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Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
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NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Monday, the 21st instant, at two o'clock.

NOTICE is hereby also given, that His Royal Highness The Duke of Connaught and Strathearn will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Wednesday, the 2nd March next, at two o'clock.

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

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

By Her Majesty's Command,

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

PRESENTATIONS.

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

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

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

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

LATHOM,

Lord Chamberlain.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
February 7, 1898.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Drawing Room will be held at Buckingham Palace, on Friday, the 25th instant, at three o'clock.

REGULATIONS TO BE OBSERVED.

By Her Majesty's Command,

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

PRESENTATIONS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

The number of Presentations is limited to 200.

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

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

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

LATHOM,

Lord Chamberlain.

Whitehall, February 7, 1898.

THE following Resolution of Condolence to The Queen on the occasion of the Death of Her Royal Highness Princess Mary Adelaide, Duchess of Teck, having been transmitted to the Right Honourable Sir Matthew White Ridley, Bart., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, has been laid before Her Majesty, who has been pleased to receive the same very graciously:—

Surrey Court of Quarter Sessions.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 3rd day of *February*, 1898.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

Lord President.

Lord Arthur Hill.

Mr. Akers-Douglas.

WHEREAS by the first section of "The Colonial Probates Act, 1892," it is enacted as follows:—

"Her Majesty the Queen may, on being satisfied that the Legislature of any British Possession has made adequate provision for the recognition in that possession of Probates and Letters of Administration granted by the Courts of the United Kingdom, direct by Order in Council that this Act shall, subject to any exceptions and modifications specified in the Order, apply to that Possession, and thereupon, while the Order is in force, this Act shall apply accordingly."

And whereas Her Majesty is satisfied that the Legislature of the British Possession hereinafter mentioned has made adequate provision for the recognition in that Possession of Probates and Letters of Administration granted by the Courts of the United Kingdom.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers by the above-recited Act in Her Majesty vested, is pleased by and with the advice of Her Most Honourable Privy Council to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

"The Colonial Probates Act, 1892," shall apply to the British Possession hereunder mentioned:—

The Island of Grenada.

And the Right Honourable Joseph Chamberlain, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 3rd day of *February*, 1898.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament passed in the session of Parliament holden in the seventh and eighth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the Law respecting the office of County Coroner" it is (amongst other things) enacted, that when and as often as it shall seem expedient to the Justices of any county that such county should be divided into two or more districts for the purposes of that Act, or that any alteration should be made of any division theretofore made under that Act, it

shall be lawful for the said Justices in General or Quarter Session assembled, to resolve that a petition shall be presented to Her Majesty, praying that such division or alteration be made, and thereupon to adjourn the further consideration of such petition until notice thereof shall be given to the Coroner or Coroners of such county as in that Act thereafter provided; and that the Clerk of the Peace shall give notice of any such resolution to every Coroner for such county, and of the time when the petition will be taken by the said Justices into consideration, and the Justices shall confer with every such Coroner who shall attend the meeting of the Justices for that purpose touching such petition, having due regard to the size and nature of each proposed district, the number of the inhabitants, the nature of their employments, and such other circumstances as shall appear to the Justices fit to be considered in carrying into execution the provisions of that Act; and that such petition, with a description of the several proposed districts and of the boundaries thereof, with the reasons upon which the petition is founded, shall be certified to Her Majesty under the hands and seals of two or more of the Justices present, when such petition shall be agreed to, and the Clerk of the Peace for such county shall forthwith give or send a true copy of such petition, certified under his hand, to every Coroner for such county; and that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, if She shall think fit, with the advice of Her Privy Council, after taking into consideration any such petition, and also any petition which may be presented to Her by any Coroner of the same county, concerning such proposed division or alteration, or whenever it shall seem fit to Her Majesty to direct the issue of a *Writ de Coronatore Eligendo* for the purpose of authorizing the election of an additional Coroner above the number of those who have been theretofore customarily elected in such county, to order that such county shall be divided into such and so many districts for the purposes of that Act as to Her Majesty, with the advice aforesaid, shall seem expedient, and to give a name to each of such districts; and that every such Order shall be published in the London Gazette.

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the twenty-sixth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-five, under the provisions of the said recited Act, the county of Stafford (exclusive of the Quarter Sessions Boroughs of Newcastle-under-Lyne and Walsall, and of the Manor of Burton-on-Trent) was divided into five Coroners' Districts named respectively, the Hanley District, the Uttoxeter District, the Stafford District, the West Bromwich District and the Wolverhampton District, and comprised respectively the several parishes and places named and set forth in the said Order in Council.

And whereas since the making of the said Order in Council grants of separate Courts of Quarter Sessions have been made to the boroughs of Wolverhampton, Hanley and West Bromwich in the said county.

And whereas by the Local Government Act, 1888, the powers and business of the Justices of the county of Stafford in relation to the matters aforesaid have been transferred to the Staffordshire County Council.

And whereas a petition was, on the second day of November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, presented to Her Majesty by the Staffordshire County Council, praying that the Administrative County of Stafford might be divided into six Coroners' Districts, and that

names might be given to the several Districts as to Her Majesty should seem meet, which said petition with a description of the said proposed Districts and of the boundaries thereof, with the reasons upon which the petition is founded, was duly certified to Her Majesty :

And whereas all the provisions of the hereinbefore first recited Act in that behalf have been duly complied with in relation to the said petition :

And whereas the Coroners for the said County have not presented any petition to Her Majesty :

And whereas Her Majesty has, with the advice of Her Privy Council, taken into consideration the said petition, and is minded to make such alteration and division as aforesaid :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, direct, and declare, and it is hereby ordered, directed, and declared that from the date hereof :—

(1.) The County of Stafford, exclusive of the Quarter Sessions Boroughs of Newcastle-under-Lyme, Walsall, Wolverhampton, Hanley, and West Bromwich, shall be divided into six Districts for Coroners' purposes, and for the purposes of the said first recited Act.

(2.) The said six Districts shall be named respectively :—

- “The North-West Coroner's District,”
- “The North-East Coroner's District,”
- “The Stafford Coroner's District,”
- “The South-East Coroner's District,”
- “The South-West Coroner's District,” and
- “The East Coroner's District,”

and the said Districts shall respectively comprise the parishes and places set forth in that behalf in the Schedule hereto.

(3.) This Order shall be published in the London Gazette. *C. L. Peel.*

SCHEDULE.

The Districts herein described are to be deemed not to include any parishes or places, or parts thereof, which were at the date of this Order exempt from the jurisdiction of the Coroners of the county of Stafford, whether such parishes, places, or parts thereof, are hereinafter named, or included, or not.

NORTH WEST CORONER'S DISTRICT.

This District shall comprise the following parishes and places :—

Ashley.
Audley.
Bagnall.
Balterley.
Barlaston.
Betley.
Biddulph.
Burslem.
Chapel and Hill Chorlton.
Chell.
Chesterton.
Clayton.
Fenton.
Goldenhill.
Hardingswood.
Keele.
Kidsgrove.
Longton.
Madeley.
Maer.
Milton.
Mucclstone.

Newcastle-under-Lyme (subject to the jurisdiction of the Coroner of the borough therein).

Newchapel.
Norton-in-the-Moors.
Silverdale.
Smallthorne.
Standon.
Stoke Rural.
Stoke-upon-Trent.
Swynnerton.
Tittensor Township (in Stone Rural parish).
Tunstall.
Trentham.
Tyrley and Blore.
Whitmore.
Wolstanton.

NORTH EAST CORONER'S DISTRICT.

This District shall comprise the following parishes and places :—

Abbots Bromley.
Alstonefield.
Alton.
Bradley-in-the-Moors.
Bradnop.
Bramshall.
Butterton.
Calton.
Calwich.
Cauldon.
Caverswall.
Cheadle.
Checkley.
Cheddleton.
Consall.
Cotton.
Croxden.
Denstone.
Dilthorne.
Draycott-in-the-Moors.
Ellastone.
Endon and Stanley.
Farley.
Fawfieldhead.
Field.
Forsbrook.
Gratwich.
Grindon.
Heathylee.
Heaton.
Hollinsclough.
Horton and Horton Hay.
Ilam and Throwley.
Ipstones.
Kingsley.
Kingstone.
Leek.
Leekfrith.
Leigh.
Longnor.
Longsdon.
Lowe.
Marchington.
Marchington Woodlands.
Mayfield.
Oakamoor.
Okeover.
Onecote.
Prestwood.
Quarnford.
Ramshorn.
Rocester.
Rudyard.
Rushton James.
Rushton Spencer.
Sheen.

Stanton.
Swinscoe and Blore.
Tittesworth.
Uttoxeter.
Uttoxeter Rural.
Warslow and Elkstones.
Waterfall.
Wetton.
Wootton.
Woodhouses.

STAFFORD CORONER'S DISTRICT.

This District shall comprise the following parishes and places :—

Adbaston.
Acton Trussell and Bednall.
Armitage with Handsacre.
Baswich.
Blithfield.
Blymhill.
Bradley.
Brereton.
Brocton.
Burntwood, Edial, and Woodhouses.
Cannock.
Castle Church.
Chartley Holme.
Chebsey.
Church Eaton.
Cold Norton.
Colton.
Colwich.
Coppenhall.
Creswell.
Curborough and Elmhurst.
Dunston.
Eccleshall.
Ellenhall.
Farewell and Chorley.
Fradswell.
Freeford.
Forton.
Fulfin.
Fulford.
Gayton.
Gnosall.
Hatherton.
Haughton.
High Offley.
Hilderstone.
Hopton and Coton.
Huntington.
Ingestre.
Kinvaston.
Lapley.
Longdon.
Marston.
Mavesyn Ridware.
Milwich.
Norbury.
Penkridge.
Pipe Ridware.
Ranton.
Rugeley.
Salt and Enson.
Sandon.
Seighford.
Stafford.
Stone Rural (except Tittensor Township).
Stone.
Stowe.
Streethay.
Stretton.
St. Chad's (Lichfield).
St. Mary's (Lichfield).
St. Michael's (Lichfield).
Teddesley Hay.

The Close (Lichfield).
The Friary (Lichfield).
Tillington.
Tixall.
Wall.
Weston Jones.
Weston-under-Lizard.
Weston-upon-Trent.
Whitgreave.
Worston.
Yarlet.

SOUTH-EAST CORONER'S DISTRICT.

This District shall comprise the following parishes and places :—

Aldridge.
Darlaston.
Great Barr.
Hammerwich.
Handsworth.
Hopwas Hayes.
Norton Canes.
Ogley Hay.
Ogley Hay Rural.
Pelsall.
Perry Barr.
Rowley Regis.
Rushall.
Shenstone.
Shire Oak.
Smethwick.
Tipton.
Walsall Wood.
Wednesbury.

SOUTH-WEST CORONER'S DISTRICT.

This District shall comprise the following parishes and places :—

Amblecote.
Bentley.
Bilston.
Bobbington.
Brewood.
Brierley Hill.
Bushbury.
Cheslyn Hay.
Codsall.
Eville.
Essington.
Featherstone.
Heath Town.
Hilton.
Himley.
Kingswinford.
Kinver.
Patsbull.
Pattingham.
Penn, Lower.
Penn, Upper.
Quarry Bank.
Saredon.
Sedgley.
Shareshill.
Short Heath.
Swindon.
Tettenhall.
Trysull and Seisdon.
Wednesfield.
Willenhall.
Wombourne.
Woodford.
Wrottesley.
Wyrley, Great.

EAST CORONER'S DISTRICT.

This District shall comprise the following parishes and places :—

Anslow.
Alrewas.

Barton-under-Needwood.
 Branstone.
 Burton Extra.
 Burton-on-Trent (subject to the jurisdiction of the Coroner of the Manor of Burton if appointed).
 Canwell.
 Clifton Campville.
 Croxall.
 Drayton Bassett.
 Draycott-in-the-Clay.
 Duntstall.
 Edingale.
 Elford.
 Fazeley.
 Fisherwick.
 Hamstall Ridware.
 Hanbury.
 Harlaston.
 Haselour.
 Hints.
 Horninglow.
 Kings Bromley.
 Kings Bromley Hayes.
 Newborough.
 Outwoods.
 Rolleston.
 Stapenhill.
 Statfold.
 Stretton.
 Swinfen and Packington.
 Syerscote.
 Tamhorne.
 Tamworth.
 Tatenhill.
 Thorpe Constantine.
 Tutbury.
 Weeford.
 Wichnor.
 Wigginton.
 Whittrington.
 Winshill.
 Yoxall.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 3rd day of *February*, 1898.

PRESENT.

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the seventh and eighth years of Her Majesty's reign intituled "An Act to amend the law respecting the Office of County Coroner" it is (amongst other things) enacted that when and as often as it shall seem expedient to the Justices of any County that such County should be divided into two or more districts for the purposes of that Act; or that any alterations should be made of any divisions theretofore made under that Act; it shall be lawful for the said Justices in General or Quarter Session assembled to resolve that a petition shall be presented to Her Majesty praying that such division or alteration be made, and thereupon to adjourn the further consideration of such petition until notice thereof shall be given to the Coroner or Coroners of such County as in that Act thereafter provided and that the Clerk of the Peace shall give notice of any such resolution to every Coroner for such County and of the time when the petition will be taken by the said Justices into consideration and the Justices shall confer with every such Coroner who shall attend the meeting of the Justices for that purpose touching such petition having due regard to the size and nature of each proposed district, the number of the inhabitants, the

nature of their employment and such other circumstances as shall appear to the Justices fit to be considered in carrying into execution the provisions of that Act and that such petition with a description of the several proposed districts and of the boundaries thereof with the reasons upon which the petition is founded shall be certified to Her Majesty under the hands and seals of two or more of the Justices present when such petition shall be agreed to and the Clerk of the Peace for such county shall forthwith give or send a true copy of such petition certified under his hand to every Coroner for such county and that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty if She shall think fit with the advice of Her Privy Council after taking into consideration any such petition and also any petition which may be presented to Her by any Coroner of the same county concerning such proposed division or alteration or whenever it shall seem fit to Her Majesty to direct the issue of a Writ de Coronatore Eligendo for the purposes of authorizing the election of an additional Coroner above the number of those who have been theretofore customarily elected in such county to order that such county shall be divided into such and so many districts for the purposes of that Act as to Her Majesty with the advice aforesaid shall seem expedient and to give a name to each of such districts and that every such Order shall be published in the London Gazette.

And whereas it was further provided by the said recited Act that in the county of York all things by the said Act directed to be done by and with respect to the Justices in General or Quarter Sessions assembled, and by their Clerk should be done by and with respect to the Justices of the said county of York in general gaol Sessions assembled, and by their Clerk.

And whereas by "The Local Government Act 1888" it was provided that in the case of the county of York the administrative business which would if the said Act had not passed have been transacted by the Justices of all the Ridings at their gaol Sessions should be transacted by a Joint Committee of the County Councils of the three Ridings appointed in manner provided by the said Act, and that the said Joint Committee should be a body corporate for the purposes of such administrative business and should be called by the name of the County Committee with the prefix of the name of the county.

And whereas by an Order in Council made the twenty-sixth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, under the provisions of the hereinafore first recited Act such parts of the county of York as were not excepted by the operation of the twenty-seventh section of the hereinbefore first recited Act were divided into ten districts for Coroners' purposes and for the purposes of the said Act which said districts were named respectively the York District, the Selby District, the Doncaster District, the Rotherham District, the Wakefield District, the Halifax District, the Craven District, the Northern District, the Pickering District, and the East Riding District, and comprised respectively the several places named and set forth in the schedule to the said Order in Council.

And whereas a petition was on the seventeenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, presented to Her Majesty by the Yorkshire County Committee being the Joint Committee of the three Ridings of the county of York appointed under the provisions hereinbefore recited of "The Local Government Act 1888" which said petition prayed for the alteration in manner provided by law of the several

Coroners' districts situate partly in one and partly in another Riding of the county of York except the Castle of York so that from and after the thirty-first March one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight so much of the East Riding District as was situated in the North Riding should be detached from the residue of the East Riding District and should be added to the Pickering District in the North Riding.

So much of the York District as was situated in the North Riding exclusively should be detached from the residue of the York District and should be constituted a separate district in the North Riding to be called the Flaxton District.

So much of the Northern District as was situated in the West Riding should be detached from the residue of the Northern District and should be constituted a separate district in the West Riding to be called the Kirby Malzeard District.

So much of the York District as was situated in the East Riding exclusively should be detached from the residue of the York District and should be constituted a separate district in the East Riding to be called the Escrick District.

So much of the York District as was situated in the West Riding exclusively should be detached from the residue of the York District and should be constituted a separate district in the West Riding to be called the Bishopthorpe District.

So much of the Selby District as was situated in the East Riding should be detached from the residue of the Selby District and should be constituted a separate district in the East Riding to be called the Bubwith District.

And whereas the said petition with a description of the said proposed districts and of the boundaries thereof with the reasons upon which the petition was founded was duly certified to Her Majesty.

And whereas all the provisions of the hereinbefore first recited Act in that behalf have been complied with in relation to the said petition.

And whereas the Coroners for the said county have not presented any petition to Her Majesty.

And whereas Her Majesty has with the advice of Her Privy Council taken into consideration the said petition, and is minded to make such alteration and division as aforesaid.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty by and with the advice of Her Privy Council is pleased to Order, direct and declare, and it is hereby ordered directed and declared that from and after the thirty-first day of March one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight—

1. The county of York shall be divided into fifteen districts for Coroners' purposes, and for the purposes of the said first recited Act.

2. So much of the East Riding District as is situate in the North Riding of the county of York shall be detached from the residue of the East Riding District and shall be added to the Pickering District in the North Riding.

So much of the York District as is situate in the North Riding exclusively shall be detached from the residue of the York District and shall be constituted a separate district in the North Riding to be called the Flaxton District.

So much of the Northern District as is situate in the West Riding shall be detached from the residue of the Northern District and shall be constituted a separate district in the West Riding to be called the Kirby Malzeard District.

So much of the York District as is situate in the East Riding exclusively shall be detached from the residue of the York District, and shall

be constituted a separate district in the East Riding to be called the Escrick District.

So much of the York District as is situate in the West Riding exclusively shall be detached from the residue of the York District and shall be constituted a separate district in the West Riding to be called the Bishopthorpe District.

So much of the Selby District as is situate in the East Riding shall be detached from the residue of the Selby District and shall be constituted a separate district in the East Riding to be called the Bubwith District so that no Coroner's District shall henceforth be situate in more than one Administrative County.

3. The said fifteen Districts shall be named respectively:—

“The York Coroner's District.”

In the West Riding.

“The Selby Coroner's District.”

“The Bishopthorpe Coroner's District.”

“The Doncaster Coroner's District.”

“The Rotherham Coroner's District.”

“The Wakefield Coroner's District.”

“The Halifax Coroner's District.”

“The Craven Coroner's District.”

“The Kirby Malzeard Coroner's District.”

In the North Riding.

“The Northern Coroner's District.”

“The Flaxton Coroner's District.”

“The Pickering Coroner's District,” and

In the East Riding.

“The East Riding Coroner's District.”

“The Escrick Coroner's District.”

“The Bubwith Coroner's District.”

And the said Districts shall respectively comprise the places set forth in the Schedule hereto.

4. This Order shall be published in the London Gazette.

C. L. Peel.

SCHEDULE.

The Districts herein described are to be deemed not to include any parishes or places or parts thereof which were at the date of this Order exempt from the jurisdiction of the Coroners of the county of York whether such parishes places or parts thereof are hereinafter named or included or not.

YORK COUNTY CORONERS' DISTRICTS.

1. THE YORK CORONER'S DISTRICT.

YORK CASTLE.

IN THE WEST RIDING.

2. THE SELBY CORONER'S DISTRICT.

Bramham-cum-Ogleforth, Huddleston-cum-Lumby, Lotherton-cum-Aberford, Micklefield, Newthorpe, Sherburn, South Milford, Stutton-cum-Hazlewood, Ulleskelf, Brotherton Saint Peters, otherwise Brotherton, Byram-cum-Poole, Saint Peters, otherwise Byram-cum-Sutton, Milford, Burn, Cawood, Wistow, Burton Salmon, Camblesforth, Carlton, Drax, Humbleton, Hillam, Long Drax, Monk Fryston, Newland, Selby, Thorpe Willoughby, Sutton, Newton Kyme, and part of Clifford-cum-Boston.

3. THE BISHOPTHORPE CORONER'S DISTRICT.

The whole Wapentake of the Ainsty, the several townships of Allerton Mauleverer with Hopperton, Cattal, Clareton, Clifford-cum-Boston, Coneythorpe, Cowthorpe, Dunsforth Upper, Dunsforth Lower, Flaxby, Follifoot, Goldsborough, Green Hamerton, Hunsingore, Kirk Deighton, Kirk Hamerton, Linton, Marton-with-Grafton, Newton Kyme-cum-Toulston, North Deighton, Nun Monkton, Ouseburn Little, Plompton, Ribston Great with Walshford, Ribston Little, Sicklinghall, Spofforth, including Stockeld,

Tadcaster West, Thorpe Underwoods, Wetherby, Whixley, Wiggington, Aldborough, Arkendale, Bilton-with-Harrogate, Boroughbridge, Copgrove, Farnham, Ferrensby, Kirby Hall, Knaresborough, Minskip, Ouseburn Great, Roecliffe, Scotton, Scriven-with-Tentergate, Stavely, and Thornville.

4. THE DONCASTER CORONER'S DISTRICT.

Houghton Magna, Adwick-le-Street, Armthorpe, Auckley, Austerfield, Balby-with-Hexthorpe, Barmby Dun, Bawtry, Brodsworth-with-Pigburn and Scausby, Cadeby, Cantley, Clayton-with-Frickley, Conisbrough, Edlington, Hamphall Stubbs, Hampole, Hickleton, Hooton Pagnell, Kirk Sandal, Langthwaite-with-Tilts, Loversall, Marr, Melton, Rossington, Sprotbrough, Stansil-with-Wellingley and Welsick, Stotfold, Thorpe-in-Baine, Tickhill, Wadworth, Warmsworth, Wheatley-cum-Sandall or Long Sandall, Braithwell, Stainton-with-Hellaby, Crowle, Fishlake, Hatfield, Stainforth, Sykehouse, Thorne, Barmbrough.

5. THE ROTHERHAM CORONER'S DISTRICT.

Hoyland Nether and Wentworth, Aston-cum-Aughton, Bramley, Brampton-en-le-Morthen, Brinsworth, Catcliffe, Dalton, Dinnington, Firbeck, Gildingwells, Greasbrough, Hooton Levitt, Hooton Roberts, Kimberworth, Laughton-en-le-Morthen, Letwell, Maltby, Orgrave, Ravenfield, Rawmarsh, Rotherham, Throapham, Saint John's, Thrybergh, Tinsley, Treeton, Ulley, Whiston, Wickersley, Woodsetts, Anston North and South, Attercliffe-cum-Darnall, Bradfield, Brightside Bierlow, Ecclesall Bierlow, Ecclesfield, Hallam Nether, Hallam Upper, Handsworth, Harthill-with-Woodall, Sheffield, Thorpe Salvin, Todwick, Wales, Adwick-upon-Dearne, Bolton-upon-Dearne, Brampton Bierlow, Darfield, Denaby, Houghton Parva, Mexbrough, Swinton, Wath-upon-Dearne, Wombwell.

6. THE WAKEFIELD CORONER'S DISTRICT.

Wothersome, Dewsbury, Ossett-cum-Gawthorpe, Soothill, Kirkburton, Pannal, Addle-cum-Eccup, Alwoodley, Harewood, Horsforth, Temple Newsam, Thorpe Stapleton, Weardley, Wigton, Wike, Rigton, Weeton, Alverthorpe with Thornes, Ardsley West in Wakefield, Crigglestone, Emley, Horbury, Normanton, Sandal Magna, Stanley-cum-Wrenthorpe, Wakefield, Walton, West Protton in Sandal, Bardsey-cum-Rigton, Dunkeswick, East Keswick, Collingham, Kereby with Netherby, Kirkby Overblow, Cumberworth Half, Shelley, Shepley.

7. THE HALIFAX CORONER'S DISTRICT.

Barkisland, Fixby, Halifax, Hipperholme-cum-Brighouse, Norland, Northowram, Ovenden, Rastrick, Rishworth, Shelf, Skircoat, Sowerby, Soyland, Stainland, Warley, Austonley, Cartworth, Fulstone, Hepworth, Upperthong, Wooldale, Clifton, Dalton, Golcar, Hartshead, Lindley-cum-Quarby, Lingards, Linthwaite, Lockwood in Wakefield, Scamonden, Baildon, Esholt, Guiseley, Hawksworth, Rawdon, Yeadon, Erringden, Heptonstall, Langfield, Midgley, Stansfield, Wadsworth, Bingley, Cumberworth.

8. THE CRAVEN CORONER'S DISTRICT.

The whole Wapentake of Staincliffe and Ew-cross, except the Liberty of the Forest of Bowland, Birstwith, Clint-cum-Hamlets, Felliscliffe, Hampsthwaite, Killinghall, Rip-

ley, Arthington, Askwith, Blubberhouses, Bramhope, Burley-in-Wharfedale, Carlton, Castley, Clifton with Norwood, Denton, Farnley, Fewstone, Haverah Park, Ilkley, Leathley, Lindley, Menstone, Middleton, Morton East and West, Nesfield with Langbar, Newall with Clifton, Otley, Poole, Stainburn, Timble Great-cum-Hamlets, Timble Little, Weston, Beverley, Dacre, Menwith-cum-Darley, Thornthwaite-cum-Padside, Thruscross, Hazlewood with Stor-riths.

9. THE KIRBY MALZEARD CORONER'S DISTRICT.

Aldfield, Azerley, Brearton, Burton Leonard, Carlsmoor, Fountain's Earth, Golphay, Grewelthorpe, Gridale, Hartwith-cum-Wensley, Kirby Malzeard, Lindrick including Studley Royal, Laverton, Lofthouse, Mickley, Middlesmoor, Ramsgill, Skelden, Stainley-cum-Cayton, Stonebeck Down, Stonebeck Up, Studley Roger, and Winksley.

IN THE NORTH RIDING.

10. THE NORTHERN CORONER'S DISTRICT.

Humberton-cum-Milby, the whole Wapentake of Allertonshire, the several townships of Bagby, Balk, Carlton Islebeck, Catton, Cowsby, Dalton, East Harsley, Elmer with Crakehall, Fawdington, Feliskirk, Gueldable, Kepwick, Kirby Knowle, Nether Silton, Newsham with Brackenbrough, Over Silton, Sand Hutton, Skipton, South Kilvington, South Otterington, Sowerby, Thirsk, Topcliffe, Thornborough, Thornton-le-Moor, Upsall Welbury, Brafferton, Helperby, the whole Wapentake of Gilling East, the whole Wapentake of Gilling West, the whole Wapentake of Hallikeld, the whole Wapentake of Hang East, the whole Wapentake of Hang West.

11. THE FLAXTON CORONER'S DISTRICT.

Aldwark, Alne, Barton-le-Willows, Benningbrough, Buttercrambe with Bossall, Claxton, Clifton, Crayke, Crambe, Earswick, Easingwold, Farlington, Flawith, Flaxton-on-the-Moor, Foston, Harton, Haxby, Upper Helmsley, Heworth, Holtby, Huby, Huntington, Huttons Ambo, Lillings Ambo, Linton, Marygate, Marton-cum-Moxby, Murton, Myton, Newton-upon-Ouse, Osbaldwick, Overton, Raskelf, Rawcliffe, Sand Hutton, Sheriff Hutton with Cornbrough, Shipton, Skelton, Stillington, Stittenham, Stockton-on-the-Forest, Strensall, Sutton-on-the-Forest, Tholthorpe, Towthorpe, Thornton-le-Clay, Tollerton, Warthill, Whitwell, Wiggington, Youlton.

12. THE PICKERING CORONER'S DISTRICT.

The whole Wapentake of Ryedale. The whole Wapentake of Pickering Lyth, including the townships of Throxenby, Newby, Scalby, Cloughton, Burniston, Stainton Dale, Irton, Seamer, Cayton, Osgodby, Leberston, Gristhorpe. The several townships of Thormanby, Bransby, Stearsby, Skewsby, Scackleton, Wiganthorpe, Terrington, Whenby, Mowthorpe, Ganthorpe, Bulmer, Welburn, Bilsdale Mideable, Bilsdale Westside, Arden, Hawnby, Dale Town, Morton, Old Byland, Hushwaite, Willden Grange, Coxwold, Newburgh, Oulston, Yearsley, Thorpe, Ampleforth, Oldstead, Byland, Wass, Snilesworth, Hood, Kilburn High and Low, Birdforth, Dalby, Cold Kirby, Boltby, Sutton-under-Whitstonecliff, Thirkleby-with-Osgodby, Thirlyby, Carlton Hushwaite.

IN THE EAST RIDING.

13. THE EAST RIDING CORONER'S DISTRICT.

The whole Wapentake of Dickering, Birdsall, Burythorpe, Cowlan, Duggleby, Eddlethorpe, Fimber, Fridaythorpe, North Grimston, Helperthorpe, East Heslerton, West Heslerton, Kannythorpe, Kirby, Grindalyth, Knapton, Langton, Luttons Ambo, Menne, thorpe, Norton, Raisthorpe and Birdall, Rillington, Scagglethorpe, Scampston, Settrington, Sherburn, Sledmere with Croom, Thirkleby, Thixendale, Thorpe Bassett, Towthorpe, Weaverthorpe, Wetwang, Wharram Percy, Wharram-le-Street, Wintringham, Yedingham, the whole of Bainton Beacon Division of the Wapentake of Hathill, the several townships of Anlaby, Arras, Goodmanham, Londesborough-Shipton, Thorpe-in-the-Street, Market Weighton, Bishop Burton, Cherry Burton, North Cave, South Cave, Cottingham, South Dalton, Elloughton with Brough, Eton, North Ferriby, Hessle, Hotham, Kirk Ella, Leckonfield, Rowley, Sancton and Houghton, Skidby, Swanland, Thorpe, Wauldby, Huggate, Millington, Nunburnholme, West Ella, Willerby, the Town and Liberties of Beverley.

14. THE ESCRICK CORONER'S DISTRICT.

Acklam with Barthorpe, Bugthorpe, Firby, Howsham, Kirby-under-Dale with Garraby, Kirkham, Leavening, Leppington, Scrayingham, Skirpenbeck, Westow, Bielby, Cottingwith East, Everingham, Melbourne, Seaton Ross, Storwood, Allerthorpe, Barmby Moor, Belthorpe, Bishop Wilton, Bolton, Burnby, Low Catton, High Catton, Fangfoss with Spittle, Full Sutton, Great Givendale with Grimthorpe, Hayton, Kilnwick Percy, Meltonby with Yapham, Newton-upon-Derwent, Ousthorpe, Pocklington, Stamford Bridge East, Sutton-upon-Derwent, Thornton, Waplington, Wilverfoss, Youlthorpe-cum-Gowthorpe, Deighton, Dunnington, Elvington, Escrick, Gate Fulford, Gate Helmsley, Grimston, Heslington, Kexby, Naburn, Stamford Bridge West with Scoreby, Stillingfleet with Moreby, Thorganby with West Cottingwith, Water Fulford, Wheldrake, Langwith.

15. THE BUBWITH CORONER'S DISTRICT.

Aughton, Broughton, Bubwith, Ellerton, Foggathorpe, Gribthorpe with Willitof, Harlthorpe, Harswell, Holme-upon-Spalding Moor, Latham, Spaldington, Wressel and Loftsome, Broomfleet, North Cliff, South Cliff, New Village, Barlby, Brackenholme with Woodall, Cliff with Lund, North Duffield, South Duffield, Hemingbrough, Kelfield, Menthorpe with Bowthorpe, Osgodby, Riccall, Skipwith.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 3rd day of *February*, 1898.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by the five hundred and eighty-second and five hundred and eighty-third sections of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1894," it is enacted that a Pilotage Authority may, by Bye-law made under Part. X of that Act, do all or any of the things specified in section five hundred and eighty-two; but that a Bye-law so made shall not take effect until it is submitted to

Her Majesty in Council and confirmed by Order in Council:

And whereas the Commissioners for improving the Port and Harbour of Waterford, as the Pilotage Authority for that port, have made and submitted for the consent of Her Majesty certain Bye-laws, which proposed Bye-laws are set forth in the Schedule hereto annexed:

And whereas the provisions of section one of "The Rules Publication Act, 1893," have been complied with:

And whereas it has been made to appear to Her Majesty that the proposed Bye-laws are proper and reasonable:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue of the powers vested in Her by "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1894," and by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to approve of and signify Her consent to the Bye-laws set forth in the Schedule hereto annexed. *C. L. Peel.*

SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Order refers.

BYE-LAWS, Rules, and Regulations made under section five hundred and eighty-two of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1894," by the Commissioners for improving the Port and Harbour of Waterford as the "Pilotage Authority" of the Port of Waterford.

1. Waterford Pilotage District shall be worked from three stations—namely, Dunmore East (for Pilot Boat), Passage East, and Waterford. An efficient staff of qualified pilots shall be maintained at each station.

2. The pilots shall be divided into pilots of the first class and pilots of the second class. Only pilots of the first class shall take charge of vessels exceeding three hundred tons register between Passage and Waterford, or Waterford and Passage. Every pilot shall be liable to be transferred from the one class to the other or from one station to the other, as may from time to time be ordered by the Pilot Committee.

3. Every outward-bound vessel, liable for pilotage to sea, shall change pilots at Passage and be given in charge to a pilot from Dunmore Station, except when there shall be no Dunmore pilot at Passage, in which case the vessel shall be given in charge to a Passage pilot. Every inward-bound vessel shall change pilots at Passage and be given in charge to a pilot of Passage Station, except when there shall be no Passage pilot available, in which case the Dunmore pilot shall bring the vessel on to Waterford, provided, if he be a pilot of the second class, that the vessel does not exceed three hundred tons register.

4. The Pilot Master shall reside at Passage East and shall maintain direct and constant supervision over all the pilots, visiting the other stations from time to time, as may be expedient; and he shall report in writing on the Pilotage Service generally to each monthly meeting of the Harbour Board. The Pilot Master shall also report in writing, specially to the Pilot Committee, on any particular occurrence calling for remark.

5. Each pilot working between sea and Passage, or Passage and sea, shall receive monthly three-fourths of the amount of pilotage rates paid by the vessels which he shall have piloted. Each pilot working between Passage and Waterford, or Waterford and Passage, shall similarly receive three-fifths of the amount paid by vessels which he shall have piloted. The remainder of the pilotage receipts shall be devoted to defraying pensions, superannuations, sick-money, salaries, and all establishment and other charges in connection with the Pilotage Service.

6. Subject to their statutory powers, and to the merits of each particular case, the Commissioners will pay the following superannuations:—

Two pounds ten shillings per month to superannuated Pilot Boat Master.

Two pounds five shillings per month to superannuated First Class Pilot.

Two pounds per month to superannuated Second Class Pilot.

Existing pensions to pilots' widows and orphans will not be interfered with, if possible, but no such pensions will hereafter be given, except under special circumstances.

7. All the pilots, except those stationed at Waterford, shall pay one shilling and sixpence per month each for medical attendance, for which they shall be entitled to both attendance and medicine from a duly qualified practitioner. Every pilot shall be paid at the rate of fifteen shillings per week sick money whilst absent from duty owing to illness or accident, certified in writing by the medical attendant.

8. In order to defray the expenses of maintenance, &c., of the Pilot Boat, ten per cent., that is two shillings in each pound sterling, shall be deducted from the net earnings of each pilot, and this ten per cent. shall be placed to the credit of the Pilot Boat account. Should the earnings of the pilots working at the different stations at any time show a disparity in amount of a more than temporary character, the Commissioners will temporarily remit the ten per cent. deduction in favour of the pilots whose earnings are below the average, or will make such other arrangement as may be equitable and fair.

9. All complaints, petitions, memorials, &c., from the pilots are to be sent to the Pilot Master, who will forward them to the Commissioners. No communication will be considered by the Commissioners unless forwarded in this way.

10. The following regulations are more especially for the guidance of the Pilot Boat-Master and the pilots under his charge:—

(a.) The Pilot Boat-Master will be held responsible for the efficiency of the Dunmore Station, and for the safety of vessels entering the harbour requiring the services or assistance of pilots under his charge, subject to the general supervision and responsibility of the Pilot Master.

(b.) The Pilot Boat-Master shall see that a good look-out is kept at all times, both when the pilot boat is under way and when she is at her moorings, so that vessels entering or leaving the harbour, requiring to take or land pilots, shall be boarded in proper time; and he shall arrange for regular look-out watches to be set and kept at Red Head, and at no other place, while the pilot boat is at her moorings. The pilot on look-out duty shall report at once to the Pilot Boat-Master the approach of any vessel to the harbour, so that the pilot boat may be under way in sufficient time and the vessel boarded at the proper time and place.

(c.) In thick or hazy weather, southerly or easterly winds, light or strong, the pilot boat shall not remain at her moorings, but shall at all such times be under way. And only in time of clear weather and westerly and northerly winds of moderate force shall the pilot boat be allowed to remain at her moorings, and then only during the daytime. In no case whatever shall the pilot boat remain at her moorings after sunset; between sunset and sunrise she shall at all times be under way and not at her moorings.

(d.) The Pilot Boat-Master shall see that a sufficient crew is always on board the pilot boat, both when she is under way and when she is at her moorings.

(e.) Should vessels pass Dunmore Station by day or night requiring the service of a pilot, without being boarded, or should foreign-going vessels enter the pilotage limits without being boarded on the outside station, the Pilot Boat-Master will be held accountable for any loss that may arise to the pilot establishment from the neglect to board such vessels, unless he can show that there was no neglect or default on his part, or on that of his crew, at the times of such vessels passing.

(f.) The Pilot Boat-Master shall see that the Pilots on duty are always sober and attentive, and shall report at once to the Pilot Master any breach of discipline, or any intoxication or neglect of duty on the part of any pilot.

(g.) At any time when the pilot boat may be driven from her station by stress of weather, or have gone for shelter above Creden Head, such pilots as may be on shore at Dunmore shall keep a good look-out at Red Head, and shall report at once to Passage by telegraph the approach to the harbour of any vessel which may require a pilot. If the telegraph office is closed, the message shall be sent by a car. The Commissioners will defray the cost of the telegram or car as the case may be.

(h.) The Pilot Boat-Master must devote all his time to the Pilot Service, and his services must be at all times available.

(i.) The Pilot Boat-Master shall keep a log-book, using two books—one for each alternate month—the book not in use being sent for inspection of the Pilot Master at Passage, and shall record therein daily the state of wind, sea, and weather, and all the movements of the pilot boat and of the pilots under his charge.

(j.) Every pilot of the Dunmore Station shall whenever required by the Pilot Boat-Master, assist in performing all the necessary duties, cleansing, painting, &c., on board the pilot boat, giving due attention to her rigging, sails, materials, and punts, and shall at all times submit to and execute the lawful demands of the Master or person in charge of the pilot boat. Any refusal or neglect of the duties aforesaid shall be at once reported to the Pilot Master.

(k.) All incidental receipts, such as money for landing Channel pilots, &c., shall be paid to and accounted for by the Pilot Boat-Master, and such sums shall be divided amongst those entitled to them by the Pilot Master every month. It is strictly enjoined that every sum of money received by pilots whilst on duty shall be thus dealt with.

(l.) The Pilot Master shall report specially in writing to the Pilot Committee on every occasion on which the pilot boat leaves her station for shelter through stress of weather.

11. Every pilot, immediately after leaving any vessel which may have sustained or caused damage while under his charge, shall report same to the officer at Waterford, Pilot Master at Passage, or Pilot Boat-Master at Dunmore, according to where he lands.

12. Every pilot shall behave himself with strict sobriety, and shall display due respect to the master and officers of every vessel of which he may have charge.

13. No person shall be licensed as a pilot for the service of the Board for Waterford Pilotage

District who is above forty years of age, and who has not been actively employed as a sea-faring man or served the customary probation period of four years in the Pilot Service, and who cannot give a correct and seamanlike description of the river and harbour and adjacent coasts, the rise and set of the tides, the anchorages and best places where to bring up for a tide, the distances and courses between the several places, the channels, the banks, rocks, shoals, and other dangers, and the landmarks, gauges, buoys and lights within, or in any manner connected with said pilotage district. Every candidate for such licence must understand the handling and management, under every circumstance, of vessels of the different sorts and rig usually entering the Port of Waterford; how to bring same to anchor, moor, unmoor and get them under way; and how to give directions for their towage in case of the employment of a tug.

14. Every branch pilot on observing any alteration in any of the banks, or any obstruction or danger in the fairway, or that any of the buoys or marks have been driven away, damaged, or out of place, or that any of the lights are not lit during the proper hours, shall immediately on landing report same as per Rule 11. Certificated masters or mates shall immediately on landing, or at their port of arrival, report to Secretary, Harbour Board, Waterford, any such matter as above set forth that they may have observed when proceeding to or from Waterford; and the Commissioners will defray the cost of a telegram, should such be sent.

15. The pilot of every vessel coming to Waterford shall, if required, moor the vessel in her loading or discharging berth without extra payment, provided same be done within six hours of the vessel's arrival at Waterford. If detained over six hours to berth ship, the pilot shall be paid by the vessel for such berthing service—

Five shillings for any steam vessel, or for a sailing vessel under five hundred tons register.

Ten shillings for a sailing vessel over five hundred tons register.

Double above charges for a sailing vessel going through bridge.

Ten shillings for unberthing any steamer or sailing vessel if pilot's services be required for unberthing same.

16. All applications for a reduction or refund of pilotage dues shall be made within a fortnight of the date of the pilot service or non-service, in respect of which same may be claimed, otherwise such application shall not be entertained.

17. Any master or commander of a vessel outward bound who shall require the services of a pilot must give notice thereof at the harbour office twenty-four hours at least before he is ready to go down the river; must state the hour at which he shall want the pilot, and should he not be ready to proceed within twenty-four hours from that time he is to pay the pilot five shillings, and a like sum for each tide he shall subsequently detain him, or the pilot is to be withdrawn and another shall not be supplied until a second requisition be furnished. Steam vessels requiring pilots at shorter notice will be supplied with same whenever practicable. The master or commander of any vessel shifting from New Ross or from any place in the river between the Queen's Channel and the sea to Waterford shall in like manner give notice to the Pilot Master at Passage East of his desire to take a pilot twenty-four hours at least before he requires the services of a pilot.

18. No candidate shall be examined for a pilot

certificate under the five hundred and ninety-ninth section of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1894," who shall not have at least twelve months' continuous experience of the harbour and river.

19. No person to whom a certificate for pilotage shall be granted by the Waterford Harbour Commissioners, under the five hundred and ninety-ninth section of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1894," shall add to or in any way alter such certificate, or make any endorsement thereon, or at any time lend such certificate to any other person.

20. Every person to whom such certificate, or similar certificate from Board of Trade, has been or shall be granted, shall conform himself strictly to all directions which shall be given him by authority of the Harbour Commissioners, so long as the vessel in which he is employed shall be within the limits of the authority of the Harbour Commissioners.

21. Every person to whom such certificate, or similar certificate from Board of Trade has been or shall be granted, shall, when in charge of any vessel for which such certificate may be granted, exhibit from the masthead, or other conspicuous place, a distinguishing flag of large dimensions, the upper horizontal half white, and the lower horizontal half red, in order to show that such vessel has on board a master or mate qualified to act as pilot thereof.

22. Every person to whom such a certificate, or similar certificate from the Board of Trade, has been or shall be granted, shall attend the meetings of the Waterford Harbour Commissioners, or of their Pilot Committee, upon being required to do so by notice in writing under the hand of the Pilot Master or the Secretary of the Board, to answer any complaint or charge which may be made against him, or to give any information that may be required.

23. Every person who may hereafter receive from the Waterford Harbour Commissioners a certificate for pilotage under section five hundred and ninety-nine of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, shall pay a sum of two guineas for same and one pound for each annual renewal thereof. Each candidate for such certificate shall prepay the examination fee of three guineas, and in case of failure to pass at first examination he shall be entitled to be re-examined free of charge within twelve months.

24. Any person committing any breach or infringement of the foregoing bye-laws, rules, and regulations, shall for every such offence be subject and liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds, to be recoverable as fines are recoverable under the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, and every pilot in the service of the said Commissioners and every certificated master or mate shall be further liable to suspension or annulment of his pilotage licence or certificate.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*,
the 3rd day of *February*, 1898.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and fourteen of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1894," it is provided that a Local Authority, whose district includes a seaport, may, with the approval of the Board of Trade, make Bye-Laws relating to Seamen's Lodging Houses in their district, and those Bye-Laws shall be binding upon all persons keeping houses in which seamen are lodged, and upon the owners thereof and persons employed therein; and further, that

such Bye-Laws shall, amongst other things, provide for the licensing, inspection, and sanitary conditions of Seamen's Lodging Houses, for the publication of the fact of a house being licensed, for the due execution of the Bye-Laws, for preventing the obstruction of persons engaged in securing that execution, for the preventing of persons not duly licensed holding themselves out as keeping or purporting to keep licensed houses, and for the exclusion from licensed houses of persons of improper character, and shall impose sufficient fines not exceeding fifty pounds for the breach of any Bye-Law; and further, that whenever Her Majesty in Council orders that in any district, or any part thereof, none but persons duly licensed in pursuance of Bye-Laws under the said section shall keep Seamen's Lodging Houses or let lodgings to seamen from a date therein named, a person acting in contravention of that Order shall for each offence be liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred pounds:

And whereas the Council of the County Borough of Newport is the Local Authority under the Public Health Acts and a Local Authority within the meaning of the said Section:

And whereas the said Council of the County Borough of Newport have, with the approval of the Board of Trade, made the Bye-Laws and Regulations contained in the Schedule hereto:

And whereas the provisions of Section one of "The Rules Publication Act, 1893," have been complied with:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty in Council, by virtue of the powers vested in her by the said Act, doth order that, from and after the first day of March one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, none but persons duly licensed in pursuance of the said Bye-Laws and Regulations shall keep Seamen's Lodging Houses or let lodgings to seamen in the district of the Local Authority, including the seaport of Newport or in any part thereof.

C. L. Peel.

SCHEDULE referred to in this Order.

BYE-LAWS.

1. In these Bye-Laws, unless the context otherwise requires, the masculine pronoun includes the feminine, and the singular includes the plural, and the following expressions have the meanings hereby assigned to them, that is to say:—

"Council" means the Council of the County Borough of Newport;

"Seaman" means any male person, other than the holder of a certificate of competency, or service as Master, Mate, or Engineer in the Merchant Service, who, within four weeks immediately preceding the date of any transaction or occurrence within the scope of these Bye-Laws has been employed in any capacity whatsoever on board a ship, whether British or Foreign; but shall not include persons engaged in Fishing Boats or in Steam or other Trawl Boats;

"Licence" means a licence granted or which may be granted by the Council in pursuance of these Bye-Laws to a person authorizing him to keep the house specified therein as a Seamen's Lodging House;

"Licensed Keeper" means a person to whom a licence has been granted in pursuance of these Bye-Laws;

"Keeper" means and includes both a licensed keeper and a person who keeps a Seamen's Lodging House or a house in which seamen are lodged to whom a licence has not been granted in pursuance of these Bye-laws;

"Licensed House" means a Seamen's Lodging

House in respect of which a licence has been granted in pursuance of these Bye-laws;

"House" means and includes both a licensed House and a Seamen's Lodging House or a house in which seamen are lodged, in respect of which a licence has not been granted in pursuance of these Bye-laws;

Where any reference is made in these Bye-laws to the Town Clerk, or any other official, such reference shall be deemed to be a reference to the Town Clerk or other official, as the case may be, of the county borough of Newport.

2. The Council will, subject as hereinafter mentioned, if they see fit on the application, made in manner hereinafter mentioned, of any person grant to him a licence authorizing him to keep the house specified therein as a Seamen's Licensed Lodging House.

3. Every person who shall apply to the Council for a licence shall furnish in an application to be made in a form similar to Form A, in the Appendix, a true statement of the particulars therein required to be specified.

4. Every person to whom the Council may have resolved that a licence be granted, shall be entitled to receive from the Council a licence in a form similar to Form B, in the Appendix.

5. A licence shall not be granted to a person who holds a licence for the sale of intoxicating liquor, or who is engaged or interested in the business of a clothier, outfitter, or slop-dealer; nor shall a licence be granted in respect of any house where intoxicating liquor is sold, nor in respect of any house occupied or used for the purpose of the business of a clothier, outfitter, or slop-dealer; nor shall any licensed keeper sell or be engaged or interested in the sale of intoxicating liquor, nor be engaged or interested in the business of a clothier, outfitter, or slop-dealer.

6. A licence shall not be granted in respect of a house until it has been inspected and approved for the purpose by the Medical Officer of Health; and the Council may, if they think fit, require any person who applies for a licence to produce a certificate from the Head Constable to the effect that:—

(a.) So far as is known such person is a fit and proper person to have charge of a licensed house, and

(b.) So far as is known, no conviction militating against his competency for the charge of a licensed house has been registered against such person within three years immediately preceding such application.

7. A licence shall not be transferable, and no licensed keeper shall transfer or lend the same to any other person.

8. A licence shall be subject to such conditions specified therein, or endorsed thereon, and not being inconsistent with the laws, bye-laws, and regulations, for the time being, in force in the county borough of Newport as the Council see fit, and no licensed keeper or any person employed in a licensed house shall commit a breach of, or fail to observe, such conditions.

9. A licence shall continue in force (subject to suspension or revocation, as in these bye-laws provided) for one year from the date of the grant thereof. The Council may at their discretion, refuse to renew any licence.

