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## ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS, 1870-1893.

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

Name of School Board.	County.	Union.
Hinckley ... ..	Leicester ... ..	Hinckley
Ormesby ... ..	York ... ..	Middlesbrough
Rushall ... ..	Stafford ... ..	Walsall
Goldington ... ..	Bedford ... ..	Bedford
Potter Heigham ... ..	Norfolk ... ..	Smallburgh
Roche ... ..	Cornwall ... ..	St. Austell
Appleton-upon-Wiske ... ..	York ... ..	Northallerton
Earls Barton ... ..	Northampton ... ..	Wellingborough
Fifehead Magdalen... ..	Dorset ... ..	Sturminster
North Tawton ... ..	Devon ... ..	Okehampton
Woodhurst ... ..	Huntingdon ... ..	St. Ives
River near Dover ... ..	Kent ... ..	Dover
Ermington ... ..	Devon ... ..	Plympton St. Mary
Wigston Magna and Glenn Parva (U.D.)... ..	Leicester ... ..	Blaby
Beccles ... ..	Suffolk	
Ruthin and Llanfwrog (U.D.) ... ..	Denbigh	
Great Yarmouth ... ..	Norfolk and Suffolk	
Kenton ... ..	Devon ... ..	St. Thomas
Radstock ... ..	Somerset ... ..	Clutton
Stow Upland (U.D.) ... ..	Suffolk ... ..	Stow
Chalgrove (U.D.) ... ..	Oxford ... ..	Thame
East Anstey ... ..	Devon ... ..	South Molton
Mason ... ..	Northumberland ... ..	Castle Wood
Aldingbourne ... ..	Sussex ... ..	Westhampnett
Fowey ... ..	Cornwall ... ..	St. Austell
Hemingbrough ... ..	York ... ..	Howden
St. Keverne ... ..	Cornwall ... ..	Helston
Thorney ... ..	Cambridge... ..	Chesterton
Acrise and Paddlesworth (U.D.) ... ..	Kent ... ..	Elham
Elham (Contributory) ... ..	Kent ... ..	Elham
Swingfield (Contributory) ... ..	Kent ... ..	Elham
Boscastle (U.D.) ... ..	Cornwall ... ..	Camelford
St. Breock and Egloshayle (U.D.)... ..	Cornwall ... ..	Bodmin
Peckleton ... ..	Leicester ... ..	Market Bosworth
Rumney ... ..	Monmouth... ..	Newport (Mon.)
Blaenffos (U.D.) ... ..	Pembroke ... ..	Cardigan
Byton (U.D.) ... ..	Hereford ... ..	Kington
Whinbergh and Westfield (U.D.) ... ..	Norfolk ... ..	Mitford and Lauditch
Rhoscilly ... ..	Glamorgan ... ..	Gower
Holme (Huddersfield) ... ..	York ... ..	Huddersfield
Linkinhorne ... ..	Cornwall ... ..	Liskeard
Patton ... ..	Bedford ... ..	Biggleswade
Adstock ... ..	Buckingham ... ..	Buckingham
Bromsgrove (U.D.)... ..	Worcester... ..	Bromsgrove
Chiddingly ... ..	Sussex ... ..	Hailsham
Llangwick ... ..	Glamorgan ... ..	Pontardawe

Name of School Board.	County.	Union.
Llandilofawr (U.D., School Board Contributory)	Carmarthen	
Lower Halstow ... ..	Kent ... ..	Milton
Manston Mortaine ... ..	Bedford ... ..	Amphill
Morthoe ... ..	Devon ... ..	Barnstaple
Shevington ... ..	Lancaster ... ..	Wigan
Llangammarch, Llanfechan, and Llandulas Tyr Abbot (U.D.)	Brecon ... ..	Builth
Norton Lindsey and Wolverton (U.D.)	Warwick ... ..	Stratford-on-Avon
Aberystroth School District	Monmouth ... ..	Bedwelty
Winchcomb (U.D.)	Gloucester ... ..	Winchcomb
Filby ... ..	Norfolk ... ..	East and West Flegg
Mautby (Contributory)	Norfolk ... ..	East and West Flegg
Haselor ... ..	Warwick ... ..	Alcester
Hexton ... ..	Hertford ... ..	Hitchin
Inkpen ... ..	Berks ... ..	Hungerford and Ramsbury
Swandeston ... ..	Norfolk ... ..	Henstead
Llanboidy and Llangan (U.D.)	Carmarthen ... ..	Narberth
Ormesby (U.D.)	Norfolk ... ..	East and West Flegg
Winterton (U.D.)	Norfolk ... ..	East and West Flegg
St. Eval ... ..	Cornwall ... ..	St. Columb Major
Plumpton ... ..	Sussex ... ..	Lewes
Wivelsfield ... ..	Sussex ... ..	Lewes
Wroxham ... ..	Norfolk ... ..	St. Faith's
Howton St. John's (Contributory)	Norfolk ... ..	Smallburgh
Helmdon (U.D.)	Northampton ... ..	Brackley
Conwil in Elvet ... ..	Carmarthen ... ..	Carmarthen
Ridgmont ... ..	Bedford ... ..	Woburn
Oulton-with-Woodlesford ... ..	York ... ..	Hunslet
Fernhurst (U.D.)	Sussex ... ..	Midhurst
Bretforton ... ..	Worcester ... ..	Evesham
Shalford ... ..	Surrey ... ..	Hambleton
Thwing ... ..	York ... ..	Bridlington
Wimblington ... ..	Cambridge ... ..	North Witchford
Winscombe ... ..	Somerset ... ..	Axbridge
Twizel ... ..	Northumberland ... ..	Berwick-on-Tweed
Blennerhasset and Kirkland	Cumberland ... ..	Wigton
Allhallows (Contributory)	Cumberland ... ..	Wigton
Sampford Spiney ... ..	Devon ... ..	Tavistock
Loughton ... ..	Essex ... ..	Epping
Stanton Drew ... ..	Somerset ... ..	Clutton
Chadderton ... ..	Lancaster ... ..	Oldham
East Stockwith and Walkerith (U.D.)	Lincoln ... ..	Gainsborough
Trawden ... ..	Lancaster ... ..	Burnley
Waterbeach ... ..	Cambridge ... ..	Chesterton

*Downing Street, December 23, 1898.*

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Charles Ernest St. John Branch, Esq., Assistant to the Attorney-General, Dominica, to be a Member of the Executive Council of that Presidency.

*Whitehall, December 24, 1898.*

THE Queen has been pleased, by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 23rd instant, to appoint John Frederick Peel Rawlinson, Esq., Q.C., to be Recorder of the Borough of Cambridge, in the room of James Redford Bulwer, Esq., Q.C., resigned.

*Admiralty, 23rd December, 1898.**Royal Naval Reserve.*

The following Gentleman has been appointed a Sub-Lieutenant:—  
Henry Osborne Barter. Dated 20th December, 1898.

*Admiralty, 27th December, 1898.*

THE undermentioned Warrant Officer is granted the honorary rank of Second Lieutenant in the Corps of Royal Marines:—  
Bandmaster George John Miller, Royal Marine Light Infantry. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*War Office, Pall Mall,**27th December, 1898.*

5th Dragoon Guards, Second Lieutenant O. E. M. Saunders to be Lieutenant, vice H. H. Lamb, deceased. Dated 28th December, 1898.

7th Dragoon Guards, Captain William D. McSwiney is seconded for special extra-regimental employment. Dated 7th December, 1898.

1st Dragoons, Lieutenant George F. Steele to be Adjutant, vice Captain J. W. J. Hardman, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 22nd December, 1898.

2nd Dragoons, Lieutenant Thomas Conolly is seconded for service with the Egyptian Army. Dated 15th December, 1898.

**6th Dragoons**, The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant C. H. Higgin is antedated to 29th October, 1897, vice Frederick A. B. Fryer, seconded for service on the Staff.

**14th Hussars**, Captain William G. Eley is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Yeomanry. Dated 1st June, 1898.

**15th Hussars**, Captain Henry D. Bramwell is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Yeomanry. Dated 19th November, 1898.

Supernumerary Captain William E. Peyton, D.S.O., to be Captain, vice H. D. Bramwell. Dated 25th November, 1898.

**Royal Artillery**, The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains :—

Arthur Le M. Bray, on the Seconded List. Dated 19th November, 1898.

Francis F. Lambarde, on the Seconded List. Dated 19th November, 1898.

Douglas R. Coates, vice H. de T. Phillips, placed on half-pay. Dated 12th December, 1898.

The promotions of the undermentioned Captains are antedated as follows :—

G. N. Johnston, to 19th November, 1898.

C. G. Stewart, D.S.O., to 19th November, 1898.

F. A. Tighe, to 19th November, 1898.

S. L. Crockett, to 19th November, 1898.

W. H. U. Smith, to 23rd November, 1898.

F. L. Galloway, to 23rd November, 1898.

N. E. B. Bellairs, to 1st December, 1898.

S. Lebbidge, to 1st December, 1898.

H. Coningham, to 1st December, 1898.

F. S. Butcher, to 5th December, 1898.

G. F. MacMunn, D.S.O., to 5th December, 1898.

Lieutenant (District Officer) Robert Wark is removed from the Army. Dated 8th December, 1898.

Lieutenant (District Officer) Thomas Y. Osmond is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Volunteer Artillery. Dated 20th December, 1898.

Superintending Clerk William Berridge to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, vice Honorary Captain G. Cook, retired. Dated 28th December, 1898.

**Hong Kong—Singapore Battalion**, Jemadar Ashmat to be Subadar, vice Jewalla Singh, retired. Dated 18th May, 1898.

Havildar Major Sampooran Singh to be Jemadar, vice Ashmat. Dated 18th May, 1898.

**Royal Engineers**, Lieutenant-Colonel Richard M. Ruck, from half-pay, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Supernumerary to the establishment, with precedence next below Lieutenant-Colonel H. H. Muirhead. Dated 15th December, 1898.

Gentleman Cadet Sidney Temple Cargill, from the Royal Military Academy, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 15th December, 1898.

#### LINE BATTALIONS.

**The Northumberland Fusiliers**, The restoration to the establishment of Supernumerary Captain Henry S. Ainslie, which was notified in the Gazette of 24th May, 1898, is cancelled.

**The Royal Warwickshire Regiment**, Major Cecil de C. Etheridge retires on retired pay. Dated 28th December, 1898.

Captain Herbert R. Blyth to be Major, vice C. de C. Etheridge. Dated 28th December, 1898.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 28th December, 1898 :—

C. G. M. Blomfield, vice A. E. Vincent, resigned.

A. S. Mitchell, on augmentation.

J. A. Moffat, vice H. G. A. Moore, promoted.

**The King's (Liverpool Regiment)**, Major Valentine A. M. Fowler retires on retired pay. Dated 28th December, 1898.

Captain Stapleton L. Cotton to be Major, vice V. A. M. Fowler. Dated 28th December, 1898.

Sergeant-Major Joseph Bailey to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, vice Honorary Captain T. H. Pollitt, retired. Dated 28th December, 1898.

**The Suffolk Regiment**, Lieutenant Charles H. Turner to be Captain, in succession to Major W. F. Coleman, who holds a Staff appointment. Dated 10th September, 1898.

Second Lieutenant W. P. Lovell to be Lieutenant, vice C. H. Turner. Dated 10th September, 1898.

**The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry)**, Second Lieutenant E. G. Drummond to be Lieutenant, vice A. H. P. Luckhardt, removed from the Army for absence without leave. Dated 14th December, 1898.

**The East Yorkshire Regiment**, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants :—  
E. L. P. Edwards, vice H. T. Reed, transferred to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 31st July, 1898.

C. P. Berthon, vice B. C. Kauntze, transferred to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 23rd August, 1898.

**The Royal Irish Regiment**, Lieutenant Fredric M. Watkins is seconded for service in the Army Pay Department. Dated 8th December, 1898.

**The Lancashire Fusiliers**, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 28th December, 1898 :—

E. V. Nott, vice B. C. M. Carter, promoted.

T. J. Marrable, on augmentation.

**The Cheshire Regiment**, Lieutenant Herbert E. Mayo resigns his Commission. Dated 28th December, 1898.

**The Royal Welsh Fusiliers**, Lieutenant Richard G. B. Lovett is seconded for service in the Army Pay Department. Dated 16th December, 1898.

**The South Wales Borderers**, Lieutenant Kynard Hawdon, from the Local Military Forces, New Zealand, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant R. P. Yates, promoted. Dated 28th December, 1898.

**The King's Own Scottish Borderers**, Captain Alfred W. Pennyman to be Major, vice G. T. W. Hewat, promoted. Dated 3rd December, 1898.

**The Dorsetshire Regiment**, Second Lieutenant G. F. Cardew to be Lieutenant, vice E. C. Alexander, transferred to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 5th August, 1898.

**The Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment)**, Lieutenant John G. Blackburne resigns his Commission. Dated 28th December, 1898.

Supernumerary Lieutenant Robert J. F. Taylor to be Lieutenant, vice J. G. Blackburne. Dated 28th December, 1898.

**Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment)**, Supernumerary Lieutenant Eustace G. Lees to be Lieutenant, vice A. S. Turner, seconded. Dated 1st December, 1898.

*The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment)*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Thomas H. Brock, on completion of his period of service in command of a Battalion, is placed on half-pay. Dated 23rd December, 1898.

Major Charles W. H. Evans, D.S.O., to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel T. H. Brock. Dated 23rd December, 1898.

*The Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment)*, Second Lieutenant H. E. Moule to be Lieutenant, vice A. W. Ralston, deceased. Dated 7th December, 1898.

*The Durham Light Infantry*, Captain the Honourable William L. Vane to be Major, vice F. R. C. Carleton, promoted into Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers). Dated 14th September, 1898.

*The Royal Munster Fusiliers*, The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 1st November, 1898 :—

George A. C. Webb, Adjutant, vice G. D. Crocker, seconded for service as an Adjutant of Indian Volunteers.

Arthur M. Bent, to complete establishment.

*The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own)*, Captain Albert V. J. Cowell is placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 28th December, 1898.

Supernumerary Captain Gerard P. Tharp to be Captain, vice W. V. Eccles, retired. Dated 21st December, 1898.

*The Royal Army Medical Corps*, Quartermaster and Honorary Captain John Buckley retires on retired pay. Dated 28th December, 1898.

Sergeant-Major Richard Hawkey to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, vice Honorary Captain J. Buckley. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*Staff*, Lieutenant-Colonel W. Peacocke, C.M.G., from Lieutenant-Colonel, Royal Engineers, to be Deputy Quartermaster-General in India, and to have the substantive rank of Colonel in the Army, vice Colonel I. S. M. Hamilton, C.B., D.S.O., who has vacated that appointment. Dated 1st September, 1898.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. Thompson, Royal Engineers, to be an Assistant Inspector-General of Fortifications at Head-Quarters. Dated 17th December, 1898.

Major G. H. Bittleston, Royal Artillery, to be a Deputy-Assistant Inspector-General of Ordnance at Head-Quarters, vice Major H. C. Selater, Royal Artillery, appointed a Brigade Major. Dated 6th December, 1898.

Lieutenant Sir W. Dick-Cunyngham, Bart., the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders), to be Aide-de-Camp to General E. F. Chapman, C.B., Commanding the Troops, Scottish District. Dated 12th April, 1898.

*Royal Military College*, Lieutenant-General Sir E. Markham, K.C.B., Royal Artillery, from Inspector-General of Ordnance at Head-Quarters, to be Governor and Commandant, vice Lieutenant-General Sir C. J. East, K.C.B., whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 19th December, 1898.

*Army Schools*, Inspector of Army Schools and Honorary Lieutenant John A. Smears is placed on retired pay. Dated 28th December, 1898.

Army Schoolmaster Thomas George Cooke to be Inspector of Army Schools (with the honorary rank of Lieutenant), vice Honorary Lieutenant T. Murray, deceased. Dated 11th December, 1898.

*Army Veterinary Department*, Veterinary-Major Thomas A. Killick is placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 28th December, 1898.

The undermentioned Veterinary-Majors, half-pay, retire on retired pay. Dated 28th December, 1898 :—

Thomas A. Killick.

George D. Whitfield.

#### MEMORANDA.

Colonel H. S. Brownrigg, on completion of his period of service on the Staff, is placed on half-pay. Dated 15th October, 1898.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles L. Mortimer, half-pay, retires on retired pay. Dated 28th December, 1898.

Lieutenant F. A. Greer, Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), is granted the local rank of Captain in Egypt whilst employed with the Mounted Infantry. Dated 26th October, 1898.

Lieutenant C. W. Justice, the York and Lancaster Regiment, is granted the local rank of Captain whilst employed in the East Africa Protectorate. Dated 28th December, 1898.

Sergeant-Major Walter Butler, from the East Lancashire Regiment, to be a Quartermaster in the Army, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1898.

The undermentioned Warrant Officers are granted the honorary rank of Second Lieutenant in the Army. Dated 28th December, 1898 :—  
Bandmaster Charles Godfrey, Royal Horse Guards.

Bandmaster Ladislao Zavertal, Royal Artillery.

#### ARMY MEDICAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Surgeon-Lieutenant John K. Tomory, M.D., 1st Sutherland Highland Rifle Volunteers, to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

War Office, 27th December, 1898.

#### MILITIA.

##### ROYAL ARTILLERY.

*The Antrim Artillery (Southern Division)*, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants :—

L. D. Vernon. Dated 28th December, 1898.

R. M. Hill. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*The Fife Artillery (Southern Division)*, Captain F. D. Barry is seconded for service as Commandant of the Johore Sikh Force. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*The Glamorgan Artillery (Western Division)*, Lieutenant W. C. Wright to be Captain. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*The Londonderry Artillery (Southern Division)*, Lieutenant C. W. Adair resigns his Commission. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*The West of Scotland Artillery (Southern Division)*, The third Christian name of Mr. Younger, gazetted on 25th October, 1898, to the rank of Second Lieutenant, is Shakespear, not Shakespeare.

#### ROYAL ENGINEERS (MILITIA).

##### Submarine Miners.

*The Western Division*, Lieutenant G. F. Green to be Instructor of Musketry, under the provisions of paragraph 259 of the Militia Regulations, 1898, vice Captain and Honorary Major T. M. Holmes, who vacates the appointment. Dated 28th December, 1898.

## INFANTRY.

3rd Battalion, the Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Geoffrey John George Tempest Wight, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the King's (Liverpool Regiment), Captain T. C. Connell resigns his Commission. Dated 28th December, 1898.

4th Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment, Major H. W. Hurrell is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 28th December, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), Lawrence Edward Grace Oates, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Irish Regiment, Second Lieutenant R. W. J., Viscount Suirdale, to be Lieutenant, and to remain seconded. Dated 28th December, 1898.

5th Battalion, the Royal Irish Regiment, Captain D. J. Smithwick is appointed Instructor of Musketry, under the provisions of paragraph 259 of the Militia Regulations, 1898. Dated 28th December, 1898.

5th Battalion, the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, John Briscoe Watts, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

4th Battalion, the Border Regiment, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

F. G. W. Draffen. Dated 28th December, 1898.

B. W. H. Parsons. Dated 28th December, 1898.

4th Battalion, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, Lieutenant S. C. W., Lord Aberdour, to be Instructor of Musketry, under the provisions of paragraph 259 of the Militia Regulations, 1898, vice Lieutenant T. H. R. Bulkeley, who vacates the appointment. Dated 28th December, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), The appointment of Mr. E. P. Manwaring-White as Second Lieutenant, which appeared in the London Gazette of 25th October, 1898, should have been dated 1st October, 1898, and not as therein stated.

7th Battalion, the King's Royal Rifle Corps, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

R. H. Seymour. Dated 28th December, 1898.

W. H. T. Pawson. Dated 28th December, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Duke of Edinburgh's (Wiltshire Regiment), Lieutenant F. R. Cockburn to be Captain. Dated 28th December, 1898.

4th Battalion, the Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), Captain and Honorary Major G. Chichester (retired pay) to be Major. Dated 28th December, 1898.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Irish Rifles, Lieutenant Alfred Letchworth Law, North Staffordshire Regiment, to be Adjutant, vice Major E. Allen, the Royal Irish Rifles, who has vacated the appointment. Dated 2nd January, 1899.

