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CORONATION OF THEIR MAJESTIES.

COURT OF CLAIMS.

THE Right Honourable the Commissioners appointed by His Majesty for the purpose will meet at the Council Office, Whitehall, on Wednesday, the 4th day of December next, at eleven o'clock of the forenoon, to hear and determine Claims of Services to be performed at the time of the ensuing Coronation (except those dispensed with by His Majesty's Royal Proclamation of the 26th day of June last), and of fees to be received for the same.

The Commissioners are required by the Proclamation to exclude from their consideration such claims as may be submitted to them in respect of rights or services connected with the parts of the Ceremonial heretofore performed in Westminster Hall and with the Procession, the Ceremony being confined to Westminster Abbey.

War Office, December 3, 1901.

THE following Despatches have been recently received from General Lord Kitchener, G.C.B., &c., Commanding-in-Chief, South Africa. From Lord Kitchener to the Secretary of State for War, London, S.W.

Pretoria,

SIR, October 8th, 1901.

1. In continuation of my despatch, dated 8th September, 1901, I have the honour to report that during the past month there has been a general recrudescence of activity on the part of the enemy, which has made itself felt more particularly in the extreme south-east portions of the Transvaal. The immediate cause of this was, undoubtedly, the necessity felt by the Boer leaders to tide over the 15th September, the date fixed by the Proclamation of 7th August as the limit of time within which by voluntarily surrendering, the leaders might avoid certain penalties threatened by that Proclamation. In this they have succeeded. There has been no general surrender, but the device to which the Commandant-General resorted for turning the thoughts of his burghers in another direction has probably cost him and his cause more heavily than a simple pursuance of the usual evasive tactics would have entailed.

Operations on the Natal Frontier.

2. I alluded in my last despatch to the indications of a concentration in the Ermelo district, and to rumours of designs on Natal, and

to the preliminary steps taken to meet this contingency.

On the 4th September, Lieut.-General the Hon. N. G. Lyttelton assumed command in Natal, in succession to Lieut.-General Sir H. Hildyard, who proceeded home on leave of absence. General Hildyard arrived from England at the commencement of the war in command of the 2nd Brigade, and has since then continued, without interruption, to exercise command in various positions of great responsibility. Much as I regret the loss of his valuable services, I am glad that he should now be able to enjoy a well-earned rest.

General Lyttelton having assumed command, at once found it necessary to turn his attention to the enemy in the Vryheid District. The commandos which had assembled in the Ermelo District early in the month, gradually worked south by Piet Retief and Paul Pieters Burg, whilst others joined them *en route*, but it was not until the 18th September that Major Gough's reconnaissance made the situation quite clear.

For some days previous to this, mist and rain had concealed the enemy's movements from our patrols sent out from Utrecht and Vryheid, and the natives, fearing the penalty the Boers now so ruthlessly exact from them for any assistance given us, had kept to their kraals. On the 15th September Major Gough's Mounted Infantry moved out from Dundee, with Lieut.-Colonel Stewart in command of the Johannesburg Mounted Rifles, to De Jager's Drift. Colonel Pulteney's troops were at Volksrust, and Lieut.-Colonel Garratt with his column, having passed through Wakkerstroom, was moving on Utrecht.

On the 17th September, Lieut.-Colonel Stewart and Major Gough decided to push on towards the Bloed River to gain touch with the enemy, reported to be in the vicinity of Scheeper's Nek. Major Gough marched about an hour in advance of Lieut.-Colonel Stewart, and as he neared the river sent back word asking Lieut.-Colonel Stewart to remain for the present near Rooi Kop, in readiness to support him should he hear his guns in action. Half-an-hour later Lieut.-Colonel Stewart observed Major Gough's force galloping in the direction of Bloed River Poort, and he immediately pressed forward in support with his mounted men. While thus advancing, Lieut.-Colonel Stewart was met by a messenger, who informed him that Major Gough had met with a serious reverse in front, and feeling it imperative to afford protection to his own guns at Rooi Kop, as well as to Major Gough's

baggage, which was following behind, he decided, after verifying the report, to fall back at once to De Jager's Drift, thus covering Dundee.

Major Gough had galloped into a well-arranged ambush. Believing that he was in presence of only 300 Boers he had pressed forward boldly to seize a ridge which appeared to command their position. The enemy, however, numbered fully 1,000, and whilst checking Major Gough in front, they rapidly overwhelmed his right flank and assailed his guns from the rear. There was a short sharp fight at close quarters, in which our men displayed much gallantry, and then completely outnumbered and surrounded, the whole of Major Gough's small force was captured.* It is due to Major Gough to state that he has commanded in the field for the past two years under every condition, and with unvarying success, and I should be sorry to mark a solitary error of judgment in any way that might militate against the future utility of this gallant Officer.

Lieut.-Colonel Stewart in falling back when he did showed great judgment and a sound appreciation of the situation in a position of considerable difficulty.

Commandant-General Louis Botha, General C. Botha, and Commandants Opperman, Britz, and Henderson were all reported to have been present in the engagement, and it was quite evident that Dundee was momentarily menaced by a commando of considerable strength.

The troops placed at General Lyttelton's disposal were now rapidly concentrated on the threatened point. On the 18th of September Colonel Allenby's column reached Dundee, and by the 25th of the month General Lyttelton, who already held the line of the Buffalo in strength, had assembled two mobile forces at Dundee under command of Major-Generals Clements and Bruce Hamilton respectively.

A third force under Major-General Walter Kitchener moved out to Utrecht. It consisted of the column under Lieut.-Colonel Garratt, which had followed the enemy into that district from Wakkerstroom, and the troops under Major-General W. Kitchener and Colonel Campbell who had arrived at Volksrust on the 23rd September at the conclusion of their operations in the vicinity of Ermelo.

In the meantime the Boers who had halted for some days at Bloed River Poort after their success against Major Gough, were reported to be moving into the salient angle of the Vryheid District which projects southwards into Zululand between Nqutu and Ndawande. Hostile patrols were seen to the east of Vant's and Rorke's Drifts, and it became apparent that our occupation of the line of the Buffalo had compelled the enemy to seek access to Natal by a wider detour to the south. This led him towards our fortified posts of Itala and Fort Prospect on the Zululand border, a few miles to the north-west of Melmoth, and to meet it General Lyttelton pushed out the force under Major-General Bruce Hamilton from Vant's and Rorke's Drifts in a south-easterly direction. The garrison of Itala consisted of 2 guns of the 69th Battery, Royal Field Artillery, and 300 men of the 5th Division Mounted Infantry, all under the command of Captain (local Major, and now Major and Brevet Lieut.-Colonel) A. J. Chapman, Royal Dublin Fusiliers. The attack on this post, which was conducted by Commandant-General Louis Botha and other leaders, at the head of some 1,500 men, was a most determined one. Com-

mencing at 3 a.m. on the 26th September, it was pressed almost without intermission for 19 hours, when the enemy, repulsed on all sides, withdrew under cover of dusk in an easterly and north-easterly direction. That on Fort Prospect was made by a detached Boer force about 500 strong. This post was held by 35 men of the 5th Division Mounted Infantry and 51 men of the Durham Artillery Militia, all under the command of Captain C. A. Rowley, 2nd Bn. Dorsetshire Regiment, and the attack on it was easily repulsed. The successful defence of these two places reflects the greatest credit on Major Chapman and Captain Rowley, and all ranks of the small garrisons under their respective commands.

On the 27th September the Boer commandos being fully occupied in burying their dead and collecting and tending their wounded, showed no signs of aggression, and early on the 28th, the columns under Major-General Bruce Hamilton, which had been directed on Itala, as soon as the southward movement of the enemy was confirmed, arrived at that place. They were at once interposed between the enemy, who had fallen back on their approach towards Babanango and Retief's Rust, and the Tugela, and communication with Melmoth was opened up. General Lyttelton's plans for clearing the country of the Boers, and if possible, intercepting them, had in the meantime been developed. On hearing that they had committed themselves to a southward movement towards Zululand, he arranged that while Major-General Bruce Hamilton headed them off in the direction of Itala and Melmoth, General Clements should take them in flank through Nqutu, and Major-General Walter Kitchener should move from Utrecht by the Schurveberg and Vryheid upon their rear and endeavour to block the possible avenues of escape to the north.

On the 29th September, General Kitchener reached Vryheid, and on the 30th General Clements was reported to be at Vant's Drift on the Buffalo River. On the 2nd October, General Kitchener arrived at Geluk (234) whence he pushed on a portion of his advanced troops to Toovernaar's Rust (518); Major-General Bruce Hamilton was then in touch with the enemy in the neighbourhood of Retief's Rust, and General Clements moving on from Vant's Drift in the direction of Nqutu. On the same day Major-General Kitchener was engaged with 300 of the enemy near Pondwana Mountain. On the 4th October General Bruce Hamilton advanced north by Entonjaneni, on Inhlazaty, in communication on his left with General Clements, whose columns were directed from Nqutu upon Kromellenbog (289). The enemy's main body on this date was reported to be close to Ntabankulu with General Kitchener still to the north of it in the vicinity of Uitzicht (176). As our columns pushed on the Boers continued their retreat north to Boschoek (156), Kromellenbog (303), and Leeuwnek (15), where they were held for a time by Major-General W. Kitchener, but on the night of the 5th October the Boers were successful in breaking through to the north. Abandoning their baggage and wagons they moved rapidly round General Kitchener's left flank from Boschoek (156), to Smaldeel (575), retreating thence with all speed over the Pivaan River, past Paul Pietersburg, in the direction of Piet Retief and the Slangapies Berg. General Kitchener followed at once in close pursuit by Waterval (310), to Nooitgedacht (246), and Bellevue (600), where he engaged a rearguard, which in a strong position covered the flight of the main body. Our columns continue their

* 2 guns 69th Battery, Royal Field Artillery; three companies Mounted Infantry.

movement to the north in support of General Kitchener, but the unfinished state of a line of blockhouses from Wakkerstroom to Piet Retief, which was commenced on the 1st October by the 2nd Bn. Scots Guards and 2nd Bn. West Yorkshire Regiment, under Brigadier-General Bullock, renders it unlikely now that any large bodies of the enemy can be cut off before they escape into the Ernelo District.