10. If a licensed keeper is convicted for any felony, misdemeanour, or offence against any of these bye-laws, or if the Council is satisfied that a licensed keeper has been guilty of a breach of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1894," or any Acts amending the same, or that a licensed keeper or any person employed in his licensed house has

permitted drunkenness, gambling, or immoral or fraudulent practices in a licensed house, or has admitted into, harboured, or allowed to remain in, or has neglected to exclude or remove from, a licensed house any thief, reputed thief, prostitute, reputed prostitute, or any person of known immoral or improper character who may be in a licensed house, the Council may suspend for such period as the Council think fit, or revoke, such licensed keeper's licence.

Within seven days after suspension or revocation of a licence the licensed keeper shall deliver his licence to the Town Clerk, but at the expiration of a period of suspension the licence shall be returned to the licensed keeper.

11. The Council shall cause to be kept a Register of all licences granted under these bye-laws, and the suspension or revocation of any licence shall be noted in such Register.

12. The Medical Officer of Health, the Inspector of Nuisances, and any of his Assistants, the Head Constable, any Inspector of the Police Force, any Detective Officer or Police Constable generally or specially authorized by the Head Constable for the purpose, any officer of the Board of Trade, and any other person generally or specially authorized by the Council for the purpose, may at all times, whatsoever, of the day or night enter and inspect any house, and also inspect the Register of Seamen Lodgers hereinafter referred to. And every keeper and every person employed in a house shall give, and cause to be given, to every such Officer, Inspector, and all persons aforesaid, free access to his house at all such times aforesaid.

13. No keeper shall at any one time, receive, or cause, or suffer to be received in a house, or into any room therein, a greater number of lodgers than shall from time to time be fixed by the Council as the maximum number of lodgers authorized to be received into such house, or into such room, and shall be specified in a notice in writing which may be according to the Form C, in the Appendix, which shall be duly served upon such keeper, either by being delivered to him personally, or by being left with some person for him at his house, and shall continue in force until the number so fixed and specified shall be varied by the Council, and a further like notice be served on such keeper.

Every keeper shall paint or cause to be painted and shall cause to remain painted in the most conspicuous position on the inner side of every room in his house the maximum number of lodgers authorized as aforesaid to be received therein with the following words prefixed:—"The maximum number of lodgers allowed in this room is _____," in legible and durable figures and capital letters not less than one inch square.

No keeper nor any person employed in a house shall at any time conceal, deface, alter, or obliterate, or permit, or suffer to be concealed, defaced, altered, or obliterated any such letters or figures.

14. Notwithstanding that the maximum number of lodgers to be received in a house or any room therein may not have been fixed by the Council as hereinbefore provided, no keeper shall cause or suffer a greater number of persons than will admit of the provision of three hundred cubic feet of free air space for each person to occupy at any one time, as a sleeping apartment, a room which is used exclusively for that purpose.

15. No keeper shall cause or suffer a greater number of persons than will admit of the provision of four hundred cubic feet of free air space for each person to occupy at any one time, as a

sleeping apartment, a room which is not used exclusively for that purpose.

16. No keeper nor any person employed in a house shall permit or suffer more than one lodger other than a married couple, or parents and one child under the age of ten years, to occupy or sleep in the same bed.

17. No keeper nor any person employed in a house shall permit or suffer persons of different sexes to occupy the same sleeping room in a house except such persons be a married couple or parents with a child or children under the age of ten years.

18. Every keeper shall provide privy accommodation for his house by means of a water-closet or water-closets, an earth-closet or earth-closets, or a privy or privies. He shall provide such accommodation so that the number of water-closets, earth-closets, or privies, in relation to the greatest number of persons, who, subject to the restrictions imposed by any bye-law in that behalf, may, at any one time occupy rooms in the house as sleeping apartments, shall be in the proportion of not less than one water-closet, earth-closet, or privy, to every twelve persons.

19. In every case where for the purpose of providing privy accommodation for a house in pursuance of the requirements of any bye-law in that behalf, the construction of a new water-closet is necessary and where such construction so far as regards the several details hereinafter specified is not already the subject of regulation by any statute or bye-law in force within the district, the keeper shall construct such water-closet in accordance with the following rules:—

- (1.) If the water-closet is intended to be within the house he shall construct such water-closet in such a position that one of its sides at the least shall be an external wall.
- (2.) He shall construct in one of the walls of the water-closet, whether the situation of such water-closet is or is not within the house, a window of not less dimensions than two feet by one foot, exclusive of the frame and opening directly into the external air. He shall in addition to such window, cause the water-closet to be provided with adequate means of constant ventilation by at least one air brick built in an external wall of such water-closet, or by an air shaft, or by some other effectual method or appliance.
- (3.) He shall furnish the water-closet with a separate cistern, or flushing-box of adequate capacity, which shall be so constructed, fitted, or placed as to admit of the supply of water for use in such water-closet without any direct connection between any service pipe upon the premises, and any part of the apparatus of such water-closet other than such cistern or flushing-box.

He shall furnish the water-closet with a suitable apparatus for the effectual application of water to any pan, basin, or other receptacle with which such apparatus may be connected and used, and for the effectual flushing and cleansing of such pan, basin, or other receptacle, and for the prompt and effectual removal therefrom of any solid or liquid filth which may from time to time be deposited therein. He shall furnish the water-closet with a pan, basin, or other suitable receptacle, of non-absorbent material, and of such shape, of such capacity, and of such mode of construction as to receive and contain a sufficient quantity of water, and to allow all filth which may from time to time be deposited in such pan, basin, or receptacle,

to fall free of the sides thereof and directly into the water received and contained in such pan, basin, or receptacle. He shall not construct or fix under such pan, basin, or receptacle, any container or other similar fitting.

He shall not construct or fix in or in connection with the water-closet apparatus, any trap of the kind known as the "D" trap.

20. Every keeper shall cause every part of the structure of every water-closet, belonging to his house to be maintained at all times in good order, and every part of the apparatus of such water-closet, and every drain or means of drainage with which such water-closet may communicate, to be maintained at all times in good order, and efficient action.

21. Every keeper shall cause every yard, area, forecourt, or other open space within the curtilage of his house to be maintained at all times in good order, and to be thoroughly cleansed, from time to time, as often as may be reasonably necessary for the purpose of keeping such yard, area, forecourt, or other open space in a clean and wholesome condition.

22. Every keeper shall cause all such means of ventilation as may be provided in or in connection with any room or passage in his house, and in or in connection with any water-closet, earth-closet, or privy belonging to such house to be maintained at all times in good order.

23. Every keeper shall cause the windows of every room in his house, which may be appointed for use and occupation as a sleeping apartment, to be kept fully open for one hour at least in the forenoon, and for one hour at least in the afternoon of every day provided that such keeper shall not be required in pursuance of this bye-law to cause any such window to be opened or to be kept open at any time when the state of the weather is such as to render it necessary that the window should be closed, or when any bed in such room may be occupied by any lodger in consequence of sickness or of other sufficient cause.

24. Every keeper shall in the first week in the months of April and October in every year cause every part of his house to be cleansed.

He shall at the same time, except in such cases as are hereinafter specified, cause every area, the interior surface of every ceiling and wall of every water-closet, earth-closet, or privy belonging to the premises, and the interior surface of every ceiling and wall of every room, staircase, and passage in the house, to be thoroughly cleansed with hot lime-wash.

Provided that the foregoing requirements with respect to the lime-washing of the internal surface of the walls of rooms, staircases, and passages, shall not apply in any case where the internal surface of any such wall is painted, or where the material of or with which such surface is constructed or covered is such as to render the lime-washing thereof unsuitable or inexpedient, and where such surface is thoroughly cleansed and the paint or other covering is renewed, if the renewal thereof be necessary, for the purpose of keeping the house in a cleanly and wholesome condition.

25. Immediately after any keeper shall have been informed or shall have ascertained that any person in his house is ill of an infectious disease he shall give written notice thereof to the Medical Officer of Health.

26. In every case where, in pursuance of the statutory provision in that behalf, an order of a

Justice has been obtained for the removal from a house to a hospital or other place for the reception of the sick, of a person who is suffering from any dangerous infectious disorder, and is without proper lodging or accommodation, the keeper of such house shall, on being informed of such order, forthwith take all such steps as may be requisite to secure the safe and prompt removal of such person, in compliance with such order, and shall in and about such removal adopt all such precautions, as in accordance with any instructions which such keeper may receive from the Medical Officer of Health, may be most suitable for the circumstances of the case.

27. Every keeper shall cause every room in his house, which may be appointed for use and occupation as a sleeping apartment, to be furnished with such number of beds and bedsteads, and with such a supply of bed-clothes and necessary utensils as may be sufficient for the requirements of the number of lodgers received in such room.

28. Every keeper shall cause all bed-clothes and bedding, and every bedstead used in his house, to be thoroughly cleansed, from time to time, as often as shall be requisite, for the purpose of keeping such bed-clothes, bedding and bedstead in a clean and wholesome condition.

29. Every keeper shall cause the bed-clothes of every bed in his house to be removed from such bed as soon as conveniently may be after such bed shall have been vacated by any lodger, and shall cause all such bed-clothes, and the bed from which such bed-clothes may have been removed, to be freely exposed to the air for one hour at least in the forenoon or for one hour at least in the afternoon of every day.

30. Every keeper shall, for the use of the lodgers received into his house, cause to be provided a sufficient number of basins or other receptacles for water, of adequate capacity and suitably placed, and a sufficient supply of water, and a sufficient number of towels for use in connection with such basins or other receptacles. He shall cause such basins or receptacles to be kept clean and in good order, and the supply of towels to be renewed from time to time, as often as may be requisite.

31. No keeper shall at any time cause or suffer any room which may be appointed for use as a kitchen or scullery to be used or occupied as a sleeping apartment.

32. Every keeper shall put up or affix and keep up or affixed a copy of these bye-laws in a suitable and conspicuous position in the common sitting room of his house, and in such a manner that the contents of such copy or copies may be clearly and distinctly visible and legible, and shall enter upon the space left for the purpose at the end of that copy, a scale of the charges per day for board and lodging and necessaries to be made by him, and he shall not make a higher charge than is provided by the scale on any pretence whatever.

He shall not, at any time, conceal, deface, alter, or obliterate or permit or suffer to be concealed, defaced, altered or obliterated, any part of the contents of such copy or copies, or injure or destroy such copy or copies.

33. Every keeper shall keep a register in which he shall enter the name, age and nationality of every seaman lodger received into his house, the name of the last vessel such seaman lodger was discharged from, and the port of discharge, together with the name and port of registry of any vessel he may join while resident in such house, or his declared destination on leaving.

34. Every licensed keeper shall affix and keep affixed and undefaced, in the most conspicuous place on the outside of the main entrance from any street to his licensed house a notice consisting of the following words :—

“Seamen’s Licensed Lodging House.”
(Name of Licensed Keeper to be inserted here.)
“Licensed Keeper.”

And also the full name of the licensed keeper, as shown above, in legible and durable capital printed letters not less than one inch square.

35. No person shall obstruct any officer or person engaged in securing the execution of these Bye-laws.

36. No person other than a licensed keeper, whose licence has not been suspended or revoked, shall by means of any agent, servant, sign, notice, inscription, ticket, placard, advertisement, circular, letter, document, word of mouth, or by any other ways or means howsoever, hold himself out as keeping or purporting to keep a licensed house.

37. No licensed keeper nor any person employed in his house shall admit into nor harbour nor allow to remain in nor neglect to exclude from his licensed house any thief, reputed thief, prostitute, reputed prostitute, or any other person of immoral or improper character.

38. Every person who shall offend against or commit a breach of any of the foregoing Bye-laws, shall be liable for every such offence or breach to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

39. These Bye-laws shall come into operation on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

The Common Seal of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the county borough of Newport was hereunto affixed in pursuance of a Resolution of the Council passed on the fourteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, by

ALBERT A. NEWMAN, Town Clerk.

Sanctioned :—CHAS. T. RITCHIE,
President of the Board of Trade.

May first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.



APPENDIX.

FORM A.

Application for a Licence to keep a Seamen’s Licensed Lodging House.

To the Council of the County Borough of Newport.

of
in the county borough of Newport, do hereby apply to you for a licence to keep the house hereinafter described, as a Seamen’s Licensed Lodging House ; and I do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the Schedule hereunto annexed contains a true statement of the several particulars set forth with respect to the said house.

SCHEDULE.

1. Situation of the house to be kept as a Seamen’s Licensed Lodging House

2. Christian name, surname, and address of the owner of the house

3. Nature and conditions of applicant’s tenure of the house :—

(a.) For what term ; and whether by lease or otherwise

(b.) Whether the applicant is sole owner, lessee, or tenant ; or whether the applicant is jointly interested with any other person or persons, and, if so, with whom

4. Does the applicant hold a licence for the sale of intoxicating liquor ?

5. Is the applicant engaged or interested in the business of a clothier, outfitter, or slop-dealer ?

6. Is intoxicating liquor sold at the house to be kept as a Seamen’s Lodging House ?

7. Is the house to be kept as a Seamen’s Lodging House occupied or used for the purpose of the business of a clothier, outfitter, or slop-dealer ?

8. Description of the House :—

(a.)	Description or manner of use of room, and if to be used by lodgers.	Dimensions or cubical contents of room.	Number and sex of occupants of each room to be used for sleeping.
Ground floor			
First storey			
Second storey			
Third storey			
Topmost storey			

(b.) Total number of rooms in the house
Total number of rooms to be used by lodgers

FORM B.

Licence to keep a Seamen's Licensed Lodging House.

No. of Licence

Reference to folio in Register

County Borough of Newport.

Whereas application has been made to the Council of the county borough of Newport by of Newport, for a licence to keep a certain house as a Seamen's Licensed Lodging House. Now we, the said Council, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon us by the statutory provisions in that behalf do hereby license the said of in the county borough of Newport, to keep the house situate and being No. in the county borough of Newport as a Seamen's Licensed Lodging House for the period of one year from the date hereof, subject to the conditions endorsed on the back hereof.

Given under the Common Seal of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the county borough of Newport this day of one thousand eight hundred and

Town Clerk.

FORM C.

Form of Notice.

County Borough of Newport.

To of

Whereas you are the keeper of a Seamen's Lodging-house situate at in the said county borough.

Now I, Town Clerk for and on behalf of the Council, do hereby give you notice that the Council have fixed as the maximum number of lodgers authorized to be received at any one time into such house, and into the several rooms therein, the number specified in respect of such house and of each of such rooms in the Schedule hereunto appended.

SCHEDULE.

County borough of Newport.

Seamen's Lodging-house situate at

Name of Keeper

The maximum number of lodgers authorized to be received at any one time into this house is

The maximum number of lodgers authorized to be received at any one time into each of the several rooms in this house is the number specified in respect of such room in the appropriate column of the following table :—

	Description or number of room.	Dimensions or cubical contents of room.	Maximum number of Lodgers.
Ground storey			
First storey			
Second storey			
Third storey			
Topmost storey			

Witness my hand this day of 18 .

Town Clerk.

Scale of Charges.

NOTE.—Section 215 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, provides that "If a person demands or receives from a seaman or apprentice to the sea service, payment in respect of his board or lodging in the house of that person for a longer period than the seaman or apprentice has actually resided or boarded therein, that person shall for each offence be liable to a fine not exceeding ten pounds."

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 3rd day of *February*, 1898.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by section sixteen of "The Pluralities Act 1838" as amended by "The Pluralities Act 1850" it is, amongst other things, enacted, "That whenever it shall appear to the Archbishop of the Province, with respect to his own diocese, and whenever it shall be represented to him by the Bishop of any diocese, or by the Bishops of any two dioceses, that two or more benefices, or that one or more benefice or benefices, and one or more spiritual sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages, in his or their diocese or dioceses, being either in the same parish or contiguous to each other, and of which the aggregate population shall not exceed one thousand five hundred persons, may, with advantage to the interests of religion, be united into one benefice, the said Archbishop of the Province shall inquire into the circumstances of the case; and if on such inquiry it shall appear to him that such union may be usefully made, and will not be of inconvenient extent, and that the patron or patrons of the said benefices, sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages respectively, is or are consenting thereto, such consent being signified in writing under the hands of such patron or patrons, the said Archbishop shall, six weeks before certifying such inquiry and consent to Her Majesty as herein-after directed, cause, with respect to his own diocese, a statement in writing of the facts, and in other cases a copy in writing of the aforesaid representation to be affixed on or near the principal outer door of the church, or in some public and conspicuous place in each of such benefices, sinecure rectories, or vicarages, with notice to any person or persons interested, that he, she, or they, may, within such six weeks, show cause in writing under his, her, or their hand or hands, to the said Archbishop, against such union; and if no sufficient cause be shown within such time, the said Archbishop shall certify the inquiry and consent aforesaid to Her Majesty in Council, and thereupon it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council to make and issue an Order or Orders for uniting such benefices, sinecure rectory or rectories, vicarage or vicarages, into one benefice, with cure of souls, for ecclesiastical purposes only."

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

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

"That the Right Reverend Edward Bishop of Lincoln as Bishop of the diocese within which are situate the rectory of Croxton and the vicarage of Ulceby both in the county of Lincoln having represented unto us that the said benefices being contiguous to each other and of which the aggregate population does not exceed one thousand five hundred persons might with advantage to the interests of religion be united into one benefice we enquired into the circumstances of the case.

"That on such enquiry it appeared to us that such union might be usefully made and would not

be of inconvenient extent and that the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain being the patron or person entitled to present to the said benefices of Croxton and Ulceby if the same were now vacant consents to the proposed union.

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

"The representation of the said Lord Bishop of Lincoln, our enquiry into the circumstances of the case, the statement of circumstances in reply thereto, the consent in writing of the patron and a copy of the representation and notices before mentioned are hereunto annexed with certificates of due publication.

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

"As witness our hand this twentieth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

"*F. Cantuar.*"

Now therefore Her Majesty in Council by and with the advice of Her said Council is pleased to order, as it is hereby ordered, that the rectory of Croxton and the vicarage of Ulceby situate respectively in the county and diocese of Lincoln shall be united into one benefice with cure of souls for ecclesiastical purposes only.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 3rd day of *February*, 1898.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

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

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

in the county of Lincoln and in the diocese of Lincoln.

"Whereas at certain extremities of the said parish of Mumby otherwise Mumby-cum-Chapel, and of the parish of Hogsthorpe in the said county and diocese which said extremities lie contiguous one to another, and are described in the schedule hereunder written, there is collected together a population which is situate at a distance from the several churches of such parishes respectively.

"And whereas it appears to us to be expedient that certain contiguous portions (being the portions containing the population aforesaid) of the said parish of Mumby otherwise Mumby-cum-Chapel and of the said parish of Hogsthorpe should be formed into a consolidated chapelry for all ecclesiastical purposes, and that the same should be assigned to the said church of Saint Leonard Mumby situate as aforesaid.

"Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend Edward Bishop of the said diocese of Lincoln as such Bishop and also as the patron in right of his See both of the vicarage of the said parish of Mumby otherwise Mumby-cum-Chapel and of the vicarage of the said parish of Hogsthorpe (in testimony whereof he the said Bishop has signed and sealed this representation), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, humbly represent, that it would, in our opinion, be expedient that all those contiguous portions of the said parish of Mumby otherwise Mumby-cum-Chapel, and of the said parish of Hogsthorpe which are described in the Schedule hereunder written, all which portions, together with the boundaries thereof, are delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be united and formed into one consolidated chapelry for the said church of Saint Leonard Mumby situate as aforesaid, and that the same should be named 'The Consolidated Chapelry of Chapel Saint Leonards.'

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

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The Consolidated Chapelry of Chapel Saint Leonards comprising:—

"I. All that portion of the parish of Mumby otherwise called or known as Mumby-cum-Chapel in the county of Lincoln, and in the diocese of Lincoln, and all those contiguous detached portions of the parish of Hogsthorpe, in the said county and diocese, which together are comprised within, and are coextensive with the limits of the civil parish of Chapel Saint Leonards as defined by an Order made by the County Council of the Parts of Lindsey on the twenty-fifth day of October one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five confirmed by an Order of the Local Government Board dated the fourteenth day of February one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

"II. And also all that other portion of the said parish of Hogsthorpe which is contiguous to the said civil parish of Chapel Saint Leonards and all those detached portions of the said parish of Mumby otherwise called or known as Mumby-cum-Chapel which taken together are bounded upon the north and upon the east by the said civil parish of Chapel Saint Leonards and upon the remaining sides, that is to say, upon the south, and upon the west, by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said civil parish of Chapel Saint Leonards from the parish of Hogsthorpe aforesaid, at the point in

the middle of the road leading from Trunch-lane to Hogsthorpe where such boundary after following the middle of the said road turns off in a southerly direction, and extending thence first south-westward and then westward along the middle of the said road for a distance of thirty-six chains or thereabouts (thereby crossing Orby Drain) to the centre of Stone Bridge which carries such road over Willoughby High Drain, and extending thence generally north-eastward along the middle of the last-named drain for a distance of forty-five chains or thereabouts to the point where it is joined by Four Hundred Acre Drain, and extending thence northward along the middle of the last-named drain for a distance of ten chains or thereabouts to the centre of the bridge or culvert which carries Sea-lane over such drain, and extending thence north westward along the middle of the last-named lane for a distance of sixteen chains or thereabouts to the point where it is crossed by the footpath leading from Mill-lane past the windmill and the house called Mill Hill to the point of junction of Maiden-lane, Bradshaw-lane and Workhouse-lane, and extending thence that is from Sea-lane aforesaid northward along the middle of the said footpath for a distance of twenty-seven chains or thereabouts to the said point where Maiden-lane Bradshaw-lane and Workhouse-lane all meet as aforesaid and extending thence northward along the middle of the last-named lane for a distance of seventeen chains or thereabouts to a point opposite to the western end of the hedge forming the southern boundary of the house and premises called the Old Workhouse and extending thence eastward along the said hedge for a distance of five chains or thereabouts to its junction with the hedge forming the eastern boundary of the same premises and extending thence northward along the last-mentioned hedge for a distance of three chains or thereabouts to its northern end on the southern side of Workhouse-lane aforesaid and extending thence due north and in a direct line for a distance of seven chains or thereabouts (thereby crossing the said lane) to the boundary which divides the said parish of Hogsthorpe from the civil parish of Chapel Saint Leonards aforesaid."

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

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 3rd day of February, 1898.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of Her Majesty, chapter seventy; of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her Majesty, chapter ninety-seven; of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five; and of the Act of the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth years of Her Majesty, chapter eighty-two; duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a

Representation, bearing date the sixteenth day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven in the words following; that is to say:—

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

“Whereas at certain extremities of the said parish of Leyland of the new parish (sometime chapelry district) of Whittle-le-Woods of the new parish (sometime district chapelry) of Saint Saviour Bamber Bridge and of the chapelry district of Saint Paul Farington all in the county and diocese aforesaid which said extremities lie contiguous one to another, and are described in the Schedule hereunder written there is collected together a population which is situate at a distance from the several churches of such parish, new parishes and chapelry district respectively.

“And whereas it appears to us to be expedient that certain contiguous portions (being the portions containing the population aforesaid) of the said parish of Leyland of the said new parish of Whittle-le-Woods of the said new parish of Saint Saviour Bamber Bridge and of the said chapelry district of Saint Paul Farington should be formed into a consolidated chapelry for all ecclesiastical purposes and that the same should be assigned to the said church of Saint Ambrose Leyland situate as aforesaid.

“Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend James Bishop of the said diocese of Manchester as such Bishop and with the consent of William Charles Baldwin of Heathfield Tarporeley in the county of Chester Esquire as the patron of the vicarage of the said parish of Leyland of the Reverend Octavius de Leyland Baldwin Clerk in Holy Orders vicar or incumbent of the aforesaid vicarage and as such vicar or incumbent the patron of the vicarage of the said new parish of Whittle-le-Woods of the Right Reverend Francis Alexander Randal Cramer-Roberts Doctor in Divinity vicar or incumbent of the vicarage of the parish of Blackburn in the said diocese of Manchester and as such vicar or incumbent the patron of the vicarage of the said new parish of Saint Saviour Bamber Bridge and of the Reverend Augustus Manley Winter Clerk in Holy Orders vicar or incumbent of the vicarage of the parish of Penwortham in the said diocese of Manchester and as such vicar or incumbent the patron of the perpetual curacy of the said chapelry district of Saint Paul Farington (in testimony whereof they the said consenting parties have respectively signed and sealed this representation) we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England humbly represent, that it would in our opinion be expedient that all those contiguous portions of the said parish of Leyland of the said new parish of Whittle-le-Woods of the said new parish of Saint Saviour Bamber Bridge and of the said chapelry district of Saint Paul Farington which are described in the Schedule hereunder written all which portions together with the boundaries thereof are delineated and set forth on

the map or plan hereunto annexed should be united and formed into one consolidated chapelry for the said church of Saint Ambrose Leyland situate as aforesaid and that the same should be named ‘The Consolidated Chapelry of Saint Ambrose Leyland.’

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

“The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

“The Consolidated Chapelry of Saint Ambrose Leyland comprising:—

“All those several contiguous portions of the parish of Leyland of the new parish (sometime chapelry district) of Whittle-le-Woods of the new parish (sometime district chapelry) of Saint Saviour Bamber Bridge and of the chapelry district of Saint Paul Farington all in the county of Lancaster and in the diocese of Manchester which are comprised within and are bounded by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Saviour Bamber Bridge from the chapelry district of Saint Paul Farington aforesaid at the junction of Lydiate-lane with Stanifield-lane and extending thence south-westward and in a straight line for a distance of thirty-four chains or thereabouts (thereby passing to the north-west of Farington House and High Ash Cottages) to the centre of the bridge which carries the lane leading from the said cottages over the North Union Line of the London and North Western and the Lancashire and Yorkshire Joint Railway and extending thence westward along the middle of the last-mentioned lane for a distance of twelve chains or thereabouts to its junction near the houses called High Ash with Wheelton-lane and extending thence southward along the middle of the last-named lane for a distance of fifty chains or thereabouts (thereby crossing the boundary which divides the said chapelry district of Saint Paul Farington from the parish of Leyland aforesaid) to the junction of such lane with Golden Hill-lane and extending thence westward along the middle of the last-named lane for a distance of ten chains or thereabouts to its junction with School-lane and extending thence south-eastward along the middle of the last-named lane for a distance of twenty-three chains or thereabouts to its junction with Hough-lane and extending thence north-eastward along the middle of the last-named lane for a distance of twenty-two chains or thereabouts to its junction with Turpiu Green-lane and extending thence south-eastward along the middle of the last-named lane for a distance of twenty-four chains or thereabouts to the centre of the bridge which carries such lane over the line of railway aforesaid and extending thence southward along the middle of the said line of railway for a distance of thirty-four chains or thereabouts to the centre of Bent Bridge which carries the road leading from Leyland Parish Church to Whittle-le-Woods over the same line of railway and extending thence generally eastward along the middle of the last-mentioned road for a distance of one mile and three chains or thereabouts (thereby crossing the boundary which divides the said parish of Leyland from the new parish of Whittle-le-Woods aforesaid) to the point east of Oak Cottage where such road is joined by the footpath leading past Clayton Hall to Lancaster Cottages and extending thence first north-eastward and then north-westward along the middle of the last-mentioned footpath for a distance of seventy-four chains or

hereabouts to its junction opposite Lancaster Cottages aforesaid with Lancaster-lane and extending thence north-eastward along the middle of the last-named lane for a distance of seven chains or thereabouts to its junction with the road called or known as Town Brow and with the road which leads along the south-western side of Cuerdon Hall Park and extending thence first northward and then north-westward along the middle of the last-mentioned road for a distance of forty-eight chains or thereabouts to its junction with Nell-lane upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of Whittle-le-Woods from the new parish of Saint Saviour Bamber Bridge aforesaid and extending thence westward along the course of the last-named lane for a distance of twenty-three chains or thereabouts (thereby following the last-mentioned boundary) to the junction of such lane with the high road from Preston to Wigan and extending thence south-westward along the course of the said high-road for a distance of three chains or thereabouts (thereby following the last-mentioned boundary) to the junction of such high road with Lydiat-lane aforesaid and extending thence north-westward along the middle of the last-named lane for a distance of forty-eight chains or thereabouts to the firstly hereinbefore mentioned point at the junction of the last-named lane with Stanifield-lane aforesaid at which point the said imaginary line commenced."

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

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 3rd day of *February*, 1898.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

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

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

"Whereas it appears to us to be expedient that a district chapelry should be assigned to the said church of Saint Pancras situate at Pennycross aforesaid.

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

"And with the like consent of the said Edward Henry Bishop of the said diocese of Exeter (testified as aforesaid), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners further represent, that it appears to us to be expedient that banns of matrimony should be published, and that marriages baptisms churchings and burials should be solemnized or performed at the said church of Saint Pancras situate at Pennycross as aforesaid, and that the fees to be received in respect of the publication of such banns and of the solemnization or performance of the said offices should be paid and belong to the minister of the same church for the time being: Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as expressing any intention on the part of us the said Commissioners to concur in or approve the taking of any fee for the performance of the said office of baptism or for the registration thereof.

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

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The District Chapelry of Saint Pancras, Pennycross being:—

"All that portion of the tithing or chapelry of Weston Peverill otherwise Penycross or Peencycross in the parish of Saint Andrew Plymouth in the county of Devon and in the diocese of Exeter, wherein the present incumbent of such parish still possesses the exclusive cure of souls, and which is not included within the limits of the new parish of Saint Mark Ford Devonport in the said county and diocese."

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

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 3rd day of *February*, 1898.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King

George the Third, chapter one hundred and thirty-four; of the Act of the first and second years of Her Majesty chapter one hundred and seven; of the Act of the second and third years of Her Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the sixteenth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, in the words following, that is to say:—

“We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the fifty-ninth year of His Majesty King George the Third chapter one hundred and thirty-four, of the Act of the first and second years of Your Majesty chapter one hundred and seven; of the Act of the second and third years of Your Majesty, chapter forty-nine; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Your Majesty, chapter fifty-five, have prepared, and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a district chapelry to the consecrated church of Saint Luke situate in Walker-road, Harrogate within the district parish of Bilton-with-Harrogate commonly called Christ Church, High Harrogate, in the county of York and in the diocese of Ripon.

“Whereas it appears to us to be expedient that a district chapelry should be assigned to the said church of Saint Luke situate in Walker-road, Harrogate aforesaid.

“Now therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend William Boyd Bishop of the said diocese of Ripon (testified by his having signed and sealed this representation) and with the consent of the Reverend Richard Wentworth Fawkes, Clerk in Holy Orders, the vicar or incumbent of the vicarage of the said district parish of Bilton-with-Harrogate commonly called Christ Church, High Harrogate (testified by his having likewise signed and sealed this representation), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners, humbly represent that it would, in our opinion, be expedient that all that part of the said district parish of Bilton-with-Harrogate commonly called Christ Church High Harrogate which is described in the schedule hereunder written, all which part, together with the boundaries thereof, is delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be assigned as a district chapelry to the said church of Saint Luke situate in Walker-road Harrogate as aforesaid and that the same should be named ‘The District Chapelry of Saint Luke, Harrogate.’

“And with the like consent of the said William Boyd Bishop of the said diocese of Ripon and of the said Richard Wentworth Fawkes the vicar or incumbent of the vicarage of the district parish of Bilton-with-Harrogate commonly called Christ Church High Harrogate (testified as aforesaid), we, the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners further represent, that it appears to us to be expedient that banns of matrimony should be published, and that marriages, baptisms, churchings and burials should be solemnized or performed at the said church of Saint Luke, situate in Walker-road, Harrogate as aforesaid, and that the fees to be received in respect of the publication of such banns and of the solemnization or performance of the said offices should be paid and belong to the minister of the same church for the time being: Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall be construed as expressing any intention on the part of us the said Commissioners to concur in or approve the taking of any fee for the perform-

ance of the said office of baptism or for the registration thereof.

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

“The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

“The District Chapelry of Saint Luke, Harrogate, being:—

“All that part of the district parish of Bilton-with-Harrogate commonly called Christ Church High Harrogate in the county of York and in the diocese of Ripon which is bounded upon the north by the new parish of Bilton upon the south-west partly by the new parish of Saint Thomas the Apostle Killinghall and partly by the new parish of Saint Peter High Harrogate all which new parishes are situate in the said county and diocese and upon the remaining side that is to say upon the south-east by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Peter High Harrogate from the district parish of Bilton-with-Harrogate aforesaid at the point south of the road called Strawberry Dale where the brook formerly called Coppice Beck (but now covered in) was crossed by the York, Knaresborough and Harrogate Line of the North Eastern Railway, and extending thence north-eastward along the middle of the said line of railway for a distance of fifty-four chains or thereabouts to Dragon Junction where it is joined by the loop line leading to Bilton Road Junction on the Leeds and Stockton Line of the said railway and extending thence north-eastward along the middle of the said loop line of railway for a distance of twenty chains or thereabouts to the boundary which divides the said district parish of Bilton-with-Harrogate from the new parish of Bilton aforesaid.”

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

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 3rd day of *February*, 1898.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

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

“We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the sixth and seventh years of Your Majesty chapter thirty-seven, have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following

scheme for constituting a separate district for spiritual purposes to be taken partly out of the parish of Pannal partly out of the new parish (sometime district chapelry) of (Saint Mary) Low Harrogate and partly out of the new parish (sometime district) of Saint Peter High Harrogate all in the county of York and in the diocese of Ripon.

"Whereas it has been made to appear to us that it would promote the interests of religion that the particular portions of the said parish of Pannal of the said new parish of (Saint Mary) Low Harrogate and of the said new parish of Saint Peter High Harrogate which are hereinafter mentioned and described should be constituted a separate district in the manner hereinafter recommended and proposed.

"And whereas there is not at present within the limits of the said proposed district any consecrated church or chapel in use for the purposes of Divine worship.

"And whereas we are satisfied that the said hereinbefore mentioned parish and new parishes are cures wherein or in parts whereof, the provision for public worship and for pastoral superintendence is insufficient for the spiritual wants of the inhabitants thereof.

"And whereas by a certain deed or indenture bearing date on or about the third day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven and made or expressed to be made under the provisions of 'The New Parishes Acts 1843, 1844, and 1856,' or some or one of them, between the Reverend Mark Rowntree the Vicar of the vicarage of the said parish of Pannal Clerk in Holy Orders of the first part the Reverend Alfred Peache of Saint John's Hall Highbury in the county of Middlesex Clerk in Holy Orders the Reverend William Wynter Gibbon of Wimbledon in the county of Surrey, Canon Residentiary of Ripon Cathedral, Clerk in Holy Orders, the Reverend William Hagger Barlow Vicar of Islington in the said county of Middlesex Clerk in Holy Orders, the Right Honourable Dudley Francis Stuart Earl of Harrowby, and Lewis Tonna Dibdin of number fifteen Old-square Lincoln's-inn in the said county of Middlesex Esquire Barrister-at-Law (commonly known as 'Peache's Trustees'), the patrons of the said vicarage of the parish of Pannal aforesaid of the second part the Right Reverend William Boyd Bishop of the said diocese of Ripon of the third part and us the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners of the fourth part (which said deed or indenture is intended to be enrolled in the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice) the said Mark Rowntree as the vicar of the said parish of Pannal with the consents of his patrons and of the said Bishop of Ripon did grant and convey unto the minister (so soon as a minister shall have been appointed) of the district of Saint Mark Harrogate hereinafter recommended to be constituted and to his successors, and to the incumbent (when such minister shall have become an incumbent) of the new parish of Saint Mark Harrogate and his successors for the time being:—First, All that piece or parcel of land together with the messuages and buildings thereon being part of the glebe lands belonging to the said vicarage of the parish of Pannal aforesaid and situate at Low Harrogate in the said parish and Secondly, All that piece or parcel of land with the messuages and buildings thereon being also part of the same glebe lands situate at Low Harrogate aforesaid together with the annual rents issuing and payable out of such pieces or parcels of land, and amounting in the aggregate to two hundred pounds per annum. All

which said pieces or parcels of land messuages and buildings are more particularly described and delineated on the plans appended to the said deed or indenture, as an endowment for the said intended district to be called (as is in the said deed or indenture mentioned) 'The District of Saint Mark Harrogate' to the intent that as soon as may be the said pieces or parcels of land messuages and buildings together with the annual rents issuing and payable thereout may become vested in the minister of the district (after one shall have been appointed and licensed in accordance with the provisions of the hereinbefore mentioned Act) and so soon as the said district shall have become a new parish under the provisions of the same Act then in the incumbent of such new parish and his successors for ever.

"And whereas the said pieces or parcels of land messuages and buildings together with the said annual rents issuing and payable thereout have been so granted and conveyed as aforesaid upon the expressed understanding that we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England should recommend and propose to Your Majesty in Council that the whole right of patronage of the said proposed district or new parish and of the nomination of the minister or incumbent thereto should be assigned to the said Alfred Peache, William Wynter Gibbon, William Hagger Barlow, Dudley Francis Stuart Earl of Harrowby and Lewis Tonna Dibdin (commonly known as Peache's Trustees) their heirs and assigns, and they have been nominated to us accordingly by the said Mark Rowntree.

"Now therefore with the consent of the Right Reverend William Boyd Bishop of the said diocese of Ripon (in testimony whereof he has signed and sealed this scheme) we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners humbly recommend and propose that all those several contiguous portions of the said parish of Pannal of the said new parish of (Saint Mary) Low Harrogate, and of the said new parish of Saint Peter High Harrogate which are more particularly described in the Schedule hereunder written and are delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed shall upon and from the day of the date of the publication in the London Gazette of any Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying this scheme become and be constituted a separate district for spiritual purposes and that the same shall be named 'The District of Saint Mark Harrogate.'

"And we further recommend and propose that the whole right of patronage of the said proposed district, and when the same shall have become a new parish as aforesaid, then of the said new parish and of the nomination of the minister or incumbent thereto shall without any assurance in the law other than this scheme and any duly gazetted Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying the same and upon and from the day of the date of the publication in the London Gazette as aforesaid be assigned to and become absolutely vested in and shall and may be exercised from time to time by the said Alfred Peache, William Wynter Gibbon, William Hagger Barlow, Dudley Francis Stuart Earl of Harrowby and Lewis Tonna Dibdin (commonly known as Peache's Trustees) their heirs and assigns for ever.

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

"The SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Scheme has reference.

"The District of Saint Mark Harrogate, comprising :—

"All those several contiguous portions of the parish of Pannal of the new parish (sometime district chapelry) of (Saint Mary) Low Harrogate and of the new parish (sometime district) of Saint Peter High Harrogate, all which cures are situate in the county of York, and in the diocese of Ripon which said portions are comprised within, and are bounded by an imaginary line commencing upon the boundary which divides the district parish of Bilton-with-Harrogate (commonly called Christ Church High Harrogate) in the said county and diocese from the new parish of Saint Peter High Harrogate aforesaid at the junction of Leeds-road with Otley-road, and extending thence south-westward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of forty-one chains and a half or thereabouts (thereby crossing the boundary which divides the said new parish of Saint Peter High Harrogate from the new parish of (Saint Mary) Low Harrogate aforesaid) to the junction of the last-named road with Pannal Ash-road, and extending thence first southward and then south-westward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of fifty chains or thereabouts to a point at its junction with Green-lane, upon the boundary which divides the said new parish of (Saint Mary) Low Harrogate from the parish of Pannal aforesaid, and extending thence first south-eastward and then north-eastward along the last-mentioned boundary (thereby following first the middle of the last-named lane and afterwards the middle of Leadhall-lane) to the point where the last-named lane is crossed by the stream called or known as Stone Rings Beck, and extending thence south-eastward along the middle of the said stream for a distance of thirty-two chains or thereabouts to the point where it is crossed by the bridle road which leads from the house called Pannal College to the road called Almsford Bank, and extending thence first northward and then north-eastward along the middle of the said bridle road for a distance of eighteen chains or thereabouts to its junction with the said road called Almsford Bank and extending thence north-westward along the middle of the last-named road for a distance of three chains or thereabouts to its junction with Fullwith Mill-lane, and extending thence north-eastward along the middle of the last-named lane for a distance of twenty-one chains or thereabouts to its junction with the road leading to Crimple House, and extending thence first northward and then north-eastward along the middle of the last-mentioned road for a distance of twenty-six chains or thereabouts to the centre of the bridge which carries such road over the Church Fenton and Harrogate Line of the North-Eastern Railway, and extending thence north-westward along the middle of the said line of railway for a distance of thirty-three chains or thereabouts to a point at the centre of the bridge which carries Hookstone-road over the same line of railway upon the boundary which divides the said parish of Pannal from the new parish of (Saint Mary) Low Harrogate aforesaid, and extending thence north-eastward along the last-mentioned boundary (thereby following generally the middle of the last-named road) to the point near to the bridge or culvert which carries such road over the stream called or known as Hookstone Beck, where such boundary meets the boundary which divides the said new parish of (Saint Mary) Low Harrogate from the district parish of Bilton-with-Harrogate (commonly

called Christ Church High Harrogate) aforesaid, and extending thence first north-westward and then south-westward along the last-mentioned boundary to the point in the middle of Leeds-road aforesaid where such boundary meets the boundary which divides the said district parish of Bilton-with-Harrogate (commonly called Christ Church High Harrogate) from the new parish of Saint Peter High Harrogate aforesaid, and extending thence northward along the last-mentioned boundary (thereby following the course of the last-named road) to the said firstly hereinbefore mentioned point at the junction of such road with Otley-road aforesaid at which point the said imaginary line commenced."

And whereas drafts of the said scheme have, in accordance with the provisions of the hereinbefore mentioned Act, been transmitted to the patrons and to the incumbents of the cures out of which it is intended that the district recommended in such scheme to be constituted shall be taken, and such patrons and incumbents have respectively signified their assent to such scheme.

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

C. L. Peel.

At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 3rd day of February, 1898.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Bishopricks Act, 1878, of the Bishoprick of Bristol Act, 1884, and of the Bishoprick of Bristol Amendment Acts, 1894 and 1896, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a Scheme bearing date the thirteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, in the words and figures following, that is to say :—

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Bishopricks Act 1878 of the Bishoprick of Bristol Act 1884 and of the Bishoprick of Bristol Amendment Acts 1894 and 1896, have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme with respect to the Bishoprick of Bristol.

"Whereas the Bishoprick of Bristol aforesaid was reconstituted by an Order of Your Majesty in Council bearing date the seventh day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven and published in the London Gazette on the ninth day of the same month which Order was made in pursuance of the said Acts and which Order, as appears by the terms thereof came into operation on the said ninth day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

"And whereas by the same Order it was ordered that the diocese of the Bishoprick of Bristol shall consist of a certain part (in the same Order described) of the then diocese of Gloucester and Bristol.

"And whereas the said diocese of the Bishoprick of Bristol is situate partly within the

city and county of the city of Bristol partly within the county of Gloucester partly within the county of Somerset and partly within the county of Wilts and was until the reconstitution of the same Bishoprick situate within the Archdeaconry of Bristol which was an Archdeaconry of the then diocese of Gloucester and Bristol aforesaid.

"And whereas the remaining part of the said diocese of Gloucester and Bristol is known as and is hereinafter referred to as the diocese of Gloucester.

"And whereas by the said Order of Your Majesty in Council the Cathedral Church of Bristol was declared to be the Cathedral Church of the Bishoprick of Bristol.

"And whereas by the same Order the Bishop of Bristol was constituted a body corporate and was invested with all such rights privileges and jurisdictions as are possessed by any other Bishop in England and was subjected to the metropolitan jurisdiction of the Archbishop of Canterbury.

"And whereas by the seventh section of the said firstly hereinbefore mentioned Act it is enacted that whenever a certain certificate shall have been given to Your Majesty by us the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England with respect to the endowment fund of any new Bishoprick in the said Act mentioned we shall lay before Your Majesty in Council a scheme for all or any of the matters which in the same section are mentioned.

"And whereas by the second section of the said secondly hereinbefore mentioned Act it is enacted that subject to the provisions of that Act the said firstly hereinbefore mentioned Act shall have effect as if the said Bishoprick of Bristol were a new Bishoprick mentioned therein.

"And whereas the said certificate has been given by us in the case of the Bishoprick of Bristol as by the said Order of Your Majesty in Council of the seventh day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven appears.

"Now therefore we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England humbly recommend and propose as follows, namely:—

"(1.) The Bishop of Bristol for the time being shall subject to the provisions hereinafter contained have all such courts and officers and all such jurisdictions as were immediately before the time of the publication in the London Gazette of the said Order of Your Majesty in Council of the seventh day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven possessed by the Bishop of the then diocese of Gloucester and Bristol within or in respect of so much of the same diocese as is within the area assigned by the same Order as the diocese of the Bishoprick of Bristol and all tithes, tithes apportionments, maps, plans and other documents relating exclusively to any parish or parishes, ecclesiastical districts, or other cures or places situate within the diocese of Bristol or otherwise relating exclusively to the said diocese (that is to say to the area or any part of the area thereof) shall subject likewise to the provisions hereinafter contained be transferred from the custody of the Registrar or other officer of the diocese of Gloucester and Bristol in whose custody the same may now be and shall become and be in custody of such Registrar or other officer or officers of the diocese of Bristol as the Bishop of Bristol shall approve in that behalf, and similarly any like documents relating exclusively to any parish or parishes ecclesiastical districts or other cures or places situate within the diocese of Gloucester shall be transferred from the custody of the Registrar or other officer of the said diocese of Bristol in whose custody the same may now be

and shall become and be in the custody of the Registrar or such other officer or officers of the said diocese of Gloucester as the Bishop of Gloucester shall approve in that behalf.

"(2.) All parishes, ecclesiastical districts and other cures or places churches and chapels and all the clergy and others, Your Majesty's subjects within the limits of the diocese of Bristol as the same diocese is defined by the said Order of Your Majesty in Council of the seventh day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven shall be exempted and released from all episcopal jurisdiction authority and control of the Bishop of Gloucester and shall be under and subject to the episcopal jurisdiction authority and control of the Bishop of Bristol and his successors.

"(3.) During any and every vacancy in the See of Bristol the Archbishop of Canterbury for the time being shall have the custody and be the guardian of the spiritualities of the See of Bristol.

"(4.) The Archidiaconal supervision of the parishes ecclesiastical districts and other cures or places churches and chapels within the limits of the said diocese of Bristol shall be exercised by the Archdeacon of the Archdeaconry of Bristol aforesaid and such Archdeacon shall subject to the provisions hereinafter contained continue to enjoy the same endowments emoluments and rights as were enjoyed by him as such Archdeacon before the reconstitution of the said Bishoprick of Bristol as aforesaid.

"(5.) The Archdeaconry of Bristol shall be comprised within and shall be co-extensive with the limits of the said diocese of Bristol, and shall consist of the following rural deaneries, namely the Rural Deanery of Bristol, the Rural Deanery of Stapleton, the Rural Deanery of Bitton and the Rural Deanery of Chippenham and also the Rural Deanery of Malmesbury and the Rural Deanery of Cricklade as the two lastly-mentioned rural deaneries are limited by the said Order of Your Majesty in Council dated seventh July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

"(6.) Any existing Archdeacon whose Archdeaconry is affected by the foundation of the Bishoprick of Bristol may reside in any place in which he is residing at the date of this scheme.

"And with the consent of the Right Reverend Charles John Bishop of the said diocese of Gloucester in testimony whereof he has to this scheme set his hand and his episcopal seal we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners further recommend and propose all that is hereinafter set forth that is to say:—

"(7.) The Rural Deanery of Hawkesbury hitherto comprised within the said Archdeaconry of Bristol but situate within the present limits of the said diocese of Gloucester shall be transferred from the said Archdeaconry of Bristol and shall be included in and shall form part of the Archdeaconry of Gloucester within the said diocese of Gloucester and shall be subject to the jurisdiction and authority of the Archdeacon of the said Archdeaconry of Gloucester and shall not belong to or be a part of any other archdeaconry nor be subject to the jurisdiction or authority of any other Archdeacon.

"(8.) The patronage of every ecclesiastical dignity or benefice being within the diocese of Bristol, together with the patronage of the benefice of Buckland in the county of Berks, which prior to the union of the Bishopricks of Gloucester and Bristol in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six was vested in the then Bishop of Bristol whereof the patronage is now vested for any estate or interest in the Bishop of Gloucester shall forthwith to the extent

of such estate or interest and without any conveyance or assurance in the law other than this scheme and any duly gazetted Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying the same as aforesaid be transferred from the said Charles John Bishop of Gloucester and from his successors to and shall become and be vested in the Bishop of Bristol and his successors.

“(9.) Every officer who up to the day of the date of the reconstitution of the Bishoprick of Bristol held any office of emoluments under the Bishop of the then diocese of Gloucester and Bristol and who derived any portion of the emoluments of his office from sources arising within that portion of the same diocese which now constitutes the diocese of Bristol and who has not since vacated by death or resignation the office which was so held by him shall for the term of his natural life or until his resignation or other avoidance of his said office, continue to perform such duties in the same manner (that is to say either in person or by deputy as the case may be) and to receive accordingly such emoluments as an officer of or within the diocese of Bristol as he has hitherto performed and received as an officer of or within the diocese of Gloucester and Bristol and he shall during his tenure of such his office be one of the officers of the diocese of Bristol mentioned in the first clause of this scheme.

