Ladyman and Pyman has this day been dissolved by mutual consent and all debts owing by and due to the said late firm will be paid and received by the said Henry Ladyman by whom the said business will in future be carried on under the style of Ladyman and Co.—Dated this 9th day of December 1897.

HENRY LADYMAN.
JOHN W. PYMAN.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned John Oswald Sturgeon and Maurice Lazarus carrying on business as Pawnbrokers at Number 221 High-street Gateshead in the county of Durham under the style or firm of the Northern Pawnbroking Company has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the tenth day of December one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven. All debts due to and owing by and all the obligations of the said late firm will be received and discharged by the said Maurice Lazarus who has taken over the business and will continue to carry on the same under the old style of the Northern Pawnbroking Company.—Dated this 10th day of December 1897.

J. O. STURGEON.
MAURICE LAZARUS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Thomas Hall and Walter Douglas Hall carrying on business as Merchants and Commission Agents at 50 Fountain-street Manchester under the style or firm of Hall and Company has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 9th day of December 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Thomas Hall.—Dated the 9th day of December 1897.

THOMAS HALL.
WALTER DOUGLAS HALL.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned Frederick William Cooper the younger and William Edwin Elliott in the trade or business of Manufacturers of Hosiery and carried on by us at Numbers 67 and 69 Hounds-gate and at Trent-street both in the city of Nottingham under the firm of Cooper and Elliott has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this ninth day of December 1897.

F. W. COOPER, JNR.
W. E. ELLIOTT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Robert Robson and William Robson carrying on business as Painters Paperhangers and Decorators at 22 Pilgrim-street Newcastle-upon-Tyne under the style or firm of Robert Robson has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the seventh day of December 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Robert Robson.—Dated 7th day of December 1897.

ROBERT ROBSON.
WILLIAM ROBSON.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Henry Pattinson, Arthur Edward Pattinson, and Miles Bell (the members constituting the firm of John R. Pattinson and Co. of 3 Rumford-street Liverpool) and William Dodgson, carrying on business at Bereys-buildings George-street in the city of Liverpool as General Carting, Warehousing, and Forwarding Agents under the style or firm of Wm. Dodgson and Co. has been dissolved as on and from the 9th day of December 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm of Wm. Dodgson and Co. will be received and paid by the said firm of John R. Pattinson and Co. at 3 Rumford-street Liverpool aforesaid.—Dated this 13th day of December 1897.

HENRY PATTINSON. MILES BELL.
ARTHUR E. PATTINSON. WM. DODGSON.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Richard Edmund Turner and Wilson Hartley carrying on business as Oil Grease and Tallow Manufacturers and Refiners at Gorsey Mount Waterloo Stockport under the style or firm of Hartley and Turner has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the tenth day of November 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Richard Edmund Turner.—Dated this eighth day of December 1897.

WILSON HARTLEY.
RICHARD EDMUND TURNER.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned John Alfred Sabin and Oscar Alfred Fellows carrying on business as Boot and Shoe Manufacturers at 35 Welford-road Leicester under the style or firm of Sabin and Fellows has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 7th day of December 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John Alfred Sabin by whom the business will in future be carried on in his own name.—Dated the 9th day of December 1897.

JOHN ALFRED SABIN.
OSCAR ALFRED FELLOWS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership which has been carried on since the 12th day of August 1897 at Number 20 Railway-road Darwen by Isaac Cooper Robinson and John Taylor under the firm of Robinson and Taylor in the trade or business of Auctioneers Valuers and Stock Buyers was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this fourth day of December 1897.

ISAAC COOPER ROBINSON.
JOHN TAYLOR.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Albert Brazier and Alfred Brazier carrying on business as Oyster Merchants at Southwick and Brighton both in the county of Su-sex under the style or firm of Brazier Bros. has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the day of the date hereof. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Albert Brazier.—Dated this third day of December 1897.

ALBERT BRAZIER.
ALFRED BRAZIER.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Alice Ann Blundell and Lucy Ellen Watkinson carrying on business as English and Foreign Fruiterers and Game Poultry and Fish Dealers at Cambridge House Roe-lane Southport under the style or firm of A. and L. Blundell has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 4th day of November 1897.—Dated this 8th day of December 1897.

ALICE ANN BLUNDELL.
LUCY ELLEN WATKINSON.

Pursuant to the Partnership Act 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between William Edwin Williams F.R.C.S. and William Gostwyck Sargent L.S.A. both of Abertillery in the county of Monmouth Surgeons and Apothecaries has been dissolved the said William Edwin Williams having retired from the Partnership.—Dated this thirteenth day of December 1897.

EDWARD LAWRENCE Newport Monmouthshire
Solicitor for the said William Edwin Williams.

Re ELLEN DAVIES 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 Ellen Davies Wife of Samuel Davies of the Railway Inn Oldbury-road Smethwick in the county of Stafford Beer Retailer (who died on the 23rd day of January 1893 and whose will was proved by Charles Gettings the executor named therein at the Lichfield District Registry on the 10th day of February 1893) are required to send in particulars of their claims to us the undersigned on or before the 20th day of January 1898 when the executor will administer the effects of the deceased having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.—Dated this 9th day of December 1897.

LANE CLUTTERBUCK and CO. 10 Temple-row
Birmingham Solicitors for the said Executor.

Re JOHN MALIN Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Malin late of Knowle in the county of Warwick Farmer who died at Knowle aforesaid on the 26th day of July 1897 and whose will was duly proved by Jessie Malin and Edwin Clutterbuck the executors named in the said will in the Birmingham District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 13th day of November 1897 are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors, at 10 Temple-row, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick on or before the 20th day of January 1898; and notice is hereby also given that at the expiration of the last-mentioned day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John Malin amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the said executors have then had notice and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims and demands the said executors have not had notice at the time of the distribution.—Dated this 9th day of December 1897.

LANE CLUTTERBUCK and CO. 10 Temple-row,
Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Executors.

JOHN WILFORD MARSH Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of John Wilford Marsh late Medical Superintendent of the County Asylum, Bracebridge, near Lincoln, who died on the 14th day of January 1897, and whose will was proved in the Lincoln District Probate Registry on the 4th day of March 1897 by George Harold Mounsey of the city of Lincoln, Medical Practitioner, the sole executor named therein, are required to send particulars to us on behalf of the said executor on or before the 10th day of January next, after which date the assets of the said deceased will be distributed among the persons entitled, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been given.—8th December 1897.

ANDREW and TROTTER Silver-street, Lincoln
Solicitors for the Executor.

CHARLES SKILLINGTON Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Charles Skillington, late of the city of Lincoln, Horsedealer, deceased, who died on the 24th day of June 1897, and whose will was proved in the Lincoln District Probate Registry on the 27th day of September 1897, by Richard Whitton Wine and Spirit Merchant, and Frederick Skillington, Horsedealer and Farmer, both of the said city of Lincoln, the executors named therein, are required to send particulars to us, on behalf of the said executors, on or before the 10th day of January next, after which date the assets of the said deceased will be distributed among the persons entitled, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been given.—8th December, 1897.

ANDREW and TROTTER Silver-street, Lincoln
Solicitors for the Executors.

CUTHBERT WILKS Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Cuthbert Wilks of the city of Lincoln, retired Chemist, who died on the 6th day of March 1897, and whose will was proved in the Lincoln District Probate Registry on the 6th day of August 1897 by William Tomlinson Page the elder, retired Bank Manager, and Frederick Andrew, Solicitor, both of the said city of Lincoln, the executors named therein, are required to send particulars to us on behalf of the said executors on or before the 10th day of January next, after which date the assets of the said deceased will be distributed among the persons entitled, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been given.—8th December 1897.

ANDREW and TROTTER Silver-street, Lincoln
Solicitors for the Executors.

Mrs. EMMA NATALIA HOUNSELL 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 against or affecting the estate of Mrs. Emma Natalia Hounsell late of Glen Field, Old Torwood-road, Torquay, in the county of Devon, Widow (who died on the 6th day of September 1897 and whose will was proved in the Exeter District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 4th day of November, 1897, by Harry Trelawney Eve of No. 4 New-square Lincoln's-inn in the county of London, Esqre., Q.C. the executor therein named) are hereby required to send particulars of their claims to us, the undersigned Solicitors for the said executor on or before the 16th day of January 1898 after which date he will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice, and the said executor will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 10th day of December 1897.

HOOPER and WOLLEN Carlton House Torquay
Solicitors for the said Executor.

WILLIAM HENRY TATTAM Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts claims or demands upon or against the estate of William Henry Tattam late of 170 the Grove Denmark Hill in the county of Surrey and of 61 King William-street in the city of London (formerly of Crosby House 95 Bishopsgate-street in the city of London) Solicitor deceased (who died at 170 the Grove Denmark Hill aforesaid on the 19th day of June 1896 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 27th day of February 1897 by Edward Bernard

of 11 Finsbury-circus in the city of London Gentleman and Elizabeth Clifford of 170 the Grove Denmark Hill aforesaid Spinster (the executors named in the said will) are hereby required to send in writing full particulars of their debts claims and demands to me the undersigned Thos. P. Hugill of 118 Cannon-street London Solicitor for the said executors on or before the 14th day of January 1898 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice and the said executors will not after that date 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 10th day of December 1897.

THOS. P. HUGILL 118 Cannon-street London
E.C. Solicitor for the said Executors.

JOHN HALLIWELL Deceased.

Pursuant to 22 and 23 Vic. c. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of John Halliwell late of Windsor House 63 Scarle-brick New-road Southport in the county of Lancaster Gentleman deceased (who died on the 5th August 1897 and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Liverpool of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 30th October 1897 by Henry Halliwell Sarah Ann Crossley and James Halliwell the executors therein named) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executors by the 22nd January 1898 after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice and they will not be liable for the assets of the deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 10th day of December 1897.

BRIGHOUSE BRIGHOUSE and JONES 20A
London-street Southport Solicitors for the
Executors.

JAMES WARD Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of James Ward late of Boston in the county of Lincoln Farmer deceased (who died on the 27th day of June 1896 and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice on the 22nd day of October 1896 by George Ward the brother of the said deceased and William Robert Sharp (two of the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 1st day of February 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 the said executors 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 8th day of December 1897.

PEAKE SNOW and SON Sleaford Lincolnshire
Solicitors for the said Executors.

ISAAC NEAVE Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts claims or demands upon or against the estate of Isaac Neave late of Edgingthorpe in the county of Norfolk Farmer deceased (who died on the 19th day of October 1897 and whose will was proved on the 19th day of November 1897 in the Norwich District Probate Registry by Matilda Neave Widow, the sole executrix thereof) are hereby required to send written particulars of their debts claims and demands to John Dixon of North Walsham in the said county Estate Agent (the receiver appointed by the said executrix and the creditors of the said deceased), on or before the 31st day of December 1897 after which date the said receiver will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Isaac Neave deceased amongst the creditors having regard only to the debts claims or demands of which he shall then have had notice and that the said executrix will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt claim or demand the said receiver shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of December 1897.

JOHN WILKINSON North Walsham Norfolk
Solicitor to the said Executrix.

JANE ARUNDELL ST. AUBYN CULLEY, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vict. cap 35.
NOTICE is hereby given; that all persons having any claims against the estate of Jane Arundell St. Aubyn Culley, late of Clavering Cottage, Wooler, in the county of Northumberland, Widow, deceased, (who died on the 3rd day of August 1897 and whose will was proved in the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 9th day of September 1897 by Arthur Hugo Leather-Culley, of Fowberry Tower in the said county of Northumberland, Esquire, the executor therein named) are hereby required to send in the particulars in writing of their claims and demands to us the undersigned his Solicitors on or before the 10th 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 and demands of which he shall then have had notice and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this tenth day of December 1897.

WILLOBY and PETERS Berwick-upon-Tweed
Solicitors for the said Executor.

JOHN WHITE Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic. cap. 35.
NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against or affecting the estate of John White late of number 6 Saltram-cottages Zion-street Plymouth in the county of Devon retired Hotel Boots (who died on the 12th day of October 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 8th day of November 1897 by Cadwallader George Brian of number 18 Courtenay-street Plymouth aforesaid Solicitor and Henry William Bickell of number 6 Saltram-cottages aforesaid the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars of their claims to me the undersigned Solicitor for the said executors on or before the 1st day of January 1898 after which date they will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and the said executors will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 8th day of December 1897.

C. G. BRIAN 18 Courtenay-street Plymouth Solicitor for the Executors.

THOMAS PLATT Deceased.

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act 1859.
NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims and demands against the estate of Thomas Platt late of 55 Queen-street Hurst near Ashton-under-Lyne in the county of Lancaster Mill Overlooker (who died on the 19th day of November 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry on the 2nd day of December 1897 by Joshua Birchall of Queen-street Hurst aforesaid Labourer and Thomas Platt of Queen-street Hurst aforesaid the executors) are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said executors on or before the 15th day of January next after which date the assets of the said deceased will be distributed regard being had only to the claims of which notice shall have been given.—Dated this 8th day of December 1897.

JNO. WHITWORTH of Booth-street-chambers
Ashton-under-Lyne Solicitor for the Executors.

MARY ELIZABETH BETTS Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the twenty-second and twenty-third years of the reign of Her present Majesty chapter 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Mary Elizabeth Betts late of Clarendon West Norwood in the county of Surrey Widow deceased and formerly of Weymouth in the county of Dorset (who died on the 27th day of September 1897 and whose will was proved by Mary Hetley Betts of Clarendon aforesaid Spinster Michael Edwin Reed of Ravensbury Kingston-on-Thames Barrister-at-Law and Gustavus Phelps Symes of Weymouth aforesaid Solicitor the executors therein named on the 29th day of November 1897 in the Principal Probate Registry) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the said executors or to Sir Richard Nicholas Howard their Solicitor on or before the first day of

February 1898 and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of December 1897.

RICHD. NICHOLS. HOWARD Weymouth Solicitor.

Re JAMES MCCrackEN 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 James McCracken late of Greenleighton and Ottercaps both in the county of Northumberland Farmer deceased (who died on the 27th day of September 1897 and whose will was proved in the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 19th day of November 1897 by William McCracken and James Smith McCracken the sons of the said deceased and William Lawson the nephew of the said deceased three of the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned William Revelly Gibson on or before the 15th 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 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 ninth day of December 1897.

W. R. GIBSON Victoria-buildings Grainger-street
West Newcastle-upon-Tyne Solicitor for the said Executors.

THOMAS HOLLIS Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria cap. 35.
NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims upon the estate of Thomas Hollis late of Sonning Eye in the county of Oxford Farmer deceased who died on the 17th of September 1897 (and of whose personal estate letters of administration were granted to Charlotte Hollis of Sonning Eye aforesaid Spinster by the District Registry at Oxford of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 20th of November 1897) are requested to send particulars in writing of their claims to the undersigned Solicitors to the administratrix on or before the 15th of January next after which date the administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice.—Dated this 8th of December, 1897.

BLANDY and BLANDY 1 Friar-street, Reading.

JOHN ARTHUR IVES Deceased.

ALL creditors and others claiming against the estate of John Arthur Ives late of Park View-terrace, Shipley, Yorkshire, Builder's Clerk deceased (who died on the 3rd November last and of whose personal estate letters of administration were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice to Miss Lizzie Ives) are required to send particulars of their claims to us on or before the 11th January 1898 after which date the administratrix will forthwith distribute the assets of the said deceased having regard only to claims of which she shall then have had notice.—Dated 8th December 1897.