It is disappointing that we were unable to gain the full advantage which this futile effort of the Boer leaders might have afforded us of striking them when concentrated, but the country in which these operations took place, at all times difficult, was rendered almost impassable by the heavy rains which continued, with one short interval of four or five days, throughout their progress and which finally forced the enemy to abandon his wagons in order to effect his escape.

Operations in the Eastern Transvaal.

3. Upon the departure of Lieut.-General Sir Bindon Blood for India, Brigadier-General Reeves assumed temporary command in the Eastern Transvaal, where the columns under Colonels Park and Benson have continued their operations north and south of the railway.

Colonel Benson, who had reached Witbank Station on 6th September, marched thence along the railway line to Middelburg. He again left Middelburg on the 10th, in a south-easterly direction, having located a party of Boers at Pullen's Hope (213), and, after a long march, on an extremely dark night, was successful in surprising and capturing 33 prisoners, with 73 horses, 515 cattle, 4 wagons, 4 carts, and a quantity of ammunition. Colonel Benson then joined his convoy and baggage, from Middelburg, at Eikeboom (218), and the following day marched to Blesbokspruit (219), from which point he passed through the valley of the Klein Olifant to Weltevreden (151). Here, on the 14th, he was informed that a band of the enemy had spent the previous night at Tweefontein (496). He accordingly started on a night march, taking with him two squadrons of the 2nd Scottish Horse, and the 19th Bn. Mounted Infantry, and, early on the 15th, took 10 Boers and 250 head of cattle, the remainder of the enemy making good their escape.

On the 16th September Colonel Benson moved on to Carolina, and the following day again left that place, having heard of a gathering of Boers at Busby (206), on the Umpilusi River, some distance to the south-east. After a 40-mile march he reached his objective, and, just as the early morning mist was lifting, charged down upon two laagers at Middeldrift (191) and Busby (206), in which he secured 54 prisoners, 48 vehicles, 1,700 head of cattle, and 242 horses. Amongst the prisoners, most of whom belong to the Carolina Commando, were P. M. Botha, late Landdrost of Pretoria, and Commandant Nieuw-houdt.

Colonel Benson then returned, by Lake Chrissie, to Carolina, and, on the 28th September, moved on westward into the Bethal District, capturing 12 prisoners on the following day in the vicinity of Monson's Store, to the west of the Klein Olifant. On the 1st October, when at Kranspoort (264) he received intelligence which pointed to the presence of 100 Boers at Weltevreden (179), on the Olifant's River. He started the same evening to try to overtake this band, but found, on arrival at his destination, that they had already trekked away on the previous afternoon. Their tracks were, however, carefully followed by Colonel Benson's men, who came up with the enemy at Driefontein

(285), and captured 7 prisoners, 30 horses, 12 mules, and some cattle. The remainder of the Boers fled north, hotly pursued by our troops, who covered over 50 miles in 19 hours in the course of the chase.

The westward movement was then continued, Kaallaagte (326) being reached on the 4th September, since which date Colonel Benson has operated near Bethal.

There is no doubt that the Boers in this part of the country have been so constantly alarmed and harassed by the frequent night raids made by our troops that they have for the time become thoroughly demoralised. They seldom spend two nights in one place, shift camp daily, and saddle up regularly at 3 a.m. in readiness for flight. This is highly creditable to our men, but it naturally adds to the difficulty experienced in making any substantial captures.

Colonel Park, who had arrived near Bankfontein (234), north-east of Middelburg on the 8th September, marched into the latter town on the 11th to refit his column.

On the 16th he again left Middelburg for Machadodorp, intending to operate in the vicinity of Schoeman's Kloof before returning to Lydenburg. A number of Boers had congregated in the Badfontein Valley, but, as Colonel Park approached, they dispersed and cleared away in the direction of Ohrigstad and Pilgrim's Rest. Colonel Park accordingly moved on to Lydenburg, and thence followed up the retiring enemy towards Kruger's Post, where at dawn, on 2nd October, he was successful in capturing 13 prisoners, 8 rifles, 3 wagons, some cattle and dynamite.

On the following day, Colonel Park took with him six companies of Mounted Infantry and two companies of the Manchester Regiment, and made a thorough search of all the farms between Kruger's Post and Ohrigstad. Four armed burghers were taken in this district, and large quantities of supplies, forage, and ammunition were collected and destroyed. Colonel Park then moved back towards Kruger's Post. His return march, however, was not unmolested, for at Rustplaats (15) he was attacked by a very considerable force which had apparently come from the east, under General Viljoen. Fighting went on for some hours, and the Boers then withdrew, Colonel Park continuing his way back to camp.

On the 7th October, Colonel Park surprised and attacked a party of Boers upon a farm at Rosenkrans (144). The men escaped, but 40,000 rounds of Mauser ammunition, three wagons, and a quantity of mealies were left in our hands. Colonel Park then moved south to the Spekboom River.

The railway traffic to the east has been little interrupted during the last few weeks, but on 16th September an attack was made upon Belfast by a Boer commando, 100 strong, under Commandant Grobelaar, with the evident intention of obtaining supplies. The attack was easily repulsed, one man only of the garrison being wounded, but many Boer bullets fell in the refugee camp, where one woman was killed, and two children wounded.

A general advance has been made in the Eastern Transvaal of the Constabulary posts which ran from Eerste Fabriken, through Springs and Heidelberg, to the Vaal River. This line has now been gradually pushed forward during the month by Colonel Pilkington, South African Constabulary, to the line Wilge River Station—Greylingstad, and the junction of Kalk Spruit with the Vaal, an alteration of position which has enabled us to enclose and clear a much

larger area of country. The work of the Constabulary, as they moved the blockhouses to the new line, has been covered and secured by the simultaneous advance of the troops under Lieut.-Colonels Hacket Thompson, Bewicke Copley, and Sir H. Rawlinson who operated respectively from Bronkhorst Spruit, Springs, and Heidelberg.

As the majority of the Boers in this district had accompanied General Botha towards the Natal frontier, few of them were seen by the northern and central columns, but Sir Henry Rawlinson, to whom was assigned the task of clearing the front of the Constabulary between the Standerton line and the Vaal River, came in contact with several parties of the enemy which he chased westwards towards Barnard's Kop, and southwards over the Vaal into Orange River Colony.

On the 3rd October, Sir H. Rawlinson marched into Greylingstad, whence he organised a night patrol to Barnard's Kop, which resulted in the capture of three armed burghers. On the evening of the 4th, he again left Greylingstad for Watervalshoek (204), where the laagers of Field-Cornets Hans Botha and Pretorius were reported to be. The former of these was successfully surprised at daybreak on the 5th near Kaffir Spruit (199), 7 prisoners, 20 horses, 12 wagons, 12 Cape carts, and 650 cattle being captured. The other laager had already moved east before the advance of the Constabulary posts, and though Sir Henry Rawlinson followed it for some distance, he was unable to add to his captures.

Operations on the Pietersburg Line.

4. No events of importance have occurred in the Northern Transvaal during the past few weeks. Since the train-wrecking incident of the 31st of August, the Pietersburg line has been undisturbed, and General Beyer's wandering bands have kept to the hills to the west of the railway, avoiding as usual contact with our troops.

Two columns have remained in this district in observation of the enemy, one under Colonel Colenbrander acting from Warmbaths, and the other under Lieut.-Colonel Wood, who has taken Lieut.-Colonel Grenfell's place, from Nylstroom.

Night raids and long-distance marches have from time to time been undertaken when opportunity presented, and a certain number of prisoners (including Captain M. Coetzee, the leader of Beyer's Scouts) have been brought in by our troops.

Operations in the South-Western Transvaal.

5. At the date of my last despatch, the situation in the South-Western Transvaal was briefly as follows:—General Fetherstonhaugh and Colonel Kekewich completing their search for the dismounted stragglers of Kemp's force, to the south-west of Olifant's Nek. Colonel Allenby from Rustenburg, and Brigadier-General Gilbert Hamilton on their march to Pretoria and Klerksdorp respectively, and Lord Methuen's troops approaching Zeerust from the Marico Valley.

On the 11th of September, Brigadier-General Hamilton reported from Cyferkuil (47) as he approached Klerksdorp, that he had captured near Geduld (158) a Boer convoy, with 25 prisoners, 140 horses, 7 wagons, and 520 cattle.

General Fetherstonhaugh continued to search the kloofs round Leeuwfontein (339) for some days, and then on the 12th of September moved by Tafel Kop on Ventersdorp, to replenish his supplies. At Tafel Kop, he learnt that Kemp,

who had escaped from our cordon in a north-easterly direction, was already working his way back to the south again, as our troops withdrew.