“(10.) The portion of the endowment or income of the Bishoprick of Gloucester which in section four of the Schedule to the secondly recited Act as amended by the thirdly recited Act is mentioned (being such portion of the same endowment or income as will if no deduction were made for first fruits and tenths yield a net annual sum of seven hundred pounds) shall without any assurance or conveyance in the law other than this scheme and any duly gazetted Order of Your Majesty in Council ratifying the same become and be and form part of the Bristol Bishoprick Endowment Fund so as to become part of the annual income of the Bishop of Bristol for the time being subject however to the provisions in that behalf contained in the hereinbefore mentioned Acts as to the payment by the Bishop of Bristol of first fruits and tenths in respect of the sum of seven hundred pounds therein mentioned and as to a certain portion being a yearly sum of five hundred pounds of the said sum of seven hundred pounds per annum such transfer shall be held to have taken effect as from the twenty-ninth day of September in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven the transfer of the remaining portion namely, two hundred pounds per annum of the said yearly sum of seven hundred pounds being made to take effect as from the date of the next avoidance of the said Bishoprick of Gloucester of which the said sum of five hundred pounds is part.

“(11.) That any Honorary Canons in the Cathedral Church of Gloucester who upon the reconstitution of the Bishoprick of Bristol were holding benefices in that part of the diocese of Gloucester and Bristol which has now become the diocese of Bristol and who by writing under their respective hands duly registered and recorded as the Bishop of Bristol shall direct shall consent to such transfer shall (notwithstanding anything contained in the twenty-third section of the Act of the third and fourth years of Your Majesty chapter one hundred and thirteen) be transferred to and become Honorary Canons in the Cathedral Church of Bristol and shall thereupon (that is to say as to each of them upon his appointment to be such Honorary Canon) cease ipso facto to be an Honorary Canon in the Cathedral Church of

Gloucester; and that any Honorary Canons in the Cathedral Church of Bristol who upon the reconstitution of the Bishoprick of Bristol were holding benefices in that part of the diocese of Gloucester and Bristol which has now become the diocese of Gloucester and who by writing under their respective hands duly registered and recorded as the Bishop of Gloucester shall direct shall consent to such transfer shall (notwithstanding anything contained in the twenty-third section of the said Act of the third and fourth years of Your Majesty chapter one hundred and thirteen) be transferred to and become Honorary Canons in the Cathedral Church of Gloucester and shall thereupon (that is to say, as to each of them upon his appointment to be such Honorary Canon) cease ipso facto to be an Honorary Canon in the Cathedral Church of Bristol.

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

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

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 3rd day of *February*, 1898.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the third and fourth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and thirteen; of the Act of the thirty-second and thirty-third years of Her Majesty, chapter ninety-four; of the Act of the sixtieth and sixty-first years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and thirteen, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme bearing date the thirteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

“We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the third and fourth years of Your Majesty chapter one hundred and thirteen, of the Act of the thirty-second and thirty-third years of Your Majesty chapter ninety-four and of the Act of the sixtieth and sixty-first years of Your Majesty, chapter one hundred and thirteen, have prepared and now humbly lay before Your Majesty in Council the following scheme for consolidating into one benefice to be held by one incumbent the office or place of first or head minister or chaplain of the church of Saint Paul in the city of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and in the diocese of Liverpool, and the office or place of second minister of the same church.

“Whereas the Right Reverend John Charles Bishop of the said diocese of Liverpool acting under and in pursuance of the Acts hereinbefore mentioned has submitted to us, the said

Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, a plan bearing date the thirtieth day of November in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven for consolidating into one benefice the said office or place of first or head minister or chaplain of the said church of Saint Paul Liverpool and the said office or place of second minister of the same church in the manner in the said plan appearing, and for making certain other arrangements which are likely in the opinion of the said Bishop, and in our opinion, to promote the efficient discharge of the pastoral duties in the district which is attached to the said church of Saint Paul Liverpool.

"And whereas the said plan (as by the same appears) has the consent of Howard Douglas Horsfall of the city of Liverpool aforesaid, Esquire, the Right Honourable Charles Lindley Viscount Halifax, Sir Walter George Frank Phillimore, Baronet, Robert Ernest Horsfall, of the said city of Liverpool, Esquire, of Walter Digby Thurnam, of number twenty-three, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, Barrister-at-Law, the patrons of the said office of first or head minister or chaplain of the said church of Saint Paul Liverpool, and of the said office of second minister of the same church, of the Reverend John Lloyd, Clerk in Holy Orders, the present first or head minister or chaplain of the said church, and of the Reverend David George Fee Smith Clerk in Holy Orders, the present second minister of the same church.

"And whereas the said plan is in the words and figures following, this is to say:—

"To the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England.

"I John Charles Lord Bishop of Liverpool under and by virtue of the Act of the third and fourth years of Her present Majesty chapter one hundred and thirteen (that is to say 'The Ecclesiastical Commissioners Act 1840') section seventy-two and of the Act of the thirty-second and thirty-third years of Her said Majesty chapter ninety-four section nine have with the consent of Howard Douglas Horsfall of the city of Liverpool Esquire the Right Honourable Charles Lindley Viscount Halifax Sir Walter George Frank Phillimore, Baronet, Robert Ernest Horsfall of the said city of Liverpool Esquire and Walter Digby Thurnam of twenty-three Old-square Lincoln's-inn in the county of Middlesex Esquire Barrister-at-Law patrons of the office or benefice of first or head minister or chaplain of the church of Saint Paul in Liverpool in the city and diocese of Liverpool aforesaid and also patrons of the office or benefice of second minister of the same church (testified as hereinafter is mentioned) framed the following plan for effecting the consolidation of the benefice of the said office or place of first or head minister or chaplain and the benefice of the said office or place of second minister of the said church of Saint Paul in Liverpool into one benefice and for making other arrangements such as I judge likely to promote the efficient discharge of pastoral duties in the district attached to the said church in the parish of Liverpool which said plan being a plan framed so as not to prejudice the interest of any existing incumbent I do hereby submit for consideration by you the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England and request that the same may be carried into effect as in the said Acts is provided.

"Whereas the said church of Saint Paul in Liverpool formerly situated within the diocese of Chester was erected and endowed by the Mayor Aldermen and citizens of Liverpool aforesaid (hereinafter called the said Corporation) under and by virtue of the provisions of two local

and personal Acts of Parliament being the local and personal Act of the second year of the reign of King George III chapter lxxviii and the local and personal Act of the seventh year of the reign of King George III chapter lxxx and the said church was duly consecrated on the twelfth day of July one thousand seven hundred and sixty-nine by Edmund then Lord Bishop of Chester.

"And whereas by the said Act of the seventh year of the reign of King George III chapter lxxx it was provided that there should be two ministers of the said church, namely, a first or head minister or chaplain and a second minister.

"And whereas by another local and personal Act of Parliament being the local and personal Act of the first and second years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria chapter xxviii certain additional endowments and emoluments were assigned to the first or head minister or chaplain and to the second minister of Saint Paul's aforesaid payable by the said Corporation and by the churchwardens of the parish of Liverpool.

And whereas under and by virtue of the provisions of another local and personal Act of Parliament being the local and personal Act of the tenth year of the reign of King George the Fourth chapter xi a district of the parish of Liverpool was on the twenty-ninth day of January one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one duly assigned by John Bid Lord Bishop of Chester to the said church of Saint Paul for the visitation of the sick and other pastoral duties and the said district varied and modified as declared and directed in and by a certain instrument made and executed by John Lord Bishop of Chester on the first day of March one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one is now the district attached to the said church of Saint Paul within which the said ministers or incumbents of that church have and exercise cure of souls.

"And whereas under 'The Bishops Act 1878' the bishopric and diocese of Liverpool was founded and constituted in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty and thereupon the said two ministers or incumbents of Saint Paul in Liverpool were exempted and released from all episcopal jurisdiction and control of the Bishop of Chester to which they had been theretofore subject and made subject to the episcopal jurisdiction authority and control of the Bishop of Liverpool and his successors.

"And whereas the said district attached to the said church of Saint Paul contains only one church being the said church of Saint Paul in Liverpool.

"And whereas the respective incumbents of the two benefices of first or head minister or chaplain and second minister of the said church of Saint Paul in Liverpool which are held as perpetual curacies in severalty have since the foundation of the same benefices executed the office of an incumbent within one and the same church, namely, in the said church of Saint Paul in Liverpool and within no other church and the profits and spiritual charge of the said church and district are divided between the said two incumbents.

"And whereas by 'The Liverpool City Churches Act 1897' the several payments and endowments heretofore paid by the said Corporation and by the churchwardens of the parish of Liverpool to churches within the city of Liverpool including therein the payments made by the said Corporation and by the said churchwardens in accordance with the said Acts of the seventh of George the Third chapter lxxx and of the first and second of Victoria chapter xxviii have been

commuted for sums of money which have been paid to you the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England for the endowment of the said two benefices of the church of Saint Paul in Liverpool aforesaid.

"And whereas the amount paid to you the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners as commutation money in respect of the payments by the said Corporation and churchwardens respectively to the said first or head minister or chaplain of Saint Paul under the said 'Liverpool City Churches Act 1897' is the sum of seven thousand and thirty-three pounds six shillings and eight pence and the amount paid to you the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners as commutation money in respect of the payments by the said churchwardens to the second minister of Saint Paul under the said 'Liverpool City Churches Act 1897' is the sum of five thousand one hundred pounds.

"And whereas the endowments of the benefice of the office or place of the said first or head minister or chaplain of the church of Saint Paul aforesaid consist of the said sum of seven thousand and thirty-three pounds six shillings and eight pence paid to you the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners as aforesaid and of a moiety of the surplice and other fees payable to the ministers of the said church which fees on an average of the last three years have amounted to the sum of one pound and two shillings or thereabouts.

"And whereas the endowments of the benefice of the office or place of second minister of the church of Saint Paul aforesaid consist of the said sum of five thousand one hundred pounds paid to you the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners as aforesaid and a moiety of the surplice and other fees payable to the ministers of the said church.

"And whereas by section thirty-two of the said 'Liverpool Churches Act 1897' it is enacted that notwithstanding any provisions contained in the hereinbefore in part recited Act of seven George III chapter lxxx or in any other Act of Parliament all the powers and provisions contained in the said section seventy-two of 'The Ecclesiastical Commissioners Act 1840' aforesaid as amended or extended by any subsequent enactment shall be applicable to the two offices or benefices of first and second ministers of the church of Saint Paul.

"And whereas the jurisdiction and control of the said two ministers of the church of Saint Paul within the church and district of Saint Paul in Liverpool are undefined and have for a long time been found most inconvenient and it is most desirable that the said benefices of the said two ministers shall be consolidated so as to form one benefice to be held by one incumbent and that by such consolidation better provision will be made for the spiritual duties of the said church and district of Saint Paul in the parish of Liverpool.

"And whereas it is most desirable that the consolidation of the said two benefices shall be made and take effect without delay and in order to facilitate an immediate consolidation and so as not to prejudice the interests of any existing incumbent. It is proposed that the said benefice of the office or place of first or head minister or chaplain shall immediately upon this plan taking effect become and be vacant and that there shall be allotted and paid as hereinafter is provided a pension or annual sum of sixty pounds to the Reverend John Lloyd, Clerk in Holy Orders, Bachelor of Arts, who is now such first or head minister or chaplain out of the revenues or income

of the endowments of the consolidated benefice of the church of Saint Paul in Liverpool as herein-after provided.

"And whereas the said John Lloyd is satisfied and doth admit by his signing and sealing this plan his consent thereto and that the same will not prejudice or affect the interests of him as existing incumbent of the said benefice of the office or place of first or head minister or chaplain as aforesaid.

"And whereas the Reverend David George Fee Smith Clerk in Holy Orders Bachelor of Arts is the second minister of the said church of Saint Paul and is willing that such immediate consolidation shall be effected and hath testified his consent to this plan by his signing and sealing the same.

"Now I the said John Charles Bishop of Liverpool with the consent of the said Howard Douglas Horsfall Charles Lindley Viscount Halifax Walter George Frank Phillimore Robert Ernest Horsfall and Walter Digby Thurnam as such patrons as aforesaid (testified by their respectively signing and sealing this plan) and of the said John Lloyd (testified as aforesaid) and of the said David George Fee Smith (testified as aforesaid) do propose:—

"That the benefice of the said office or place of first or head minister or chaplain of the said church of Saint Paul in Liverpool now held by the said John Lloyd shall immediately upon this plan taking effect become and be vacant and be void of the person of the said John Lloyd to all intents and purposes whatsoever.

"That the benefice of the said office or place of first or head minister or chaplain and the benefice of the said office or place of second minister of the said church of Saint Paul in Liverpool shall be forthwith consolidated into one benefice to be held by one and the same incumbent.

"That the said consolidated benefice shall be called and known as the office of minister or incumbent of the church of Saint Paul in Liverpool and the incumbent thereof shall be designated minister or incumbent of the church of Saint Paul in Liverpool and shall have cure of souls within the district attached to the said church of Saint Paul in the parish of Liverpool with all rights powers and jurisdiction as well of or belonging to the first or head minister or chaplain as of or belonging to the second minister of the said church of Saint Paul under the hereinbefore recited Acts and shall be subject to the laws provisions and regulations as to nomination presentation and appointment and as to institution collation licence and induction (save as hereinafter is expressed and provided) and as to holding benefices and to all such jurisdiction of the Bishop or other jurisdiction as are or shall be by law applicable to a benefice with cure of souls and to the incumbent thereof.

"That the endowments of the said intended consolidated benefice of the church of Saint Paul in Liverpool shall be the sums of money paid to the Ecclesiastical Commissioners as aforesaid as well in respect of the commutation of the payments by the said Corporation and the churchwardens of the parish of Liverpool under the provisions of the said 'Liverpool City Churches Act 1897' to the first or head minister or chaplain of Saint Paul in Liverpool aforesaid as in respect of the commutation of the payments by the said churchwardens under the said last-mentioned Act to the second minister of the said church and all other endowments payable to or held in trust for or otherwise belonging to the ministers of the church of Saint Paul in Liverpool or either of

them subject nevertheless to the payment of the pension or annuity out of the said endowment hereinafter provided.

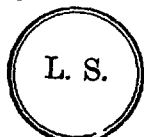
"That the said David George Fee Smith or other the second minister for the time being of the said church of Saint Paul in Liverpool shall immediately on the said intended consolidation of benefices taking effect become and be the minister or incumbent of the consolidated benefice of Saint Paul in Liverpool aforesaid without any nomination presentation licence institution or induction or other process whatever subject nevertheless to all engagements and liabilities affecting the benefices so consolidated and the incumbents respectively thereof at the time of such consolidation and particularly to the pension or annuity hereinafter provided for the said John Lloyd.

"That there shall be paid out of the income of the said intended consolidated benefice to the said John Lloyd by way of pension the annuity or sum of sixty pounds a year for the term of his life if he shall so long continue in Holy Orders of the Church of England and be entitled to enjoy the privileges and advantages attached to the office of a minister in the Church of England and that the said pension shall be payable in quarterly instalments and shall be apportionable up to day of death.

"That the advowson or right of nomination or presentation of a minister or incumbent to the said church of Saint Paul in Liverpool when the said intended consolidation of benefices shall have been made shall (subject as hereinbefore expressed and provided) be vested in the said Howard Douglas Horsfall, Charles Lindley Viscount Halifax, Walter George Frank Phillimore, Robert Ernest Horsfall and Walter Digby Thurnam or the survivors or survivor of them their or his heirs and assigns.

"In witness whereof I the said John Charles Bishop of Liverpool have hereunto set my hand and Episcopal Seal this thirtieth day of November one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

"J. C. Liverpool.



"H. Douglas Horsfall.	(L.S.)
"Halifax.	(L.S.)
"Walter G. F. Phillimore.	(L.S.)
"R. Ernest Horsfall.	(L.S.)
"W. Digby Thurnam.	(L.S.)
"John Lloyd.	(L.S.)
"D. G. F. Smith.	(L.S.)

"Now therefore we the said Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England humbly recommend and propose that the said plan shall as to all the proposals which are therein made be carried into effect as in the same plan is mentioned.

"And we further recommend and propose that nothing in this scheme or in the said plan (now being a part of this scheme) contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid or any of them in accordance with the provisions of the said Acts or of either of them or of any other Act of Parliament."

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

London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the registrar of the said diocese of Liverpool.
C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Gosborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 3rd day of *February*, 1898.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

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

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

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

In the Parish Churchyard of Kirk Hammerton, in the county of York, until the twenty-eighth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

In the Churchyard of Saint Sampson, Cricklade, in the county of Wilts, until the thirty-first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.
C. L. Peel.

War Office, February 8, 1898.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotion in, and appointments to, the Most Honourable Order of the Bath:

To be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders, of the said Most Honourable Order, viz. :—
Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel John Williams Wallington, C.B., late 4th Battalion, the Gloucestershire Regiment.

To be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Honourable Order, viz. :—
Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel George Coope Helme, 4th Battalion, the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment).
Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel Fortescue Joseph Tynte, 3rd Battalion, the Royal Dublin Fusiliers.
Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant and Honorary Colonel Walter George Webb, 3rd and 4th Battalions, the South Staffordshire Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel Thomas Edward Vickers, 1st (Hallamshire) Volunteer Battalion, the York and Lancaster Regiment.
Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant and Honorary Colonel Pearson Robert Cresswell, 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Welsh Regiment.

Downing Street, February 7, 1898.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of the re-appointment of George Horatio McEachrane, Esq., to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Trinidad and Tobago.

Downing Street, February 8, 1898.

THE Queen has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Nathaniel Nathan, Esq. (Attorney-General), and Louis Edgar Agostini, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be two of Her Majesty's Counsel for the Colony of Trinidad and Tobago.

[The following Notification is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 4th instant.]

Whitehall, February 7, 1898.

THE Queen has been pleased to issue a Commission under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual to the following effect:—

VICTORIA, R.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen, Defender of the Faith, to—

Our most dear Son and Councillor His Royal Highness Albert Edward, Prince of Wales, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter, Knight of Our Most Ancient and Most Noble Order of the Thistle, Knight of Our Most Illustrious Order of Saint Patrick, Great Master and Principal Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Knight Grand Commander of Our Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Commander of Our Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire, Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Victorian Order, Field-Marshal of Our Forces, Honorary Admiral of Our Fleet, President;

Our most dearly-beloved Grandson and Councillor His Royal Highness Prince George Frederick Ernest Albert, Duke of York, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter, Knight of Our Most Ancient and Most Noble Order of the Thistle, Knight of Our Most Illustrious Order of Saint Patrick, Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Victorian Order;

Our right trusty and right entirely-beloved Cousin and Councillor Spencer Compton, Duke of Devonshire, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter, Lord President of the Council;

Our right trusty and right entirely-beloved Cousin and Councillor Alexander William George, Duke of Fife, Knight of Our Most Ancient and Most Noble Order of the Thistle;

Our right trusty and entirely-beloved Cousin and Councillor Henry Charles Keith, Marquess of Lansdowne, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter, Knight

Grand Commander of Our Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Commander of Our Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire, Our Principal Secretary of State for War;

Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor Sir John George Edward Henry Douglas Sutherland Campbell, commonly called Marquess of Lorne, Knight of Our Most Ancient and Most Noble Order of the Thistle, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George;

Our right trusty and right well-beloved Cousin and Councillor Frederick Arthur, Earl of Derby, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath;

Our right trusty and right well-beloved Cousin and Councillor Victor Albert George, Earl of Jersey, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George;

Our right trusty and right well-beloved Cousin and Councillor George Henry, Earl Cadogan, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter, Grand Master of Our Most Illustrious Order of Saint Patrick, Our Lieutenant-General and General Governor of that part of Our United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland called Ireland;

Our right trusty and right well-beloved Cousin Dermot Robert Wyndham, Earl of Mayo;

Our right trusty and right well-beloved Cousin William Humble, Earl of Dudley, one of the Secretaries to the Board of Trade;

Our right trusty and right well-beloved Cousin William Waldegrave, Earl of Selborne, one of the Under Secretaries of State to Our Principal Secretary of State for the Colonies;

Our right trusty and right well-beloved Cousin and Councillor Robert Offley Ashburton, Earl of Crewe;

Our right trusty and right well-beloved Cousin and Councillor John Adrian Louis, Earl of Hopetoun, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George;

Our trusty and well-beloved Claud John Hamilton, Esquire, commonly called Lord Claud John Hamilton;

Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor George Francis Hamilton, commonly called Lord George Francis Hamilton, Our Principal Secretary of State for India;

Our right trusty and well-beloved Donald James, Baron Reay, Knight Grand Commander of Our Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, Knight Grand Commander of Our Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire;

Our right trusty and well-beloved Nathaniel Mayer, Baron Rothschild;

Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor Farrer, Baron Herschell, Knight Grand Cross of our Most Honourable Order of the Bath;

Our right trusty and well-beloved William, Baron Kelvin, Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Victorian Order;

Our right trusty and well-beloved Reginald Earle, Baron Welby, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath;

Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor George Nathaniel Curzon, one of the Under

- Secretaries of State to Our Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs ;
 Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillors :—
 Sir William George Granville Vernon Harcourt, Knight ;
 Sir Charles Wentworth Dilke, Baronet ;
 Charles Thomson Ritchie, President of the Board of Trade ;
 Sir Redvers Henry Buller, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Knight Commander of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, upon whom We have conferred the Decoration of the Victoria Cross, General of Our Forces ;
 Sir John Lubbock, Baronet ;
 William Lawies Jackson ;
 Herbert Henry Asquith ;
 James Bryce ;
 Sir Edmund John Monson, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Our Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the French Republic ;
 Horace Curzon Plunkett ;
 Our right trusty and well-beloved the Lord Mayor of Our City of London for the time being ;
 The Lord Provost of Our City of Edinburgh for the time being ;
 The Lord Mayor of Our City of Dublin for the time being ;
 Our trusty and well-beloved :—
 Sir Charles William Fremantle, commonly called the Honourable Sir Charles William Fremantle, Knight Commander of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath ;
 Sir George Russell, Baronet ;
 Sir Edward Grey, Baronet ;
 Sir James Kitson, Baronet ;
 Sir Edward Hamer Carbutt, Baronet ;
 Sir Frederick Augustus Abel, Baronet, Knight Commander of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath ;
 Sir John Tomlinson Brunner, Baronet ;
 Sir William Agnew, Baronet ;
 The Honourable Sir Robert George Wyndham Herbert, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath ;
 Sir Henry Ernest Gascoyne Bulwer, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George ;
 The Honourable Sir Andrew Clarke, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Companion of Our Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire, Major-General and Honorary Lieutenant-General on the Retired List of Our Army ;
 Sir Cecil Clementi Smith, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George ;
 Sir Richard Everard Webster, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Our Attorney-General in that part of Our United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland called England ;
 Sir Charles Rivers Wilson, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath ;
 Sir Thomas Sutherland, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George ;
 Sir Courtenay Edmund Boyle, Knight Commander of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, one of the Secretaries to the Board of Trade ;
 Sir John Fretcheville Dykes Donnelly, Knight Commander of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Retired Major-General of Our Forces, Secretary to the Science and Art Department of Our Committee of Council on Education ;
 Sir George William Kekewich, Knight Commander of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Secretary to Our Committee of Council on Education ;
 Sir William Henry White, Knight Commander of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Assistant Controller of Our Navy and Director of Naval Construction ;
 Sir Edward Maunde Thompson, Knight Commander of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath ;
 Sir Edward Charles Buck, Knight Commander of Our Most Exalted Order of the Star of India ;
 Sir John Henry Gibbs Bergne, Knight Commander of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George ;
 Sir Montagu Frederick Ommanney, Knight Commander of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, one of the Crown Agents for Our Colonies ;
 Sir John Bramston, Knight Commander of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath ;
 Sir George Christopher Molesworth Birdwood, Knight Commander of Our Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire, Companion of Our Most Exalted Order of the Star of India ;
 Sir Henry Seymour King, Knight Commander of Our Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire ;
 Sir James Lyle Mackay, Knight Commander of Our Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire ;
 Sir Mancherjee Merwanjee Bhownaggee, Knight Commander of Our Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire ;
 Sir Arthur Edward Augustus Ellis, Knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Companion of Our Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, Major-General on the Retired List of Our Army ;
 Our right trusty and well-beloved Donald Alexander, Baron Strathcona and Mount Royal, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, High Commissioner in London for Our Dominion of Canada ;
 Our trusty and well-beloved Sir Daniel Cooper, Baronet, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Representative in London of Our Colony of New South Wales ;
 Sir Henry Wylie Norman, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of Our Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire, General on the Retired List of Our Army, Representative in London of Our Colony of Queensland ;
 The Honourable Sir Malcolm Fraser, Knight Commander of Our Most Distinguished Order

of Saint Michael and Saint George, Agent-General in London for Our Colony of Western Australia ;

The Honourable Sir David Tennant, Knight Commander of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Agent-General in London for Our Colony of the Cape of Good Hope ;

Sir Westby Brook Perceval, Knight Commander of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Agent-General in London for Our Colony of Tasmania ;

Sir Walter Peace, Knight Commander of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Agent-General in London for Our Colony of Natal ;

Sir George Hayter Chubb, Knight ;

Sir Jacob Wilson, Knight ;

Sir Charles Edward Howard Vincent, Knight, Companion of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath ;

Henry Austin Lee, Esquire, Companion of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath ;

William Henry Preece, Esquire, Companion of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath ;

William Turner Thiselton-Dyer, Esquire, Companion of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Companion of Our Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire ;

Arthur James Richens Trendell, Esquire, Companion of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George ;

Caspar Purdon Clarke, Esquire, Companion of Our Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire, Director of the Art Museum at South Kensington ;

John Lockwood Kipling, Esquire, Companion of Our Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire ;

Kenelm Edward Digby, Esquire, one of the Under Secretaries of State to Our Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department ;

Lawrence Grattan Esmonde, Esquire ;

Neville Lubbock, Esquire ;

Our trusty and well-beloved :—

Sir James Dromgole Linton, Knight, President of the Royal Institute of Painters in Water Colours, and

Sir Edward John Poynter, Knight, President of the Royal Academy ;

Our right trusty and right well-beloved Cousin and Councillor John Poyntz, Earl Spencer, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter, President of the Royal Agricultural Society ;

Our right trusty and well-beloved Joseph, Baron Lister, President of the Royal Society ;

Our trusty and well-beloved Sir James John Trevor Lawrence, Baronet, President of the Royal Horticultural Society ;

Sir Owen Tudor Burne, Knight Grand Commander of Our Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire, Knight Commander of Our Most Exalted Order of the Star of India, Major-General on the Retired List of Our Army, Chairman of the Council of the Society of Arts ;

Sir Clements Robert Markham, Knight Commander of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, President of the Royal Geographical Society ;

Edward Windsor Richards, Esquire, President of the Institute of Mechanical Engineers ;

The President of the Royal Institute of British Architects for the time being ;

The President of the Institution of Civil Engineers for the time being ;

The Governor of the Bank of England for the time being ;

Henry Hugh Armstead, Esquire ;

Hugh Oakeley Arnold-Forster, Esquire ;

Sydney Charles Buxton, Esquire ;

Douglas Frederick Rawdon Dawson, Esquire, Lieutenant-Colonel of Our Forces, Military Attaché to Our Embassy at Paris ;

James Staats Forbes, Esquire ;

Thomas Henry Ismay, Esquire ;

William Keswick, Esquire ;

Wyndham Spencer Portal, Esquire ;

Ferdinand James de Rothschild, Esquire, commonly called Baron Ferdinand James de Rothschild ;

John Murray Scott, Esquire ;

Herman Wilmot Uloth, Esquire ;

William Henry Willans, Esquire ;

Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor Robert George, Baron Windsor, representing the Cardiff Chamber of Commerce

Our trusty and well-beloved :—

Sir Henry Stafford Northcote, Baronet, Companion of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, commonly called the Honourable Sir Henry Stafford Northcote, representing the Association of Chambers of Commerce ;

Sir Albert Kaye Rollit, Knight, representing the London Chamber of Commerce and the Municipal Corporations' Association ;

William Crawford, Esquire, representing the Belfast Chamber of Commerce ;

Theodore Jackson Walsh, Esquire, representing the Birmingham Chamber of Commerce ;

Henry Harrison, Esquire, representing the Blackburn Chamber of Commerce ;

Henry Sutcliffe, Esquire, representing the Bradford Chamber of Commerce ;

Joseph Holman, Esquire, representing the Bristol Chamber of Commerce ;

Paul Joseph Madden, Esquire, representing the Cork Chamber of Commerce ;

Thomas Pim, Esquire, representing the Dublin Chamber of Commerce ;

The President of the Dundee Chamber of Commerce for the time being ;

Paul Rottenburg, Esquire, representing the Glasgow Chamber of Commerce ;

Frederick Eastwood, Esquire, representing the Huddersfield Chamber of Commerce ;

Thomas Walter Harding, Esquire, retired Lieutenant-Colonel of Our Auxiliary Forces (with honorary rank of Colonel), representing the Leeds Chamber of Commerce ;

Francis Chatillon Danson, Esquire, representing the Liverpool Chamber of Commerce ;

William Henry Holland, Esquire, representing the Manchester Chamber of Commerce ;

William Donaldson Cruddas, Esquire, representing the Newcastle Chamber of Commerce ;

Frederick Carver, Esquire, representing the Nottingham Chamber of Commerce ;

Samuel Earnshaw Howell, Esquire, representing the Sheffield Chamber of Commerce ;

Samuel Theodore Mander, Esquire, representing the Wolverhampton Chamber of Commerce ;

John George Pilter, Esquire, representing the British Chamber of Commerce at Paris ; and

William Davies Stephens, Esquire, representing the Chamber of Shipping ; Greeting !

Whereas it has been notified unto Us, through Our Principal Secretary for State for Foreign

Affairs, that the President of the French Republic has decreed that an Universal International Exhibition of the Works of Industry and Agriculture as well as of the Fine Arts shall be held at Paris in the year one thousand nine hundred :

And whereas it is Our wish that such Exhibition shall afford full and suitable representations of the Industry, the Agriculture, and the Fine Arts in Our United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Our Colonies and Dependencies in Europe, Asia, Africa, America, and Australasia, and that Our Subjects shall take part in such Exhibition :

Now know ye, that We, considering the premises, and earnestly desiring to promote the success of the said Exhibition, and reposing great trust and confidence in your fidelity, discretion, and integrity, have authorized and appointed, and by these Presents do authorize and appoint, you Our said Most Dear Son and Councillor His Royal Highness Albert Edward, Prince of Wales, President; Our said Most Dearly Beloved Grandson and Councillor His Royal Highness Prince George Frederick Ernest Albert, Duke of York; together with you the said Spencer Compton, Duke of Devonshire; Alexander William George, Duke of Fife; Henry Charles Keith, Marquess of Lansdowne; Sir John George Edward Henry Douglas Sutherland Campbell, commonly called Marquess of Lorne; Frederick Arthur, Earl of Derby; Victor Albert George, Earl of Jersey; George Henry, Earl Cadogan; Dermot Robert Wyndham, Earl of Mayo; William Humble, Earl of Dudley; William Waldegrave, Earl of Selborne; Robert Offley Ashburton, Earl of Crewe; John Adrian Louis, Earl of Hopetoun; Claud John Hamilton; George Francis Hamilton; Donald James, Baron Reay; Nathaniel Mayer, Baron Rothschild; Farrer, Baron Herschell; William, Baron Kelvin; Reginald Earle, Baron Welby; George Nathaniel Curzon; Sir William George Granville Vernon Harcourt; Sir Charles Wentworth Dilke; Charles Thomson Ritchie; Sir Redvers Henry Buller; Sir John Lubbock; William Lawrie Jackson; Herbert Henry Asquith; James Bryce; Sir Edmund John Monson; Horace Curzon Plunkett; the Lord Mayor of Our City of London for the time being; the Lord Provost of Our City of Edinburgh for the time being; the Lord Mayor of Our City of Dublin for the time being; Sir Charles William Fremantle; Sir George Russell; Sir Edward Grey; Sir James Kitson; Sir Edward Hamer Carbutt; Sir Frederick Augustus Abel; Sir John Tomkinson Brunner; Sir William Agnew; Sir Robert George Wyndham Herbert; Sir Henry Ernest Gascoyne Bulwer; Sir Andrew Clarke; Sir Cecil Clementi Smith; Sir Richard Everard Webster; Sir Charles Rivers Wilson; Sir Thomas Sutherland; Sir Courtenay Edmund Boyle; Sir John Fretcheville Dykes Donnelly; Sir George William Kekewich; Sir William Henry White; Sir Edward Maunde Thompson; Sir Edward Charles Buck; Sir John Henry Gibbs Bergne; Sir Montagu Frederick Ommanney; Sir John Bramston; Sir George Christopher Molesworth Birdwood; Sir Henry Seymour King; Sir James Lyle Mackay; Sir Mancherjee Merwanjee Bhownaggrae; Sir Arthur Edward Augustus Ellis; Donald Alexander, Baron Strathcona and Mount Royal; Sir Daniel Cooper; Sir Henry Wylie Norman; Sir Malcolm Fraser; Sir David Tennant; Sir Wesley Brook Perceval; Sir Walter Pence; Sir George Hayter Chubb; Sir Jacob Wilson; Sir Charles Edward Howard Vincent; Henry Austin Lee; William Henry Preece; William Turner Thiselton-Dyer; Arthur

James Richens Trendell; Caspar Purdon Clarke; John Lockwood Kipling; Kenelm Edward Digby; Lawrence Grattan Esmonde; Nevile Lubbock; Sir James Dromgole Linton; Sir Edward John Poynter; John Poyntz, Earl Spencer; Joseph, Baron Lister; Sir James John Trevor Lawrence; Sir Owen Tudor Burne; Sir Clements Robert Markham; Edward Windsor Richards; the President of the Royal Institute of British Architects for the time being; the President of the Institution of Civil Engineers for the time being; the Governor of the Bank of England for the time being; Henry Hugh Armstead; Hugh Oakeley Arnold-Forster; Sydney Charles Buxton; Douglas Frederick Rawdon Dawson; James Staats Forbes; Thomas Henry Ismay; William Keswick; Wyndham Spencer Portal; Ferdinand James de Rothschild; John Murray Scott; Herman Wilmot Uloth; William Henry Willans; Robert George, Baron Windsor; Sir Henry Stafford Northcote; Sir Albert Kaye Rolit; William Crawford; Theodore Jackson Walsh; Henry Harrison; Henry Sutcliffe; Joseph Holman; Paul Joseph Madden; Thomas Pim; the President of the Dundee Chamber of Commerce for the time being; Paul Rottenburg; Frederick Eastwood; Thomas Walter Harding; Francis Chatillon Danson; William Henry Holland; William Donaldson Cruddas; Frederick Carver; Samuel Earnshaw Howell; Samuel Theodore Mauder; John George Pilter; and William Davies Stephens to be Our Commissioners to advise Us upon the best mode by which the Products of Industry, Agriculture, and the Fine Arts of the United Kingdom, Our Colonies and Dependencies, may be procured and sent to the said Exhibition :

And Our further Will and Pleasure is that you, or any three or more of you, when and so often as need or occasion shall require, so long as this Our Commission shall continue in force, do report to Us in writing, under your hands and seals respectively, all and every the several proceedings of yourselves had by virtue of these Presents :

And lastly, We do by these Presents ordain that this Our Commission shall continue in full force and virtue until the close of the said Exhibition; and that you Our said Commissioners, or any three or more of you, shall and may from time to time, and at any place or places, proceed in the execution thereof, and of every matter and thing therein contained, although the same be not continued from time to time by adjournment :

And for the purpose of aiding you in such matters, We hereby appoint Our trusty and well-beloved Herbert Jekyll, Esquire, Companion of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Colonel of Our Forces, to be Secretary to this Our Commission.

Given at Our Court at *Saint James's*, the first day of *February*, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, in the sixty-first year of Our reign.

By Her Majesty's Command,

M. W. Ridley.

PARIS EXHIBITION OF 1900.

Alphabetical List of Commissioners.

His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, K.G.
His Royal Highness the Duke of York, K.G.
Abel, Sir Frederick Augustus, Bart., K.C.B.
Agnew, Sir William, Bart.
Armstead, Henry Hugh.
Arnold-Forster, Hugh Oakeley.
Asquith, Right Honourable Herbert Henry.
Bank of England, the Governor for the time being.

- Bergne, Sir John Henry Gibbs, K.C.M.G.
 Bhownaggee, Sir Mancherjee Merwanjee, K.C.I.E.
 Birdwood, Sir George Christopher Molesworth, K.C.I.E., C.S.I.
 Boyle, Sir Courtenay-Edmund, K.C.B., Permanent Secretary to the Board of Trade.
 Bramston, Sir John, K.C.M.G., C.B.
 British Architects, Royal Institute of, the President for the time being.
 Brunner, Sir John Tomlinson, Bart.
 Bryce, Right Honourable James.
 Buck, Sir Edward Charles, K.C.S.I.
 Buller, General the Right Honourable Sir Redvers Henry, G.C.B., K.C.M.G., V.C.
 Bulwer Sir Henry Ernest Gascoyne, G.C.M.G.
 Burne, Major-General Sir Owen Tudor, G.C.I.E., K.C.S.I., Chairman of the Council of the Society of Arts.
 Buxton, Sydney Charles.
 Cadogan, Earl, K.G., Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.
 Carbutt, Sir Edward Hamer, Bart.
 Carver, Frederick, representing the Nottingham Chamber of Commerce.
 Chubb Sir George Hayter.
 Civil Engineers, Institution of, the President for the time being.
 Clarke, Lieutenant-General the Honourable Sir Andrew, G.C.M.G., C.B., C.I.E.
 Clarke, Caspar Purdon, C.I.E., Director of the Art Museum at South Kensington.
 Cooper, Sir Daniel, Bart., G.C.M.G., Representative in London of the Colony of New South Wales.
 Crawford, William, representing the Belfast Chamber of Commerce.
 Crewe, Earl of.
 Craddas, William Donaldson, representing the Newcastle Chamber of Commerce.
 Curzon, Right Honourable George Nathaniel, Parliamentary Under Secretary of State, Foreign Office.
 Danson, Francis Chatillon, representing the Liverpool Chamber of Commerce.
 Dawson, Lieutenant-Colonel Douglas Frederick Rawdon, Military Attaché to the Embassy at Paris.
 de Rothschild, Baron Ferdinand James.
 Derby, Earl of, K.G., G.C.B.
 Devonshire, Duke of, K.G., Lord President of the Council.
 Digby, Kenelm Edward, Permanent Under Secretary of State, Home Department.
 Dilke, Right Honourable Sir Charles Wentworth, Bart.
 Donnelly, Major-General Sir John Fretcheville Dykes, K.C.B., Secretary, Science and Art Department.
 Dublin, the Lord Mayor for the time being.
 Dudley, Earl of, Parliamentary Secretary to the Board of Trade.
 Dundee Chamber of Commerce, the President of, for the time being.
 Eastwood, Frederick, representing the Huddersfield Chamber of Commerce.
 Edinburgh, the Lord Provost for the time being.
 Ellis, Major-General Sir Arthur Edward Augustus, K.C.V.O., C.S.I.
 Esmonde, Lawrence Grattan.
 Fife, Duke of, K.T.
 Forbes, James Staats.
 Fraser, the Honourable Sir Malcolm, K.C.M.G., Agent General in London for the Colony of Western Australia.
 Fremantle, the Honourable Sir Charles William, K.C.B.
 Grey, Sir Edward, Bart.
 Hamilton, Lord Claud John.
 Hamilton, Lord George Francis, Secretary of State for India.
 Harcourt, Right Honourable Sir William George Granville Vernon.
 Harding, Colonel Thomas Walter, representing the Leeds Chamber of Commerce.
 Harrison, Henry, representing the Blackburn Chamber of Commerce.
 Herbert, the Honourable Sir Robert George Wyndham, G.C.B.
 Herschell, Lord, G.C.B.
 Holland, William Henry, representing the Manchester Chamber of Commerce.
 Holman, Joseph, representing the Bristol Chamber of Commerce.
 Hopetoun, Earl of, G.C.M.G.
 Howell, Samuel Earnshaw, representing the Sheffield Chamber of Commerce.
 Ismay, Thomas Henry.
 Jackson, Right Honourable William Lawies.
 Jersey, Earl of, G.C.M.G.
 Kekewich, Sir George William, K.C.B., Secretary to the Education Department.
 Kelvin, Lord, G.C.V.O.
 Keswick, William.
 King, Sir Henry Seymour, K.C.I.E.
 Kipling, John Lockwood, C.I.E.
 Kitson, Sir James, Bart.
 Lansdowne, Marquess of, K.G., G.C.S.I., G.C.M.G., G.C.I.E., Secretary of State for War.
 Lawrence, Sir James John Trevor, Bart., President of the Royal Horticultural Society.
 Lee, Henry Austin, C.B.
 Linton, Sir James Dromgole, President of the Royal Institute of Painters in Water Colours.
 Lister, Lord, President of the Royal Society.
 London, the Right Honourable the Lord Mayor for the time being.
 Lorne, Marquess of, K.T., G.C.M.G.
 Lubbock, Right Honourable Sir John, Bart.
 Lubbock, Neville.
 Mackay, Sir James Lyle, K.C.I.E.
 Madden, Paul Joseph, representing the Cork Chamber of Commerce.
 Mander, Samuel Theodore, representing the Wolverhampton Chamber of Commerce.
 Markham, Sir Clements Robert, K.C.B., President of the Royal Geographical Society.
 Mayo, Earl of.
 Monson, Right Honourable Sir Edmund John, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., Ambassador at Paris.
 Norman, General Sir Henry Wylie, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., C.I.E., representative in London of the Colony of Queensland.
 Northcote, the Honourable Sir Henry Stafford, Bart., C.B., representing the Association of Chambers of Commerce.
 Ommaoney, Sir Montagu Frederick, K.C.M.G., Crown Agent for the Colonies.
 Peace, Sir Walter, K.C.M.G., Agent-General in London for the Colony of Natal.
 Perceval, Sir Westby Brook, K.C.M.G., Agent-General in London for the Colony of Tasmania.
 Pilter, John George, representing the British Chamber of Commerce at Paris.
 Pim, Thomas, representing the Dublin Chamber of Commerce.
 Plunkett, the Right Honourable Horace Curzon.
 Portal, Wyndham Spencer.
 Poynter, Sir Edward John, President of the Royal Academy.

Preece, William Henry, C.B.
 Reay, Lord, G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E.
 Richards, Edward Windsor, President of the Institute of Mechanical Engineers.
 Ritchie, Right Honourable Charles Thomson, President of the Board of Trade.
 Rollit, Sir Albert Kaye, representing the London Chamber of Commerce and the Municipal Corporations' Association.
 Rothschild, Lord.
 Rottenburg, Paul, representing the Glasgow Chamber of Commerce.
 Russell, Sir George, Bart.
 Scott, John Murray.
 Selborne, Earl of, Parliamentary Under Secretary of State, Colonial Office.
 Smith, Sir Cecil Clementi, G.C.M.G.
 Spencer, Earl, K.G., President of the Royal Agricultural Society.
 Stephens, William Davies, representing the Chamber of Shipping.
 Strathcona and Mount Royal, Lord, G.C.M.G., High Commissioner in London for the Dominion of Canada.
 Sutcliffe, Henry, representing the Bradford Chamber of Commerce.
 Sutherland, Sir Thomas, G.C.M.G.
 Tennant, the Honourable Sir David, K.C.M.G., Agent General in London for the Colony of the Cape of Good Hope.
 Thiselton-Dyer, William Turner, C.M.G., C.I.E.
 Thompson, Sir Edward Maunde, K.C.B.
 Trendell, Arthur James Richens, C.M.G.
 Uloth, Herman Wilmot.
 Vincent, Colonel Sir Charles Edward Howard, C.B.
 Walsh, Theodore Jackson, representing the Birmingham Chamber of Commerce.
 Webster, Sir Richard Everard, G.C.M.G., Attorney-General.
 Welby, Lord, G.C.B.
 White, Sir William Henry, K.C.B., Assistant Controller of the Navy and Director of Naval Construction.
 Willans, William Henry.
 Wilson, Sir Charles Rivers, G.C.M.G., C.B.
 Wilson, Sir Jacob.
 Windsor, Lord, representing the Cardiff Chamber of Commerce.

Crown Office, February 5, 1898.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Durham.—South-Eastern Division.
 Joseph Richardson, Esq., in the place of Lieutenant-General Sir Henry Marshman Havelock-Allan, Bart., K.C.B., V.C., deceased.

Admiralty, February 4, 1898.

UNIFORM OF ADMIRALS OF THE FLEET AND NAVAL AIDES-DE-CAMP.

IN pursuance of Her Majesty's pleasure the following alterations are to be made as regards the Dress of Admirals of the Fleet and Naval Aides-de-Camp to Her Majesty:—

1. The size of the Dress Aiguillettes for Naval Aides-de-Camp is to be reduced to that of present Undress Aiguillette, viz.:—from $\frac{3}{8}$ to $\frac{1}{8}$ of an inch thick, and the Undress Aiguillette is abolished.
2. Aiguillettes for Admirals of the Fleet and Naval Aides-de-Camp are to be worn on the right shoulder with full and other dresses (jackets excepted), when in attendance on the Sovereign,

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or on the Royal Family. When not in attendance to be worn with dresses which include Epaulettes, with Dress No. 4 (Frock Coat) on such occasions as the Senior Officer may direct; and with Dress No. 8 (White Undress) when that dress is ordered on occasions of ceremony.

3. When Epaulettes are not worn by Naval Aides-de-Camp a plaited shoulder strap will take the place of the right Epaulette, from which to hang the Aiguillette, except in No. 8 (White Undress), when the shoulder strap of rank will be available for the purpose.

4. Naval Aides-de-Camp doing duty on the Staff of a Flag Officer or Commodore will wear the Aiguillette in full dress only, and the Staff Aiguillette on other occasions, but the two Aiguillettes are not to be worn at the same time.

5. Officers at present holding the appointment of Naval Aides-de-Camp will be allowed to wear out the Aiguillettes they now have.

By command of their Lordships,

Evan MacGregor.

Admiralty, 5th February, 1898.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 1st April, 1881—Fleet Surgeon Robert Frederick Yeo has been placed on the Retired List of his rank, at his own request. Dated 3rd February, 1898.

War Office, Pall Mall,

8th February, 1898.

5th Dragoon Guards, Captain Maurice FitzGerald retires from the Service receiving a gratuity. Dated 9th February, 1898.

6th Dragoon Guards, Captain Arthur C. Hamilton to be Major, vice H. M. Owen, transferred to 1st Dragoon Guards. Dated 22nd January, 1898.

1st Dragoons, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John F. Burn-Murdoch to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice W. H. McLaren, retired. Dated 2nd February, 1898.

Coldstream Guards, Supernumerary Captain Sir Henry S. Rawlinson, Bart., to be Captain, vice the Honourable William Lambton, seconded. Dated 2nd January, 1898.

Second Lieutenant the Honourable George A. C. Crichton to be Lieutenant, vice J. Ponsonby, seconded. Dated 9th January, 1898.

Scots Guards, Second Lieutenant G. F. M. Cornwallis-West to be Lieutenant, vice the Honourable W. P. Hore Ruthven (Master of Ruthven), seconded. Dated 1st January, 1898.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Northumberland Fusiliers, Lieutenant William Somervell, Adjutant, to be Captain, to complete establishment. Dated 7th December, 1897.

The Suffolk Regiment, Captain William F. Coleman is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 20th October, 1897.

Captain Lenox C. Arbuthnot retires on retired pay. Dated 9th February, 1898.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—John R. G. Hopkins, vice W. F. Coleman. Dated 20th October, 1897.

Frank D. Finlay, vice C. M. De Gruyther, seconded. Dated 13th December, 1897.

John Golding, from the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), vice L. C. Arbuthnot. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Second Lieutenant C. V. Ommanney to be Lieutenant, vice J. R. G. Hopkins. Dated 20th October, 1897.

The East Yorkshire Regiment, Lieutenant Ernest T. Marshall to be Captain, vice J. R. F. Sladen, seconded. Dated 1st December, 1897.

The Bedfordshire Regiment, Second Lieutenant E. G. Sexton to be Lieutenant, vice H. P. Turner, resigned. Dated 22nd January, 1898.

The Leicestershire Regiment, Captain Benjamin G. Humfrey to be Major, vice F. W. Reader, promoted. Dated 1st January, 1898.

The promotion to the rank of Captain of Lieutenant the Honourable Harold B. Hawke is antedated to 27th November, 1897, vice C. G. Blackader, seconded.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—Tom M. Drew, vice C. H. Hunt, retired. Dated 15th December, 1897.

Herbert Gordon, vice B. G. Humfrey. Dated 1st January, 1898.

Second Lieutenant G. C. R. Mundy to be Lieutenant, vice T. M. Drew. Dated 15th December, 1897.

The King's Own Scottish Borderers, Captain Angus G. Fraser is seconded for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 22nd January, 1898.

Second Lieutenant P. A. V. Stewart to be Lieutenant, vice A. Blair, seconded. Dated 31st December, 1897.

The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles), Lieutenant Ernest de L. Hayes to be Captain, in succession to Major F. J. Nason, who holds an extra-regimental appointment. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

Second Lieutenant J. W. Osborne to be Lieutenant, vice E. de L. Hayes. Dated 22nd December, 1897.

The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Second Lieutenant H. A. Johnson to be Lieutenant, vice A. Coast, deceased. Dated 13th January, 1898.

The Gloucestershire Regiment, Lieutenant Frank Burges is seconded for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 22nd January, 1898.

The Welsh Regiment, Lieutenant Charles V. Hale is seconded for service in the Army Pay Department. Dated 3rd February, 1898.

The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders), Captain Edward S. Herbert is seconded for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 15th January, 1898.

The Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Second Lieutenant R. E. Salkeld to be Lieutenant, vice J. L. Powys, deceased. Dated 12th December, 1897.

The Essex Regiment, Captain Rochfort C. L. Battley is seconded for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 22nd January, 1898.