MORGAN and MORGAN Victoria-chambers,
Market-square, Shipley, and Cheapside, Bradford, Solicitors for the Administratrix.

EMMA HOPKINS Deceased.

Pursuant to 22 and 23 Vic. cap 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims upon the estate of Emma Hopkins late of 31 St. Thomas-street Lymington in the county of Southampton Spinster who died on the 20th day of September 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry on the 4th day of December instant by William Bishop Jones and Ellen Bishop the executors therein named are required to send written particulars of their claims to us the undersigned on or before the 20th day of January 1898 after which date the said executors will 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 10th day of December 1897.

MOORE RAWLINS and VORES Lymington
Hants Solicitors for the said Executors.

JAMES FOX Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Victoria cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of James Fox late of No. 3 Lower Rock-gardens Brighton in the county of Sussex Esquire who died on the 30th day of October 1897 and whose will was proved by Ann Fox and Sidney Birdwood Fox the executors therein named in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 3rd day of December 1897 are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned the Solicitor for the said executors on or before the 31st day of December 1897; and notice is hereby also given that after the last-mentioned date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claims or demands they shall not have had notice at the time of the distribution.—Dated the 10th day of December 1897.

E. F. FOX 13, Bedford-row, W.C. Solicitor for the said Executors.

Re the Revd. PETER HAWORTH Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 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 the Reverend Peter Haworth late of Number 8 (formerly No. 4) Oxford-street, Morecambe in the county of Lancaster Independent Minister deceased (who died on the 20th day of December 1896 and whose will was proved in the Lancaster District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 9th day of January 1897 by Mary Haworth (now deceased) Richard Siddie and George Markham all of Morecambe aforesaid 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 31st day of December instant after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 11th day of December 1897.

J. FAWCETT Morecambe Solicitor for the said Executors.

FREDERICK POTTS Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Frederick Potts late of 198 Lion-street Walworth in the county of Surrey of no occupation deceased (who died on the 18th day of November 1897, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 6th day of December 1897, by Arthur Wilkins the executor therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executor on or before the 11th day of January next, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 9th day of December 1897.

FORBES and SON 11 London-street Fenchurch-street E.C. Solicitors for the said Executor.

Surgeon-Major-General Sir WILLIAM ALEXANDER MACKINNON K.C.B. Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Surgeon-Major-General Sir William Alexander Mackinnon late of 28 Evelyn-gardens South Kensington in the county of Middlesex K.C.B. deceased who died on the 28th day of October 1897 and whose will was proved by Admiral Sir Charles Hotham of 20 Warwick-square in the said county of Middlesex K.C.B. General David Mackgill Crichton Maitland of Winchfield

House Winchfield in the county of Hants and Freke Dalgleish Williams of 2 Craig's-court Charing Cross in the said county of Middlesex Esquire the executors therein named on the 3rd day of December 1897 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned on or before the 16th day of January 1898 and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have had notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 8th day of December 1897.

FLADGATE and CO. Craig's-court Charing Cross London S.W. Solicitors for the Executors.

Re ANNA BELLA ALLEN Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Anna Bella Allen late Housekeeper at Wingerworth Hall, Chesterfield in the county of Derby who died on the 29th day of August 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry by Graham Allen and Robert Alexander Crowe the executors therein named on the 4th day of October 1897 are hereby required to send in particulars thereof to the said executors at the office of me the undersigned their Solicitor on or before the 14th 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 of which they shall then have had notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 10th day of December 1897.

JAMES J. LAMBERT 83 Mosley-street Manchester Solicitor for the said Executors.

Re JOHN BRICKWOOD Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Brickwood late of Thornhill Farm Derby in the county of Derby Farmer deceased (who died on the 26th day of October 1897 and whose will was proved in the Derby District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 4th day of December 1897 by Thomas Brickwood of Thornhill Farm aforesaid one of the executors therein named the other executor therein named having renounced probate thereof) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned Solicitors to the said executor on or before the 24th 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 he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of December 1897.

EDDOWES and SONS 2, Strand, Derby, Solicitors for the said Executor.

FREDERICK SUTCLIFFE Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Frederick Sutcliffe late of No. 18 Radcliffe-street in the city of Liverpool, Solicitor's Clerk deceased (who died on the 7th day of November 1897, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 9th day of December 1897, by the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 21st day of December next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 13th day of December 1897.

ROBINSON, SCOTT and HOLMES 1, Piccadilly, Bradford Solicitors for the Executors.

WILLIAM PATTERSON GREENALL Deceased.
Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vict. c. 35 intitled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any debts claims or demands upon or against the estate of William Patterson Greenall formerly of St. Pauls-buildings Paternoster-row London and formerly of Temple Bar Stud 3 Mincing-lane London in the county of Middlesex but late of Temple House Waltham Cross in the county of Hertford Esquire deceased (who died on or about the 14th day of June 1897 and whose will with a codicil thereto was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 6th day of December 1897 by John Henry Lea Frank Edward Walmsley and George Wiseman Bland the executors therein named) are hereby required to send in particulars in writing of their debts claims or demands to me the undersigned on or before the 11th day of January next; and notice is hereby further given that at the expiration of such time the said executors will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall then not have had notice.—Dated this 10th day of December 1897.

JOHN HENRY LEA 8 Sussex-street Manchester
Solicitor for the said Executors.

Sir LEWIS WILLIAM CAVE 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 upon or against the estate of Sir Lewis William Cave late of the Manor House Woodmansterne Epsom in the county of Surrey Knight one of the Judges of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice who died on the 7th day of September 1897 and whose will was proved by the Honourable Sir John Compton Lawrence of 7 Onslow-square London Horace Smith of Ivy Bank Beckenham and Harold Watkins Cave of the Hermitage Broxbourne the executors named in the will in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 25th day of November 1897 are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned the Solicitors of the said executors on or before the 31st 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 and demands of which they shall then have had notice and the said executors will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not have had notice at the time of distribution.—Dated this 11th day of December 1897.

COLLYER-BRISTOW RUSSELL HILL and CO.
4 Bedford-row London W.C.

FERRARS COMPTON CLARGES LOFTUS Deceased.
Notice to Creditors.

Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Vic. c. 35.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of Ferrars Compton Clarges Loftus of 21 Granville-place London and Sabridge Lodge Ingatestone Essex Esquire late a Captain in the 3rd West York Militia (who died on the 17th October 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry on the 4th December 1897) are required on or before the 24th January next, to send the particulars of their claims to Captain St. John Dudley Townshend Loftus the executor at our office; and the said executor will after the said 24th January next distribute the estate of the said deceased without regard to the debts or claims of which he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 10th day of December 1897.

BAILEYS SHAW and GILLETT 5 Berners-street
London W. Solicitors for the said Executor.

Re JOHN BROOME Esq. Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of John Broome late of Lea Mills in the county of Derby Managing Director of Hosiery Mills deceased who died on the 21st day of October 1897 and administration to whose estate and effects was on this 10th day of December inst. granted by the Derby District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice to Agnes Fletcher Broome of Lea aforesaid the Widow of the deceased are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the under-

signed on or before the 15th day of January next after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims or demands of which she shall then have had notice and she will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 10th day of December 1897.

JAMES POTTER Matlock Bridge Solicitor for the said Administratrix.

Sir EVERETT MILLAIS Baronet Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts claims or demands against the estate of Sir Everett Millais, late of Littleton House, Shepperton in the county of Middlesex, Baronet, who died on the 7th 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 20th day of November 1897 by Dame Mary St. Lawrence Millais Widow the relict of the said deceased, Arthur Gwynne James of 2 Temple-gardens in the city of London Barrister-at-Law and Recorder of Hereford and Frederick Brooke Craven of Brooklands Bletchley in the county of Buckingham Esquire, the executors therein named are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their debts claims and demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 28th day of January 1898; and notice is hereby given, that, at the expiration of that time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims and demands of which they shall then have notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 10th day of December 1897.

RICHARD TAYLOR SON and HUMBERT
Field-court, Gray's-ino, London W.C., Solicitors to the said Executors.

ELIZABETH JAMES RUTLEY otherwise PEEK
otherwise PEEKE Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 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 or other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Elizabeth James Rutley otherwise Peek otherwise Peeke late of the Cottage Bickleigh in the county of Devon Spinster deceased (who died on the 10th day of October 1897 and whose will was proved in the Exeter District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 8th day of December 1897 by Henrietta Bowers of No. 3 Cecil-street Plymouth in the said county of Devon Widow and Alice Tremaine wife of William Tremaine of No. 35 James-street Plymouth aforesaid Builder and Undertaker the executrices therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executrices on or before the 20th day of January 1898; after which date the executrices 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 the said executrices 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 10th day of December 1897.

BULTEEL ROWE and MUNDAY Mulgrave street, Plymouth Solicitors for the Executrices.

HENRY WILLIAM BANKS 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 Henry William Banks late of Willow Bank Addiscombe in the county of Surrey and formerly of 30 Coleman-street in the city of London Accountant who died on the 7th September 1897 are to send particulars thereof to the undersigned Solicitor for Mrs. Sarah Elisabeth Banks the executrix on or before the 10th day of January next after which day the executrix will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to claims of which she shall then have had notice.—Dated this 10th day of December 1897.

W. STOPHER 11 Queen Victoria-street London E.C.

Re JOSEPH ELLIS Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Joseph Ellis of Rose Bank 369 Cheetham Hill-road Manchester in the county of Lancaster and also of 4 Clarence-buildings Booth-street Manchester aforesaid Solicitor deceased (who died on the seventh day of November 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 26th day of November 1897 by me the undersigned Joseph Alfred Hatton the executor therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me on or before the 29th day of January 1898 after which date I shall proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which I shall then have had notice and I shall 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 I shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of December 1897.

JOSEPH ALFRED HATTON 4 Clarence-buildings Booth-street Manchester.

ROBERT HENRY BAYLEY Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic. chap. 35 that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Robert Henry Bayley late of 52 Florence-road Finsbury Park in the county of Middlesex Optician deceased who died on the 18th day of November 1897 intestate and of whose personal estate letters of administration were on the 3rd day of December 1897 granted at the Principal Registry to Eliza Louisa Gulliford are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to the undersigned on or before the 27th day of January 1898 after which date the said administratrix will distribute the assets of the said deceased having regard only to the claims or demands of which she shall then have had notice.—Dated this 14th day of December 1897.

MOODIE and SON 2 Basinghall-avenue E.C. Solicitors for the said Administratrix

Miss EMMA DEWHIRST Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims or demands against the estate of Emma Dewhirst late of Headingley in the city of Leeds Spinster deceased who died on the 17th day of November 1897 and whose will was proved at Wakefield by the surviving executrix therein named on the 9th day of December 1897 are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims to us on or before the 11th day of January 1898 when the executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 10th day of December 1897.

JOHN BOWLING and SONS 22 Park-row, Leeds, Solicitors to the said Executrix,

WILLIAM BAKER late of 10 Hounds-gate Nottingham Rope Maker Deceased.

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

ALL persons having claims against the estate of the deceased who died on the 31st July 1897 are hereby required to send particulars of such claims to the undersigned or to Robert Rhodes Chartered Accountant Low Pavement Nottingham on or before the 1st January 1898 after which date distribution of the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto will be made having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been received.—Dated this 11th day of December 1897.

JOHNSTONE and WILLIAMS 6 Weekday-cross Nottingham Solicitors for the Administratrix.

LOUISA TREDELL Deceased.

Pursuant to the 29th section of the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vic. cap. 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of the late Louisa Tredegg of Park Hyrst Addiscombe Croydon in the county of Surrey Widow deceased (who died on the 14th day of October 1897 and administration to whose estate was on the 8th day of December 1897 granted by the Principal Probate Registry to Lieutenant-General Francis Shrubbs Tredegg of Hurze Court Patcham near Brighton in the county of Sussex) are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims or demands to the said administrator at the office of the undersigned his Solicitors or before the 20th day of January 1898 and notice is hereby also

given that after that day the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim and demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 13th day of December 1897.

CAPEL CURE and BALL 6, Clement's-ion Strand W.C. Solicitors for the said Administrator.

JANE BOON Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Jane Boon late of 98 Clarence-road Canning Town London E. Spinster (who died on the 6th September 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 15th October 1897 by the undersigned one of the executors therein named) are required to send particulars of such claims to the undersigned before the 31st day of January next after which day the said executor will distribute the assets having regard only to the claims then notified.—Dated 10th December 1897.

ARTHUR BLOTT 39 Broadway Stratford E.

NATHANIEL GIFFORD HUTCHINSON.

PURSUANT to a Direction of Mr. Justice Romer of the High Court of Justice Chancery Division dated 18th November 1897 made in the matter of the trusts of the share of residue bequeathed by the will of John Stoakley Hutchinson in favour of his son Nathaniel Gifford Hutchinson re 10 and 11 Victoria cap. 96 and re Trustee Act 1893-1896 H. 2365. Nathaniel Gifford Hutchinson formerly of Melbourne Victoria if he be living or if he be dead his legal personal representative or representatives are by themselves or their Solicitors on or before the 20th day of April 1898 to come in and prove their claims at the chambers of Mr. Justice Romer at the Royal Courts of Justice London England or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of any Order that may thereupon be made. Wednesday the 4th day of May 1898 at 12 o'clock at noon at the said chambers is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the said claims.

NOTE.—The said Nathaniel Gifford Hutchinson was entitled to a share of residue under the will of his father John Stoakley Hutchinson now deceased. He went to Melbourne Victoria in the year 1870.—Dated 10th day of December 1897. JOHN WM. HAWKINS Master.

JOHN BATTAMS 23 Rood-lane London E.C. Agents for

BATTAMS and HUTCHINSON of Ealing London.

PURSUANT to a Judgment of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in an action in the matter of the estate of John Burt deceased Burt and others against Burt 1896 B. No. 3727 the creditors of John Burt late of Ventnor Isle of Wight, Brewer, who died in or about the month of August 1893, are on or before the 17th day of January 1898 to send by post prepaid to Mr. A. J. B. Sherlock, of 17 Serjeants'-inn, Fleet-street, in the city of London, a member of the firm of Tarry, Sherlock and King, of the same place, the Solicitors for the plaintiffs three of the executors of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or, in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Judgment. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before Mr. Justice North at his chambers, the Royal Courts of Justice, London, on the 8th day of February, 1898, at 12 o'clock noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 11th day of December, 1897.

TARRY SHERLOCK and KING 17, Serjeants'-inn, Fleet-street, London, Solicitors for the Plaintiffs.

Re JOHN STANFORTH Deceased.

Notice to Creditors.

PURSUANT to a Judgment of the High Court of Justice Chancery Division made in an action in the matter of the estate of John Stanforth deceased Pulford v. Stanforth 1896 S. No. 3795 the creditors of John Stanforth late of 98 Onslow-gardens South Kensington in the county of Middlesex and 14 Brunswick-place Hove Brighton in the county of Sussex who died in or about the month of April 1894 are, on or before the 11th day of January 1898, to send by post prepaid to Messrs. Jull, Godfrey and Danvers 23 Queen Anne's-gate Westminster London S.W. the Solicitors of the defendant Percy Stanforth the executor of the deceased their

Christian and surnames addresses and descriptions the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Judgment. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before Mr. Justice Stirling at his chambers the Royal Courts of Justice London on Tuesday the 18th day of January 1898 at 12 o'clock noon, being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 11th day of December 1897.