Colonel Kekewich, after assisting General Fetherstonhaugh in his operations to the south-west of Olifant's Nek, returned to Naauwpoort (214) with the prisoners taken. He again left Naauwpoort on the 13th of September, and passing through Olifant's Nek, turned east to operate on the northern slopes of the Magaliesberg. On the 15th he reached Oorzaak (568), from which place he operated in conjunction with Colonel Mackenzie (1st Bn. Suffolk Regiment), who was then employed in constructing blockhouses to the south of the range between Naauwpoort (214) and Olifant's Nek. A careful search of the slopes and summits of the hills resulted in the capture of Field-Cornet Klopper, and 36 other prisoners of war. Colonel Kekewich then moved to Roodekoppies (171), whence he returned to Magato's Nek to co-operate once more with General Fetherstonhaugh against Kemp's commando, now reported to be re-assembling in that neighbourhood. On the 24th Colonel Kekewich was at Rietfontein (299). Here he organised a night expedition by Bulhoek (833) and Lamoefontein (357) to Crocodile Drift (266) on the Eland's river, at which place he surrounded and took a Boer laager, under Acting-Commandant van Rooijen, with 35 prisoners, 15 horses, 5 wagons, and several hundred cattle. Colonel Kekewich then moved to Waterval (596), whence on the 26th he marched to Lindley's Poort (102). Kemp's men on this date were reported to be on the Toelani River.

Being unable, however, to gain touch with the enemy, Colonel Kekewich on the 29th turned east to Moedwill (639), where at dawn on the following morning his camp was heavily attacked by a force of at least 1,000 Boers under Generals Delarey and Kemp, who had evidently followed up our column from the valley of the Toelani. The attack which lasted from 4.45 a.m. till 6.15 a.m. being delivered upon three sides of our camp with great vigour and a lavish expenditure of ammunition, was quickly repulsed after severe fighting, in which all ranks displayed great gallantry, the conduct of the 1st Bn. Derbyshire Regiment being especially distinguished. The enemy foiled in their attempt to rush the position were compelled to fall back, and they apparently retired in a northerly and north-westerly direction.

Our losses in this action were severe, 1 officer and 31 men being killed, and 26 officers, including Colonel Kekewich, and 127 men wounded. To give some idea of the severity of the fire to which the troops were subjected it may be mentioned that 3 piquets were practically annihilated, and that out of a party of 12 men of the Derbyshire Regiment which was guarding a drift, 8 men were killed and 4 wounded.

Upon Colonel Kekewich being incapacitated by wounds the command of the column was temporarily assumed by Lieut.-Colonel Wyll, Derbyshire Regiment. I am glad, however, to report that Colonel Kekewich has this day been able to resume his work.

In the meantime General Fetherstonhaugh had again left Ventersdorp, marching north on the 21st September to resume operations in conjunction with Colonel Kekewich. Moving by Tafel Kop he was engaged on the 24th at Doornkom (896) with a number of Boers whom he drove in the direction of the Toelani Valley. On the following day he captured a position on Winkelhoek (280), driving the enemy towards Doornkloof (591); then failing to find any

further objective, he turned back in a southeasterly direction to Waterval (68).

On the 29th September he moved to Kwagga-fountain (924), and here on the 30th heard of the attack on Colonel Kekewich's camp at Moedwill. On receipt of this intelligence he at once sent Colonel Williams's column to Hartbeestfontein (514) to support Colonel Kekewich, following himself as soon as possible with the remainder of his force. By the 2nd October General Fetherstonhaugh had concentrated the whole of his troops at Moedwill, but he was unable to obtain any definite news of the enemy, who seemed to have scattered, after their unsuccessful attack, amongst the farms on both sides of the Rustenburg-Zeerust road. Between the 2nd and 6th he executed reconnaissances to the west in the hopes of being able to gain touch with Generals Delarey and Kemp, but failing to learn their whereabouts moved south on the latter date to Kosterfontein (292) on his way towards Tafel Kop. On the departure of General Fetherstonhaugh for the south, Lieut.-Colonel Wyllie moved east through Magato's Nek to refit his column and draw supplies from Rustenburg.

Lord Methuen reached Zeerust on the 9th September after a series of sharp encounters with the enemy in the neighbourhood of the Marico Valley. The Boers had shown great boldness in these attacks, and persistently followed his rearguard up to Zeerust.

Two days later Lord Methuen returned to Mafeking, and he utilised the remainder of the month in refitting his troops and in passing convoys into Lichtenburg and Zeerust, preparatory to a fresh movement to the east. This contemplated advance had the double object of completing the collection of the ripening crops in the Marico District, and establishing a line of blockhouses between Zeerust and the lead mines.

On the 2nd October his column marched from Mafeking to commence work, and on the 4th Lord Methuen had reached a line Wonderfontein (41)—Kleinfontein (76)—Waterkloof (148), from which points he is now moving south upon Bokkraal (300), carefully clearing the country of all scattered bands. An affair of patrols at Wilgeboom Spruit (276) on the 4th October, resulted in five burghers being killed.

Operations on the Vaal.

6. Great progress has been made during the past month in clearing the enemy from both banks of the Vaal River. The line of blockhouses from Kopjes Station to Potchefstroom, which was commenced in the first week of September by the 2nd Bn. Scots Guards and 1st Bn. Oxfordshire Light Infantry, has been completed; Heilbron has been similarly connected with Frankfort, and, east and west of Vereeniging, the drifts over the Vaal have been permanently occupied by detachments of the Railway Pioneer Regiment under Lieut.-Colonel Capper.

To prevent any interruption of this work, and to cover its completion, the columns under Lieut.-Colonels Byng and Dawkins were brought up from the south of Orange River Colony on the 10th September to Vrededorp Road Station. From this point they moved out into the area round Reitzburg—Venterskroon—Parys, where a considerable number of Boers were taken as they sought to escape from the tract of country gradually being enclosed by the blockhouse line. Many of these prisoners who had fled south from the Losberg and Gatsrand were found lurking in the bed of the Vaal River, near Rensburg Drift.

Having thoroughly searched and cleared the ground between Parys and Reitzburg, Colonel Byng marched west to Coal Mine Drift, where he heard of the assembly at Bothaville of some 500 Boers, most of whom had left the area then being included within our blockhouse system. He proceeded at once in that direction with the idea of attacking, but found as he advanced that the enemy only broke up into small parties and dispersed in the country lying between the Rhenoster and Valsch rivers. He accordingly moved back with Lieut.-Colonel Dawkins along the Valsch River to Kroonstad, where they arrived on the 3rd October, having captured 81 prisoners of war since leaving Vrededorp.

To work in co-operation with our troops to the south, Major-General Mildmay Willson organised a small force under Lieut.-Colonel Hicks, 2nd Bn. Royal Dublin Fusiliers, which consisted of 250 Mounted Infantry, two field guns, and five companies of Infantry. This column, which assembled at Banks Station, moved thence on the 17th September for the country lying between the Gatsrand and the Vaal, where it was employed in establishing and provisioning Constabulary posts, and in hunting small parties of Boer snipers. 26 prisoners were taken, and on the 29th September the force returned to Potchefstroom. From there the column moved to Venterskroon, and on the 8th October Lieut.-Colonel Hicks reported by runner from Buffelshoek that the South African Constabulary troops, acting in co-operation with his column, had captured Field-Cornets George Hall and Van der Venter, 16 burghers, and a 7-pr. gun, which had been taken some weeks ago from their post at Houtkop.

Colonel Rimington's Operations in Northern Orange River Colony.

7. On the 10th September, Colonel Rimington's Column, which had marched north from Kroonstad, was at Leenwfontein, 6 miles south of Heilbron. From here, on the 14th, he made a night march on Anderkant (292), where he surprised and captured 6 Boers, 6 wagons, 9 Cape carts, and a number of horses and mules. On the 20th he was at Jakhal's Kop, south of the Heilbron-Frankfort Road, and on the 22nd marched thence to the junction of the Vaal and Wilge rivers, where he overtook Strydom's Commando, and secured 13 prisoners, 18 wagons, 17 Cape carts, 2 Scotch carts, 1,180 cattle, and 40 horses. Colonel Rimington then returned to Heilbron, and on the 28th marched to Oploop, between the Klip and Wilge rivers, watching for an opportunity of co-operation with Sir Henry Rawlinson's Column, which was then assisting the Constabulary to the north of the Vaal. On the 2nd October his chance came, and he captured 24 prisoners and 2,000 cattle, 30 horses, 14 loaded wagons, 22 Cape carts, and 20 mules, all belonging to Buys' Commando, which had been driven south of the river by Sir Henry Rawlinson's advance from Heidelberg.

On the 3rd October, Colonel Rimington was at De Rust on Venter's Spruit, and on the 7th he entered Standerton to draw supplies preparatory to moving south of De Lange's Drift to co-operate with Brigadier-General Broadwood and Colonel De Lisle from Harrismith.

As it had been intended to reinforce Colonel Rimington by the column under Lieut.-Colonel Wilson (Kitchener's Fighting Scouts), which had been refitted at Kroonstad after its return from the Senekal district, the latter Officer was ordered to leave Kroonstad for Heilbron on 1st October. He crossed the Rhenoster River at dawn on the 4th, and almost immediately afterwards a portion of his command was attacked at

Paardekraal by a considerable force of the enemy which was driven off with loss. Having repulsed this attack, Colonel Wilson resumed his march on Heilbron, where, instead of joining Colonel Rimington's command, he was temporarily assigned the duty of covering the line of block-houses from Heilbron to Frankfort.

Major-General Elliot's Operations in Eastern Orange River Colony.

8. After two or three days' halt at Winburg, Major-General Elliot's Division again started on 10th September to march east towards the Wittebergen. It seemed desirable to revisit this district once more, with the object of endeavouring to come up with some of the parties of Boers which had evaded capture during the previous movement. Lieut.-Colonel Barker and Major Pine Coffin remained to operate from Winburg to the west of General Elliot's line of advance, whilst Major-General B. Campbell continued to maintain his position on the eastern slopes of the Wittebergen. Brigadier-General Dartnell, with the Imperial Light Horse from Bethlehem, was also ordered to assist in the operations by blocking the passes at Retief's and Slabbert's Neks.