Lieutenant A. L. Law, North Staffordshire Regiment, is granted the rank of Captain whilst serving as Adjutant. Dated 2nd January, 1899.

4th Battalion, the Royal Irish Rifles, Captain E. R. Robinson is seconded for service in the Sierra Leone Frontier Police. Dated 28th December, 1898.

4th Battalion, the Connaught Rangers, The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

L. B. Blake. Dated 28th December, 1898.

R. G. Eyre. Dated 28th December, 1898.

D. B. Parry. Dated 28th December, 1898.

5th Battalion, the Royal Dublin Fusiliers, Captain Sir F. W. Shaw, Bart., is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 28th December, 1898.

## YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Hampshire (Carabiniers), The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

W. C. Lister. Dated 28th December, 1898.

G. Heseltine. Dated 28th December, 1898.

Yorkshire Dragoons (Queen's Own), Surgeon-Lieutenant P. B. Mackay to be Surgeon-Captain. Dated 28th December, 1898.

## VOLUNTEER CORPS.

## ARTILLERY.

1st Cheshire and Carnarvonshire, Surgeon-Lieutenant John Oldershaw, M.D., resigns his Commission and is appointed Captain. Dated 28th December, 1898.

1st Dorsetshire (Southern Division, Royal Artillery), Second Lieutenant C. G. Trevanion resigns his Commission. Dated 28th December, 1898.

1st Fifehire, Lieutenant and District Officer T. Y. Osmond, Royal Artillery, to be Adjutant, vice Captain R. S. Macgowan, whose period of service has expired. Dated 20th December, 1898.

Lieutenant and District Officer T. Y. Osmond, Royal Artillery, is granted the rank of Captain whilst serving as Adjutant. Dated 20th December, 1898.

1st Forfarshire, Acting Chaplain the Reverend W. Cochran Malcolm resigns his appointment. Dated 28th December, 1898.

1st Hampshire (Southern Division, Royal Artillery), Captain A. E. H. Honrichs resigns his Commission. Dated 28th December, 1898.

The Highland, Peter Smith Macleod, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

George Wilson, M.B., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

2nd Northumberland (Percy) (Western Division, Royal Artillery), Quartermaster and Honorary Captain H. Lamb resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Corps on his retirement. Dated 28th December, 1898.

1st Orkney, Lieutenant J. E. W. Tait to be Captain. Dated 28th December, 1898.

The undermentioned Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

A. J. Fife. Dated 28th December, 1898.

C. Heddle. Dated 28th December, 1898.

1st Renfrew and Dumbarton, Lieutenant J. Birkmyre, jun., to be Captain. Dated 28th December, 1898.

1st Shropshire and Staffordshire, Captain W. T. Southam is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 28th December, 1898.

Harry Mitcheson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*2nd Sussex*, Captain T. E. V. Kirtlan resigns his Commission. Dated 28th December, 1898.  
 Lieutenant J. G. Knight to be Captain. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*The Tynemouth (Western Division, Royal Artillery)*, John Alfred Wait, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

#### ROYAL ENGINEERS (VOLUNTEERS).

*1st Devonshire and Somersetshire*, Second Lieutenant C. H. Melsome resigns his Commission. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*1st Lancashire*, Charles Henry Burton, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*1st Sussex*, Charles William Towner, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th December, 1898.

*2nd Tower Hamlets ("East London")*, Captain R. Norman is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 28th December, 1898.

Ernest Melbourne Hallenstein, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th December, 1898.

#### Submarine Miners.

*The Severn Division*, Second Lieutenant T. O. Edwards to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

#### THE ENGINEER AND RAILWAY VOLUNTEER STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. C. Hawkshaw to be Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

#### RIFLE.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Northumberland Fusiliers*, Lieutenant-Colonel R. Weddell is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 28th December, 1898.

The undermentioned Majors are granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel:—

W. Gibson. Dated 28th December, 1898.

L. C. Lockhart. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Warwickshire Regiment*, Captain Alexander Deane, Royal Warwickshire Regiment, to be Adjutant, vice Captain A. J. S. Maunsell, whose period of service expires. Dated 27th December, 1898.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment)*, Second Lieutenant L. C. Collins to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

William Lyle, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*4th Volunteer Battalion, the King's (Liverpool Regiment)*, Second Lieutenant E. R. Cookson to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*5th (Irish) Volunteer Battalion, the King's (Liverpool Regiment)*, Lieutenant T. W. Williams to be Captain. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*6th Volunteer Battalion, the King's (Liverpool Regiment)*, Quartermaster I. Nixon is granted the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*4th Volunteer Battalion, the Norfolk Regiment*, Lieutenant H. H. Back, from the 3rd Volunteer Battalion, to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*2nd (Prince of Wales's) Volunteer Battalion, the Devonshire Regiment*, Sydney James Ching, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Suffolk Regiment*, Surgeon-Major M. E. Ling resigns his Commission; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment)*, Captain R. A. A. Bottomley to be Major. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*3rd Volunteer Battalion, the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment)*, Captain W. Braithwaite is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the East Yorkshire Regiment*, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel A. Thorney to be Lieutenant-Colonel, and to command, under the provisions of paragraph 55A of the Volunteer Regulations, 1898. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, the East Yorkshire Regiment*, Acting Chaplain the Reverend R. D. French, M.A. resigns his appointment. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment)*, The undermentioned Officers resign their Commissions:—

Lieutenant A. F. H. Kirk. Dated 28th December, 1898.

Second Lieutenant F. W. D. Watkinson. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Cameronians (Scottish Rifles)*, Ellis John Heilbron, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*1st (City of Bristol) Volunteer Battalion, the Gloucestershire Regiment*, Lieutenant W. Butler resigns his Commission. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, the East Lancashire Regiment*, John Lord Geoffrey Mitchell, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment)*, The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Second Lieutenants:—

Joseph Morton. Dated 28th December, 1898.

George Rawnsley Hartley. Dated 28th December, 1898.

Jack Standeven. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Royal Sussex Regiment*, Kenelm Luttmann-Johnson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*5th (Perthshire Highland) Volunteer Battalion, the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders)*, Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel D. M. Robertson retires under the provisions of paragraph 111 of the Volunteer Regulations, 1898; also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Battalion on his retirement. Dated 28th December, 1898.

Charles Boyd, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*6th (Fifeshire) Volunteer Battalion, the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders)*, Captain G. T. Henderson resigns his Commission. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*1st (Oxford University) Volunteer Battalion, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry*, Captain Edward George Wynyard, D.S.O., the Welsh Regiment, to be Adjutant, vice Captain S. D. Maul, the York and Lancaster Regiment, whose period of service has expired. Dated 2nd January, 1899.

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Oxfordshire Light Infantry*, Frederick William Schofield, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*1st Volunteer Battalion, the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment*, Captain and Honorary Major J. Carter to be Major. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*1st Herefordshire*, William John Phillips, Gent., to be Quartermaster. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*21st Middlesex (the Finsbury)*, Lieutenant W. B. Griffiths to be Captain. Dated 28th December, 1898.

Gilbert John Hare, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*2nd Volunteer Battalion, the Durham Light Infantry*, John Alfred York, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*3rd (The Blythwood) Volunteer Battalion, the Highland Light Infantry*, John William Logie, M.B., to be Surgeon-Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*3rd (Morayshire) Volunteer Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, the Duke of Albany's)*, Captain W. A. Petrie resigns his Commission. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*3rd (The Buchan) Volunteer Battalion, the Gordon Highlanders*, William John Milne, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*1st (Inverness-shire Highland) Volunteer Battalion, the Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders*, Captain J. Douglas is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 28th December, 1898.

*2nd (Renfrewshire) Volunteer Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders)*, Captain David Elgar Payn, Yorkshire Light Infantry, to be Adjutant, vice Captain J. G. Panton, Royal Sussex Regiment, whose period of service expires. Dated 15th December, 1898.

*5th Volunteer Battalion, Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders)*, John Steill Henderson, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th December, 1898.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Hertford.*

Frederick Henry Norman, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 20th December, 1898.

#### COAL MINES REGULATION ACT, 1896.

THE Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that, on the 23rd December, 1898, he made an Order, under section 6 of "The Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1896," entitled the Explosives in Coal Mines Order of 23rd December, 1898. This Order amends the Order

of the 11th July, 1898, by revoking so much of the Schedule of Permitted Explosives annexed to that Order as relates to the explosive known as Oxalate Blasting Powder, and by adding to the Schedule the following new explosives:—Argus Powder, Earthquake Powder, Elephant Brand Gunpowder No. 2, and Oxalate Blasting Powder (new definition).

The Order comes into force on the 1st January, 1899.

Copies of the Order may be purchased at the Sale Office for Official Publications, Messrs. Eyre and Spottiswoode, East Harding-street, Fleet-street, E.C.

ORDER of the Local Government Board: District Auditors Act, 1879: Assignment of Duties and Districts (Supplemental):—

Mid-Lancashire Audit District.

Bingley Urban District.

To Arthur Carson Roberts, District Auditor;—

To the Urban District Council of Bingley;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by Section 4 of "The District Auditors Act, 1879," it is enacted that the Local Government Board may from time to time assign to District Auditors their Duties, and the Districts in which such Auditors respectively are to act, and may from time to time change wholly or in part such Duties or Districts;

And whereas by an Order dated the 29th day of March, 1894, We, the Local Government Board, certified the appointment of the said Arthur Carson Roberts as a District Auditor, and ordered that the District in which he should act as Auditor, and which should be termed "The Mid-Lancashire Audit District," should, for the performance of the duties assigned to him by Article I of the Order, comprise the area for the time being included in the several Unions named in the Schedule to that Order, and in the Districts mentioned in paragraphs (3) and (4) of the said Article I and the Districts or areas referred to in paragraph (6) of such Article;

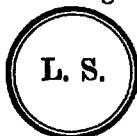
And whereas it is prescribed by the said Article I that it shall be the duty of the said District Auditor to audit the Accounts of the Authorities and their Officers mentioned or referred to in paragraphs (1), (2), (3), (4), and (5) of that Article, as well as the Accounts of such of the other Authorities whose Accounts are or may be by law subject to be audited by a District Auditor, and whose Districts or the areas of whose jurisdiction are for the time being partly situated within one or more of the said Unions, as We might by Order under Seal thereafter prescribe;

And whereas the Urban District Council of Bingley is an Authority whose Accounts are subject to be audited by a District Auditor, and the District of the said Urban District Council is partly situated within one or more of the said Unions;

Now therefore, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf, We hereby Order and Prescribe that it shall, until We otherwise prescribe, be the duty of the said Arthur Carson Roberts to audit the Accounts of the said Urban District Council of Bingley, and of their Officers, in conformity with the provisions contained in the above-cited Order; and that for the purpose of such Audit the District of the said Urban District Council shall be deemed to be within the said Mid-Lancashire Audit District.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this twenty-third

day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.



L. S.

Henry Chaplin,  
President.

S. B. Provis, Assistant Secretary.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF  
AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 27TH DECEMBER 1898.)

HAMPSHIRE (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 :

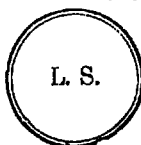
1. The Orders described in the Schedule to this Order are hereby from and after the commencement of this Order revoked : Provided that such

revocation shall not revive any Order revoked by either of those Orders, or 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 thirtieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

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

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



L. S.

T. H. Elliott,  
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Orders Revoked.

No.	Date.	Short Title.
5702	1897. 30 September ...	The Hampshire (Muzzling of Dogs) Order of 1897 (No. 2).
5883	1898. 11 November... ...	The Hampshire (Muzzling of Dogs) Amendment Order of 1898.

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 27TH DECEMBER 1898.)

KENT (MUZZLING OF DOGS) REVOCATION ORDER OF 1898.

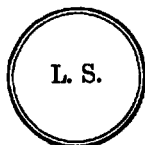
THE Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 and 1896, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :

1. From and after the commencement of this Order, the Districts and part of a District mentioned in the First Schedule to this Order shall cease to be subject to the Orders mentioned in the Second Schedule to this Order or either of them, and those Orders 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 thirtieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

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

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



L. S.

T. H. Elliott,  
Secretary.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

Districts and Part of a District of Local Authorities from which Muzzling Restrictions are withdrawn.

The county of Kent (except such portion of the county as is situate within the Metropolitan Police District).

Borough of Canterbury.  
Borough of Chatham.  
Borough of Dover.  
Borough of Folkestone.  
Borough of Gravesend.  
Borough of Maidstone.  
Borough of Margate.  
Borough of Ramsgate.  
Borough of Rochester.  
Borough of Tunbridge Wells.



## SECOND SCHEDULE.

*Orders Revoked.*

No.	Date.	Short Title.
5713	1897. 18 October ...	The Kent (Muzzling of Dogs) Order of 1897.
5740	1898. 1 February ...	The Kent (Muzzling of Dogs) Order of 1898.

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 27TH DECEMBER 1898.)

## SURREY (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. From and after the commencement of this Order, the Districts and part of a District mentioned in the First Schedule to this Order shall cease to be subject to the Orders mentioned in the Second Schedule to this Order or either of them, and those Orders 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 thirtieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

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

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

L. S.

T. H. Elliott,  
Secretary.

## FIRST SCHEDULE.

*Districts and Part of a District of Local Authorities from which Muzzling Restrictions are withdrawn.*

County of Surrey (except such portion of the county as is situate within the Metropolitan Police District).

Borough of Guildford.

Borough of Reigate.

## SECOND SCHEDULE.

*Orders Revoked.*

No.	Date.	Short Title.
5682	1897. 24 August ...	The Surrey (Muzzling of Dogs) Order of 1897.
5697	17 September ...	The Surrey (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 27TH DECEMBER 1898.)

## SUSSEX (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 any 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, any of the Orders hereby revoked before the commencement of this Order.

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

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

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

L. S.

T. H. Elliott,  
Secretary.

## SCHEDULE.

## Orders Revoked.

No.	Date.	Short Title.
	1897.	
5683	24 August ...	The Sussex (Muzzling of Dogs) Order of 1897.
5692	14 September ...	The Sussex (Muzzling of Dogs) Order of 1897 (No. 2).
5703	30 September ...	The Sussex (Muzzling of Dogs) Order of 1897 (No. 3).
5727	9 December ...	The Sussex (Muzzling of Dogs) Order of 1897 (No. 4).

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

## NOTICES TO MARINERS.

(Nos. 779 to 785 of the year 1898.)

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

## No. 779.—UNITED STATES—FLORIDA.

*Old Tampa Bay—Lights Marking Dredged Channel.*

THE United States Government has given notice that, on and after 15th December, 1898, in place of the beacons Nos. 8 and 12, two iron columns have been erected, painted brown, with white lamp-rooms at their base, standing on triangular pile structures, in 21 feet water, about 50 feet eastward of the dredged channel, from which the two following lights would be exhibited to mark the northern ends of the dredged channels between Tampa and Old Tampa Bays:—

South Cut Upper Light is white fixed, elevated 49 feet above high water. It is erected in the position of No. 8 Beacon, with west extreme of Port Tampa Wharf bearing N. 15° E., distant  $3\frac{1}{2}$  miles, and Gadsden Point N. 76° E.

Approximate position, lat. 27° 48' 5" N., long. 82° 34' 30" W.

North Cut Upper Light is white fixed, elevated 48 feet above high water. It is erected in the position of No. 12 Beacon, with the west extreme of Port Tampa Wharf bearing N. 21° E., distant  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles, and south extreme of Gadsden Point S. 76° E.

[Variation 2° Easterly in 1898.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Tampa Bay, No. 2897. Also, List of Lights, Part VIII, 1898, page 192; West India Pilot, Vol. I, page 562; and Hydrographic Notice No. 2, 1896, relating to that work, page 43.

## No. 780.—AFRICA—WEST COAST.

*Highland River—Light Exhibited.*

THE French Government has given notice, that in September, 1898, a white flashing light of 920 becs Carcel = 9,200 candles was exhibited on the west side of the entrance to Highland or Ye River, Ivory Coast.

Highland River Light, which shows a single flash every five seconds, is elevated 160 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 19 miles.

It is shown from a grey metallic tower, 16 feet high, situated in front of, and a short distance from, the Residency.

Approximate position, lat. 4° 44' 45" N., long. 6° 36' 0" W.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—River Gambia to Cape Lopez, No. 594; Grand Berebi to Cape Three Points, No. 1362. Also, List of Lights, Part IV, 1898, page 130; Africa Pilot, Part I, 1890, page 286; and Supplement, 1896, relating to that work, page 31.

## No. 781.—SPAIN—SOUTH-WEST COAST.

*Guadalquivir River—Leading Lights, Colours Altered.*

THE Spanish Government has given notice, that, on and after 1st January, 1899, the following alterations will be made in the colours of the leading lights, Guadalquivir River:—

The front light at Bonanza will be altered from green fixed to red fixed, and the rear light at San Jeronimo from green fixed to white fixed; in other respects they will remain unaltered.

Approximate position, front light, latitude 36° 48' 0" N., longitude 6° 20' 5" W.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Cape St. Vincent to Gibraltar Strait, No. 92; Entrance to Guadalquivir River, No. 2341. Also, List of Lights, Part IV, 1898, Nos. 614, 615; Sailing Directions for the West Coasts of France, Spain, and Portugal, 1891, page 388.

## No. 782.—SPAIN—SOUTH-WEST COAST.

*Port Huelva Entrance—Channel marked by Gas Buoys.*

THE Spanish Government has given notice, dated 26th November, 1898, that the principal entrance (known as Picacho Channel) is nearly closed, and that the Canal del Padre Santo (which has greatly improved) is the channel now made use of: it has in consequence been marked by gas buoys, which show red lights on the west side and green lights on the east side of the fairway. A note to this effect has been placed on the Chart.

Approximate position, lat. 37° 7' N., long. 6° 50' W.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Port of Huelva, No. 72. Also, Sailing Directions for the West Coasts of France, Spain, and Portugal, 1891, page 383; and Hydrographic Notice No. 2 of 1894, relating to that work, page 21.

## No. 783.—MEDITERRANEAN—ALGERIA.

*Habibas Islands—Rock.*

THE French Government has given notice, dated 21st November, 1898, of the existence of the undermentioned rock, situated about one cable from the north coast of the largest of the Habibas Islands.

This rock, which has two heads 30 yards apart and connected by a ledge awash, is 10 feet above high water, and lies with the 200 feet hill on the large island bearing South, distant  $1\frac{1}{2}$  cables, and the summit (79 feet) of the small island N. 88° E.

At 50 yards south of this rock there is a shoal with a depth of  $1\frac{1}{2}$  fathoms on it.

Approximate position, lat. 35° 43' 50" N., long. 1° 7' 45" W.

[Variation 14° Westerly in 1898.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Plan:—Plan of Habibas Islands on Sheet No. 178. Also, Mediterranean Pilot, Vol. I, 1894, page 237.

## No. 784.—FRANCE—DUNKERQUE.

*East Pier—Light.*

THE French Government has given notice, dated 16th November, 1898, that the old East Pier having been demolished, the red fixed light shown from its extremity has been discontinued. Also, that a new red fixed unwatched light of  $1\frac{1}{10}$  becs Carcel = 16 candles, elevated 36 feet above high water, and visible in clear weather from a distance of 4 miles, is exhibited from the extremity of the new East Pier, Dunkerque.

It is shown from an iron cylindrical turret, painted yellow, 26 feet high.

Approximate position, lat.  $51^{\circ} 3' 25''$  N., long.  $2^{\circ} 21' 40''$  E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Dunkerque Road, No. 1352. Also, List of Lights, Part II, 1898, No. 10; Part IV, 1898, No. 7; Channel Pilot, Part II, 1897, page 615; North Sea Pilot, Part IV, 1892, page 71.

## [No. 785.—FRANCE—NORTH COAST.

*Outer Ruytingen—North-East Buoy, Character Altered.*

THE French Government has given notice, dated 18th November, 1898, that the black spherical buoy marking the north-east end of the Outer Ruytingen has been replaced by a black spar buoy surmounted by a cylindrical top-mark bearing the words "No. 3" on it.

Approximate position, lat.  $51^{\circ} 12' 10''$  N., long.  $2^{\circ} 9' 35''$  E.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Chart:—Calais to River Schelde entrance, No. 1872. Also, Channel Pilot, Part II, 1897, page 589; and North Sea Pilot, Part IV, 1892, page 43.