F. A. K. DOYLE 29 Lincoln's-inn-fields London
Solicitor for the Plaintiffs.

Re FREDERICK CHITTENDEN O'KEY Deceased.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in the matter of the estate of Frederick Chittenden O'Key deceased and in an action Eliza Hardcastle against Agnes O'Key the creditors of Frederick Chittenden O'Key late of 124, Gower-street in the county of Middlesex Stockbroker who died on the 8th day of December 1895 are on or before the 7th day of May 1898 to send by post prepaid to Messrs. West King Adams and Co. of No. 66, Cannon-street London England the Solicitors of the defendant Agnes O'Key the administratrix 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 Tuesday the 17th day of May 1898 at twelve o'clock noon being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 10th day of December 1897.

BRASH WHEELER UMNEY and CHAMBERS
11, Queen Victoria-street, London England
Solicitors for the above named Eliza Hardcastle
Plaintiff in the action.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in the matter of the estate of Re John Morley deceased Stansfield v. Stansfield 1897 M. No. 2967 the creditors of John Morley late of Mytholmroyd in the township of Sowerby in the parish of Halifax in the county of York Worsted Manufacturer who died on or about the 5th day of October 1859 are on or before the 11th day of January 1898 to send by post prepaid to Mr. John Thomas Sutcliffe, of Hebden Bridge, in the county of York, Solicitor, a member of the firm of Messrs. Sutcliffes of the same place the Solicitors of the plaintiffs the executors of the will of Grace Morley the surviving 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 Romer at his chambers the Royal Courts of Justice London on Thursday the 20th day of January 1898 at 12 o'clock noon being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 11th day of December 1897.

RIDSDALE and SON 5 Gray's-inn-square London
W.C. Agents for

SUTCLIFFES Hebden Bridge Yorkshire Solicitors
for the Plaintiffs.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster made in the matter of the estate of John Hall Greaves deceased and in an action John Lees Mayall against John Leigh and Charles Meikle Nelson 1897 Letter M. No. 9212 the creditors of John Hall Greaves late of 19 Old-square Lincoln's-inn in the county of Middlesex, of Derker Hall, Oldham in the county of Lancaster and of the Crown Hotel Audlem in the county of Chester Barrister-at-Law who died in or about the month of August 1897 are on or before the 15th day of January 1898 to send prepaid by post to Mr. John Leigh of No. 30 Brown-street in the city of Manchester the Solicitor for the defendants John Leigh and Charles Meikle Nelson the executors of the said testator their Christian and surnames addresses and descriptions the full particulars of their claims a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Registrar of the Manchester District at his chambers, situate at Duchy-chambers No. 4 Clarence-street in the city of Manchester on Friday the 28th day of January 1898 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon being the time appointed for

adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 9th day of December 1897.

HUBERT WINSTANLEY Registrar.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors dated the 18th day of August 1897 executed by Henry Edward Carr of 73 Prince's-road Notting Hill in the county of Middlesex Linen Draper.

THE creditors of the above-named Henry Edward Carr who have not already sent in their claims are required to do so on or before the 30th day of December 1897 to Messrs. J. F. Lovering and Co. of 3 Church-passage Guildhall in the city of London on behalf of the Trustees under the said deed or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 10th day of December 1897.

W. H. MARTIN and CO. 15 King-street Guildhall E.C. Solicitors to the Trustees.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors dated the 10th day of September 1897 executed by Thomas Henry Thomas of 22 Coleraine-terrace, Wood Green in the county of Middlesex, General Draper.

THE creditors of the above named Thomas Henry Thomas who have not already sent in their claims are required to do so on or before the 30th day of December 1897 to Messrs. J. F. Lovering and Co. of 3 Church-passage, Guildhall, in the city of London, on behalf of 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 10th day of December 1897.

W. H. MARTIN and CO. 15 King-street, Guildhall, E.C. Solicitors to the Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors dated the 23rd day of January 1896 executed by William Gadsden of Nettleden Farm in the parish of Great Berkhamsted in the county of Hertford.

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 debtor are required to send particulars thereof in writing to me the undersigned Trustee at Boxted Hemel Hempsted Herts on or before the 23rd 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.

HUGH PROCTER Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors dated the 6th day of August 1897 and executed by Harry Pearse of the Exeter Inn Modbury in the county of Devon Innkeeper.

THE creditors of the above-named Harry Pearse who have not already sent in their claims are required on or before the 29th day of December 1897 to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims to Henry Davey of Bedford-chambers 24 Bedford-street Plymouth Accountant the Trustee under the said deed or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the First and Final Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 10th day of December 1897.

BOND PEARCE and BICKLE 16 Princess-square Plymouth Solicitors for the Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment to Mr. John Joseph Graham of 77 King-street in the city of Manchester Chartered Accountant for the benefit of Creditors dated the 14th day of August 1897 executed by George Ferguson trading as the North Western Cycle Co. of 91 Piccadilly Manchester in the county of Lancaster Cycle Dealer.

THE creditors of the above named George Ferguson who have not already sent in their claims are required on or before the 24th day of December 1897 to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims to the said John Joseph Graham 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 10th day of December 1897.

FARRAR and CO. 79 Fountain-street Manchester Solicitors for the said Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors executed on the 5th day of July 1897 by William Barnard of St. Nicholas-street in the city of Worcester Hay and Coal Merchant.

THE creditors of the above named William Barnard who have not already sent in their claims are required on or before the 19th day of December 1897 to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims to Peter Neville Marsh of

Dosthill Lodge Tamworth General Manager of Colliery 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 9th day of December 1897.

DOBBS and HILL of 24 Sansome-street Worcester Solicitors for the above-named Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors executed on the 15th day of October 1897 by Robert Anderson residing at Phoenix Cottage Heaton Park in the county of Lancaster and carrying on business as an Auctioneer and Valuer at 37 Bridge-street in the city of Manchester under the style or firm of Anderson and Duckworth.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors who have not already executed or assented to the said deed and all persons having claims against the estate of the above named debtor who have not already sent in their claims are required to send their names and addresses with full particulars of their debts or claims to W. Bolton of 13 Spring-gardens in the city of Manchester Chartered Accountant, Trustee under the said Deed of Assignment and to execute the said deed on or before the 8th day of January 1898 or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any Dividends to be declared.—Dated this 8th day of December 1897.

LAWSON COPPOCK and HART 18 Tib-lane Cross-street Manchester Solicitors to W. Bolton Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, executed on the 15th day of October 1897, by Peter Hall of 3 Victoria-buildings Heaton-road in the city and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne Chemist.

THE creditors of the above named Peter Hall who have not already sent in their claims are required, on or before the 23rd day of December 1897 to send in their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to John Kindred of Mosley-chambers Mosley-street Newcastle-on-Tyne the Trustee under the said deed, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the First and Final Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 11th day of December 1897.

JOHN KINDRED Trustee.

T. and H. ALLAWAY.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors bearing date the 5th day of March, 1896, executed by Tracey and Harriett Allaway, of St. Albans, Herts, Bakers.

NOTICE is hereby given that a 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 39, High-street, Watford, Herts. on or before the 20th 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.

SIDNEY MARTIN 39 High-street, Watford Herts. Trustee.

SYDNEY J. ELLIS Watford Solicitor.

In the Matter of a Deed for the benefit of Creditors executed 12th March 1897 by William Brantingham of 16 Holmfield, Sale in the county of Chester and William Raingill of Thorn Bank, Barrington-road Altrincham in the said county trading in copartnership under the style of Brantingham and Raingill at Old Market-place Altrincham aforesaid as Wine and Spirit Merchants.

A FIRST and Final Dividend is intended to be declared in the above matter. Creditors who have not signed the deed are required to do so and to lodge particulars of their claims with Mr. John William Withnell of Crown-buildings 20 Booth-street, Manchester, Accountant, the Trustee on or before 3rd January next otherwise they will be excluded from the benefit of the proposed Dividend.—Dated this 10th day of December 1897.

JNO. W. WITHNELL Trustee.

A. and G. W. FOX 53 Princess-street Manchester Solicitors for the Trustee.

The Deeds of Arrangement Acts 1887.

Re Richard Holman late of the Royal Hotel Mews Torquay.

10 Strand Torquay, December 7th 1897.

NOTICE is hereby given that a First and Final Dividend of four shillings and eightpence in the pound has been declared in this Matter and that the same may be received at my office on Thursday the 16th of this present December or any subsequent day between the hours of 10 and 4 o'clock.

CHAS. E. RIVERS Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Kingston. **A** SEVENTH and Final Dividend of 7½d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of Arthur Hill Halstead Singleton Mercer, of Woodbine Villa, Walton-on-Thames, a Lieutenant in the Royal Navy, adjudicated bankrupt on the 31st October, 1878, and will be paid by me at my offices, 24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, in the county of London, on and after the 21st day of December, 1897, between ten A.M. and four P.M. (Saturdays excepted).—Dated this 8th day of December, 1897.

A. MACKINTOSH, 24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E., Official Receiver and Trustee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition dated the 7th day of June, 1880, against William McHaffie the younger, of No. 10, Austin Friars, in the city of London, Merchant Trader, Dealer and Chapman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Fourth Dividend, at the rate of 5d. in the pound, is now payable, and that drafts for the same may be received, by those legally entitled, at the Official Assignee's Department, Bankruptcy-buildings, High Court of Justice, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, any day until the 8th day of June 1898, between the hours of eleven and two on each day (Saturdays except d). No drafts can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the time of proof of debt be produced, without the special directions of a Registrar. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of the will or letters of administration under which they claim.—9th day of December, 1897.

E. LEADAM HOUGH, Official Receiver performing the duties of Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition dated the second day of May 1864 against John Robert Gwynn, late of the Castle Tavern, City-road, and of Crispin-street, Spitalfields, both in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler and Rag Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First and Final Dividend, at the rate of 2½d. in the pound, is now payable, and that drafts for the same may be received, by those legally entitled, at the Official Assignee's Department, Bankruptcy-buildings, High Court of Justice, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, any day until the 8th day of June, 1898, between the hours of eleven and two on each day (Saturdays excepted). No drafts can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the time of proof of debt be produced, without the special directions of a Registrar. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of the will or letters of administration under which they claim.—9th day of December 1897.

E. LEADAM HOUGH Official Receiver performing the duties of Official Assignee.

THE estates of Alexander Wilkie, Junior, Farmer, Wester Tullyfergus, near Alyth, were sequestrated on the 11th day of December 1897, by the Sheriff of the county of Perth.

The first deliverance is dated the 11th day of December 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon on Tuesday the 21st day of December 1897, within the Solicitors' Library, County-buildings, Perth.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and, to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 12th day of April 1898.

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

JAMES P. NOBLE Solicitor, Blairgowrie Agent.

THE estates of Francis Harvey Pawnbroker 102 Bain-street Calton Glasgow carrying on business under the name or firm of the Bain Square Pawnbroking Company 102 Bain-street, Calton aforesaid of which he is the sole Partner were sequestrated on the 10th day of December 1897 by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow.

The first deliverance is dated the 10th day of December 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon on Tuesday the 21st day of December 1897 within the Faculty Hall Saint 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 10th day of April 1898.

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

D. and J. HILL Writers

138 West Regent-street Glasgow Agents.

THE estates of Brown Ferguson Farmer, Newlands, Bargeddie, Lanarkshire, were sequestrated on 10th December 1897 by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Airdrie.

The first deliverance is dated the 10th December 1897. The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon on Friday the 24th 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 10th day of April 1898.

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

ANDREW PAUL-Writer
27 St. Vincent-place, Glasgow Agent.

THE estates of Thomas Beattie Sculptor sometime of Hope-crescent Edinburgh, now resident in Dundee were sequestrated on the 10th day of December 1897 by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the 10th day of December 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon on Wednesday the 22nd day of December 1897 within Messrs. Lyon and Turnbull's Rooms No. 51 George-street, Edinburgh.

A composition may be offered at this meeting, and to entitle creditors to the first dividend their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 10th day of April 1898.

The sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

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

KIRK MACKIE and ELLIOT S.S.C. Chambers,
40 Princes-street Edinburgh, Agents,
13th December, 1897.

THE estates of John Stokes Coalmaster, Greenfield Colliery Shettleston, trading there as James Stokes and Son of which firm he is the sole Partner were sequestrated on 10th December 1897 by the Sheriff of the county of Lanark.

The first deliverance is dated 10th December 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon on Friday the 17th 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 10th day of April 1898.

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

McCLURE NAISMITH BRODIE and CO. Writers
77 St. Vincent-street, Glasgow, Agents.

THE estates of Mrs. Sarah Murdoch or Barclay carrying on business as a Funeral Undertaker and Carriage Hiner at 13 London-street, Glasgow under the name of the Glasgow Funeral Undertaking and Carriage Hiring Company and as a Carting Contractor at 10 South Albion-street, Glasgow under the name of James Gray of which firms she is the sole Partner were sequestrated on 10th December 1897 by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated 10th November 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon on Thursday 23rd 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 10th April 1898.

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

JOHN McLACHLAN 150 Hope-street Glasgow Agent.

THE estates of James Smith Coal Merchant lately carrying on business at Canal Station Paisley now at Terrace-buildings there and residing at 6 Macintyre-place Paisley were sequestrated on eighth December 1897 by the Sheriff of Renfrew and Bute at Paisley.

The first deliverance is dated eighth December 1897.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon on Monday twentieth December 1897 within the Globe Hotel, High-street, Paisley.

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 eighth April 1898.

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

J. WATSON PURVIS Writer, 22 Renfield-street Glasgow Agent.

The Bankruptcy Acts, 1883 and 1890.

In the High Court of Justice, in Bankruptcy.

No. 1946 of 1895.

Re Thomas Henry Carman, of the George the Fourth Public-house, Gipsy Hill, Norwood, in the county of London, Publican.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an Order was, on the 26th day of November, 1897, made by the Board of Trade, under the powers conferred upon them by the Bankruptcy Acts, 1883 and 1890, removing Francis Henry Mathews, of 84, Walworth-road, London, from the office of Trustee of the property of the said Thomas Henry Carman, a bankrupt.—Dated this 26th day of November, 1897.

By the Board of Trade,

JOHN SMITH, Inspector-General in Bankruptcy.

The Bankruptcy Acts, 1883 and 1890.

In the High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy.

No. 1074 of 1896.

Re Armand August Christen (described in the Receiving Order as A. Christen) of 32, Great Russell-street, Bedford-square, in the county of London, Advertising Contractor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an Order was, on the 8th day of December 1897, made by the Board of Trade, under the powers conferred upon them by the Bankruptcy Acts, 1883 and 1890, removing Frederick Augustus Lodge, of 20, Manchester-street, Russell-square, W.C., from the office of Trustee of the property of the said Armand August Christen, a bankrupt.—Dated this 8th day of December 1897.

By the Board of Trade,

JOHN SMITH, Inspector-General in Bankruptcy.

THE BANKRUPTCY ACTS, 1883 AND 1890.
RECEIVING ORDERS.