The movement from Winburg was commenced in four columns; General Broadwood's Brigade being on the right, Colonel Bethune's on the left, and the troops of Colonel Lowe and Lieut.-Colonel De Lisle in the centre. Lieut.-Colonel De Lisle came in sight of a convoy, under Commandant Koen, which was then trekking towards the Korannaberg, and after a long gallop overtook and captured 15 prisoners, 47 wagons, 22 carts, 250 horses, and 2,500 cattle. On the 12th Colonel Bethune drove 70 Boers from a position near Wonkerkop, and on the following evening he made a night march to Rietvlei, where he was again slightly engaged.

From the 14th to the 18th September the Division was employed in searching the western slopes of the Wittebergen, moving gradually northwards upon a line parallel to that followed by Major-General Campbell inside the Brandwater Basin from Steynsberg towards Retief's and Slabbert's Neks. This combined movement yielded good results. 17 Boers were taken by Major-General Campbell, and large quantities of supplies and vehicles were found hidden away in the mountain kloofs. A continual sniping was maintained from the summits of the hills by small parties of Boers under the leadership of Commandant Prinsloo. Having accomplished all that was possible in this district, General Elliot pushed north from Tafel Berg on the 19th by Bethlehem to Harrismith, a destination which seemed advisable in consequence of the development of events in Natal, and arrived there on the 26th.

The result of the operations which then closed was reported to be as follows:—7 Boers killed, 5 wounded, 46 prisoners, 3 voluntary surrenders, 2,560 horses, 9,100 cattle, 127 wagons, 101 carts, 2,700 rounds of ammunition.

The 2nd Imperial Light Horse with General Dartnell had already been brought into Harrismith, and proceeded thence by rail and road to Eshowe, in Zululand, and on the 29th of September Colonel Bethune, with 600 men of General Elliot's Division, followed General Dartnell to the same destination.

The other brigades of General Elliot's Division remained temporarily in the eastern portion of the Orange River Colony in readiness to act against any parties of the enemy who might seek to penetrate into Natal in co-operation with General Botha's enterprise. On the 28th and 29th Colonel De Lisle and Brigadier-General

Broadwood moved north from Harrismith towards Muller's Pass and Vrede to disperse certain hostile bands which were reported to be hovering about the frontier. Colonel De Lisle was at Muller's Pass on the 2nd of October, and the same night General Broadwood bivouacked at Boschoek, a few miles to the west. Few Boers were seen, and it was evident that the parties which may have been meditating an inroad into Natal had thought better of their project, and retired west towards Witkoppies and Vrede. Our columns accordingly made a reconnaissance on the 5th in that direction trying to gain touch with the enemy, and watching for an opportunity of communicating with Colonel Rimington, who was then known to be moving east from Cornelia along the Vaal valley.

Operations in the Harrismith and Bethlehem Districts.

9. Allusion has already been made to the part taken by Major-General B. Campbell's column in the operations about the Wittebergen. The remainder of Sir Leslie Rundle's Division has been occupied in blocking the passes leading into Natal between Van Reenen's and Witzie's Hoek, in relieving the garrisons upon the Albertina-Van Reenen's line which have hitherto been furnished from the Natal command, and in passing supplies by convoy into Bethlehem.

After the departure of Brigadier-General Dartnell for Zululand, the 1st Imperial Light Horse, under Lieut.-Colonel Briggs, remained to act independently from Bethlehem. This force which was especially organised with a view to mobility has already justified its existence, and some excellent long distance raids have been undertaken. The most successful of these took place on the night of the 28th of September, when after a circuitous march of 38 miles from Bethlehem, Lieut.-Colonel Briggs surrounded the town of Reitz at dawn on the 29th. Here he captured 21 prisoners (including Landdrost Piet de Villiers), 9 Cape carts, 2 wagons, 24 horses, 9 rifles, 250 cattle and some ammunition. His return march, however, was much opposed, and several unsuccessful attempts were made at night by parties of Boers, said to be under De Wet, to surround and rush his force.

Operations in Southern Orange River Colony.

10. After Commandant Smuts had crossed to the south of the Orange River at Kiba Drift, as mentioned in my last despatch, the remainder of the Boers in the south-eastern portion of the Orange River Colony, under Commandant Kruit-zinger and other leaders, broke up into a number of small commandos which have moved rapidly about, evading the pursuit of our columns in the area marked by Wepener-Dewetsdorp-Bethulie and Zastron.

On the 8th September, the positions of the different columns under Major-General C. Knox, in this district, were, approximately, as follows:—Colonel Thorneycroft at Quaggafontein and Meyerhoek, guarding the line of the Orange River to the south of Zastron; Lord Basing at Jurysbaken, patrolling thence to Commissie Bridge on the Caledon; Colonel Sir Henry Rawlinson on the march south from the Elandsberg to Aliwal; and General Plumer at Smithfield. Major Damant had already returned to Springfontein.

From Smithfield, on the 9th September, General Plumer moved up the valley of the Caledon to Arcadia and Bastard's Drifts against the Boers who had been driven north from the Elandsberg on 7th September, by Sir Henry Rawlinson. From these drifts he detached Sir John Jervis upon Wepener in pursuit of two large parties of

the enemy; whilst with Colonel Colvin's Column he struck across to Runnymede on the Basuto border. On the 15th, the force reassembled at Wepener, where General Plumer learnt from prisoners that the commandos which had retired north before Sir John Jervis, were local men, and that Kruitziuger had once more doubled back to the Elandsberg. He accordingly sent Colonel Colvin in the latter direction to co-operate with Colonel Thorneycroft, whilst he himself, with Sir John Jervis's Column, moved back towards Smithfield by the right bank of the Caledon.

On the 19th September, some of Sir John Jervis's mounted men, under Captain Knight of the Buffs, had a sharp skirmish at Wessel's Rust, 8 miles north-west of Bastard's Drift, an affair in which we captured eight prisoners, including Adjutants Brand and Joubert.

On the same day Colonel Thorneycroft, relieved by General Hart of the task of watching the line of the Orange River, had moved up to Rocklands with Colonel Minchin's Column, thereby setting free Lord Basing to fill the gap between Smithfield and the railway, and Colonel Sir H. Rawlinson had advanced from Aliwal to Beestekraal and Willemsfontein to enable General Hart to devote his entire attention to the line of the river east of Klaarwater Drift.

Colonel Thorneycroft, ascertaining that Kruitziuger had moved on the 17th from the Elandsberg to Tilly, 10 miles north-east of Vecht Kop, despatched Major Copeman's Column in that direction on the night of the 18th, and himself prepared to follow through Dorcum with Colonel Minchin's troops.

On the 22nd September a party of New Zealanders, under Major Tucker, belonging to Lieut.-Colonel Colvin's Column, was engaged on the Elandsberg with 150 Boers under Field-Cornets Hugo and Bothma, both of whom, with several other prisoners, were captured.

The effect of these operations was to press some of the enemy's bands toward the Thabanchu line, where their presence had not been taken into account by the Commandant of the section. On the 19th September, a small force, consisting of some 160 mounted men and two guns of "U" Battery, Royal Horse Artillery, which had been detached without any authority or sufficiently important object by the Officer Commanding at the Bloemfontein Waterworks, was surrounded and captured at Vlakfontein, 18 miles south-west of Sannah's Post, by a Boer commando under Commandants Coetzee and Ackermann.

On receipt of this news General Plumer was ordered to move north rapidly on Wepener, where he arrived on 26th September, and Colonel Rochfort, who had succeeded to the temporary command of Major-General Bruce Hamilton's force when the latter was transferred to Natal, was directed to push his columns across the railway line from the west with the object of hemming in the enemy against the Thabanchu line.

Daily skirmishes occurred with one or other of the columns, and at daybreak on the 29th, Colonel Lowry Cole surprised a Boer laager under Commandant Dreyer and Field-Cornet Van Vuuren, capturing both these leaders and other prisoners.

In conjunction with these operations General Plumer despatched 200 New Zealanders under Major Andrews from Wepener to hold Mokari Drift on the Caledon. This party reached the drift on the 27, just in time to anticipate some 300 to 400 Boers who were about to cross the river to the south-east. In some sharp fighting which followed, the enemy, who were driven

westward, left six dead and seven wounded on the field. The same evening General Plumer joined Major Andrews at Mokari, and the whole force then moved south by Commissie Bridge to Rouxville, without being further engaged. After two days' halt General Plumer received orders to march to the railway at Springfontein.

As previously mentioned Colonel Thorneycroft moved east from the Rouxville District on the 18th and 19th September, and passing through Cornna on the 20th, successfully attacked a Boer force at Vaunedikking's Vallei the same evening.

At the end of September Major Damant's column was withdrawn and brought by rail to Heilbron, to assist Colonel Wilson in covering the Heilbron-Frankfort line of blockhouses.

Colonel Sir Henry Rawlinson's troops were also withdrawn to Burgherdorp, and moved thence by rail to the Transvaal for operations near Heidelberg which have already been described.

To each of the columns now left on the east of the main line of railway an area was assigned with a centre from which to work. The columns thus placed are able to deal with any small bands coming within their reach, and three or four can easily combine against any more formidable gathering of the enemy. In this manner the whole district is being rapidly brought under control.

In the south-western portion of the Orange River Colony the situation has improved in a very marked degree. Only a few small scattered parties remain in this district and the work of systematic clearance has been so thoroughly carried out by the troops under Major-General Bruce Hamilton that as already shown it was found possible to withdraw, first the columns under Lieutenant-Colonels Byng and Dawkins to the Vredefort District, and then Major Damant's to Heilbron, whilst the remainder, now directed by Colonel Rochfort, were transferred to the more disturbed area on the east of the railway. Colonel Henry's column continues to operate in this district.

Cape Colony.