By command of their Lordships,  
*W. J. L. Wharton*, Hydrographer.  
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
22nd to 23rd December, 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 first day of January next, Bedminster Sub-District of Bedminster Registration District, as reduced by the operation of the Bristol Corporation Act, 1897, and consisting of that part of Bedminster Without Civil Parish known as Bishopsworth, shall be added to Long Ashton Sub-District of the same Registration District.—Witness my hand this 24th day of December, 1898.

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

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, Imperial Measure\*, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise in the Week ended 24th December, 1898, conformably with the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37.

					QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
					Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	...	...	...	...	61,583	4	26	9
Barley	...	...	...	...	132,590	4	28	6
Oats...	...	...	...	...	22,148	7	17	0

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	...	85,379	3	94,629	0	14,673	7	20	5	20	10	13	9
1895	...	24,377	0	103,556	4	16,168	5	25	0	23	11	13	10
1896	...	41,672	7	84,230	3	11,945	1	30	9	24	1	16	1
1897	...	54,230	1	127,208	2	15,477	2	34	4	26	11	17	0

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

Board of Agriculture, 4, Whitehall-place, London, S.W.,  
December 24, 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 24th December, 1898.

Towns.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Towns.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
London :—				Yorkshire, E.R. :—			
London ...	27 11	28 10	17 11	Hull ...	27 8	27 2	...
Middlesex :—				Howden ...	26 1	24 1	15 9
Uxbridge ...	28 9	...	...	Beverley ...	27 1	...	17 1
Essex :—				Bridlington ...	26 9	24 6	16 7
Romford ...	27 6	31 5	...	Nottinghamshire :—			
Chelmsford ...	28 5	30 10	17 8	Retford ...	26 11	25 8	...
Colchester ...	26 8	30 0	18 1	Worksop ...	26 10	26 9	16 6
Braintree ...	26 4	28 11	...	Mansfield ...	26 8	26 1	16 0
Saffron Walden ...	26 1	30 0	...	Newark ...	25 9	27 8	16 11
Hertfordshire :—				Nottingham ...	26 7	26 6	16 3
Bishop's Stortford ...	26 9	30 8	...	Leicestershire :—			
Hertford ...	27 9	32 5	...	Loughborough ...	26 8	26 6	17 6
Royston ...	26 10	30 4	20 5	Leicester ...	27 0	25 5	16 6
Hitchin ...	26 10	28 0	17 6	Melton Mowbray ...	24 9	26 6	19 8
Bedfordshire :—				Rutland :—			
Luton ...	25 7	26 10	16 7	Oakham ...	Nil.	..	...
Bedford ...	25 7	27 11	...	Northamptonshire :—			
Huntingdonshire :—				Peterborough ...	25 5	27 1	16 6
St. Neots ...	25 8	26 7	16 11	Kettering ...	26 2	27 6	...
Huntingdon ...	Nil.	...	...	Northampton ...	25 11	26 10	18 2
St. Ives ...	26 1	26 2	16 0	Daventry ...	Nil.	...	...
Cambridgeshire :—				Warwickshire :—			
Wisbech ...	26 5	25 5	16 7	Coventry ...	26 5	25 7	17 11
Ely ...	25 7	25 6	16 4	Birmingham ...	26 10	27 6	...
Cambridge ...	26 5	29 4	17 9	Warwick ...	26 1	...	...
Suffolk :—				Stratford-on-Avon ...	...	29 3	...
Haverhill ...	26 10	30 5	...	Oxfordshire :—			
Sudbury ...	29 7	29 11	...	Banbury ...	25 10	26 9	17 4
Hadleigh ...	28 1	29 11	...	Oxford ...	26 6	28 2	18 0
Ipswich ...	27 8	30 5	17 5	Bicester ...	...	...	17 7
Woodbridge ...	26 9	30 11	...	Buckinghamshire :—			
Stowmarket ...	27 3	30 7	...	Newport Pagnell ...	25 2	25 9	17 1
Bury St. Edmunds ...	26 7	31 2	18 8	Aylesbury ...	26 6	28 3	18 4
Saxmundham ...	28 10	31 1	...	Berkshire :—			
Framlingham ...	27 10	30 4	...	Abingdon ...	27 9	28 10	21 1
Eye ...	26 3	31 3	...	Didcot ...	30 0	...	...
Halesworth ...	28 6	31 9	19 1	Wallingford ...	...	32 9	23 0
Bungay ...	27 3	30 10	20 0	Hungerford ...	...	...	19 6
Beccles ...	26 10	30 10	16 6	Newbury ...	29 3	31 2	19 1
Norfolk :—				Reading ...	27 8	30 5	17 10
Diss ...	27 1	30 5	...	Surrey :—			
Harleston ...	26 11	29 4	...	Farnham ...	28 7	28 0	...
Yarmouth ...	27 2	29 9	...	Guildford ...	27 8	30 3	19 7
Norwich ...	26 7	29 10	17 7	Reigate ...	Nil.	...	...
North Walsham ...	26 2	28 0	16 8	Kingston ...	28 1	...	...
Holt ...	26 4	26 6	17 5	Croydon ...	28 3	...	...
Fakenham ...	26 7	28 3	16 9	Kent :—			
East Dereham ...	26 6	28 3	16 9	Dartford ...	Nil.	...	...
Watton ...	26 10	28 5	16 2	Rockester ...	Nil.	...	...
Lynn ...	26 4	27 4	16 10	Sandwich ...	28 0	...	...
Lincolnshire :—				Canterbury ...	29 10	28 5	20 2
Spalding ...	25 3	23 7	16 8	Ashford ...	29 2	...	...
Stamford ...	25 5	27 5	16 5	Maidstone ...	30 8	34 4	...
Grantham ...	25 0	27 6	14 10	Tunbridge ...	Nil.	...	...
Sleaford ...	25 8	28 0	...	Sussex :—			
Boston ...	25 6	26 5	16 4	Lewes ...	26 1	36 9	...
Louth ...	25 2	26 5	16 5	Brighton ...	28 3	36 11	18 0
Lincoln ...	26 4	27 8	17 2	Hayward's Heath ...	Nil.	...	...
Gainsborough ...	26 7	26 1	16 4	Horsham ...	27 6	...	17 1
Brigg ...	26 5	26 0	16 3	Pulborough ...	27 6	...	...
				Chichester ...	28 1	28 2	17 5

## Average Price of Wheat, Barley, and Oats—continued.

Towns.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Towns.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
<b>Hampshire :—</b>				<b>Staffordshire :—</b>			
Newport ...	...	31 7	...	Wolverhampton ...	27 9	30 7	...
Fareham ...	Nil.	...	...	Stafford ...	26 2	27 6	15 11
Southampton ...	30 6	...	...	Burton on-Trent ...	...	30 6	...
Winchester ...	28 3	30 2	15 7	<b>Derbyshire :—</b>			
Basingstoke ...	27 7	30 1	17 6	Derby ...	25 4	...	17 2
Andover ...	27 0	29 6	17 2	<b>Yorkshire, W. R. :—</b>			
Ringwood ...	27 8	31 2	...	Sheffield ...	Nil.	...	...
<b>Dorsetshire :—</b>				Doncaster ...	27 2	23 10	17 0
Wimborne ...	26 1	25 10	16 7	Goole ...	27 3	...	16 8
Wareham ...	Nil.	...	...	Pontefract ...	26 8	26 4	17 5
Dorchester ...	27 1	26 5	...	Wakefield ...	27 3	26 3	...
Blandford ...	27 1	29 5	16 9	Leeds ...	28 3	26 10	20 7
Bridport ...	...	31 0	...	Knaresborough ...	...	26 6	...
<b>Devonshire :—</b>				Ripon ...	...	27 3	...
Honiton ...	Nil.	...	...	York ...	27 10	25 9	17 5
Tiverton ...	26 8	24 9	16 4	<b>Yorkshire, N. R. :—</b>			
Barnstaple ...	Nil.	...	...	Easingwold ...	Nil.	...	...
Exeter ...	27 10	26 6	...	Malton ...	27 0	25 11	16 10
Newton Abbot ...	...	25 0	...	Scarborough ...	26 2	25 2	16 8
Totnes ...	25 8	24 3	16 5	Thirsk ...	27 6	27 0	17 1
Kingsbridge ...	27 6	24 0	15 0	Bedale ...	26 2	...	18 1
Plymouth ...	26 6	23 5	16 3	Northallerton ...	...	26 9	...
Okehampton ...	26 6	...	...	<b>Durham :—</b>			
<b>Cornwall :—</b>				Darlington ...	28 0	26 9	18 6
Liskeard ...	Nil.	...	...	Stockton-on-Tees ...	28 6	26 3	...
Wadebridge... ..	26 4	21 4	15 8	Bishop Auckland ...	29 2	...	...
Truro ...	27 1	21 9	16 10	Sunderland ...	27 0	24 5	...
<b>Somersetshire :—</b>				<b>Northumberland :—</b>			
Bridgwater ...	Nil.	...	...	Newcastle-on-Tyne... ..	29 1	26 9	...
Taunton ...	27 2	25 6	19 11	Alnwick ...	...	26 9	...
Yeovil ...	Nil.	...	...	Berwick ...	26 10	25 8	16 4
Frome ...	...	27 2	...	<b>Cumberland :—</b>			
Bath... ..	...	26 9	...	Carlisle ...	26 9	...	16 4
Bristol ...	26 11	26 9	...	Egremont ...	Nil.	...	...
<b>Wiltshire :—</b>				Penrith ...	26 1	...	17 0
Warminster... ..	26 2	28 6	17 6	<b>Westmorland :—</b>			
Salisbury ...	26 7	27 1	16 4	Kendal ...	Nil.	...	...
Devizes ...	27 6	28 3	17 8	<b>Lancashire :—</b>			
Swindon ...	26 11	30 10	19 9	Garstang ...	25 4	23 7	15 8
<b>Gloucestershire :—</b>				Preston ...	Nil.	...	...
Cirencester ...	26 0	24 9	15 10	Manchester ...	Nil.	...	...
Gloucester ...	28 0	25 5	15 1	Warrington ...	27 7	...	16 0
Cheltenham... ..	27 3	25 5	16 4	<b>Cheshire :—</b>			
Tewkesbury... ..	27 10	25 0	21 6	Chester ...	27 0	...	...
<b>Monmouthshire :—</b>				<b>Anglesey :—</b>			
Chepstow ...	27 4	28 9	...	Llangefni ...	...	...	14 2
Newport ...	27 10	...	...	<b>Carnarvonshire :—</b>			
Monmouth ...	Nil.	...	...	Carnarvon ...	...	...	14 1
<b>Herefordshire :—</b>				<b>Denbighshire :—</b>			
Ross... ..	26 10	...	...	Denbigh ...	26 5	27 4	...
Hereford ...	27 2	25 10	16 1	Wrexham ...	27 2	...	15 11
<b>Worcestershire :—</b>				<b>Montgomeryshire :—</b>			
Evesham ...	26 5	25 3	...	Welshpool ...	25 8	23 9	...
Worcester ...	27 2	26 10	19 6	<b>Cardiganshire :—</b>			
<b>Shropshire :—</b>				Cardigan ...	...	24 0	...
Ludlow ...	Nil.	...	...	<b>Pembrokeshire :—</b>			
Bridgnorth ...	...	27 5	16 0	Haverfordwest ...	...	23 1	14 4
Shrewsbury ...	26 11	28 1	17 0	<b>Carmarthenshire :—</b>			
Oswestry ...	25 10	25 2	18 1	Carmarthen... ..	Nil.	...	...
Market Drayton ...	25 7	28 9	16 3	<b>Glamorganshire :—</b>			
				Cardiff ...	28 7	...	15 5
				<b>Brecknockshire :—</b>			
				Brecon ...	Nil.	...	...

**RECEIPTS into and ISSUES out of the EXCHEQUER, between the 1st April, 1898, and the 24th December, 1898.**

REVENUE AND OTHER RECEIPTS.	Estimate for the Year 1898-99.	Total Receipts into the Exchequer from		EXPENDITURE AND OTHER ISSUES.	Estimate for the Year 1898-99.	Total Issues out of the Exchequer to meet Payments from	
		1st April, 1898, to 24th December, 1898.	1st April, 1897, to 24th December, 1897.			1st April, 1898, to 24th December, 1898.	1st April, 1897, to 24th December, 1897.
Balances in Exchequer on 1st April:—	£	£	£	EXPENDITURE.	£	£	£
Bank of England... ..	—	10,060,521	9,122,935	Permanent Charge of Debt... ..	25,000,000	17,112,349	17,427,273
Bank of Ireland ... ..	—	867,901	744,198	Other Consolidated Fund Services ... ..	2,010,000	1,170,533	1,174,039
		10,918,422	9,867,133	Supply Services ... ..	79,945,000	55,241,869	51,138,711
REVENUE.				EXPENDITURE ... ..	106,955,000	73,524,751	69,740,023
Customs ... ..	21,080,000	15,428,000	16,266,000	OTHER ISSUES.			
Excise ... ..	28,950,000	21,942,000	21,238,000	For Advances for Bullion, &c. ... ..		700,000	500,000
Estate, &c., Duties ... ..	10,670,000	8,278,000	7,909,000	For Supply purposes (net amount)... ..		1,325,300	1,325,000
Stamps ... ..	7,600,000	5,497,000	5,616,000	Under Barracks Act, 1890 ... ..		150,000	200,000
Land Tax and House Duty ... ..	2,495,000	540,000	505,000	„ Telegraph Acts, 1892 and 1896 ... ..		93,336	130,000
Property and Income Tax ... ..	17,700,000	5,242,000	4,992,000	„ Uganda Railway Act, 1896 ... ..		735,000	408,000
Post Office ... ..	12,600,000	8,480,000	8,190,000	„ Public Offices (Acquisition of Site) Act, 1895 ... ..		30,000	250,000
Telegraph Service ... ..	3,140,000	2,420,000	2,310,000	„ Public Offices (Whitehall) Site Act, 1897 ... ..		475,000	—
Crown Lands ... ..	430,000	365,000	345,000	Surplus Revenue 1895-96 applied under Naval Works Act, 1896		680,000	596,000
Receipts from Suez Canal Shares and				Surplus Revenue 1896-97 applied under Military Works Act, 1897		400,000	590,000
Sundry Loans ... ..	715,000	427,066	457,889	Surplus Revenue 1897-98:—			
Miscellaneous ... ..	1,730,000	1,391,498	1,385,072	I. Applied under Public Buildings' Expenses Act, 1898 ... ..		650,000	—
* REVENUE ... ..	107,110,000	70,000,564	69,213,961	II. Applied to reduce Debt ... ..		500,000	—
Total, including Balance ... ..		80,918,986	79,081,094	Deficiency Advances repaid ... ..	£1,500,000		
OTHER RECEIPTS.				Less:—Paid off in 1898-99 out of Surplus			
Repayment of Advances for Bullion, &c. ... ..		709,864	567,814	Revenue 1897-98, as above ... ..	500,000		
Under Barracks Act, 1890 ... ..		520,000	—			1,000,000	1,000,000
Under Telegraph Acts, 1892 and 1896 ... ..		180,000	—				
Under Public Offices (Acquisition of Site)						80,263,887	74,739,023
Act, 1895 ... ..		345,000	—	Balances in Exchequer—			
Deficiency Advances ... ..		1,500,000	1,000,000	Bank of England ... ..	1898. 24th December, £3,174,815	1897. 24th December, £5,283,232	
Totals ... ..		84,173,850	80,648,908	Bank of Ireland ... ..	736,148	626,653	
				Totals ... ..			84,173,850 80,648,908
* Revenue as above ... ..	107,110,000	70,000,564	69,213,961				
Payments to Local Taxation Accounts:—							
Customs ... ..	208,000	143,739	149,514				
Excise ... ..	4,975,000	3,490,549	3,443,126				
Estate, &c., Duties ... ..	3,995,000	3,156,181	3,076,982				
Total ... ..	9,178,000	6,790,469	6,669,622				
Total Revenue, including Payments to Local Taxation Accounts }	116,288,000	76,791,033	75,883,583				

Treasury, December 27, 1898.

# 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 51 Weeks ended  
22nd December, 1898.

PORTS.	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.
Week ended 22nd December, 1898.												
Liverpool ...	145,572	...	12	6,037	1,461	153,082	930	414	150	2,735	...	4,229
London ...	...	...	385	...	...	385	...	...	1,000	...	...	1,000
Hull ...	4,258	...	...	...	...	4,258	3,940	...	166	...	...	4,106
Manchester ...	20,213	...	...	4,431	...	24,644	334	...	...	...	...	334
Other Ports ...	7,797	...	...	...	...	7,797	1,100	...	...	...	...	1,100
Total ...	177,840	...	397	10,468	1,461	190,166	6,304	414	1,316	2,735	...	10,769
51 Weeks ended 22nd December, 1898.												
Liverpool ...	3,298,957	18,822	24,667	267,082	67,000	3,676,528	104,957	5,668	5,620	60,527	8,852	185,624
London ...	11,560	...	33,642	12	955	46,169	12,353	...	32,502	...	77	44,932
Hull ...	68,321	...	1,777	9,652	49	79,799	91,902	...	2,052	19,166	584	113,704
Manchester ...	284,534	...	...	87,533	1	372,068	1,157	...	180	200	...	1,537
Other Ports ...	59,144	170	...	...	20	59,334	54,500	170	...	53	17	54,740
Total ...	3,722,516	18,992	60,086	364,279	68,025	4,233,898	264,869	5,838	40,354	79,946	9,530	400,537

Dated December 23, 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 17th day of December, 1898.

## PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.						Average Amount.
						£
Ashford Bank ... ..	Ashford ...	Pomfret and Co. ... ..				5290
Aylesbury Old Bank ... ..	Aylesbury ...	Cobb, Bartlett, and Co. ... ..				6750
Banbury Bank ... ..	Banbury ...	Gillett and Co. ... ..				4650
Banbury Old Bank ... ..	Banbury ...	T. R. Cobb and Son ... ..				4180
Bedford Bank ... ..	Bedford ...	Barnard and Co. ... ..				11341
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank ... ..	Bicester ...	Tubb and Co. ... ..				8637
Buckingham Bank ... ..	Buckingham ...	Bartlett and Co. ... ..				6463
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank ... ..	Cambridge ...	Foster and Co. ... ..				21024
Canterbury Bank ... ..	Canterbury ...	Hammond and Co. ... ..				6512
City Bank, Exeter ... ..	Exeter ...	Milford and Co.... ..				2503
Derby Bank ... ..	Derby ...	Samuel Smith and Co. ... ..				5176
Exeter Bank... ..	Exeter ...	Sanders and Co.... ..				7525
Faversham Bank ... ..	Faversham ...	Hilton and Co. ... ..				2600
Ipswich Bank ... ..	Ipswich ...	Bacon and Co. ... ..				12093
Kingston-upon-Hull and Hull Bank... ..	Kingston-upon-Hull ...	Smith Brothers and Co. ... ..				9587
Kington and Radnorshire Bank ... ..	Kington ...	Davies and Co. ... ..				12813
Leeds Old Bank ... ..	Leeds ...	Beckett and Co. ... ..				40715
Leeds Bank ... ..	Leeds ...	Wm. Wms. Brown and Co. ... ..				17741
Lincoln Bank ... ..	Lincoln ...	Smith, Ellison, and Co.... ..				52385
Llandovery, Lampeter, and Llan-dilo Banks... ..	Llandovery ...	D. Jones and Co. ... ..				13349
Naval Bank ... ..	Plymouth ...	Harris, Bulteel, and Co. ... ..				4680
Newark Bank ... ..	Newark ...	Samuel Smith and Co. ....				6964
Newmarket Bank ... ..	Newmarket ...	Hammond and Co. ... ..				4946
Nottingham Bank ... ..	Nottingham ...	Samuel Smith and Co. ... ..				13550
Oxford Old Bank ... ..	Oxford ...	Parsons and Co. ... ..				13592
Oxfordshire Witney Bank ... ..	Witney ...	Gillett and Co. ... ..				4563
Reading Bank ... ..	Reading ...	Simonds and Co. ... ..				11170
Reading Bank ... ..	Reading ...	Stephens, Blandy, and Co ... ..				7425
Richmond Bank ... ..	Richmond ...	Roper and Co. ... ..				4208
Sleaford and Newark Bank, and Newark and Sleaford Bank ... ..	Sleaford ...	Peacock and Co. ... ..				10957
Tring, Aylesbury, and Chesham Bank ... ..	Tring ...	Butcher and Sons ... ..				8196
Uxbridge Old Bank ... ..	Uxbridge ...	Woodbridge and Co. ... ..	Not	received		
Wallingford Bank ... ..	Wallingford ...	Hedges, Wells, and Co.... ..				1131
Wellington Somerset Bank ... ..	Wellington ...	Fox, Fowler, and Co. ... ..				3492
West Riding Bank, Wakefield; and Pontefract Bank ... ..	Wakefield ...	Leatham, Tew, and Co. ... ..				16233
Worcester, Great Malvern, and Tewkesbury Old Bank ... ..	Worcester ...	Berwick, Lechmere, and Co. ... ..				12949
Yarmouth, Norfolk, and Suffolk Bank ... ..	Great Yarmouth ...	Lacons, Youell, and Co. ... ..				3187
York and East Riding Bank ... ..	Beverley... ..	Beckett and Co.... ..				40210



## JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.						Average Amount.
						£
Bank of Whitehaven Limited	...	...	...	...	Whitehaven	9681
Bradford Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Bradford	20652
Bradford Commercial Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Bradford	14570
Burton Union Bank Limited	...	...	...	...	Burton-upon-Trent	12908
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Carlisle	21869
Cumberland Union Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Carlisle	30705
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Halifax	6110
Halifax Commercial Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Halifax	6990
Halifax Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Halifax	12236
Knaresborough and Claro Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Harrogate	22170
Lancaster Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Lancaster	52819
Leicestershire Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Leicester	29283
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Lincoln	42258
Moore and Robinson's Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Nottingham	10848
North and South Wales Bank Limited	...	...	...	...	Liverpool	50096
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Nottingham	22141
Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Leicester	21199
Sheffield and Hallamshire Bank Limited	...	...	...	...	Sheffield	5210
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Sheffield	12312
Sheffield Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Sheffield	11727
Stamford, Spalding, and Boston Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Stamford	39461
Stuckey's Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Langport	106809
Swaledale and Wensleydale Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Richmond (Yorks)	46655
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank Limited	...	...	...	...	Wakefield	7418
West Riding Union Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Huddersfield	11577
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Whitehaven	18743
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Salisbury	63319
York City and County Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	York	90660
Yorkshire Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Leeds	99961
York Union Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	York	69085

Inland Revenue Office, December 24, 1898.