No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
3933	Basdeker, Eugene ...	Now or late of 108, Golden-lane, in the county of London, and residing at 72, Devonshire-road, Forest Hill, Surrey	Walking Stick Manufacturer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 18, 1897	1422 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897	677	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (H.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3934	Ellis, H.	29, Portland-place, W., in the county of London	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 12, 1897	1387 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897	679	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3935	Garton, William ...	Now or lately carrying on business at 6, Muscovy-court, Tower Hill, in the city of London, and who resides at 12, Langham-road, South Tottenham, Middlesex	Cocoa Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 17, 1897	1409 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897	676	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (A.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3936	Gibbs, Ernest William Cecil	Lately residing at Maisonette, Lanercost-road, Tulse Hill, in the county of London, but whose present residence the Petitioning Creditors are unable to ascertain	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 15, 1897	1401 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897	681	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3937	Gibbs, Frederick Thomas Meade	Late of 63, Hemstall-road, Kilburn, in the county of London, but whose present residence the Petitioning Creditors are unable to ascertain	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 15, 1897	1400 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897	680	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3938	Grosvenor, Frederick Simon	Carrying on business at 47, Moorgate-street, in the city of London	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 10, 1897	1373 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897	678	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3939	Moss, Herbert Mann ...	Carrying on business at 55, Great Titchfield-street, in the county of London, and residing at Esk House, Cedars-road, Hampton Wick, Middlesex	Grocer and Provision Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Dec. 9, 1897	1517 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	674	Debtor's	
3940	Simpson, Charles ...	59, Nursery-row, Hope-street, Walworth, in the county of London	Salesman	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 13, 1897	1398 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	673	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3941	Wolfenden, Robert ...	Holly Lodge, Church-lane, Cheshunt, Hertfordshire, and practising at 64, New Broad-street, in the city of London	Solicitor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Oct. 15, 1897	1260 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	675	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883

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3942	Oulton, Joseph ...	Residing at 8, Hillside-terrace, and lately carrying on business at 24, Heap-lane, formerly residing at 232, Otley-road, and carrying on business at 76, Manchester-road, afterwards residing and carrying on business at 8, Wakefield-road, all in the city of Bradford	Lately a Clockmaker, now out of business	Bradford ...	Dec. 9, 1897	101 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	98	Debtor's	
3943	Martin, Henry ...	3, Church-street, Twickenham, in the county of Middlesex	Late Builder and Contractor	Brentford ...	Dec. 8, 1897	23 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	13	Debtor's	
3944	Kingston, Frederick John ...	98, Lawrence-hill, in the city and county of Bristol, and formerly of 55A, Castle-street, Bristol aforesaid	Tin Plate and Iron Worker	Bristol ...	Dec. 9, 1897	82 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	74	Debtor's	
3945	Clements, Robert ...	Black Horse Drive, Littleport, in the Isle of Ely, Cambridgeshire	Grocer ...	Cambridge ...	Dec. 9, 1897	25 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	24	Debtor's	
3946	Morgan, John ...	22, Turner-road, Canton, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan	Labourer ...	Cardiff ...	Dec. 10, 1897	93 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897	89	Debtor's	
3947	Buxton, Henry ...	Oates-street, Dewsbury, in the county of York	Greengrocer ...	Dewsbury ...	Dec. 11, 1897	29 of 1897	Dec. 11, 1897	28	Debtor's	
3948	Richardson, Albert ...	Residing at Providence-street, Earlsheaton, and carrying on business at the Great Northern Goods Yard, Dewsbury, in the county of York	Wholesale Fruit and Potato Merchant	Dewsbury ...	Dec. 9, 1897	27 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	26	Debtor's	
3949	Scott, George Alfred ...	Residing at 12, Upper Rawfolds-lane, Liversedge, in the county of York	Timekeeper ...	Dewsbury ...	Dec. 10, 1897	28 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897	27	Debtor's	
3950	Kcane, Georgina Alice ...	Stainoliffe, Granville-road, Eastbourne, in the county of Sussex	Widow ...	Eastbourne and Lewes	Nov. 17, 1897	11 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	7	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (H.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3951	Darke, George Joseph ...	15, North-street, Exeter ...	Journeyman Baker	Exeter ...	Dec. 10, 1897	55 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897	52	Debtor's	
3952	Brooklesby, Harold ...	325, Clerthorpe-road, Great Grimsby, Lincolnshire	Draper ...	Great Grimsby	Nov. 27, 1897	40 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	44	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (A.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3953	Brooke, Sam, and Haigh, Sam Sutcliffe (trading as Brooke and Haigh) ...	Spring-street, Brighouse, Yorkshire Wakefield-road, Brighouse Victoria Mills, Brighouse ...	Cotton Tumbler...	Halifax...	Dec. 8, 1897	36 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	36	Debtor's	

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3954	Burden, George Richard	3, Peel's-place and High-street, Tenterden, Kent	Fishmonger	Hastings ...	Dec. 10, 1897	38 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897	23	Debtor's	
3955	Millichamp, Robert George	Formerly of Purlbrook, Weston Beggard, now of Woodfield, Weston Beggard, Herefordshire	Farmer	Hereford ...	Dec. 9, 1897	18 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	16	Debtor's	
3956	Stidolph, Thomas Frederick	Woodbridge, Suffolk	Organ Builder	Ipswich ...	Dec. 9, 1897	29 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	23	Debtor's	
3957	Johnson, Harry	Broad-street, Teddington, Middlesex... ..	Cycle Agent and Boot-maker	Kingston, Surrey	Dec. 9, 1897	27 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	17	Debtor's	
3958	Burn, Albert Frederick (trading as Burn and Co.)	265, Wincolmlee, in the city of Kingston-upon-Hull	Butcher and Grocer ...	Kingston-upon-Hull	Dec. 11, 1897	54 of 1897	Dec. 11, 1897	46	Debtor's	
3959	Byrom, Edmund	140, High-street, in the city of Leeds ...	Greengrocer	Leeds	Dec. 10, 1897	90 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897	86	Debtor's	
3960	Chambers, William	Late of 18, Hanover-square, in the city of Leeds, now residing in lodgings at 144, Burley-road, in the said city of Leeds	Late Sheep Dealer, now out of business	Leeds	Dec. 11, 1897	92 of 1897	Dec. 11, 1897	88	Debtor's	
3961	Lazenby, Harry	10, Warehouse-hill, in the city of Leeds ...	Bamboo Cane Dealer ...	Leeds	Dec. 8, 1897	89 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	85	Debtor's	
3962	Riley, John Henry	33, Beechwood-terrace, Cardigan-lane, Burley, in the city of Leeds	Commercial Traveller ...	Leeds	Dec. 10, 1897	91 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897	87	Debtor's	
3963	Orton, William	Formerly residing and carrying on business at Hamilton House, Fairfax-road, Gipsy-road, Belgrave, in the county borough of Leicester, now residing in lodgings at 28, Cooper-street, Leicester aforesaid	Late Baker, now out of business	Leicester ...	Dec. 8, 1897	85 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	80	Debtor's	
3964	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 ...	Nov. 19, 1897	73 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897	67	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3965	Barnett, George	28, Brinkburn-crescent, Tyne Dock, county of Durham	Engine Fitter	Newcastle-on-Tyne	Dec. 11, 1897	54 of 1897	Dec. 11, 1897	50	Debtor's	

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3966	Hare, Edgar ...	Badby, near Daventry, Northamptonshire ...	Baker	Northampton ...	Dec. 9, 1897	34 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	34	Debtor's	
3967	Pierpoint, Frederick Ernest	Cotmandene, Dorking, in the county of Surrey, lately residing at Lansdowne Grange, Lansdowne-road, Bournemouth, in the county of Hants, previously residing and carrying on business at Bracondale House School, Bracondale, in the county of the city of Norwich, having for the greater part of the past six months resided at Lansdowne Grange, Lansdowne-road, Bournemouth aforesaid	Late a Schoolmaster, now of no occupation	Poole	Dec. 8, 1897	33 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	33	Debtor's	
3968	Sturgess, William Lionel	131, New-road, Buckland, Portsmouth ...	Grocer	Portsmouth ...	Dec. 10, 1897	42 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897	40	Debtor's	
3969	Pilley, John ...	Residing at 12, Thorpe-street, Thorpe Hesley, near Rotherham, Yorkshire, lately carrying on business at Thorpe Hesley aforesaid	Stonemason, late Builder and Cowkeeper	Sheffield ...	Dec. 9, 1897	66 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	62	Debtor's	
3970	Walker, Thomas...	Red Lion-street, Redcar, in the county of York	Blacksmith	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	Dec. 9, 1897	69 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	51	Debtor's	
3971	Woof, Elizabeth ...	3, Craster-terrace, Coatham, in the county of York	Fish and Game Dealer, a Married Woman, carrying on business separately and apart from her Husband	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	Dec. 9, 1897	60 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	55	Debtor's	
3972	Payne, Richard ...	Residing at 50, Elicada-road, Wandsworth, and carrying on business at 91, High-street, Wandsworth, both in the county of Surrey	Butcher	Wandsworth ...	Nov. 23, 1897	44 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	28	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3973	Taylor, James H. ...	11, Abbotts Rectory, Hatch, near Taunton, Somersetshire	Clerk in Holy Orders ...	Yeovil	Nov. 29, 1897	8 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897	9	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
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3992	Arrandale, Edwin ...	5, Ashton-road, Denton, Lancashire ...	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Ashton-under-Lyne and Stalybridge	Nov. 19, 1897	21 of 1897	Nov. 19, 1897	15	Debtor's	

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Baedeker, Eugene ...	Now or late of 108, Golden-lane, in the county of London, and residing at 72, Devonshire-road, Forest Hill, Surrey	Walking Stick, Manufacturer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1422 of 1897	Dec. 21, 1897	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 19, 1898	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
Cowley, John and Horace	Carrying on business at Granville House, Arundel-street, Strand, in the county of London	Publishers	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1379 of 1897	Dec. 21, 1897	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 19, 1898	12.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
Garton, William ...	Now or lately carrying on business at 6, Muscovy-court, Tower-hill, in the city of London, and who resides at 12, Langham-road, South Tottenham, Middlesex	Cocoa Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1409 of 1897	Dec. 23, 1897	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 27, 1898	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
Grosvenor, Frederick Simon	Lately carrying on business at 47, Moorgate-street, in the city of London	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1373 of 1897	Dec. 23, 1897	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 27, 1898	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
Moss, Herbert Mann	Carrying on business at 55, Great Titchfield-street, in the county of London, and residing at Esk House, Cedars-road, Hampton Wick, Middlesex	Grocer and Provision Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1517 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 23, 1898	12.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
Perring, Robert John	Money Order Office, General Post Office, Mount Pleasant, Clerkenwell, in the county of London, residing at Amersham Lodge, Slough, Buckinghamshire	Clerk in the said Money Order Office	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1495 of 1897	Dec. 23, 1897	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 21, 1898	12.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
Verga, Carlo ...	38, Old Compton-street, Soho, in the county of London	Club Proprietor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1301 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 18, 1898	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	

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Brookes, William ...	17, Madoc-street, Llandudno, Carnarvonshire	Butcher's Manager	Bangor ...	36 of 1897	Dec. 23, 1897	11.45 A.M.	Prince of Wales Hotel, Llandudno	Jan. 6, 1898	12.15 P.M.	Magistrates' Room, Bangor	Dec. 2, 1897
Roberts, John ...	Residing and carrying on business at West View, Caroline-street, Llandudno, Carnarvonshire	Contractor ...	Bangor ...	37 of 1897	Dec. 23, 1897	12.15 P.M.	Prince of Wales Hotel, Llandudno	Jan. 6, 1898	12.15 P.M.	Magistrates' Room, Bangor	Dec. 2, 1897
Margison, William ...	Alexander's - buildings, Snape Hill, Darfield, near Barnsley, Yorkshire	Miner and Shop-keeper	Barnsley ..	14 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	10.15 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Regent-street, Barnsley	Dec. 22, 1897	10.45 A.M.	County Court-hall, Regent-street, Barnsley	Dec. 10, 1897
Mason, Joseph ...	19, Victoria-road, Aston, Warwickshire	Pearl Button Manufacturer	Birmingham ...	91 of 1897	Dec. 21, 1897	11 A.M.	23, Colmore-row, Birmingham	Jan. 26, 1898	2 P.M.	County Court, Birmingham	Nov. 26, 1897
Oulton, Joseph ...	Residing at 8, Hillside-terrace, and lately carrying on business at 24, Heaplane, formerly residing at 232, Otley-road, and carrying on business at 76, Manchester-road, afterwards residing and carrying on business at 8, Wakefield-road, all in the city of Bradford	Lately a Clock-maker, now out of business	Bradford ...	101 of 1897	Dec. 23, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford	Jan. 12, 1898	10 A.M.	County Court, Manor-row, Bradford	Dec. 11, 1897
Cox, Richard... ..	94, London-road, Brighton, Sussex	Butcher's Manager	Brighton..	76 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	12 noon	Official Receiver's Office, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton	Jan. 6, 1898	11 A.M.	Court - house, Church-street, Brighton	Dec. 9, 1897
Gardiner, George ...	Bank-road, Kingswood, in the county of Gloucester	Builder	Bristol ...	78 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol	Jan. 28, 1898	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	Dec. 4, 1897
Kingston, Frederick John	98, Lawrence-hill, in the city and county of Bristol, and formerly of 55A, Castle-street, Bristol aforesaid	Tin-plate and Iron Worker	Bristol ...	82 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	3.15 P.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol	Jan. 28, 1898	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	Dec. 11, 1897

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Palmer and Bennett	35, Park-street, in the city and county of Bristol, and lately carrying on business at Nicholas-street, Bristol	Tailors ...	Bristol ...	75 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	12 noon	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol	Jan. 14, 1898	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	Dec. 9, 1897
Savery, Robert	2, Lansdown-place, Kingswood, and carrying on business at Soundwell-road, Staple Hill, both in the county of Gloucester	Boot Manufacturer	Bristol ...	80 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	1.0 P.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol	Jan. 28, 1898	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	Dec. 9, 1897
Willcox, Peter	Residing and carrying on business at 7, Denmark-street, Bristol	Dairyman and Grocer	Bristol ...	81 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	3.0 P.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol	Jan. 14, 1898	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	Dec. 9, 1897
Wiltshire, James	Residing at Kingswood, in the county of Gloucester, and carrying on business at Kingswood aforesaid	Builder ...	Bristol ...	77 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	12.45 P.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol	Jan. 14, 1898	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	Dec. 9, 1897
Clements, Robert	Black Horse Drove, Littleport Fen, in the Isle of Ely, Cambridgeshire	Grocer ...	Cambridge ...	25 of 1897	Jan. 19, 1898	10.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 5, Petty Cury, Cambridge	Jan. 19, 1898	11 A.M.	Guildhall, Cambridge	Dec. 11, 1897
Haydon, Emily Kate	High-street, St. Lawrence, in the Isle of Thanet, Kent	Blacksmith, Wife of Henry Haydon, of the same place, trading apart from her Husband and having a separate estate	Canterbury ...	44 of 1897	Dec. 23, 1897	9 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 73, Castle-street, Canterbury	Dec. 23, 1897	10 A.M.	Guildhall, Canterbury	Dec. 9, 1897
Mackay, Donald	Lately residing at Langhorne House, the Leas, Folkestone, Kent, now temporarily residing at Kinlockbervie House, Kinlockbervie-by-Lairg, Sutherland, Scotland	Boarding-house Keeper	Canterbury ...	45 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	4 P.M.	Queen's Hotel, Folkestone	Dec. 23, 1897	10 A.M.	Guildhall, Canterbury	
Jones, David	Cefn-rallt-issa, Llandingat, Carmarthenshire	Farmer, trading in copartnership with Anne Jones, his Wife	Carmarthen ...	37 of 1897	Dec. 21, 1897	2.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 4, Queen-street, Carmarthen	Jan. 12, 1898	11 A.M.	Guildhall, Carmarthen	Dec. 11, 1897