11 After passing the Orange River on the night of the 3rd September, Commandant Smuts moved into the Jamestown-Dordrecht district where he was engaged on the 12th of the month by Colonel Monro. On the same night Smuts eluded our pursuing columns, and, passing over the Sterkstroom-Indwe line of railway at Halseston Station, moved rapidly by Putter's Kraal in the direction of Tarkastad. He was followed south by Colonel Gorringer, Lieut.-Colonel Doran, and the 17th Lancers, whilst Colonel Scobell's column moved to Cradock to try to intercept him from the west.

On the 17th September, Smuts's Commando arrived at Modderfontein, 18 miles north-west of Tarkastad, where the Boers made a most determined attack upon a squadron of the 17th Lancers, under Major Sandeman, posted to close all egress to the south. The enemy being dressed in khaki were taken for our own troops, and got to close quarters with the advantage of ground before the mistake was discovered. Thus taken at a great disadvantage our men offered a most gallant resistance, and worthily maintained the traditions of their regiment. The losses of the squadron were very severe, 3 Officers and 20 men being killed, and 2 Officers and 30 men wounded. The Boers, who had evidently made the attack in order to elude the close pursuit to which they were subjected, also suffered heavily, before the approach of another squadron of the

17th Lancers compelled them to break off the engagement.

After this encounter Smuts rapidly continued his movement to the south for several days. The pursuit, however, was never relaxed, and the troops under Lieut.-Colonels Gorringe, Doran, and Scobbel responded cheerfully to the great exertions demanded of them. The enemy's route lay through Paling Kloof, Bankview (18 miles N.N.E. of Bedford) to Mount Prospect, and thence across the Mancazana at Koonap's Drift, along the Fish River to a point near Sheldon Station, where they crossed the Port Elizabeth line to the west on the night of the 27th September. Lieut.-Colonel Gorringe next engaged him at Oud Murazie in the Zuurberg Mountains, and here succeeded in dividing his force, driving one-half south towards Glen Connor, and the other west towards Darlington. The Boers subsequently re-united at Diep Drift, 10 miles south of Darlington, but again attacked on the 3rd October by Colonel Gorringe, were driven north, with a loss of three men killed and five wounded. Our columns in close contact still maintain the pursuit in this direction.

In the north-eastern portion of Cape Colony the operations against Myburg and Fouché, the latter of whom has recrossed the Orange River, have been continued by the columns under Colonel Mouro, Colonel Pilcher, and Lieut.-Colonel Western; Major-General Hart, with Lieut.-Colonel Hon. A. D. Murray's troops and the Connaught Rangers remaining in observation of the river line between Bethulie and Herschel.

On the 10th September an attack upon Ladygrey was easily driven off. On the 15th, Colonel Pilcher's columns were south and west of Jamestown, Lieut.-Colonel Western between Jamestown and Ladygrey, and Colonel Monro to the north of Dordrecht. Smuts with his column had already gone south, but about 400 Boers, most of whom had returned from the Transkei, remained scattered in small parties throughout the district.

Early on the 20th September a determined effort was made by Commandant Kruitinger near Quaggafontein, north of Herschel, to force a passage over the Orange River at a point covered by 80 men of Lovat's Scouts under Lieut.-Colonel Hon. A. D. Murray. The attempted crossing failed, but the loss sustained by our small force was very heavy, Lieut.-Colonel Murray, his Adjutant and 16 men being killed, and 1 Officer and 35 men wounded. I much deplore the death of Lieut.-Colonel Murray, an Officer of great promise, who has led Lovat's Scouts with gallantry and distinction throughout the campaign.

At the end of September, Colonels Monro and Pilcher were watching the passes over the Drakensberg, across which most of the enemy had again withdrawn into the Transkei, and Lieut.-Colonel Western was near Ladygrey. From these positions Colonel Pilcher and Lieut.-Colonel Western were recalled to the south-eastern portion of the Orange River Colony; Colonel Monro, supported by local troops, being in charge of this area.

In the southern sphere of operations, it will be remembered that early in September Commandant Scheepers had made several unsuccessful attempts to cross to the west of the Cape Town-De Aar line near Matjesfontein. On the evening of the 9th September, General Beatson, who was directing the operations in this district, hearing that a party of the enemy had outspanned at Driefontein about 12 miles east of Laingsburg, despatched Colonel Crabbe's column on a

night march from his camp at Waggon Drift. At daybreak of the 10th, Colonel Crabbe completely surprised the Boers under Commandant Van der Merwe. During the short resistance offered by the enemy, Commandant Van der Merwe and one of his followers were killed, and several burghers were wounded. 37 prisoners (including Field-Cornet Du Plessis), together with a good deal of ammunition and equipment, were captured. After this blow to his detachment, Scheepers turned east, and, passing to the south of Ladismith and Oudtshoorn, reached Klip Drift with the remainder of his commando on the 20th. From this point he took a northerly direction, closely pursued by the columns under Colonels Crabbe, Atherton, and Major Kavanagh.

After constant changes of direction, Scheepers narrowly escaped capture on the 5th October, at Adam's Kraal, 20 miles S.S.W. of Ladismith, where he was successfully attacked by Major Kavanagh.

On the 8th September, Commandant Theron was moving rapidly west from the direction of Willowmore, with the apparent intention of joining Scheepers. On approaching Heidelberg and Swellendam, however, he suddenly turned north-west and, making for the railway, crossed to the north of the line between Triangle and Touw's River Stations. After passing the railway, Theron was opposed by a force under Lieut.-Colonel Capper, who pursued him into the northern portion of the Ceres District. The troops under Lieut.-Colonels Alexander and Wyndham joined in the pursuit, and Theron was driven well away to the north-west, after which our columns moved back to the railway line to co-operate once more in the chase after Scheepers.

In the Philipstown and Hanover districts, small columns under Lieut.-Colonel Sprot and Major Lund have had frequent encounters with parties of Lategan's men, who reappeared once more to the south of the Orange River. Field-Cornet Louw, an influential rebel, and seven of his followers were captured by Major Lund on the 23rd September.

I must also make allusion to a very gallant stand made on the 17th September by nine men of the 3rd Bn. Grenadier Guards, under Lieutenant M. Gurdon-Rebow, who found themselves attacked by some 30 to 40 of the enemy near Cyferkuil, 10 miles north of Riet Siding. A summons to surrender was refused, and it was not until Lieutenant Gurdon-Rebow and one man had been killed and two others dangerously wounded, as the result of 3 hours' fighting, that the remaining men were overpowered and captured. The serjeant of the patrol was drowned in a gallant attempt to cross the Carolus River in search of help.

12. Throughout the period covered by this despatch, the movements of our columns have been somewhat impeded by the prevalence of rinderpest amongst the cattle. This first made its appearance on the Thabanchu line 3 months ago. For some time it was kept more or less under control, but in spite of every exertion the disease has now spread, and is likely to make itself felt in every district in turn. It is consequently necessary to inoculate all cattle, a process which throws them out of work for a fortnight or more, and considerably reduces the efficiency of the ox transport for at least a month. The bulk of our oxen have been, or are now being, subjected to this treatment, but some time must elapse before its effects on the whole transport will have completely passed off, and very considerable losses must occur meanwhile.

It is a matter of great consideration to note that, in spite of all the difficulties that have presented themselves, there has been no falling-off in the results which the mobile columns are able to show in return for their hard work during the month of September; 170 Boers have been killed in action, 114 have been wounded and are prisoners in our hands. We have taken 1,385 unwounded prisoners, and 393 burghers have surrendered. Our columns have captured in addition 798 rifles, 119,000 rounds small-arm ammunition, 770 wagons, 11,000 horses (most of which are practically useless), and 41,500 cattle.

It cannot be expected, even under the most favourable conditions, that in the presence of

ever-diminishing numbers opposing us in the field, these figures can be maintained, but I feel confident that so long as any resistance is continued no exertion will be spared either by Officers or men of this force to carry out the task they still have before them.

Recommendations for Good Service.

13. I beg to forward herewith the lists of Officers, non-commissioned officers and men whom I wish to bring to notice for good services during the past two months.

I have, &c.

KITCHENER, General.
Commanding-in-Chief, South Africa.

LIST OF OFFICERS who have been mentioned in connection with Despatches.

Corps, rank and name.	Cause of mention.	Remarks.
KING'S OWN SCOTTISH BORDERERS. Major and Brevet Lieut.-Colonel G. N. Mayne.	For his capture of Commandant Wolmaarans and 30 armed Boers near Dámhoek, on 10th August, 1901.	
2ND BN. GORDON HIGHLANDERS. Lieutenant J. L. G. Burnett	For his coolness and resource on occasion of train being derailed and attacked on Pietersburg line on 10th August, 1901.	
7TH NEW ZEALAND REGIMENT. Captain C. Simpson	Greatly distinguished themselves in night capture of Spannerberg's laager near Honingspruit, on 16th August, 1901.	
NEW SOUTH WALES BUSHMEN. Lieutenant Quintal..		
RIMINGTON'S GUIDES. Major J. H. Damant ..	For very able command of a column in south of Orange River Colony, a most gallant and exceptionally good Officer.	Awarded D.S.O. Authority War Office telegram, No 9206, dated 10th September, 1901.
74TH IMPERIAL YEOMANRY. Captain J. F. Plumby ..	For able manner in which he extricated a convoy from a difficult situation near Griquatown, Cape Colony, on 24th August, 1901.	
DIAMOND FIELDS ARTILLERY. Lieutenant A. Kidd ..	For excellent work on same occasion.	
74TH IMPERIAL YEOMANRY. Lieutenant E. B. Despard ..		
9TH LANCERS. *Captain Lord D. J. C. Compton .. Lieutenant R. V. Wynn .. 2nd Lieutenant G. M. Neilson ..	For marked gallantry in capture of Lotter's commando near Petersburg, Cape Colony, on 5th September, 1901.	*Brevet Majority, War Office telegram, No. 9599, dated 9th October, 1901.
CAPE MOUNTED RIFLES. †Captain J. F. Purcell .. Lieutenant D. A. H. Bowers		†Awarded D.S.O. Authority as above.
18TH HUSSARS. Lieutenant J. W. Lichtenberg.	For conspicuous gallantry on Oliphants river on 30th July, 1901, in pursuit of Viljoen's convoy in face of very superior numbers of enemy. Though dangerously wounded, by his courage and example enabled his small party to hold out for 2 hours against repeated attacks, and thereby secured the capture of a large portion of the convoy.	Ditto.