The King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), Lieutenant Frederic H. Mackenzie is seconded for service in the Army Pay Department. Dated 3rd February, 1898.

The King's Royal Rifle Corps, Second Lieutenant G. F. B. Hankey to be Lieutenant, vice W. F. G. Wyndham, seconded. Dated 31st December, 1897.

The Manchester Regiment, Lieutenant Erasmus D. Parker to be Captain, vice C. S. Cottingham, seconded. Dated 5th January, 1898.

The Durham Light Infantry, Second Lieutenant R. Tyndall to be Lieutenant, vice A. C. Tucker, seconded. Dated 4th December, 1897.

The Connaught Rangers, Lieutenant-Colonel and Colonel Edmund S. Brook, on completion of his period of service in command of a Battalion, is placed on half-pay. Dated 8th February, 1898.

Major Charles E. Harman to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Colonel E. S. Brook. Dated 8th February, 1898.

Captain Charles Delmé-Radcliffe is seconded for service under the Foreign Office. Dated 9th January, 1898.

Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), Lieutenant Archibald J. Campbell to be Captain, vice D. Henderson, seconded. Dated 1st December, 1897.

Second Lieutenant R. J. P. Cox to be Lieutenant, vice A. J. Campbell. Dated 1st December, 1897.

The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own), Supernumerary Captain the Honourable Henry Yarde-Buller to be Captain, vice P. L. Kington-Blair Oliphant, seconded. Dated 1st January, 1898.

Supernumerary Lieutenant John E. Gough to be Lieutenant, vice the Honourable A. W. de B. S. Foljambe, promoted. Dated 10th December, 1897.

The West India Regiment, Major John W. A. Marshall, from Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), to be Lieutenant-Colonel, on augmentation. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Army Service Corps, Captain Edward Studdert to be Adjutant, vice Captain H. N. Sargent, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 1st January, 1898.

Staff, Major C. R. R. McGrigor, the King's Royal Rifle Corps, to be a Brigade Major, vice Major T. D'O. Snow, the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, who has proceeded to Egypt. Dated 27th January, 1898.

Major L. Munro, the Hampshire Regiment, to be a Brigade Major, vice Captain Sir H. S. Rawlinson, Bart., Coldstream Guards, who has proceeded to Egypt. Dated 26th January, 1898.

Captain and Brevet Major E. F. H. McSwiney, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps, to be a Staff Captain at Head-Quarters, vice Captain the Honourable H. D. Napier, Indian Staff Corps, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 29th January, 1898.

Captain W. G. Gwatkin, the Manchester Regiment, to be a Staff Captain, vice Captain H. C. Prichard, the Northamptonshire Regiment, deceased. Dated 24th January, 1898.

Captain D. J. Gaisford, the South Wales Borderers, to be a District Inspector of Musketry, vice Major G. Cockburn, the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), who has vacated that appointment. Dated 1st February, 1898.

Lieutenant A. C. Wellesley, 4th Battalion the Lincolnshire Regiment, to be extra Aide-de-Camp to the Right Honourable the Earl of Ranfurly, K.C.M.G., Governor and Commander-in-Chief of New Zealand. Dated 28th January, 1898.

School of Gunnery, Major H. L. Gardiner, Royal Artillery, to be an Instructor, vice Major H. T. Butcher, Royal Artillery, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 26th January, 1898.

Royal Military College, Captain W. H. P. Plomer, Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), to be an Instructor, vice Captain R. Armstrong, the Cheshire Regiment, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 27th January, 1898.

Royal Military Academy, Major S. B. Von Donop, Royal Artillery, to be a Professor, vice Major F. A. Curteis, Royal Artillery, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 26th January, 1898.

Captain R. P. Benson, Royal Artillery, to be an Instructor, vice Major S. B. Von Donop, Royal Artillery. Dated 26th January, 1898.

Army Chaplains' Department, The Reverend T. P. Mullins, LL.D., Chaplain to the Forces Second Class, to be Chaplain to the Forces First Class. Dated 16th January, 1898.

The Reverend James Grove White Tuckey, M.A., to be Chaplain to the Forces Fourth Class. Dated 22nd August, 1895, such antedate not to reckon towards promotion, precedence, or increase of pay, prior to 21st January, 1897, and not to carry back allowances.

Army Medical Staff, The undermentioned Surgeon-Lieutenants to be Surgeon-Captains. Dated 29th January, 1898:—

William S. Harrison, M.B.

Harry A. L. Howell.

Douglas Lawson.

Edwin B. Steel, M.B.

Charles W. Profeit, M.B.

Frederick Kiddle, M.B.

Henry E. Staddon.

James A. Murison, M.B.

Samuel J. C. P. Perry.

Arthur F. Heaton.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels, Indian Staff Corps, to be Colonels:—

B. C. Graves. Dated 8th December, 1897.

F. G. T. Welch. Dated 25th December, 1897.

C. W. J. Hingston. Dated 22nd January, 1898.

INDIAN STAFF CORPS.

Colonel John R. Wilmer is transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 20th January, 1898.

MEMORANDA.

The following promotions take place in succession to General Sir Reginald Gipps, K.C.B., retired. Dated 12th January, 1898:—

Lieutenant-General E. H. Clive to be General.

Major-General J. P. C. Glyn to be Lieutenant-General.

Colonel (temporary Major-General) R. F. Butler, Colonel on the Staff, Commanding the Troops, Barbados, &c., to be Major-General.

Major H. S. FitzGerald, the Dutham Light Infantry, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel whilst employed in West Africa. Dated 5th February, 1898.

Captain T. L. N. Morland, the King's Royal Rifle Corps, is granted the temporary rank of Major whilst employed in West Africa. Dated 5th February, 1898.

The undermentioned Officers are granted the temporary rank of Captain whilst employed in West Africa. Dated 5th February, 1898:—

Lieutenant the Honourable R. FitzR. Somerset, Grenadier Guards.

Lieutenant G. Fremantle, Coldstream Guards.

Lieutenant P. G. Rigby, the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment).

Lieutenant F. M. Gillespie, the South Wales Borderers.

Lieutenant A. J. F. Eden, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry.

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant Albert E. Riddell, the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 8th February, 1898.

War Office, 8th February, 1898.

MILITIA.

ROYAL ARTILLERY.

The Antrim Artillery (Southern Division), Second Lieutenant F. H. Lampen resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.

The Donegal Artillery (the Prince of Wales's) (Southern Division), Captain D. B. T. Todd-Thornton is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 9th February, 1898.

The Yorkshire Artillery (Western Division), Herbert William Dumaresq, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 31st January, 1898.

INFANTRY.

3rd Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Charles Trevor Lawrence, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

2nd Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), David Ambrose Lynch, Gent., to be Supernumerary Second Lieutenant, without pay or allowances, under the provisions of paragraph 11 of the Militia Regulations, 1897. Dated 9th February, 1898.

4th Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Percy Bayly Akroyd. Dated 9th February, 1898.

William Henry Kirby Moors. Dated 9th February, 1898.

5th Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Andrew Winstanley Newton. Dated 25th January, 1898.

Henry Walter Dunlop Hill. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment, Bernard Salwey Grissell, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

4th Battalion, the Lincolnshire Regiment, William Lenox Naper, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

R. W. R. Jendwine. Dated 9th February, 1898.

A. J. G. Hargreaves. Dated 9th February, 1898.

H. M. Rigg. Dated 9th February, 1898.

C. A. R. Stower. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), Lieutenant B. M. Patton resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Richard Carthew Middleton. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Henry William Alfred Ripley. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the East Yorkshire Regiment, Geoffrey Delves Broughton, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

4th Battalion, the Bedfordshire Regiment, Second Lieutenant P. R. Bassett to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Irish Regiment, Ambrose Boxwell, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

4th Battalion, the Royal Irish Regiment, Lieutenant C. Langford to be Captain. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Second Lieutenant J. Crean to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Scots Fusiliers, James Archibald Locknell Campbell, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

4th Battalion, the South Wales Borderers, Captain W. C. N. Hastings is seconded for service in the Sierra Leone Frontier Police. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Cameronians (Scottish Rifles), Lieutenant A. S. J. Crawford resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.

4th Battalion, the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, George Young Smith, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

4th Battalion, the Gloucestershire Regiment, Horace James Willis, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

2nd Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment), Second Lieutenant J. A. Ballantine resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Edward Vaughan Jenkins, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Sussex Regiment, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

John Sheldon Woodruffe. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Cecil Talbot Fraser Clayton. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment, Second Lieutenant A. H. Cuthell resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Robert Gerald Alexander, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Edward Bayntun Grove Foster, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Northamptonshire Regiment, Henry Ross Gunning, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd Battalion, Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment), Frederick Edward Packe, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), Garrard Elgood, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

4th Battalion, the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), Lieutenant C. E. J. G. O'Malley is seconded for service in the Niger Forces. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the Manchester Regiment, Captain and Instructor of Musketry C. B. Wallis is seconded for service in the Sierra Leone Frontier Police. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the York and Lancaster Regiment, John Cunliffe Gretton, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

5th Battalion, the Royal Munster Fusiliers, Captain R. J. A. Wynne is superseded for absence without leave. Dated 9th February, 1898.

4th Battalion, the Royal Dublin Fusiliers, Charles Leslie Barlow, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

5th Battalion, the Royal Dublin Fusiliers, Captain P. La Touche is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Roland William Wrigley Grimshaw, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

5th Battalion, the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), Captain the Honourable W. D. Cairns to be Major. Dated 9th February, 1898.

The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

William Fortescue Basset. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Charles, Earl of Leitrim. Dated 9th February, 1898.

7th Battalion, the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), Lieutenant E. T. Aspinall resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Lieutenant L. A. F. Weigall to be Captain. Dated 9th February, 1898.

9th Battalion, the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), Captain Stuart Wellwood Hare, the King's Royal Rifle Corps, to be Adjutant, vice Major B. G. Lewis, East Lancashire Regiment, whose period of service expires. Dated 18th February, 1898.

MILITIA MEDICAL STAFF CORPS.

Surgeon-Lieutenant S. Oliver is seconded for service under the Foreign Office. Dated 9th February, 1898.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Buckinghamshire (Royal Bucks Hussars), Captain H. L. W. Lawson is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Royal East Kent (Duke of Connaught's Own), Supernumerary Major E. Frewen to be Major, and to retain the appointment of Assistant-Adjutant to the Kent Yeomanry Brigade. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Leicestershire ("Prince Albert's Own"), Lieutenant T. E. Harrison to be Captain. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Second Lieutenant W. Byron to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Northumberland (Hussars), Denys Leighton Selby-Bigge, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Nottinghamshire (Southern Nottinghamshire), Percy Robert Bruce, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Pembroke, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel M. J. Saurin resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Shropshire, Lieutenant W. Dugdale resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.

John Francis Champion, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

ARTILLERY.

1st Sussex (Eastern Division, Royal Artillery), Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel W. S. Burrows resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd Kent (Royal Arsenal), Robert Thornton Osborne, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

1st Essex (Eastern Division, Royal Artillery), Major T. P. W. Forrester is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Captain A. J. H. Ward is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 9th February, 1898.

1st Lancashire, Captain C. F. Stephenson resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd Lancashire, Thomas Frankish, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

4th Lancashire, Captain A. R. Rathbone resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.

1st Lanarkshire, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

D. Bryce. Dated 9th February, 1898.

W. Graham. Dated 9th February, 1898.

J. V. Dunn. Dated 9th February, 1898.

J. Russell. Dated 9th February, 1898.

W. R. Brown. Dated 9th February, 1898.

E. C. Hartley. Dated 9th February, 1898.

W. Ritchie. Dated 9th February, 1898.

1st Ayrshire and Galloway, Lieutenant J. Wight resigns his Commission; also is granted the honorary rank of Captain, with permission to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 9th February, 1898.

1st Cumberland, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel J. A. Wheatley resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 9th February, 1898.

1st Shropshire and Staffordshire, Lieutenant A. J. Fleming resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.

1st Worcestershire and Warwickshire, Surgeon-Lieutenant J. H. Blakeney to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated 9th February, 1898.

The Tynemouth (Western Division, Royal Artillery), Henry Norman Hill, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

2nd Devonshire (Western Division, Royal Artillery), Joseph Willoughby, jun., Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

ROYAL ENGINEERS (VOLUNTEERS).

1st Flintshire (Buckley), Captain R. Lamb is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 9th February, 1898.

1st Lancashire, Major S. W. Doyle to be Lieutenant-Colonel under the provisions of paragraph 55A of the Volunteer Regulations 1897. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Submarine Miners.

The Severn Division, Lieutenant W. H. D. Caple to be Captain. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Second Lieutenant J. E. Spickett to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

THE ENGINEER AND RAILWAY VOLUNTEER STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Myles Fenton, *Knt.*, resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 9th February, 1898.

RIFLE.

The Queen's Rifle Volunteer Brigade, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Captain and Honorary Major G. E. Watson resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 9th February, 1898.

4th Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Lieutenant A. Gray to be Captain. Dated 9th February, 1898.

5th Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

J. Cormack, jun. Dated 9th February, 1898.

W. C. Peebles. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Lieutenant W. Darnell resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.

4th Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Lieutenant W. H. Shoobert to be Captain. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Second Lieutenant *the Honourable* M. B. Peel to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Frank Murgatroyd Cheadle, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th February, 1898.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, William Ernest du Cros, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

4th Volunteer Battalion, the King's (Liverpool Regiment), Captain H. W. Mackirdy resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the Lincolnshire Regiment, Surgeon-Captain A. E. Odling resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment, The Reverend C. P. Whitaker, M.A., to be Acting Chaplain. Dated 9th February, 1898.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment, Lieutenant W. O. H. Palmer resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.

4th (Cambridge University) Volunteer Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment, Edgar William James Hellins, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), James Archer Potter, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), Surgeon-Lieutenant B. G. A. Moynihan, M.B., resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.

1st Volunteer Battalion, the East Yorkshire Regiment, Robert William Aske, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th February, 1898.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), William Henry Laycock Wordsworth, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Cheshire Regiment*, Lieutenant G. F. W. Morris to be Captain. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Cheshire Regiment*, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel W. Mothersill to be Lieutenant-Colonel under the provisions of paragraph 55A of the Volunteer Regulations, 1897. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers*, Captain J. C. Edwards, jun., is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Welsh Fusiliers*, Lieutenant-Colonel C. H. Rees is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- Captain O. Thomas to be Major. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- Captain T. Harwood resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 3rd (Dumfries) Volunteer Battalion, the King's Own Scottish Borderers*, Lieutenant J. M. Wood resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 1st Lanarkshire*, William Dunlop, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Cameronians (Scottish Rifles)*, Major W. H. Goff resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 4th Volunteer Battalion, the Cameronians (Scottish Rifles)*, Surgeon-Major J. Macfie, M.D., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Worcestershire Regiment*, Lieutenant W. B. Bucknall to be Captain. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 4th Volunteer Battalion, the East Surrey Regiment*, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—
R. Serjeant. Dated 9th February, 1898.
R. F. Mackway. Dated 9th February, 1898.
The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—
Charles Gillett Burn. Dated 9th February, 1898.
Arthur John Cardell. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry*, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—
J. Doidge. Dated 9th February, 1898.
W. Lidgley. Dated 9th February, 1898.
J. Ellis. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 1st (Cumberland) Volunteer Battalion, the Border Regiment*, Edward Algernon Strickland, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th February, 1898.
- Quartermaster I Hodgson resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Hampshire Regiment*, Captain J. C. Barr resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- Second Lieutenant A. T. Bonham-Carter to be Captain. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—
L. H. T. Martin. Dated 9th February, 1898.
F. C. Bromley. Dated 9th February, 1898.
G. B. Cobb. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 2nd Volunteer Battalion, the South Staffordshire Regiment*, Lieutenant A. R. Hoare resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the South Staffordshire Regiment*, Harold Edwin Shaw, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment)*, Captain Frederick McIver Roome, South Lancashire Regiment, to be Adjutant, vice Captain J. W. B. Silverthorne, Yorkshire Regiment, whose period of service expires. Dated 15th February, 1898.
- 1st (Oxford University) Volunteer Battalion, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry*, Captain and Honorary Major Gilbert Charles Bourne, from the 4th Battalion the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), to be Lieutenant-Colonel under the provisions of paragraph 55A of the Volunteer Regulations, 1897. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—
John Ross Colville. Dated 9th February, 1898.
Hugh Selwyn Taggart (Supernumerary). Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 4th (Eton College) Volunteer Battalion, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry*, Captain and Honorary Major P. T. Godsal resigns his appointment as Acting Adjutant; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Essex Regiment*, Captain H. K. Garrett resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 9th Middlesex*, The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—
A. H. Bindloss. Dated 9th February, 1898.
C. L. Bushell. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—
E. R. Bevan. Dated 9th February, 1898.
J. L. Blumfeld. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 12th Middlesex (Civil Service)*, Second Lieutenant F. J. Brett to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 21st Middlesex (the Finsbury)*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel H. B. Deane resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 1st London*, Surgeon-Major H. F. Stokes resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 2nd London*, Percy Leonard Breysig, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 3rd London*, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—
Arthur Carl Lorange. Dated 9th February, 1898.
Henry Clulow van Laun. Dated 9th February, 1898.
- 1st Volunteer Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry*, Major R. Burdon is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 9th February, 1898.

5th Volunteer Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry, Alfred Thomas Christal Tucker, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders, Second Lieutenant R. D. Lawrence resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.

6th Volunteer Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders, Surgeon-Lieutenant W. R. Duguid, jun., M.B., resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.

1st Dumbartonshire, Lieutenant A. McIntyre resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.

18th Middlesex, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants :—
S. T. Esdaile. Dated 9th February, 1898.
A. N. Blair. Dated 9th February, 1898.

20th Middlesex (Artists), Captain C. J. Blomfield resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1898.

1st Tower Hamlets, Captain J. W. A. Parr to be Major. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Charles Craufurd Stuart, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

CADET BATTALIONS.

1st Cadet Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Honorary Lieutenant A. W. Young resigns his appointment. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Malcolm Graham Ramsay, Gent., to be Honorary Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

1st Cadet Battalion, the Buffs (East Kent Regiment), Charles Curtis Gray, Gent., to be Honorary Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1898.

Treasury Chambers, February 5, 1898.

THE Chancellor of the Exchequer has appointed Alfred Hopkinson, Esq., to be Steward and Bailiff of the Chiltern Hundreds.

FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACTS, 1878 TO 1895.

IN pursuance of section 1 of "The Rules Publication Act, 1893," notice is hereby given that the Secretary of State for the Home Department proposes, at the expiration of forty days from the publication of this notice, to make an Order under section 27 of "The Factory and Workshop Act, 1891," requiring the occupiers of certain factories and workshops and others to keep lists of outworkers. The Order repeals and re-enacts the existing Order on this subject, with the addition of fur-pulling to the processes to which the requirement applies.

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

Whitehall, February 8, 1898.

FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACTS 1878 TO 1895.

IN pursuance of section 1 of "The Rules Publication Act, 1893," notice is hereby given that the Secretary of State for the Home Department proposes, at the expiration of forty days from the publication of this notice, to make an order under section 39 of "The Factory and Workshop Act 1878" extending the prohibition of the use of certain places as mealrooms by children, young persons, and women. The Order

repeals and re-enacts the existing Order on this subject, with one addition to the list of places to which the prohibition applies, viz., parts of factories and workshops in which fur-pulling is carried on.

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

Whitehall, February 8, 1898.

GENERAL ORDER of the Local Government Board: Paupers' Conveyance Expenses. (Rescinding previous Order):—

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

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS in pursuance of the provisions of The Paupers' Conveyance (Expenses) Act, 1870, We, the Local Government Board, by an Order dated the 26th day of February, 1880, defined and directed in what cases (other than those expressly provided for by law) and under what regulations the Guardians of the Poor of any Law Union might pay the reasonable expenses incurred by them in conveying any person chargeable to such Union from one place to another ;

And whereas it is expedient that the said Order should be rescinded, and that further provision should be made in the matters aforesaid :

Now therefore, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf, We do hereby rescind the said Order dated the twenty-sixth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty, and do by this Our Order define and direct as follows :—

ARTICLE I.—Subject to the regulations herein-after contained, the Guardians of the Poor of any Poor Law Union may pay the reasonable expenses incurred by them in conveying any person chargeable to such Union from the Union to any Institution specified in this Article, for the purpose of visiting the husband, wife, child, or other relative of such person, who shall be an inmate of such Institution, and in conveying such person back to the Union ; namely,—

- (1.) Any Workhouse, or Separate Workhouse Infirmary, or Separate Workhouse School, belonging to or occupied by the Guardians of the Union, whether situated within or beyond the boundaries of the Union.
- (2.) Any Workhouse, or Separate Workhouse Infirmary, or Separate Workhouse School, belonging to or occupied by the Guardians of any other Union, with whom an agreement shall have been entered into under the following enactments, or any of them, viz., Section 14 of the Poor Law Amendment Act, 1849 ; Section 6 of the Poor Law Amendment Act, 1851 ; Section 16 of the Poor Law Amendment Act, 1866 ; Section 50 of the Metropolitan Poor Act, 1867 ; Section 17 of the Metropolitan Poor Amendment Act, 1869 ; and Section 22 of the Divided Parishes and Poor Law Amendment Act, 1876.
- (3.) Any School belonging to the Board of Management of a School District which shall have been formed under the Poor Law Amendment Act, 1844, and the Acts amending the same, and within which the Union is comprised.
- (4.) Any School belonging to the Board of Management of a School District which shall have been formed as aforesaid, but within

which the Union is not comprised, and with the Board of Management of which an agreement shall have been entered into under Section 51 of the Poor Law Amendment Act, 1844, or Section 16 of the Poor Law Amendment Act, 1866.

- (5.) Any School certified under the provisions of Section 2 of the Poor Law (Certified Schools) Act, 1862; and any School for the reception of poor deaf and dumb or blind children, not so certified, but coming within the provisions of Section 42 of the Poor Law Amendment Act, 1868.
- (6.) Any Asylum provided under the authority of the Metropolitan Poor Act, 1867, or of any Act amending the same.
- (7.) Any Asylum established for the reception and relief of idiots maintained at the charge of the County Rate or by public subscription, within the meaning of section 13 of the Poor Law Amendment Act, 1868.
- (8.) Any Hospital, Institution, or Licensed House registered under the Idiots Act, 1886.
- (9.) Any Institution for Lunatics as defined by the Lunacy Act, 1890.
- (10.) Any Hospital or Institution established for blind or deaf and dumb persons, within the provisions of section 21 of the Poor Law Amendment Act, 1867.
- (11.) Any House or Establishment, not being a Workhouse, with respect to which the Local Government Board shall have issued rules, orders, and regulations under the provisions of section 1 of the Poor Relief Act, 1849.

ARTICLE II.—The expenses of conveyance as aforesaid shall not be payable unless permission for the visit is given by the Guardians of the Union to which the person seeking such permission is chargeable as aforesaid, nor unless such permission is duly recorded in the Minutes of the Guardians:

Provided that in order to meet any cases of urgency which may occur between the Meetings of the Guardians, the Guardians may, if they think fit, authorize the Master of the Workhouse, as regards in-door paupers, and the Relieving Officer, as regards out-door paupers, to pay in such cases the reasonable expenses of conveyance as aforesaid, subject to such regulations as may be prescribed by the Guardians; and the Master of the Workhouse or the Relieving Officer shall report each case so dealt with by him to the Guardians at their next Meeting, and a record of such report shall be entered in the Minutes of the Guardians.

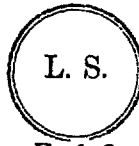
ARTICLE III.—The visits to any such person as aforesaid in any of the Institutions described in the several paragraphs of Article I of this Order shall at all times be subject to such regulations as may be made in that behalf by the Guardians, Board of Management, or other authority having the control of such institutions respectively.

ARTICLE IV.—The amount allowed for the expenses of conveyance shall be paid by the Guardians of the Union out of the Fund or Rate applicable by the Guardians to their general expenses under the Acts relating to the relief of the Poor.

ARTICLE V.—This Order may be cited as the "Paupers' Conveyance (Expenses) Order, 1898."

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this seventh day of February, in the year one

thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.



Hugh Owen, Secretary.

Henry Chaplin,
President.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 5TH FEBRUARY 1898.)

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:

Prohibition of Conveyance of Animals by Steamship Alfalfa.

1. It shall not be lawful during the continuance of this Order for any person to convey or cause to be conveyed any animals to or from any port in Great Britain by the steamship Alfalfa, registered at the port of London, official number 98144, and now owned by the Buenos Ayres Great Southern Railway Company, and such conveyance of animals by that vessel is hereby prohibited accordingly.

Offences.

2. If an animal is conveyed in contravention of the provisions of this Order, the owner and the charterer and the master of the vessel shall, each according to and in respect of his own acts, be deemed guilty of an offence against the Act of 1894.

Interpretation.

3. In this Order—

"The Act of 1894" means the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894:

"Animals" means cattle, sheep, goats, and swine:

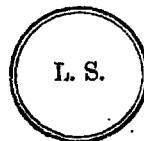
"Master" includes a person having the charge or command of the vessel:

Other terms have the same meaning as in the Act of 1894.

Commencement and Duration.

4. This Order shall come into operation on the twelfth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and shall cease to operate from and immediately after the eleventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

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



L. S.

T. H. Elliott,
Secretary.

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

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 8TH FEBRUARY 1898.)

BRECONSHIRE (MUZZLING OF DOGS) REVOCATION ORDER OF 1898.

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

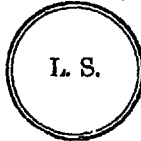
1. The Order described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby from and after the commencement of this Order revoked: Provided that such revocation shall not invalidate or make unlawful anything done under the Order hereby revoked before the commencement of this Order, or interfere with the institution or prosecution of any proceeding in

respect of any offence committed against, or any penalty incurred under, the Order hereby revoked before the commencement of this Order.

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

3. This Order may be cited as the BRECONSHIRE (MUZZLING OF DOGS) REVOCATION ORDER OF 1898.

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



T. H. Elliott,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Order Revoked.

No.	Date.	Short Title.
5622	14 May 1897.	The Breconshire (Muzzling of Dogs) Order of 1897.

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

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 8TH FEBRUARY 1898.)

HEREFORDSHIRE (MUZZLING OF DOGS) AMENDMENT ORDER OF 1898.

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:

Amendment of the Herefordshire (Muzzling of Dogs) Order of 1897.

1. The Herefordshire (Muzzling of Dogs) Order of 1897 dated the eleventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven is hereby amended as follows:

Exclusion of Certain Portions of County of Hereford from Muzzling Order.

From and after the commencement of this Order, the provisions of the said Muzzling Order shall not extend or apply to the portions of the District of the Local Authority of the county of Hereford described in the Schedule to this Order, and the said Muzzling Order shall be read and have effect accordingly: Provided that nothing herein shall be deemed to invalidate or make unlawful anything done under the said Muzzling 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, the said Muzzling Order before the commencement of this Order.

Commencement.

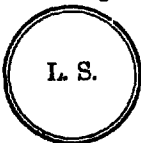
2. This Order shall come into operation on the No. 26936. F

twelfth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

Short Title.

3. This Order may be cited as the HEREFORDSHIRE (MUZZLING OF DOGS) AMENDMENT ORDER OF 1898.

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



T. H. Elliott,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

The petty sessional divisions of Dore, Bredwardine, Kirgton, Weobley, Wigmore, and Leominster, and the municipal borough of Leominster, in the county of Hereford.

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

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 8TH FEBRUARY 1898.)

MONMOUTHSHIRE (MUZZLING OF DOGS) REVOCATION ORDER OF 1898.

THE Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the

Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 and 1896, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. The Order described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby from and after the commencement of this Order revoked: Provided that such revocation shall not invalidate or make unlawful anything done under the Order hereby revoked 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, the Order hereby revoked before the commencement of this Order.

2. This Order shall come into operation on the

twelfth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

3. This Order may be cited as the **MONMOUTHSHIRE (MUZZLING OF DOGS) REVOCATION ORDER OF 1898.**

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

L. S.

T. H. Elliott,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Order Revoked.

No.	Date.	Short Title.
5623	1897. 14 May	The Monmouthshire (Muzzling of Dogs) Order of 1897.

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

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 8TH FEBRUARY 1898.)

RADNORSHIRE (MUZZLING OF DOGS) REVOCATION ORDER OF 1898.

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 either of those Orders 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, either of the Orders hereby revoked before the commencement of this Order.

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

3. This Order may be cited as the **RADNORSHIRE (MUZZLING OF DOGS) REVOCATION ORDER OF 1898.**

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

L. S.

T. H. Elliott,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Orders Revoked.

No.	Date.	Short Title.
5624	1897. 14 May	The Radnorshire (Muzzling of Dogs) Order of 1897.
5652	29 June	The Radnorshire (Muzzling of Dogs) Amendment Order of 1897.

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

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 8TH FEBRUARY 1898.)

SHROPSHIRE (MUZZLING OF DOGS) REVOCATION ORDER OF 1898.

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

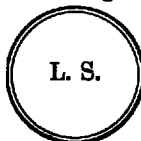
1. The Order described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby from and after the commencement of this Order revoked : Provided that such revocation shall not invalidate or make unlawful anything done under the Order hereby revoked before the commencement of this Order, or interfere with the institution or prosecution of any

proceeding in respect of any offence committed against, or any penalty incurred under, the Order hereby revoked before the commencement of this Order.

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

3. This Order may be cited as the SHROPSHIRE (MUZZLING OF DOGS) REVOCATION ORDER OF 1898.

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



T. H. Elliott,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Order Revoked.

No.	Date.	Short Title.
5618	1897. 11 May.	The Shropshire (Muzzling of Dogs) Order of 1897.

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

Civil Service Commission, February 8, 1898.

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

February 3, 1898.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Second Division: Clerk, Samuel Stuart Weir.

Post Office: Woman Clerk, London, Eva Marian Samuel.

Female Sorters, London, Elsie Moxey Chanter, Lily May Holland, Edith Tredray.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Inland Revenue: Warehouseman, Percy Burr.

Prisons Department, England: Assistant Matron, Edith Jane Jack.

Post Office: Postmen, London, Arthur William Bradley, Richard Edbrook Lee Phillips.

Learners, Caroline Johnson (Matlock Bath), Henry Jones (Holywell).

Postmen, William John Dunn (Newton Abbot), Albert Parks (Horsham), Robert Stead (Leeds).

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

Admiralty: Examiner in the Naval Ordnance Store Department, John Gledhill.

February 4, 1898.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Inland Revenue: Assistant of Excise, William Morrison.

Post Office: Women Clerks, Minnie Slater, Isabella Dunmore Lang Symington.

Male Sorter, London, Denis Corbett.

Female Sorter, London, Theresa Nowakowski Bowles.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Second Division: Clerk, Patrick Thomas Walsh.

Board of Trade: Clerk and Deputy Superintendent in the Mercantile Marine Office, Liverpool, Sidney George Farrell.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division I, James Embling Dart.

Post Office: Postmen, London, William Martin Lightfoot, Albert George Swinnard.

Porter, London, Edward William Waller.

Learners, Maggie Ann Masson (Elgin), William Maurice Gray Willows (St. Ives).

Postmen, Joseph Henry Beggs (Macclesfield), Dan Clegg (Wigan), Albert Edwin Dean (Bournemouth), Alfred Henry Gee (Southport), William Paling Jones (Manchester), George Kavanagh (Mullingar), William McGrath (Manchester), Ernest Mayoh (Bolton), Willie Noble (Huddersfield), Thomas O'Brien (Wigan), James Ramsbotham Riley (Bolton).

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

War Office: Deputy Director-General of the Ordnance Factories, Hay Frederick Donaldson.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY MESSENGER.

George McLaren.

February 5, 1898.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Inland Revenue: Assistants of Excise, Peter Craig Lennox, Harry Francis Marlow, George Parke, Charles Eric Pringle.

Post Office: Male Sorter, London, Frank Francois Prime.

Female Sorters, London, Jessie Caroline Foote, Edith Alice Harding.

Male Learner, Glasgow, William Strathern.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Broadmoor Criminal Lunatic Asylum: Female Attendant, Frances Evison Broom.

Prisons Department, England: Subordinate Officer, Division II, William Wells.

Post Office: Learner, Lymington, Rosa May Josephine Finucane.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

(Nos. 66 to 71 of the year 1898.)

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

No. 66.—ENGLAND—EAST COAST.

River Medway—Leading Beacons for Long, Pinup, and Gillingham Reaches.

NOTICE is given that the undermentioned beacons have been erected for the purpose of leading in the channel through Long, Pinup, and Gillingham Reaches, River Medway:—

1. Beacon No. 1 (front beacon for Long Reach) is a pyramidal framework structure, painted black and white in horizontal stripes, and surmounted by a triangle similarly painted, the top of which is 38 feet above the ground; it is situated with Darnett Ness Fort Flagstaff bearing S.E. $\frac{1}{2}$ E., distant $4\frac{3}{10}$ cables; and Folly Point Fort Flagstaff S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ S.

Approximate position, lat. $51^{\circ} 24' 30''$ N., long. $0^{\circ} 35' 15''$ E.

2. Beacon No. 2 (rear beacon for Long Reach) is a pyramidal framework structure, painted black and white in vertical stripes, and surmounted by a diamond similarly painted, the top of which is 42 feet above the ground; it is situated with Folly Point Fort Flagstaff bearing S. by E. $\frac{1}{2}$ E., distant 4 cables; and Brompton Windmill W.S.W.

3. Beacon No. 3 (front beacon for Pinup and Gillingham Reaches) is in all respects similar to beacon No. 1; it is situated with Folly Point Fort Flagstaff bearing N. $\frac{1}{4}$ W., distant $3\frac{6}{10}$ cables; and St. Mary's Church Tower, Gillingham, W. $\frac{1}{2}$ S.

4. Beacon No. 4 (rear beacon for Pinup Reach) is in all respects similar to beacon No. 2; it is situated with Folly Point Fort Flagstaff bearing N. by E. $\frac{1}{4}$ E., distant $6\frac{1}{10}$ cables, and St. Mary's Church Tower W. $\frac{1}{2}$ N.

5. Beacon No. 5 (rear beacon for Gillingham Reach) is in all respects similar to beacon No. 2; it is situated with Darnett Ness Fort Flagstaff bearing N. by E. $\frac{3}{4}$ E., distant $6\frac{1}{10}$ cables; and St. Mary's Church Tower, Gillingham, W. $\frac{1}{2}$ N.

6. (a.) The tide pole (front mark for crossing from Pinup Reach to Gillingham Reach) is a post, painted black and white in horizontal stripes, surmounted by a small cage, the top of which is 24 feet above the ground; it is situated with St. Mary's Church tower bearing S.W. by W., distant $5\frac{1}{10}$ cables; and Peckham Lodge S.S.E. $\frac{3}{4}$ E.

6. (b.) The north-west tangent of the gasometer at Gillingham, situated W. $\frac{1}{4}$ S., distant $4\frac{1}{2}$ cables, from the tide pole, is the rear mark for crossing from Pinup to Gillingham Reaches.

NOTE.—Beacons Nos. 1 and 2 in line bearing W. by N. $\frac{3}{4}$ N., lead through Long Reach, until beacons Nos. 3 and 4 come in line, bearing S.W.; these lead through Pinup Reach until the north-west tangent of Gillingham gasometer is in line with the tide pole bearing west, this last mark leading across from Pinup Reach to Gillingham Reach until beacons Nos. 3 and 5 are in line astern, bearing S.E. by E. $\frac{3}{4}$ E., or the lamp-post

in front of the flagstaff on the Bull's nose, between the two locks, is in line with the clock-tower close to No. 7 dock, bearing N.W. by W. $\frac{1}{4}$ W., ahead, leading up Gillingham Reach to the lock entrances.

[Variation 16° Westerly in 1898.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Plan:—River Medway, No. 1834. Also, North Sea Pilot, Part III, 1897, pages 391–395.

**No. 67.—MEDITERRANEAN—
THE DARDANELLES.**

Lloyd's Signal Station at Chanak.

INFORMATION has been received from Lloyd's that a signal station has been established at Chanak, eastern shore of the Narrows, Dardanelles, with which passing vessels may communicate.

Approximate position, lat. $40^{\circ} 8' 55''$ N., long. $26^{\circ} 24' 25''$ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Plan:—The Dardanelles, with Plan of the Narrows, No. 2429. Also, Sailing Directions for the Dardanelles, Sea of Marmara, &c., 1893, page 73.

No. 68.—MEDITERRANEAN—CRETE.

Amendment to Plan of Megalo Kastron, No. 1904.

IN the title of the plan of Megalo Kastron or Candia, No. 1904, the words "soundings in fathoms" should be altered to soundings in feet.

No. 69.—SCOTLAND—WEST COAST.

Firth of Clyde—Alteration in Lights of Skelmorlie and Roseneath Gas-Buoys.

THE Clyde Lighthouse Trustees have given notice that, on 27th January, 1898, the lights shown on (1) Skelmorlie Bank gas-buoy, in approximately lat. $55^{\circ} 51' 45''$ N., long. $4^{\circ} 55' 40''$ W.; and on (2) Roseneath patch gas-buoy, in approximately lat. $55^{\circ} 58' 25''$ N., long. $4^{\circ} 47' 20''$ W.; would be altered from fixed white to occulting white lights with a period of six seconds, thus:—light, four seconds; eclipse, two seconds.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Arran Island to Gare Loch, &c., No. 2131 (1, 2); River Clyde, No. 2006 (2). Also, Sailing Directions for the West Coast of Scotland, 1894, pages, 75, 79.

**No. 70.—EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO—
BALI.**

Buleleng (Beliling) Road—Submarine Telegraph Cable Moved Eastward, and Light Discontinued.

THE Netherlands Government has given notice, dated 26th January, 1898, that the landing-place of the submarine telegraph cable in Buleleng (Beliling) Road has been moved from the western to the eastern telegraph cable-house; and the prohibited anchorage is now further eastward than the white cone on the western angle of the western cable house in line with the white ball on the roof of that house; consequently the red light, previously shown from the western cable house over the prohibited anchorage, has been discontinued, and the white cone on the eastern angle of that house has been withdrawn.

Approximate position, lat. $8^{\circ} 5' 45''$ S., long. $115^{\circ} 5' 0''$ E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Plan:—Buleleng Road on Sheet No. 934. Also, List of Lights, Part VI, 1897, No. 315 (Remarks); and Sailing Directions for the Eastern Archipelago, Part II, 1893, page 221.

No. 71.—CUBA—NORTH COAST.

Port Matanzas—Intended Light on Pta. Maya.

THE Government of Cuba has given notice that, on 15th March, 1898, a light will be exhibited from a lighthouse recently erected on Pta. Maya, east side of entrance to Port Matanzas:—

Pta. Maya Light will be a fourth order, fixed white light, elevated about 62 feet above the sea, and visible from a distance of 13 miles in clear weather.

The lighthouse, 62 feet high, is a cylindrical, iron tower, painted white, with the keeper's dwelling painted yellow, situated about 270 yards south-eastward of the extremity of the point.

Approximate position on Plan No. 424, lat. 23° 5' 10" N., long. 81° 32' 15" W.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Gulf of Mexico, No. 392; West India Islands, &c., Sheet I, No. 761; Cuba, western portion, No. 2579; Florida Strait, south part, No. 1217; Port Matanzas, No. 424. Also, Lists of Lights, Part VIII, 1897, page 170; Part VIII, 1898; and West India Pilot, Vol. II, 1887, page 464.

By command of their Lordships,
W. J. L. Wharton, Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
2nd to 4th February, 1898.

INCOME TAX.

WHEREAS it has become necessary to renew the list of persons to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners appointed to act in the division of Castlemartin, in the county of Pembroke, as Commissioners for the general purposes of the Acts of Parliament for granting to Her Majesty duties on profits arising from property, professions, trades, and offices: Now we, two of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, in pursuance of the powers vested in us in that behalf, do hereby convene a meeting of the Land Tax Commissioners for the county aforesaid being respectively qualified to act as such Commissioners, to be holden at the Council Chamber of the Town Hall, Main-street, Pembroke, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of February, 1898, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of choosing fit and proper persons to be Commissioners to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners for the general purposes of the Income Tax for the division of Castlemartin aforesaid.

Edmond H. Wodehouse.
Bernard Mallet.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House,
London, February 7, 1898.

Registration of Births and Deaths.

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of the provisions of the twenty-first section of an Act passed in the thirty-eighth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "The Births and Deaths Registration Act, 1874," I, Sir Brydges Powell Henniker, Bart., Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages in England, have, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, ordered and declared that on and after the 1st day of March next, (1) those parts of Barnet and East Barnet Valley Urban Districts now situated in South Mimms Sub-District of Barnet Registra-

tion District shall be transferred to Barnet Sub-District of the same Registration District; and (2) Arkley and Totteridge Rural Civil Parishes, now situated in Barnet Sub-District of Barnet Registration District shall be transferred to South Mimms Sub-District of the same Registration District.—Witness my hand this 4th day of February, 1898.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that a separate building named Congregational Church situated at Blaby-road South Wigston in the civil parish of Wigston Magna in the county of Leicester in the registration district of Blaby being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the first day of February 1898, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this first day of February 1898.

R. A. SHIRES Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named Wesleyan Chapel situated at Kilmersdon in the civil parish of Kilmersdon in the county of Somerset in the registration district of Frome being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the third day of February 1898, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this third day of February 1898.

GEO. W. BRADBURY Superintendent Registrar.

Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Halifax Star of Bethlehem Lodge Friendly Society, Register No. 3437 held at Triangle Inn Triangle near Halifax in the county of York is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 2nd day of February 1898 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 2nd day of February 1898.

Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Wavertree Provident Sick and Benefit Society, Register No. 6746 held at Mission Room, 136 Picton-road, Wavertree, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 2nd day of February 1898, 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 2nd day of February 1898.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Chief Registrar of Friendly Societies has, pursuant to S. 77 of the Friendly Societies Act, 1896, by writing, under his hand, dated the sixth day of January, 1898, cancelled the Registry of the undermentioned Friendly Societies :—

Register No.	Name of Society.	Town.
SCHEDULE I.		
196	Friendly and Liberal Society	Formby
321	Union Society	Caton
1091	Huyton Friendly Society	Huyton
1481	Height Sunday School Sick and Burial Society... ..	Pendlebury
1709	Bricklayers' Accident and Burial Society	Rochdale
1869	Friendly Society	Formby
1874	Wheatsheaf Friendly Society	Kirkby
1877	Dukinfield Economical Sick and Burial Society	Dukinfield
1887	Hope Society	Ashton-under-Lyne
1894	Benevolent Society	Formby
1917	Ulverston District G.U.O.O.F.	Ulverston
2032	Rochdale Protestant Female Friendly Sick and Burial Society... ..	Rochdale
2088	Widow and Orphans' Fund of the A.O.F. Aston-under-Lyne District	Ashton-under-Lyne
2096	Israel Lodge, 940, O. Druids	Abram
2153	Banks Friendly Society	Banks
2215	O.D. Preston District Widow and Orphans' Fund Friendly Society	Preston
2458	Mr. Whitley Lodge, No. 10, of the N.O.O.F.D.L.U.	Abram
2472	Beloved Lodge, No. 3, Leigh U.N.O. Female D.	Lowton
2513	Farmers' Glory Lodge, 566, G.U.O.O.F.	Scarisbrick
2563	Hearts of Oak Lodge, 395, U.A.O.O.D.... ..	Ashton-under-Lyne
2582	Victory Lodge, 7, N.O.O.F.D.L.U.	Cadishead
3094	Morecambe Bay Lodge, 1072, G.U.O.O.F.S.	Bolton-le-Sands
3191	Loyal Welcome Lodge, 580, A.O.S.	Hindley
3253	Peabody Friendly Tontine Sick and Burial Society	Liverpool
3336	St. Nicholas Tontine Society	Liverpool
3424	Railway Lodge, 912, G.U.O.O.F. Friendly Society	Heywood
3436	Beehive Lodge, 1413, G.U.O.O.F.	Upholland
3488	Friendship Love and Truth Lodge, 414, G.U.O.O.F.	Ulverston
3497	Present Day Lodge, 921, G.U.O.O.F.	Wigan
3507	Well Intended Lodge N.A.O.U.O.F.	Heywood
3558	Poor Man's Friend Lodge, No. 2427, I.O.O.F.M.U.	Darcy Lever
3700	Loyal Orange Benevolent Society Lodge, No. 22	Melling
3914	Richmond Tontine Friendly Society	Liverpool
3949	Oldham District G.O.M.D.	Oldham
3986	Stanley Lodge of Druids	St. Helens
4012	St. Vincent de Paul's Mutual Benefit Society	Liverpool
4023	Universal Tontine Society	Liverpool
4037	Benevolence Lodge, 344, A.O.D	Lancaster
4075	Oak Street Sunday School Sick Society... ..	Accrington
4087	Shepherds on the Hill Lodge A.O.S.	Tyldesley
4139	Liverpool Clarence Dock Labourers' Friendly Burial Society	Liverpool
4150	Liverpool Licensed Porters' Friendly Burial Society	Liverpool
4167	Rawtenstall Operatives' Friendly Society	Rawtenstall
4206	Bard of Avon Lodge of the A.O.D.	St. Helens
4262	Irwell Lodge, 334, A.N.O.U.F.B.U.	Ramsbottom
4400	N. Shore Friendly Society	Kirkdale
4437	Rose of St. Helens Lodge, 423, O.D.	St. Helens
4448	Springfield Lodge of Druids	Walton
4467	Welcome Stranger Lodge G.U.O.O.F.	Rainford
4468	Operative House Painters' Friendly Society	Preston
4470	Loyal Rose of England Lodge, 849, G.U.O.O.F.	Hindley
4483	Friendly Society for the Burial of Children	Royton
4536	Funeral Association or Society	Bolton-le-Moors
4539	Prince of Wales Protestant Benevolent Society... ..	Liverpool
4546	Ebenezer Lodge of Benevolence, 91, Order of Druids	Bolton-le-Moors
4547	Welcome Shepherds Lodge, 824, A.U.A.O.S.	Tyldesley
4603	Excelsior Society	Liverpool
4618	True Vine Lodge, No. 318, G.U.O.O.F.	Chorley
4749	Young Friendly Lodge of Druids	Scholes
4757	St. Oswald's Lodge, No. 8, of the Wirral Catholic Benefit Society	Liverpool
4799	Huskisson Dock Sick and Burial Society	Kirkdale
4822	Workman's Hall Temperance Benefit Tontine Society	Liverpool
4880	Men's Sick Society	Rochdale
4894	Liverpool Ship Scrapers' Friendly Burial Society	Liverpool
4958	Royal Platts Lodge, 1138, G.U.O.O.F.	Hindley

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5050	St. Albans Catholic Sick and Burial Society	Warrington
5072	Elden Cottage Friendly Society	Liverpool
5082	Woolton District Funeral Fund O.D.	Much Woolton
5133	Weighers and Freight Clerks' Union Friendly Society	Liverpool
5138	White Swan Lodge, 259, G.U.O.O.F.	Salford
5146	Rising Sun Lodge, 419, G.U.O.O.F.	Preston
5150	Bond Street Mutual Benefit Society	Liverpool
5154	Great Howard Street Sick and Burial Society	Liverpool
5174	Abattoir Friendly Sick and Burial Society	Liverpool
5225	Rose of the Valley Lodge, 865, U.O.F.G.	Preston
5250	Rose and Bud Lodge G.U.O.F.G.	Warrington
5282	Good Samaritan Lodge, 1134, O. Druids	Church
5324	Gallant Sergeant Lodge, 877, U.O.F. Gardeners	Preston
5342	O.D. Preston District Friendly Burial Society	Preston
5343	Grand Masters Council or Degree G.U.O.O.F.... ..	Burnley
5367	Saint George Protestant Benefit Society... ..	Liverpool
5416	Star of Hope Tent Female Branch I.O. Rechabites	Southport
5460	Enterprise Lodge U.F.G.... ..	Preston
5519	Soul Lodge L.U. Free Mechanics	Salford
5524	Prince Arthur Friendly Society	Liverpool
5529	Good Samaritan Sick and Burial Society	Liverpool
5533	Rock Protestant Benefit Society	Liverpool
5687	Royal Albert Friendly Society	Liverpool
5700	Pride of Bootle Friendly Society	Liverpool
5776	Bootle Mutual Friendly Society	Liverpool
5817	Bricklayers' Accident and Burial Society	Widnes
5863	Red Rose Lodge, 377, of the O. Druids Friendly Society	Rochdale
5873	Beacon Lodge I.O.O.F.M.U.	Billinge
5959	Loyal King William IV Lodge Bolton District M.U.I.O.O.F.... ..	Over Hulton
5970	Loyal Queen Anne Lodge M.U.I.O.O.F.	Wardle
5971	Loyal Britannia Lodge M.U.I.O.O.F.	Wardle
5973	Liverpool Riggers' and Mariners' Sick Accident and Funeral Society	Liverpool
5987	Loyal Rose of Sharon Lodge, 1294, I.O.O.F.M.U.	Ashworth Moor
6059	Hindley and Abram District of L. Orange I. of Gt. B. Friendly Society	Hindley
6106	Earl of Sefton Friendly Society	Thornton
6108	Standish Improvement Lodge, No. 1408, A.U.A.O.S.	Standish
6180	Charity Lodge Loyal Independent United Order of Mechanics... ..	Accrington
6121	Court Boulds Glory of Orrel, 4712, A.O.F.	Orrel
6224	Mechanics' Plan Lodge L.I.U.O.M.B.U.	Blackburn
6256	Clifton Benevolent Society	Liverpool
6270	Star Mutual Friendly Sick and Burial Society	Liverpool
6299	Saint Joseph's Catholic Temperance Sick and Burial Society	Liverpool
6307	Loyal Travellers' Rest Lodge, 489, A.U.L.O.A.S.	Little Lever
6367	Young Provident Lodge, 932, A.U.L.O.A.S.	Padiham
6372	Warrington Division Sons of Temperance	Warrington
6392	Working Sons Friendly Society	Liverpool
6408	Sanctuary Sir William Wallace, 801, A.O.S.	Liverpool
6438	Loyal William Radcliffe Lodge, 801, N.I.O.O.F.	Oldham
6480	A.O.F. Funeral Fund	Crompton
6506	Sefton Meadow Society	Sefton
6541	Rishton Family Sick and Burial Society... ..	Rishton
6556	Oldham, No. 1, District of the Order of Druids Friendly Society	Oldham
6573	Blooming Rose Lodge B.U.	Ashton
6587	Friendship Society	St. Helens
6591	Prosperity Lodge of the Order of Druids	Oldham
6602	Golden Lion Sick and Burial Society	Walton
6630	Consolation Lodge O.D.	Oldham
6643	Livingstone Friendly Society	Liverpool
6649	Mount Carmel Society	Liverpool
6650	Customs Boatmen's Provident Benefit Society	Liverpool
6688	Pride of Haydock Friendly Society	Haydock
6724	Suez Provident Benefit Society	Liverpool
6730	Morecambe Bay Independent Self Support Friendly Society	Morecambe
6732	Palatine Sick and Burial Society... ..	Kirkdale
6816	Lord Beaconsfield Friendly Society	Skelmersdale
6818	Working Men's Club of the I.O.O.F. Friendly Society Economy Lodge, 848	Burnley
6837	Holdfast Friendly Tontine Society	Liverpool
6847	St. Lawrence Friendly Benefit Society	Kirkdale
6882	Liverpool Pembroke Friendly Society	Liverpool
6899	Hulme Working Men's Social Club	Hulme

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6927	Independent Operative Bakers' Tontine Society...	Liverpool
6929	Two Ships £30 Money Club	Rochdale
6961	Rose of Kirkdale Friendly Society	Liverpool
6986	No. 2 Regent £30 Terminating Money Club	Rochdale
6992	Brown Cow, Milkstone Terminating £30 Money Club...	Milkstone
7009	Moonbeam Friendly Society	Liverpool
7010	Stanhope Tradesman's Friendly Society	Liverpool
7015	Railway and Carriers' Servants' Friendly Society	Liverpool
7038	Crosby Friendly Union Society	Liverpool
7045	Woolpack, Brickfield Terminating £30 Money Club	Brickfield
7056	Unique Friendly Benefit Tontine Society	Liverpool
7057	Two Ships, No. 2 Terminating £30 Money Club	Rochdale
7090	Victoria Workmen's Sick and Burial Friendly Society	Liverpool
7092	Whitefield Friendly Tontine Society	Liverpool
7095	Old Britannia Benefit Tontine Society	Liverpool
7101	Fox and Dog Inn £30 Money Club	Rochdale
7102	Provident £30 Terminating Money Club	Rochdale
7120	Spekeland Provident Benefit Society	Liverpool
7128	Regent, No. 3, £30 Money Club... ..	Rochdale
7166	Queen Street Terminating £30 Money Club	Rochdale
7167	Sharon Hall Friendly Society	Liverpool
7170	Liverpool Passover Association	Liverpool
7205	Parnell Tontine Society	Liverpool
7233	Heaton Norris Mechanics' Arms Forty-fourth Twenty-four Pounds Money Club	Heaton Norris
7234	Mutual Sick and Burial Tontine Society	Liverpool
7238	Regent, No. 4, £30 Money Club... ..	Rochdale
7241	Fox and Dog Inn, No. 2, Terminating £30 Money Club	Rochdale
7247	St. Bartholomew's Friendly Society	Liverpool
7249	City of Liverpool Sailmakers' Friendly Tontine Society	Liverpool
7262	Heaton Norris Mechanics' Arms Forty-fifth Twenty-four Pounds Money Club	Heaton Norris
7284	Royds Arms Hotel, No. 1, Terminating £30 Money Club	Rochdale
7297	Kirkdale Shakespeare Friendly Society	Liverpool
7298	Heaton Norris Mechanics' Arms Forty-sixth Twenty-four Pounds Money Club	Heaton Norris
7299	Leopold Sick Funeral and Divide Society	Walton-on-the-Hill
7302	Edge Lane Friendly Sick and Burial Society	Liverpool
7303	Drake Hotel, No. 1, Terminating £30 Money Club	Rochdale
7317	Old Friendly Tontine Sick and Burial Society	Liverpool
7350	No. 3, Fox and Dog Inn, £30 Money Club	Rochdale
7365	Regent, No. 5, £30 Money Club... ..	Rochdale
7367	Kilshaw Friendly Society... ..	Liverpool
7375	Heaton Norris Mechanics' Arms 47th Twenty-four Pounds Money Club	Heaton Norris
7407	Durning Working Men's Club	Liverpool
7412	Heaton Norris Mechanics' Arms 48th Twenty-four Pounds Money Club	Heaton Norris
7429	Pride of Lancashire Benefit Society	Liverpool
7438	Empress Protestant Benefit Society	Liverpool
7442	Lily of Barrow Orange and Protestant Friendly Society	Barrow-in-Furness
7447	Pioneer Juvenile O.F. Friendly Society N.I.O.O.F.	Warrington
7470	Regent, No. 6, £30 Money Club... ..	Rochdale
7480	International Friendly Benefit Society	Liverpool
7482	Heaton Norris Merchants' Arms Forty-ninth Twenty-four Pounds Money Club	Heaton Norris
7486	Shakespeare Tontine Friendly Society	Liverpool
7504	Argyle Friendly Tontine Society... ..	Liverpool
7513	Liverpool North End Steamship Scrapers' Accident and Burial Society	Liverpool
7516	Heaton Norris Mechanics' Arms 50th Twenty-four Pounds Money Club	Heaton Norris
7530	Southport Buffalo Arms Friendly Society	Southport
7556	No. 5 Fox and Dog Inn £30 Money Club	Rochdale
7565	Green Gate Philanthropic Sick and Burial Dividing Society	Parr
7580	Manchester and Salford District L.U.O.O.F. Juvenile Burial Friendly Society	Manchester
7592	Falkner Friendly Benefit Society	Liverpool
7606	Brow Side Friendly Tontine Society	Liverpool
7609	Liverpool North End Boatmen and Riggers' Sick and Burial Society	Liverpool
7629	Guiding Star Sick and Burial Society	Liverpool

Register No.	Name of Society.	Town.
SCHEDULE II.		
3195	Christmas Rose Lodge of the A.O.D.	St. Helens
3267	Victoria Lodge A.O.D.	St. Helens
3491	Wigan Burial Society	Scholes
4673	Loyal Orange Institution of Great Britain	Scholes
4806	Western Sick and Burial Society	Liverpool
5067	Model Lodge 685 of the United Order of Free Gardeners	Preston
5098	Loyal Vulcan Lodge 1113 G.U.O.O.F.	Orrell
6881	Waterloo Friendly Society	Liverpool
7334	Mersey Ship Scrapers' Accident and Burial Friendly Society	Liverpool

All in the county of Lancaster on the ground in the cases of the Societies set out in Schedule I that they have ceased to exist and in the cases set out in Schedule II that they have wilfully and after notice from a Registrar violated the provisions of the above-mentioned Act.