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Jones, Edwin Alfred Howard	Carrying on business at the Townhall Stores and Station-road, and residing at Wellesley-road, all in Clacton-on-Sea, Essex	Grocer and Provision Merchant	Colchester ...	26 of 1897	Dec. 21, 1897	12 30 P.M.	Great Eastern Hotel, Liverpool - street, London	Jan. 7, 1898	2.30 P.M.	Townhall, Colchester	
Hallett, Bernard ...	39, South-street, Bridport, Dorsetshire	Cutler, Umbrella Maker, and Cycle Agent	Dorchester ...	21 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, City-chambers, Endless-street, Salisbury	Jan. 23, 1898	12.15 P.M.	County Hall, Dorchester	
Scutt, Thomas Jones	Fordington, Dorchester, Dorsetshire	Agricultural Implement Maker's Traveller	Dorchester ...	20 of 1897	Dec. 21, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, City-chambers, Endless-street, Salisbury	Jan. 28, 1898	12.15 P.M.	County Hall, Dorchester	
Crompton, Arthur William	Now residing in lodgings at 71, Grange-road, Dudley, Worcestershire	Coal Merchant ...	Dudley ...	15 of 1897	Dec. 21, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Wolverhampton - street, Dudley	Jan. 3, 1898	12 noon	Court - house, Priory - street, Dudley	Dec. 6, 1897
Darke, George Joseph	15, North-street, Exeter ...	Journeyman Baker	Exeter ...	55 of 1897	Dec. 23, 1897	10.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 13, Bedford-circus, Exeter	Dec. 23, 1897	11.30 A.M.	The Castle, Exeter	Dec. 10, 1897
Bilverstone, Orville Oscar	27, Edinburgh-road, Lowestoft, Suffolk	Marine Store Dealer's Labourer	Great Yarmouth	25 of 1897	Dec. 24, 1897	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 8, King-street, Norwich	Jan. 11, 1898	11 A.M.	Townhall, Great Yarmouth	Dec. 10, 1897
Edwards, Arthur ...	Bungay, Suffolk ...	Lately Baker ...	Great Yarmouth	21 of 1897	Jan. 11, 1898	10.45 A.M.	L. Blake's Office, South Quay, Great Yarmouth	Jan. 11, 1898	11 A.M.	Townhall, Great Yarmouth	Dec. 1, 1897
Brooke, Sam ... and Haigh, Sam Sutcliffe (trading as Brooke and Haigh) ...	Spring-street, Brighouse, Yorkshire Wakefield-road, Brighouse Victoria Mills, Brighouse...	Cotton Doublers ...	Halifax ...	36 of 1897	Dec. 30, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Townhall-chambers, Halifax	Jan. 10, 1898	2 P.M.	County Court-house, Prescott - street, Halifax	
Adlington, Joseph Merari	6, High-street, Tunstall, Staffordshire	Schoolmaster ...	Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall	3 of 1897	Dec. 21, 1897	11 A.M.	Townhall, Hanley ...	Dec. 21, 1897	11.15 A.M.	Townhall, Hanley	

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Burden, George Richard	3, Peel's-place, late of High-street, both in Ten-terden, Kent	Fishmonger ...	Hastings ...	38 of 1897	Dec. 21, 1897	2 P.M.	Offices of Young and Son, Bank-buildings, Hastings	Dec. 21, 1897	12 noon	Townhall, Hastings	
Thwaites, Thomas Osborne	Burnside, Station-road, Bexhill, Sussex	Farmer ...	Hastings ...	37 of 1897	Dec. 21, 1897	3 P.M.	Offices of Young and Son, Bank-buildings, Hastings	Dec. 21, 1897	12 noon	Townhall, Hastings	
Hardcastle, John Joseph	2, Seed-hill, Huddersfield, in the county of York	Out of business ...	Huddersfield ...	24 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Chambers, 19, John William-street, Huddersfield	Jan. 14, 1898	2 P.M.	County Court, Queen-street, Huddersfield	Dec. 10, 1897
Baker, George K. (formerly trading as G. K. Baker and Co.)	7, St. Andrew's-road, Surbiton, Surrey, lately carrying on business at 22, Victoria-terrace, Surbiton	...	Kingston, Surrey	26 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	12.30 P.M.	24, Railway approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Jan. 4, 1898	2.30 P.M.	Court-house, Kingston, Surrey	
Schofield, Arthur	Late of the Hare and Hounds Inn, Fishlake, in the county of York, now of Saltmarshe, near Howden, in the same county	Late Innkeeper and Joiner, now journeyman Joiner	Kingston-upon-Hull	53 of 1897	Dec. 21, 1897	11 A.M.	Office of Official Receiver, Trinity House-lane, Hull	Jan. 17, 1898	2 P.M.	Court-house, Townhall, Hull	Dec. 10, 1897
Appleyard, Joe	Lately carrying on business at Airedale Mills, Hunslet, in the city of Leeds, now residing at 5, Silver Royd Hill, Wortley, Leeds	Lately Dyer, now out of business	Leeds ...	81 of 1897	Dec. 23, 1897	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park-row, Leeds	Jan. 11, 1898	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Albion-place, Leeds	Nov. 26, 1897
Goldman, Simon	Pollard's-yard, Lady-lane, and residing at 13, Ramsden-terrace, both in the city of Leeds, and also lately carrying on business at 13, the Promenade, Bridlington Quay, in the county of York	Master Tailor ...	Leeds ...	85 of 1897	Dec. 23, 1897	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park-row, Leeds	Jan. 11, 1898	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Albion-place, Leeds	Dec. 4, 1897
Lazenby, Harry	10, Warehouse-hill, in the city of Leeds	Bambo Dealer	Leeds ...	89 of 1897	Dec. 23, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park-row, Leeds	Jan. 11, 1898	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Albion-place, Leeds	Dec. 9, 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.
Orton, William ...	Formerly residing and carrying on business at Hamilton House, Fairfax-road, Gipsy-lane, Belgrave, in the county borough of Leicester, now residing in lodgings at 28, Cooper-street, Leicester-aforesaid	Late Baker, now out of business	Leicester ...	85 of 1897	Dec. 21, 1897	12.30 P.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 1, Berridge-street, Leicester	Jan. 6, 1898	10 A.M.	The Castle, Leicester	
Samuel, John Edward	81, Victoria-street, Dowlais, in the county of Glamorgan	Stationer and Newsagent	Merthyr Tydfil	18 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	12 noon	65, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil	Jan. 19, 1898	3 P.M.	Court-house, Graham-street, Merthyr Tydfil	Dec. 10, 1897
Daft, Harry Butler ... and	Residing at Main-road, Radcliffe-on-Trent, Nottinghamshire										
Barnett, Bernard ... (trading as	Residing at Trent Villas, Trent Boulevard, West Bridgeford, Nottinghamshire										
H. B. Daft and Co.) ...	At 85, Carrington-street, Nottingham, the said Harry Butler Daft also lately trading in co-partnership with Richard Daft as R. and H. B. Daft at the Trent Bridge Hotel, West Bridgeford, Nottinghamshire, as Licensed Victuallers	Cricket and Sports Out-fitters	Nottingham ...	81 of 1897	Dec. 21, 1897	12 noon	County Court-house, St. Peter's-gate, Nottingham	Jan. 19, 1898	11.30 A.M.	County Court-house, St. Peter's-gate, Nottingham	
Daft, Richard, and ... Daft, Harry Butler	Both residing at Main-road, Radcliffe-on-Trent, and lately trading at the Trent Bridge Hotel, West Bridgeford, both in Nottinghamshire, the said Harry Butler Daft also trading in co-partnership with Bernard Barnett as H. B. Daft and Co. at 85, Carrington-street, Nottingham, as Cricket and Sports Outfitters										
(lately trading as											
R. and H. B. Daft) ...		Lately Licensed Victuallers	Nottingham ...	80 of 1897	Dec. 21, 1897	11 A.M.	County Court-house, St. Peter's-gate, Nottingham	Jan. 19, 1898	11.30 A.M.	County Court-house, St. Peter's-gate, Nottingham	

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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.
Scriven, George ...	Radcliffe - road, West Bridgford, Nottinghamshire, carrying on business at Victoria-street, Nottingham, and at Stourbridge, Worcestershire	Accountant ...	Nottingham ...	82 of 1897	Dec 22, 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	Dec. 11, 1897
Holden, Adam ...	124, Burnley-lane, Oldham, Lancashire	Self-Actor Minder	Oldham ...	17 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	2.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Queen-street, Oldham	Jan. 21, 1898	11 A.M.	Court - house, Church - lane, Oldham	Nov. 26, 1897
Johns, Thomas ...	247, Chadderton - road, Oldham, Lancashire	Bobbin Carrier ...	Oldham ...	20 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	2.35 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Queen-street, Oldham	Jan. 21, 1898	11 A.M.	Court - house, Church - lane, Oldham	Nov. 26, 1897
Wild, George ...	43, New Earth-street, Oldham, Lancashire	Now of no occupation, lately Minder in a Cotton Mill	Oldham ...	21 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	3.15 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Queen-street, Oldham	Jan. 21, 1898	11 A.M.	Court - house, Church - lane, Oldham	Nov. 26, 1897
Hiles, Ellen ...	10, St. Giles-street, in the city of Oxford	Lodging - house Keeper, Spinster	Oxford ...	20 of 1897	Dec. 21, 1897	12 noon	1, St. Aldate's, Oxford	Dec. 30, 1897	11.30 A.M.	County Hall, Oxford	Dec. 8, 1897
Membrey, Henry ...	22, Walker-terrace, in the borough of Plymouth, Devon	Cab Proprietor ...	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	64 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	11 A.M.	Law Society's-chambers, Athenæum-lane, Plymouth	Jan. 3, 1898	11 A.M.	Townhall, East Stonehouse	Dec. 11, 1897
Evans, Thomas William	Topyderi House, Ystrad Rhondda, in the county of Glamorgan	Fireman ...	Pontypridd ...	51 of 1897	Dec. 23, 1897	12 noon	65, High - street, Merthyr Tydfil	Jan. 11, 1898	11.15 A.M.	Court - house, Pontypridd	Dec. 10, 1897
W. Ash and Son ...	20, French-street, Southampton, and Quay-street, Newport, Isle of Wight, both in the county of Southampton	Wholesale Fruiterers, Potato Merchants, and Commission Agents	Southampton ...	24 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 4, East-street, Southampton	Dec. 31, 1897	11 A.M.	Court - house, Castle-square, Southampton	Dec. 9, 1897
Pedley, Frederick William	Residing at 20, Reed-street, and carrying on business at 19, Reed-street, West Hartlepool, in the county of Durham	Plumber and Sanitary Engineer	Sunderland ...	26 of 1897	Dec. 21, 1897	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 25, John-street, Sunderland	Dec. 23, 1897	11.15 A.M.	Court - house, John - street, Sunderland	Dec. 4, 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.
Roberts, William ...	76, Brack-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 ...	40. of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Walsall	Dec. 22, 1897	12 noon	Court - house, Walsall	Dec. 3, 1897
Caiger, Alfred ...	10, George-street, Richmond, in the county of Surrey	Tailor ...	Wandsworth ...	48 of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	11.30 A.M.	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Jan. 13, 1898	12 noon	Court - house, Wandsworth	
Beckett, Charles Roger (carrying on business under the style or firm of Beckett and Company and as Forshaw and Company)	Myrtle-terrace, Dalton-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, lately residing at 7, Crosslands Park-road, Barrow-in-Furness, and carrying on business at Hindpool-road, Barrow-in-Furness, under the style or firm of Beckett and Company, Timber Merchants, and at 16, Piccadilly, Bradford, in the county of York, under the firm or style of Forshaw and Company, Paper Merchants and Agents	Timber Merchant, Paper Merchant, and Agent	Ulverston and Barrow - in-Furness	6B of 1897	Dec. 22, 1897	4 P.M.	Station Hotel, Carnforth				
Hallett, Alfred ...	East Chelborough, Dorsetshire	Blacksmith ...	Yeovil ...	9 of 1897	Dec. 21, 1897	1 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, City-chambers, Endless-street, Salisbury	Jan. 6, 1898	12 noon	Townhall, Yeovil	

ADJUDICATIONS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Hines, Arthur Thomas	14, Saltram-crescent, Paddington, lately residing at 16, Shirland-mews, Paddington, both in Middlesex	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1370 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897 ...	Nov. 10, 1897
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. 9, 1897 ...	Oct. 21, 1897
Lipscombe, Arthur (described in Receiving Order and trading as Thomas Taplin and Co.)	Carrying on business at 83, St. Paul's-churchyard and 106, Cheapside, both in the city of London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1091 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897 ...	Sept. 3 1897
Moss, Herbert Mann	Carrying on business at 55, Great Titchfield-street, in the county of London, and residing at Esk House, Cedars-road, Hampton Wick, Middlesex	Grocer and Provision Merchant ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1517 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897 ...	Dec. 9, 1897
Snowdon, John Harry	73, Brushfield-street, Spitalfields, Middlesex	Salesman	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1337 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897 ...	Nov. 3, 1897
Horwill, Arthur Herbert (known as Albert Homill)	9, Park Hall-parade, High-road, East Finchley, Middlesex ...	Draper	Barnet	24 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897 ...	Nov. 30, 1897
Rattenberry, John Littlejohns	Mill House, Wear Gifford, Devonshire	Dairyman	Barnstaple	22 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897 ...	Dec. 6, 1897
Oulton, Joseph	Residing at 8, Hillside-terrace, and lately carrying on business at 24, Heap-lane, formerly residing at 232, Otley-road, and carrying on business at 76, Manchester-road, afterwards residing and carrying on business at 8, Wakefield-road, all in the city of Bradford	Lately a Clockmaker, now out of business	Bradford	101 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897 ...	Dec. 9, 1897
Cox, Richard Henry... ..	94, London-road, Brighton, Sussex	Butcher's Manager	Brighton	76 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897 ...	Dec. 6, 1897
Kingston, Frederick John	98, Lawrence-hill, in the city and county of Bristol, and formerly of 55A, Castle-street, Bristol aforesaid	Tin-plate and Iron Worker	Bristol	82 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897 ...	Dec. 9, 1897
Clements, Robert	Black Horse Drove, Littleport, in the Isle of Ely, Cambridgeshire	Grocer	Cambridge	25 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897 ...	Dec. 9, 1897
Buxton, Henry	Oates-street, Dewsbury, in the county of York	Greeengrocer	Dewsbury	29 of 1897	Dec. 11, 1897 ...	Dec. 10, 1897
Richardson, Albert	Residing at Providence-street, Earlsheaton, and carrying on business at the Great Northern Goods Yard, Dewsbury, in the county of York	Wholesale Fruit and Potato Merchant	Dewsbury	27 of 1897	Dec. 11, 1897 ...	Dec. 9, 1897
Scott, George Alfred	Residing at 12, Upper Bawfolds-lane, Liversedge, in the county of York	Timekeeper	Dewsbury	28 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897 ...	Dec. 9, 1897