Corps, rank and name.	Cause of mention.	Remarks.
1ST BN. DERBYSHIRE REGIMENT.		
2nd Lieutenant H. M. Milward.	For good example and bravery in close fighting round the guns of the 28th Battery at Vlaktefontein, on 29th May, 1901.	
10TH IMPERIAL YEOMANRY.		
Captain A. E. Johnson ..	For conspicuous gallantry and skill in the handling of his men in attack on enemy's convoy at Middelbult, on 22nd August, 1901.	
DERBYSHIRE REGIMENT.		
Captain P. F. R. Anley ..	For good service in the Magaliesberg in September, 1901.	
1ST BN. WORCESTERSHIRE REGIMENT.		
Lieutenant C. T. F. Dillon (dangerously wounded).	For consistent good work with Mounted Infantry, especially in seizing a kraal in front of enemy on 10th August, 1901.	
1ST IMPERIAL YEOMANRY.		
Captain H. B. Burnaby ..	For gallantry in Foriesburg District on 16th August, 1901.	
6TH NEW ZEALAND MOUNTED RIFLES.		
Lieutenant P. L. Tudor ..	With only 12 men crossed the Caledon river on 16th September, 1901, and kept touch with 200 Boers for three days, and displayed great gallantry on 27th September, in holding a position for 8 hours against 50 Boers.	
5TH QUEENSLAND IMPERIAL BUSHMEN.		
Lieutenant L. J. Caskey (killed).	For great gallantry on same occasion.	
32ND COMPANY, IMPERIAL YEOMANRY.		
Lieutenant S. G. Sheppard ..	On 18th September, headed a party which swam to some islands in the Vaal river held by armed Boers and took them prisoners. On 19th September, rescued a man from drowning at great personal risk.	
5TH NEW ZEALAND MOUNTED RIFLES.		
Major A. W. Andrews (Captain, Indian Staff Corps).	In command during action at Mokari Drift, Caledon river on 27th September, and handled his troops very well.	
3RD BN. ESSEX REGIMENT (21ST MOUNTED INFANTRY).		
Captain B. R. A. D. Stoddart MacLellan.	In action at Zwartruggen on 7th September, 1901, leaving the remainder to hold enemy in front, led eight men up a donga to within 200 yards of position, charged it and captured six men and horses.	
2ND BN. ROYAL IRISH RIFLES.		
Captain and Adjutant D. Wilmot Sitwell	For his consistent good work in night operations with Mounted Infantry, especially in his capture of Steyn's laager on 12th September, 1901.	Brevet Majority, War Office telegram, No. 9599, dated 9th October, 1901.

Corps, rank and name.	Cause of mention.	Remarks.
CAMERON HIGHLANDERS.		
Lieutenant A. H. Mackintosh.	For good and gallant leading of a small party of Mounted Infantry in surprise of very superior force of enemy at Vooruitzicht, Orange River Colony, on 10th September, 1901.	
3RD BN. LANCASHIRE FUSILIERS.		
2nd Lieutenant G. B. G. Wood.		
SCOTTISH HORSE.		
Captain P. N. Field	For the work done by them in clearing kloofs of Magaliesberg in September. Lieutenant Jardine also for gallantry in action at Moedwill.	
Captain Ian Mackenzie		
Lieutenant W. Jardine.		
2ND DRAGOON GUARDS, ATTACHED WELSH IMPERIAL YEOMANRY.		
Captain P. M. Sykes	For fine example in firing 50 rounds himself at close range after being wounded during action at Rhenosterfontein, September, 1901.	
BECHUANALAND RIFLES.		
Captain B. W. Cowan	For gallantry in same action.	
5TH IMPERIAL YEOMANRY.		
Lieutenant H. de L. H. Harrop (now 2nd Lieutenant, 5th Lancers).		
Lieutenant G. McB. Skirving (killed).		
BEDFORD MOUNTED INFANTRY.		
Lieutenant G. C. Sladen (now 2nd Lieutenant, Rifle Brigade).		
ROYAL IRISH FUSILIERS.		
Captain C. Dick (since died of wounds).	For consistent gallantry and good leading, especially in action in Kroonstad District on 28th August, 1901.	
KING'S ROYAL RIFLE CORPS.		
Captain S. F. Mott.	For plucky, determined and successful pursuit of Olivier's convoy on 3rd August, 1901, with an inferior force, and for quickness and initiative on 23rd August, when it was chiefly due to them that enemy was prevented from escaping.	
Captain A. R. Mildmay (since killed).		
2ND BN. ROYAL IRISH FUSILIERS.		
Lieutenant M. J. Furnell	For charging on 10th August, a farm occupied by enemy and capturing four Bcers in it.	
JOHANNESBURG MOUNTED RIFLES.		
Lieutenant Nicoll	For dash and judgment in attack on position at Waterval on 10th September, 1901.	
Lieutenant C. Wells		
10TH IMPERIAL YEOMANRY.		
Lieutenant J. Latham	For gallant leading on enemy's trenches at Devondale, 15th September, 1901.	

Corps, rank and name.	Cause of mention.	Remarks.
11TH IMPERIAL YEOMANRY Lieutenant E. Clementi-Smith (since died of wounds).	On 11th September, 1901, in Harrismith District, advanced alone to occupy a position Boers were making for, and though wounded through right shoulder continued to fire from left, keeping enemy off till he was reinforced.	Awarded D.S.O., by War Office telegram, No. 9599, dated 9th October, 1901.
DORSETSHIRE REGIMENT. Captain (now Brevet Major) C. A. Rowley	For defence of Fort Prospect, Zululand, 26th September, 1901.	Awarded D.S.O., by War Office telegram, No. 9599, dated 9th October, 1901.
DURHAM ARTILLERY. Lieutenant R. G. M. Johnson.	In same action for good defence of a sangar where brunt of attack fell.	
ROYAL DUBLIN FUSILIERS. Captain A. J. Chapman ..	For his defence of Fort Itala, Zululand, on 26th September, 1901.	Noted for Brevet Lieut.-Colonelcy on promotion, War Office telegram, No. 9599, dated 9th October, 1901. Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, <i>London Gazette</i> , 25th October, 1901.
Lieutenant B. P. Lefroy ..	For gallantry in same action	Awarded D.S.O., by War Office telegram, No. 9599, dated 9th October, 1901.
ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS. Major T. G. Lavie.. ..	Wounded early in attack on Colonel Kekewich's camp at Moedwill on 30th September, but continued at their duties many hours.	
CIVIL SURGEON. W. S. Kidd.. ..		
DERBYSHIRE REGIMENT. 2nd Lieutenant G. E. Mills (killed).	In same action for his example and disregard of danger.	
7TH IMPERIAL YEOMANRY. Lieutenant R. Persse ..	In same action, though wounded in three places, held his post and continued to fight.	
SCOTTISH HORSE. Captain R. H. Dick Cunningham (Lieutenant, 21st Lancers). Lieutenant J. H. Symonds.. Lieutenant A. Rattray .. Lieutenant N. C. G. Cameron .. (wounded). Lieutenant W. Loring .. Captain P. M. Rattray .. Lieutenant J. Stuart-Wortley (wounded)	For gallantry at Moedwill on 30th September, 1901.	
ROYAL FIELD ARTILLERY. Captain G. Laird (killed) .. Captain E. L. Wheeler .. Lieutenant G. T. Du Val (wounded).		

Corps, rank and name.	Cause of mention.	Remarks.
6TH NEW ZEALAND MOUNTED RIFLES. Captain J. Findlay (The Buffs, East Kent Regiment, Mounted Infantry). Captain L. C. E. Knight ..	} For excellent service in command of detached troops in Orange River Colony, September, 1901.	
INDIAN STAFF CORPS. Lieut.-Colonel C. F. Minchin, D.S.O.	For ability and good judgment in directing attack on Wessels's Commando, which had superior force, at Florence, Orange River Colony, in September, 1901.	
THORNEYCROFT'S MOUNTED INFANTRY. Captain R. T. Barrett (killed). Captain T. Thompson, D.S.O.	} For conspicuous gallantry on same occasion, in charging a donga from which enemy was firing heavily.	
6TH (LNNISKILLING) DRAGOONS. Lieutenant R. B. Johnson	} For gallant and dashing conduct on Vaal river on 23rd September, 1901, in killing two Boers, wounding one and capturing 15 before they could get to cover.	
3RD NEW SOUTH WALES MOUNTED RIFLES. Lieutenant W. Moffitt ..		
1ST BN. HIGHLAND LIGHT INFANTRY. Lieutenant A. J. Marten (2nd Bn. Northamptonshire Regiment). Major C. S. Prichard ..	For consistent good work with armoured trains.	

LIST of Non-commissioned Officers and men who have been mentioned in connection with Despatches.