J. S. PURCELL, Registrar of Bank Returns.

## Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

## Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Binfield Youths Friendly Society, Register No. 228, held at Binfield, in the county of Berks, is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 5th day of December, 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 5th day of December, 1898.

## Advertisement of Cancellation.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Chief Registrar of Friendly Societies has, pursuant to S. 77 of the Friendly Societies Act, 1896, by writing under his hand, dated the 22nd day of December, 1898, cancelled the Registry of the Ipswich Radical Club (Register No. 1005), held at Stoke, in the county of Suffolk, at its request. The Society (subject to the right of appeal given by the said Act) ceases to enjoy the privileges of a registered Society, but without prejudice to any

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liability incurred by the Society, which may be enforced against it as if such cancelling had not taken place.

J. D. STUART SIM, Acting Chief Registrar.

## Royal Exchange Assurance Office.

Royal Exchange, London,

December 21, 1898.

**T**HE Court of Directors of the Royal Exchange Assurance do hereby give notice, that a General Court of the said Corporation will be holden at their office, at the Royal Exchange, on Wednesday, the 18th of January from one o'clock till two o'clock in the afternoon, for the election of a Director in the room of Sir John Sydney Webb, K.C.M.G., deceased, which election will be declared at such time as the General Court shall appoint to receive the Report of the Scrutineers. E. R. HANDCOCK, Secretary.

The chair will be taken at one o'clock precisely.

N.B.—Printed Lists of the Proprietors qualified to vote will be ready to be delivered at the office on Saturday, the 14th of January.

## DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of SWINE-FEVER for the Week ended December 24th, 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.
Bedford	1	70	Sussex, Eastern Division	1	102
Berks	1	18	Wilts	1	1
Buckingham	2	20	Worcester	2	6
Isle of Ely	1	47	York, North Riding	1	1
Dorset	1	15	York, West Riding	1	23
Essex	1	54	WALES.		
Gloucester	1	6	Denbigh	1	15
Hants	1	1	Glamorgan	2	38
Kent	6	55	SCOTLAND.		
Lancaster	1	102	Lanark	1	2
Leicester	1	105	Midlothian	1	8
Middlesex	1	15	Roxburgh	1	10
Norfolk	2	1	Stirling	1	4
Northampton	1	6	TOTAL		
Northumberland	1	32		41	1,093
Notts	1	11			
Salop	1	24			
Somerset	3	7			
Stafford	3	296			
Surrey					

\* 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:—

**Bedfordshire and Northamptonshire.**—An Area comprising the petty sessional division of Welingtonborough, and the parishes of Raunds, and Hargrave, in the county of Northampton, and also comprising the parishes of Shelton, Dean, Yelden, Melchbourne, Knotting, Riseley, Wymington, Podington, Souldrop, Sharabrook, Odell, Harrold, and the detached part of Bletsoe, in the county of Bedford (4 November, 1898).

**Berkshire and Buckinghamshire.**—An Area comprising the parishes of Bray, and Cookham, and the municipal borough of Maidenhead, in the county of Berks, and also comprising the petty sessional divisions of the Hundred of Stoke, the Hundred of Desborough (First Division), and the Hundred of Desborough (Second Division), and the parishes of Wooburn, Boveney, Burnham, Dorney, Farnham Royal, Hodgerley Dean, Hitcham, and Taplow, in the county of Buckingham, and also comprising the borough of Chepping (or High) Wycombe (10 February, 1898).

**Cardiganshire.**—An Area comprising the petty sessional division of Upper Gneur-glyn, in the county of Cardigan (28 November, 1898).

**Carmarthenshire.**—An Area comprising the parishes of Conwil-Elvet, Llanpumsaint, Llanllawddog, Abernant, Merthyr, Newchurch, and Abergwilli, in the county of Carmarthen, and also comprising the borough of Carmarthen (5 November, 1898).

**Carnarvonshire.**—An Area comprising the parishes of Pentir, Llanddeiniolen, Llanfair-is-gaer, Llanrûg, Llanfaglan, Waenfawr, Llanberis,

Llanwnda, Bettws Garmon, Llandwrog, Llanllyfni, and Clynnog, in the county of Carnarvon, and also comprising the borough of Carnarvon (25 March, 1898).

**Essex.**—An Area in the county of Essex, comprising the petty sessional divisions of Beacontree, and Romford, except such portion of the parish of Cranham as is situate within the last-mentioned petty sessional division (2 December, 1898).

**Kent.**—An Area comprising the petty sessional division of Ramsgate, together with the parish of Sarre and any other place which is included in the liberty of a Cinque Port, and is situate within or to the north of that division, the petty sessional division of Wingham except the parishes of Bishopsbourne, Kingston, Barham, Womenswold, Denton, Wootton, Sibertswold, Coldred, Lydden, Temple Ewell, Whitfield, River, Poulton, Houghton-Without, Guston, East Langdon, West Cliffe, Oxney, and St. Margaret at Cliffe), and the boroughs of Margate, Ramsgate, and Sandwich (15 October, 1898).

**Lincolnshire.**—An Area in the Parts of Holland Division of Lincolnshire, comprising the petty sessional division of Elloe, and the parishes of Surfleet, Quadring, Donington, Bicker, Swineshead, Simon Weir, Wigtoft, Drainage Marsh, Gosberton, Sutterton, Algar-kirk, and Fosdyke, and the lands common to the parishes of Swineshead and Wigtoft (8 November, 1898).

**Middlesex.**—An Area in the county of Middlesex comprising the petty sessional divisions of Brentford, and Spelthorne; and the petty sessional division of Uxbridge (except the parishes of Harefield, and Ruialip) (25 May, 1898).

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

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## SWINE MOVEMENT DISTRICTS.

THE following districts and parts of districts (except any part thereof which for the time being is declared a Swine-Fever Infected Area) are now *Swine Movement Districts* under the above-mentioned Acts:—

County of Bedford.  
Borough of Bedford.  
Borough of Luton.  
County of Berks.  
Borough of Newbury.  
Borough of Reading.  
Borough of Windsor.  
County of Carmarthen.  
Borough of Carmarthen.  
County of Chester.  
Borough of Birkenhead.  
Borough of Chester.  
Borough of Congleton.  
Borough of Crewe.  
Borough of Hyde.  
Borough of Macclesfield.  
Borough of Stalybridge.  
Borough of Stockport.  
County of Derby (except the petty sessional divisions of Appletree, Derby, Repton, and Swadlincote).  
Borough of Chesterfield.  
Borough of Glossop.  
Borough of Ilkeston.  
County of Durham.  
Borough of Darlington.  
Borough of Durham.  
Borough of Gateshead.  
Borough of Hartlepool.  
Borough of Jarrow.  
Borough of South Shields.  
Borough of Stockton-upon-Tees (except the North-West and Portrack Wards).  
Borough of Sunderland.  
Borough of West Hartlepool.  
County of Essex.  
Borough of Colchester.  
Borough of Southend-on-Sea.  
Borough of West Ham.  
County of Flint (except the detached portions thereof).  
County of Glamorgan.  
Borough of Cardiff.  
Borough of Neath.  
Borough of Swansea.  
County of Gloucester (except the parishes of Aston Somerville, Childswickham with Murecott, and Hinton-on-the-Green, transferred by agreement to the county of Worcester; but including the parishes of Conderton, Cutsdean, Daylesford, Evenlode, Overbury, and Teddington, transferred by agreement from the county of Worcester).  
Borough of Bristol.  
Borough of Cheltenham.  
Borough of Gloucester.  
County of Hertford.  
Borough of St. Albans.  
Isle of Ely.  
County of Lancaster (except the Hundred of Lonsdale North of the Sands).  
Borough of Accrington.  
Borough of Ashton-under-Lyne.  
Borough of Bacup.  
Borough of Blackburn.  
Borough of Blackpool.

Borough of Bolton.  
Borough of Bootle.  
Borough of Burnley.  
Borough of Bury.  
Borough of Chorley.  
Borough of Clitheroe.  
Borough of Colne.  
Borough of Darwen.  
Borough of Eccles.  
Borough of Haslingden.  
Borough of Heywood.  
Borough of Lancaster.  
Borough of Liverpool.  
Borough of Manchester.  
Borough of Middleton.  
Borough of Mossley.  
Borough of Nelson.  
Borough of Oldham.  
Borough of Preston.  
Borough of Rawtenstall.  
Borough of Rochdale.  
Borough of St. Helens.  
Borough of Salford.  
Borough of Southport.  
Borough of Warrington.  
Borough of Widnes.  
Borough of Wigan.  
County of London.  
City of London.  
County of Middlesex.  
County of Norfolk.  
Borough of King's Lynn.  
Borough of Norwich.  
Borough of Yarmouth.  
County of Northampton.  
Borough of Northampton.  
County of Nottingham.  
Borough of Mansfield.  
Borough of Newark.  
County of Somerset (except the petty sessional divisions of Dunster, Dulverton, Williton, Bishop's Lydeard, Wiveliscombe, and Wellington).  
Borough of Bath.  
Borough of Bridgwater.  
Borough of Taunton.  
County of Southampton (except the petty sessional divisions of Lymington and New Forest, and Ringwood, and the municipal borough of Lymington).  
Borough of Portsmouth.  
Borough of Southampton.  
Borough of Winchester.  
County of Stafford.  
Borough of Burslem.  
Borough of Burton-upon-Trent.  
Borough of Hanley.  
Borough of Longton.  
Borough of Newcastle-under-Lyme.  
Borough of Stafford.  
Borough of Stoke-upon-Trent.  
Borough of Walsall.  
Borough of Wednesbury.  
Borough of West Bromwich.  
Borough of Wolverhampton.  
County of Warwick (including the several parishes of Alderminster, Shipston-on-Stour, Tiddington, Tredington, and Yardley, transferred by agreement from the county of Worcester).  
Borough of Coventry.  
Borough of Leamington (Royal Leamington Spa).  
Borough of Warwick.

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County of Wigtown.

County of Wilts.

Borough of Salisbury.

County of Worcester (except the parishes of Conderton, Cutsdean, Daylesford, Evenlode, Overbury, and Teddington, transferred by agreement to the county of Gloucester; and the several parishes of Alderminster, Shipston-on-Stour, Tiddington, Tredington, and Yardley, transferred by agreement to the county of Warwick; but including the parishes of Aston Somerville, Childswickham with Murcott, and Hinton-on-the-Green, transferred by agreement from the county of Gloucester).

Borough of Dudley.

Borough of Kidderminster.

Borough of Worcester.

East Riding of the county of York.

Borough of Beverley.

Borough of Kingston-upon-Hull.

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West Riding of the county of York (except the petty sessional divisions of Ewcross, East Staincliffe, West Staincliffe and Bolton-by-Bowland).

Borough of Barnsley.

Borough of Batley.

Borough of Bradford.

Borough of Brighouse.

Borough of Dewsbury.

Borough of Doncaster.

Borough of Halifax.

Borough of Huddersfield.

Borough of Keighley.

Borough of Leeds.

Borough of Morley.

Borough of Ossett.

Borough of Rotherham.

Borough of Sheffield.

Borough of Todmorden.

Borough of Wakefield.

Borough of York.

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RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the undermentioned DISEASES for the Week ended December 21th, 1898, distinguishing Counties (including Boroughs\*).

ANTHRAX.			GLANDERS (INCLUDING FARCY).			
County.	Outbreaks reported.	Animals Attacked.	County.	Outbreaks reported.	Animals which remained diseased at the end of the previous week.	Animals reported during the Week as Attacked.
<b>ENGLAND.</b>			<b>ENGLAND.</b>			
Hants ... ..	No. 1	No. 1	Essex ... ..	No. 1	No. ...	No. 1
Northampton ... ..	1	1	Hertford ... ..	2	...	2
<b>WALES.</b>			Lancaster ... ..	1	...	1
Carmarthen ... ..	1	2	London ... ..	6	...	7
<b>SCOTLAND.</b>			Middlesex ... ..	2	...	3
Berwick ... ..	1	1	<b>TOTAL ... ..</b>			
Haddington ... ..	1	2	12 ... ..			
Orkney ... ..	1	5	14			
Ross ... ..	1	1				
<b>TOTAL ... ..</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>13</b>				

\* 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:—

*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).

*Hampshire.*—The petty sessional divisions of Petersfield (excluding the detached part of Bramshot), Droxford, and Fareham, in the county of Southampton. Borough of Portsmouth (15 November, 1898).

*Kent.*—(1.) 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).

(2.) The following petty sessional divisions, namely Faversham, Home, Ramsgate, Ashford, Elham, Wingham; the liberty of Romney Marsh; the municipal boroughs of Deal, Faversham, Hythe, Lydd, New Romney, and Sandwich; and the Cinque Port liberties as have not separate Commissions of the Peace; in the county of Kent. Boroughs of Canterbury, Dover, Folkestone, Margate, and Ramsgate (15 February, 1898).

*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).

*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 Ilam 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

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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.*—The petty sessional divisions of Aston, Coleshill, Henley in Arden, Solihull; the petty sessional division of Atherstone (except the parishes of Hartsill, Caldecote, Weddington, Nuneaton, Chilvers Coton, Stretton Baskerville, and Burton Hastings); the parishes of Ipsley, Studley, and Morton Bagot, Corley, Allesley, Keresley, Coundon, and Berkswell; the municipal borough of Sutton Coldfield, in the county of Warwick. Borough of Birmingham (1 June, 1897).

*Worcestershire.*—The petty sessional divisions of Oldbury, Halesowen, Stourbridge, Kidder-

minster, Bromsgrove, Northfield, and Yardley; the petty sessional division of Redditch (except the parishes of Feckenham and Inkberrow), in the county of Worcester. Boroughs of Dudley and Kidderminster (1 June, 1897).

*Yorkshire.*—West Riding of the county of York (except the petty sessional divisions of Ewcross, Bolton-by-Bowland, West Staincliffe, Kirkby Malzeard, Upper Strafforth and Tickhill, Lower Strafforth and Tickhill, and Lower Osgoldcross; the Liberty of Ripon (but including the township of Nidd); the parishes of Kettlewell with Starbotton, Buckden, Upper Stonebeck, Down Stonebeck, and Fountain's Earth; and the municipal borough of Ripon). Boroughs of Barnsley, Batley, Bradford, Brighouse, Dewsbury, Halifax, Huddersfield, Keighley, Leeds Morley, Ossett, Todmorden, and Wakefield (8 June, 1897).

SUMMARY OF RETURNS.

Period.	Anthrax.		Foot-and-Mouth Disease.		Glanders (Including Farcy).		Pleuro-Pneumonia.			Rabies.		Swine-Fever.	
	Outbreaks.	Animals Attacked.	Outbreaks.	Animals Attacked.	Outbreaks.	Animals Attacked.	Outbreaks.	Cattle Slaughtered.		Cases Reported.		Outbreaks.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or Exposed to Infection.
								Diseased.	Exposed to Infection.	Dogs.	Other Animals.		
Week ended Dec. 24, 1898	No. 7	No. 13	No. ...	No. ...	No. 12	No. 14	No. ...	No. ...†	No. ...	No. ...	No. ...	No. 41	No. 1,093
Corresponding week in 1897	11	12	...	...	15	74	...	...	...	2	...	20	510
1896	8	15	...	...	12	13	...	...	...	2	...	42	701
1895	11	44	...	...	8	18	...	...	...	6	...	88	1,134
Total for 52 Weeks 1898	548	839	...	...	735	1,359	1	1	220	16	...	2,464	42,700
Corresponding period in 1897	433	882	...	...	900	1,629	7	46	741	155	16	2,155	40,432
1896	488	904	...	...	817	1,294	2	9	183	438	22	5,166	79,586
1895	434	934	...	...	964	1,594	1	...	43	672	55	5,305	69,931

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

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

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In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1893 and in the Matter of the North East Coolgardie Explorers Limited.

At an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the abovenamed Company duly convened and held at the registered offices of the Company, No. 9 St. Mildred's - court, Poultry, in the city of London, on Wednesday the 14th day of December 1898, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed :—

“That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Meeting that the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business; and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that William Weir of 9 St. Mildred's-court, Poultry, in the city of London, be, and he is hereby appointed the Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.”

Dated this fifteenth of December, 1898.

ARTHUR POMEROY, Chairman.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1898.

The Midland Motor Carriage Syndicate Limited.

At an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at 120, Colmore-row, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the fifth day of December, 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 120, Colmore-row, Birmingham aforesaid, on the twenty-second day of December, 1898, the said Special Resolution was duly confirmed :—

“That the Midland Motor Carriage Syndicate Limited be wound up voluntarily, and that William Thomas Smedley, of 7, Newhall-street, Birmingham, Chartered Accountant, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator to conduct the winding up.”

Dated this twenty-third day of December, 1898.

H. LEVETUS, Chairman.

## The Reggio Steamship Company, Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company, 132 Dock-street, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, on the 1st day of December, 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 19th day of December, 1898, the following resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Charles Edward Parsons of Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Chartered Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.

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

3. "That the draft agreement submitted to this Meeting and expressed to be made between this Company of the first part, its Liquidator of the second part, and the Orders and Handford Steamship Company Limited, of the third part, for the sale of the assets of this Company for the consideration of fully paid shares in the Orders and Handford Steamship Company Limited, 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 Acts, 1862, to enter into an agreement with the said Orders and Handford Steamship Company Limited, when formed in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect with such modifications (if any) as he may think expedient."

Dated the 21st day of December, 1898.

W. J. ORDERS, Chairman.

## The Remedio Steamship Company, Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company, 132 Dock-street, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, on the 1st day of December, 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 19th day of December, 1898, the following resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Charles Edward Parsons of Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Chartered Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.