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Darke, George Joseph	15, North-street, Exeter	Journeyman Baker	Exeter	55 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897 ...	Dec. 7, 1897
Brooklesby, Harold	325, Cleethorpe-road, Great Grimsby, Lincolnshire	Draper	Great Grimsby	40 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897 ...	Nov. 25, 1897
Brooke, Sam, and Haigh, Sam Sutcliffe (trading as Brooke and Haigh)	Spring-street, Brighouse, Yorkshire Wakefield-road, Brighouse Victoria Mills, Brighouse	Cotton Doublers	Halifax	36 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897 ...	Dec. 8, 1897
Shelley, Charles	The Roebuck Inn, Hope-street, Hanley, Staffordshire	Licensed Victualler	Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall	30 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897 ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Burden, George Richard	3, Peel's-place and High-street, Tenterden, Kent	Fishmonger	Hastings	38 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897 ...	Dec. 10, 1897
Samson, Gavin Hamilton	Lately residing at Southlands, New Romney, Kent, but whose present address is unknown	Clerk in Holy Orders	Hastings	31 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897 ...	Oct. 30, 1897
Thwaites, Thomas Osborne	Burnside, Station-road, Bexhill, Sussex	Farmer	Hastings	37 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897 ...	Dec. 6, 1897
Millicham, Robert George	Formerly of Purlbrook, Weston Beggard, now of Woodfield, Weston Beggard, Herefordshire	Farmer	Hereford	18 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897 ...	Dec. 9, 1897
Johnson, George	Residing at Manchester-road, Huddersfield, in the county of York	Boot and Shoe Maker	Huddersfield	20 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897 ...	Sept. 24, 1897
Stidolph, Thomas Frederick	Woodbridge, Suffolk	Organ Builder	Ipswich	29 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897 ...	Dec. 9, 1897
Baker, George K. (formerly trading as G. K. Baker and Co.)	7, St. Andrew's-road, Surbiton, Surrey, lately carrying on business at 22, Victoria-terrace, Surbiton	... ..	Kingston, Surrey	26 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897 ...	Nov. 11, 1897
Burn, Albert Frederick (trading as Burn and Co.)	265, Wincolmllee, in the city of Kingston-upon-Hull	Butcher and Grocer	Kingston-upon-Hull	54 of 1897	Dec. 11, 1897 ...	Dec. 11, 1897
Byrom, Edmund	140, High-street, in the city of Leeds	Greengrocer	Leeds	90 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897 ...	Dec. 10, 1897

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Chambers, William ...	Late of 18, Hanover-square, in the city of Leeds, now residing in lodgings at 144, Burley-road, in the said city of Leeds	Late Sheep Dealer, now out of business	Leeds ...	92 of 1897	Dec. 11, 1897 ...	Dec. 11, 1897
Lazenby, Harry ...	10, Warehouse-hill, in the city of Leeds ...	Bamboo Cane Dealer...	Leeds ...	89 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897 ...	Dec. 8, 1897
Riley, John Henry ...	33, Beechwood-terrace, Cardigan-lane, Burley, in the city of Leeds	Commercial Traveller ...	Leeds ...	91 of 1897	Dec. 10, 1897 ...	Dec. 10, 1897
Orton, William ...	Formerly residing and carrying on business at Hamilton House, Fairfax-road, Gipsy-road, Belgrave, in the county borough of Leicester, now residing in lodgings at 28, Cooper-street, Leicester aforesaid	Late Baker, now out of business ...	Leicester ...	85 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897 ...	Dec. 7, 1897
Spencer, Walter ...	Market-place, Hinckley, in the county of Leicester ...	Tailor and Outfitter ...	Leicester ...	72 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897 ...	Nov. 5, 1897
Burnett, George ...	23, Brinkburn-crescent, Tyne Dock, county of Durham ...	Engine Fitter ...	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	54 of 1897	Dec. 11, 1897 ...	Dec. 11, 1897
Hare, Edgar ...	Badby, near Daventry, Northamptonshire ...	Baker ...	Northampton ...	34 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897 ...	Dec. 8, 1897
Wattam, Frederick ...	Whittering, Northamptonshire ...	Farmer and Veterinary Surgeon ...	Peterborough ...	16 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897 ...	Nov. 25, 1897
Pierpoint, Frederick Ernest ...	Cotmandene, Farking, in the county of Surrey, lately residing at Lansdowne Grange, Lansdowne-road, Bournemouth, in the county of Hants, previously residing and carrying on business at Bracondale House School, Bracondale, in the county of the city of Norwich, having for the greater part of the past six months resided at Lansdowne Grange, Lansdowne-road, Bournemouth aforesaid	Late a Schoolmaster, now of no occupation	Poole...	33 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897 ...	Dec. 4, 1897
Pilley, John ...	Residing at 12, Thorpe-street, Thorpe Hesley, near Rotherham, Yorkshire, lately carrying on business at Thorpe Hesley aforesaid	Stonemason, late Builder and Cow-keeper	Sheffield ...	66 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897 ...	Dec. 9, 1897
Walker, Thomas ...	Red Lion-street, Redcar, in the county of York ...	Blacksmith ...	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	59 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897 ...	Dec. 9, 1897
Woof, Elizabeth ...	3, Craster-terrace, Coatham, in the county of York ...	Fish and Game Dealer, a Married Woman, carrying on business separately and apart from her Husband	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	60 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897 ...	Dec. 9, 1897
<i>The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 23rd November, 1897.</i>						
Arrandale, Edwin ...	5, Ashton-road, Denton, Lancashire ...	Grocer and Provision Dealer ...	Ashton-under-Lyne and Stalybridge	21 of 1897	Nov. 19, 1897 ...	Nov. 19, 1897

ORDERS ON APPLICATIONS 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.
Rees, Llewellyn Vosper (trading as Rees and Co.)	11, Woodwell - crescent, St. George's-road, Bristol	Chemist	Bristol	42 of 1897	Dec. 3, 1897	Payment in cash of all preferential debts, and of all proper costs and charges and expenses to the Official Receiver. Payment of a Composition on all provable debts of 7s. 6d. in the pound to all creditors except Miss Alice Purser, who claims to be a creditor for about £300, for money lent, and has undertaken not to prove against the estate if the Composition be accepted. Order of Adjudication annulled and Receiving Order rescinded, and the property of the bankrupt revested in him
Duckworth, Thomas Henry	Residing at 55, Nile-street, and trading at Britannia-street, both in Oldham, Lancashire	Mineral Water Manufacturer and Ale and Porter Bottler	Oldham	10 of 1897	Nov. 19, 1897	Debtor to pay to the Official Receiver such a sum as shall be sufficient to pay all preferential debts in full, and to pay all costs, charges, expenses, fees, and percentages, and a Composition of 10s. in the pound on all provable debts.

NOTICES OF INTENDED DIVIDENDS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Austin, George, the younger	58, Navarino-road, Dalston, lately carrying on business at London-lane, and afterwards at Sheep-lane, Hackney, all in Middlesex	Formerly a Carman and Contractor, now out of business	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	702 of 1896	Jan. 1, 1898 ...	E. Leadam Hough, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Notson, William ...	80, Tytherton-road, Holloway, and Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, both in the county of London	Clerk in the Bankruptcy Division of the High Court of Justice	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	654 of 1896	Jan. 1, 1898 ...	H. Brougham, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Parkin, William Henry (trading as John Parkin and Son)	35, Haggerston-road, in the county of London	Pianoforte Manufacturer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1010 of 1897	Dec. 29, 1897 ...	Percy Mason ...	64, Gresham-street, London E.C.
Reusch, Julius ...	42, Cotleigh-road, West Hampstead, Middlesex	Teacher of Languages ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	883 of 1897	Jan. 1, 1898 ...	A. H. Wildy, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Hurt, William ...	Residing at 22, Little Wind-street, Aberdare, Glamorganshire, and trading at Duke-street Stores, Aberdare aforesaid	Fishmonger ...	Aberdare ...	6 of 1897	Dec. 31, 1897 ...	William Lewes Daniel, Official Receiver	65, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil
Wadsworth, Samuel James	The Mill Cottage, Gloucester-street, Aberdare, Glamorganshire	Oil Vendor ...	Aberdare ...	19 of 1897	Dec. 31, 1897 ...	William Lewes Daniel, Official Receiver	65, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil
Francis, John ...	48 and 50, Rendezvous-street, Folkestone, Kent	Corn Factor, Hay, Straw, and Coal Merchant, and Steamship Owner	Canterbury ...	18 of 1896	Dec. 28, 1897 ...	Frank Hyland ...	81, Cannon-street, London, E.C.
Gwynne, John ...	Werddw, Llanfihangel Cilfargen, Carmarthenshire	Farmer ...	Carmarthen ...	32 of 1897	Dec. 29, 1897 ...	Thomas Thomas, Official Receiver	4, Queen-street, Carmarthen
Michael, William ...	52, Rhosmaen-street and Glyncwob, Llandilo, Carmarthenshire	Saddler ...	Carmarthen ...	22 of 1897	Dec. 29, 1897 ...	Thomas Thomas, Official Receiver	4, Queen-street, Carmarthen
Walters, David ...	60, Station-road, Llanelly, and at the Market-place, Llandilo, Carmarthenshire, and lately residing and carrying on business at Cleveland-buildings, Station-road, Llanelly aforesaid, and at Station House, Ammanford, Carmarthenshire	Boot and Shoe Dealer ...	Carmarthen ...	17 of 1897	Dec. 29, 1897 ...	Thomas Thomas, Official Receiver	4, Queen-street, Carmarthen
Francis, Frederick ...	23, Portland-road, Colchester, Essex ...	Builder and Contractor ...	Colchester ...	25 of 1897	Dec. 28, 1897 ...	Frédéric Messent, Official Receiver	36, Princes-street, Ipswich
Grimshaw, Ernest Anthony Atkinson	Heber Cottage, Inglis-road, Croydon, Surrey ...	Gentleman ...	Croydon ...	39 of 1891	Dec. 31, 1897 ...	A. Mackintosh, Official Receiver	24, Railway - approach London Bridge, S.E.

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
England, George ...	85, Stanhope-street, late 175, Siddals-road, formerly 3, Cockpit-hill, and previously 19, Nelson-street, all in Derby, Derbyshire	Milkseller and Fruiterer ...	Derby ...	31 of 1897	Dec. 30, 1897 ...	John Smith, Official Receiver	40, St. Mary's-gate, Derby
Randall, Jane Musgrave...	6, Nothe-parade-terrace, Weymouth, in the county of Dorset	Of no occupation, Spinster	Dorchester ...	4 of 1895	Dec. 28, 1897 ...	Frederick Aston Dawes, Official Receiver	City-chambers, Endless-street, Salisbury
Smith, Albert ...	Woburn Sands, in the parish of Aspley Guise, in the county of Bedford	Painter and House Decorator	Luton ...	14 of 1897	Dec. 31, 1897 ...	Alfred Ewen, Official Receiver	St. Paul's-square, Bedford
White, Alfred Henry ...	24, Glebeland-street, and also of Market-place, Merthyr Tydfil	Fish and Fruit Salesman ...	Merthyr Tydfil ...	15 of 1897	Dec. 31, 1897 ...	William Lewes Daniel, Official Receiver	65, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil
Evans, William Henry ...	Victoria Hotel, Water-street, Aberavon, in the county of Glamorgan	Licensed Victualler ...	Neath ...	18 of 1897	Dec. 29, 1897 ...	Thomas Thomas, Official Receiver	31, Alexandra-road, Swansea
Haycroft, Thomas Robert	26, Broad-street, in the city of Oxford, and carrying on business at 29, Broad-street aforesaid, and residing at 9, Holywell-street, in the city of Oxford	Grocer and Lodging-house Keeper.	Oxford ...	9 of 1897	Dec. 31, 1897 ...	George Mallam, Official Receiver	1, St. Aldate-street, Oxford
Walters, William ...	The Fishers' Arms, Whitland, in the parish of Llanboidy, in the county of Carmarthen	Licensed Victualler and Timber Haulier	Pembroke Dock ...	12 of 1897	Dec. 29, 1897 ...	Thomas Thomas, Official Receiver	4, Queen-street, Carmarthen
Wilson, James George ...	Main-street, Pembroke, in the county of Pembroke	Saddler and Ironmonger ...	Pembroke Dock ...	18 of 1897	Dec. 29, 1897 ...	Thomas Thomas, Official Receiver	4, Queen-street, Carmarthen
Cottier, William Somerville	7, Russell-place, Pennycomequick, Plymouth, Devonshire	Marble Merchant ...	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	62 of 1896	Dec. 31, 1897 ...	Thomas Henry Geake, Official Receiver	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth
Gwynne, William Charles Marsden	The Horse and Groom Hotel, Rontypridd, Glamorganshire	Licensed Victualler ...	Pontypridd ...	41 of 1897	Dec. 31, 1897 ...	William Lewes Daniel, Official Receiver	65, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil
Mummary, Albert Howard	Knapp Mills, Christchurch, Hampshire	Miller and Corn Merchant...	Poole ...	3 of 1896	Dec. 28, 1897 ...	Frederick Aston Dawes, Official Receiver	City-chambers, Endless-street, Salisbury
Atkins, William Edwin (trading as H. Atkins and Co.)	East-street, Reading, Berkshire...	Corn and Hay Dealer ...	Reading ...	4 of 1897	Dec. 31, 1897 ...	George Mallam, Official Receiver	1, St. Aldate-street, Oxford
Taylor, Simon Walter ...	Penton Manor, near Andover, Hampshire	Farmer ...	Salisbury ...	3 of 1897	Dec. 28, 1897 ...	Frederick Aston Dawes, Official Receiver	City-chambers, Endless-street, Salisbury
Edwards, James ...	Laburnam Villa, Boyston Hill, near Shrewsbury, lately residing at Whiston Villa, Ford, in the county of Salop	Labourer ...	Shrewsbury ...	14 of 1897	Dec. 28, 1897 ...	T. Bullock, Official Receiver	Shrewsbury

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Gillett, Ernest	Whose present address is unknown, but lately residing at 12, Arncliffe-gardens, and carrying on business at 60 and 62, Lynn-street, West Hartlepool, in the county of Durham	Draper	Sunderland	15 of 1897	Dec. 30, 1897 ...	John Daniel Viney ...	99, Cheapside, London, E.C.
Jeffreys, Rhys	Bristol House, Penolawdd, in the county of Glamorgan	Grocer	Swansea	22 of 1897	Dec. 29, 1897 ...	Thomas Thomas, Official Receiver	31, Alexandra - road, Swansea
Stokes, Francis Griffin ...	Pennington Hall, Southborough, Kent ...	Schoolmaster	Tunbridge Wells ...	15 of 1897	Dec. 28, 1897 ...	Frederic William Davis	(Saker and Davis), 15, Coleman-street, London, E.C.
Wilmot, B. Sidney	28, Eridge-road, Tunbridge Wells, late residing at Colebrook Park, Tonbridge, Kent	Farmer	Tunbridge Wells ...	15 of 1896	Dec. 28, 1897 ...	A. Mackintosh, Official Receiver	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.
Lloyd, Edwin	29, Dudley-street, Wednesbury, Staffordshire...	Boot Manufacturer ...	Walsall	9 of 1897	Dec. 29, 1897 ...	Edwin Pritchard, Official Receiver	St. Peter's - close, Wolverhampton
Pymm, William, the elder	Fullbrook, Wednesbury, Staffordshire ...	Builder	Walsall	14 of 1897	Dec. 29, 1897 ...	Edwin Pritchard, Official Receiver	St. Peter's - close, Wolverhampton
Greenfield, Robert	17, Bath-street and Ranelagh Nursery, Ranelagh-street, Leamington, in the county of Warwick	Nurseryman; Landscape Gardener, Seedsman, Florist, and Fruiterer	Warwick	4 of 1897	Dec. 28, 1897 ...	Edward Thomas Peirson, Official Receiver	Official Receiver's Offices, 17, Hertford - street, Coventry
Looker, Charles (late'y carrying on business as Looker and Co., also as Stubbs and Co.)	Residing at Furze Plat, Maidenhead, in the county of Berks At Grenfell-road, Maidenhead aforesaid At 148 and 149, St. Mary-street, Southampton, in the county of Hants	Out of business Printer and Stationer Grocer, Printer, and Stationer	Windsor	4 of 1897	Dec. 29, 1897 ...	Cecil Mercer, Official Receiver	Office of Official Receiver, 95, Temple - chambers, Temple-avenue, E.C.
Abel, Frederick Rowlinson	29, Cleveland-road, Wolverhampton, Staffordshire	Coach, Spring, and Wrench Manufacturer	Wolverhampton ...	8 of 1897	Dec. 29, 1897 ...	Edwin Pritchard, Official Receiver	St. Peter's - close, Wolverhampton