Regimental No.	Corps, rank and name.	Cause of mention.	Remarks.
	ROYAL SCOTS FUSILIERS.		
2505	Private W. Galon	On 27th August, 1901, near Alkmaar, part of garrison of a blockhouse consisting of seven men in vicinity of train derailed and attacked by enemy, volunteered to go out and defend the train, which they did, and kept enemy off till support arrived.	Promoted corporals by Commander-in-Chief.
3626	Private R. Knowles		
	7TH NEW ZEALAND REGIMENT.		
4121	Serjeant-Major E. B. Lockett.	For most gallant rescue of a prisoner in the Losberg on 23rd August, 1901. He was severely wounded, and has lost an arm in consequence.	Awarded D. C. medal. War Office telegram, No. 9599, dated 9th October, 1901.
	3RD BN. ROYAL WARWICKSHIRE REGT.		
6307	Private J. Millidge ..	For capture of two Boer scouts, single-handed, on 20th August, and for previous good service.	Promoted corporal by Commander-in-Chief.

Regimental No.	Corps, rank and name.	Cause of mention.	Remarks.
	CIVILIAN ENGINE DRIVER.		
..	J. H. C. Dale ..	For great gallantry when train was derailed and attacked near Alkmaar, whereby he saved the engine and warned the nearest post.	
	18TH HUSSARS.		
4784	*Serjeant G. Stevenson ..	For marked gallantry in action on Oliphant's River on 30th July, 1901, when their troop was attacked by very superior numbers.	*Awarded D. C. medal as above. †Promoted serjeants by Commander-in-Chief. †Promoted corporals by Commander-in-Chief.
4578	†Corporal C. Veesey ..		
4616	†Staff-Serjt. E. Moore ..		
4409	†Private T. Wardley ..		
	2ND IMPERIAL LIGHT HORSE.		
345	†Corporal R. Waldeck ..		
	18TH HUSSARS.		
..	Serjeant-Major Baldry ..	On same occasion stayed with Captain Leveson when severely wounded, and drove off 20 Boers who attempted to take them, killing 2 and wounding 3.	*Promoted corporal by Commander-in-Chief.
..	*Private Jones ..		
	1ST BN. DERBYSHIRE REGIMENT.		
4778	Private C. Maddison .. (killed)	For great gallantry and good example at Vlakfontein on 29th May, 1901.	
	9TH LANCERS.		
	*Serjeant Cook ..	For conspicuous gallantry in the capture of Lotter's Commando near Petersburg, Cape Colony, on 5th September, 1901.	*Awarded D.C. medal. War Office telegram, No. 9599, dated 9th October, 1901. †Promoted corporals by Commander-in-Chief. †Promoted serjeant by Commander-in-Chief.
	†Private Willcox ..		
	†Corporal Pearson ..		
	*Serjeant Beckett ..		
	Serjeant Mason ..		
	†Private Capon ..		
	CAPE MOUNTED RIFLES.		
	*Private Haines..		
	CAPE POLICE.		
	Serjt.-Major A. Young ..	For most distinguished bravery at Ruiter's Kraal, Cape Colony, on 13th August, 1901, in galloping alone ahead of his men into 20 Boers who were falling back on to another position held by others, and shooting one commandant and capturing the other, Erasmus.	Forwarded to War Office with recommendation for V.C., 12th September, 1901. (Awarded, <i>London Gazette</i> , 8th November, 1901.)
	KING'S OWN SCOTTISH BORDERERS (VOLUNTEER COMPANY).		
6815	Colr.-Serjt. R. Grierson ..	Conspicuous in the company which captured Commandant Wolmarans and 30 Boers in a kloof near Damhoek on 10th August, 1901.	*Promoted corporals by Commander-in-Chief.
7328	*Lance-Cpl. J. McMillan ..		
7330	*Private R. Dixon ..		
	2ND BN. GORDON HIGHLANDERS (VOLUNTEER COMPANY).		
8293	Serjeant W. Steven ..	For gallantry during the attack on derailed train on Pietersburg line on 10th August, 1901.	
	2ND BN. GORDON HIGHLANDERS.		
4612	Private E. L. Sills ..		

Regimental No.	Corps, rank and name.	Cause of mention.	Remarks.
5930	3RD BN. WARWICK-SHIRE REGIMENT (MOUNTED INFANTRY). *Lance-Cpl. Scattergood	Behaved most gallantly at Vooruitzicht, Orange River Colony, on 10th September, 1901, in covering 2 wounded Officers remaining alone to protect them, and although himself wounded, succeeded in keeping enemy off.	Promoted corporal by Commander-in-Chief. *Awarded D.C. medal. Authority as above.
..	SCOTTISH HORSE. *Trooper Richardson	For especially good service in the dangerous and difficult work of searching kloofs in the Magaliesberg, 5th September, 1901.	*Promoted corporal by Commander-in-Chief.
..	Serjeant Mainwaring		
1111	DIAMOND FIELDS HORSE. Trooper J. Evans ..	On 12th February, 1901, a cattle-guard of 4 men being surprised by enemy, he kept enemy off single-handed, sending the other man for assistance, and saved the whole herd and killed 2 Boers.	Awarded D.C. medal. War Office telegram, No. 9599, dated 9th October, 1901.
33915	89TH WELSH IMPERIAL YEOMANRY. Trooper J. Norris ..	For gallantry in action at Rhenosterfontein, Western Transvaal, 5th September, 1901.	Promoted corporals by Commander-in-Chief.
33919	Trooper J. Eaton ..		
34614	Bugler Pritchard ..		
7881	ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS. Staff-Serjeant E. Fells..	On same occasion, for gallantry in looking for and attending to wounded under heavy fire.	
9996	5TH IMPERIAL YEOMANRY. Serjeant-Major H. Huggins.	On same occasion, for gallant way in which he worked the Maxim gun though himself wounded.	Awarded D.C. medal. War Office telegram, No. 9599, dated 9th October, 1901.
..	BECHUANALAND RIFLES. Serjeant-Major Watts	For gallantry on same occasion.	
..	Serjeant Shipman ..		
32593	5TH IMPERIAL YEOMANRY. Trooper Grant ..	Ditto	Promoted corporals by Commander-in-Chief.
..	BECHUANALAND RIFLES. Trooper Austin..		
..	Lance-Corporal Sutherland.		
		In same action, for retaining two prisoners when 30 Boers opened fire on him, and he was alone and his horse killed.	Ditto.

Regi- mental No.	Corps, rank and name.	Cause of mention.	Remarks.
	1ST BN. DURHAM LIGHT INFANTRY (MOUNTED INFANTRY).		
4182	Lance - Corporal II. Hawkins.	For initiative and courage on 5th September, 1901, in proceeding alone to hold four Boers who, he thought would outflank his party. At the time he was $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles from any support. He wounded one man, and drove others off.	Promoted corporal by Commander-in-Chief, and awarded D.C. medal. War Office telegram, No. 9599, dated 9th October, 1901.
	3RD BN. KING'S ROYAL RIFLE CORPS.		
6585	Private J. Brion ..	At Gaskraal, Orange River Colony, on 28th August, 1901, his patrol of six men being surprised by some 50 Boers, the corporal, two men, and all the horses being killed, took over command, refused to surrender, shooting two Boers who attempted to take him, and held out till relieved.	Ditto.
	19TH HUSSARS.		
4606	Private J. Baldwin ..	One of the party which, on 29th July, 1901, pursued a strong force of enemy, charged him, and captured his pompom.	Promoted corporal by Commander-in-Chief.
3906	Lance-Corporal G. Mash	At Slagboom, on 16th August, 1901, for gallantry in helping Serjeant Ward to remove the Colt gun under heavy fire from bush on both sides of the road.	Ditto.
3584	Serjeant C. Ward ..	On 16th August, 1901, the Colt gun being very hotly pressed by the enemy, concealed in bush on both sides of the road, he, with the help of Lance-Corporal Mash, dismounted it and carried it off on his horse.	Awarded D.C. medal. War Office telegram, No. 9599, dated 9th October, 1901.
3007	Squadron Quarter- Master-Serjeant II. Whiting.	Assisted the other two in above action.	
	2ND BN. GLOUCESTER- SHIRE REGIMENT (MOUNTED INFANTRY).		
5840	Private C. Wakefield ..	On 31st July, 1901, was one of 10 men pursuing the enemy's convoy, and, when the remainder had been dismounted by the Officer's orders to open fire on it, Private Wakefield, on his own initiative, galloped alone to the head of the convoy and stopped it. Had he not done so, some of the carts would probably have escaped in the dark.	Promoted corporal by Commander-in-Chief, and awarded D.C. medal. War Office telegram, No. 9599, dated 9th October, 1901.
	1ST BN. ROYAL SCOTS (10TH MOUNTED INFANTRY).		
4108	Acting Serjeant-Major McGregor.	At Retief's Nek, Orange River Colony, on 3rd September, 1901, carried despatches through the enemy though under fire for considerable distance.	

