

shareholder of the Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charges for the same.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1900.

SAMUEL A. M. SATOW, Master.

EDWIN ANDREW and Co., 27, Clement's-lane, London, Solicitors for the Company.

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

Mr. Justice Wright.  
No. 00392 of 1900.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893, and in the Matter of the Venners Cigarette Machine Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above named Company by the High Court of Justice was, on the 13th day of December, 1900, presented to the said Court by Erasmus Stanley Caton, of No. 11, St. Edmund's-terrace, Regent's Park, in the county of Middlesex, and carrying on business at No. 2, Monument Station-buildings, in the city of London, the Editor of "Tobacco," a creditor of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, on the sixteenth day of January, 1901; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order on the said petition may appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the under-

signed, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

FULLMOVE and Co., 120, Cannon-street, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Petitioner.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above named, notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person, or, if a firm, the name and address of the firm, and must be signed by the person or firm, or his or their Solicitor (if any), and must be served, or, if posted, must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above named not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 15th of January, 1901.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890.

The Waterworks Construction Company Limited.

At an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened and held at Room 45, No. 17, Victoria-street, in the city of Westminster, on the 29th day of November, 1900, the following Special Resolution was passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened and held at the same place, on the 17th day of December, 1900, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed, namely:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Constantine Nomico be appointed Liquidator to conduct the winding up."

Dated this twenty-second day of December, 1900.  
G. M. FRIEAKE, Chairman.

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, per Quarter of 8 Bushels, Imperial Measure\*, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise in the Week ended 22nd December, 1900, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat ... ..	50,872	2	26	7
Barley ... ..	145,585	1	25	7
Oats... ..	19,853	2	17	2

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1896 to 1899.

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.
1896 ... ..	41,672	7	81,230	3	11,945	1	20	9	24	6	16	1
1897 ... ..	54,230	1	127,208	2	15,477	2	34	4	26	11	17	0
1898 ... ..	61,583	4	132,590	4	22,148	7	26	9	28	6	17	0
1899 ... ..	67,102	7	116,757	5	16,417	5	25	6	25	10	16	0

\* Section 3 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 22, 1900.

P. G. CRAIGIE.