NOTICES OF DIVIDENDS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or Otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Abbott, John Nelson (carrying on business as John Abbott and Co.)	22, Palmerston-buildings, Old Broad- street, London	Stock and Share Dealer and Broker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	683 of 1886	$\frac{1}{3}$ d.	Third and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey- street, London, W.C.
Bax, Martha	Now residing at Holmleigh, Hawley-road, Dartford, Kent, and lately of 67, Fins- bury Park-road, Middlesex	Carrying on business as a Builder and Dress- maker and Dealer in Dressmaking Materials, Wife of Robert Ham- mersley Bax, Surveyor, she being a Married Woman, trading sepa- rately and apart from her Husband, having separate estate and assets	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	61 of 1897	1s. 8d.	First and Final	Any day after Dec. 20, 1897 (except Saturday), between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey- street, London, W.C.
Beyts, Charles Anthony and Craig, George Grant ... (trading as Beyts, Craig, and Co.) ...	53, Sunderland-road, Forest Hill, Kent Somerleyton-road, Brixton, Surrey 31, Great St. Helen's, in the city of London, and of Bombay, in the Empire of India, both now detained in Her Majesty's Prison, Holloway, Middlesex	Shipowners and Mer- chants	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	937 of 1892	$\frac{1}{2}$ d.	Second and Final	Dec. 22, 1897 ...	14, George-street, Mansion House, London, E.C.
Boulting, Arthur ...	8, Onslow-place, South Kensington, in the county of London	Draper	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1139 of 1896	2s. $4\frac{1}{2}$ d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey- street, London, W.C.
Lion, Jacob (trading as Lion Brothers)	26, Phipps-street, Great Eastern-street, in the county of London	Boot Manufacturer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	883 of 1893	3d.	Fourth	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey- street, London, W.C.
Notton, Sebastian ...	88, Aldersgate-street, in the city of London, and of Woodlands, Oakleigh Park, Wheetstone, Middlesex	Pipe Manufacturer and Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1208 of 1895	1s. $1\frac{1}{2}$ d.	Final	Dec. 21, 1897 ...	Office of Trustee, A. W. Sully, 19 and 21, Queen Victoria- street, London, E.C.
Snead, Harry Seymour (trading as Henry Snead)	Residing at 71, Albany-street, Regent's Park, Middlesex, and carrying on busi- ness at 84, Great Titchfield-street, Oxford- street, 31, Great Chapel-street, West- minster, 134, Gray's-inn-road, and 168, King's-road, Chelsea, all in the county of London	Boot and Shoe Maker ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	379 of 1897	1s. $10\frac{1}{2}$ d.	Second and Final	Dec. 17, 1897 ...	Trustee's Office, A. C. Palmer, 7 and 8, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.

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Swete, Oswald Ricketts	108, Baron's Court-road, West Kensington, and Albion Works, 141, Kensal Green-road, Westbourne Park, both in Middlesex, and 11, Queen Victoria-street, London	Engineer, lately trading with William Charles Main, at 11, Queen Victoria-street and Albion Works, 141, Kensal Green-road, Westbourne Park, as Electric Light Contractors and Engineers, as Swete and Main	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	762 of 1887	17s. 4d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Gregory, James ...	16, New-road, Tintwistle, Cheshire, formerly residing at Old-road, Tintwistle aforesaid, and trading at the Cross Gates Farm, Tintwistle aforesaid	Greengrocer and Coal Dealer, formerly Farmer	Ashton-under-Lyne and Stalybridge	22 of 1896	1s. 9½d.	First and Final	Dec. 20, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, Byrom-street, Manchester
Evans, John Robert	Residing and trading at Manchester-row, Llanberis, Carnarvonshire	General Butcher	Bangor	11 of 1896	6½d.	Second and Final	Dec. 30, 1897	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate-row, Chester
Griffith, William	The Eagles, formerly the Eagles Inn, Menai Bridge, Anglesey	Coal Dealer, formerly Licensed Victualler	Bangor	32 of 1897	6d.	First and Final	Dec. 30, 1897	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate-row, Chester
Morris, John Charles	Late of Pelham Stores, Holyhead, Anglesey, now lodging at 9, Well-street, Holyhead aforesaid	Grocer	Bangor	31 of 1893	3½d.	First and Final	Dec. 23, 1897	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate-row, Chester
Owen, John William	Lately residing at Alma-terrace, now in Gwilym-terrace, Llanfair P.G., Anglesey, and trading at Alma-terrace aforesaid	Boot and Shoe Maker	Bangor	40 of 1895	7½d.	Second and Final	Dec. 30, 1897	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate-row, Chester
Roberts, Edward John	35, High-street, Bethesda, Carnarvonshire	Butcher	Bangor	15 of 1894	1s. 1½d.	Supplementary	Dec. 23, 1897	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate-row, Chester
Urmston, John Taylor	Lately carrying on business at 69, Watson-street, Birkenhead, Cheshire	Grocer	Birkenhead	2 of 1897	2s. 2½d.	First and Final	Dec. 16, 1897	Offices of Official Receiver, 35, Victoria-street, Liverpool
Facer, Thomas	4, Summer-hill-terrace, Birmingham, Warwickshire, formerly residing at Sandford House, Edgbaston-road, Balsall Heath, Worcestershire, and lately residing at Woodbridge House, Woodbridge-road, Moseley, Worcester-shire	Teacher of Music, lately carrying on the businesses or professions of a Proprietor of a Ladies' School and a Teacher of Music	Birmingham	105 of 1890	2s. 6d.	Fourth and Final instalment of Composition	Dec. 20, 1897	Whitehall-chambers, 23, Colmore-row, Birmingham
Orford, Corney Edward	6, Castle-street, and lodging at 67, Balsall Heath-road, both in Birmingham, Warwickshire	Importer of Foreign Produce and Commission Agent	Birmingham	152 of 1894	10d.	First and Final	Dec. 21, 1897	Prudential-buildings, Corporation-street Birmingham

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or Otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Mabbott, Samuel Henry	89, Upper St. James'-street, Brighton, Sussex, late of 49, Fortess-road and 5, Leverton-street, Kentish Town, in the county of London	Cooked Provision Merchant and Window Cleaner, formerly Dairyman	Brighton ...	17 of 1897	3s. 11d.	First and Final	Dec. 20, 1897	Offices of Official Receiver, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Stenning, George	East Dean, Sussex	Grocer, General Merchant, and Lodging-house Keeper	Brighton ...	21 of 1897	5d.	First and Final	Dec. 21, 1897	Office of Official Receiver, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Carter, Albert Edward	Nevil-road, Bishopston, Gloucestershire, late of 22, Chandos-road, Redland, Bristol	Now out of business, late Butcher and Poulterer	Bristol ...	14 of 1897	1s. 5½d.	First and Final	Dec. 22, 1897	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol
Reece, John Alonza	29, Lower Arcade, in the city and county of Bristol	Cagemaker and Bird Dealer	Bristol ...	45 of 1897	1s. 4½d.	First and Final	Dec. 22, 1897	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol
Hay, Stratford Morrison Canning	21, Union-terrace, Mill-road, Cambridge	Retired Major of Bombay Staff Corps	Cambridge ...	24 of 1890	1s.	Thirteenth	Dec. 17, 1897	Offices of Trustee, I. W. Jacobs, 38A, St. Andrew's-street, Cambridge, Accountant
Wilkinson, Ernest	Whittington Moor, near Chesterfield, Derbyshire	Explosive Merchant	Chesterfield ...	3 of 1896	1s. 8½d.	First and Final	Dec. 20, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, 40, St. Mary's-gate, Derby
Raddon, James Henry	York-road, Waltham Cross, Hertfordshire	Baker	Edmonton ...	18 of 1896	7½d.	First and Final	Dec. 20, 1897	Office of Official Receiver, 95, Temple-chambers, Temple Avenue, E.C.
Howarth, Robert Scowcroft (Separate Estate)	Ottery St. Mary, Devonshire	Brush Manufacturer, trading with Simeon, Edward Keetch as Keetch and Co.	Exeter ...	17 of 1895	1s. 5d.	First and Final	Dec. 20, 1897	23, Catherine-street, Exeter
Henly, Ernest Havelock	Calne, Wiltshire, lately Long-street, Wotton-under-Edge, Gloucestershire	Solicitor	Gloucester ...	21 of 1897	7½d.	First and Final	Dec. 15, 1897	Official Receiver's Office, Station-road, Gloucester
Earp, William (trading as W. Earp and Son)	Guildford-street Nurseries, White Cross-road, Hereford	Nurseryman, Seedsman, and Florist	Hereford ...	11 of 1897	1s. 6½d.	Second and Final	Dec. 17, 1897	2, Offa-street, Hereford
Throup, Henry	Lawkholme-lane, Keighley, Yorkshire, lately carrying on business at 37, Fleet-street, in the city of Leeds	Lately Butcher	Leeds ...	105 of 1896	2s. 3d.	First and Final	Dec. 29, 1897	Official Receiver's Office, 22, Park-row, Leeds
Watts, William Albert (trading as W. A. Watts and Co.)	Bowling Green-street, Leicester	Yarn Merchant	Leicester ...	27 of 1897	1½d.	First and Final	Dec. 22, 1897	Office of Official Receiver, 1, Berridge-street, Leicester
NOTE.—The above Notice is substituted for Notice of Dividend of 7d. per pound published in the London Gazette of the 19th October, 1897, the Dividend then advertised not having been paid.								

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Cripps, George ...	The Bridge, 224, High-street, Lewes, in the county of Sussex	Grocer and Provision Merchant.	Lewes and East-bourne	4 of 1897	8s.	First and Final	Dec. 22, 1897	Office of Official Receiver, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Hoare, Arthur Warren ...	146, High-street, St. Michael's, Lewes, Sussex	Grocer and Wine and Spirit Merchant	Lewes and East-bourne	5 of 1897	1s. 6d.	First	Dec. 29, 1897	Office of Official Receiver, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Saunders, Douglas ...	Parkwood-road, Pokesdown, in the parish of Christchurch, Hampshire	Builder	Poole... ..	2 of 1895	9½d.	First and Final	Dec. 21, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, City - chambers, Endless-street, Salisbury
Evans, Ann	95, High-street, Portmadoc, Carnarvonshire	China Dealer, residing and carrying on business separate and apart from her Husband	Portmadoc and Blaenau Festiniog	11 of 1897	1s. 4½d.	First and Final	Dec. 30, 1897	Crypt - chambers, Eastgate-row, Chester
Roberts, Griffith William	Ednyfed House, Criccieth, Carnarvonshire	Saddler and Ironmonger	Portmadoc and Blaenau Festiniog	9 of 1896	5½d.	Second and Final	Dec. 30, 1897	Crypt - chambers, Eastgate-row, Chester
Balchin, Edward Samuel	108, High-street, Gosport, and 4, Portland-place, Gosport, in the county of Hampshire	Chemist	Portsmouth	10 of 1897	3s. 5d.	Supplementary	Dec. 17, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, Cambridge Junction, High-street, Portsmouth
Lansdale William Edwin	96, Queen-street, Portsea, in the county of Hants	Fancy Dealer	Portsmouth	26 of 1897	4d.	First and Final	Dec. 17, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, Cambridge Junction, High-street, Portsmouth
Moore, Robinson... ..	19, Abingdon-street, Blackpool, Lancashire	Auctioneer	Preston	21 of 1892	¾d.	Supplementary	Dec. 29, 1897	Official Receiver's Office, 14, Chapel-street, Preston
Jefferies, Henry	Appleshaw, Hampshire	Baker	Salisbury	11 of 1896	10½d.	First and Final	Dec. 21, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, City - chambers, Endless-street, Salisbury
Richardson, John Foster Marriott	Chancery-lane and Ashfield, Malton, Yorkshire	Solicitor	Scarborough	11 of 1896	1½d.	First and Final	Dec. 18, 1897	Official Receiver's Office, 74, Newborough, Scarborough
Teanby, Alfred	132, Machon-bank, in the city of Sheffield	Builder	Sheffield	54 of 1895	7½d.	Supplementary	Dec. 17, 1897	Official Receiver's Offices, Fig-tree-lane, Sheffield
Harris, Alfred Robert ...	3 and 4, Upper Prospect-place, in the county borough of Southampton, and trading at 3 and 4, Upper Prospect-place aforesaid	Grocer.	Southampton ...	1 of 1897	1s. 7½d.	First and Final	Dec. 21, 1897	Official Receiver's Office, 4, East-street, Southampton

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or Otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Morris, John (trading as C. Morris)	21, Alexandra-road, Wrexham, and trading at the Central Arcade, Wrexham, Denbighshire	Tailor	Wrexham	3 of 1897	2s. 9d.	First	Dec. 30, 1897	Crypt - chambers, Eastgate - row, Chester
Williams, William	12, Chapel-street, Llangollen, late of Castle-buildings, Llangollen, Denbighshire	Builder	Wrexham	9 of 1896	1s. 8½d.	First and Final	Dec. 30, 1897	Crypt - chambers, Eastgate - row, Chester
<i>The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 26th November, 1897.</i>								
Rooke, Stephen	Roper-street, Barnsley, Yorkshire	Livery-stable Keeper's Assistant	Barnsley	3 of 1888	1s. 8½d.	First and Final	Dec. 16, 1897	Official Receiver's Office, 6, Bond-terrace, Wakefield