E. W. Brabrook, Chief Registrar.

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 5th February, 1898, conformably with the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	63,367	7	34	10
Barley	88,797	0	28	0
Oats	20,642	2	17	6

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1894 to 1897.

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.
1894	54,317	1	54,785	5	16,704	6	25	3	28	8	17	10
1895	42,579	4	87,830	2	17,341	3	19	11	21	8	13	6
1896	44,954	2	81,884	2	24,915	7	26	4	22	5	14	0
1897	63,536	1	79,102	3	16,337	4	30	7	24	10	16	7

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

Board of Agriculture, 4, Whitehall-place, London, S.W.,
February 5, 1898.

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 5th February, 1898.

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

ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of Agricultural Produce Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 5th February, 1898, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

		Quantities.	
		1897.	1898.
Animals living :—			
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves	... ..	Number	13,406
Sheep and Lambs	... ..	"	10,867
Swine	... ..	"	—
Fresh Meat :—			
Beef	... ..	cwts.	51,025
Mutton	... ..	"	37,031
Pork	... ..	"	9,287
Salted or Preserved Meat :—			
Bacon	... ..	"	110,839
Beef	... ..	"	2,026
Hams	... ..	"	29,068
Pork	... ..	"	6,173
Meat unenumerated, salted and fresh	... ..	"	4,989
Meat preserved, otherwise than by salting	... ..	"	11,852
Dairy Produce and Substitutes :—			
Butter	... ..	"	74,228
Margarine	... ..	"	21,231
Cheese	... ..	"	47,638
Milk, Condensed	... ..	"	14,341
Milk and Cream, Fresh or Preserved, other than Condensed Milk	... ..	"	145
Eggs	... ..	Great Hundred	169,845
Poultry and Game	... ..	Value £	21,069
Rabbits, dead (not tinned)	... ..	cwts.	4,064
Lard	... ..	"	30,965
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour :—			
Wheat	... ..	"	1,914,280
Wheat Meal and Flour	... ..	"	430,210
Barley	... ..	"	431,360
Oats	... ..	"	164,500
Pease	... ..	"	62,000
Beans	... ..	"	54,230
Maize or Indian Corn	... ..	"	1,571,000
Fruit, Raw :—			
Apples	... ..	Bush.	203,455
Oranges	... ..	"	283,151
Lemons	... ..	"	16,680
Cherries	... ..	"	—
Plums	... ..	"	80
Pears	... ..	"	365
Grapes	... ..	"	252
Unenumerated	... ..	"	11,803
Hay	... ..	Tons	2,367
Hops	... ..	cwts.	3,430
Vegetables :—			
Onions, raw	... ..	Bush.	199,135
Potatoes	... ..	cwts.	13,155
Unenumerated	... ..	Value £	13,825

Statistical Office, Custom House, London,
February 7, 1898.

T. J. PITTAR.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1893 and of Gill, Ashworth and Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at the registered office of the Company, Netherfield Mill, Nelson, in the county of Lancaster, on the 21st day of January, 1898, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed :—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Company that the Company cannot by

reason of its liabilities continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that accordingly the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867.

"That Thomas Proctor, of Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, Chartered Accountant, be and is appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company, and that he shall have all the powers given to several Liquidators under the several Acts of Parliament applicable thereto." JAS. GILL 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 5 Weeks ended 3rd February, 1898.

PORTS.	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.
Week ended 3rd February, 1898.												
Liverpool	114,712	250	100	4,282	1,631	120,975	569	...	12	2,487	388	3,406
London	400	...	68	...	11	474	360	...	50	...	...	410
Hull ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,707	...	...	...	...	1,707
Manchester	10,717	...	...	...	...	10,717	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Ports] ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	10	...	15
Total	125,829	250	163	4,282	1,642	132,166	2,641	...	62	2,497	388	5,538
5 Weeks ended 3rd February, 1898.												
Liverpool	497,457	1,151	1,068	38,258	6,676	544,610	8,681	...	729	8,813	1,385	19,608
London	400	...	1,240	...	100	1,740	2,765	...	1,287	...	55	4,107
Hull	6,592	...	...	1,011	...	7,603	10,556	...	...	1,011	515	12,082
Manchester	49,416	...	...	13,607	1	63,024	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Ports	3,681	...	...	...	...	3,681	7,803	...	...	10	...	7,813
Total	557,546	1,151	2,308	52,876	6,777	620,658	29,805	...	2,016	9,834	1,955	43,610

Dated February 4, 1898.

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

COTTON STATISTICS ACT, 1868.

RETURN of the Number of BALES OF COTTON Imported, Exported, forwarded from Ports to Inland Towns, and returned to Ports, during the Month ended 31st January, 1898, compared with the corresponding Month of the Years 1897 and 1896.

Description of Cotton.	Imports.			Exports.			Forwarded from Ports to Inland Towns.			Forwarded from Inland Towns to Ports.		
	1898	1897	1896	1898	1897	1896	1898	1897	1896	1898	1897	1896
Month ended 31st January.												
American... ..	470,112	514,779	293,801	27,766	17,899	17,383	257,324	239,501	245,564	354	290	99
Brazilian	1,151	742	10,382	...	500	764	3,150	2,937	7,006	...	...	7
East Indian	2,308	6,850	9,260	2,004	3,528	3,951	1,212	5,088	2,771	...	...	3
Egyptian	52,876	49,729	66,683	8,924	8,274	17,316	38,090	33,698	39,584	...	...	...
Miscellaneous	6,374	5,876	1,514	1,617	827	3,164	11,013	11,490	10,499	4	3	94
Total	532,821	577,976	381,640	40,311	31,028	42,578	310,789	292,714	305,424	358	293	203

Dated February 5, 1898.

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 29th day of January, 1898.

PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£
Ashford Bank	Ashford	Pomfret and Co.	5287
Aylesbury Old Bank	Aylesbury	Cobb, Bartlett, and Co.	6275
Banbury Bank	Banbury	Gillett and Co.	4977
Banbury Old Bank	Banbury	T. R. Cobb and Son	4179
Bedford Bank	Bedford	Barnard and Co.	11642
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank	Bicester	Tubb and Co.	8448
Buckingham Bank	Buckingham	Bartlett and Co.	5708
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank	Cambridge	Foster and Co.	24037
Canterbury Bank	Canterbury	Hammond and Co.	5787
City Bank, Exeter	Exeter	Milford and Co....	3706
Derby Bank	Derby	Samuel Smith and Co.	5590
Exeter Bank	Exeter	Sanders and Co....	7511
Faversham Bank	Faversham	Hilton and Co.	2506
Ipswich Bank	Ipswich	Bacon and Co.	12124
Kingston-upon-Hull and Hull Bank... ..	Kingston-upon-Hull	Smith Brothers and Co.	9475
Kington and Radnorshire Bank	Kington	Davies and Co.	8300
Leeds Old Bank	Leeds	Beckett and Co.	43608
Leeds Bank	Leeds	Wm. Wms. Brown and Co.	19746
Lincoln Bank	Lincoln	Smith, Ellison, and Co....	51824
Llandoverly, Lampeter, and Llan-dilo Banks... ..	Llandoverly	D. Jones and Co.	10342
Naval Bank	Plymouth	Harris, Bulteel, and Co.	4436
Newark Bank	Newark	Samuel Smith and Co.	5687
Newmarket Bank	Newmarket	Hammond and Co.	5932
Nottingham Bank	Nottingham	Samuel Smith and Co.	15157
Oxford Old Bank	Oxford	Parsons and Co.	14276
Oxfordshire Witney Bank	Witney	Gillett and Co.	4406
Reading Bank	Reading	Simonds and Co.	10020
Reading Bank	Reading	Stephens, Blandy, and Co.	8797
Richmond Bank	Richmond	Roper and Co.	3910
Sleaford and Newark Bank, and Newark and Sleaford Bank }	Sleaford	Peacock and Co.	10679
Tring, Aylesbury, and Chesham Bank	Tring	Butcher and Sons	7185
Uxbridge Old Bank	Uxbridge	Woodbridge and Co.	890
Wallingford Bank	Wallingford	Hedges, Wells, and Co....	1258
Wellington Somerset Bank	Wellington	Fox, Fowler, and Co.	3181
West Riding Bank, Wakefield; and Pontefract Bank	Wakefield	Leatham, Tew, and Co.	18349
Worcester, Great Malvern, and Tewkesbury Old Bank	Worcester	Berwick, Lechmere, and Co.	12249
Yarmouth, Norfolk, and Suffolk Bank	Great Yarmouth	Lacons, Youell, and Co.	4480
York and East Riding Bank	Beverley... ..	Beckett and Co....	38675

JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.	Average Amount.
	£
Bank of Whitehaven Limited	Whitehaven ... 10813
Bradford Banking Company Limited	Bradford ... 17640
Bradford Commercial Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	Bradford ... 10128
Burton Union Bank Limited	Burton-upon-Trent 16134
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company Limited	Carlisle ... 23683
Cumberland Union Banking Company Limited	Carlisle ... 34411
Derby and Derbyshire Banking Company Limited	Derby ... 5298
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company Limited	Halifax ... 6271
Halifax Commercial Banking Company Limited	Halifax ... 8055
Halifax Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	Halifax ... 14180
Knaresborough and Claro Banking Company Limited	Harrogate... 19472
Lancaster Banking Company Limited	Lancaster ... 45581
Leicestershire Banking Company Limited	Leicester ... 29969
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company Limited	Lincoln ... 42692
Moore and Robinson's Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited	Nottingham ... 9432
North and South Wales Bank Limited	Liverpool ... 36509
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited	Nottingham ... 21943
Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company Limited	Leicester ... 20735
Sheffield and Hallamshire Bank Limited	Sheffield ... 7025
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	Sheffield ... 10658
Sheffield Banking Company Limited	Sheffield ... 13381
Stamford, Spalding, and Boston Banking Company Limited	Stamford ... 35409
Stuckey's Banking Company Limited	Langport ... 110688
Swaledale and Wensleydale Banking Company Limited	Richmond (Yorks) 38425
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank Limited	Wakefield ... 5858
West Riding Union Banking Company Limited	Huddersfield ... 10245
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	Whitehaven ... 20431
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company Limited	Salisbury ... 62588
York City and County Banking Company Limited	York ... 90015
Yorkshire Banking Company Limited	Leeds ... 95445
York Union Banking Company Limited	York ... 67848

Inland Revenue Office, February 5, 1898.

J. S. PURCELL, Registrar of Bank Returns.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

Mr. Justice Romer.

1898. M. 011.

In the Matter of the Companies (Memorandum of Association) Act 1890 and in the Matter of the Mutual Guarantee Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition was presented to the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, on the 27th day of January 1898 by the above named Company to confirm a Special Resolution of the Company unanimously passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company held on the 7th day of December 1897 and subsequently unanimously confirmed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company held on the 22nd day of December 1897—"That there be added amongst the objects specified in the Memorandum of Association, as those for which the Company is established, the following objects:—1. *g.* To grant, procure, and effect assurances or indemnities against loss, injury, or damage of any description to human beings or to domestic animals, or to property, arising from or in connection with accidents, contingencies, risks, and events of any kind, provided that any assurance shall not be

ordinary human life assurance; and to establish accumulate, provide, maintain, and pay sinking, redemption, renewal, depreciation, and other special funds, and to do all such things as are incidental or conducive to the objects specified in this clause, or any of them." And notice is further given that the said petition is directed to be heard before his Lordship Mr. Justice Romer on Saturday the 19th day of February 1898. Any creditor or Shareholder of the Company or any other person who may be entitled and desire to oppose the making of an Order for the confirmation of the said Special Resolution under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel for that purpose, and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or Shareholder of the Company or to any other person entitled as aforesaid and requiring the same by the undersigned Solicitor for the Company on payment of the regulated charge for the same.—Dated this 5th day of February 1898.

JOHN WM. HAWKINS Master.

JOSEPH PEARCE of Devereux-buildings, Devereux-court, Strand, W.C. Solicitor for the Company.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.

RETURN showing the Counties* in Great Britain wherein SHEEP-SCAB existed during the Month of January, 1898; with the number of Fresh Outbreaks reported during that month.

Counties from whence Fresh Outbreaks of Sheep-Scab were reported during the month.	Number of such Outbreaks.	Counties wherein the disease existed during the month.
ENGLAND.		
Bedford	No. 1	Bedford.
Berks	2	Berks.
Buckingham	6	Buckingham.
Cambridge	1	Cambridge.
Chester	7	Chester.
Cumberland	22	Cumberland.
Derby	9	Derby.
Devon	2	Devon.
Durham	9	Dorset.
Essex	2	Durham.
Gloucester	8	Essex.
Hants	9	Gloucester.
Hereford	7	Hants.
Hertford	3	Hereford.
Kent	4	Hertford.
Lancaster	32	Huntingdon.
Leicester	5	Kent.
Lincoln, Parts of Kesteven	1	Lancaster.
" " Lindsey	1	Leicester.
Monmouth	70	Lincoln, Parts of Kesteven.
Norfolk	2	" " Lindsey.
Northampton	12	Monmouth.
Northumberland	2	Norfolk.
Notts	13	Northampton.
Oxford	3	Soke of Peterborough.
Rutland	1	Northumberland.
Salop	7	Notts.
Somerset	1	Oxford.
Stafford	19	Rutland.
Sussex, Western Division	3	Salop.
Warwick	8	Somerset.
Westmorland	13	Stafford.
Wilts	2	Surrey.
Worcester	1	Sussex, Eastern Division.
York, East Riding	17	" Western Division.
" North Riding	21	Warwick.
" West Riding	24	Westmorland.
		Wilts.
		Worcester.
		York, East Riding.
		" North Riding.
		" West Riding.
WALES.		
Anglesey	14	Anglesey.
Brecon	23	Brecon.
Cardigan	21	Cardigan.
Carmarthen	15	Carmarthen.
Carnarvon	37	Carnarvon.
Denbigh	43	Denbigh.
Flint	7	Flint.
Glamorgan	37	Glamorgan.
Merioneth	72	Merioneth.
Montgomery	40	Montgomery.
Pembroke	6	Pembroke.
Radnor	9	Radnor.
SCOTLAND.		
Aberdeen	7	Aberdeen.
Argyll	3	Argyll.
Ayr	5	Ayr.
Bute	1	Berwick.
Caithness	8	Bute.
Dumfries	1	Caithness.
Forfar	1	Dumfries.
Haddington	3	Fife.
Kirkcudbright	1	Forfar.
Lanark	2	Haddington.
Linlithgow	1	Kirkcudbright.
Perth	6	Lanark.
Ross	1	Linlithgow.
		Orkney.
		Perth.
		Ross.
TOTAL...	714	

* Including Boroughs:—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.
Board of Agriculture, 8th February, 1898.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of SWINE-FEVER for the Week ended February 5th, 1898, distinguishing Counties (including Boroughs*).

County.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or as having been exposed to Infection.	County.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or as having been exposed to Infection.
ENGLAND.			ENGLAND.		
	No.	No.		No.	No.
Berks	3	38	Warwick	2	14
Buckingham	2	5	Wilts	1	5
Chester	2	5	Worcester	2	62
Essex	1	70	York, East Riding	3	67
Gloucester	1	65	" North Riding	2	56
Hants	4	110	" West Riding	5	116
Huntingdon	1	9	WALES.		
Lancaster	6	558	Glamorgan	1	3
Lincoln, Parts of Lindsey	2	6	SCOTLAND.		
Middlesex	1	43	Argyll	1	27
Monmouth	2	5	TOTAL		
Norfolk	1	7		47	1,490
Oxford	1	5			
Salop	1	9			
Somerset	1	5			
Stafford ... ..	...	177			
Suffolk	1	23			

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

SWINE-FEVER INFECTED AREAS.

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

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

(2.) An Area comprising the parishes of Sandhurst, Norton, Boddington, Uckington, Swindon, Prestbury, Charlton Kings, Leckhampton, Up Hatherley, Badgeworth, Churchdown, Staverton, Down Hatherley, Twigworth, Great Shurdington, Maisemore, Lassington, Highnam Over and Linton, Hartpur, Corse, Ashleworth, Hasfield Haw and Tirley, Deerhurst, and Leigh, in the county of Gloucester, and also comprising the borough of Cheltenham (30 April, 1897).

Hampshire.—An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Fareham, and Droxford, and the parishes of Botley, Bishopstoke, Fair Oak, and Owslebury, in the county of Southampton, and also comprising the borough of Portsmouth (24 December, 1897).

Isle of Ely.—An Area comprising the parish of March in the Isle of Ely (21 October, 1897).

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

Wiltshire.—An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Melksham, Trowbridge, Whorwelsdown, Westbury, and Devizes, and so much of the petty sessional division of

Warminster as lies to the west of the parish of Heytesbury, in the county of Wilts, and also comprising the borough of Devizes (10 September, 1897).

Yorkshire.—(1.) An Area comprising the borough of Scarborough (15 February, 1897).

(2.) An Area comprising the civil parishes or townships of Golcar, Slaithwaite, Linthwaite, Marsden-in-Huddersfield, Scammonden, South Crosland, Lepton, Kirkheaton, Rishworth, Stainland, Soyland, Clifton, Skircoat, Sowerby (including its detached part), Barkisland, Fixby, Elland, Greetland, Upper Greetland, Hipperholme, Southwram, 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 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 Wintree, 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 February 5th, 1898, distinguishing Counties (including Boroughs*).

PLEURO-PNEUMONIA.				GLANDERS (INCLUDING FARCY).			
County.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Cattle found Diseased.	Cattle Slaughtered as having been exposed to Infection.	County.	Outbreaks reported.	Animals which remained Diseased at the end of the previous week.	Animals reported during the Week as Attacked.
ENGLAND.				ENGLAND.			
Surrey...	No.	No.	No.	Essex ...	No.	No.	No.
...	...	...	5	Lancaster ...	2	...	3
...	...	...	...	London ...	17	...	24
...	...	...	...	Middlesex ...	...	...	2
...	...	...	...	Stafford ...	1	...	1
...	...	...	...	Sussex, Eastern Division ...	...	1	...
ANTHRAX.				SCOTLAND.			
County.	Outbreaks reported.	Animals Attacked.		Lanark ...	...	...	1
ENGLAND.				TOTAL ...			
Cornwall ...	No.	No.		...	20	1	32
Devon ...	3	6		RABIES.			
Durham ...	1	4		County.	Cases reported during the Week.		Number of Dogs destroyed as having been exposed to Infection.
Durham ...	...	1			Dogs.	Other Animals.	
Hants ...	1	1		ENGLAND.			
Sussex, Eastern Division ...	...	2		London ...	No.	No.	No.
Westmorland... ..	1	1		...	...	...	1
WALES.				SCOTLAND.			
Carmarthen	1	1		Aberdeen	3	3	
TOTAL				14	24		

* 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).

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 Didmarton, Little Barring-

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

- ton, Sherborne, Aldsworth, and Windrush). Boroughs of Cheltenham, and Gloucester (1 June, 1897).
- Hampshire.**—(1.) The petty sessional division of Odiham, the parishes of Mortimer West End Silchester, Bramley, Sherfield-upon-Loddon, Hartley Wespall (including a detached part of this parish lying to the north of the parish of Newnham), Stratfield Turgis, and Stratfield Saye, in the county of Southampton (1 October, 1897).
- (2.) The petty sessional divisions of Alton, Winchester, Petersfield (including the detached part of the petty sessional division of Petersfield at Bramshot), Droxford, Fareham, and Basingstoke (except such portion of the petty sessional division of Basingstoke as is subject to the provisions of the Hampshire (Muzzling of Dogs) Order of 1897), and the municipal borough of Basingstoke, in the county of Southampton. Boroughs of Portsmouth and Winchester (15 October, 1897).
- Herefordshire.**—County of Hereford. Borough of Hereford (1 June, 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).
- (4.) The petty sessional divisions of Cuckfield, Hove, and Lewes, in the Eastern Division of the county of Sussex; the petty sessional divisions of Arundel, Worthing, and Steyning, in the Western Division of the county of Sussex. Borough of Brighton, Police District of Hove, Boroughs of Lewes, and Worthing (23 December, 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 Eweross, Bolton-by-Bowland, West Staincliffe, Kirkby Malzeard, Upper Strafforth and Tickhill, Lower Strafforth and Tickhill, and Lower Osgoldcross; the Liberty of Ripon (but including the township of Nidd); the parishes of Kettlewell with 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 or as Diseased or Exposed to Infection.	
								Diseased.	Exposed to Infection.	Dogs.	Other Animals.			
Week ended Feb. 5, 1898	No. 14	No. 24	...	...	No. 20	No. 32	...	...	No. 5	...	...	No. 47	No. 1,490	
Corresponding week in	1897	10	18	...	...	9	17	...	...	122	2	...	57	745
	1896	17	30	...	...	14	32	...	...	...	10	...	137	1,825
	1895	6	8	...	...	18	39	...	...	...	14	...	94	639
Total for 6 Weeks 1898.	71.	116	...	...	99	191	1	1	112	5	...	231	5,386	
Corresponding period in	1897	57	125	...	...	83	141	1	6	216	17	1	426	6,762
	1896	78	142	...	...	90	163	...	...	...	79	3	719	9,798
	1895	55	92	...	...	102	203	...	...	...	90	2	518	3,132

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

Board of Agriculture, 8th February, 1898.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
Mr. Justice North.
1898. C. 012.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition presented to the High Court of Justice (Chancery Division) on the 27th day of January 1898 by the above named Company for the purpose of confirming a Special Resolution reducing the capital of the above named Company from £450,000 divided into 30,000 preference shares of £5 each 40,000 ordinary shares of £5 each and 20,000 deferred shares of £5 each to £168,698 divided into 30,000 preference shares of £5 each, 21,760 ordinary shares of ten shillings each and 15,636 deferred shares of ten shillings each, by cancelling paid up capital which has been lost or is unrepresented by available assets to the amount of £4 10s. per share on 21,760 ordinary shares and £4 10s. per share on 15,636 deferred shares and by cancelling 40 forfeited ordinary shares 18,200 surrendered ordinary shares and 4,364 surrendered deferred shares is directed to be heard before his Lordship Mr. Justice North at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London on Saturday the 19th day of February 1898. Any creditor or shareholder of the Company desiring to oppose the making of an Order for the reduction of the capital of the Company under the above Acts should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel for that purpose and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or shareholder of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charges for the same.—Dated the 4th day of February 1898.

ASHURST MORRIS CRISP and Co. of 17 Throgmorton-avenue London E.C. Solicitors for the said Company.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division
Mr. Justice North.
1898 N No. 08.

In the Matter of the National Dwellings Society Limited and Reduced and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1867 and 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for confirming a Resolution reducing the capital of the above mentioned Society from £150,000 to £56,816 10s. by cancelling paid up capital which has been lost or is unrepresented by available assets was on the 24th day of January 1898 presented to the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice in England and is now pending and notice is hereby further given that the said petition is directed to be heard before Mr. Justice North sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London W.C. on the 26th day of February 1898. Any creditors or shareholders of the Company desiring to oppose the making of an Order for the reduction of the capital of the said Society under the above Acts should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel for that purpose. And a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or shareholder of the Society requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charges for the same.—Dated this 7th day of February 1898.

LINKLATER ADDISON BROWN and JONES.
2 Bond-court Walbrook London E.C.
Solicitors for the above named Society.

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

Mr. Justice Wright.
No. 0036 of 1898.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the Badminton Cycle and Components Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the High Court of Justice was on the

1st day of February 1898 presented to the said Court by Rushbrooke and Company of Moor-street in the city of Birmingham and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London on Wednesday the 16th day of February 1898 and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order on the said petition may appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel for that purpose and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.—Dated this 5th day of February 1898.

COLLYER-BRISTOW RUSSELL HILL CURTIS
and DODS 4 Bedford-row London W.C.
Agents for

FORSYTH and BETTINSON Birmingham
Solicitors for the Petitioners.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above named Collyer-Bristow, Russell Hill Curtis and Dods notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person or if a firm the name and address of the firm and must be signed by the person or firm or his or their Solicitor (if any) and must be served, or if posted must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above named not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 15th day of February 1898.

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

Mr. Justice Wright.
No. 0038 of 1898.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the Greylingsstadt Gold Mining and Exploration Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above named Company by the High Court of Justice was on the 3rd day of February 1898 presented to the said Court by George Harold Winterbottom of the Towers Didsbury near the city of Manchester shareholder in the said Company. And that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London on the 16th day of February 1898 and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order on the said petition may appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel for that purpose and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

CAMERON KEMM and Co. Gresham House,
Old Broad-street London E.C. Soli-
citors for the Petitioner.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above named notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person or if a firm the name and address of the firm and must be signed by the person or firm or his or their Solicitor (if any) and must be served or if posted must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above named not later than 6 o'clock in the afternoon of the 15th day of February 1898.

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

Mr. Justice Wright.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to

1890, and in the Matter of Robert Youdes Bill Posting Syndicate Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by Mather and Crowther Limited the High Court of Justice was, on the 7th day of February 1898, presented to the said Court by the said Mather and Crowther Limited whose registered office is situated at Nos. 10 11 and 12 New Bridge-street Blackfriars in the city of London a creditor of the said Company. And that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London on the twenty-third day of February 1898; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order on the said petition may appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

ELDRED and BIGNOLD 11 Queen Victoria-
street London E.C. Solicitors for the
Petitioner.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above-named, notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person, or, if a firm, the name and address of the firm, and must be signed by the person or firm, or his or their Solicitor (if any), and must be served, or, if posted, must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above-named not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 22nd day of February 1898.

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Newport and Usk Railway Act 1865 and the Parliamentary Deposits and Bonds Act 1892.

ANY Landowners or other persons whose property has been interfered with or in anywise rendered less valuable by the commencement, construction or abandonment of the undertaking authorized by the Newport and Usk Railway Act 1865 or any portion thereof, or who have been subjected to injury or loss in consequence of any compulsory powers for taking property given in connection with the said undertaking and any creditors of the Newport and Usk Railway Company or other person having any claim upon or affecting the sum of £22,080 for which a bond has been executed by the Newport and Usk Railway Company with two sureties in the manner directed in section 27 of the said Newport and Usk Railway Act 1865, may on or before the 5th day of March next, send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their claims or debts, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to the Solicitor for the affairs of Her Majesty's Treasury, Treasury-chambers, Whitehall, London, S.W. and if they fail to comply with this notice they will be excluded from the benefits (if any) of the said bond.—Dated this 4th day of February 1898.

39 Bennett's Hill, Birmingham.
7th February 1898.

Nottingham Mining Property (Barbington)
Limited. In Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made on the application of William Hutton, the Liquidator of the above Company, a First and Final Dividend is declared, payable to the shareholders and holders of share

warrants in the above Company as follows:—

1. A dividend of two shillings and three halfpence per share, payable in cash.
2. A distribution in specie of shares in the Great De Kaap (Moodies) Gold Field Limited, in the proportion of 17 Great De Kaap Shares for every 10 shares in the Nottingham Mining Property (Barborton) Limited, and 85 Great De Kaap Shares for every share warrant representing 50 shares in the Nottingham Mining Property (Barborton) Limited.
3. A distribution in specie of shares in the Shahzada Mines Limited, in the proportion of one Shahzada Share for every 50 shares in the Nottingham Mining Property (Barborton) Limited, and one Shahzada Share for every share warrant representing 50 shares in the Nottingham Mining Property (Barborton) Limited. Fractional parts of the De Kaap and Shahzada Shares will be paid in cash. The above dividend will be payable at my office as above, on and after Thursday next, the 10th inst., between the hours of 11 and 3 o'clock. At the time of application all share certificates and share warrants not previously surrendered to me must be presented for the purpose of having the payment of such dividend endorsed thereon.—Dated this 7th day of February 1898.

Wm. HURTON Liquidator.

In the Matter of Billing and Company Bristol Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company duly convened and held at 11 Quay-street Bristol on Wednesday the 22nd day of December 1897 the following resolution was duly passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary Meeting of the Members of the said Company also duly convened and held at the same place on Thursday the 27th day of January 1898 the following resolution was confirmed:—

“That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867 and that Mr. Ernest Newton Tribe of Albion-chambers Bristol be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.”

Dated the 29th day of January, 1898.

W. ARROWSMITH Chairman.

In the Matter of the Pilbarra Exploring Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at Broad-street House on the sixth day of January 1898, 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 twenty-fourth day of January 1898, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed, viz:—

“That the Pilbarra Exploring Company, Limited be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. F. C. Heron of Broad-street House, London, E.C. be and he is hereby appointed the Liquidator thereof for the purpose of such winding up.”

Dated 2nd Febr. 1898.

OLIVER WETHERED Chairman.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the British and-Oriental Silk Supply Association Limited duly convened and held at 45 and 46 Gutter-lane in the city of London, on Friday the 28th day of January 1898, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

“That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that the Company cannot by

reason of its liabilities continue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily.”

And at the same Meeting Mr. Stephen Baker Tucker of 45 and 46 Gutter-lane, E.C. was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up, at a remuneration of £5 per cent. on the gross amount received.

F. W. RIGBYE DEWDNEY Chairman.

In the Matter of the Steamship “Westleigh” Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company No. 25 Water-street in the city of Liverpool on the 18th day of January 1898 the following Special Resolution was duly passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the said Company also duly convened and held at the same place on the 3rd day of February 1898 the following resolution was duly confirmed namely:—

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

And at such last mentioned Meeting William Robert Clark of 25 Water-street aforesaid was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of the winding up.—Dated the 5th day of February 1898.

GEO. J. C. GILL Chairman.

In the Matter of the New “Biscay” Steamship Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company duly convened and held at 22 Little Peter-street Manchester on the seventh day of January 1898 the following Special Resolution was duly passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company also duly convened and held at the same place on the 28th day of January 1898 the following Resolution was duly confirmed:—

“That the New “Biscay” Steamship Company Limited be wound up voluntarily under the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and that E. A. Smith of Manchester Accountant and James Curwen of Liverpool Shipowner be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators.”

Dated the 2nd day of February 1898.

A. E. LLOYD Chairman.

In the Matter of the Ambleside District Gas and Water Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at the Lecture Room, Ambleside, on the 12th day of January, 1898 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 2nd day of February, 1898, the following resolution was duly confirmed:—

“That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and that Mr. Thomas Mackereth of Ambleside, Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.”

Dated the 2nd day of February 1898.

FRANK M. T. JONES-BALME Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the Theatrical Finance Corporation, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company duly convened and held at 3 Bedford-street,

Strand, London W.C. on the 3rd day of January 1898 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 17th day of January 1898 the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed viz. :—

“That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts 1862 and 1867 and that Mr. John Edwin Denney of 91 Palmerston-buildings, Old Broad-street, E.C. be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.”

Dated this 31st day of January 1898.

S. H. EGAN Chairman.

In the Matter of Kalgoorlie Consols, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at Winchester House, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, on the 31st day of December, 1897, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the said Company, also duly convened and held at Winchester House aforesaid, on the 29th day of January, 1898, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed :—

Resolutions.—1. “That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Henry James Dixon of Winchester House, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up at such remuneration as may be fixed by the Directors of the Company.

2. “That the said Liquidator be, and he is hereby authorized to consent to the registration of a new Company to be named ‘Kalgoorlie Consols Limited,’ with a Memorandum and Articles of Association which have already been prepared with the privity and approval of the Directors of the Company.

3. “That the draft agreement submitted to the Meeting and expressed to be made between the Company and its Liquidator of the one part, and James John Daynes as trustee for Kalgoorlie Consols, Limited, 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 in the terms of the said draft and to carry the same into effect with such modifications (if any) as he may think fit.”

Dated this 7th day of February, 1898.

G. T. BENN Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893, and in the Matter of the Loan and Finance Corporation, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Loan and Finance Corporation, Limited, duly convened and held at 96-97, Palmerston-buildings, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 1st day of February, 1898, at 12 o'clock noon, the following resolutions were duly passed :—

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

2. “That Egerton Hugh Edmonstone Hensley, of 96-97, Palmerston-buildings, Old Broad-street, E.C., be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator,

for the purpose of such winding-up; at an agreed remuneration of £105.”

Dated the second day of February, 1898.

P. MACFADYEN Chairman.

The Wholesale Book and News Company, Ltd.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at 31 Westgate-road in the city and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne on Tuesday the 1st day of February 1898 the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed viz. :—

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

2. “That John Cockburn of 7 Collingwood-street Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid Chartered Accountant be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.”

FREDERICO GEO. LUNDI Solicitor 31 Westgate-road Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

The Newport (Mon.) Property Investment Company, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company, Victoria-chambers, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, on the 6th day of January, 1898, 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 27th day of January, 1898, the following resolutions were duly confirmed :—

1. “That this Company be wound up voluntarily.

2. “That Thomas Goldsworthy, of Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Contractor, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company.”

Dated the third day of February, 1898.

ALFRED R. BEAR Secy.

In the Matter of the Bon Accord Gold Mining Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at 18 St. Swithin's-lane London E.C. on Wednesday the 29th day of December 1897 the following Special Resolution was duly passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting also duly convened and held at 79 Gracechurch-street E.C. on Thursday the 13th day of January 1898 the following resolution was duly confirmed, namely :—

“That the Bon Accord Gold Mining Company Limited be wound up voluntarily and that Mr. A. G. Hog of 79 Gracechurch-street, London E.C. be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator thereof for the purpose of such winding up at a remuneration of 50 guineas.”

Dated this 4th day of Feby. 1898.

ALEX. FRASER Chairman.

20, Mount Stuart-square, Cardiff,

February 4, 1898.

In the Matter of “Hesperides” Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at noon, on the seventeenth day of January, 1898, at the registered offices of the Company, 20, Mount Stuart-square, Cardiff, the following Special Resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place, at

noon, on the second day of February, 1898, the following resolution was duly confirmed, viz. :—

“That the ‘Hesperides’ Limited be wound up voluntarily, and that Owen Williams, the Manager and Director of the Company, be hereby appointed Liquidator.” OWEN WILLIAMS Chairman.

Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890.

Special Resolution (pursuant to Companies Act, 1862, s. 51) of the Caucasian Trading Corporation, Limited.

Passed 20th day of January, 1898.

Confirmed 4th day of February, 1898.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened and held at the offices of the Company, 40, Chapel-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on the twentieth day of January, 1898, 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 fourth day of February, 1898, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed :—

“That this Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. E. W. Crosbie Oates, Chartered Accountant, of 8, Cook-street, Liverpool, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up.”

E. JOHNSTON Chairman.

In the Matter of the Steamship “Westleigh” Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named Company are required on or before the 21st day of March 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 William Robert Clark of 25 Water-street in the city of Liverpool 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 the 5th day of February 1898.

HILL DICKINSON and Co. Solicitors to the above-named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1893, and in the Matter of the Newport and Monmouthshire Billposting Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 21st day of March 1898 to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to me the undersigned the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from me are by their Solicitors or personally to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 31st day of January 1898.

THOMAS PARRY Albany - chambers, Skinner-street, Newport, Mon. Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Textile Advertising Medium Company Limited, in Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above Company are required on or before the 15th day of March 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. John William Gibson, the Liquidator of Bindloss-chambers, 4 Chapel-walks Manchester 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 shall be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 31st day of January 1898.

ASHWORTH and INMAN 100 Mosley-street Manchester Solicitors to the Company.

In the Matter of the Shopkeepers Supply Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company, are required on or before the 3rd day of March, 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 Emanuel Williams, of 12 Norfolk-street Manchester Chartered Accountant, the Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims, at such time and place, as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 27th day of January 1898.

EML. WILLIAMS 12 Norfolk-street Manchester Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of Ward and Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 5th day of March 1898 to send their names and addresses and particulars of their debts or claims and names and addresses of their Solicitors if any to me the undersigned the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from me 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 1st day of February 1898.

CHARLES J. MARCH 3 Church-court, Old Jewry, E.C., Liquidator of the above named Company.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1893 and in the Matter of the Loan and Finance Corporation Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the nineteenth day of February next to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts and claims to Mr. Egerton Hugh Edmonstone Hensley of 96 and 97 Palmerston-buildings Old Broad-street in the city of London the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 3rd day of February 1898.

EGERTON H. E. HENSLEY Liquidator.
FRANCIS and JOHNSON 26 Austin-Friars
E.C. Solicitors to the Liquidator.

Scotty's Hauraki Gold Mining 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 Winchester House Old Broad-street in the city of London on Tuesday the 15th day of March 1898 at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated the 7th day of February, 1898.

E. W. FELLGATE Liquidator.

The Tokatea of Hauraki Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of sect. 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at Winchester House Old Broad-street in the city of London on Tuesday the 12th day of March 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 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 7th day of February 1898.

E. W. FELLGATE Liquidator.

The Naval Construction and Armaments 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 Messrs. Wilson, Bristows, and Carpmael, 1, Copthall-buildings, in the city of London, on Friday, the 11th day of March, 1898; at 12.30 P.M., 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 3rd day of February, 1898.

ARCHD. MILLER Liquidator.

Mould and 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 Company will be held at the Imperial Hotel, Chorley, on Thursday the 10th day of March 1898 at 10 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 Liquidators and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books accounts and documents of the Company and of the Liquidators thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated this 5th day of February 1898.

JAMES B. CARDWELL } Liquidators.
 J. HENRY HOLLAND }

The "Leyden" Steamship Company, Limited.
NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company will be held at No. 19 Tower-buildings North, in the city of Liverpool, on Wednesday, the 16th day of March, 1898, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon 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.—Dated this 5th day of February, 1898.

H. H. McALLESTER Liquidator.

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

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1883.

Sir Joseph Whitworth and Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Members of Sir Joseph Whitworth and Company Limited, will be held at the office of Messrs. Halliday Pearson and Co. 13 Spring-gardens Manchester on Wednesday the 9th day of March 1898 at twelve o'clock noon precisely, for the purpose of having an account laid before them by the Liquidator (pursuant to section 142), showing the manner in which the winding up of the said Company has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.

JOHN E. HALLIDAY Liquidator.

Mazoe Development Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of section No. 142 of the Companies Act 1862, a General Meeting of the Members of the above Company will be held at the offices of the Company No. 19. St. Swithin's-lane, London, E.C., on Thursday the 10th March 1898 at 10.30 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 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 4th February 1898.

G. G. WALKER Liquidator.
 A. J. HALL 20 Threadneedle-street E.C.
 Solicitor.

The Perfection Flour Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Members of the above Company will be held at 48 Cannon-street in the city of London on Friday the 18th March 1898 at 12.30 o'clock for the purposes of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up of the Company has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator and 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 5th day of February 1898.

MAPLES TRESDALE and Co. Solicitors for
 the Liquidator.

B. S. A. Syndicate Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of section No. 142 of the Companies Act 1862 a General Meeting of the Members of the above Syndicate will be held at the offices of the Syndicate No. 19 St. Swithin's-lane London E.C. on Thursday the 10th March 1898 at 10.15 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 Syndicate disposed of and 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 Syndicate and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated the 4th February 1898.

G. G. WALKER Liquidator.
A. J. HALL 20 Theadneedle-street E.C.
Solicitor.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Jeremiah Stephen Nicholls and William George Rogers carrying on business as Wine and Spirit Merchants at Nos. 4 and 7 Hart-street Mark-lane in the city of London under the style or firm of J. S. Nicholls Rogers and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 25th day of January 1898.—Dated 3rd day of February 1898.

JEREMIAH STEPHEN NICHOLLS.
WILLIAM GEORGE ROGERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Aaron Lapidus 21 Pedley-street Brick-lane Bethnal Green E. and Reuben Rosenthal 3A New-street Old-street St. Luke's E.C. carrying on business as Artistic Furniture Manufacturers at 7 St. John-street Brick-lane Bethnal Green E. under the style or firm of Lapidus and Rosenthal has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the third day of February 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Reuben Rosenthal.—Dated 3rd day of February 1898.

AARON LAPIDUS.
REUBEN ROSENTHAL.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned George Abraham Williams and Alfred George Williams carrying on business as Window Blind Manufacturers at No. 21 Queen's-road Bayswater London under the style or firm of G. A. Williams and Son and at No. 132 High-street St. John's Wood London under the style or firm of Adkins and Williams was dissolved by mutual consent as and from the thirty-first day of December one thousand eight hundred and ninety. All debts due and owing to or by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Alfred George Williams. And that in future such business will be carried on by the said Alfred George Williams alone.—Dated this third day of February 1898.

GEORGE ABRAHAM WILLIAMS.
ALFRED GEORGE WILLIAMS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned Thomas Spencer Tilley Ernest John Tilley and George Caney Tilley carrying on business as General Contractors and Artesian Well Engineers formerly at No. 15 Walbrook London E.C. and now at Walbrook Works 451-455 Cambridge-road London E. under the style or firm of Thomas Tilley and Sons has this day been dissolved by mutual consent so far as regards the said Thomas Spencer Tilley who retires from the firm. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Ernest John Tilley and George Caney Tilley who will continue the said business under the present style or firm of Thomas Tilley and Sons.—As witness our hands this seventh day of February 1898.

THOMAS SPENCER TILLEY.
ERNEST JOHN TILLEY.
GEORGE CANEY TILLEY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Mary Florence Stephens of 205 Seven Sisters-road in the parish of St. Mary Islington in the county of Middlesex Spinster and Gertrude Eleanor Stephens of 205 Seven Sisters-road in the parish of St. Mary Islington in the county of Middlesex Spinster carrying on business as Dealers in Toys, Stationery, Needlework and Fancy Goods generally at No. 205 Seven Sisters-road in the parish of St. Mary Islington in the county of Middlesex under the style or firm of the Finsbury Park Bazaar has been dissolved by mutual consent, as and from the first day of February 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Mary Florence Stephens.—Dated this 3rd day of February 1898.

GERTRUDE ELEANOR STEPHENS.
MARY FLORENCE STEPHENS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned David Richard Ross and William Sporton carrying on business as Metal Workers Engineers and Machinists at Tebbett's-yard Bracey-street Thorpdale-road Holloway London under the style or firm of Ross Sporton and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent, as and from the first day of January 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said David Richard Ross.—Dated this first day of February 1898.

D. R. ROSS.
W. SPORTON.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned John William Anderson and John William Tawn carrying on business as Fruit and Potato Salesmen at Brentford Market Kew Bridge W. under the style or firm of Anderson and Tawn has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and by the firm will be received and paid by Mr. John William Tawn at his Stand Nos. 19 and 20 Brentford Market aforesaid who will continue to carry on the business alone in his own name.—Dated this 24th day of January 1898.