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

3. "That the draft agreement submitted to this Meeting and expressed to be made between this Company of the first part, its Liquidator of the second part, and the Orders and Handford Steamship Company Limited, of the third part, for the sale of the assets of this Company for the con-

sideration of fully paid shares in the Orders and Handford Steamship Company Limited, 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 Acts, 1862, to enter into an agreement with the said Orders and Handford Steamship Company Limited, when formed in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect with such modifications (if any) as he may think expedient."

Dated the 21st day of December, 1898.

W. J. ORDERS, Chairman.

## The Rocio Steamship Company, Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company, 132, Dock-street, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, on the 1st day of December, 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 19th day of December, 1898, the following resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Charles Edward Parsons of Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Chartered Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.

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

3. "That the draft agreement submitted to this Meeting and expressed to be made between this Company of the first part, its Liquidator of the second part, and the Orders and Handford Steamship Company Limited, of the third part, for the sale of the assets of this Company for the consideration of fully paid shares in the Orders and Handford Steamship Company Limited, 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 Acts, 1862, to enter into an agreement with the said Orders and Handford Steamship Company Limited, when formed in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect with such modifications (if any) as he may think expedient."

Dated the 21st day of December, 1898.

W. J. ORDERS, Chairman.

## The Rosario Steamship Company, Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company, 132, Dock-street, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, on the 1st day of December, 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 19th day of December, 1898, the following resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Charles Edward Parsons of Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Chartered Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.

2. "That the said Liquidator be and he is

hereby authorized to consent to the registration of a new Company to be named the 'Orders and Handford Steamship Company, Limited,' with a Memorandum and Articles of Association which have already been prepared with the privity and approval of the Managers of this Company.

3. "That the draft agreement submitted to this Meeting and expressed to be made between this Company of the first part, its Liquidator of the second part, and the Orders and Handford Steamship Company Limited, of the third part, for the sale of the assets of this Company for the consideration of fully paid shares in the Orders and Handford Steamship Company Limited, 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 Acts, 1862, to enter into an agreement with the said Orders and Handford Steamship Company Limited, when formed in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect with such modifications (if any) as he may think expedient."

Dated the 21st day December, 1898.

W. J. ORDERS, Chairman.

The Rubio Steamship Company, Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company, 132 Dock-street, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, on the 1st day of December, 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 19th day of December, 1898, the following resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Charles Edward Parsons of Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Chartered Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

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

3. "That the draft agreement submitted to this Meeting and expressed to be made between this Company of the first part, its Liquidator of the second part, and the Orders and Handford Steamship Company Limited, of the third part, for the sale of the assets of this Company for the consideration of fully paid shares in the Orders and Handford Steamship Company Limited, 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 Acts, 1862, to enter into an agreement with the said Orders and Handford Steamship Company Limited, when formed in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect with such modifications (if any) as he may think expedient."

Dated the 21st day of December, 1898.

W. J. ORDERS, Chairman.

The Sirdar Steamship Company, Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company, 132, Dock-street, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, on the 1st day of December, 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 19th day of December, 1898, the following resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Charles Edward Parsons of Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Chartered Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

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

3. "That the draft agreement submitted to this Meeting and expressed to be made between this Company of the first part, its Liquidator of the second part, and the Orders and Handford Steamship Company Limited, of the third part, for the sale of the assets of this Company for the consideration of fully paid shares in the Orders and Handford Steamship Company Limited, 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 Acts, 1862, to enter into an agreement with the said Orders and Handford Steamship Company Limited, when formed in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into effect with such modifications (if any) as he may think expedient."

Dated the 21st day of December, 1898.

W. J. ORDERS, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Hannan's Exploring Syndicate Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Syndicate, duly convened, and held at the offices of the Syndicate, 29, Cornhill, London, E.C., on Monday the 28th day of November 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 16th day of December 1898, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That this Company be wound up voluntarily."

2. "That John T. Webb, of 32, Blomfield House, Le., and is hereby appointed the Liquidator to conduct the winding up at a remuneration of £15 15s."

JOHN T. WEBB, Liquidator.

Extraordinary Resolutions. In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and of the Cylinder Cask Company, Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company duly convened and held at No. 8A, Rumford-place, Liverpool, on Thursday, the 22nd day of December, 1898, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed, viz.:—

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 that the Company be wound up voluntarily"

2. "That David Lockhart Chalmers, of 5 Fenwick-street, Liverpool, Chartered Accountant, be, and he is hereby, appointed Liquidator, for the purpose of such winding up, at a remuneration to be fixed by the Consultative Committee."

Dated this 23rd day of December, 1898.

J. J. FISCHER, Chairman.



Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893.

Federn ed, Limited.

Extraordinary Resolutions.

Passed 16th day of December, 1898.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company duly convened and held at the Great Eastern Hotel, Liverpool-street, in the city of London, on Friday the 16th day of December 1898, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed:—

1st. "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."

2nd. "That Mr. George W. Brockelsby of 6 Drapers'-gardens London E.C. be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up."

6, Drapers'-gardens, London, E.C.

Dated this 22 day of Dec., 1898.

J. H. H. BERKELEY, Chairman.

W. T. HICK, 2, Church-court, E.C., Solr. for Company.

Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890.

The Rose-Pearl Group Gold Mines, Limited.

Special Resolution.

Passed 24th day of November, 1898.

Confirmed 15th day of December, 1898.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the Great Eastern Hotel, Liverpool-street, in the city of London, on the 24th day of November, 1898, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, also duly convened and held at the Great Eastern Hotel, Liverpool-street, in the city of London, on the 15th day of December, 1898, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That it is desirable to wind up the Company, and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that G. W. Brockelsby be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up."

6, Drapers'-gardens, London, E.C.

Dated this 22 day of December, 1898.

J. H. H. BERKELEY, Chairman.

W. T. HICK, 2, Church-court, E.C., Solr. for Company.

In the Matter of the London and Scotch Stores Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at Number 4 Farnival-street London E.C. on the 5th day of December 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 21st day of December 1898 the following resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the London and Scotch Stores Limited be wound up voluntarily and that Mr. Frank Hall Kingham of 9 and 10 Fenchurch-street in the city of London Chartered Accountant be and is hereby appointed Liquidator."

Dated this 21st day of December, 1898.

H. T. PACKMAN, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Improved Raw Silk Syndicate, Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened, and held at the offices of Messieurs Sims and Syms, 70, Queen Victoria-street, in the city

of London, the Solicitors of the Company, on the 20th day of November, 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 14th day of December, 1898, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That the affairs of the Company be wound up in voluntary liquidation."

2 "That Thomas Greenhill, of 70, Queen Victoria-street, London, E.C., be appointed Liquidator."

3. "That the remuneration of the Liquidator be £15."

Dated this 21st day of December 1898.

ERNEST F. LEVER, Chairman.

In the Matter of Allen and Allen Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company duly convened and held at St. Michael's House Basinghall-street on the 17th day of November 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 12th day of December 1898 the following resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Mr. Alfred John Channon of St. Michael's House Basinghall-street Chartered Accountant be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up."

Dated the 22nd day of December, 1898.

ARTHUR CLEVELAND, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Wakefield Echo Newspaper Company Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company duly convened and held at the Trafford Arms Hotel Wakefield on Thursday the thirtieth day of November 1898 the following resolution was duly passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company also duly convened and held at the same place on the twentieth day of December 1898 the following resolution was duly confirmed viz.:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily."

And at such last mentioned Meeting Cecil Walter Beaumont of Alverthorpe near the city of Wakefield was appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.—Dated this twenty-first day of December, 1898.

C. W. BEAUMONT, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and of the United States Exploration Company Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company duly convened and held at 11 Copthall-court London E.C. on Thursday the 1st day of December 1898 the following Special Resolution was duly passed and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company also duly convened and held at the same place on Monday the 19th day of December 1898 the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed viz.:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily."

And at the last-mentioned Meeting the following resolution was duly passed:—

"That Charles Pakeman of 6 Drapers'-gardens London be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up and that the remuneration of the said Liquidator for his services in the winding up and also including office expenses be fixed at the rate of £100 per annum to be calculated from the date of this

Meeting until the Company shall be finally wound up but so that his total remuneration (including office expenses) in respect of such winding up shall not exceed £200 nor be less than £100."

Dated this 19th day of December, 1898.

BASIL T. G. MONTGOMERY, Chairman.

Portsmouth, Meon Valley, and Alton Railway Extension Company, Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at the Town Hall, Portsmouth, Hants, on Thursday, the 17th day of November, 1898, the following resolution was passed, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the same Company held at the same place, on Thursday, the 8th day of December, 1898, such resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and that Alexander Francis Mackenzie Downie, of Alton, Hants, Solicitor, and Charles Edwards Matthews, of 76, Commercial-road, Portsmouth, Hants, Solicitor, be, and they are hereby appointed joint Liquidators."

JOHN BRICKWOOD, Chairman.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890.

Brammall Brothers, Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened and held at No. 15, Whitcomb-street, in the city of London, on the 5th day of December, 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 20th day of December, 1898, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that John Merrett Wade, of 5, Fenwick-street, in the city of Liverpool, Chartered Accountant, be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

Dated this 23rd day of December, 1898.

ELLIS BRAMMALL, JR., Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1898 and in the Matter of the Scott Rippon and Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 13th day of January 1899 to send their names and addresses and particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Joseph Darker Butterell of Imperial-chambers Bowllalley-lane Hull the Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing by the said Liquidator, are by themselves or their Solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be required by such notice or in default thereof they shall be excluded from the benefit of the division of the said estate.—Dated this 23rd day of December 1898.

WALKER and COLBECK 9 Parliament-street Hull Solicitors for the Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Ore Dressing and Gold Extraction Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the abovenamed Company are required on or before the twenty-fourth day of April 1899 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 Harry Magnus and Harmon Sidney Baker of Copthall

House Copthall-avenue in the city of London the Liquidators of the said Company, and if so required on notice in writing from the said Liquidators 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 that they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1898.

WILL. BOHM, of 23, Old Jewry, London, Solicitor for the abovenamed Liquidators.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1898, and in the Matter of United Ordnance and Engineering Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the third day of February 1899, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names of their Solicitors (if any) to the undersigned William Edward Davies the Liquidator of the said Company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their debts or claims, at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this twenty-third day of December, 1898.

W. E. DAVIES, Broad Sanctuary-chambers, Broad Sanctuary, Westminster, S.W., Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the Dukinfield (New) Coal and Cannel Company Limited.

**T**HE creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 8th day of February 1899 to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to George Rae Fraser, of 31 Copthall-avenue London, E.C., the Liquidator of the said Company and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors or personally to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 23rd day of December, 1898.

NICHOLSON GRAHAM and GRAHAM, 24, Coleman-street, London, E.C., Solicitors for the above named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893, and of Rowe's Paragon Cycle and Sulkly Company, Limited.

**T**HE creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 1st day of February, 1899, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to Thomas Cresswell, 72, Bishopsgate-street Within, E.C., the Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, or personally, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 23rd day of December, 1898.

H. H. LYDE, of 32, Great St. Helen's, London, E.C., Solicitor for the above named Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and of the Hannan's Exploring Syndicate Limited.

**T**HE creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the thirtieth day of January 1899, to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their claims or debts, and the names of their Solicitors if any, to the undersigned J. T. Webb, of 32, Blomfield House, London Wall, E.C., the Liquidator of the said Company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are by their Solicitors to come in and prove their 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 22nd December 1898.

JOHN T. WEBB, 32, Blomfield House,  
London Wall, E.C., Liquidator.

In the Matter of Searle and Herring Limited.  
(In Liquidation.)

**T**HE creditors of the above named Company are required on or before the 9th day of February next to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to Edward Herbert Willey of Springfield Llantarnam Monmouthshire the Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are, by their Solicitors, or personally, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1898.

ALFRED SEARLE, 13, Skinner-street,  
Newport (Mon.), Solicitor to the  
Liquidator.

The Companies Acts 1862 to 1890.

The Hamilton Steam Ship Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given pursuant to section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the office of Messrs. Banner Spencer and Co. 41 North John-street Liverpool on Monday the 30th day of January 1899 at two o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books accounts and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated the twenty-second day of December 1898.

WM. C. SPENCER, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1898 and of the Mauritius Land Credit and Agency Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held at 41 Eastcheap in the city of London on Monday the 30th day of January 1899 at three o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books accounts

and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated the 22nd day of December, 1898.

WILSON, BRISTOWS, and CARPMAEL, 1,  
Copthall-buildings, London, E.C., Soli-  
citors for the Liquidator.

The Regis Syndicate Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at 57½ Old Broad-street in the city of London on Tuesday the 31st day of January, 1899, at 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon to receive the report of the Liquidators showing how 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 Liquidators.—Dated the 21st day of December, 1898.

W. H. FOX.  
FRANK H. MACEY;

C. and C. Tuff Limited (1897 Company).

**N**OTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above Company will be held at No. 16 High-street Woolwich on Friday the tenth day of February 1899 at eleven o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated the 19th day of December, 1898.

CHARLES TUFF, JUNR. Liquidator.

Foster's Parcels Express Company, Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at No. 82 Fore-street in the city of London on the 8th day of February 1899 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books accounts and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1898.

WILLIAM T. WISE, Liquidator.

Central De Kaap Gold Mines Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at Dashwood House, New Broad-street, in the city of London, on Monday the 13th day of February, 1899 at 12 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 20th day of December, 1898.

FRED HAWDON, Liquidator.

The Anglo Foreign Exploration Syndicate Ltd.

**N**OTICE is hereby given in pursuance of sec. 142 of the Co.'s Act 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Coy. will be held at 118 Bishopsgate-st. on Monday the 30th Jany. 1899 at 12.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and

the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner, in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Coy., and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.—Dated the 23rd day of December, 1898.

GEORGE S. GUNNIS, } Liquidators.  
F. JAQUEMET, }

**Egis Investment Company Limited.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act 1862 that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at Worcester House, Walbrook, in the city of London, on Wednesday the 1st day of February 1899 at 12 o'clock 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 this 23rd day of December, 1898.

H. EVANS BROAD, Liquidator.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Marmaduke Lowther and Percy Harley, carrying on business as Steamship Chartering and General Commission Agents, at Lime-street-square, London and Bralla, under the style or firm of Lowther Harley and Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 22nd day of December, 1898.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1898.

MARMADUKE LOWTHER.  
PERCY HARLEY.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned James Bridle Cuming and William Wills, carrying on business as Umbrella Manufacturers, at Nos. 4 and 5, Love-lane, Wood-street, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Cuming and Wills, was dissolved as and from the 19th day of November, 1898, by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said James Bridle Cuming.—Dated the 15th day of December, 1898.

JAMES BRIDLE CUMING.  
WILLIAM WILLS.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Frederick John Green and Augustus Hubert Nevill Lewis, carrying on business as Glass Lead Oil and Colour Merchants, at Nos. 40 and 41, Upper Thames-street, in the city of London, under the style or firm of Thomas Green has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the twenty-third day of December, 1898.—Dated 23rd day of December, 1898.

FREDK. J. GREEN.  
A. H. N. LEWIS.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Susanna Maria Russell and Sara Marion Caroline Bridges, carrying on business as Proprietors of a Ladies' College, at Lyndale West Heath, Hampstead, in the county of Middlesex, was dissolved as and from the 22nd day of September, 1898, by mutual consent.—Dated the 23rd day of December, 1898.

SUSANNA MARIA RUSSELL.  
SARA MARION CAROLINE BRIDGES.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned Eleanor Frances Lawrance of 11 Southampton-row London W.C. and Maria Rice the wife of Henry Swift Rice of 254 Dalston-lane in the county of Middlesex lately carrying on business as Wholesale Manufacturing Milliners at Number 5 Manchester-avenue in the city of London under the style or firm of Lawrance and Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the eighteenth day of October one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.—As witness our hands this twenty-second day of December one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

ELEANOR F. LAWRENCE.  
MARIA RICE.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Peter Whiteside, John Bradburn, and Robert Johns carrying on business as General American Merchants, at the Globe Works, Bootle, near Liverpool, and in the United States of America, under the style or firm of Whiteside Johns and Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 9th day of December, 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John Bradburn and Robert Johns who will continue the said business under the same style as heretofore.—Dated 22nd day of December, 1898.

PETER WHITESIDE.  
ROBERT JOHNS.  
JOHN BRADBURN.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned Thomas Scoby and John Simpson Guffick, in the business of Auctioneers and Valuers, carried on by us at Pickering, in the county of York, under the firm of Scoby and Guffick has been dissolved as from the 7th day of July last, by mutual consent. All debts due and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the undersigned John Simpson Guffick by whom the business will in future be carried on at Pickering aforesaid.—Dated this 7th day of December, 1898.

THOMAS SCOBY.  
JOHN SIMPSON GUFFICK.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Moorhouse and Thomas Henry Hartley, both residing at Earby, in the West Riding of the county of York, carrying on business as Cotton Manufacturers, at Victoria Mill, Earby aforesaid under the style or firm of Moorhouse and Hartley has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 16th day of December, 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Thomas Henry Hartley.—Dated 22nd day of December, 1898.

JAMES MOORHOUSE.  
THOMAS HENRY HARTLEY.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, David Waterhouse Binns and John William Taylor, carrying on business as Mantle Manufacturers, at Number 19, Upper Fountaine-street, in the city of Leeds, under the style or firm of D. W. Binns and Co., 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 David Waterhouse Binns who will continue the said business under the said style or firm of D. W. Binns and Co.—As witness our hands this 23rd day of December, 1898.

D. W. BINNS.  
J. W. TAYLOR.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, George Shimwell, John Henry Shepherd, and Thomas James Shepherd, carrying on business as Provision Merchants and Cheese Factors, at No. 6A, Todd-street, in the city of Manchester, under the style or firm of G. Shimwell and Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 29th day of November, 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John Henry Shepherd and Thomas James Shepherd at the above address.—As witness our hands this twenty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

THOMAS JAMES SHEPHERD.  
GEORGE SHIMWELL.  
JOHN HENRY SHEPHERD.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Charles Hudson and John Harrison, carrying on business as Milliners, Drapers, and Clothiers, at Market-street, White-lea, under the style or firm of Hudson and Harrison, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 21st day of November, 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said John Harrison who will continue the business in his own name.—Dated the 19th day of December 1898.

JOHN CHARLES HUDSON.  
JOHN HARRISON.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Hyman Goldberg of 10 Minories in the county of London and Zewel Bornstein of 86 Brick-lane in the county of London carrying on business as Picture Dealers at 10, Minories in the county of London under the style or firm of Goldberg and Bornstein was dissolved as and from the 20th day of December 1898, by mutual consent.—Dated the 20th day of December 1898.

H. GOLDBERG.  
Z. BORNSTEIN.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Petersen and Arthur Tate, carrying on business as Shipowners and Shipbrokers, at No. 17, Sandhill, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Ridley-street, Blyth and at Montreal, Canada, under the style or firm of Petersen Tate and Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the thirty-first day of August, 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said William Petersen.—Dated second day of December, 1898.

WILLIAM PETERSEN.  
ARTHUR TATE.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Owen John Filer and Matthew Wildbore, carrying on business as Engineers Smiths and Millwrights, at 17, Uxbridge-street, Burton-on-Trent, in the county of Stafford, under the style or firm of Filer and Wildbore, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the day of the date hereof. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Owen John Filer by whom the business will in future be carried on alone.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1898.

O. J. FILER.  
M. WILDBORE.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Rittener, Paul Rittener, Gustave Pierre Bureau, and Arturo Felice Cocchi, carrying on business as Woollen Shipping Merchants, at Huddersfield, in the county of York, under the style or firm of E. Rittener and Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent so far as regards the said Arturo Felice Cocchi as and from the 1st day of December, 1898. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Henry Rittener Paul Rittener and Gustave Pierre Bureau who will continue to carry on the said business under the same style or firm as heretofore.—Dated 23rd day of December, 1898.

HENRY RITTENER. GUSTAVE P. BUREAU.  
PAUL RITTENER. ARTURO F. COCCHI.

Pursuant to the Partnership Act 1890.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between William Henry Court and Charles Perry carrying on business as Solicitors, at Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, under the style or firm of Court and Perry has been dissolved by notice from the said William Henry Court as and from the 28th day of August, 1898, and that the said William Henry Court will carry on business at 84 Darlington-street Wolverhampton aforesaid.—Dated 22nd day of December, 1898.

W. H. COURT.

Mrs. FANNY CAFE Deceased.