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APPLICATIONS FOR DEBTORS' DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Day fixed for Hearing.
Whetham, William Townley, and Whetham, Stephen (trading as... Stephen Whetham and Sons) ...	West-street, Bridport, Dorsetshire St. Andrew's, Bridport, Dorsetshire At Priory Mills, St. Michael's-lane, Bridport aforesaid	Twine Manufacturers...	Dorchester ...	5 of 1897	Feb. 2, 1898, 12 noon County Hall, Dorchester
Earp, William (trading as W. Earp and Son)	Guildford-street Nurseries, White Cross-road, Here- ford	Nurseryman, Seedsman, and Florist ...	Hereford ...	11 of 1897	Jan. 21, 1898, 10 A.M., Shirehall, Hereford
Pawsey, Frederic ...	Ancient House, Ipswich, and 1, Bent-hill, Felix- stowe, both in Suffolk	Bookseller, Stationer, Printer, and News Agent	Ipswich ...	15 of 1897	Jan. 20, 1898, 12 noon, Shirehall St. Helens, Ipswich
Collison, Henry, the younger ...	Nelson-street, King's Lynn ...	Corn Merchant ...	King's Lynn ..	9 of 1897	Jan. 13, 1898, 10 A.M., Court-house, King's Lynn
Page, William ...	Albert Villa, Whitehill-road, Gravesend, Kent, lately 48, New-road, Gravesend aforesaid	Out of business, lately Tobacconist ...	Rochester ...	16 of 1897	Jan. 12, 1898, 12.30 P.M., Court- house, Rochester

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.
Carey, Edward (now or formerly trading as Carey and Co.)	20, Blackfriars-road, in the county of London	Cycle Manufacturer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1532 of 1894	Nov. 11, 1897	Discharge suspended for four years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 11th November, 1901	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had on a previous occasion made an arrangement with his creditors; and had been guilty of misconduct in relation to his property and affairs
Digby, Everard ...	200, Cromwell-road, South Kensington, Middlesex, lately carrying on business at 80, Gloucester-road, South Kensington aforesaid	Dental Surgeon ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	17 of 1897	Nov. 4, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 4th 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 contributed to his bankruptcy by unjustifiable extravagance in living
Lott, Caroline ...	96, Finsbury Park-road, Middlesex	Spinster ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	433 of 1894	Nov. 5, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 5th November, 1899	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of her unsecured liabilities; and 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
Millington, Thomas Samuel	33, Lennox-road, Worthing, formerly of London-road, Bognor, both in Sussex	Of no occupation, formerly Coal Merchant	Brighton	10 of 1892	Nov. 5, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 5th November, 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 on a previous occasion made an arrangement with his creditors

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.
Naylor, George Henry. (trading as Naylor, Smith, and Co., lately trading as G. H. Naylor and Co., in the Receiving Order described as Naylor, Smith, and Co.)	Residing at 19, Richmond- grove East, Longsight, near Manchester, Lancashire, lately residing at 83, South- street, Longsight aforesaid, and carrying on business as a Manufacturing Chemist, at the Eureka Works, Syren- street, Bank Hall, in the city of Liverpool, under the style of William Smith and Co., and lately carrying on busi- ness as a Tailors' Trimmings Manufacturer, at 28, New Cannon-street, Manchester aforesaid, under the style of G. H. Naylor and Co.	Manufacturing Chemist, lately Tailors' Trim- mings Manufacturer	Liverpool ...	85 of 1896	Nov. 5, 1897	Bankrupt's Discharge suspended for two years, and that he be dis- charged as from 5th November, 1899	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; and that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently dis- close his business transactions and finan- cial position within the three years imme- diately preceding his bankruptcy
Mallett, Robert Thomas	Leighton Buzzard, in the county of Bedford	Grocer and Furniture Dealer	Luton ...	13 of 1896	Nov. 18, 1897	Discharge granted	
Heynes, Philemon Bayliss	Lower House Farm, Aston Somerville, in the county of Gloucester	Farmer ...	Worcester ...	14 of 1895	Nov. 17, 1897	Discharge granted conditionally upon the bankrupt paying to the Official Receiver £50, and the withdrawal of a proof for £800 19s. 10d.	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had contracted debts prov- able in the bankruptcy without having at the time of contracting them any reason- able or probable ground of expectation of being able to pay them; and had on a previous occasion made a Composition or arrangement with his creditors

ADJUDICATION ANNULLED.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Adjudication.	Date of Annulment.	Grounds of Annulment.
Southwood, William	Dawlish, Devonshire	Wine Merchant	Exeter	19 of 1896	June 17, 1896 ...	Dec. 8, 1897 ...	That the bankrupt's debts have been paid in full

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APPOINTMENTS OF TRUSTEES.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Trustee's Name.	Address.	Date of Certificate of Appointment.
Sanderson, Walter Fred (described in the Receiving Order as W. Sanderson)	200, High-road, Willesden Green, Middlesex	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1237 of 1897	Ward, Robert James	2, Clement's-inn, London, W.C.	Dec. 8, 1897
Triniman, Henry Frank (carrying on business as John Hall)	370, Mare-street, Hackney, and 8, St. James'- place, High-road, Lower Clapton, both in Middlesex	Baker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1425 of 1897	Pitman, Edward	12, Trinity-square, Tower Hill, London, E.C.	Dec. 9, 1897
Westley, John	Residing at Albert-road, Harborne, and trad- ing at 24, Worcester-street, and also at back of 153, Broad-street, all in the city of Bir- mingham	Cabinet Maker and Furni- ture Dealer	Birmingham	87 of 1897	Sharp, Charles Fabian	71, Colmore-row, Birming- ham, Incorporated Ac- countant	Dec. 9, 1897
Spencer, Walter	Market-place, Hinckley, Leicestershire	Tailor and Outfitter	Leicester	72 of 1897	Mason, Percy	64, Gresham-street, London, Chartered Accountant	Dec. 10, 1897
Rodwell, William	The Manor Farm, Billington, in the county of Bedford	Farmer and Cattle Dealer	Luton	21 of 1897	Garside, George	Grove-place, Leighton Buz- zard, Bedfordshire	Dec. 11, 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, Lancashire 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	Trotter, John Townley	27, Brazennose - street, Manchester, Chartered Accountant	Dec. 11, 1897
Levy, David	117, Broad-street, and residing at 43, Withing- ton-street, both in Pendleton, Salford, Lan- cashire	Furniture Dealer	Salford	30 of 1897	Lawton, George Harry	14, Brown-street, Manches- ter, Chartered Account- ant	Dec. 9, 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	Brown, Frank	Finkle-chambers, Finkle- street, Stockton-on-Tees, Chartered Accountant	Dec. 10, 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.
Davis, David ...	268, Old Ford-road, Bow, in the county of London	Saddler and Harness Maker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	105 of 1897	Edwin Hough	Leadam Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Senior Official Receiver	Nov. 12, 1897
Powell, David ...	Conway Hotel, Cardiff-street, Aberdare, Glamorganshire	Licensed Victualler ...	Aberdare ...	8 of 1895	William Daniel	Lewes 65, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Davies, Owen Ellis...	Ceunant, in the parish of Llanberis, in the county of Carnarvon	Farmer ...	Bangor ...	33 of 1896	Llewelyn Jones	Hugh- Crypt-chambers, Chester	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Jones, Thomas ...	Rhyddordwy-Wen, in the parish of Rhuddlan, in the county of Flint	Farmer ...	Bangor ...	5 of 1896	Llewelyn Jones	Hugh- Crypt-chambers, Chester	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Owen, Lewis ...	Tyhen, Llanfنان, Anglesey ...	Farmer and Cattle Dealer	Bangor ...	28 of 1896	Llewelyn Jones	Hugh- Crypt-chambers, Chester	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Best, Elizabeth ...	68, Doncaster-road, Barnsley, Yorkshire	Fruiterer, Widow ...	Barnsley ...	6 of 1896	John Bickersteth Ottley	6, Bond-terrace, Wakefield	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Cundell, Selina Mary	Broughton Gifford, in the county of Wilts	Widow ...	Bath...	10 of 1896	Edward Gustavus Clarke	Bank-chambers, Cornstreet, Bristol	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
White, Frederick ...	Biggleswade, Bedfordshire ...	Tinman and Iron-monger	Bedford ...	14 of 1896	Alfred Ewen	St. Paul's - square, Bedford	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Leach, George ...	17, Mona-road, Small Heath, Birmingham, Warwickshire	Journeyman Wire Worker	Birmingham	20 of 1897	Luke Jesson Sharp...	23, Colmore-row, Birmingham	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Moulder, Elijah ...	43, Gromwell-street, in the city of Birmingham	Baker and Flour Dealer	Birmingham	42 of 1896	Luke Jesson Sharp...	23, Colmore-row, Birmingham	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Thompson, Henry ...	Residing at 166, Inkerman-street, Vauxhall, and trading at Citadel-buildings, James Watt-street, both in the city of Birmingham	Furniture Dealer ...	Birmingham	129 of 1896	Luke Jesson Sharp...	23, Colmore-row, Birmingham	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Webber, William ...	Highfield Farm, Coventry-road, Yardley, Worcestershire, lately trading at 105, John Bright-street, Birmingham, Warwickshire	Farmer and Baker ...	Birmingham	2 of 1897	Luke Jesson Sharp...	23, Colmore-row, Birmingham	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Agars, Thomas ...	124, Bradshawgate, Leigh, Lancashire	Watchmaker ...	Bolton ...	12 of 1897	Thomas H. Winder	16, Wood-street, Bolton	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 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.
Pilkington, Wilfrid Ernest	40, Argyle-street, Bolton, Lancashire	Out of business, formerly Yeast Dealer	Bolton	15 of 1897	Thomas H. Winder	16, Wood-street, Bolton	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Ashworth, James	Residing and trading at 17, New Bridge-street, Keighley, Yorkshire	Tailor	Bradford	60 of 1896	J. Arthur Binns ...	31, Manor-row, Bradford	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Johnson, George	5, Brunswick-place, and trading at 106, Westgate, and 88, Manchester-road, all in Bradford, Yorkshire	Picture Framer ...	Bradford	65 of 1896	J. Arthur Binns ...	31, Manor-row, Bradford	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Thompson, George Henry	80, Jermyn-street, Bradford, Yorkshire, and trading at 95, Captain-street, Stott Hill, Bradford aforesaid	Plumber	Bradford	69 of 1896	J. Arthur Binns ...	31, Manor-row, Bradford	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Throp, Charles	Lately of 782, Manchester-road, now of 22, Boynton-terrace, West Bowling, both in Bradford, Yorkshire	Grocer and Draper ...	Bradford	57 of 1896	J. Arthur Binns ...	31, Manor-row, Bradford	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Walker, Harry	5, Birr-street, Hall-lane, Shipley, Yorkshire	Plumber	Bradford	83 of 1896	J. Arthur Binns ...	31, Manor-row, Bradford	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Cochran, James Elphinstone (trading as J. E. Cochran and Co.)	50, Norton-road and 49, North-street, both in Brighton, Sussex	Provision Merchant ...	Brighton	82 of 1888	Oscar Beiry ...	Monument House, Monument-square, London, E.C.	Chartered Accountant	Nov. 26, 1897
Surtees, Robert Watson ...	61, Western-road, Hove, lately residing at 31, Oriental-place, Brighton, both in Sussex	Coal Merchant... ..	Brighton	59 of 1895	Howard W. Cox ...	4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Gridley, George	Residing and trading at 22, Stapleton-road, in the city and county of Bristol	Grocer	Bristol	39 of 1896	Edward Gustavus Clarke	Bank-chambers, Corn-street, Bristol	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Lucy, Charles Wootten ...	4, Elliston-road, Redland, Bristol	Commercial Traveller	Bristol	47 of 1896	Edward Gustavus Clarke	Bank-chambers, Corn-street, Bristol	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Catlow, Joseph	6, Nelson-square, lately 46, Smalley-street							
Howker, Jonas	13, Hill Marton-street							
Catlow and Howker) ...	At Healey-Royd Mill, all in Burnley, Lancashire	Colton Manufacturers	Burnley	22 of 1895	Frederick Augustus Hargreaves	7, Grimshaw-street, Burnley	Chartered Accountant	Oct. 26, 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.
Patten, James Hinde ...	Newhall, Derbyshire ...	Chemist, Druggist, and Grocer	Burton-on-Trent ...	5 of 1895	John Smith ...	40, St. Mary's - gate, Derby	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Horton, Charles ...	Canterbury House, Herne Bay, Kent, residing at 1, Sunnyside, Herne Bay aforesaid	Ironmonger ...	Canterbury ...	40 of 1896	Worsfold Mowll ...	73, Castle-street, Canterbury	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Randall, William ...	25, Marsh-street, Ashford, Kent...	Cycle Maker and Repairer	Canterbury ...	13 of 1897	Worsfold Mowll ...	73, Castle-street, Canterbury	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 12, 1897
Ebrey, Richard ...	Carrying on business at 31, Albany-road and residing at 31, Bangor-road, Cardiff	Draper ...	Cardiff ...	88 of 1896	William Thomas Ryan	33, Mosley-street, Manchester	Chartered Accountant	Nov. 26, 1897
Isaacson, Bertram Phineas	6, Bridge-street and 30, High-street, both in the county borough of Newport, Monmouthshire	Musical Instrument Dealer and Tuner and Music Seller	Newport, Mon. ...	23 of 1893	Percy Mason ...	64, Gresham-street, London, E.C.	Chartered Accountant	Nov. 26, 1897
Belch, Edwin ...	Yiewsley, in the parish of Hillingdon East, Middlesex	Builder and Grocer ...	Windsor ...	12 of 1895	William Lovell Hurt	Portugal House, Portugal-street, London, W.C.	Accountant ...	Nov. 26, 1897

ADMINISTRATION ORDERS IN THE CASE OF DECEASED DEBTORS.

Name of Deceased.	Late Address.	Late Description.	Date of Death.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Order.	Date of Filing Petition or Application for Transfer.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy, if any, committed by Deceased within three months before the date of his Decease.	Whether Will or other Testamentary Disposition (with date thereof, or Letters of Administration.	Date when proved or granted.
Adamson, George Morrison	Late of Knebworth, in the county of Hertford	Engineer and Builder	Oct. 16, 1897	Luton ...	22 of 1897	Dec. 9, 1897	Nov. 23, 1897 ... (Petition)	... ..	Will dated Oct. 24, 1895	Nov. 12, 1897

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

JOHN SMITH, Inspector-General in Bankruptcy.

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

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No. of Matter	Date of Order.	Date of Presentation of Petition.
The Banque Industrielle Foncière et Agricole Limited ...	11, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C. ...	High Court of Justice	00322 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	Nov. 23, 1897
Madison Gold Mining Company Limited ...	28, Basinghall-street, London, E.C. ...	High Court of Justice	00319 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	Nov. 19, 1897
The Renmark Gold Mines Limited ...	Bishopsgate House, 56, Bishopsgate-street, E.C. ...	High Court of Justice	00329 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	Nov. 24, 1897
The Roydon Brick and Tile Company Limited ...	10, Theobald's-road, London, W.C. ...	High Court of Justice	00334 of 1897	Dec. 8, 1897	Nov. 26, 1897

FIRST MEETINGS.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	Number.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.
The Industrial Purchase Development Corporation Limited	33, Cornhill, in the city of London ...	High Court of Justice	00160 of 1897	Creditors, Dec. 22, 1897 ... Contributories, Dec. 22, 1897	2.30 P.M. 3 P.M.	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C. 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C.

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JOHN SMITH, Inspector-General in Companies Liquidation.

THE BANKRUPTCY (DISCHARGE AND CLOSURE) ACT, 1887.

APPLICATION FOR DEBTOR'S DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Adjudication or Resolution for Liquidation.	Day and Hour fixed for Hearing.
Harvey, Samuel Taylor	5, Eden-grove, Holloway, London, N. ... Formerly of Weston-super-Mare, Somerset ...	Surveyor Builder and Contractor	Bridgwater	July 26, 1883 ...	Jan. 21, 1898, 11 A.M.

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