JOHN WILLIAM ANDERSON.
JOHN WILLIAM TAWN.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Francis Knoefel of 100 Bolsover-street Marylebone Middlesex Mechanical Engineer and John Hutchens Gartrell of 47 Chapel-street Penzance Cornwall Dental Surgeon carrying on business as Mechanical Engineers at 108, Great Portland-street W and 100 Bolsover-street Marylebone aforesaid under the style or firm of the Dental Engineering Company 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 John Hutchens Gartrell.—Dated this third day of February 1898.

FR. KNOEFEL.
J. H. GARTRELL.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned John House and Edmund Thomas Sacheverell carrying on business as Money Lenders at 192 Copenhagen-street King's Cross N. under the style or firm of the York-road Loan Society has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the ninth day of October 1897. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John House.—Dated this 28th day of January 1898.

JOHN HOUSE.
E. T. SACHEVERELL.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned William Augustus Attenborough and Charles Edward Lockett Hebbert carrying on business as Tailors at 35 Savile-row in the county of London under the style or firm of Edward Green and Son has this day been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 31st day of December 1897. All debts due to or owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said William Augustus Attenborough who will continue the said business under the present style or firm of Edward Green and Son.—As witness our hands this 23th day of January 1898.

W. A. ATTENBOROUGH.
CHAS. E. L. HEBBERT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned William Bamford Prescott and John Tonkin Young carrying on business as Umbrella and Parasol Manufacturers and Furrers at No. 101 Wood-street in the city of London under the style or firm of Prescott and Young has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the fifth day of February 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John Tonkin Young.—Dated this 5th day of February 1898.

WILLIAM BAMFORD PRESCOTT.
JOHN TONKIN YOUNG.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore carried on by us the undersigned under the firm of Vincent and Williamson as Shoeing and General Smiths at the Ropery-lane Shoeing Forge and the Winning Horse Shoeing Forge both at Newport in the county of Monmouth is dissolved by mutual consent as from the 5th February 1898. The undersigned Eber Vincent continuing on his own account the business carried on by the said Partnership at the Winning Horse Shoeing Forge aforesaid and the undersigned William Williamson continuing on his own account the business carried on by the said Partnership at the Ropery-lane Shoeing Forge aforesaid.—Dated this 3rd day of February 1898.

EBER VINCENT.
W. WILLIAMSON.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by James McDougall Tudge and George Severs under the firm of Tudge and Severs at 47 Gerrard-street Soho in the county of London in the profession of Surgeons and General Medical Practitioners has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 1st day of January 1898.—As witness our hands this first day of February 1898.

J. McD. TUDGE.
GEO. SEVERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned William Barnett Benjafield and James Heath carrying on business as Surgeons and General Medical Practitioners at Edmonton in the county of Middlesex under the style or firm of Benjafield and Heath has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 1st day of December 1897.—Dated this 7th day of December 1897.

WM. B. BENJAFIELD.
JAMES HEATH.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned as Tailors at Citadel-buildings in the city of Sheffield under the style of Stewart and Stewart has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the day of the date hereof as regards the said William Stewart.—Dated this third day of February 1898.

ELLEN MARY MABE.
WILLIAM MABE.
WILLIAM STEWART.

TAKE notice that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned as Tailors at 18 High-street Leicester under the style of Stewart and Stewart has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the day of the date hereof.—Dated this third day of February 1898.

ELLEN MARY MABE.
WILLIAM STEWART.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Oliver Goodwin Felix Goodwin and George Ernest Martin under the firm of Goodwin and Co. at 133 Newhall-street in the city of Birmingham in the trade or business of Merchants has been dissolved by mutual consent the said Felix Goodwin and George Ernest Martin retiring from the said business which will henceforth be carried on by the said Oliver Goodwin alone.—As witness our hands this first day of January 1898.

OLIVER GOODWIN.
FELIX GOODWIN.
GEO. MARTIN.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned John Anthony Brownsword and William John Westaway carrying on business as Warehousemen at Greyfriar-gate in the city of Nottingham under the style or firm of W. J. Westaway and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the fifth day of February one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.—Dated this 5th day of February 1898.

JOHN ANTHONY BROWNSWORD.
WILLIAM JOHN WESTAWAY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned William Henry Smith and James William Foster carrying on business as Tobacconists at 53 Witham, Hull, under the style or firm of Smith and Foster has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 1st day of February 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said James William Foster.—Dated 3rd day of February 1898.

W. H. SMITH.
J. W. FOSTER.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned John Wells and Richard Wells carrying on business as Corn Merchants at North-road and Stonewell Lancaster under the style or firm of Henry Wells and Sons has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the fourteenth day of January 1898.—Dated 5th day of February 1898.

JOHN WELLS.
RICHARD WELLS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership between William Ackroyd and William Best carrying on business as Manufacturers of Miners' Safety Lamps and otherwise at Hembrigg Works High-street Morley in the county of York under the firm of Ackroyd and Best has been dissolved as from the 11th day of June 1897 by mutual consent.—Dated this 4th day of February 1898.

WM. ACKROYD.
WILLIAM BEST.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned George Lacey and Abraham Bitton carrying on business as Builders and Contractors at Vange and Pitsea under the style or firm of Lacey and Bitton has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 1st day of January one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by us jointly.—Dated this fifteenth day of January 1898.

GEORGE LACEY.
ABRAHAM BITTON.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Frederick James Fisher and Albert George Bartter carrying on business as Contractors, Carriers, Charabanc Proprietors, and Fodder Merchants at the parish of Cheriton near Folkestone in the county of Kent under the style of Fisher and Bartter has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Frederick James Fisher.—Dated this 2nd day of February 1898.

FREDERICK JAMES FISHER.
ALBERT GEORGE BARTTER.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Esther Makant and Albert Pickthall at 97 Bradshawgate Bolton in the county of Lancaster under the style or firm of Makant and Pickthall has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing from or due to the late firm will be discharged or received by the said Esther Makant who for the future will carry on the business on her own account.—Dated this 4th day of February 1898.

ESTHER MAKANT.
ALBERT PICKTHALL.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned James Hall and Albert Harrison under the style or firm of Hall and Harrison at Rannids in the county of Northampton in the trade or business of Boot and Shoe Manufacturers was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing from the said late firm will be received and paid by the said James Hall who will carry on the business in his own name.—Dated seventeenth January 1898.

JAMES HALL.
ALBERT HARRISON.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Ephraim King Widdup and John Hamblet Johnson carrying on business as Grocers and Provision Dealers at Number 6 Lawrence-street in the city of York under the style or firm of Widdup and Johnson has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the first day of February 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Ephraim King Widdup who will in future carry on the said business on his own account.—Dated the first day of February 1898.

EPHRAIM-KING WIDDUP.
JOHN HAMBLET JOHNSON.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership existing between us the undersigned Evan Jones Bryan and George Yates carrying on business as Wholesale Boot Manufacturers at Kingswood in the county of Gloucester under the style or firm of E. J. Bryan and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the third day of February 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Evan Jones Bryan.—Dated this third day of February 1898.

E. J. BRYAN.
GEORGE YATES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned George Gould and Charles Thomas Gould carrying on business as Grocers at Guildhall-street and Magpies-square in the city of Lincoln under the style or firm of Gould and Son has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the first day of February 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Charles Thomas Gould.—Dated this fourth day of February 1898.

GEORGE GOULD.
CHAS. THOS. GOULD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned Warren George Smith and John William Smith carrying on business as General Outfitters at the Docks Sharpness in the county of Gloucester under the style or firm of Smith Brothers has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Warren George Smith.—Dated this 3rd day of February 1898.

WARREN GEORGE SMITH.
JOHN WILLIAM SMITH.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned John Price and Joseph Price carrying on business as Glass Merchants Bevelers and Silverers at 115 and 116 Sandpits and Bishop-street Birmingham in the county of Warwick under the style or firm of J. and J. Price was dissolved as and from the 29th day of January 1898 by mutual consent. The said John Price will receive and pay the debts owing to or from the late firm at 115 and 116 Sandpits at which he will continue to carry on business. The business at Bishop-street will be continued by the said Joseph Price.—Dated the 4th day of February, 1898.

JOHN PRICE.
JOSEPH PRICE.

[Extract from the Edinburgh Gazette of February 4, 1898.]

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE Firm of McCall and Stephen, Biscuit Manufacturers, Adelphi Biscuit Factory, Glasgow, of which the Subscribers Andrew Jamieson, Herbert Kemlo Wood, and William Douglas Chisholm were the only partners, was dissolved on 31st January 1898, by the retiral therefrom of the said William Douglas Chisholm.

The business will be carried on under the same firm as before by the said Andrew Jamieson and Herbert Kemlo Wood, along with Andrew Jamieson, junior, Biscuit Manufacturer, Glasgow, who has been assumed as a partner in the firm.

The new firm has right to all the assets, and will discharge all the liabilities, of the old.

Glasgow, 1st February 1898.

ANDREW JAMIESON.
HERBERT K. WOOD.
W. D. CHISHOLM.
ANDREW JAMIESON, JUNIOR.

Bertie C. Crawford, Law-Clerk, 176 St. Vincent-street, Glasgow,

H. G. Marlin, Law-Clerk, 176 St. Vincent-street, Glasgow.

Witnesses to the Signatures of the said Andrew Jamieson, Herbert Kemlo Wood, William Douglas Chisholm, and Andrew Jamieson, junior.

Re ELIZABETH RICHARDSON 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 debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Elizabeth Richardson late of Malvern in the county of Worcester Spinster (who died on the 28th day of November 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 24th day of January 1898 by Edmund Wadams of Malvern in the county of Worcester Surgeon, and Thomas Mace of Chipping Norton in the county of Oxford Solicitor the executors therein named) are hereby required to send, in writing, particulars of their debts, claims, or demands to the said executors, or to us the undersigned the Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 29th day of March next, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had such notice as aforesaid.—Dated this 2nd day of February 1898.

THOS. and A. E. MACE Chipping Norton Solicitors to the Executors.

STANLEY BLEASE Deceased.

Pursuant to 22 and 23 Vic. cap. 35.

ALL creditors and others having claims against the estate of Stanley Blease late of Bristowe-chambers 8 Harrington-street Liverpool in the county of Lancaster and of Rowantree Rose Mount Oxton in the county of Chester Chartered Accountant who died on the 21st day of November 1897 and whose will was proved by Charles William Blease the executor in the Principal Registry on the 1st day of February 1898 are required to send their claims to us before the 15th day of March next after which date the executor will distribute the deceased's assets among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice nor will he be liable for any assets so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim he shall not then have notice.—Dated this 4th day of February 1898.

PAYNE and FRODSHAM 9 Harrington-street Liverpool Solicitors for the said Executor.

HENRY MORTON Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 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 claims or demands against the estate of Henry Morton late of Woods-place, Ilkley, in the county of York Coal Merchant and Florist deceased (who died on the 29th day of November 1895, and to whose estate letters of administration were granted by the Wakefield District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 6th day of March 1896, to Annie Morton the Widow and relict of the deceased) are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said administratrix on or before the 1st day of March next, after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice; and 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 4th day of February 1898.

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

Re WILLIAM LLOYD SIDES Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vict., c. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of William Lloyd Sides late of 19 Kelvin-grove Liverpool in the county of Lancaster Gentleman (who died on the 24th day of January 1898 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 4th day of February 1898 by Joseph Edward Finchett of 9 Derwent-square Stoneycroft Liverpool aforesaid Timber Merchant and Joseph Hamilton Glover of 60 Castle-street Liverpool aforesaid Solicitor the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said executors on or before the 12th day of March 1898 and notice is hereby given that at the expiration of that time 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 they shall then have had notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of February 1898.

J. H. GLOVER 60 Castle-street Liverpool Solicitor for the said Executors.

HENRY EDMUND WISE Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Henry Edmund Wise late of Duchy Villa English Combe in the county of Somerset Carpenter (who died on the 20th day of October 1897 and whose will was proved in the Bristol District Registry on the 26th day of January 1898 by Sarah Ann Wise of Duchy Villa English Combe aforesaid Widow the executrix thereof) are required to send in writing particulars to us the undersigned Solicitors for the said executrix on or before the 25th day of March next after which date the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of February 1898.

GILL and BUSH 3 Miles's-buildings Bath Solicitors for the Executrix.

GEORGE JOSEPH MASTERMAN Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of George Joseph Masterman (usually called George Masterman) late of Merry Hill, Ashstead, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman, who died on the 13th day of November 1897 at Ashstead aforesaid and whose will and codicil were proved by James Bishop Hartley the sole executor therein named in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 17th day of December 1897 are hereby required to send in particulars in writing of their claims to us the undersigned as Solicitors for the said executor on or before the 10th day of March 1898 after which date the executor 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 he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of February 1898.

BLYTH DULTON HARTLEY and BLYTH 112 Gresham House Old Broad-street London E.C.

JAMES BARNES Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of James Barnes late of Bristol-road Northfield in the county of Worcester Drainer and Shop-keeper (who died on the 2nd day of October 1897 and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Worcester of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 21st day of the said month of October by Eliza Barnes of Bristol-road Northfield aforesaid Widow one of the executors in the said will named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the Solicitor for the said executor on or before the 14th day of March next after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executor 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 4th day of February 1898.

CHARLES HENRY HARPER 86 New-street Birmingham Solicitor for the said Executor.

ISAAC PERCY MENDOZA 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 Isaac Percy Mendoza late of 17 Park Hill-road Croydon in the county of Surrey and of the St. James's Gallery King-street St. James's in the county of London Picture Dealer and Print Seller deceased (who died on the 17th day of December 1897, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 31st day of January 1898, by Catherine Ann Mendoza of 17 Park Hill-road Croydon aforesaid and Stephano Gatti of the Adelphi Theatre Strand 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 22nd day of March next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of February 1898.

WILD and WILD 31 Lawrence-lane Cheapside Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re JAMES BOURNE Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of James Bourne late of No. 3 Albermarle-villas Stoke in the county of Devon Esquire deceased (who died on the 4th day of June 1882 and whose will was proved on the 28th day of August 1882 in the District Registry at Exeter of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice by Jane Bourne and John Henry Rimbault the elder (both since deceased) and Stephen Henry Creagh of St. James' House Plymouth the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said surviving executor on or before the 29th day of March 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 5th day of February 1898.

HOOKER MATTHEWS HARRISON and CO. Frankfort-chambers, Plymouth, Solicitors for the said Executor.

Re JANE BOURNE Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Jane Bourne late of No. 3 Albermarle-villas Stoke Devonport in the county of Devon Widow deceased (who died on the 29th day of March 1897 and whose will was proved on the 23rd day of June 1897 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of

Justice by Stephen Henry Creagh of St. James House Plymouth and Charles Freaton of Kidbrook-grove Blackheath London the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 29th day of March 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 fifth day of February 1898.

HOOKER MATTHEWS HARRISON and CO. Frankfort-chambers, Plymouth, Solicitors for the said Executors.

BENJAMIN HAIGH Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate of Benjamin Haigh late of Halifax in the county of York Cab Proprietor (who died on the 21st April last and whose will and codicil were proved by Elizabeth Haigh, John Atkinson and William Atkinson the executors on the 15th May last) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of such claims to us the undersigned, on or before the 26th day of March next after which date the 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 4th February 1898.

LANGBOTHAM and SONS 4 Carlton-street, Halifax, Solicitors for the Executors.

THOMAS STAKE Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Thomas Stake late of Saint Luke's Hospital Gibbet-street, Halifax in the county of York formerly of the Common, Rastrick, Brighthouse near Halifax aforesaid (who died on the 10th January 1898 and whose will was proved on the 25th day of January 1898 by the executors) are requested to send particulars in writing of their claims to us the undersigned on or before the 9th day of March next after which day the 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 4th day of February 1898.

LANGBOTHAM and SONS, 4 Carlton-street, Halifax Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re STEPHEN WALLIS Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of Stephen Wallis late of 22, Regent-street, in the county of London Club Steward but formerly of Palmerston-road, Southsea in the county of Hants Manager of Conservative Club deceased (who died on the 22nd day of November 1897 and to whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 15th day of January 1898 to Louisa Mary Wallis the relict of the said deceased) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims to us the undersigned on or before the 28th day of February instant after which date the administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims 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 of whose claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of February 1898.

W. H. MARTIN and CO. 15 King-street Cheapside Solicitors for the Administratrix.

MARGARET ARMSTRONG Deceased.

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

ALL persons having any claims against the estate of Margaret Armstrong, of 14, Spencer-street, Carlisle, Spinster, Deceased (who died on the 17th December 1897, and whose will was proved at Carlisle on the 2nd February, 1898, by her executors Richard Sewell and Joshua Reddish), are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims to the undersigned, on or before the 8th day of March next, after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of February 1898.

JOHN SEWELL 14, Bank-street, Carlisle, Solicitor for the Executors.

Re SARAH JENKS deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic. cap. 35 that all persons having any claims against the estate of Sarah Jenks wife of Henry Jenks late of 60 Lonsdale-street Stoke-on-Trent retired Railway Platelayer deceased (who died on 17th day of March 1897 intestate and to whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 29th day of January 1898 to Thomas Salmon of 39 Bath-street Stoke-upon-Trent aforesaid one of the executors of Henry Jenks deceased are hereby required to send particulars in writing of such claims to the said Thomas Salmon of 39 Bath-street Stoke-on-Trent aforesaid on or before the 12th day of March 1898 after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of February 1898.

COOPER and CO. Newcastle Staffordshire Solicitors for the said Thomas Salmon.

Re HENRY JENKS Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic. cap. 35 that all persons having any claims against the estate of Henry Jenks late of 60 Lonsdale-street Stoke-on-Trent in the county of Stafford retired Railway Platelayer deceased (who died on the 22nd day of December 1897 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 13th day of January 1898 by Thomas Salmon of 39 Bath-street Stoke-upon-Trent aforesaid and Frederick Ralph Brinsley of 30 Lonsdale-street Stoke-upon-Trent aforesaid the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of such claims to the said Thomas Salmon of 39 Bath-street Stoke-upon-Trent aforesaid on or before the 12th day of March 1898 after which date the said executors will distribute the assets among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of February 1898.

COOPER and CO. Newcastle Staffordshire Solicitors for the said Executors.

CHARLOTTE KERSEY Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Charlotte Kersey late of No. 1 London-road Ipswich in the county of Suffolk Widow who died on the 25th day of December 1896 and whose will was proved by Alexander Gibb and Walter John King the executors therein named on the 13th day of February 1897 in the Ipswich District Probate Registry are required to send in particulars of their claims to the undersigned Solicitor for the said executors on or before the 7th day of March next after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 5th day of February 1898.

W. E. KERSEY 15 Tower-street Ipswich.

CHARLES BARRELL Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Charles Barrell late of No. 131 Norwich-road Ipswich in the county of Suffolk Gentleman who died on the 16th day of September 1897 intestate and to whose personal estate letters of administration were granted by the Ipswich District Probate Registry on the 29th day of November 1897 to Arthur William Barrell are required to send in particulars of their claims to the undersigned Solicitor for the said administrator on or before the 7th day of March next after which date the said administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 5th day of February 1898.

W. E. KERSEY 15 Tower-street Ipswich.

JOSEPH BEAN 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 Joseph Bean late of North Walsham in the county of Norfolk Solicitor's Clerk deceased who died on the 20th day of March 1897 and whose will with two codicils thereto was proved in the District Registry attached to the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Norwich by Arthur George Bean of the city of Norwich Merchant the surviving executor thereof on the 23rd day of July 1897) are hereby required to send written particulars of their debts claims or demands to me the undersigned, as Solicitor for the said

executor on or before the 1st day of March next, after which day the said Arthur George Bean will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Joseph Bean deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims or 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 of whose debt claim or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of February 1898.

JOHN WILKINSON North Walsham, Norfolk. Solicitor.

SARAH COCHRANE Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Sarah Cochrane late of 44 Bloomsbury-street (formerly known as 12 Charlotte-street) Bedford-square in the county of London Widow deceased (who died at 4 Upper Park-place Regent's Park on the 4th January 1898 and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice on the 3rd of February 1898 by George David (in the will called George) Potter and Thomas Gilbert Hooking the executors therein named) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims to the undersigned Solicitors for the executors on or before the 20th of March 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 had notice and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of February 1898.

KINSEY ADE and HOOKING, 9 Bloomsbury-place London W.C. Solicitors for the Executors.

NICHOLAS BROOKING Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Nicholas Brooking late of 6 Queen's-terrace Southampton in the county of Hants Gentleman (who died on the 21st day of November 1897 intestate and administration of whose estate and effects was granted to Arthur Shurlock Brooking, Brother of deceased on the 22nd day of January 1898 out of the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned on or before the 19th day of March 1898, after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice and the said administrator will not be liable for any claim or demand of which he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of February 1898.

R. L. BUTLER, 70 Mark-lane London E.C. Solicitor for the said Administrator.

EDWARD STACEY Deceased.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Law of Property Amendment Act 1859.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Edward Stacey formerly of Washington-terrace Plymouth in the county of Devon but late of Tregole in the parish of Poundstock in the county of Cornwall, retired Petty Officer in Her Majesty's Service deceased (who died on the thirtieth day of September 1897, and administration of whose estate and effects was granted to Nicholas Stacey of Tregole in the parish of Poundstock, Cornwall, Farmer, on the eleventh day of November 1897 by the District Registry at Bodmin of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send in particulars in writing of their debts claims or demands to us the undersigned, on or before the seventh day of March 1898, and notice is hereby further given that at the expiration of such time the said administrator will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said administrator shall then have had notice and that the said administrator will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand he shall then not have had notice.—Dated this fifth day of February 1898.

GRAHAM WHITE and LLEWELIN of West-gate-street, Launceston, Cornwall, Solicitors to the said Administrator.

Re Mrs. SARAH LAMBERT 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 Sarah Lambert late of Sowerby in the North Riding in the county of York Widow deceased (who died on the 21st day of May 1897 and whose will was proved in the York District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 3rd day of July 1897 by Reginald Hartley then of 112 Westbourne-grove but now of 68 Porchester-terrace, Hyde Park, in the county of London M.D. the executor therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned Solicitor for the said executor, on or before the 28th day of February 1898 after which date the said executor 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 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 twenty-fifth day of January 1898

T. S. NOBLE Solicitor for the said Executor,
Precentor's-court, York.

ANNE BULL Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria chapter 35. NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon the estate of Anne Bull late of No. 2 Selwood-place South Kensington London Widow deceased (who died on the 4th day of January 1898 and whose will with 2 codicils was proved by John William Beavis of No. 112 Bishopsgate-street in the city of London Inspector at the National Provincial Bank of England Limited No. 112 Bishopsgate-street aforesaid the sole executor therein named on the 26th day of January 1898 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send in writing the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned Henry Rimer the Solicitor of the said executor at his office No. 8 Quality-court Chancery-lane London on or before the 26th day of March 1898 after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have notice and that he will not be liable for the assets so distributed or any part thereof to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of February 1898.

HENRY RIMER 8 Quality-court Chancery-lane
London Solicitor for the Executor.

SARAH LINLEY Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Sarah Linley late of No. 23, Highbury-grange in the parish of St. Mary Islington in the county of London Widow (who died on the 15th day of December 1897 and whose will was proved by William Creswick the sole executor thereof on the 11th day of January 1898 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice) are required to send particulars of their claims to me the undersigned on or before the 11th day of March next, after which date the executor will distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of February 1898.

W. THOS. COVENTON 8, Gray's-inn-square Soli-
citor for the Executor.

General Sir HENRY LYNEDOCH GARDINER,
K.C.V.O., C.B. Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the Reign of Her Present Majesty Queen Victoria chapter 35 intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Henry Lynedoch Gardiner formerly of 109 Cromwell-road in the parish of St. Jude South Kensington in the county of Middlesex but late of the Thatched House Lodge Richmond Park in the county of Surrey Knight Commander of the Victorian Order a Companion of the Order of the Bath a General in Her Majesty's Army Colonel Commandant of the Royal Horse Artillery formerly one of Her Majesty's Equerries but lately one of the Grooms in Waiting and Extra Equerry to Her Majesty (who died on the 15th day of December 1897 and whose will was duly proved in the

Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 25th day of January 1898 by Dame Frances Barbara Gardiner of the Thatched House Lodge Richmond Park in the said county of Surrey Widow the lawful Widow and Relict of the said deceased and Charles George Orlando Bridgeman of No. 11 Stone-buildings Lincoln's-inn in the county of Middlesex Esquire Barrister-at-Law the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their respective debts claims and demands to the said executors at the offices of Messrs. Rhodes and Son Skinners' Hall Dowgate-hill in the city of London Solicitors on or before the 23rd day of March 1898 after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the estate of the said Henry Lynedoch Gardiner deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims and demands of which the said executors shall then have received notice and the said executors will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased so distributed or any part or parts thereof to any person or persons of whose debts claims and demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of February 1898.

RHODES and SON Skinners' Hall Dowgate-hill
E.C. Solicitors to the said Executors.

ELLEN VALLET, Widow, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Ellen Vallet late of 14 King-street Portman-square in the county of London Widow (who died on the 11th day of January 1898 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 1st day of February 1898 by the Revd. Louis Tournel and John Richard Hodges the executors therein named, are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to us the undersigned, as Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 8th day of March 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 testatrix amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets, 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 4th day of February 1898.

RADFORD and FRANKLAND 40 Chancery-lane
W.C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re ISABELLA SPENCER, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Isabella Spencer, late of Lee Mount, Halifax, in the county of York, Widow, deceased (who died on the 9th day of December 1897, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 25th day of January 1898, by the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 5th day of March 1898, 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 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 3rd day of February 1898.

GODFREY RHODES and EVANS Commercial
Bank-chambers, Halifax Solicitors for the Exe-
cutors.

Re JAMES WINSTANLEY Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of James Winstanley late of Mill-lane Dairy Leigh in the county of Lancaster Farmer deceased (who died on the 30th of December 1897 and whose will and codicil were proved in the District Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at Liverpool on the 2nd of February 1898 by the executor therein named) are hereby required to send full particulars of their claims to me the undersigned on or before the 5th of March 1898 after which date the said executor will divide the estate among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 3rd day of February 1898.

THOMAS R. DOOTSON Bank-chambers, Leigh,
Lancashire, Solicitor to the Executor.

HENRY PORTER 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 the estate of Henry Porter late of Medlar-with-Wesham near Kirkham in the county of Lancaster retired Farmer (who died on the 9th day of July 1897 and whose will was proved in the Lancaster District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 19th day of January 1898 by Edward Porter of Slack Farm Weeton in the said county Farmer and Edward Porter of Kirkham aforesaid Provision Dealer the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said executors on or before the 1st day of March next after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 31st day of January 1898.

JNO. R. GAULTER Kirkham and Fleetwood
Solicitor for the said Executors.

Mrs. ELIZABETH GEORGIANA DONOVAN Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic. c. 35. **NOTICE** is hereby given that all persons having any claims upon the estate of Elizabeth Georgiana Donovan, late of the Hollies, Gargrave, in the county of York, Widow (who died on the 6th January 1896, and whose will was proved in the Wakefield District Registry on the 19th August, 1897, by George Kendall and William Henry Davis, the executors therein named) are requested to send particulars of such claims to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors to George Kendall the surviving executor, on or before the 12th March next, after which date the said George Kendall will distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he may then have had notice.—Dated this 29th January 1898.

WRIGHT CHARLESWORTHS and WILSON
Bank-buildings, Skipton.

EMMA ANN BARFIELD, Spinster, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act 1859. **NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors next-of-kin and other persons having any claims or demands against or upon the estate of Emma Ann Barfield late of Number 98 Earl Howe-street in the county borough of Leicester Spinster deceased (who died on the 29th day of November 1897) and of whose personal estate letters of administration were granted by the Leicester District Probate Registry on the 29th day of December 1897 to Samuel Stanning Barfield of Number 87 Melbourne-road Leicester aforesaid Accountant the natural and lawful Nephew and one of the next-of-kin of the said deceased are hereby required to send in full particulars and proof of their claims or demands upon the estate of the said deceased to the said Samuel Stanning Barfield or to his Solicitors the undersigned Messieurs Owston Dickinson and Simpson Number 23 Friar-lane Leicester aforesaid on or before the 19th day of March 1898 or in default thereof the said Samuel Stanning Barfield will at the expiration of that time proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of February 1898.

OWSTON DICKINSON and SIMPSON 23 Friar-lane Leicester, Solicitors to the said Administrator.

ALICE SUSAN SHEPHERD Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vic. c. 35 that all persons having any claims upon the estate of Alice Susan Shepherd late of No. 3 York-villas Brighton in the county of Sussex deceased who died on the 15th December 1897 and administration of whose estate and effects was granted to Ernest Beard of No. 75 Lansdown-road Notting Hill in the county of Middlesex Barrister-at-Law on the 1st February 1898 by the Principal Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims to the said administrator at the offices of the undersigned his Solicitors on or before the 1st March next after which day the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Alice Susan Shepherd deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated the 3rd February 1898.

THOS. BEARD and SONS 10 Basinghall-street
E.C. Solicitors for the said Administrator.

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GEORGE LORT BUSHELL 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 persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of George Lort Bushell late of Market-street in the town of Narberth in the county of Pembroke Maltster and Farmer deceased who died on or about the 16th day of January 1898 and administration to whose estate was granted by the Carmarthen District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 4th day of February 1898 to John Thomas Bushell of Posty in the parish of Bletherstone and James Parsons Bushell of Park East in the parish of New Moat both in the county of Pembroke aforesaid are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands in writing to me the undersigned on or before the 9th day of March 1898 and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said administrators will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said administrators 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 5th day of February 1898.

JOHN ROBERTS of Castle-terrace Narberth in the county of Pembroke Solicitor for the said Administrators.

ELLEN ELIZA PAUL Deceased.

ALL creditors and other persons having any claim or demands against the estate of Ellen Eliza Paul formerly of 34, Drayton-gardens in the county of Middlesex and late of Chilton Cottage Clare in the county of Suffolk Spinster (who died on the 4th day of January 1898 and whose will was proved by Frederick Willoughby Ranken Hore of 52, Lincoln's-inn-fields in the county of London in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 3rd day of February 1898) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executor on or before the 25th day of March next after the which date the said executor 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 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 4th day of February 1898.

HORES PATTISSON and BATHURST 52, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London W.C. Solicitors for the said Executor.

Re ALFRED THOMAS GAYLEARD Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria cap. 35. **NOTICE** is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Alfred Thomas Gayleard late of 16 West-street Bromley Kent Gentleman deceased (who died on the 6th of January 1890 and whose will was proved on the 31st of January 1890 by Edward Alfred Graeff Henry Charles Trutch Caroline Munro and Louisa Coleman the executors) are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned the Solicitor for the said executors on or before the 25th of February 1898 after which date the executors will distribute the assets of the deceased having regard only to those claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of February 1898.

D. S. DEAS 99 Great Russell-street W.C. Solicitor for the Executors.

JOHN JAMES COUSINS Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act 1859 that all persons having any claims against the estate of John James Cousins late of Allerton Park, Chapel-Allerton, in the city of Leeds, Esquire deceased (who died on the 1st day of December 1897 and whose will was proved by Sarah Ann Cousins, the Widow, William James Cousins and Henry Robinson Cousins the Sons of the said deceased and James Brook on the 24th day of January 1898 in the Wakefield District Registry) must send in claims to us the undersigned on or before the 12th day of March 1898 after which date the assets will be distributed and the said executors will not be liable for any claims sent in after that date.—Dated this 5th day of February 1898.

COUSINS and COUSINS Bank-chambers Park-row, Leeds Solicitors for the Executors.

MARY SCOTT Deceased.

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

TAKE Notice that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Mary Scott late of 1 Wesley-street, Shieldfield in the city and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne Spinster (who died on the 19th day of December 1897 and letters of administration to whose personal estate and effects were granted by the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Registry on the 28th day of January 1898 to Mary Jack the administratrix) are hereby required to send particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 4th day of March next after which date the assets will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been received.—Dated this 4th day of February 1898.

WILLIAM STOREY, 18 Fawcett-street Sunderland, Solicitor to the Administratrix.

DAVID WILLIAMS Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors of David Williams formerly of Plasnewydd, Cilrhedini, in the county of Carmarthen Farmer but afterwards of Eagle Rock Idaho U.S.A. who died in or since the year 1886 are on or before the 8th day of March next to send particulars of their debts or claims to Mr. J. Edwin Pearce Solicitor 3 Gloucester-place Swansea or in default thereof the administrator of the said David Williams will after the said 8th day of March next distribute the assets of the said David Williams amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims only of which he has then notice.—Dated the 5th day of February 1898.

J. EDWIN PEARCE 3 Gloucester-place Swansea Solicitor to the Administrator.

SALOMON THEMANS Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claim against the estate of Salomon Themans late of 80 Burlington-street in the city of Manchester Commercial Traveller (who died on the 7th December 1897 and whose will was proved in the Manchester Probate Registry on the 25th January 1898 by the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars thereof to us the undersigned Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 1st March next, after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to claims of which they shall then have notice and will not be liable for such assets to any person of whose claim they have not then had notice.—Dated this 5th day of February 1898.

EDW. SHIPPEY and JORDAN, 17, Cooper-street Manchester, Solicitors for the Executors.

JOHN PITT NIND and his children.

WHEREAS under the will of Isaac Nind late of Tewkesbury Gloucestershire who died 8th May 1891 the children of his (testators) Grand Nephew John Pitt Nind and being the issue of any child who died in the lifetime of the said testator or his (testators) Wife are entitled to a fund now in Court. And whereas proceeding are pending in the High Court Chancery Division in re Isaac Ninds Trusts, and the Trustee Relief Act, 1897, N. 1001, to ascertain the parties entitled thereto. The said John Pitt Nind is said to have been born at Harberton near Totnes Devonshire. He enlisted in April 1875 in the 20th Regiment and died at Southampton on the 5th August 1892. The evidence adduced suggests that the said John Pitt Nind was married in London in September 1869 to one Cecilia Massey by whom it is said he had one child named Ronald and that the said Cecilia died in September 1870. By direction of the Judge the said Ronald Nind or any other person claiming to be entitled to participate in such funds as the child or grandchild or the legal personal representatives of such of them as are now dead are by their Solicitors on or before the 7th day of March 1898 to come in and prove their claims at the Chambers of Mr. Justice Stirling Royal Courts of Justice Strand London or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from any benefit in the said legacy. Thursday the 17th day of March 1898 at 12 o'clock at the said chambers is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 1st day of February 1898.

H. F. CHURCH Master.

OLDMAN CLABBURN and CO. 2 Old Serjeants-inn London W.C. Applicants Solicitors.

Re JAMES GOODRICH Deceased.

PURSUANT to a Judgment of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in the matter of the estate of James Goodrich deceased and in an action Dalton Brothers against Elizabeth Burleton of which the reference Number is 1898, D. No. 9 the credi-

tors of James Goodrich late of 211 Hoxton-street Hoxton in the county of Middlesex Provision Dealer who died on or about the 2nd of January 1898 are on or before the 10th of March 1898 to send by post prepaid to Thomas William Hicklin of No. 1 Trinity-square, Southwark, S.E. the Solicitor of the defendant Elizabeth Burleton 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 security (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Judgment or Order. Every creditor holding any security to produce the same before Mr. Justice North at his chambers Royal Courts of Justice, London, on the 17th day of March 1898 at 1 o'clock in the afternoon being the time appointed for adjudicating on claims.—Dated this 7th day of February 1898.

HICKLIN WASHINGTON and PASMORE, 1, Trinity-square, Southwark, S.E. Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice Chancery Division made in an action in the matter of the estate of William Harry Dutton deceased the Middlesex Banking Company Limited against Dutton 1897 D. No. 2160, the creditors of William Harry Dutton late of 19 Ashlake-road Streatham in the county of Surrey who died on the 19th day of October 1897 are on or before the 9th day of March 1898 to send by post prepaid to J. Henry Bird 2 Gresham-buildings London E.C. the Solicitor of the executrix 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 having any security is to produce the same before Master Burney at his chambers Room 252 Royal Courts of Justice London on Friday the 25th day of March 1898 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 4th day of February 1898.

T. DURANT 5 Guildhall-chambers Basinghall-street E.C. Solicitor for the Plaintiffs.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in the matter of the estate of Charles Edward Longcroft deceased and in an action re Longcroft Longcroft v. Longcroft (1897 L. No. 2661) the creditors of Charles Edward Longcroft late of Llanina in the county of Cardigan Esq. who died on the 14th day of March 1892 are on or before the 1st day of March 1898 to send by post prepaid to Mr. William Picton Evans of Cardigan a member of the firm of Jenkins and Evans the Solicitors for Catherine Alicia Longcroft the executrix of the deceased their Christian and surnames addresses and descriptions the full particulars of their claims a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before Mr. Justice Kekewich at his chambers the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London on the 9th day of March 1898 at 12 o'clock noon being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 5th day of February 1898.

PEACOCK and GODDARD 3 South-square Gray's-inn W.C. Plaintiff's Solicitors.

COUNTY COURTS' JURISDICTION.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Westminster County Court of Middlesex holden at No. 83 St. Martin's-lane in the said county made in an action Plowright against Plowright, A 7890, the creditors of or claimants against the estate of Harriett Plowright, late of the United Westminster Almshouses, Rochester-row, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Widow, who died in or about the month of December 1895, are, on or before the 4th day of March 1898, to send by post, prepaid, to the Registrars of the said Court, 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; in default thereof they may be excluded from any benefit in the estate. Every creditor holding any security is to produce or transmit the same to the Registrars aforesaid, on or before the 11th day of March 1898, at three o'clock in the afternoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 3rd day of February 1898.

CHRIST. B. CUFF
C. ERNEST CUFF

Registrars.

COUNTY COURTS' JURISDICTION.

PURSUANT to an Order of the County Court of Northamptonshire holden at Wellingborough made in the matter of the estate of Robert Sibley Baker, and in an action Simpson against Baker, the creditors of or claimants against the estate of Robert Sibley Baker, late of Hargrave Rectory, in the county of Northampton, Clerk in Holy Orders, who died in or about the month of October 1897, are, on or before the 12th day of March 1898, to send by post, prepaid, to the Registrar of the said Court, 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; in default thereof they may be peremptorily excluded from any benefit in the estate. Every creditor holding any security is to produce or transmit the same to the Registrar aforesaid, on or before the 17th day of March 1898 at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 4th day of February 1898.

JAMES HEYGATE Registrar.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment dated the 25th day of August 1897 executed by Francis Botting of 6 Baker-street Portman-square in the county of Middlesex Sanitary Engineer for the benefit of his Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given that William George Betts of 5A Orchard-street Portman-square in the county of Middlesex Auctioneer Surveyor and Estate Agent the Trustee under the above-named deed intends to declare a Dividend thereunder and notice of any debts owing by the said Francis Botting must be given to the said Trustee at his office on or before the 4th day of March next, and notice is hereby also given that the said Trustee will after the said 4th day of March next be at liberty to distribute the assets of the said Francis Botting or any part thereof amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated the 4th day of February 1898.

COOPER and BAKE 6 and 7, Portman-street, Portman-square, London W. Solicitors for the said Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire holden at Kingston-upon-Hull.

In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation of the Affairs of John Stocks Hawkins of Moortown in the parish of Brandesburton in the county of York Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above named debtor will be held at the office of the Official Receiver Trinity House-lane Hull on the 16th day of February 1898 at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely for the following purposes:—1. To receive the report of the Official Receiver upon the present position of the matter; 2. To declare what remuneration, if any, the late Trustees be allowed; 3. As to declaring a Second and Final Dividend; 4. Any other business incidental to the closing of the estate and competent for the creditors to pass.—Dated this 5th day of February 1898.

ARTHUR S. MAPLES Official Receiver and Trustee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition dated the 25th day of September, 1866, against Richard Fenning, of No. 174, Hackney-road, in the county of Middlesex, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer, formerly carrying on business as a Boot and Shoe Manufacturer at No. 11, Queen-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, and formerly residing at Beulah-road, Walthamstow, in the county of Essex.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Second and Final Dividend, at the rate of 3s. 9d. 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 second day of August, 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.—3rd day of February, 1898.

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

In the County Court of Bedfordshire holden at Bedford. 1 of 1898.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of an Act 3 and 4 Vict. c. 110, entitled "An Act to Amend the Laws relating to Loan Societies," and in the Matter of the Bedford Mutual Loan Society.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above named Loan Society by the County Court of Bedfordshire holden at Bedford was on the 2nd day of February 1898 presented to the said Court by the said Loan Society. And that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Shire Hall Bedford on the 17th day of February 1898 and any creditor or contributory of the said Loan Society desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order upon the said petition may appear at the time of hearing by himself or by his Counsel or Solicitor for that purpose and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Loan Society requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

HALLILEY and STIMSON, 26 Mill-street Bedford Solicitors to the said Loan Society.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above named notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person or if a firm the name and address of the firm and must be signed by the person or firm or his or their Solicitor (if any) and must be served or if posted must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above named not later than 6 o'clock in the afternoon of the 16th day of February 1898.

In the County Court of Hampshire holden at Newport and at Ryde.

In Bankruptcy. No. 4 of 1898.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition filed the 4th day of February 1898.

To George Davis, late of Ursula-grove, Southsea, in the county of Hants and formerly of Pomona Sandown in the Isle of Wight and lately trading in copartnership with Frank Cantelo at 21 and 22 Prudential-buildings Portsmouth as Davis and Company and the London and Southern Counties Supply Stores in the trade or business of General Dealers at Sandown and elsewhere.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Petition has been presented against you to this Court by William Frederick Brown of Aspenleigh Sandown in the said Isle a retired Major in Her Majesty's Army and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice in the London Gazette and in the Isle of Wight County Press and the Southern Daily Mail newspapers, and the delivery of the petition by registered post letter at your last known address shall be deemed to be service of the petition upon you; and further take notice that the said petition will be heard at this Court on the 14th day of February 1898 at 12 o'clock at noon, on which day you are required to appear, and if you do not appear the Court may make a Receiving Order against you in your absence. The petition can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated this 4th day of February 1898. E. F. BLAKE, Deputy Registrar.

THE BANKRUPTCY ACTS, 1883 AND 1890.
RECEIVING ORDERS.

No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
404	Brooks, Alfred William and Brooks, Frederick Vincent (carrying on business as Vincent Brooks, Day, and Son)	4, Carlton-villas, Barnes, Surrey 27, Hornsey Rise-gardens, Middlesex Both carrying on business at Gate-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of London	Lithographers	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Feb. 4, 1898	160 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898	61	Debtor's	
405	Clark, William Peter ...	14, High-street, St. John's Wood, and 104, High-street, St. John's Wood, both in the county of London, and Broad-street House, Wormwood-street, in the city of London	Butcher	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Jan. 6, 1898	30 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898	58	Creditor's...	Sec. 1, Bankruptcy Act, 1890
406	Dixcey, George	Residing at 56, Waterton-road, Harrow- road, and lately trading in copartnership at 2 and 4, Irongate Wharf, Paddington, both in the county of London	China and Glass Mer- chant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Jan. 12, 1898	57 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898	59	Creditor's ...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bank- ruptcy Act, 1883
407	Hanbury and Co. ...	4, Featherstone-buildings, High Holborn, in the county of London.	Auctioneers	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Jan. 21, 1898	99 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898	60	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bank- ruptcy Act, 1883
408	Lancashire, Joseph Henry	72, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London	Commission Agent ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 24, 1897	1449 of 1897	Feb. 2, 1898	55	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bank- ruptcy Act, 1883
409	Ray, James	Durham-road and Elm Wood, Knight's Hill- road, West Norwood, in the county of London	Builder	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Dec. 10, 1897	1526 of 1897	Feb. 2, 1898	56	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bank- ruptcy Act, 1883
410	Roberts, Stanley Napier	Late of 4, Rushmore, Aldershot, whose present residence the Petitioning Creditor is unable to ascertain	A Colonel in Her Majesty's Army	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Dec. 17, 1897	1565 of 1897	Feb. 3, 1898	57	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bank- ruptcy Act, 1883
411	Williams, George ...	Lately residing at Mona View, Caroline- street, and lately carrying on business at 48, Madoc-street, both in Llandudno, Car- narvonshire, now of: Cwm Howard, Llan- dudno aforesaid	Lately Butcher, now of no occupation	Bangor	Feb. 4, 1898	4 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898	4	Debtor's	
412	Chattell, Ada (trading as Ada Nadauld)	Speedwell Bakery, Speedwell-road, Hay Mills, Yardley, Worcestershire	Baker, a Married Woman, carrying on business separately from her Husband	Birmingham ...	Jan. 12, 1898	5 of 1898	Feb. 2, 1898	10	Creditor's...	Sec. 1, Bankruptcy Act, 1890

RECEIVING ORDERS—continued.

No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
413	Payne, Jesse	The Britannia Inn, 4, Birchall-street, Birmingham, Warwickshire	Licensed Victualler ...	Birmingham ...	Feb. 3, 1898	12 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898	11	Debtor's	
414	Haworth, John Alfred ...	Residing at 26, Annie-street, Accrington, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business at 28, Annie-street, Accrington aforesaid	Grocer and Beer Retailer	Blackburn ...	Feb. 3, 1898	4 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898	4	Debtor's	
415	Claxton, Arthur Anderson	Residing at 3, Woodhall-road, Calverley, and carrying on business at 124, Swan-arcade, Bradford, both in Yorkshire	Yarn Agent	Bradford ...	Feb. 3, 1898	8 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898	8	Debtor's	
416	Hopkinson, John ...	Residing at 18, Orchard-street, Otley-road, in the city of Bradford	Out of business	Bradford ...	Feb. 3, 1898	7 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898	7	Debtor's	
417	Kitchen, John	Residing at 9, Nuttall-road, and carrying on business at Bolton-street, both in the city of Bradford	Builder and Contractor...	Bradford ...	Feb. 4, 1898	9 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898	9	Debtor's	
418	Pitts, John	3, Downing-terrace, Cambridge, lately residing and trading at Hyde Park Corner, Cambridge	Boot and Shoe Maker ...	Cambridge ...	Feb. 3, 1898	4 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898	4	Debtor's	
419	Lubbock, John	9, Moors-road, Cadoxton, in the county of Glamorgan	Builder	Cardiff	Feb. 4, 1898	10 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898	7	Debtor's	
420	Richards, William Henry and Richards, Charles (trading as W. and C. Richards) ...	50A, Albany-road, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, and lately carrying on business at 50A, Albany-road, Cardiff	Outfitters	Cardiff	Jan. 24, 1898	6 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898	6	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (A.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
421	Jones, Richard	Cwmsannan Factory, Llanfynydd, Carmarthenshire	Spinner	Carmarthen ...	Feb. 4, 1898	7 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898	8	Debtor's	
422	Barlow, John Joseph ...	Park-street, Alfreton, Derbyshire	Foreman Labourer ...	Derby	Feb. 4, 1898	7 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898	7	Debtor's	
423	Linér, Thomas Charles ...	Residing in lodgings at 50, King's-street, Alfreton, and late of 51, St. James's-road, Derby, both in Derbyshire	Billposter, late Auctioneer's Clerk	Derby	Feb. 3, 1898	6 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898	6	Debtor's	

RECEIVING ORDERS—continued.

No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
424	Blandford, Edmund George	Wolveton Farm, in the parish of Charminster, in the county of Dorset, and formerly residing at Sutton Mandeville, in the county of Wilts, and then of Roxtead Farm, Damerham, in the county of Wilts	Farm Bailiff	Dorchester	Feb. 4, 1898	2 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898	2	Debtor's	
425	Tibbetts, Thomas Adams	33, Grainger's-lane, Cradley Heath, Staffs ...	Maltster	Dudley	Feb. 2, 1898	1 of 1898	Feb. 2, 1898	1	Debtor's	
426	Earl, John, and ... Tayler, Charles Francis... (lately trading under the style or firm of Earl and Tayler)...	Kingskerswell, Devonshire Plymouth, Devonshire Lately trading at Kingskerswell Brewery, Kingskerswell aforesaid	Brewer Brewer's Engineer Brewers	Exeter	Feb. 4, 1898	6 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898	6	Debtor's	
427	Austin, John	Crianlarich, Churchdown, Gloucestershire, lately 266, Broad-street, Birmingham, and the Peacheries, Lower Caversham, Oxfordshire	Nursery Grower	Gloucester	Feb. 5, 1898	3 of 1898	Feb. 5, 1898	3	Debtor's	
428	Birch, Thomas	Slater-street and New-street, both in Burslem, Staffordshire	Bookbinder	Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall	Jan. 21, 1898	4 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898	2	Creditor's...	Sec. 1, Bankruptcy Act, 1890
429	Lee, Ashton, and Lee, Alfred (formerly carrying on business under the style of Ashton Lee and Co.) ...	Formerly carrying on business at Woodside Mills, Horsforth, in the county of York, now residing at 8, Cedar-grove, Armley, in the city of Leeds	Formerly Dyers, now out of business	Leeds	Feb. 3, 1898	17 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898	16	Debtor's	
430	Sixsmith, Moses	Ashington, Northumberland	Boot Dealer	Newcastle-on-Tyne	Jan. 18, 1898	1 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898	6	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (A.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
431	Walker, James	1, Saville-street, South Shields, county of Durham	Boot and Shoe Maker ...	Newcastle-on-Tyne	Feb. 3, 1898	5 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898	5	Debtor's	
432	Green, Thomas	Residing at Hucknall Torkard, and carrying on business at Hucknall Torkard aforesaid, and at Calverton, both in Nottinghamshire	Veterinary Surgeon, Farmer, Miller, and Dealer in Horses, Cattle, Corn, Hay, and Ale	Nottingham	Feb. 3, 1898	9 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898	9	Debtor's	
433	Trant, William Edwards	Kingswear, in the county of Devon	Baker	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	Jan. 20, 1898	2 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898	3	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (H.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883

RECEIVING ORDERS—continued.