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of Fanny Cafe late of Somerville Club 19A Hanover-square in the county of London Wife of Lieutenant-Colonel Charles H. W. Cafe (who died on the 25th day of October, 1898, and whose will was proved by Stephen Sweetman and Lawrence Joseph Twyne the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 8th day of December 1898), are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their debts, claims or demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 31st day of January 1899. 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 among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which they shall then have notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 22nd day of December 1898.

UPTON and BRITTON 51 Lincoln's-inn-fields  
W.C. Solicitors for the said Executors.

JOHN MOWBRAY PARSONS Deceased.  
Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic. cap. 35.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Mowbray Parsons of Holbeach in the county of Lincoln, Retired Miller, deceased (who died on the 4th day of September 1898 and whose will was proved on the 24th day of November 1898 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice by Mowbray Parsons, Francis George Higdon, William

Bailey and James Emperingham the executors therein named) are to send particulars thereof to us the undersigned Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 31st day of January 1899 after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of December 1898.

MOSSOP and MOSSOP West-street, Holbeach,  
Solicitors for the above-named Executors.

JOSIAH GOODWIN KERSHAW Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty c.p. 35 intitled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

**NOTICE** is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Josiah Goodwin Kershaw late of No. 6 Hyde Park Gate in the county of London Esquire who died on the 19th day of November 1898 and whose will was proved by Colonel Henry Toms of No. 6 Hyde Park Gate aforesaid John Brouncker Ingle and John Curzon Ingle both of No. 20 Threadneedle-street in the city of London Solicitors three of the executors in the said will named (Emily Anne Frances Toms the daughter of the said deceased the other executor named in the said will having renounced the probate and execution thereof) on the 17th day of December 1898, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, are hereby required to send in the particulars in writing of their claims and demands to the said executors at the offices of the undersigned their Solicitors on or before the 14th day of February 1899 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 and demands of which they shall then have had notice and that they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims and demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of December 1898.

INGLE, HOLMES, and SONS, City Bank-chambers 20 Threadneedle-street London E.C. Solicitors for the said Executors.

MARY ANNE SOPHIA CARDEW Deceased.

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

**ALL** persons having claims against the estate of Mary Anne Sophia Cardew late of No. 19 St. James-square Bath in the county of Somerset Widow (who died on the 3rd day of November 1898 and of whose will with a codicil thereto probate was granted by the Bristol District Registry on the 8th day of December 1898 to Colonel Charles Matthew Longmore of Inverness House Gosport Hants and Arthur Schuyler Cardew of 5 Lime-street London Solicitor the executors therein named) are required to send particulars in writing of their claims to the undersigned Solicitors for the executors on or before the 4th day of February 1899 after which date the executors will distribute the assets having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of December 1898.

SIMMONS CLARK COLLINS and SIMMONS  
8 Edgar-buildings, Bath.

WILLIAM REDDALL Deceased.

**NOTICE** is hereby given pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria chap. 35 that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of William Reddall late of No. 4, Riverdale-road Twickenham Park and No. 10 South-street Finsbury in the county of Middlesex Architect and Surveyor (who died on the 22nd day of September 1898 and whose will was proved by Margaret Harriett Eliza Reddall the executrix therein named on the 10th day of December 1898 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims to the said executrix at the offices of the undersigned her Solicitors on or before the 1st day of February 1899 and notice is hereby also given that after that day the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice and that she will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of December 1898.

HEPWORTH and CO. 15 South-street Finsbury  
E.C. Solicitors for the said Executrix.



Re JOHN LATTY BICKLEY Deceased.

**N**OTICE is hereby given pursuant to Statute 22nd and 23rd Vict. cap. 35 that all persons having any claims against the estate of John Latty Bickley of Pangbourne in the county of Berks Gentleman deceased who died at Brighton Sussex on 24th July 1894 and whose will was proved by Henry John Smith the executor therein named on the 22nd day of November 1894 in the Principal Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice are required to send particulars of such claims to the undersigned before the 31st day of January 1899 after which date the executor will distribute the assets among the persons entitled having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of December 1898.

MILLER, SMITH and BELL 3 Salters' Hall-court  
E.C. Solicitor for the Executor.

Re Sir POLYDOR DE KEYSER Deceased.

**N**OTICE is hereby given pursuant to Statute 22nd and 23 Vict. cap. 35 that all persons having any claims against the estate of Sir Polydore De Keyser late of 4 Cornwall Mansions, Cornwall Gardens, London, W. Knight who died on the 14th January 1898 and whose will with 4 codicils was proved by Edward Augustus Greening, Henry John Smith and Polydore Wiehand De Keyser the executors on the 10th day of February 1898 in the Principal Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, are required to send particulars of such claims to the undersigned before the 31st day of January 1899 after which date the executors will distribute the assets among the persons entitled having regard only to the claims of which they shall have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of December 1898.

MILLER, SMITH and BELL 3 Salters' Hall-court  
E.C. Solicitors for the Executors.

Re TOM SMITH POTTS Deceased.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Tom Smith Potts late of 15 Churchill-street Sunderland in the county of Durham Licensed Victualler deceased who died on the 22nd day of September 1898 and of whose personal estate letters of administration were granted by the Durham District Registry on the 20th day of December 1898 to Elizabeth Jane Potts the Widow and relict of the deceased are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims and demands to me the undersigned on or before the 22nd day of January 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 the administratrix shall then have had notice and she will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of December 1898.

ARTHUR J. HOPPER 18 Fawcett-street Sunderland  
Solicitor to the Administratrix.

JAMES SCHOLFIELD Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Victoria chapter 35. **N**OTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of James Scholfield of the Navigation Inn, Gauxholme Todmorden, in the county of Lancaster, Innkeeper, Yeast Dealer, and Cask Dealer, deceased (who died on the 27th day of October 1898, and to whose estate letters of administration were granted on the 16th day of November 1898 by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice to Sarah Ellen Scholfield the Widow) are hereby required to send in the particulars thereof in writing, to the undersigned on or before the second day of February, 1899, after which day the administratrix will distribute the assets amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice and that she will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of December 1898.

EASTWOODS and SUTCLIFFES, Todmorden  
Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

REEVES LOVELL Deceased.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of Reeves Lovell late of No. 67 Freegrove-road Holloway in the county of London Esquire deceased (who died on the 22nd day of September, 1893, and letters of administration of whose estate were granted by Her Majesty's High Court of Justice at the

Principal Probate Registry thereof to Harry Augustus Lovell of No. 67 Freegrove-road aforesaid the natural and lawful brother and one of the next of kin of the said deceased on the 9th day of December 1898), are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their debts, claims or demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors for the said administrator on or before the 4th day of February 1899; and notice is hereby given, that at the expiration of that time the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which he shall then have notice; and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of December 1898.

HOLCOMBE and BANKS, 15 Great James-street,  
Bedford-row, London, W.C., Solicitors for the said Administrator.

Re HOYLE HOPKINSON Deceased.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Hoyle Hopkinson late of Ormerod-street Rawtenstall in the county of Lancaster Clogger deceased (who died on the 14th day of June 1882, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 14th day of July 1882 by Elizabeth Hopkinson Widow the relict of the said deceased and John Woodcock of Haslingden in the county of Lancaster, Solicitor, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us the undersigned Solicitors for the said John Woodcock the surviving executor on or before the 1st day of February next after which date the said John Woodcock 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 22nd day of December 1898.

WOODCOCK and SONS West View Haslingden  
Solicitors for the Executors.

KATHERINE ANNE STEWARD Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of Katherine Anne Steward of 2 Dour-place Dover in the county of Kent Widow (who died on the 6th day of September 1898), are to send particulars thereof to the undersigned Solicitors for Frederick Villiers Steward, Charles Donald Steward and Edward O'Hara Steward the executors on or before the 23rd day of January next, after which date the executors will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of December 1898.

MOWLL and MOWLL Dover, Solicitors for the Executors.

SARAH FORD Deceased.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand against the estate of Sarah Ford late of No. 40 Church-terrace Ellacombe Torquay (who died on the 6th day of October 1898, and whose will was proved by George Levinge Whately the sole executor therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 22nd day of November 1898 are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their debts claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said George Levinge Whately on or before the 27th day of January next, at the expiration of which time the said George Levinge Whately will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the debts, claims, or demands of which the said George Levinge Whately shall then have had notice, and the said George Levinge Whately will not be answerable or liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand the said George Levinge Whately shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of December 1898.

ROOPER and WHATELY 17, Lincoln's-inn-fields,  
London, W.C. Solicitors for the said George Levinge Whately.

## Re WILLIAM KIDMAN BIRD Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria cap. 35.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Kidman Bird late of Manor House Jesus-lane in the borough of Cambridge Gentleman deceased formerly carrying on business as a Vinegar Merchant at Bridge-street Cambridge aforesaid (who died on the 1st day of October 1898 and whose will was proved in the Peterborough District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 14th day of December 1898 by William Kidman Bird and John Barnard Bird both of the said borough of Cambridge the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to us the undersigned on or before the 25th day of March 1899 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims or demands of which they shall then have had notice and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of December 1898.

GINN and MATTHEW 63 St. Andrew's-street  
Cambridge Solicitors for the said Executors.

## NOAH PICKSTOCK Deceased.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Noah Pickstock late of Holmes Chapel in the county of Chester Builder deceased (who died on the 3rd day of February 1898 and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 26th day of September 1898 by Mary Lingham Pickstock of Holmes Chapel aforesaid Spinster and Eli Pickstock of Holmes Chapel aforesaid Builder the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to the said executors or to us the undersigned as their Solicitors on or before the 31st day of January 1899 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 23rd day of December 1898.

ROBT. BYGOTT and SONS Sandbach Cheshire  
Solicitors for the said Executors.

## Re JOSEPH THOMAS BARDALL Deceased.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Joseph Thomas Bardall late of 20 Dalby-street Kentish Town in the county of London Timber Merchant deceased who died on the 16th day of June 1898 and whose will was proved on the 6th day of December 1898 in the Principal Probate Registry by Bignell George Elliott and John Robert Wilkinson the executors therein named are hereby required to send in particulars thereof in writing to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said executors on or before the 27th day of January 1899 after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the deceased having regard to those claims only of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of December 1898.

H. H. WELLS and SON 16 Paternoster-row  
E.C. Solicitors for the said Executors.

Miss ANNE PENDERLEATH BLAKISTON (sometimes known as ANNE LEATH HAMILTON) Deceased.  
Pursuant to the Provisions of the Law of Property Amendment Act 1899.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any debts claims or demands upon or against the estate of Anne Penderleath Blakiston (sometimes known as Anne Leath Hamilton) of 17 Ladbroke-road Notting Hill in the county of London deceased (who died on the 15th day of November 1898 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 15th day of December 1898 by David John Morgan and David Morgan Esqs., the executors named in the said will) are hereby required to send in particulars in writing of their debts claims or demands to me the undersigned on or before the 31st day of January next and notice is hereby further given that at the expiration of such time the said executors will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the

persons entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall then not have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of December 1898.

T. F. GODDARD Saint Michael's House, Saint Michael's Alley, Cornhill, London, E.C., Solicitor for the said Executors.

## Re GEORGE KAY Deceased.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors or other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of George Kay deceased late of Marsh-lane in the parish of Eckington in the county of Derby Stone Mason (who died on the 16th day of September 1898 and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 8th day of December 1898 by Arthur Chapman of Marsh-lane aforesaid Quarryman and John Boot of Bole Hill Marsh-lane aforesaid Farmer and Grocer the executors therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to the said executors under cover addressed to me the undersigned Solicitor to the said executors on or before the 24th day of January 1899 after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which they then shall have had notice and the said executors will not be liable or accountable 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 24th day of December 1898.

J. T. JONES Solicitor to the Executors Eckington in the county of Derby.

## THOMAS EVANS Deceased.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Evans, late of the Coach and Horses Inn Whetford-street Holywell in the county of Flint Licensed Victualler deceased (who died on the 9th day of November 1893 and whose will was proved in the District Registry at St. Asaph, of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 21st day of December 1898 by Peter Pulford of Dyfrdwy House Holway Holywell aforesaid Retired Tailor and Draper the executor therein named) are hereby required to send in the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said executor, on or before the 1st day of February 1899 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 or 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 22nd day of December 1898.

H. A. COPE Holywell Solicitor for the Executor.

## DANIEL HALL Deceased.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands upon or against the estate of Daniel Hall of 79, Great Clowes-street Lower Broughton Salford in the county of Lancaster Gentleman deceased (who died on the 1st day of December 1898 and whose will with a codicil thereto was proved in the Manchester District Registry on the 20th day of December 1898 by George Edward Hall and William Hickson the executors therein named) are hereby required to send in particulars of their debts claims or demands to us the undersigned on or before the 15th day of February next after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the debts claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed or any part thereof to any person of whose debt claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of December 1898.

CHAPMAN ROBERTS and BECK 32 Fountain-street Manchester Solicitors to the said Executors.

## Re THOMAS WELCH Deceased.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors or other persons having claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Welch late of No. 9 Benacre street Birmingham in the county of Warwick Furniture Remover deceased (who died on the 24th day of November 1898 intestate and of whose estate letters of administration were on the 16th day of December 1898 granted out of the Birmingham District Registry Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice to Louisa Welch the lawful Widow and relict of the said intestate) are hereby required to send the particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said administratrix on or before the 23rd day of February 1899 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 and demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of December 1898.

EDWD. F. FREELAND 164 Corporation-street, Birmingham Solicitor for the said Administratrix.

## Re THOMAS HOWARD, Deceased.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Howard late of Deyne-avenue, Prestwich, in the county of Lancaster Buyer, deceased (who died on the second day of October 1898 and whose will was proved in the Manchester District Registry of the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 6th day of December 1898, by Thomas Andrews, of 87, Bristol-street, Hulme in the city of Manchester Cashier and James Wright of 59 Monton-street, Eccles in the county of Lancaster Manufacturers' Agent 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 7th day of February 1899, 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 22nd day of December 1898.

ATKINSON SAUNDERS and CO. 77 King-street, Manchester Solicitors for the said Executors.

## CHARLES KNIGHT Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vic. cap. 35.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims or demands against the estate of Charles Knight late of the Golden Lion Hotel Abergavenny in the county of Monmouth Hotel Keeper and Farmer deceased (who died on the 24th day of May 1898 and whose will was proved in the Llandaff District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 2nd day of June 1898 by the executors therein named) are hereby required to send in particulars of their debts or claims to me the undersigned on or before the 31st day of January next after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Charles Knight deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice and they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 20th day of December 1898.

B. E. HODGENS Abergavenny Solicitor for the said Executors.

## CATHERINE JANE FLETCHER Deceased.

Pursuant to 22 and 23 Victoria c. 35.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons (including the next of kin) having claims or demands against the estate of Catherine Jane Fletcher late of the London County Lunatic Asylum Banstead in the county of Surrey Spinster and a Lunatic (who died on the 31st March 1898 to whose estate which by law devolves to and vests in the personal representative letters of administration were granted on the 31st March 1898 to Jane Webber of 75 Tabard-street Borough in the county of Surrey the lawful cousin of the said intestate by the Principal Registry of Her

Majesty's High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims and demands to me the undersigned the Solicitor for the said administratrix on or before the 16th day of February 1899 after which date the said administratrix 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 she shall then have had notice; and that she would not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of December 1898.

GEO. B. W. DIGBY 69 Coleman-street London E.C. Solicitor for the said Administratrix.

## EDWIN PARISH Deceased.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Edwin Parish late of 241 Wheeler-street, Aston-juxta-Birmingham in the county of Warwick Painter and Decorator (who died on the 21st day of October 1898, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Birmingham of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 12th day of December 1898 by Richard Williams and Samuel Henry Higgins the executors therein named) are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 26th day of January 1899, 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 22nd day of December 1898.

WALTER STANLEY RESTALL 63 Temple-row Birmingham Solicitor for the said Executors.

## HERBERT MIDDLETON Deceased.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Herbert Middleton late of Number 8 Hallgate Doncaster in the county of York Gentleman deceased (who died on the 19th day of November 1898, and to whose estate letters of administration were granted by the Probate Division of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 16th day of December 1898), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the said administrator on or before the 12th day of January next, after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of December 1898.

ROBINSON SCOTT and HOLMES 1 Piccadilly Bradford Solicitors for the Administrator.

**N**OTICE is hereby given pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vic. c. 35 that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Agnes Caroline Drummond late of Englefield Green in the county of Surrey deceased (who died on the 24th day of September 1898 and whose will was proved by Major John William Ainslie Drummond of 49 Charing-cross London and Edward Drummond Esquire of 13 St. James's-place London the executors therein named on the 24th day of November 1898 in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice) are hereby required to send in particulars of their debts or claims to the said executors at the office of the undersigned Solicitors on or before the 31st January 1899, and notice is hereby also given that after that day the executors will proceed to distribute the said assets of the said Agnes Caroline Drummond deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claim of which they shall then have had notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they should not then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of December 1898.

BROUGHTON NOCTON and BROUGHTON 12 Great Marlborough-street W. Solicitors for the said Executors.



Mrs. JANE POTTER. Deceased

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all persons having any claims against the estate of Jane Potter late of 10 Poplar-grove Shepherd's Bush but formerly of 130 Tottenham Court-road both in the county of Middlesex deceased (who died on the 2nd day of December 1898, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry on the 22nd of December 1893, by John William Archibald Calkin the executor therein named) are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims to the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of February 1899, after which date the executor will distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 23rd day of December 1898.

CLARKE and CALKIN 25 John-street Bedford-row W.C. Solicitors for the said Executor.

MARY ELLEN MASON Deceased.

**N**OTICE is hereby given pursuant to 22 and 23 Vict. cap. 35 that all persons having claims against the estate of Mary Ellen Mason, late of 110 Oldham-road, Rochdale, Furniture Dealer (who died 20th August 1898 and to whose estate letters of administration were on 16th December 1893 granted by the Principal Registry to William Shaw, a creditor of the deceased) are required to send particulars in writing of such claims to Frederick Womersley, of 1 Piccadilly, Manchester, Chartered Accountant, before the 31st January next, after which date the administrator will distribute the assets among the persons entitled, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated 22nd December 1898.

J. H. CHADWICK South-parade Rochdale Solicitor to the Administrator.

JANE DUNEAU DE LECROIX Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vict. c. 35.

**A**LL persons having claims upon the estate of Jane Duneau De Lecroix deceased late of Combe Lodge Surbiton in the county of Surrey (who died on the 23rd day of September 1898) are hereby required to send particulars thereof to the undersigned on or before the 16th January next after which date the assets of the deceased will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been received.—Dated the 22nd day of December 1898.

A. W. MILLS 4 Chancery-lane W.C. Solicitor for the Executor.

**W**HEREAS by an Order of the High Court of Justice Chancery Division made in the matter of the estate of George Henry Cross deceased Lindsall v. Wills 1893 C. No. 1680 it was ordered that the following enquiry be made:—An enquiry whether all the sisters of the said George Henry Cross the testator (late of Barking in the county of Essex Grazier) are dead and if so when they respectively died and who are the nephews and nieces of the said testator living at the death of the last surviving sister (which happened on the 18th January 1897) and whether Joseph Cox Cross named in the testator's will (described therein as the reputed son of testator's sister Ann Cross) was then living. All persons claiming to be such nephews and nieces and the said Joseph Cox Cross if living at the death of the last surviving sister are on or before the 15th day of February 1899 to come in and prove their claim at the chambers of Mr. Justice North situate at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Wednesday the 1st day of March 1899 at 12 o'clock at noon at the said chambers is the time appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the said claims. The said George Henry Cross is believed to have had a brother named Charles who went to sea as a sailor when quite a young man and has not since been heard of. Sarah Elizabeth Rayment afterwards the wife of Walter Woodham a daughter of Julia Rayment who was a sister of the said George Henry Cross is believed to have left Barking aforesaid over thirty years ago after the death of the said Walter Woodham.—Dated the 19th day of December 1898.

SPENCER WHITEHEAD Master.

In the Matter of the Estate of William John Hunter, Deceased.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice Chancery Division made in the matter of the estate of William John Hunter deceased, Pryke against Targor (1893 H. No. 2804) the persons claiming to be entitled by virtue of or according to the Statutes for the distribution of intestates' estates or otherwise to the

estate of the testator William John Hunter deceased late of Constitution-hill Chatham in the county of Kent retired Sergeant in Her Majesty's Army living at the time of his death which took place on the 11th day of January 1898 or to be the legal personal representative of such of them as are now dead and the persons claiming to be the heir-at-law of the said William John Hunter living at the time of his death on the above-mentioned date or claiming to be entitled to the real estate of the said William John Hunter by devise descent or otherwise from such heir-at-law are by their Solicitors on or before the 3rd day of February 1899 to come in and prove their claims at the chambers of Mr. Justice Romer Royal Courts of Justice Strand London England or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Friday the 10th day of February 1899 at 12 o'clock at noon at the said chambers is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.

**N**OTE.—The said William John Hunter was born in January 1822 in the parish of Kirkinriola in or near the town of Ballymena in the county of Antrim. On the 4th January 1841 he was enlisted at Ballymena for the 49th Regiment of Foot. He served in the Army for 21 years and obtained his discharge on the 26th August 1862.—Dated this 20th day of December 1898.

JOHN WM. HAWKINS Master.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice Chancery Division made in the matter of the estate of John Courtney deceased Haydon v. Courtney 1898 C. No. 2627 an enquiry has been directed for the purpose of ascertaining whether John Courtney and Peter Courtney were living at the date of the death of their uncle John Courtney the testator in the said matter who died at Silverton near Tiverton in the county of Devon on the 7th day of January 1875 and whether either of them has since died and if so who are the legal personal representatives of such of them as have died. The said Peter Courtney and John Courtney if living or the legal personal representatives of them or either of them if they or he died after the said 7th day of January 1875 are by their Solicitors on or before the 15th day of May 1899 to come in and prove their claims at the chambers of Mr. Justice Romer at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London or in default thereof they may be peremptorily precluded from the benefit of the said Order and the enquiries thereunder and the Court may make such Order as may appear to be just. Wednesday the seventh day of June 1899 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the said chambers is appointed for hearing and adjudication upon the claims.

C. BURNEY Master.

**N.B.**—The said John Courtney was heard of in the year 1871 as residing at Creswick near Ballarat and afterwards at 198 Main-street Ballarat in the Colony of Victoria where he was supposed to be engaged as an Engineer or Sharebroker.

PALMER ELAND and NETTLESHIP 4 Trafalgar-square London W.C. Solicitors.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Justice made in an action between Fannie Tucker Low (on behalf of herself and all other the Members of the Defendant Company) wife of Edwin Hollis Low Plaintiff and Edwin H. Low Lows Exchange (a corporation duly incorporated under the laws of the State of West Virginia in the United States of America) and Grace Ireland Spinster Defendants Chancery Division (1898 L. No. 2039) whereby an enquiry is directed as to what are the debts of the Defendant Company in England and whether such debts are secured or unsecured and as to the priority (if any) of such debts or any of them. The creditors of the Defendant Company (which previous to the 7th day of September 1898 carried on business at 3 Northumberland-avenue London as a General Steamship and Exchange Agency) in respect of debts in England are on or before the 23rd day of January 1899 to send by post prepaid to Messrs Batchelor and Cousins of Brook House 10 11 and 12 Walbrook in the city of London the Solicitors for the Defendant Company their Christian and surnames addresses and description, the full particulars of their claims a statement of their accounts and the nature of their 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 (Room 692) Royal Courts of Justice Strand London on the 31st day of January 1899 at 2 of the clock in the afternoon being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims and the priority (if any) thereof.—Dated this 22nd day of December 1898.

E. LIONEL CLARKE Master.

## Chancery Division.

Mr. Justice Romer.

Kemp v. Nunn and Nunn v. Kemp.

**WHEREAS** on the occasion of the sale in the year 1863 of certain leasehold premises situate at Balham in the county of Surrey and forming part of the Du Cane freehold estate and leased to William Nunn or to his Trustees it was by the conditions of sale provided that certain sums of bank annuities sufficient to produce the amounts of the rents reserved by the leases under which the said leasehold premises were held should be purchased and carried to separate accounts in the said actions as an indemnity to the purchasers of the said leasehold property against the rents reserved by the said leases. And whereas certain funds are now standing in Court to the credit of the said accounts as an indemnity to the said purchasers against the rents under the said leases the terms whereof will expire in the year 1935. And whereas a petition has been presented to the Honourable Mr. Justice Romer praying that a certain agreement whereby it is provided that a portion of the said funds shall be paid out to the Trustees of the Du Cane estates and that the present Trustees of the will of the said William Nunn shall surrender to the Trustees of the Du Cane estate certain days reserved at the end of the respective terms granted by the said leases under which the Trustees of the said will of the said William Nunn hold the property and that the said Trustees and the estate of the said William Nunn shall be released from all claims in respect of the rents reserved by the said Indentures of Lease. Notice is hereby given that if any purchaser or the assignees of any purchaser at the said sale to whom an underlease or underleases of the said property was or were granted (at a peppercorn rent) by John Young Kemp John Simpson and John Edward Bovill have any objection to the said agreement being approved and ordered to be carried into effect may on or before the 30th day of January 1899 give notice to Messrs. Hastie of 65 Lincoln's-inn-fields W.C., the Solicitors to the present Trustees of the will of the said William Nunn of such objection and that further information in regard to the said agreement can if required be obtained from Messieurs Hastie and further that any purchaser desiring to be heard upon or to object to the said agreement being confirmed is to attend before Master Hawkins at Room 315 at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand on the 15th day of February 1899 at eleven o'clock.—Dated the 24th day of December 1898.

HASTIES 65 Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, W.C.

ARTHUR EDWARD GUEST Deceased.

**PURSUANT** to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in the matter of the estate of the late Arthur Edward Guest deceased and in an action Arthur Rhuvon Guest against Samuel Bircham (executor of the last will of the said Arthur Edward Guest deceased) 1898 G. No. 1801 the creditors of Arthur Edward Guest deceased late of 40 Half Moon-street in the county of London and of Bere Regis Wareham in the county of Dorset (who died on the 17th day of July 1898) are on or before the 30th day of January 1899 to send by post prepaid to Mr. Bernard Edward Halsey Bircham of 46 Parliament-street, Westminster the Solicitor of the defendant Samuel Bircham the executor of the deceased, their Christian and surnames addresses and descriptions the full character of their claims a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before Mr. Justice Stirling at his chambers Royal Courts of Justice London on the 21st day of February 1899 at 12 o'clock at noon being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated the 22nd day of December 1898.

LEE and PEMBERTONS 44 Lincoln's-inn-fields London, Solicitors for the said Arthur Rhuvon Guest.

**PURSUANT** to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in the matter of the estate of Thomas Alfred Burr deceased and in an action Burr v. Burr 1898 B. 4871. The creditors of Thomas Alfred Burr late of 11, Queen-square Bloomsbury in the county of London Proprietor of a Private Hotel who died on the 18th day of September 1893 are on or before the 30th day of January 1899 to send by post prepaid to William Russell Law a member of the firm of Law and Worssam of 65A Holborn Viaduct E.C. the Solicitors for the defendant 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 Romer at his chambers the Royal Courts of Justice London on Friday the 10th day of February 1899 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon being the time appointed for adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated 22nd day of December 1898.

LAW and WORSSAM, 65A, Holborn Viaduct E.C. Plaintiffs Solicitors.

**PURSUANT** to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in the matter of the trusts of the will of Evan Griffiths deceased Holmes v. Morgan 1897 G. No. 1874 the creditors of Evan Griffiths late of 211 Wawnwen Swansea in the county of Glamorgan Grocer who died on or about the 24th day of February 1887 are on or before the 27th day of January 1899 to send by post prepaid to Mr. John Aeron Thomas of 18 York-place Swansea aforesaid a member of the firm of Aeron Thomas and Co. of the same place the Solicitors of the defendant Sophia Morgan 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 Romer at his chambers the Royal Courts of Justice London on Tuesday the 7th day of February 1899 at 12 o'clock at noon being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 23rd day of December 1898.

COLYER and COLYER New-inn-chambers 41 Wych-street Strand Plaintiffs Solicitors.

**PURSUANT** to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in the matter of the estate of William Edmund Leach deceased and in an action Leach v Leach 1895 L. 2542 the creditors of the above named William Edmund Leach deceased late of Cottenham in the county of Cambridge Builder (who died on the third day of August 1896) are on or before the 28th day of January 1899 to send by post prepaid to us the undersigned the Solicitors for the plaintiff, Edgar Leach one of the executors of the deceased their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims a statement of their accounts and the nature of their securities (if any) held by them or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before Mr. Justice Romer at his chambers the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London on Thursday the 9th day of February 1899 at twelve o'clock at noon being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 23rd day of December 1898.

BRIDGMAN and WILLCOCKS 4 College-hill, Cannon-street, London E.C. Solicitors for the Plaintiff.

**PURSUANT** to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in the matter of the trusts of an Indenture of Settlement dated the 24th of February 1896 and made between Edith Phoebe Vincent deceased then Edith Phoebe Carrell of the first part the plaintiff of the second part and the defendants James Norfolk and Harry Frank Philipps of the third part and in the matter of the trusts of the will of the said Edith Phoebe Vincent dated the 26th day of February 1896 and in an action Vincent against Norfolk 1898 V. No. 186 the creditors of the above named Edith Phoebe Vincent late of Spring Vale House Spring Vale in the Isle of Wight in the county of Southampton the wife of Thomas Montague Vincent of the same place Gentleman who died in or about the month of August 1897, are on or before the 23rd day of January 1899, to send by post, prepaid to Mr. Edgar Buttanshore a member of the firm of Messrs. Hughes Hooker and Co. of No. 26 Budge-row in the city of London the Solicitors. of the defendants James Norfolk and George Norfolk the executors of the deceased their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before Mr. Justice Stirling at his chambers, the Royal Courts of Justice, London, on the 31st day of January 1899, at 12 o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 23rd day of December 1898.

CROWDERS and VIZARD 55 Lincoln's-inn-fields W.C. Agents for J. L. DOUGLASS of Market Harborough Solicitor for the Plaintiff.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice made in the matter of the estate of Thomas Humphrey Hughes deceased and in an action Joseph Wood Massey Evans on behalf of himself and all other the creditors of the said Thomas Humphrey Hughes deceased against John Ellis Hughes and James Prince 1898 H. 252: Liverpool District Registry the creditors of Thomas Humphrey Hughes late of Flint in the county of Flint Physician and Surgeon who died on the 9th day of August 1897 are on or before the 28th day of January 1899 to send by post prepaid to Patrick Charles Kelly of 15 Lord-street Liverpool the Solicitor of the defendants John Ellis Hughes and James Prince the executors of the deceased their Christian and surnames addresses and descriptions the full particulars of their claims a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before Mr. Justice Byrne at his chambers Government-buildings Victoria-street, Liverpool on Monday the 6th day of February 1899 at 12 o'clock at noon being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 23rd day of December 1898.

CLEMENT W. TIBBITS 60 Castle-street Liverpool Plaintiffs Solicitor.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster, made in the matter of the estate of James Orrell deceased and in an action Orrell and another against Cocker and another 1898 Letter O. No. 9591 the creditors of James Orrell late of Turncroft in Over Darwen in the county of Lancaster Agent who died in or about the month of March 1881 are on or before the 24th day of January 1899 to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. William P. Halliwell of the firm of Messrs. Halliwell and Halliwell of No. 21 Railway-road Darwen in the said county the Solicitors of the defendants James Cocker and William Marsden the executors of the deceased, their Christian and surnames addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Registrar of the Manchester District at his chambers, situate at Duchy-chambers Clarence-street Manchester on Monday the 6th day of February 1899 at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 23rd day of December 1898.

HUBERT WINSTANLEY Registrar.

#### The Deeds of Arrangement Act 1887.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment by Thomas Marshall of 6 Bigg Market, and 28 Cloth Market, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Manufacturer and General Warehouseman and residing at Number 54, Woodbine-road Gosforth, in the county of Northumberland.

**T**HE creditors of the above named Thomas Marshall who have not already sent in their claims are required on or before the 28th day of January 1899 to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims to me the undersigned Robert Allen of 24 Grainger-street West, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Chartered Accountant, the Trustee under the assignment or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 23rd day of December 1898.

ROBERT ALLEN Trustee.

In the Matter of Benjamin Henry Price lately trading as a Chain Manufacturer at 14 Bowling Green, Old Hill in the county of Stafford Chain Manufacturer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a First and Final Dividend is about to be declared in this matter. All persons who have not yet sent in their claims are requested to forward the same to me the undersigned Thomas P. Wilcox of Wellington Shropshire the Trustee under the said assignment on or before the 31st day of December instant or they will be excluded from participation in the Dividend about to be declared.—Dated this 8th day of December 1898.

THOMAS P. WILCOX Trustee.

WILLIAM BLOOMER 6 High-street Cradley Heath Solicitor to the Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors executed on the 3rd day of September 1898 by Henry Greenall of the Brown Cow Inn, Garstang, in the county of Lancaster, Licensed Victualler.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of the above named Henry Greenall are required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to Mr. James Todd of 3 Winckley-square, Preston, in the said county, the Trustee under the said Deed of Assign-

ment on or before the 4th day of January 1899; after which date the assets of the said Henry Greenall will be distributed amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which notice shall have been given to the said Trustee, who will not hold himself liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 24th day of December 1898.

WILLIAM and ALFRED BLACKHURST 9 Fox-street, Preston, Solicitors for the said Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors executed on the 5th day of December 1898 by John Foster Midgley of Denholme Luddenden Foot near Halifax Yorkshire Slater and Plasterer.

**T**HE creditors of the above named debtor are required to send in particulars of their several debts or claims on or before the 14th day of January 1899 to Joe Norman Lister of 21A Silver-street Halifax Accountant the Trustee under the said deed and to assent in writing to the said deed or they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 23rd day of December 1898.

WM. H. BOOCOCK Silver-street, Halifax, Solicitor for the Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors executed on October 25th 1898 by Fred Thomas of Hill-street Marsh Huddersfield in the county of York and Saint George's-street Huddersfield aforesaid trading as F. Thomas and Co. Printer and Stationer.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Fred Thomas who have not already sent in their claims are required on or before Tuesday the seventeenth day of January 1899 to send in their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims to Alfred Revell of 55 New-street Huddersfield aforesaid Chartered Accountant the Trustee under the deed or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this twenty-third day of December 1898.

JOHNSON and CROOK 1 Market-walk Huddersfield Solicitors for the above-named Trustee.

Re Ernest Wills Bickle of Nos. 649 and 651 High-road Tottenham in the county of Middlesex Draper.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that on the 3rd day of October 1898 the above named Ernest Wills Bickle executed a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of creditors. All creditors who have not already done so are requested to send in particulars of their claims to Messrs. Beecroft Sons and Nicholson of No. 12 Wood-street Cheapside London Accountants on or before the 10th day of January 1899 failing which they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 23rd day of December 1898.

CHARLES A. BANNISTER and REYNOLDS 70 Basinghall-street London Solicitors for the Trustees.

#### The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hampshire holden at Newport and at Ryde.

**A** SUPPLEMENTAL Dividend of 9d. in the pound has been declared in the matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of Robert Way, of Green-street, Ryde, Isle of Wight, and Alverbank, High Park, Ryde, aforesaid Miller and will be paid by me at my office No. 19 Quay-street, Newport, Isle of Wight, on and after the 31st day of December 1898 between the hours of two and four.—Dated this 21st day of December, 1898.

H. C. DAMANT Official Receiver.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition dated the twenty-ninth day of January, 1868, against George Hilditch Johnson, formerly of No. 36, Russell-square, then of Eldon-chambers, Devereux-court, Strand, then of No. 34, Essex-street, and now of No. 62, Guilford-street, Russell-square, all in the county of Middlesex, Clerk in the Admiralty, Somerset House.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Fourth Dividend, at the rate of 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, London, any day until the 21st day of June, 1899, 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.—22nd day of December, 1898.

E. LEADAM HOUGH, Official Receiver.

**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.
4280	Linyard, William ...	Residing at Campbell-street, Cross Hills, and carrying on business at Cowling, both in Yorkshire	Joiner and Builder ...	Bradford ...	Dec. 21, 1898	93 of 1898	Dec. 21, 1898	89	Debtor's	
4281	Aucott, Francis Howard	21, All Saints-terrace, Cheltenham, formerly carrying on business at 142, High-street, Cheltenham aforesaid	Now out of business, formerly Butcher	Cheltenham ...	Dec. 22, 1898	23 of 1898	Dec. 22, 1898	30	Debtor's	
4282	Price, Harry ...	218, Wolverhampton-street, Dudley, Worcestershire	Confectioner ...	Dudley ...	Dec. 22, 1898	17 of 1898	Dec. 22, 1898	15	Debtor's	
4283	Humble, James ...	King's Head Inn, Lanchester, county of Durham	Innkeeper ...	Durham ...	Dec. 21, 1898	14 of 1898	Dec. 21, 1898	13	Debtor's	
4284	Blackmore, William George	Park-road, Dawlish, Devonshire ...	Butcher ...	Exeter ...	Dec. 21, 1898	55 of 1898	Dec. 21, 1898	53	Debtor's	
4285	Widdicombe, Charles Bedford	34, Howell-road, Exeter ...	Joiner ...	Exeter ...	Dec. 23, 1898	56 of 1898	Dec. 23, 1898	54	Debtor's	
4286	Derbyshire, William Henry, and Derbyshire, Ambrose (trading as Derbyshire and Son) ...	Dunstable, in the county of Bedford ...	Auctioneers ...	Luton ...	Dec. 22, 1898	27 of 1898	Dec. 22, 1898	21	Debtor's	
4287	Roberts, Thomas John ...	Bryntyrch Hotel, Capel Ourig, Carnarvonshire	Licensed Victualler ...	Portmadoc and Blaenau Festiniog	Dec. 21, 1898	10 of 1898	Dec. 21, 1898	10	Debtor's	
4288	Hewson, Edward and Cottam, Ralph ... (trading as Hewson and Cottam) ...	63, Albert Royds-street, Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster 11, Cook-street, Rochdale aforesaid At Cook-street, Rochdale aforesaid ...	Joiners and Builders ...	Rochdale ...	Dec. 22, 1898	15 of 1898	Dec. 22, 1898	15	Debtor's	
4289	Knapp, Rupert Charles Darvill	92, Harvest-lane, in the city of Sheffield ...	Pork Butcher ...	Sheffield ...	Dec. 9, 1898	81 of 1898	Dec. 22, 1898	77	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (D.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883

RECEIVING ORDERS—continued.