No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
434	Evans, John	3, Wood-road, Pontypridd, Glamorganshire...	Commission Agent ...	Pontypridd ...	Feb. 4, 1898	3 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898	3	Debtor's	
435	Morris, Herbert George...	36, Ashley-road, Boscombe, Bournemouth, in the county of Southampton	Newsagent and General Dealer	Poole	Feb. 3, 1898	1 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898	1	Debtor's	
436	Nye, George Thomas ...	1, Star-hill, Rochester, Kent, carrying on business with Thomas Joseph Nye, at 1, Star-hill, Rochester aforesaid, and at 35, Gardiner-street, New Brompton, Gillingham, Kent, under the name or style of Nye Brothers	Builder and Bricklayer...	Rochester ...	Feb. 5, 1898	4 of 1898	Feb. 5, 1898	4	Debtor's	
437	Atcherley, John	Now of Watling-street, Wellington, in the county of Salop, formerly of Harcourt House, High Offley, in the county of Stafford	Of no occupation, formerly Farmer	Stafford ...	Feb. 4, 1898	1 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898	1	Debtor's	
438	Bass, William Henry ...	21, Lansdowne-street, Darlington, in the county of Durham	Bricklayer	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	Feb. 2, 1898	7 of 1898	Feb. 2, 1898	7	Debtor's	
439	Tonkyn, Arthur	Fore-street, St. Columb, Cornwall	Baker and Confectioner	Truro	Feb. 5, 1898	6 of 1898	Feb. 5, 1898	6	Debtor's	
440	Daniel, Matthew James	The Bon Marché, Jarvis Brook, Rotherfield, Sussex	Draper and Hosier ...	Tunbridge Wells	Feb. 2, 1898	2 of 1898	Feb. 2, 1898	1	Debtor's	
441	Thick, Charles	13, Leg-square, Shepton Mallet, Somersetshire	Fishmonger	Wells	Feb. 5, 1898	1 of 1898	Feb. 5, 1898	1	Debtor's	
442	Simcox, Benjamin	Lately residing at 95, Spon-lane, West Bromwich, now of 118A, High-street, West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford	Dairyman... ..	West Bromwich	Feb. 3, 1898	1 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898	1	Debtor's	
443	Ward, Philip	347, Newhampton-road West, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford	Plasterer	Wolverhampton	Feb. 3, 1898	4 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898	2	Debtor's	
444	Salvey, Arthur William...	Residing at Osborne-villas, Ombersley-road, Worcester, and carrying on business at 30, Cross, Worcester, and 24, High-street, Kidderminster, Worcestershire	Dentist	Worcester ...	Feb. 5, 1898	2 of 1898	Feb. 5, 1898	2	Debtor's	
445	Moon, Emma	44, Middle-street, Yeovil	Fish and Fruit Dealer, Wife of Francis Moon	Yeovil	Feb. 2, 1898	2 of 1898	Feb. 2, 1898	1	Debtor's	

RECEIVING ORDER RESCINDED AND ADJUDICATION ANNULLED.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	Date of Rescission and Annulment.	Grounds of Rescission and Annulment.
Cohen, Lawrence, and Cohen, Louis (trading as Lawrence Cohen, Cohen, and Co.)	48, Hatton Garden, in the city of London	Watch Material Dealers ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1505 of 1891	Dec. 15, 1891 Date of Adjudication. Jan. 7, 1892 .	Feb. 1, 1898 ...	It appearing to the Court that the debts of the debtors have all been paid in full

FIRST MEETINGS AND PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS.

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.
Beard, Charles Oakley	New residing at 3, Sea View-terrace, Herne Bay, Kent, lately carrying on business at the United Club, Herne Bay aforesaid, and lately residing at 92, Cromford-road, Putney	Director of Public Companies, Stock-broker, and Club Proprietor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1369 of 1897	Feb. 17, 1898	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - build-ings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 9, 1898	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Ca-rey - street, London, W.C.	
Beckwith, Henry ...	Carrying on business at Finsbury - circus - build-ings, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London	Secretary to a Public Company	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1329 of 1897	Feb. 15, 1898	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - build-ings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 9, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Ca-rey - street, London, W.C.	
L Bird, H. Macpherson	143, Goldhurst - terrace, South Hampstead, in the county of London	Stockbroker ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1506 of 1897	Feb. 15, 1898	12 noon	Bankruptcy - build-ings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 9, 1898	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Ca-rey - street, London, W.C.	
Blandford, William ...	23, Talgarth-road, West Kensington, Middlesex, and lately carrying on business at 3, Alderman-bury-buildings, in the city of London	Umbrella Manu-facturer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	61 of 1898	Feb. 17, 1898	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - build-ings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 9, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Ca-rey - street, London, W.C.	
Clark, William Peter.	14, High-street, St. John's Wood, and 104, High-street, St. John's Wood, both in the city of London, and Broad-street House, Wormwood-street, in the city of London	Butcher ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	80 of 1898	Feb. 15, 1898	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - build-ings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 9, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Ca-rey - street, London, W.C.	
Dewhurst, John ...	Residing and carrying on business at 52, North End-road, West Kensing-ton, in the county of London	Electrician, Sani-tary Engineer, and Plumber	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	141 of 1898	Feb. 17, 1898	12 noon	Bankruptcy - build-ings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 9, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Ca-rey - street, London, W.C.	
Lancashire, Joseph Henry	72, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London	Commission Agent	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1449 of 1897	Feb. 16, 1898	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - build-ings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 25, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Ca-rey - street, London, W.C.	

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Large, Edward ...	Carrying on business at 26, City-road, Finsbury-square, in the county of London	Valuer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	66 of 1898	Feb. 15, 1898	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 25, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
Maclachlan, W. ...	23, Penywern-road, Earl's Court, in the county of London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1482 of 1897	Feb. 16, 1898	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 25, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
Parkes, Wilfred Roderick (carrying on business as the Suburban Flour and Grain Company)	14, Cathcart-hill, Junction-road, Upper Holloway, carrying on business at Gordon House - road, Kentish Town, both in the county of London	Flour and Grain Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	139 of 1898	Feb. 16, 1898	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 18, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
Powell, Henry Bassett	83, Westbourne-grove, in the county of London	Dealer in Art Needlework	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	137 of 1898	Feb. 17, 1898	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 18, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
Stephens, Samuel ...	Edinburgh Mansions, in the city of Westminster, also of 9, Stone-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of London	Barrister-at-Law...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1074 of 1897	Feb. 17, 1898	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Mar. 8, 1898	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
Pritchard, Evan Pierce	80, High-street, Bethesda, Carnarvonshire	Saddler	Bangor	3 of 1898	Feb. 15, 1898	3.30 P.M.	Ship Hotel, Bangor	Mar. 3, 1898	12.15 P.M.	Magistrates' Room, Bangor	
Roberts, Evan William	Castle House, Bethesda, Carnarvonshire	Hairdresser and Tobacconist	Bangor	2 of 1898	Feb. 15, 1898	3.15 P.M.	Ship Hotel, Bangor	Mar. 3, 1898	12.15 P.M.	Magistrates' Room, Bangor	
Tanner, Samuel ...	Fern Villa, Llanwnda, Carnarvonshire	Railway Secretary	Bangor	1 of 1898	Feb. 15, 1898	12.45 P.M.	Prince of Wales Hotel, Carnarvon	Mar. 3, 1898	12.15 P.M.	Magistrates' Room, Bangor	Jan. 28, 1898
Scott, George ...	Residing at 9, New-street, in the city of Bath, and carrying on business at 24, Westgate-buildings, Bath	Boot and Shoe Maker	Bath	2 of 1898	Feb. 16, 1898	3 P.M.	Offices of Official Receiver Baldwin-street, Bristol	Feb. 24, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Guildhall, Bath	Feb. 4, 1898

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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.
Ryland, Alfred, the younger	Lodging at 247, Pershore-road, Birmingham, Warwickshire, trading at 22, Brasshouse - passage, Birmingham aforesaid, and practising at 84, Summer - hill - road, Birmingham aforesaid, and 2, College-street, in the city of Worcester	Trading as a Brass Founder and practising as a Dentist	Birmingham ...	9 of 1898	Feb. 16, 1898	11 A.M.	174, Corporation-street, Birmingham	Mar. 4, 1898	2 P.M.	County Court, Birmingham	Feb. 5, 1898
Cohen, Samuel (carrying on business as the Burnley Glass Company)	Residing and carrying on business at 18 and 20, Sandycote, Burnley, in the county of Lancaster also carrying on business at 57, Victoria-street, Blackburn, Lancashire	Glazier	Blackburn ...	2 of 1898	Feb. 16, 1898	3 P.M.	Exchange Hotel, Nicholas - street, Burnley	Mar. 9, 1898	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Blackburn	Feb. 2, 1898
Tunstall, John Robert	Residing and carrying on business at 111, Hermitage-street, Rishton, in the county of Lancaster	Draper	Blackburn ...	3 of 1898	Mar. 9, 1898	1 P.M.	County Court-house, Blackburn	Mar. 9, 1898	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Blackburn	Feb. 2, 1898
Stuttard, William ...	Now residing at 20, North-street, lately residing and carrying on business at 41, Fendle-street, both in Nelson, Lancashire	Manager of a Chipped Potato Shop, formerly Shoemaker	Burnley ...	3 of 1898	Feb. 25, 1898	1 P.M.	Exchange Hotel, Nicholas - street, Burnley	Feb. 25, 1898	11 A.M.	Court - house, Burnley	Feb. 2, 1898
Chaloner, Thomas Osborne	Stockbridge House, Newmarket, in the county of Suffolk	Trainer of Race Horses	Cambridge ...	3 of 1898	Feb. 15, 1898	2.30 P.M.	White Hart Hotel, Newmarket	Feb. 16, 1898	11 A.M.	Guildhall, Cambridge	
Pitts, John	Lately residing at and trading at Hyde Park Corner, Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge, and now residing at 3, Downing-terrace, Cambridge aforesaid	Boot and Shoe Maker	Cambridge ...	4 of 1898	Feb. 16, 1898	10 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 5, Petty Cury, Cambridge	Feb. 16, 1898	11 A.M.	Guildhall, Cambridge	Feb. 7, 1898

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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.
Bone, Thomas Amadens Thornton	13, Vicarage-place, Margate, Kent, formerly residing at 13, Cranbourne-place, Margate	Journeyman Painter, lately Sweet Seller and Hawker	Canterbury ...	7 of 1898	Mar. 3, 1898	9 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 73, Castle-street, Canterbury	Mar. 3, 1898	10 A.M.	Guildhall, Canterbury	Feb. 4, 1898
Humphrey, Thomas (also trading as T. Humphrey and Son)	1, Grafton-street and Fish Docks, Great Grimsby	Smackowner, Boat Builder, and Fish Merchant	Great Grimsby...	4 of 1898	Feb. 15, 1898	11 A.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 15, Osborne-street, Great Grimsby	Mar. 3, 1898	11 A.M.	Townhall, Great Grimsby	Jan. 31, 1898
Fewster, Joseph Anthony	Wisbech St. Peter, Cambridgeshire	Stationer and Printer	King's Lynn ...	1 of 1898	Feb. 17, 1898	11 A.M.	Court-house, King's Lynn	Feb. 17, 1898	10.30 A.M.	Court-house, King's Lynn	Feb. 1, 1898
Foster, Williamson, the younger (carrying on business under the style or firm of Bennett Foster)	Carrying on business at 14, Woodhouse-lane, in the city of Leeds	Tailor and Undertaker	Leeds ...	3 of 1898	Feb. 18, 1898	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park-row, Leeds	Mar. 8, 1898	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Albion-place, Leeds	Jan. 29, 1898
Horn, David ...	Lately residing and carrying on business at the Unicorn Inn, Stocks-hill, Bramley, in the city of Leeds, now residing at Airedale-view, Bramley aforesaid	Lately Innkeeper, now out of business	Leeds ...	16 of 1898	Feb. 17, 1898	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park-row, Leeds	Mar. 8, 1898	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Albion-place, Leeds	Feb. 5, 1898
Horrox, Arthur ...	Formerly residing at 2, Brudenell-view, Hyde Park, and carrying on business at 21, Brudenell Mount, now residing at 2, Wrangthorne-avenue and carrying on business at 21A, St. Michael's-road, all in the city of Leeds	Builder ...	Leeds ...	13 of 1898	Feb. 17, 1898	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park-row, Leeds	Mar. 8, 1898	11 A.M.	County Court-house, Albion-place, Leeds	Feb. 5, 1898
Aspell, William Laxton (carrying on business as W. L. Aspell and Company)	Residing at 10, West-street, Leicester, and carrying on business at Mansfield-street, Leicester	Box Manufacturer	Leicester ...	3 of 1898	Feb. 15, 1898	12.30 P.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 1, Berridge-street, Leicester	Feb. 17, 1898	10 A.M.	The Castle, Leicester	Feb. 2, 1898

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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.
Brady, Esther ...	The Queen's Dairy, 7, Evington-street, and of 4A, Princess-street, and 1, Guthlaxton-street, all in the county borough of Leicester	Milk Dealer and Fruiterer, Wife of Henry Brady	Leicester ...	5 of 1898	Feb. 16, 1898	12.30 P.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 1, Berridge-street, Leicester	Feb. 17, 1898	10 A.M.	The Castle, Leicester	Feb. 2, 1898
Sowerby, George ...	Residing at Lemington Hall, Northumberland, lately carrying on business at Lemington Glass Works, Lemington, Northumberland	Company Managing Director	Newcastle-on-Tyne	59 of 1897	Feb. 16, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 30, Mosley-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Feb. 17, 1898	11.30 A.M.	County Court, Westgate-road, Newcastle-on-Tyne	
Viall, Joseph Henry...	Residing at 52, Linskill-terrace, North Shields, Northumberland, lately trading at 10, Neville-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Commission Agent	Newcastle-on-Tyne	3 of 1898	Feb. 16, 1898	12 noon	Official Receiver's Office, 30, Mosley-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Feb. 17, 1898	11.30 A.M.	County Court, Westgate-road, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Feb. 5, 1898
Williams, Rees ...	28, Taff-street, Pontypridd, Glamorganshire	Painter	Pontypridd ...	1 of 1898	Feb. 15, 1898	12 noon	65, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil	Mar. 22, 1898	11.15 A.M.	Court-house, Pontypridd	Feb. 3, 1898
Hedley, Joseph ...	The Buck Inn, Sadberge, in the county of Durham	Licensed Victual-ler	Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough	6 of 1898	Feb. 16, 1898	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 8, Albert-road, Middles-borough	Feb. 16, 1898	10.30 A.M.	Court-house, Bridge-road, Stockton-on-Tees	Feb. 1, 1898
Lewis, David Rhys ...	1166 and 1167, Neath-road, Plasmarl, in the county borough of Swansea	Grocer	Swansea ...	1 of 1898	Feb. 17, 1898	2.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 31, Alexandra-road, Swansea	Feb. 17, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Townhall, Swansea	
Priestly, John Andrew	25, Liverpool-road, Stoke-upon-Trent, Staffordshire	Chemist and Druggist	Stoke-upon-Trent and Longton	1 of 1898	Feb. 16, 1898	3 P.M.	The North Stafford Hotel, Stoke-upon-Trent	Feb. 22, 1898	11 A.M.	Townhall, Stoke-upon-Trent	
Wells, Harry Fitzwilliam	Shepherd-street, New Swindon, Wiltshire	Shop Clerk in the employ of the Great Western Railway Company	Swindon ...	3 of 1898	Feb. 16, 1898	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 46, Crick-lade-street, Swin-don	Mar. 9, 1898	12 noon	County Court Public Offices, Regent-circus, Swindon	Feb. 3, 1898

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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.
Sims, Tom ...	45, Commercial - road, Tredegar	Tailor and Draper	Tredegar ...	1 of 1898	Feb. 16, 1898	12 noon	65, High - street, Merthyr Tydfil	Mar. 18, 1898	10.30 A.M.	County Court, Townhall, Tredegar	Feb. 3, 1898
Parkyn, James ...	Towan, St. Merryn, Cornwall	Farmer ...	Truro ...	5 of 1898	Feb. 17, 1898	12 noon	Official Receiver's Office, Boscawen-street, Truro	Feb. 19, 1898	11.45 A.M.	Townhall, Truro	Feb. 3, 1898
Love, Alfred ...	Residing at 6, York-road, Battersea, in the county of London	Traveller in Flour and Meal, formerly Baker and Flour Factor	Wandsworth ...	6 of 1898	Feb. 15, 1898	12.30 P.M.	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Mar. 10, 1898	12 noon	Court - house, Wandsworth	Feb. 3, 1898
Peirce, William ...	2, Archway-place, North Side, Clapham Common, and Macaulay - road, Stables, Macaulay - road Clapham, in the county of Surrey, lately carrying on business at 4 and 6, Lilleshall-road, Clapham aforesaid	Job Master, lately Cab Proprietor	Wandsworth ...	5 of 1898	Feb. 15, 1898	11.30 A.M.	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Mar. 10, 1898	12 noon	Court - house, Wandsworth	Feb. 3, 1898
Clinton, James ...	35, Market-place, Willenhall, in the county of Stafford	Hairdresser and News Agent	Wolverhampton	3 of 1898	Feb. 17, 1898	11.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Wolverhampton	Feb. 17, 1898	2.30 P.M.	County Court, Wolverhampton	Feb. 2, 1898
Ward, Philip ...	347, Newhampton - road West, Wolverhampton, Staffordshire	Plasterer ...	Wolverhampton	4 of 1898	Feb. 17, 1898	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Wolverhampton	Feb. 17, 1898	2.30 P.M.	County Court, Wolverhampton	

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Blake, the Honourable Charles William Joseph Henry (described in Receiving Order as the Honourable Charles William J. H. Blake)	Late of Challis's Hotel, Coventry-street, Piccadilly, in the county of London, whose present residence the Petitioning Creditor is unable to ascertain	Of no occupation	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1518 of 1897	Feb. 3, 1898 ...	Dec. 10, 1897
Blandford, William (described in Receiving Order as W. Blandford)	23, Talgarth-road, West Kensington, Middlesex, and lately carrying on business at 3, Aldermanbury-buildings, in the city of London	Umbrella Manufacturer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	61 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898 ...	Jan. 13, 1898
King, John	43, Gurney-street, Walworth, and 76, Deacon-street, Walworth, both in Surrey	Builder and Sanitary Engineer (in partnership with Rebecca Watkins under the style and firm of Watkins and King)	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	142 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898 ...	Feb. 1, 1898
Williams, George	Lately residing at Mona View, Caroline-street, and lately carrying on business at 43, Madoc-street, both in Llandudno, Carnarvonshire, now of Cwm Howard, Llandudno aforesaid	Lately Butcher, now of no occupation	Bangor	4 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898 ...	Feb. 3, 1898
Jaehnichen, Ferdinand Richard	Residing at 106, Pershore-road, Birmingham, and trading at 61, St. Paul's-square, Birmingham	Dealer in Cycle Parts and Accessories	Birmingham	4 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898 ...	Jan. 11, 1898
Ryland, Alfred, the younger	Lodging at 247, Pershore-road, Birmingham, Warwickshire, trading at 22, Brasshouse-passaxe, Birmingham aforesaid, and practising at 84, Summer Hill-road, Birmingham aforesaid, and 2, College-street, in the city of Worcester	Trading as a Brassfounder and practising as a Dentist	Birmingham	9 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898 ...	Jan. 22, 1898
Haworth, John Alfred	Residing at 26, Annie-street, Accrington, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business at 28, Annie-street, Accrington aforesaid	Grocer and Beer Retailer	Blackburn	4 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898 ...	Feb. 3, 1898
Claxton, Arthur Anderson	Residing at 3, Woodhall-road, Calverley, and carrying on business at 124, Swan-arcade, Bradford, both in Yorkshire	Yarn Agent	Bradford	8 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898 ...	Feb. 3, 1898
Hopkinson, John	Residing at 18, Orchard-street, Otley-road, in the city of Bradford	Out of business	Bradford	7 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898 ...	Feb. 2, 1898
Kitchen, John	Residing at 9, Nuttall-road, and carrying on business at Bolton-street, both in the city of Bradford	Builder and Contractor	Bradford	9 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898 ...	Feb. 4, 1898
Thornton, John	Carr-street and Westgate, both in Cleckheaton, Yorkshire ...	Machine Maker	Bradford	4 of 1898	Feb. 5, 1898 ...	Jan. 14, 1898
Pitts, John	3, Downing-terrace, Cambridge, lately residing and trading at Hyde Park Corner, Cambridge	Boot and Shoe Maker	Cambridge	4 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898 ...	Feb. 3, 1898

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Orundall, Thomas Bullock	Residing and carrying on business at 91, Holton-road, Barry Dock, in the county of Glamorgan	Ironmonger	Cardiff	5 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898 ...	Jan. 14, 1898
Jones, Richard	Cwmsannan Factory, Llanfynydd, Carmarthenshire	Spinner... ..	Carmarthen	7 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898 ...	Feb. 4, 1898
Barlow, John Joseph	Park-street, Alfreton, Derbyshire	Foreman Labourer	Derby	7 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898 ...	Feb. 4, 1898
Liner, Thomas Charles	Residing in lodgings at 50, King's-street, Alfreton, and late of 51, St. James's-road, Derby, both in Derbyshire	Billposter, late Auctioneer's Clerk ...	Derby	6 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898 ...	Feb. 3, 1898
Blandford, Edmund George	Wolveton Farm, in the parish of Charminster, in the county of Dorset, and formerly residing at Sutton Mandeville, in the county of Wilts. and then at Roxtead Farm, Damerham, in the county of Wilts	Farm Bailiff	Dorchester	2 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898 ...	Feb. 2, 1898
Tibbetts, Thomas Adams	33, Grainger's-lane, Cradley Heath, Staffordshire	Maltster	Dudley	1 of 1898	Feb. 2, 1898 ...	Feb. 2, 1898
Austin, John	Crianlarich, Churchdown, Gloucestershire, lately 266, Broad-street, Birmingham, and the Peacheries, Lower Caversham, Oxfordshire	Nursery Grower	Gloucester	3 of 1898	Feb. 5, 1898 ...	Feb. 5, 1898
Corballis, James Frederick Joseph ...	Weybourne House, Farnham, in the county of Surrey ...	Formerly a Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Royal Irish Regiment, now an Army Tutor	Guildford and Godalming	3 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898 ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Lee, Ashton, and Lee, Alfred (formerly carrying on business under the style of Ashton Lee and Co.)	Formerly carrying on business at Woodside Mills, Horsforth, in the county of York, now residing at 8, Cedar-grove, Armley, in the city of Leeds	Formerly Dyers, now out of business	Leeds	17 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898 ...	Feb. 3, 1898
Duthie, Jean (trading without a partner as Stuart and Co.)	Residing and carrying on business at 95 and 97, Stanley-road, Bootle, in the county of Lancaster.	Tailor and Outfitter, Widow ...	Liverpool	6 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898 ...	Jan. 17, 1898
Walker, James	1, Saville-street, South Shields, county of Durham	Boot and Shoe Maker	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	5 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898 ...	Feb. 3, 1898
Green, Thomas	Residing at Hucknall Torkard, and carrying on business at Hucknall Torkard aforesaid, and at Calverton, both in Nottinghamshire	Veterinary Surgeon, Farmer, Miller, and Dealer in Horses, Cattle, Corn, Hay, and Ale	Nottingham	9 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898 ...	Feb. 3, 1898
Evans, John	3, Wood-road, Pontypridd, Glamorganshire	Commission Agent	Pontypridd	3 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898 ...	Feb. 4, 1898

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Petition.
Morris, Herbert George]	36, Ashley-road, Boscombe, Bournemouth, in the county of Southampton	Newsagent and General Dealer'	Poole...	1 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898 ...	Feb. 3, 1898
Bushton, William James	Residing at 33, Reads-road, and carrying on business at Tower-buildings, Bank Hey-street, and at Metropole-buildings, all in Blackpool, Lancashire	Fancy Draper and Milliner ...	Preston ...	3 of 1898	Feb. 4, 1898 ...	Jan. 22, 1898
Nye, George Thomas	1, Star-hill, Rochester, Kent, carrying on business with Thomas Joseph Nye, at 1, Star-hill, Rochester aforesaid, and at 35, Gardiner-street, New Brompton, Gillingham, Kent, under the name or style of Nye Brothers	Builder and Bricklayer ...	Rochester ...	4 of 1898	Feb. 5, 1898 ...	Feb. 5, 1898
Bass, William Henry	21, Lansdowne-street, Darlington, in the county of Durham	Bricklayer ...	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	7 of 1898	Feb. 2, 1898 ...	Feb. 1, 1898
Priestley, John Andrew	25, Liverpool-road, Stoke-upon-Trent, Staffordshire ...	Chemist and Druggist ...	Stoke - upon - Trent and Longton	1 of 1898	Feb. 5, 1898 ...	Jan. 29, 1898
Parkyn, James	Towan, St. Merryn, Cornwall ...	Farmer ...	Truro...	5 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898 ...	Jan. 19, 1898
Tonkyn, Arthur	Fore-street, St. Columb, Cornwall ...	Baker and Confectioner ...	Truro...	6 of 1898	Feb. 5, 1898 ...	Feb. 5, 1898
Daniel, Matthew James	The Bon Marché, Jarvis Brook, Rotherfield, Sussex ...	Draper and Hosier ...	Tunbridge Wells ...	2 of 1898	Feb. 2, 1898 ...	Feb. 2, 1898
Feirce, William	2, Archway-place, North Side, Clapham Common, and Macaulay-road Stables, Macaulay-road, Clapham, in the county of Surrey, lately carrying on business at 4 and 6, Lilleshall-road, Clapham aforesaid	Jobmaster, lately Cab Proprietor ...	Wandsworth	5 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898 ...	Jan. 27, 1898
Thick, Charles	13, Leg-square, Shepton Mallet, Somersetshire ...	Fishmonger ...	Wells...	1 of 1898	Feb. 5, 1898 ...	Feb. 5, 1898
Simcox, Benjamin	Lately residing at 95, Spon-lane, West Bromwich, now of 118A, High-street, West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford	Dairyman ...	West Bromwich ...	1 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898 ...	Feb. 3, 1898
Ward, Philip...	347, Newhampton-road West, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford	Plasterer ...	Wolverhampton ...	4 of 1898	Feb. 3, 1898 ...	Jan. 29, 1898
Selvey, Arthur William	Residing at Osborne-villas, Ombersley-road, Worcester, and carrying on business at 30, Cross, Worcester, and at 24, High-street, Kidderminster, Worcestershire	Dentist ...	Worcester ...	2 of 1898	Feb. 5, 1898 ...	Feb. 5, 1898
Moon, Emma...	44, Middle-street, Yeovil ...	Fish and Fruit Dealer, Wife of Francis Moon	Yeovil ...	2 of 1898	Feb. 2, 1898 ...	Feb. 2, 1898

ORDER ON APPLICATION TO APPROVE COMPOSITION OR SCHEME.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No. of Mater.	Date of Order.	Nature of Scheme or Composition sanctioned or Order made.
Ferguson, Harry	Highfield - terrace, Clifton Common, Brighouse, York- shire	Patentee and Manu- facturer	Halifax	1 of 1897	Jan. 26, 1898	All proper costs, charges, and expenses of and incidental to the proceedings, and all fees and percentages payable to the Official Receiver and the Board of Trade deposited with the Official Receiver. Payment of 20s. in the pound on all provable debts as follows, viz., 7s. 6d. in the pound to be paid within 14 days, the amount required being deposited with the Official Receiver, and 12s. 6d. in the pound to be paid within six calendar months after confirmation by the Court, being secured by the deposit with the said Official Receiver of promissory note for £2,000 signed by the debtor, and the transfer to the Official Receiver of £4,000 fully paid up shares of £1 each in the Anglo-Indian and Foreign Fibre Company Limited. Receiving Order discharged

NOTICES OF INTENDED DIVIDENDS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Evans, William	Tycorniog, in the parish of Llannor, in the county of Carnarvon	Farmer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy (transferred from Portmadoc and Blaenau Festiniog)	252 of 1897	Feb. 22, 1898 ...	John Townley Trotter	27, Brazennose-street, Manchester
Evans, William	8, Gloucester-mews West and 4, Tavistock-crescent, Paddington, both in Middlesex	Cabowner	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1318 of 1896	Feb. 23, 1898 ...	E. Leadam Hough, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Galpin, Henry Draper	14, Rigault-road, Fulham, in the county of London	Of no occupation	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	617 of 1897	Feb. 23, 1898 ...	H. Brougham, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Read, Charles	Camberwell House Lunatic Asylum, Peckham-road, and Gipsy Hill Hotel, Gipsy Hill, and the Clock House, Clapham Park-road, all in Surrey	Licensed Victualler, a person of unsound mind, not so found by Inquisition	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1490 of 1897	Feb. 22, 1898 ...	Alfred Cotton Harper, Chartered Accountant	10, Trinity-square, Tower-hill, London, E.C.
Rogers, Charles Watrous	St. Michael's House, St. Michael's-alley, Cornhill, and Brandford, Goudhurst, Kent, lately carrying on business at Bartholomew House, Bartholomew-lane, in the city of London	Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	606 of 1890	Feb. 23, 1898 ...	John William Woodthorpe	Leadenhall-buildings, London, E.C.
White, Jacob William (described in Receiving Order as J. W. White)	167 and 181, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London	Painter	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1277 of 1897	Feb. 22, 1898 ...	Alfred Cotton Harper, Chartered Accountant	10, Trinity-square, Tower-hill, E.C.
Parker, George	Park-street, London-road, High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire	Chair Manufacturer... ..	Aylesbury	2 of 1897	Feb. 23, 1898 ...	George Mallam, Official Receiver	1, St. Aldate-street, Oxford
Jones, William	Conway House, Rose Hill-street, Conway, Carnarvonshire, and lately residing and carrying on business at 10, High-street, Conway aforesaid	Grocer and Lodging-house Keeper	Bangor	32 of 1893	Feb. 22, 1898 ...	Llewelyn Hugh Jones, Official Receiver	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate-row, Chester
Mahe, Edward George	2, Victoria-place, Gravelly Hill, Warwickshire	Chemist and Druggist	Birmingham	64 of 1897	Feb. 24, 1898 ...	Luke Jesson Sharp, Official Receiver	174, Corporation-street, Birmingham
Weller, William Reynell...	Wick, near Littlehampton, Sussex	General Dealer	Brighton	59 of 1897	Feb. 23, 1898 ...	Howard W. Cox, Official Receiver	4, Pavilion - buildings, Brighton

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Bennett, George ...	204, Hotwell-road, Bristol, and 91, High-street, Barry, in the county of Glamorgan, residing at 8, Oldfield-place, Hotwells, Bristol	General Draper ...	Bristol ...	40 of 1897	Feb. 23, 1898 ...	Thomas Edward Goodyear	99, Cheapside, London, E.C.
Fox, Seth (trading as Seth Fox and Co.)	Residing at Hanham-road, Kingswood, in the county of Gloucester, and carrying on business at Church-road, Kingswood aforesaid	Boot and Shoe Manufacturer	Bristol ...	62 of 1897	Feb. 24, 1898 ...	Herbert William Freshwater	Brighton - chambers, St. Stephen's-avenue, Bristol
Stovold, Arthur Charles ...	Lately residing at 11, Brandon-villas, Park-street, Bristol	Tailor's Cutter ...	Bristol ...	64 of 1897	Feb. 24, 1898 ...	Herbert William Freshwater	Brighton - chambers, St. Stephen's-avenue, Bristol
Ambler, George ...	Allonby, Cumberland ...	Hotel Proprietor ...	Carlisle ...	4 of 1897	Feb. 22, 1898 ...	Kighley John Hough, Official Receiver	34, Fisher-street, Carlisle
Hull, William Henry ...	25, Eastgate-row North, in the city of Chester, lately carrying on business at 14, Market Hall, Chester aforesaid	Butcher ...	Chester ...	11 of 1897	Feb. 22, 1898 ...	Llewelyn Hugh-Jones, Official Receiver	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate-row, Chester
Veitch, John Hardinge ...	Neville Court, Neville's Cross, near Durham, and carrying on business at 58, North-road, Durham, in the county of Durham	Printer and Stationer ...	Durham ...	10 of 1897	Feb. 23, 1898 ...	Thomas Gillespie ...	Crosshouse-chambers, 54, Westgate-road, Newcastle-on-Tyne
Quigley, Lisbeth, and Quigley, Louisa (carrying on business under the style of L. and L. Quigley) ...	367, Hessle-road, in the city and county of Kingston-upon-Hull	Tobacconists and Confectioners	Kingston-upon-Hull	47 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1898 ...	Arthur Stewart Maples, Official Receiver	Trinity House-lane, Hull
Walker, Joseph ...	9, Jenning-street, in the city of Kingston-upon-Hull	Baker and Confectioner ...	Kingston-upon-Hull	48 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1898 ...	Arthur Stewart Maples, Official Receiver	Trinity House-lane, Hull
Price, Albert ...	The Eagle Stores, 33, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil, Glamorganshire, and of Upper Neuadd Stores and Canteen, Llanfrynach, Brecon	Grocer, Provision Merchant, Provision Dealer, and Licensed Victualler	Merthyr Tydfil ...	7 of 1897	Feb. 22, 1898 ...	Charles Edwin Dovey, Chartered Accountant	31, Queen-street, Cardiff
Grundy, Frederick (trading as F. Grundy and Co.)	Residing at 125, Chester-road, Northwich, and trading at Northwich, Cheshire	Timber and Coal Merchant	Nantwich and Crewe	14 of 1896	Feb. 26, 1896 ...	Thomas Bullock, Official Receiver	King - street, Newcastle-under-Lyme
Trumper, Enoch ...	The Old Original Supply Stores, Woore, Salop	Grocer... ..	Nantwich and Crewe	1 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1898 ...	Thomas Bullock, Official Receiver	King - street, Newcastle-under-Lyme
Blackmore, Albert Granville	Irthlingborough, Northamptonshire ...	Carrier and Leather Merchant	Northampton ..	23 of 1897	Feb. 22, 1898 ...	Augustus C. Palmer ...	St. Giles'-chambers, Northampton

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Cartwright, Thomas ...	Vulcan Works, Rothwell, Kettering, Northamptonshire	Agricultural Implement Maker	Northampton ...	4 of 1896	Feb. 22, 1898 ...	Augustus C. Palmer ...	St. Giles'-chambers, Northampton
Harris, Emily Florence ...	16, Wellington-place, in the town of Northampton	Milliner and Draper, Wife of Frederick Charles Harris, carrying on business separate and apart from her Husband	Northampton ...	25 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1898 ...	Alfred Ewen, Official Receiver	St. Paul's-square, Bedford
Fear, Edwin (trading in his own name and also under the styles of Sarah Fear and Son and S. and E. Fear)	261, Henshaw-street, Oldham, Lancashire, and the Fish Market, Oldham aforesaid	Fish and Poultry Dealer ...	Oldham ...	12 of 1897	Feb. 24, 1898 ...	Hesketh Booth, Official Receiver	Bank - chambers, Queen-street, Oldham
Ashford, Albert William Wright	Bulwell-place, Abingdon, Berkshire, lately residing and carrying on business at 2, Royal-villas, Station-parade, Harrogate, Yorkshire	Artificial Teeth Manufacturer	Oxford ...	14 of 1893	Feb. 23, 1898 ...	George Mallam, Official Receiver	1, St. Aldate-street, Oxford
Sackville, Benjamin, and Sackville, John Walter ...	Slack-lane, Monton Green, Monton, Lancashire 50, Moscow-terrace, Rochdale-road, Blackley, Lancashire Lately carrying on business at Slack-lane, Monton aforesaid	Calico Printers ...	Salford ...	8 of 1891	Feb. 22, 1898 ...	Christopher Jenkins Dibb, Official Receiver	Byrom-street, Manchester
Sackville, John Walter (Separate Estate) ...	50, Moscow-terrace, Rochdale-road, Blackley, Lancashire, lately carrying on business at Slack-lane, Monton, Lancashire	Calico Printer, lately carrying on business with Benjamin Sackville	Salford ...	8 of 1891	Feb. 22, 1898 ...	Christopher Jenkins Dibb, Official Receiver	Byrom-street, Manchester
Barnett, John ...	144, Gleadless-road, Heeley, near Sheffield, in the county of York	Draper ...	Sheffield ...	61 of 1897	Feb. 22, 1898 ...	John Charles Clegg, Official Receiver	Official Receiver's Offices, Figtree-lane, Sheffield
Cawthron, Walter... ..	Residing at 131, John-street, and carrying on business at 149, South-street, Moor, both in the city of Sheffield	Comb and Band Saw Manufacturer	Sheffield ...	65 of 1897	Feb. 22, 1898 ...	John Charles Clegg, Official Receiver	Official Receiver's Offices, Figtree-lane, Sheffield
Dawson, William Alfred... ..	Residing at 3, South-terrace, South-road, St. Denys, in the county borough of Southampton, and carrying on business at East-field-road, Southampton aforesaid	Baker ...	Southampton ...	4 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1898 ...	Official Receiver ...	172, High-street, Southampton
Mann, George	22½, Above Bar-street, in the county borough of Southampton, residing and carrying on business at 22½, Above Bar-street aforesaid	Furniture Dealer and Upholsterer.	Southampton ...	11 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1898 ...	Official Receiver ...	172, High-street, Southampton

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Petty, William Newman ...	West Wellow, in the county of Hants ...	Builder ...	Southampton ...	6 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1898 ...	Official Receiver ...	172, High-street, Southampton
Smith, Henry ...	Residing at 17 and 19, Dover-street, in the county borough of Southampton, and carrying on business at 17 and 19, Dover-street aforesaid	Builder and Stonemason ...	Southampton ...	10 of 1897	Feb. 25, 1898 ...	Official Receiver ...	172, High-street, Southampton
Bell, William ...	Station-road, Eaglescliffe Junction, in the county of Durham, lately residing and carrying on business at South Parade, Northalton, and of 5, Mandale-road, Thornaby-on-Tees, both in the county of York	Musical Instrument Dealer	Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough	51 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1898 ...	John Richard Stubbs, Official Receiver	8, Albert-road, Middlesborough
Baylass, Walter Lionel ...	3, Church-street, Stoke-upon-Trent, Staffordshire	Dealer in Drugs ...	Stoke-upon-Trent and Longton	6 of 1897	Feb. 26, 1898 ...	Thomas Bullock, Official Receiver	King-street, Newcastle-under-Lyme
Maloney, Michael Patrick	28, Lemon-street, Truro, Cornwall ...	Draper ...	Truro... ..	28 of 1897	Feb. 24, 1898 ...	G. Appleby Jenkins, Official Receiver	Boycawen-street, Truro
Gill, Esther Diana ...	Residing at the house of Frank Gill, 90, Dingle-street, Round's Green, Oldbury, in the county of Worcester	Widow ...	West Bromwich ...	10 of 1897	Feb. 24, 1898 ...	Luke Jesson Sharp, Official Receiver	174, Corporation-street, Birmingham
Brazier, James Lawrence (Separate Estate)	21, Penn-road, Wolverhampton ...	Cycle Manufacturer, trading with Walter Capewell as Branston and Company	Wolverhampton ...	30 of 1897	Feb. 22, 1898 ...	Thomas E. Lowe ...	89, Darlington-street, Wolverhampton
Capewell, Walter ... (Separate Estate)	10, Lower Villiers-street, Wolverhampton ...	Cycle Manufacturer, trading with James Lawrence Brazier as Branston and Company	Wolverhampton ...	30 of 1897	Feb. 22, 1898 ...	Thomas E. Lowe ...	89, Darlington-street, Wolverhampton
Wikeley, George ...	Stillington, in the county of York ...	Thrashing Machine Proprietor	York	44 of 1897	Feb. 22, 1898 ...	Edward Towler Wilkinson, Official Receiver	28, Stonegate, York

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Lockyer, Conrad William	7, St. Julian's Farm-road, West Norwood, in the county of London	Physician and Surgeon ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1457 of 1896	6½d.	First and Final	Feb. 17, 1898 ...	76, Finsbury-pavement, E.C.
Pope, Edward James ...	9, Imperial-arcade, Ludgate-circus, in the city of London, and residing at 28, Homeleigh-road, Waverley Park, S.E.	Ironmonger	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1349 of 1897	10s.	First	Feb. 23 and 24, 1898, or any subsequent Wednesday and Thursday between 10 and 2	Henry W. Figg and Son, 37, Upper Thames-street, London, E.C.
Roberts, Thomas... ..	Mona House, Bryngwran, Anglesey ...	Grocer	Bangor	27 of 1897	1s. 4d.	First and Final	Feb. 18, 1898 ...	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate-row, Chester
Roberts, Thomas... ..	Plas-yu-trofarth, in the parish of Bettws-yu-rhos, Denbighshire	Farmer	Bangor	31 of 1897	3s. 10d.	First and Final	Feb. 18, 1898 ...	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate-row, Chester
Galloway, Francis Henry (trading as F. H. Galloway and Co.)	Sun View, Pudsey, and 33, St. Paul-street, Leeds, and Union Bridge Mills, Pudsey, all in Yorkshire	Cloth Manufacturer and Merchant	Bradford	81 of 1897	5s.	First	Feb. 26, 1898 ...	1, Bond-street, Leeds
James, Sidney	45, Coronation-road, Bristol... ..	Commercial Traveller ...	Bristol	48 of 1895	11½d.	Second and Final	Feb. 14, 1898 ...	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol
Davies, Ebenezer (trading as Davies Brothers)	62, Brynmor-road, Llanelly, Carmarthen-shire	Builder	Carmarthen	11 of 1897	3d.	First and Final	Feb. 16, 1898 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 4, Queen-street, Carmarthen
Wheeler, George Harry Stephen	2, Anglesea-villa, Hill-road, Dovercourt, Essex, formerly of Sudbury, Suffolk	Late Builder and Lime Merchant	Colchester	14 of 1897	1s. 9d.	First and Final	Feb. 11, 1898 ...	Offices of Official Receiver, 36, Princes-street, Ipswich
Grimshaw, Ernest Anthony Atkinson	Heber Cottage, Inglis-road, Croydon, Surrey	Gentleman	Croydon	39 of 1891	2s. 5½d.	First and Final	Feb. 22, 1898 ...	Offices of Official Receiver, 24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.
Fulham, John Dyke	Bath-street, Frome, Somersetshire... ..	Grocer and Cheese Factor	Frome	5 of 1897	1s. 9d.	First and Final	Feb. 16, 1898 ...	14, North-parade, Frome
Harvey, Harry	Residing at 213, Woodbridge-road, and carrying on business at 12, Upper Brook-street, both in Ipswich, Suffolk	Ham and Beef Dealer ...	Ipswich	30 of 1897	2s. 2d.	First and Final	Feb. 14, 1898 ...	Offices of Official Receiver, 36, Princes-street, Ipswich
Morgan, Susan Dorcas ...	Burton-street and Market-place, Melton Mowbray, Leicestershire	Draper and Milliner, a Married Woman carrying on business separately from her Husband	Leicester	6 of 1897	4½d.	Supplemental	Feb. 14, 1898 ...	Office of Trustee, T. E. Good-year, 99, Cheapside, E.C.

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Wells, Robert Hewitt (carrying on business without a partner under the style or firm of Wells and Co.)	103, Scotland-road, Liverpool	Wine and Spirit Merchant	Liverpool	22 of 1897	7½d.	Final	Oct. 2, 1897	42, Castle-street, Liverpool
Newton, Edward... ..	12, Hall-street, Church-lane, Moston, near Manchester, and 6, Palace-square, Manchester, and Phoenix Rope Works, Charles-street, Moston-lane, Blackley, near Manchester	Rope Manufacturer and Paper Merchant	Manchester	42 of 1897	1s. 3½d.	First and Final	Feb. 18, 1898	Office of Thomas Smethurst and Co., 26, Pall Mall, Manchester
Meadows, Joseph	Stamford-road, Kettering, and Huxlo-place, Kettering, Northamptonshire	Baker	Northampton	21 of 1897	8d.	First and Final	Feb. 16, 1898	St. Paul's-square, Bedford
Baggaley, Joseph	10, Blenheim-terrace, Mansfield Woodhouse, Nottinghamshire	Grocer and Smallware Dealer	Nottingham... ..	63 of 1895	10s. 10d.	Supplemental	Feb. 21, 1898	Official Receiver's Offices, 4, Castle-place, Park-street, Nottingham
Campbell, Archibald Alexander	61, Lancaster-road and 1, Stanley-street, both in Carnforth, Lancashire	Grocer and Earthenware Dealer	Preston	15 of 1895	1s. 1¾d.	Second and Final	Feb. 17, 1898	Official Receiver's Office, 14, Chapel-street, Preston
Eddolls, Amelia	30, Dover-street, Coley, Reading, lately residing at 241, Oxford-road, Reading	Widow	Reading	5 of 1897	10s.	First	Feb. 8, 1898... ..	55, Cornmarket-street, Oxford
Gresty, Joseph	Preston Montford, near Shrewsbury	Farmer	Shrewsbury... ..	5 of 1897	4s. 4d.	First and Final	Feb. 9, 1898... ..	Official Receiver's Office, Shrewsbury
The Right Honourable Rowland Clegg, Lord Viscount Hill (Deceased)	Hawkstone, Salop	Peer of the Realm	Shrewsbury... ..	12 of 1894	1s. 6d.	Second	Feb. 12, 1898.	Offices of Trustee, C. E. Bullock, Albion-street, Hanley, Chartered Accountant
Forster, George	Residing at 4, Esplanade, Redcar, and carrying on business at 49, Corporation-road, Middlesborough, both in the county of York	Saddler	Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesborough	54 of 1897	7½d.	First and Final	Feb. 23, 1898	Official Receiver's Office, 8, Albert-road, Middlesborough
Garrick, Thomas Gilbert, the younger, and Smith, Albert Ward (carrying on business as Garrick and Smith)	19, Bancroft-terrace, Sunderland, in the county of Durham Lately residing in lodgings at 21, Blandford-street, Sunderland, now residing at 35, Lyddon-terrace, Leeds, Yorkshire At 2 and 3, John-street, Sunderland aforesaid	Auctioneers and Furniture Dealers	Sunderland	20 of 1896	4s. 9d.	First and Final	Feb. 21, 1898	Official Receiver's Office, 25, John-street, Sunderland

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Jeffreys, Rhys	Bristol House, Penclawdd, in the county of Glamorgan	Grocer	Swansea	22 of 1897	1s. 8d.	First and Final	Feb. 12, 1898 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 31, Alexandra-road, Swansea
Waterfield, Charles	100, High-street, Bloxwich, Staffordshire...	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Walsall	36 of 1896	4s. 5d.	First and Final	Feb. 16, 1898 ...	Official Receiver's Office, Wolverhampton
Percival, George, and ... Percival, John (trading as G. and J. Percival, and also as The Cheshire Farmers' Supply Stores)	Parkside Farm, Preston Brook, Cheshire, and there carrying on business under the style or firm of G. and J. Percival, also of 137, Newport-street, Bolton, Lancashire, formerly carrying on business at 111, Newport-street, Bolton aforesaid, and previously at 294, Fold-street, Bolton, Lancashire, and there carrying on business under the style or firm of the Cheshire Farmers' Supply Stores, and also formerly carrying on business at the Market Hall, Bolton aforesaid, and at Greenwood-road, Runcorn, Cheshire	... .. Hay, Straw, and Potato Dealers Cream and Milk Dealers.	Warrington	18 of 1896	½d.	Second and Final	Feb. 21, 1898 ...	Office of Thomas S. Lamb, 20, Castle-street, Liverpool
	<i>The following Amended</i>	<i>Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the</i>					<i>1st February, 1898.</i>	
Humphreys, John Watkin	Residing at 3, Talbot-road, Wrexham, Denbighshire, and trading at 41, Cazneau-street, Liverpool, Lancashire	Fruiterer	Liverpool	75 of 1894	3s. 4d.	First and Final	Feb. 11, 1898 ...	Trustee's Office, 7, Victoria-street, Liverpool

APPLICATIONS FOR DEBTORS' DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Day fixed for Hearing.
Kerfoot, John	Ty coch Farm, Greenfield, Holywell, Flintshire ...	Farmer	Chester	3 of 1896	Mar. 8, 1898, 11 A.M., the Castle, Chester
Smith, Joshua	New-street, Ossett, in the county of York, lately residing and carrying on business at Market- place, Ossett aforesaid	Registrar of Births and Deaths, lately Grocer	Dewsbury	21 of 1897	Mar. 8, 1898, 12 noon, County Court-house, Dewsbury
Cove, William Henry	Now residing at 1, Banelagh-road, Wood Green, Middlesex, and lately at 658, High-road, Totten- ham, Middlesex	Draper	Edmonton	4 of 1895	Mar. 14, 1898, 2 P.M., Court-house, Edmonton
Woodley, James Wilkinson (described in the Receiving Order as James Woodley)	Now residing at 21, Cecile-park, Hornsey, Middle- sex, and lately at Belle Vue, London-road, Enfield, Middlesex	Merchant's Clerk	Edmonton	16 of 1885	Mar. 14, 1898, 2 P.M., Court-house, Edmonton

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Ground named in Order for refusing an absolute Order of Discharge.
Arter, Thomas Robert (trading as Arter Brothers)	484 and 486, Cable-street, Shadwell, Middlesex	Grocery and Provision Dealer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1308 of 1893	Jan. 12, 1898	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 12th January, 1900	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had con- tinued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; and had on a previous occa- sion been adjudged bankrupt
Bird, Robert	23, Hornton-street, Kensing- ton in the county of London	Gentleman	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1179 of 1895	Jan. 12, 1898	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 12th January, 1900	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his un- secured liabilities; and that he had con- tributed to his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculations
Cooke, James	131, Harold-road, Upton Park, Essex, lately residing and carrying on business at the Frampton Arms, Well- street, Hackney, Middlesex	Late Licensed Victualler, now out of employment	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1168 of 1892	Jan. 12, 1898	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 12th January, 1900	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his un- secured liabilities; and that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy
Dawson, Richard	26, Cornwall-road, Bayswater, in the county of London	Civil Service Clerk	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	233 of 1897	Jan. 12, 1898	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 12th January, 1900	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities
Emmens, George	10, Basinghall-street, in the city of London	Mine Parser	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1008 of 1897	Jan. 13, 1898	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 13th January, 1900	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities
Goode, Joseph (de- scribed in Receiving Order as J. Goode)	1, Fernlea-villas, Palmerston- road, Walthamstow, Essex	Builder	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	280 of 1897	Jan. 13, 1898	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 13th January, 1900	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; and had brought on or contributed to his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculations

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge.
Gore, Frederick (carrying on business as Swainson and Co.)	Carrying on business at 13, Rose-street, Newgate-street, in the city of London, residing at 1, Oakford-road, Kentish Town, in the county of London	Upholsterers' Trimming Warehouseman	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1686 of 1894	Jan. 13, 1898	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 13th January, 1900. (Public Examination concluded 24th January 1895)	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; and had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent
Green, Samuel ...	Residing at 51, St. Lawrence-road, Mostyn-road, Brixton, in the county of London	Marine Store Dealer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	601 of 1897	Jan. 13, 1898	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 13th January, 1900	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; and had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent
Heaton, James ...	28, Barking-road, Canning Town, Essex	Tailor and Hosier ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	404 of 1892	Jan. 13, 1898	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 13th January, 1900	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; and had on a previous occasion been adjudged bankrupt
Malyon, William John	Althorpe, Burnaby - street, Chelsea, lately residing at 11, Porchester-road, Bayswater, both in the county of London, and subsequently at 191, St. James'-road, Croydon, Surrey, and carrying on business at 11, Porchester-road aforesaid, and at 191, St. James'-road aforesaid, and lately residing at 41, Wilton-road, Pimlico	Butcher, late Butcher's Manager	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	996 of 1897	Jan. 14, 1898	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 14th January, 1900	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; and had contributed to his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculations

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.
Muller, Christian Robert (described in Receiving Order as Robert Muller)	5, St. Bene't-place, in the city of London, and of Fontenay, Palmerston-road, Bowes Park, Middlesex	Commission Agent ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	36 of 1896	Jan. 14, 1898	Discharge suspended for three years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 14th January, 1901. (Public Examination concluded 16th March, 1896)	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; and had brought on his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculations
Tomschitz, Percy (described in Receiving Order as Percy Tomschitz and Co.)	86, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London	Merchant... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1165 of 1897	Jan. 11, 1898	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 11th January, 1900	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities
Charlton, Frederick John	Handley, in the county of Dorset	Physician and Surgeon...	Dorchester ...	10 of 1893	Dec. 1, 1897	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 1st December, 1899	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities
Maddock, Thomas ...	17, Wharf-street and Hassell's-street, Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffordshire	Builder and Contractor...	Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall	1 of 1897	Jan. 12, 1898	Bankrupt discharged, subject to his consenting to Judgment being entered against him in the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Hanley, by the Trustee, for the sum of £10	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 proper books of account
Collison, Henry, the younger	Nelson-street, King's Lynn, Norfolk	Corn Merchant	King's Lynn ...	9 of 1897	Jan. 13, 1898	Discharge refused	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 within three months preceding the date of the Receiving Order, when unable to pay his debts as they became due, given an undue preference to two of his creditors
Edwards, Joseph, and Edwards, Robert John (trading as Edwards Brothers) ...	Bellagio, in the parish of Lingfield, in the county of Surrey	Builders	Tunbridge Wells	13 of 1896	Jan. 19, 1898	Discharge suspended for three years. Bankrupts to be discharged as from 19th January, 1901	Bankrupts' assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of their unsecured liabilities; that they had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by them, and as sufficiently disclose their business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding their bankruptcy; had continued to trade after knowing themselves to be insolvent; had contracted debts provable in the bankruptcy without having at the time of contracting them any reasonable or probable ground of expectation of being able to pay them; and had within three months preceding the date of the Receiving Order, when unable to pay their debts as they became due, given an undue preference to one of their creditors

ADJUDICATION ANNULLED.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Adjudication.	Date of Annulment.	Grounds of Annulment.
Goadby, Samuel	28, Heanor-street, Leicester	Warehouseman	Leicester	91 of 1888	Sept. 4, 1888 ...	Jan. 29, 1898 ...	Debts and costs paid in full, and all costs and charges of and incidental to the Bankruptcy paid and satisfied

APPOINTMENTS OF TRUSTEES.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Trustee's Name.	Address.	Date of Certificate of Appointment.
Grosvenor, Frederick Simon (trading as Grosvenor and Co.)	Carrying on business at 47, Moorgate-street, in the city of London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1873 of 1897	Jeffreys, Sydney ...	22, Queen-street, Cheap- side, London, E.C.	Feb. 1, 1898
Lamond, Cordelia Warde ...	Lately residing at the Hotel Victoria, the Grosvenor Hotel, the Hotel Cecil, the Charing Cross Hotel, Haxell's Hotel, and other Hotels in London, but whose present residence the Petitioning Creditor is unable to ascertain	Spinster	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1899 of 1897	Nicholson, Henry Tinklar	11, Lincoln's - inn - fields, London, W.C.	Feb. 3, 1898
Paul, Samuel Warfield ...	Glenelg, West Park, in the city and county of Bristol	Mercantile Clerk and Cashier	Bristol	3 of 1898	Tribe, Frank Newton	Albion-chambers, Bristol, Chartered Accountant	Feb. 4, 1898
Robertson, Charles John Sumner (trading as C. Robertson and Co.)	36, Commercial-street, Hereford... ..	Furniture and General Dealer	Hereford	3 of 1898	Lyons, Percy Ellis ...	98, Leonard-street, London	Feb. 3, 1898

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Atkins, William Henry, jun.	26, Nightingale-road, Clapton, Middlesex, lately residing at Dartmouth-road, Dublin	Assistant to a Horse Dealer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	895 of 1892	Edwin Leadam Hough	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Senior Official Receiver	Jan. 29, 1898
Beadell, Herbert	Trading at St. Matthew's-buildings, Friday-street, in the city of London, and residing at 48, Fentiman-road, Clapham-road, Surrey	Artificial Flower Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1536 of 1894	George Wreford ...	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Late Senior Official Receiver	Jan. 25, 1898
Flower, Severin	1, Boyle-street, Savile-row, Middlesex	Gentleman	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1349 of 1887	Harold Brougham ...	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Hewett, William	4, Copthall-chambers, Throgmorton-street, in the city of London, and 5, Park-road, Willesden, Middlesex	Outside Stockbroker ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1049 of 1892	Harold Brougham ...	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Jones, T. B....	412, Mile End-road, Middlesex ...	Draper	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1693 of 1894	Harold Brougham ...	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Kay, Edwin... ..	4, Morland-road, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, and 62 and 63, Mark-lane, and 27, the Seed Market, Mark-lane, both in the city of London	Seed Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	567 of 1896	Percy Mason	64, Gresham-street, London, E.C.	Chartered Accountant	Nov. 26, 1897
King, Ralph Maulkin ...	Late of 24, Austin Friars, in the city of London, having for the greater part of the last six months carried on business at 24, Austin Friars aforesaid	Stockjobber	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	259 of 1897	Harold Brougham ...	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Mason, George William ...	The Joiners' Arms Public-house, Tredegar-road, Bow, in the county of London	Licensed Victualler ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	984 of 1896	Harold Brougham ...	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Mugridge, Thomas Shephard, and Mugridge, William (carrying on business as Mugridge and Ulph) ...	Both of 166, High-street, Harlesden, in the county of Middlesex, carrying on business in copartnership at 15, Little Camden-street, Camden Town, in the county of London	Pianoforte Manufacturers	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	711 of 1897	Harold Brougham ...	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898

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Newman, Charles O. ...	Carrying on business at 5, Copt-hall-buildings, in the city of London	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1287 of 1894	Harold Brougham ...	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Nickels, William ...	Residing and carrying on business at 90, High-street, St. John's Wood, Middlesex	Hosier and Hatter ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	622 of 1897	Harold Brougham ...	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Pridham, William Frederick	106, Earl's Court-road, in the county of London	Physician and Surgeon	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	200 of 1896	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Putz, Louis John (described in the Receiving Order as L. T. Putz)	73, Abingdon-road, Kensington, in the county of London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	58 of 1897	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Ricardo, Aaron ...	140A, Houndsditch, London ...	Toy and Fancy Goods Dealer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	321 of 1897	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Roberts, Henry Hobbs ...	38, Co.well-road, East Dulwich, Surrey, lately residing and trading at the Coborn Arms Public-house, 8, Coborn-road, Bow, Middlesex	Licensed Victualler ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1411 of 1896	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Robins, George Norman ...	170, Wightman-road, Haringay, Middlesex, previously of 46, Marsham-street, Westminster, and Down Hall, Rippingale, Lincolnshire	Surgeon	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1472 of 1894	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Shields, Whalley ...	46, Handforth-road, Kennington, Surrey, lately residing at 33, Sprules-road, Brockley, Surrey, formerly carrying on business at Piccadilly-mansions, 17, Shaftesbury-avenue, in the county of London	Commission Agent ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	518 of 1897	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Southgate, Tufnell Becket (described in Receiving Order as Tufnell B. Southgate)	The Hotel Victoria, Northumberland-avenue, London, lately residing at Artillery-mansions, Victoria-street, Westminster, S.W.	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1136 of 1896	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Stephenson, John Henry ...	34, 35, and 36, Crawford street, Bryanston-square, Marylebone, Middlesex	Bedstead, Bedding, Furniture, and Carpet Warehouseman	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	338 of 1895	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898

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Tyler, John Benjamin ...	106, Dalling-road, Hammersmith, London, formerly the Bear Hotel, Maidenhead, Berkshire, and the Forest Hotel, Savernake, Wiltshire	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	605 of 1894	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Wilson, Joseph Parker ...	1, Summerland - villas, Burnside-road, Willesden, Middlesex	Builder ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	490 of 1893	Alfred Henry Wildy	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Jelly, Herbert ...	74A, Brecon - road, Hirwain, Glamorganshire	Builder ...	Aberdare ...	1 of 1897	William Daniel Lewes	65, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Coltman, Alfred ...	High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire	Auctioneer, Valuer, and Furniture Dealer	Aylesbury ...	5 of 1896	George Mallam ...	1, St. Aldate - street, Oxford	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Dearle, Rose Annie ...	6, West-street, Buckingham ...	Milliner, Dress and Mantle Maker, Wife of Richard Dearle, of the same address, Commission Agent, carrying on business separately	Banbury ...	1 of 1897	George Mallam ...	1, St. Aldate - street, Oxford	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Wilkins, Mary ...	Helmdon, Northamptonshire ...	Lately Baker, Butcher, and Grocer, now of no occupation, Wife of Albert Wilkins	Banbury ...	2 of 1896	George Mallam ...	1, St. Aldate-street, Oxford	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
ns, Elias, jun. (commonly called Elias C. Evans)	Residing and trading at Old Colwyn, in the county of Carnarvon	Plumber, Gasfitter, and Bellhanger	Bangor ...	25 of 1896	Llewelyn Hugh-Jones	Crypt-chambers, Chester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Griffith, Robert ...	Dyffryn-terrace, Groeslon, in the county of Carnarvon, and lately residing at Glynmeibion Mawr, Groeslon aforesaid	Formerly Farmer, now of no occupation	Bangor ...	2 of 1896	Llewelyn Hugh-Jones	Crypt-chambers, Chester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
McLaughlin, John ...	The Board School House, Carnarvon, in the county of Carnarvon	Compulsory Officer ...	Bangor ...	8 of 1895	Llewelyn Jones	Crypt-chambers, Chester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Fortune, William ...	76, Brook-road, East Twerton, near the city of Bath, Somersetshire, formerly of 9, New-road-buildings, West Twerton, near the city of Bath	Baker ...	Bath ...	6 of 1897	Edmund Gustavus Clarke	Baldwin-street, Bristol ...	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Walters, William ...	103, Midland-road, Bedford, Bedfordshire	Fruiterer and Green-grocer	Bedford ...	7 of 1897	Alfred Ewen ...	1A, St. Paul's-square, Bedford	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898

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Feely, James	82, Mosley-road, lately trading at 10 and 12, Jamaica-row and 7, Bromsgrove-street, all in Birmingham, Warwickshire	Provision Salesman, lately Wholesale Egg, Butter, and Provision Merchant	Birmingham	59 of 1896	Luke Jesson Sharp...	174, Corporation-street, Birmingham	Official Receiver	Jan. 24, 1898
Weake, Edward and Hiron, Henry George	293, Clifton-road, Sparkbrook, in the city of Birmingham 24, Newton-place, Factory-road, in the city of Birmingham	Builders	Birmingham	89 of 1896	Luke Jesson Sharp...	174, Corporation-street, Birmingham	Official Receiver	Jan. 24, 1898
Haworth, Frank	12, Market-place, Ramsbottom, Lancashire	Butcher	Bolton	23 of 1897	Thomas H. Winder...	16, Wood-street, Bolton	Official Receiver	Jan. 24, 1898
Higgins, Thomas	183, Elliott-street and 1 and 3, Blossom-street, all in Tyldesley, Lancashire	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Bolton	8 of 1897	Thomas H. Winder...	16, Wood-street, Bolton	Official Receiver	Jan. 24, 1898
Roscoe, Enos	Mosley Common, Boothstown, Lancashire	Butcher	Bolton	16 of 1897	Thomas H. Winder...	16, Wood-street, Bolton	Official Receiver	Jan. 24, 1898
Thomasson, James	498, Halliwell-road, Bolton, Lancashire, lately of 465, Halliwell-road, Bolton aforesaid	Master Painter	Bolton	19 of 1897	Thomas H. Winder...	16, Wood-street, Bolton	Official Receiver	Jan. 24, 1898
Tremayne, Richard Henry	58, Brook-street, Bury, Lancashire, formerly of 20, Rock-street, Bury aforesaid	Boot and Shoe Maker	Bolton	29 of 1897	Thomas H. Winder...	16, Wood-street, Bolton	Official Receiver	Jan. 24, 1898
Bolland, Benjamin	Cheesecake House, Bierley-lane, Dudley Hill, near Bradford, Yorkshire	Farmer	Bradford	30 of 1894	James Clough Wright	32, Market-street, Bradford	Chartered Accountant	Dec. 29, 1897
Fowler, Henry	157A, High-road, Chiswick, Middlesex	Decorator, Contractor, and Glass Merchant	Brentford	19 of 1895	Robert James Ward	2, Clement's-inn, London	Chartered Accountant	Jan. 29, 1898
Brice, Ellen	9, Royal-crescent, Weston-super-Mare, Somersetshire	Widow	Bridgwater	10 of 1897	George Philpott	5B, Hammet - street, Taunton	Official Receiver	Jan. 25, 1898
Fear, Harry	Residing at Holwell House, Victoria Quadrant, and carrying on business at 8, Orchard-street, Weston-super-Mare, Somersetshire	Coachbuilder	Bridgwater	4 of 1897	George Philpott	5B, Hammet - street, Taunton	Official Receiver	Jan. 25, 1898
Lee, William	Rookery Farm, Brent Knoll, Somersetshire	Late Farmer, now Dairyman	Bridgwater	11 of 1897	George Philpott	5B, Hammet - street, Taunton	Official Receiver	Jan. 25, 1898
Mann, Thomas	22, Gardner-street, and occupying stables at 12, Bread-street, Brighton, and a Store at 6, Regent-street, Brighton	Potato Merchant and Greengrocer	Brighton	45 of 1896	Howard W. Cox	4, Pavilion - buildings, Brighton	Official Receiver	Jan. 25, 1898

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Fuller, Urias	Wicken, Cambridgeshire	Farmer	Cambridge	3 of 1897	Ernest William Joseph Savill	5, Petty Cury, Cambridge	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1898
Fegg, John	The Three Compasses Public-house, East-road, in the borough of Cambridge, lately of Histon, in the county of Cambridge	Publican, lately Farmer and Market Gardener	Cambridge	21 of 1896	Ernest William Joseph Savill	5, Petty Cury, Cambridge	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Branch, William	Brynmawr Farm, Bettws, near Bridgend, in the county of Glamorgan	Collier	Cardiff	15 of 1897	Thomas Henry Stephens	29, Queen-street, Cardiff	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Thomas, Robert Evan	3, St. George's-street, Cheltenham, Gloucestershire	Coal Merchant	Cheltenham... ..	7 of 1897	Charles Scott	Station-road, Gloucester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Davison, William Arthur	Osborne House, Connah's Quay, in the county of Flint	Late Manager of Brick Works	Chester	6 of 1897	Llewelyn Hugh- Jones	Crypt-chambers, Chester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Moore, John... ..	Late of King-street, Alfreton, Derbyshire	Joiner, Builder, and Contractor	Derby	25 of 1896	Arthur R. Lee	Ripley, Derby	Auctioneer	Dec. 20, 1897
Tully, William	Brixham and Torquay, Devonshire	Butcher	Exeter	43 of 1895	Thomas Andrew	13, Bedford-circus, Exeter	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Watkins, Edward	Langford Bow, Devonshire	Farmer	Exeter	28 of 1897	Thomas Andrew	13, Bedford-circus, Exeter	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Beveridge, John James	Halesworth, Suffolk	Surgeon	Great Yarmouth	28 of 1896	H. P. Gould... ..	8, King-street, Norwich	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Miles, Joseph (trading as the Star Foundry Company)	301 and 302, Railway Arches, Rolt-street, Deptford, Kent	Ironfounder	Greenwich	7 of 1897	A. Mackintosh	24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Taylor, Harry Francis	The Victoria Tavern, York Town, Camberley, Surrey, late of the Britannia Public-house, Brown-street, Edgware-road, Middlesex, and late of the Salisbury Arms, Mayes-buildings, St. Martin's-lane, Middlesex	Licensed Victualler	Guildford and Godalming	5 of 1895	A. Mackintosh	24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Constantine, Emily Lazenby	4, Hawthorne-terrace, Halifax, Yorkshire	Dressmaker	Halifax	14 of 1897	Thomas England	Townhall - chambers, Halifax	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Harrison, Edwin	Residing in lodgings at the Townhall Hotel, Elland, Yorkshire	Teamster	Halifax	8 of 1897	Thomas England	Townhall - chambers, Halifax	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898

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Moore, Irvine	8, South-street, King Cross-street, Halifax, Yorkshire, lately trading at 8, West-parade, Halifax	Late Sugar Boiler and Confectioner, now out of business	Halifax	21 of 1896	Thomas England ...	Townhall - chambers, Halifax	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Morrell, Charles Richard ...	Bridge End, Brighthouse, Yorkshire	Joiner and Undertaker	Halifax	3 of 1897	Thomas England ...	Townhall - chambers, Halifax	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Waite, Thomas (trading and commonly known as Thomas White)	Western-road and Maycroft Marina, Bexhill, Sussex	Builder	Hastings	27 of 1895	Howard W. Cox ...	4, Pavilion - buildings, Brighton	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Neighbour, David	Vicarage-road, Ware, Hertfordshire	Builder and Brick-maker	Hertford	4 of 1896	Robert James Ward	2, Clement's-inn, London, W.C.	Chartered Accountant	Jan. 29, 1898
Osborne, Howard Harry ...	Chertsey, Surrey ... ..	... ..	Kingston, Surrey ...	10 of 1897	A. Mackintosh ...	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Faton, Thomas	Kingston Hill Cottage, Norbiton, Kingston-on-Thames, Surrey	Of no occupation, formerly Accountant to a Public Company	Kingston, Surrey ...	4 of 1897	A. Mackintosh ...	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Kirkby, Richard B. A. (trading as Richard B. A. Kirkby and Son)	11, Trinity House-lane, Hull ...	Auctioneer and Valuer	Kingston-upon-Hull	11 of 1897	T. Fawley Judge ...	Parliament - chambers, Quay-street, Hull	Chartered Accountant	Jan. 29, 1898
Coe, Arthur, and Davies, William	23, St. Martin's-street, Hereford, 15, Church-street, Leominster, Herefordshire	Auctioneers	Leominster (proceedings consolidated by Order of Court)	14 and 15 of 1895	M. J. G. Scobie ...	2, Offa-street, Hereford	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898.
Wark, Robert	10, Monson-street, Lincoln ...	Travelling Draper ...	Lincoln	3 of 1897	Charles William Page	13, Silver-street, Lincoln	Accountant and Auditor	Jan. 29, 1898
Naylor, George Henry (trading as Naylor, Smith, and Co., lately trading as G. H. Naylor and Co.)	Residing at 19, Richmond-grove East, Longsight, near Manchester, lately residing at 83, South-street, Longsight aforesaid, and carrying on business as a Manufacturing Chemist, at the Eureka Works, Syren-street, Bankhill, in the city of Liverpool, under the style of Naylor, Smith, and Co., and lately carrying on business as a Tailors' Trimmings Manufacturer, at 28, New Cannon-street, Manchester, under the style of G. H. Naylor and Co.	Manufacturing Chemist, lately Tailors' Trimmings Manufacturer	Liverpool	85 of 1896	Henry Douglas Eshelby	24, North John-street, Liverpool	Chartered Accountant	Jan. 29, 1898

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Willoughby, W. W. J. ...	22, Ullet-road, Prince's Park, Liverpool, Lancashire	...	Liverpool ...	30 of 1895	William Dickson ...	7, Victoria-street, Liverpool	Chartered Accountant	Jan. 29, 1898
Ball, Alfred John ...	13, High-street, Wellington, Salop	Baker ...	Madeley ...	12 of 1895	Thomas Bullock ...	42, St. John's - hill, Shrewsbury	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Hughes, John ...	Cleveland Arms, High Ercall, Salop	Innkeeper and Farmer	Madeley ...	1 of 1897	Thomas Bullock ...	42, St. John's - hill, Shrewsbury	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Mason, Joseph ...	Trench, in the parish of Wrockwardine Wood, Salop; and lately residing and carrying on business at the Barley Mow Inn, Madeley, Salop	Licensed Victualler ...	Madeley ...	5 of 1897	Thomas Bullock ...	42, St. John's - hill, Shrewsbury	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Stacey, Harry ...	6, Perrott-street, Treharris, Glamorganshire	Baker ...	Merthyr Tydfil ...	13 of 1896	William Daniel Lewes	65, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Lewis, David ...	Albion House, Cymmer, Glamorganshire	Grocer ...	Neath ...	24 of 1896	Thomas Thomas ...	31, Alexandra - road, Swansea	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1898
Boyd, Peter Smith ...	Residing at 190, Marlborough-street, and trading at 116, John Clay-street, both in South Shields, county of Durham	Baker and Confectioner	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	55 of 1896	John Grant Gibson	30, Mosley-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1898
Campbell, James ...	Choppington Guide Post, Northumberland	Butcher...	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	11 of 1895	John Grant Gibson	30, Mosley-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Hodge, William, and Stafford, Robert ... (trading as Hodge and Stafford)	15, Tarsset-street 37, Melbourne-street 15, Pilgrim-street and Erick-street, all in Newcastle-on-Tyne	Cabinet Makers:	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	8 of 1897	John Grant Gibson	30, Mosley-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Morgan, James ...	8, Dean-terrace, near Milburn-place, North Shields, Northumberland	Grocer ...	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	6 of 1897	John Grant Gibson	30, Mosley-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1898
Thompson, Patrick...	Weetslade - terrace, Burradon, Northumberland	Butcher...	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	8 of 1896	John Grant Gibson	30, Mosley-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Claridge, William ...	Arden Villa, Melville-street, Ryde, Isle of Wight	Government Clerk ...	Newport and Ryde...	15 of 1894	Harry Castell Dament	19, Quay-street, Newport, Isle of Wight	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Grantham, Edwin ...	Victoria-road, Freshwater, Isle of Wight	Outfitter ...	Newport and Ryde...	41 of 1896	Harry Castell Dament	19, Quay-street, Newport, Isle of Wight	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898

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Rumbelow, Harry Albert ...	Formerly of Newport Grammar School, and of Cowes Extension School, Cowes, both in the Isle of Wight	Schoolmaster	Newport and Ryde...	20 of 1895	Harry Castell Dament	19, Quay-street, Newport, Isle of Wight	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Westmore, James Henry ...	1, Pier-street, Ventnor, Isle of Wight	Watchmaker and Jeweller	Newport and Ryde...	45 of 1896	Harry Castell Dament	19, Quay-street, Newport, Isle of Wight	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Sutherland, D. M.	9, Godfrey-road, Newport, Monmouthshire	Draper	Newport, Mon. ...	33 of 1896	George Henry Llewellyn	Gloucester Bank-chambers, Newport, Mon.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Sutcliffe, Frank	Black Swan Inn, Kirby Moor-side, Yorkshire	Innkeeper	Northallerton ...	12 of 1896	John Richard Stubbs	8, Albert-road, Middlesborough	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1898
Whiting, Jabez	Wavendon, Buckinghamshire	Brick and Tile Manufacturer	Northampton ...	18 of 1895	Augustus C. Palmer	St. Giles' - chambers, Northampton	Chartered Accountant	Jan. 29, 1898
Kybird, James	Croxton, Thetford, Norfolk	Wheelwright	Norwich	27 of 1896	H. P. Gould	8, King-street, Norwich	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Lucas, Alfred Graham ...	Now in lodgings with his Wife at 36, Cannon-street, Leicester, lately residing and trading at 20, Hockley, Nottingham, and formerly residing and trading at 157, St. Ann's Well-road, Nottingham	Tailor	Nottingham... ..	25 of 1897	Henry Roby Thorpe	St. Peter's Church-walk, Nottingham	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Bell, James	27, Pitt-street, Oldham, Lancashire	Painter and Decorator	Oldham	8 of 1897	Hesketh Booth ...	Bank-chambers, Queen-street, Oldham	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Crossley, William Lowe ...	14, Henshaw - street, Oldham, Lancashire	Commission Agent ...	Oldham	11 of 1897	Hesketh Booth ...	Bank-chambers, Queen-street, Oldham	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Thorp, James William ...	41, Divinity-road, Oxford ...	Brewer's Traveller ...	Oxford	8 of 1897	George Mallam ...	1, St. Aldate - street, Oxford	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
White, Joseph	Fritwell, Oxfordshire	Wheelwright, Builder, and Carpenter	Oxford	1 of 1897	George Mallam ...	1, St. Aldate - street, Oxford	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Davies, James	Cross Hands, in the parish of Llanboidy, in the county of Carmarthen	Grocer, Draper, and Wholesale Dealer in Beer	Pembroke Dock ...	24 of 1896	Thomas Thomas ...	4, Queen-street, Carmarthen	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Mathias, Anthony	2, St. George-street, Tenby, Pembrokeshire	Boot and Shoe Maker	Pembroke Dock ...	19 of 1896	Thomas Thomas ...	4, Queen-street, Carmarthen	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898

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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.
Aspittle, John, the younger	Residing at 59, Russell-street, Peterborough, in the county of Northampton, and carrying on business at Cumbergate, Peterborough aforesaid	Hairdresser and Tobacconist	Peterborough	9 of 1897	Ernest William Joseph Savill	5, Petty Cury, Cambridge	Official Receiver	Jan. 24, 1898
Smith, Sidney Anderson	The Vicarage, Chatteris, Cambridgeshire	Clerk in Holy Orders...	Peterborough	21 of 1884	Robert Peters	7, Downing-street, Cambridge	Chartered Accountant	Dec. 20, 1897
Boon, James	Knightoncombe, near Modbury, Devonshire	Farmer...	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	43 of 1897	John Greenway	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Late Official Receiver	Jan. 13, 1898
Brook, Jessie Louisa	5, Hyde Park-place, Mutley, Devonshire	Butcher	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	24 of 1896	John Greenway	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Late Official Receiver	Jan. 13, 1898
Clarke, James Pavey	Beer Alston, Devonshire	Baker	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	54 of 1896	John Greenway	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Late Official Receiver	Jan. 13, 1898
Cox, Joseph Folley	Russell-street, Tavistock, and the Market, Tavistock	General Dealer	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	38 of 1897	John Greenway	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Late Official Receiver	Jan. 13, 1898
Daymond, Ellen Elizabeth	The Market House Inn, Totnes, Devonshire	Of no occupation, Widow	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	45 of 1897	John Greenway	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Late Official Receiver	Jan. 13, 1898
Dymond, William John	21, Cecil-street, Plymouth, Devonshire	Tobacconist	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	53 of 1897	John Greenway	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Late Official Receiver	Jan. 25, 1898
French, Charles Frederick	33, High-street, Plymouth	Fisherman	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	3 of 1897	John Greenway	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Late Official Receiver	Jan. 13, 1898
Hannaford, Parnell	91, Cambridge-street and 12, Portland-square, Plymouth, Devonshire	Forage Dealer...	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	18 of 1895	John Greenway	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Late Official Receiver	Jan. 25, 1898
Heard, Frederick Charles	Springbank, Tuckney, near Totnes, late of 14, Fore-street, Totnes, and of the Fore-street Restaurant, Devonport	Coachbuilder and Restaurant Proprietor	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	24 of 1897	John Greenway	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Late Official Receiver	Jan. 13, 1898
Hill, James	16, Grenville-road (North) and the Barbican, Plymouth, Devonshire	Fish Merchant	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	38 of 1896	John Greenway	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Late Official Receiver	Jan. 13, 1898
Jane, John	Durnaford, St. Ive, Cornwall	Farmer...	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	12 of 1897	John Greenway	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Late Official Receiver	Jan. 13, 1898
Jary, Sarah	50, Edgecumbe-street, Stonehouse, Devonshire	General Dealer, Widow	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	46 of 1897	John Greenway	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Late Official Receiver	Jan. 13, 1898

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Littleton, Jacob	12, Plymton-terrace, Plymouth, Devonshire	Butcher	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	47 of 1896	John Greenway ...	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Late Official Receiver	Jan. 13, 1898
Luscombe, Alexander Peter	Littlegate, Loddiswell, Devonshire	Farmer	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	56 of 1896	John Greenway ...	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Late Official Receiver	Jan. 13, 1898
Mason, Peter	Late of Saltash-road, Callington, Cornwall, and now of Jordan Farm, Leusdon, Devonshire	Farm Labourer ..	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	37 of 1897	John Greenway ...	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Late Official Receiver	Jan. 13, 1898
Moore, Josias	South Milton, near Kingsbridge, Devonshire	Haulier	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	11 of 1897	John Greenway ...	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Late Official Receiver	Jan. 13, 1898
Mutton, John	Burraton Cross, St. Stephen's, near Saltash, Cornwall	Mason	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	55 of 1896	John Greenway ...	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Late Official Receiver	Jan. 13, 1898
Palk, Frederick George ...	3, Croft-park, Paignton, formerly of 12, Church-street, Paignton, Devonshire	Butcher	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	31 of 1896	George Hicks ..	Wilts and Dorset Bank-chambers, Plymouth	Chartered Accountant	Jan. 29, 1898
Slade, Christopher	The Plough Inn, Duloe, near Liskeard, Cornwall	Licensed Victualler and Butcher	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	41 of 1897	John Greenway ...	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Late Official Receiver	Jan. 25, 1898
Tall, Stephen Mark	51, Treville - street, Plymouth, Devonshire	Oil and Hardware Dealer	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	56 of 1897	John Greenway ...	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Late Official Receiver	Jan. 13, 1898
Taylor, George Alfred	Pobman, Cornwall	Grocer	Plymouth and East Stonehouse	52 of 1897	John Greenway ...	10, Athenæum-terrace, Plymouth	Late Official Receiver	Jan. 13, 1898
Dugdale, William Henry ...	South-street, Wareham, Dorsetshire	Saddler and Harness Maker	Poole... ..	11 of 1894	Frederick Aston Dawes	City-chambers, Salisbury	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
James, William	2, Gipsy-jane, Grays, Essex ...	Grocer, China and Provision Dealer	Rochester	11 of 1897	R. T. Tatham ...	9, King-street, Maidstone	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1898
Scott, Sarah... ..	Reed-street, Cliffe-at-Hoo, Kent ...	Grocer, Coal Merchant, and General Dealer, Widow	Rochester	15 of 1897	R. T. Tatham ...	9, King-street, Maidstone	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1898
Wray, Walter	Formerly trading at 29, Trinity-street, Kingston-upon-Hull, now residing at 2, Argyle - villas, Flamborough-road, Bridlington Quay, Yorkshire	Formerly Butcher, now Butcher's Assistant	Scarborough	5 of 1897	William Drawbridge	74, Newborough-street, Scarborough	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Bray, Frederick Robert Thompson	43, Broad-street, Parkgate, near Rotherham, Yorkshire	Hairdresser and Tobacconist	Sheffield	12 of 1897	John Charles Clegg	Figtree-lane, Sheffield ..	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898

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Brooke, Thomas Noden ...	28, High-street, Doncaster, Yorkshire	Chemist and Druggist	Sheffield ...	28 of 1897	John Charles Clegg	Figtree-lane, Sheffield ...	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Buckler, Samuel James ...	41, St. John's-road, Eastwood View, Rotherham, Yorkshire, formerly residing and carrying on business at St. Ann's-road, Rotherham aforesaid	Engine Tenter, formerly Grocer and Beer Retailer	Sheffield ...	38 of 1896	John Charles Clegg	Figtree-lane, Sheffield ...	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Kershaw, Henry ...	Star Inn, Moss, near Doncaster, Yorkshire, lately residing and carrying on business at 301, Rooley-lane, Bradford, Yorkshire	Licensed Victualler and Farmer, late Farmer and Gardener	Sheffield ...	40 of 1896	John Charles Clegg	Figtree-lane, Sheffield ...	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Spacie, Thomas ...	Aston, near Sheffield, Yorkshire	Grocer and Castrator...	Sheffield ...	3 of 1897	John Charles Clegg	Figtree-lane, Sheffield ...	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Craig, William ...	Wrentnall Farm, Church Pulverbatch, Salop	Farmer ...	Shrewsbury ...	12 of 1895	Thomas Bullock ...	42, St. John's - hill, Shrewsbury	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Davies, Ebenezer (trading as E. Davies and Company)	45, Mardol, Shrewsbury ...	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Shrewsbury ...	8 of 1896	Thomas Bullock ...	42, St. John's - hill, Shrewsbury	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Davies, Richard ...	Stone House, Shawbury Heath, Salop	Farmer ...	Shrewsbury ...	1 of 1897	Thomas Bullock ...	42, St. John's - hill, Shrewsbury	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Dixon, Elizabeth (carrying on business as R. W. Birch)	Residing at Smithfield-road, Shrewsbury, Salop, and carrying on business at 14, Claremont-street, Shrewsbury aforesaid	Aerated Water Manufacturer, and Ale and Porter Bottler, a Married Woman carrying on business separate and apart from her Husband	Shrewsbury ...	9 of 1896	Thomas Bullock ...	42, St. John's - hill, Shrewsbury	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Hopper, Martha ...	81, Wyle Cop, Shrewsbury, and lately residing and carrying on business at 20, Castle-gate, both in Shrewsbury, Salop	Dealer in Artists' Materials, Widow	Shrewsbury ...	3 of 1897	Thomas Bullock ...	42, St. John's - hill, Shrewsbury	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Jones, Corbet Ellis...	13, Cleveland-street, Shrewsbury, Salop, lately residing and carrying on business at the Masonic Arms, Belle Vue-road, Shrewsbury aforesaid	Auctioneer's Clerk ...	Shrewsbury ...	7 of 1897	Thomas Bullock ...	42, St. John's - hill, Shrewsbury	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Rcese, Thomas ...	Formerly of Mill Bank, Wellington, now of Cound, near Shrewsbury, both in the county of Salop	Baker, Confectioner, Grocer, and Provision Dealer.	Shrewsbury ...	2 of 1897	Thomas Bullock ...	42, St. John's - hill, Shrewsbury	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898

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Smith, Richard	Edstaston, Coton, Wem, Salop ...	Schoolmaster	Shrewsbury	19 of 1896	Thomas Bullock ...	42, St. John's - hill, Shrewsbury	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Harbut, Ernest Edgar ...	23, Northam-road, late of 53, Bellevue-road, both in the county borough of Southampton	Greengrocer and Pork Butcher	Southampton	2 of 1897	John Cornelius Moberly	4, East-street, South- ampton	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Webb, William	Bell-street, Romsey, in the county of Southampton, and trading at Bell-street, Romsey, in the county of Southampton	Butcher	Southampton	3 of 1897	John Cornelius Moberly	4, East-street, South- ampton	Official Receiver ..	Jan. 13, 1898
Eaton, William and Hancock, Frank (trading as Eaton and Hancock)	High-street, New Mills, Derby- shire Higher Level, Whaley Bridge, Derbyshire At Whaley Bridge aforesaid ...	Boot Repairer Shoemaker Slipper Manufacturers	Stockport	13 of 1896	Arthur C. Procter ...	23, King Edward-street, Macclesfield	Official Receiver ..	Jan. 12, 1898
Tate, John	Eastview, near Two-Mile Houses, Stockton-on-Tees, lately residing at Norton, near Stockton-on- Tees, both in the county of Durham	Joiner	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	37 of 1897	John Richard Stubbs	8, Albert-road, Middles- borough	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1898
Taylor, Alphonso Constan- tine	Now carrying on business at 7, Villiers-street, and residing at 7, Westcott-street, and lately residing at 7, Villiers-street, all in Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham	Printer	Stockton - on - Tees and Middlesborough	35 of 1897	John Richard Stubbs	8, Albert-road, Middles- borough	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1898
Lewis, M. J....	28, Courtney-street, Manselton, near Swansea, Glamorganshire	Draper and Widow ...	Swansea	17 of 1896	Thomas Wright Hancock	20, Wind-street, Swansea	Accountant	Jan. 29, 1898
Morris, William	Thomas-street, St. Thomas', in the county borough of Swansea	Grocer	Swansea	15 of 1897	Thomas Thomas ...	31, Alexandra - road, Swansea	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Winslow, James	New Swindon, Wiltshire	China Dealer	Swindon	3 of 1897	Harry Bevir... ..	46, Cricklade - street, Swindon	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Penrose, John	22, Church-street, Tredegar, Mon- mouthshire	Baker and Confectioner	Tredegar	29 of 1895	William Lewes Daniel	65, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1898
Mear, Samuel, and Mear, Samuel, the younger (trading as S. Mear and Son)	7, the Terrace, Market Jew-street, Fenzance, Cornwall	Boot and Shoe Makers	Truro... ..	33 of 1896	G. Appleby Jenkins	Boscawen-street, Truro ...	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898

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Skinner, Charles Stribley...	Honey-street, Bodmin, Cornwall	Harness Maker ...	Truro... ..	21 of 1897	G. Appleby Jenkins	Boscawen-street, Truro...	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Pearson, Robert	Residing and carrying on business at 129, Kirkgate, in the city of Wakefield	Grocer, Confectioner, and Tobacconist	Wakefield	1 of 1897	John Bickersteth Ottley	6, Bond-terrace, Wakefield	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Ash, Abraham and Winyard, William (trading as Ash and Winyard)...	5, Richmond-street, Walsall, Staffordshire 14, Ward-street, Walsall aforesaid							
	5, Richmond-street, Walsall aforesaid	Brown Saddlers ...	Walsall	30 of 1896	Edwin Pritchard ...	St. Peter's-close, Wolverhampton	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Collins, William	Summer Hill, Muckleg Corner, near Lichfield, Staffordshire, formerly of Stoneywell Farm, Longden, near Lichfield aforesaid	Grocer and Hay and Straw Dealer, formerly Farmer	Walsall	4 of 1897	Edwin Pritchard ...	St. Peter's-close, Wolverhampton	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Pegg, Richard Shepherd ...	20, Whitmore-street, Walsall, Staffordshire, lately residing and trading at 131, Bridgeman-street, Walsall aforesaid	Journeyman Baker, lately Baker	Walsall	37 of 1896	Edwin Pritchard ...	St. Peter's-close, Wolverhampton	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Garlick, John (otherwise known as John Grant)	Lately residing at 17, Forshaw-street, Warrington, Lancashire, formerly residing at 27, Knutsford-road, Warrington aforesaid, lately trading at Lythgoes-lane, Warrington aforesaid	Furniture Manufacturer	Warrington	10 of 1896	Robert Lowe ...	1, Bank-street, Warrington	Accountant	Dec. 20, 1897
Hibbert, Charles Robert ...	Residing with his father, Henry Hibbert, at the Blue Bell Hotel, High-street, Newton-le-Willows, Lancashire, lately trading at 70, High-street, Newton-le-Willows	Butcher's Assistant, late Butcher	Warrington	19 of 1896	Christopher Jenkins Dibb	Byrom - street, Manchester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1898
Percival, Thomas	Residing and trading at Hill Foot Farm, Appleton, Cheshire	Farmer	Warrington... ..	21 of 1896	Christopher Jenkins Dibb	Byrom - street, Manchester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1898
Moorhouse, Edward	All Saints-road, lately 29, Cotenend, both in the borough of Warwick	Gardener	Warwick	12 of 1896	Edward Thomas Peirson	17, Hertford - street, Coventry	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1898
Fisher, John Wellesley ...	High-street, Midsomer Norton, Somersetshire	Grocer	Wells... ..	10 of 1896	Edward Gustavus Clarke	Baldwin-street, Bristol ..	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898

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Masson, William ...	High-street, Colnbrook, Buckinghamshire	Nurseryman and Seedsman	Windsor ...	7 of 1895	Cecil Mercer ...	Office of Official Receiver, 95, Temple-chambers, Temple-avenue, E.C.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Bailey, John Wesley ...	114, Lower Lichfield-street, Willenhall, Staffordshire	DieSinkerand Milliner and Fancy Draper	Wolverhampton ...	6 of 1897	Edwin Pritchard ...	St. Peter's-close, Wolverhampton	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
James, George William ...	Wood-street, Park Village, Wolverhampton, Staffordshire	Grocer and Baker ...	Wolverhampton ...	33 of 1896	Edwin Pritchard ...	St. Peter's-close, Wolverhampton	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Anderson, James Imlay ...	Residing at the Temperance Hotel, Lowesmoor, in the city of Worcester, late of the Bull Inn, Fernhill Heath, Worcestershire	Out of business, formerly Innkeeper	Worcester ...	40 of 1896	Luke Jesson Sharp...	45, Copenhagen-street, Worcester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Banner, Harry Timothy ...	Residing at the Chase, Great Malvern, Worcestershire	Out of business, formerly trading in co-partnership with Walter George Banner, as Banner Brothers, Cowleigh-road, North Malvern, Worcestershire, as Carriage Builders	Worcester ...	36 of 1896	Luke Jesson Sharp...	45, Copenhagen-street, Worcester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Godard, Alfred William ...	Tibberton, Worcestershire ...	Farmer ...	Worcester ...	2 of 1897	Luke Jesson Sharp...	45, Copenhagen-street, Worcester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Tapp, Charles ...	25, Bransford-road, St. John's, in the city of Worcester	Plumber and Pump Maker	Worcester ...	41 of 1896	Luke Jesson Sharp...	45, Copenhagen-street, Worcester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 24, 1898
Thomasson, Martin George	2, Schleswig-cottages, Malvern Link, Worcestershire	Commission Agent, formerly Tobaccoconist	Worcester ...	6 of 1897	Luke Jesson Sharp...	45, Copenhagen-street, Worcester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1898
Wells, Evelyn Helen ...	Red Cow Inn, Birdport, in the city of Worcester	Innkeeper, Wife of William James Wells	Worcester ...	29 of 1896	Luke Jesson Sharp...	45, Copenhagen-street, Worcester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1898
Winwood, William George	Residing at 21, Albany-terrace, Britannia-square, Worcester, and carrying on business at Moor-street, Worcester, and Narrow Wood Farm, Wadborough, Worcestershire, lately residing and carrying on business at 29, Tything, Worcester	Corn Factor and Farmer	Worcester ...	2 of 1896	Luke Jesson Sharp...	45, Copenhagen-street, Worcester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1898

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Yates, Joseph	Now residing at Pitmaston-road, in the city of Worcester, formerly trading at the Red Lion Inn, Powick, Worcestershire	Out of business, formerly Inkeeper	Worcester	32 of 1896	Luke Jesson Sharp...	45, Copenhagen-street, Worcester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1898
Durose, Albert John ...	The Nag's Head Inn, Mount-street, Wrexham, Denbighshire	Publican	Wrexham	7 of 1897	Llewelyn Hugh - Jones	Crypt-chambers, Chester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1898
Evans, David	Whose present address is unknown, but who lately resided at Coedladwr, in the parish of Llanuwchllyn, Merionethshire	Farmer	Wrexham	6 of 1895	Llewelyn Hugh - Jones	Crypt-chambers, Chester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1898
Owen, Mary	Moreton Inn, Ruabon, in the county of Denbigh	Licensed Victualler, Widow	Wrexham	5 of 1897	Llewelyn Hugh - Jones	Crypt-chambers, Chester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 12, 1898
Atkinson, William	Residing and carrying on business at Kirkgate, Tadcaster, in the county of York	Hairdresser and Cycle Repairer	York	25 of 1897	Edward Towler Wilkinson	28, Stonegate, York ...	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Carr, William Lacy	The Scotch Farm, Elvington, in the county of York	Farmer	York	8 of 1897	Edward Towler Wilkinson	28, Stonegate, York ...	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Cowton, Edwin Wilson ...	2, Stamford-street, in the city of York	Butcher and Milk Dealer	York	23 of 1897	Edward Towler Wilkinson	28, Stonegate, York ...	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Creaser, George Minks ...	3, High Ousegate, in the city of York	Tobacconist	York	20 of 1897	Edward Towler Wilkinson	28, Stonegate, York ...	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898
Godfrey, Thomas Charles...	22, Holgate-road, in the city of York, and 46½, Stonegate, in the city of York	New and Second-hand Bookseller	York	27 of 1897	Edward Towler Wilkinson	28, Stonegate, York ...	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 25, 1898
Moore, Edward	Green-row, East Keswick, in the county of York	Schoolmaster	York	11 of 1897	Edward Towler Wilkinson	28, Stonegate, York ...	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 13, 1898

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.
Hubbard and Company Limited	129, Commercial-street, in the county of London	High Court of Justice	00332 of 1897	Feb. 2, 1898 ...	Nov. 25, 1897
The Watch Company Limited... ..	Boothferry-road, Goole, Yorkshire... ..	Wakefield	1 of 1898	Feb. 1, 1898 ...	Jan. 6, 1898

FIRST MEETINGS.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	Number.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.
The Central Klondyke Gold Mining and Trading Company Limited	Broad-street House, New Broad-street, London, E.C.	High Court of Justice	006 of 1898	Creditors, Feb. 18, 1898 ... Contributories, Feb. 18, 1898...	11 A.M. 12 noon	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C. 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C.
West Wheal Frances Mining Company ...	Illogan	Truro	5 of 1897	Creditors, Feb. 17, 1898 ... Contributories, Feb. 17, 1898	1.30 P.M. 2 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 28, Boscawen-street, Truro Official Receiver's Office, 28, Boscawen-street, Truro

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF LIQUIDATOR.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No.	Liquidator's Name.	Address.	Date of Appointment.
The Cambrian Syndicate Limited	165, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London	High Court of Justice	00243 of 1897	John Macdonald Henderson ...	2, Moorgate-street-buildings London, E.C.	Jan. 8, 1898

NOTICE OF RELEASE OF LIQUIDATOR.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Liquidator's Name.	Liquidator's Address.	Date of Release.
Percy Barclay and Company Limited ...	60, Moorgate-street, in the city of London	High Court of Justice	0095 of 1896	Samuel Wheeler, Officer Receiver and Liquidator	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C.	Feb. 3, 1898

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

..JOHN SMITH, Inspector-General in Companies Liquidation.

THE estates of Laurie Murdoch House Furnisher and Pianoforte Agent Numbers 5 and 7 Balfour-street, Leith-walk Leith were sequestrated on the 4th day of February 1898 by the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

The first deliverance is dated the 4th day of February 1898.

The meeting to elect the Trustees and Commissioners is to be held at 2 o'clock afternoon on Tuesday the 15th day of February 1898 within Dowell's Rooms 18 George-street Edinburgh.

A composition may be offered at this meeting and to entitle creditors to the first dividend their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 4th day of June 1898.

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

J. M. GLASS Solicitor 86 George-street, Edinburgh, Agent.

THE estates of George Shallcross Restaurateur, residing at Twenty-five North Lindsay-street, Dundee, were sequestrated on the 3rd day of February 1898, by the Sheriff of Forfarshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 3rd day of February 1898.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 2 o'clock afternoon on Wednesday

the sixteenth day of February 1898 within Lamb's Hotel Dundee.

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 3rd day of June 1898.

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

WM. KILGOUR 87 High-street Dundee Agent.

THE estates of Hugh McPherson, Farmer, Heathfield, in the parish of Croy and county of Nairn, were sequestrated on the 3rd day of February 1898 by the Sheriff of Inverness, Elgin and Nairn.

The first deliverance is dated the 5th day of January 1898.

The meeting to elect the Trustees and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon on Thursday the 17th day of February 1898 within the Royal Hotel, High-street, Nairn.

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 3rd day of June 1898.

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

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