No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court	Date of Filing Petition.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
4290	Bayles, Frederick ...	Percy Cottage, Grove-road, Windsor, in the county of Berks	Newspaper Sporting Correspondent	Windsor ...	Dec. 6, 1898	12 of 1898	Dec. 17, 1898	7	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bank- ruptcy Act, 1883
4291	Blakey, Thomas Hayton	Late of Star Inn, Starbeck, in the county of York	Licensed Victualler ...	York ...	Dec. 8, 1898	49 of 1898	Dec. 22, 1898	50	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (A.) and (D.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
4223	Farquharson, Duncan Campbell	22, Earlsmead-road, Tottenham, Middlesex ...	Draper ...	Edmonton ...	Nov. 21, 1898	33 of 1898	Dec. 15, 1898	26	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bank- ruptcy Act, 1883

## RECEIVING ORDER RESCINDED.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Receiving Order.	Date of Rescission.	Grounds of Rescission.
Krause, Carl Fritz ...	188, Commercial-street, in the county of London	Commercial Traveller ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1282 of 1898	Nov. 16, 1898 ...	Dec. 21, 1898 ...	It appearing to the Court that the debts of the said Carl Fritz Krause have 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.
Mimmack, Kenneth	Now residing at 84, Market-street, Stalybridge, Cheshire, but formerly at 56, Albion-crescent, Huddersfield-road, Stalybridge aforesaid, and now carrying on business at 84, Market-street, Stalybridge aforesaid, but formerly at 178, Stamford-street, Ashton-under-Lyne, Lancashire	Hosier, Outfitter, and Hatter	Ashton-under-Lyne and Stalybridge	17 of 1898	Jan. 4, 1899	2.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Byrom-street, Manchester	Jan. 19, 1899	1.30 P.M.	Townhall, Ashton-under-Lyne	
Griffiths, Charles ...	1, Fernleigh-terrace, High-street, Twerton, near the city of Bath, and also of 3, St. Saviour's-terrace, Larkhall, in the said city, formerly of the Half Moon, Holloway, in the said city, and formerly of 1, Rossina-cottage, Hedgemoor, in the said city	Hairdresser and Musician	Bath ...	19 of 1898	Jan. 4, 1899	12.45 P.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol	Jan. 19, 1899	11.30 A.M.	Guildhall, Bath	
Rhodes, Ben ...	11, Easby-road, in the city of Bradford	Company's Manager	Bradford ...	92 of 1898	Jan. 5, 1899	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Chambers, 31, Manor-row, Bradford	Jan. 18, 1899	10 A.M.	County Court, Manor-row, Bradford	Dec. 23, 1898
Lee, Alfred Henry ...	Lindthorpe, Almora-road, Victoria Park, in the parish of Bedminster, in the city and county of Bristol, lately residing at 13, Hill-avenue, Victoria Park aforesaid	Baker ...	Bristol ...	77 of 1898	Jan. 4, 1899	12.15 P.M.	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol	Jan. 13, 1899	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	Dec. 23, 1898
Vincent, James Henry	Soundwell Farm, Station-road, Kingswood, near Bristol, in the county of Gloucester	Farmer ...	Bristol ...	78 of 1898	Jan. 4, 1899	12 noon	Offices of Official Receiver, Baldwin-street, Bristol	Jan. 27, 1899	12 noon	Guildhall, Bristol	Dec. 23, 1898

**FIRST MEETINGS AND PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS—continued.**

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.
Pain er, Richard Roster	Cnelmer, Ashley-road, Epsom, Surrey	Insurance Agent...	Croydon ...	51 of 1898	Jan. 3, 1899	11.30 A.M.	24. Railway - ap- proach, London Bridge, S.E.	Feb. 8, 1899	11 A.M.	County Court, Park - street, Croydon	
Blackmore, William George	Park - road, Dawlish, Devonshire	Butcher ... ..	Exeter ... ..	55 of 1898	Jan. 4, 18 9	10.45 A.M.	Office of Official Re- ceiver, 13, Bedford- circus, Exeter	Jan. 4, 18: 9	11.30 A.M.	The Castle, Exeter	Dec. 21, 1898
Martin, Albert Edward	100, Lower Cliff-road, lately 1, Nile-road, both in Gorleston, Norfolk	Grocer ... ..	Great Yarmouth	42 of 1898	Jan. 7, 1899	12 noon	Official Receiver's Office, 8, King- street, Norwich	Jan. 31, 1899	11 A.M.	Townhall, Great Yarmouth	Dec. 20, 1898
Virr, Ernest ... ..	10, Queen's-road, in the city of Leeds	Grocer and Beer- seller	Leeds ... ..	139 of 1898	Jan. 4, 1899	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park- row, Leeds	Jan. 10, 1899	11 A.M.	County Court- house, Albion- place, Leeds	
West, James ... ..	Old Hall, Osmondthorpe, in the city of Leeds	Farmer ... ..	Leeds ... ..	146 of 1898	Jan. 4, 1899	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, 22, Park- row, Leeds	Jan. 10, 1899	11 A.M.	County Court- house, Albion- place, Leeds	Dec. 23, 1898
Stanfield, Thomas Cornelius	43, Stoke-road, Gosport, in the county of Hants	Builder ... ..	Portsmouth ...	42 of 1898	Jan. 3, 18: 9	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Cambridge Junction, High- street, Portsmouth	Jan. 30, 1899	12 noon	Court - house, St. Thomas- street, Ports- mouth	
Phillips, Arthur, the Reverend	St. John's Vicarage, Bacup, in the county of Lancaster	Clerk in Holy Orders	Rochdale ... ..	12 of 1898	Jan. 6, 1899	11.15 A.M.	Townhall, Rochdale	Jan. 20, 1899	11.30 A.M.	Lecture - hall, Acker - street, Rochdale	Dec. 20, 1898
Barlow, George ... ..	Ticklerton, near Church Stretton, Salop	Farmer ... ..	Shrewsbury ...	9 of 1898	Jan. 11, 1899	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 42, St. John's-hill, Shrews- bury	Jan. 11, 1899	10.30 A.M.	Shirehall, Shrewsbury	Dec. 22, 1898
Townsend, Charles Henry	St. Elwyn, Hayle, Cornwall	Clerk in Holy Orders	Truro ... ..	46 of 1898	Jan. 5, 1899	12 noon	Official Receiver's Office, Boscawen- street, Truro	Jan. 14, 1899	11.45 A.M.	Townhall, Truro	Dec. 19, 1898



**FIRST MEETINGS AND PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS—continued.**

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.
							Official	Receiver's				
Osborn, Robert ..	51, Wednesfield - road, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford	Grocer and Beer Retailer	Wolverhampton	45 of 1898	Jan. 3, 1899	11.30 A.M.	Official Office,	Receiver's Wolverhampton	Jan. 16, 1899	2.30 P.M.	County Court, Wolverhampton	
Pennington, Saint Oswald	57, Waterloo-road North, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, and carrying on business at Lichfield-street, Wolverhampton aforesaid	Architect and Surveyor	Wolverhampton	44 of 1898	Jan. 3, 1899	11 A.M.	Official Office,	Receiver's Wolverhampton	Jan. 16, 1899	2.30 P.M.	County Court, Wolverhampton	Dec. 6, 1898
W Saunders, Frank ...	Formerly residing at Kiddermore Green-road, Brewood, near Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, now of 3, Froyssell-street, Willenhall, in the said county	Latchmaker ...	Wolverhampton	47 of 1898	Jan. 3, 1899	12 noon	Official Office,	Receiver's Wolverhampton	Jan. 23, 1899	2.30 P.M.	County Court, Wolverhampton	19, 1898
Stanford, George ...	Residing at 58, Cambridge-street, Springfields, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, lately carrying on business at 74, Bilston-street, Wolverhampton aforesaid	Fruiterer ...	Wolverhampton	46 of 1898	Jan. 3, 1899	12.30 P.M.	Official Office,	Receiver's Wolverhampton	Jan. 16, 1899	2.30 P.M.	County Court, Wolverhampton	Dec. 19, 1898
Blakey, Thomas Hayton	Late of the Star Inn, Starbeck, in the county of York	Licensed Victualler	York ...	49 of 1898	Jan. 5, 1899	12.15 P.M.	Official Office,	Receiver's 28, Stonegate, York	Jan. 6, 1899	11 A.M.	Courts of Justice, York	Dec. 22, 1898

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## ADJUDICATIONS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Filing Petition.
Linyard, William ... ..	Residing at Campbell-street, Cross Hills, and carrying on business at Cowling, both in Yorkshire	Joiner and Builder ... ..	Bradford ... ..	93 of 1898	Dec. 21, 1898 ...	Dec. 21, 1898
Aucott, Francis Howard ... ..	21, All Saints-terrace, Cheltenham, formerly carrying on business at 142, High-street, Cheltenham aforesaid	Now out of business, formerly Butcher	Cheltenham ... ..	33 of 1898	Dec. 22, 1898 ...	Dec. 22, 1898
Price, Harry ... ..	218, Wolverhampton-street, Dudley, Worcestershire ... ..	Confectioner ... ..	Dudley ... ..	17 of 1898	Dec. 22, 1898 ...	Dec. 22, 1898
Humble, James ... ..	King's Head Inn, Lanchester, county of Durham ... ..	Innkeeper ... ..	Durham ... ..	14 of 1898	Dec. 21, 1898 ...	Dec. 21, 1898
Farquharson, Duncan Campbell ... ..	22, Earlsmead-road, Tottenham, Middlesex ... ..	Draper ... ..	Edmonton ... ..	33 of 1898	Dec. 21, 1898 ...	Nov. 21, 1898
Belcher, Edward Machin (trading as E. M. Belcher and Co.)	102, Brockley-rise, Forest Hill, Kent ... ..	Grocer and Provision Merchant	Greenwich ... ..	32 of 1898	Dec. 22, 1898 ...	Dec. 13, 1898
Derbyshire, William Henry, and Derbyshire, Ambrose (trading as Derbyshire and Son) ... ..	Dunstable, in the county of Bedford ... ..	Auctioneers ... ..	Luton ... ..	27 of 1898	Dec. 22, 1898 ...	Dec. 22, 1898
Roberts, Thomas John ... ..	Bryntyrch Hotel, Capel Curig, Carnarvonshire ... ..	Licensed Victualler ... ..	Portmadoc and Blaenau Festiniog	10 of 1898	Dec. 21, 1898 ...	Dec. 21, 1898
Hewson, Edward, and Cottam, Ralph (trading as Hewson and Cottam) ... ..	63, Albert Royds-street, Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster 11, Cook-street, Rochdale aforesaid At Cook-street, Rochdale aforesaid ... ..	Joiners and Builders ... ..	Rochdale ... ..	15 of 1898	Dec. 22, 1898 ...	Dec. 22, 1898
Bayles, Frederick ... ..	Percy Cottage, Grove-road, Windsor, in the county of Berks	Newspaper Sporting Correspondent	Windsor ... ..	12 of 1898	Dec. 21, 1898 ...	Dec. 6, 1898

# NOTICES OF INTENDED DIVIDENDS

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Hyman, Phoebe (carrying on business as Woolf Hyman)	Carrying on business at 19, Jewin-crescent, Aldersgate-street, in the city of London, and residing at 20, Taviton-street, Gordon-square, Middlesex	Widow, Furrier ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	152 of 1894	Jan. 11, 1899 ..	Lawrence Hasluck ...	17, Holborn-viaduct, London, E.C.
Stow, Joseph William ...	Residing at 16, Ryan-street, and carrying on business at 74, Manchester-road, both in the city of Bradford	Leather Merchant and Shoemaker's Factor	Bradford ... ..	22 of 1898	Jan. 9, 1899 ...	William M. Gray, Chartered Accountant	District Bank - chambers, Market-street, Bradford
Nock, Edwin Herbert (carrying on business under the style of Ross and Co.)	Lately residing at 15, Dean-street, Brierley Hill, in the county of Stafford, and carrying on business at 15, High-street, Brierley Hill aforesaid, the Delph Corn Mills, Brierley Hill aforesaid, and the Thorns Farm, Woodside, in the county of Worcester	Corn Merchant and Farmer, carrying on business as a Stamp Steel Enamelled Holloware Factor, under the style of Ross and Co.	Dudley ... ..	12 of 1898	Jan. 9, 1899 ...	Thomas H. Gough ...	267, Castle-street, Dudley
Griffiths, John ... ..	Bush Bank, in the parish of Canon Pyon, in the county of Hereford	Shoemaker ... ..	Hereford ... ..	21 of 1898	Jan. 11, 1899 ...	M. J. G. Scobie, Official Receiver	2, Offa-street, Hereford
Johnson, Richard ... ..	2, Gomond-street and Market Hall, Hereford ...	China and Glass Dealer ...	Hereford ... ..	11 of 1898	Jan. 11, 1899 ...	M. J. G. Scobie, Official Receiver	2, Offa-street, Hereford
Jones, James ... ..	Leintwardine, in the county of Hereford ...	Tailor and Draper ... ..	Leominster ... ..	11 of 1898	Jan. 11, 1899 ...	M. J. G. Scobie, Official Receiver	2, Offa-street, Hereford
Hayward, William Henry	Fowey, Cornwall ... ..	Chemist ... ..	Truro... ..	38 of 1898	Jan. 12, 1899 ...	G. Appleby Jenkins, Official Receiver	Boscawen-street, Truro
Hayward, William Elijah	27, Union-street, Willenhall, Staffordshire ...	Ironbroker's Assistant, lately Coal Merchant	Wolverhampton ...	7 of 1897	Jan. 11, 1899 ...	Edwin Pritchard, Official Receiver	St. Peter's-close, Wolverhampton

## NOTICES OF DIVIDENDS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or Otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Cowan, James Douglas ...	94, Elgin-avenue, Maida Vale, late of 62, Chester-terrace, Regent's Park, both in Middlesex, lately of the Thames Tunnel Flour Mill, Rotherhithe, Surrey	Flour Mill Manager, lately trading in co-partnership with Thomas Cowan, as J. and T. Cowan at the Thames Tunnel Flour Mill aforesaid, as Millers	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	228 of 1889	7½d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Deintje, Julius Adolph ...	65 and 67, Chenies-mews, Francis-street, Tottenham Court-road, Middlesex	Cabinet Maker ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	609 of 1898	4s. 2½d.	First and Final	Jan. 2, 1899 ...	Percy Mason's, 64, Gresham-street, London, E.C.
Napper, Edwin ...	Carrying on business at 152, New Cross-road, New Cross, Surrey, also at 158, New Cross-road aforesaid	Coffee-house Keeper and Dining - rooms Proprietor, and Baker and Confectioner	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	847 of 1895	1s. 7d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Hill, Thomas ...	Whitcott Farm, Twicken, Devonshire ...	Farmer ...	Barnstaple ...	12 of 1897	1s.	First and Final	Dec. 31, 1898 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 5B, Hammet-street, Taunton
Price, James ...	Ilfracombe, Devonshire ...	Builder ...	Barnstaple ...	15 of 1895	9½d.	First and Final	Jan. 7, 1899 ...	19, Cross-street, Barnstaple
Pope, Joseph Kellaway ...	The White Horse Inn, Colliton-street, Dorchester, in the county of Dorset	Licensed Victualler and Contractor	Dorchester ...	1 of 1898	2s. 6d.	First and Final	Dec. 31, 1898 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, City - chambers, Endless-street, Salisbury
Blakeborough, Emily ...	Northfield Villa, Northfield-square, Lovell-road, in the city of Leeds	Widow ...	Leeds ...	141 of 1894	3d.	First and Final	Dec. 29, 1898 ...	J. W. Close, 7, Greek-street, Leeds
Martin, John James ...	Whetstone, Leicestershire ...	Farmer ...	Leicester ...	29 of 1893	4s. 6d.	Supplementary	Jan. 6, 1899 ...	Office of Official Receiver, 1, Berridge-street, Leicester
Venables, Samuel Hughes	58, High-street, Whitchurch, Shropshire ...	Grocer and Confectioner	Nantwich and Crewe	10 of 1898	3s. 7½d.	First and Final	Jan. 3, 1899 ...	Trustee's Office, Arthur Thraves, 15, Victoria-street, Liverpool, Chartered Accountant
Milnes, Robert (trading as James Milnes)	19, Fitton-street, Rochdale, Lancashire, and lately carrying on business at 13, Baillie-street, Rochdale aforesaid	Woolstapler ...	Rochdale ...	8 of 1898	1s. 8d.	First and Final	Jan. 12, 1899 ...	42, Albert-street, Rochdale
Curtis, William John ...	4, Hamilton-road, Wyld's-lane, in the city of Worcester	Clerk ...	Worcester ...	18 of 1896	5s. 6d.	First	Jan. 2, 1899 ...	174, Corporation - street, Birmingham
Dyson, Alfred ...	Residing and carrying on business at 4, Post-street, Evesham, Worcestershire	Boot and Shoe Maker ...	Worcester ...	26 of 1898	7s.	First and Final	Jan. 2, 1899 ...	174, Corporation - street, Birmingham
Woan, Michael (trading as Woan and Son)	Rainbow Hill, Worcester ...	Coal Merchant ...	Worcester ...	13 of 1898	1s. 10d.	First and Final	Jan. 2, 1899 ...	174, Corporation - street, Birmingham

**APPLICATIONS FOR DEBTORS' DISCHARGE.**

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Day fixed for Hearing.
Bracey, Evan, and Bracey, Isaac (trading in copartnership as Bracey Bros.) ... ..	Staple Hill, in the county of Gloucester ... ..	Builders ... ..	Bristol ... ..	66 of 1897	Jan. 13, 1899, 11 A.M., Guildhall, Bristol
Duncan, Robert ... ..	Madeley, in the county of Salop ... ..	Accountant ... ..	Madeley ... ..	5 of 1898	Feb. 8, 1899, 11.30 A.M., County Court, Madeley

# ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge.
Lyon, Wolfe Simon (trading as Lyon and Co.)	815, Fulham-road, in the county of London	Auctioneer and Furni- ture Dealer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1186 of 1895	Nov. 25, 1898	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 25th November, 1900. (Public Examination concluded 15th November, 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 busi- ness transactions and financial position within the three years immediately pre- ceding his bankruptcy; had contracted debts provable in the bankruptcy without having at the time of contracting them any reasonable or probable ground of expecta- tion of being able to pay them; and had on a previous occasion been adjudged bankrupt
Sensier, Frederick ...	Wharf-street, Godalming, Surrey	Draper ... ..	Guildford and Godalming	3 of 1891	Nov. 24, 1898	Discharge suspended for three years.	Facts referred to in sec. 8, sub-sec. 3 (A.), (B.), (C.), (D.), and (F.), Bankruptcy Act, 1890
Ford, Alfred ... ..	Beechdale Works, Reeves- street, Bloxwich, Stafford- shire	Mineral Water Manu- facturer	Walsall... ..	23 of 1895	Nov. 23, 1898	Discharged on payment, on or before the 30th November, 1898, of £75 to the Official Receiver for distribu- tion amongst the creditors	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his un- secured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his busi- ness transactions and financial position within the three years immediately pre- ceding his bankruptcy; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insol- vent; and had contracted debts provable in the bankruptcy without having at the time of contracting them any reasonable or probable ground of expectation of being able to pay them.

**NOTICES TO DEBTORS IN LIEU OF PERSONAL SERVICE OF BANKRUPTCY NOTICES AND PETITIONS, AND OF APPLICATIONS TO  
COMMIT FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT.**

Debtor's Name.	Debtor's Address.	Debtor's Description.	Court.	No.	Nature of Notice of which Substituted Service directed.	Date thereof.	If a Petition or Application to Commit, Date of Hearing.	Name and Description of Person giving Bankruptcy Notice, or by whom Petition is Presented, or by whom Application to Commit is being made.
Sanderson, William ...	Market-place, Crowle, in the county of Lincoln	Tailor, Stationer, and Jobmaster	Sheffield ... ..	82 of 1898	Bankruptcy Petition	Dec. 19, 1898 ...	Jan. 10, 1899, 2 P.M., County Court, Bank- street, Shef- field	William Bielby Dyson, of High Onse- gate, in the city of York, Cloth Merchant

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

JOHN SMITH, Inspector-General in Bankruptcy.

**THE COMPANIES ACTS, 1862 TO 1890.  
WINDING-UP ORDER.**

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Order.	Date of Presentation of Petition.
Alfred Hall and Company Limited ... ..	7, Fisher-street, Swansea ... ..	Swansea ... ..	2 of 1898	Dec. 21, 1898 ...	Oct. 21, 1893

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 Bankruptcy Acts, 1883 and 1890.  
In the County Court of Carnarvonshire, holden at  
Portmadoc and Blaenau Festiniog.

In Bankruptcy. No. 8 of 1897.

Re Robert Jones of Holywell-row, Criccieth, Carnarvonshire, Builder.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that an Order was, on the 9th day of December, 1898, made by the Board of Trade, under the powers conferred upon them by the Bankruptcy Acts, 1883 and 1890, removing Thomas Jones, of 122, High-street, Portmadoc, from the office of Trustee of the property of the said Robert Jones, a bankrupt.—Dated this 9th day of December, 1898.

By the Board of Trade,

JOHN SMITH, Inspector-General in Bankruptcy.

In the High Court of Justice, in Bankruptcy.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Notice dated the 20th day of December, 1898.

To Louis Harrison (trading as the Anglo Colonial Trading Company) of 1 Goring-street in the city of London.

**T**AKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Notice has been issued against you in this Court at the instance of Nicholas Vouvalis of 130 Houndsditch in the city of London and the Court has ordered that the publication of this notice the London Gazette and in the Daily Telegraph newspaper and the sending by registered letter of a sealed

copy of the Bankruptcy Notice and a sealed copy of the Order for substituted service addressed to Louis Harrison (trading as the Anglo Colonial Trading Company) at 1 Goring-street, in the city of London shall be deemed to be service of the Bankruptcy Notice upon you on the day of the completion of such publication and posting. The Bankruptcy Notice can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated 24th day of December, 1898.

JAMES R. BROUGHAM Registrar.

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