Regimental No.	Corps, rank and name.	Cause of mention.	Remarks.
	2ND BN. ROYAL DUBLIN FUSILIERS.		
6491	Lance - Corporal T. O'Connor (killed).	For great and conspicuous gallantry when very closely pressed by the enemy at Gaskraal on 28th August, 1901.	
	CIVILIAN.		
..	Engine - Driver R. M. Growden.	For his presence of mind at Boschrand, when his engine was derailed and upset by the enemy; he remained on it till he had opened all the safety valves, thereby saving the explosion of the boiler. He was severely scalded in doing this.	
	MENNE'S SCOTS.		
..	Trooper Peterkin	At Platrand on 13th September, Trooper Glasborow went back to assist a dismounted comrade and was mortally wounded. Peterkin then returned under heavy fire and attended to him.	
..	Trooper Glasborow (killed.)		
	5TH IMPERIAL YEOMANRY.		
29499	Trooper W. Brown (killed).	Killed in action at Rhenosterfontein on 5th September, 1901, whilst taking water to a wounded man, though himself wounded.	
	13TH HUSSARS.		
3592	Private R. Tanner (since dead).	Mortally wounded near Klerksdorp on 6th September, 1901, in trying to carry a wounded man under cover.	
	1ST BN. RIFLE BRIGADE.		
5262	Corporal W. Lawrence	At Vaalbank, Orange River Colony, on 31st July, 1901, for returning under heavy fire to assistance of a dismounted man and saving him from capture.	
	KING'S ROYAL RIFLES.		
9405	Rifleman G. Austin		
	22ND MOUNTED INFANTRY.		
5719	Private F. E. L. Syrett	For rescue of dismounted men under fire in Orange River Colony in June and July, 1901.	
2800	Serjeant H. McLean (2nd Bn. Royal Scots Fusiliers).		
	24TH IMPERIAL YEOMANRY.		
31116	Trooper J. Millerson	At Aaronslaagte, Orange River Colony, on 26th August, 1901, shot through thigh and horse killed by ambushed Boers, called on to surrender, refused and continued firing till relieved.	Promoted corporal by Commander-in-Chief.
	CONNAUGHT RANGERS		
3976	Lance-Corporal Durkin	For gallantry in action with Lotter on 14th July, 1901, at Zuurvlaagte, Cape Colony.	Promoted corporals by Commander-in-Chief.
6880	Private McDonald		
3274	Private Neale		

Regimental No.	Corps rank and name.	Cause of mention.	Remarks.
1ST BN. DERBYSHIRE REGIMENT.			
5138	*Lance-Serjeant Bailey..	Chiefly instrumental in the 50 captures made by their company in a week's work in the Magaliesberg. Sanderson held up 24 men practically single-handed.	* Promoted serjeants by Commander-in-Chief.
5053	*Lance-Serjeant Coxon..		
3048	†Private Boyle ..		
4686	†Private Sanderson ..		
DURHAM ARTILLERY.			
1332	*Bombardier J. Marsden		
..	Serjeant F. Doyle ..		
2913	*Bombardier G. Gilligan		
DORSETSHIRE MOUNTED INFANTRY.			
2196	Co. Serjt.-Major W. Young.	For gallantry and good service in defence of Fort Prospect, 26th September, 1901.	* Promoted corporals by Commander-in-Chief.
3122	*Private J. Bowring ..		
4991	*Corporal H. Witney ..		
5770	*Corporal Kerrius ..		
ZULULAND POLICE.			
7	Serjeant Gumbi ..		

ACTION AT MOEDWILL, 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1901.

DERBYSHIRE REGIMENT.			
5422	Serjeant C. Chambers	Were survivors of No. 4 Section, though surrounded; refused to surrender; and fought on till only 1 man was left unwounded; out of 13 men 5 were killed, 7 wounded, 4 of whom have since died.	Promoted corporals by Commander-in-Chief.
3257	Lance - Corporal R. Dixon.		
3978	Private J. Caneny		
6240	Private E. Picard		
5097	Private F. Bancroft ..	In same action, rushed out from cover in broad daylight and bayoneted a Boer who was firing at his section.	Promoted corporal by Commander-in-Chief.
2753	Private W. Bees ..	One of Maxim detachment, which had 6 men out of 9 hit, hearing wounded calling for water, went 500 yards ahead of his gun and filled a kettle and returned, passing on his way within 100 yards of some rocks held by enemy, from which they were firing heavily.	
4261	Private J. Brierley ..	The Maxim gun wanting water, fetched some under very heavy fire from 60 yards range.	Promoted corporal by Commander-in-Chief.
48TH SOMERSET IMPERIAL YEOMANRY.			
	Serjeant-Major T. Jordan.	Led his troop to repulse attack, and, though twice wounded, continued to lead and repulse attack in most gallant manner.	
SCOTTISH HORSE.			
755	Farrier-Serjeant Kirkpatrick.	Conspicuous by his leading and rallying the men.	
	Trooper G. Webster ..	Advanced with 3 comrades, and when all were wounded continued alone, called on to surrender, refused, and continued to fight till reinforced, when he advanced again.	Promoted corporal by Commander-in-Chief.
	Serjeant C. E. P'Anson	For continuing to serve out and carry up ammunition, though himself wounded.	

Regimental No.	Corps, rank and name.	Cause of mention.	Remarks.
7279	ROYAL HORSE ARTILLERY (POMPOM). Serjeant J. W. Naylor..	Though badly wounded in leg, continued to work his gun under very heavy fire.	
71366	ROYAL FIELD ARTILLERY, 28TH BATTERY. Gunner H. Wooding ..	For lifting two shells from a portable magazine in which the cartridges were burning furiously.	Promoted corporal by Commander-in-Chief.
1136	2ND BN. GRENADIER GUARDS. Corporal W. Harbron ..	On 26th July, 1901, for gallantry in proceeding under heavy fire to assist severely wounded man and carrying him under cover.	
6784	Private Kerry	For coolness and presence of mind under fire on 22nd August, 1901.	
1644 5382 2829	1ST BN. LEINSTER REGIMENT. Private T. Sullivan Private F. Furlong Private P. Keogh	For defence of a detached post attacked on three sides. Refused to surrender and eventually beat enemy off.	Promoted corporals by Commander-in-Chief.
4532 5167	1ST BN. WORCESTERSHIRE REGIMENT. Private W. Spencer Private C. Shackelford	On 10th August, 1901, went under heavy fire to assistance of Lieutenant Dillon dangerously wounded, and covered his retreat.	
3293	2ND BN. MANCHESTER REGIMENT. Private Archibald ..	At Tyger Kloof, Orange River Colony, on 29th September, 1901, volunteered to look for three missing men and did so successfully under fire of 40 Boers.	Promoted corporal by Commander-in-Chief.
..	62ND IMPERIAL YEOMANRY. Trooper J. C. Sales ..	On 2nd October, his horse shot and leg badly injured, when called on at close range to surrender, refused, and eventually got away with his arms.	Promoted corporal by Commander-in-Chief.
.. 25020	11TH IMPERIAL YEOMANRY. Trooper J. Bishop Trooper C. Clinging	For proceeding under heavy fire to assist Lieutenant Clementi-Smith to hold his position. 11th September, 1901.	Promoted corporals by Commander-in-Chief.
3341	6TH NEW ZEALAND MOUNTED RIFLES. Private J. E. Baigent ..	One of a party which volunteered to carry despatches; ambushed and fired on at very close range and the corporal's horse being shot, waited under heavy fire for him and brought him away safely. Bastard's Drift, Orange River Colony, 27th September, 1901.	

Regi- mental No.	Corps, rank and name.	Cause of mention.	Remarks.
	5TH QUEENSLAND IMPERIAL BUSHMEN.		
202	Private G. H. White (killed).	For gallantry in action at Mokari Drift, Caledon River, 27th September, 1901.	
	THORNEYCROFT'S MOUNTED INFANTRY.		
7465	Serjeant H. P. Wheat- ley.	For marked gallantry in action at Forence, Orange River Colony, Sep- tember, 1901.	*Promoted serjeant by Commander-in- Chief. †Promoted corporals by Commander-in- Chief.
741	†Private A. H. Horwood.		
207	*Corporal L. Alderson ..		
699	†Private R. J. Dowling..		
7562	Serjeant T. P. Jones ..		
	2ND BN. WILTSHIRE REGIMENT.		
1941	Serjeant W. Kennel ..	For consistent good work with armoured trains.	
..	1ST BN. SCOTS GUARDS.		
..	Corporal A. C. E. Darke. Civilian engine driver Lovelace.		
	2ND BN. ROYAL DUBLIN FUSILIERS.		
4701	Private T. Kelly ..	A rear guard retiring and a man dis- mounted within 400 yards of enemy, Kelly returned for him and brought him away.	
	5TH IMPERIAL YEOMANRY.		
..	Trooper J. W. Appelby.	For gallantry in action at Devondale Western Transvaal, 16th September, 1901.	
..	Trooper Brodie..		
..	Serjeant Hankins ..		
..	Intelligence Scout Mr. P. J. Reid.		
34373	Serjeant A. E. Savage ..		
	MIDLAND MOUNTED RIFLES.		
33829	Lance - Corporal R. McKnight.	For good work in capturing 16 armed Boers on 24th September, 1901.	
30654	Private H. E. Spiers ..		

From Lord Kitchener to the Secretary of State
for War, War Office.

Pretoria,

Sir, 18th October, 1901.

In connection with my despatch, dated 8th October, 1901, I beg to forward herewith reports describing the defence of Itala and Fort Prospect on the 26th, and the repulse of the attack upon Colonel Kekewich's camp at Moedwill, on the 30th September, 1901.

I have, &c.,

KITCHENER, General,
Commanding-in-Chief, South Africa.

Report on the Action at Itala Mount, Zululand,
on the 26th September, 1901.

Forces.

1. Our force—
 - 2 guns, Royal Field Artillery, 69th Battery.
 - 3 companies, 5th Division, Mounted Infantry Battalion (300 rifles).
 - 1 Maxim.

Boer Forces.—Strength, 1,800 to 2,000, under the command of Commandant-General Louis Botha, Generals C. Botha, Opperman, and Emmett, Commandants Scholtz, H. J. Potgeiter, Danhausser and others.

Intelligence.

2. Information came in on the afternoon of the 25th that two large commandos had reinforced Danhausser, and that their intention was to attack my camp that night. About 8 p.m. further reports came in that a large force had left Babanango by the west road, and was marching on the Itala. Another large force was moving to cross at White's Drift, east of Babanango.

Disposition of our Forces.

3. Ours.—The garrison at once proceeded to take up their positions. I sent 80 Mounted Infantry, under Lieutenant Lefroy, 1st Bn. Royal Dublin Fusiliers, and Lieutenant Kane, 1st Bn. South Lancashire Regiment, to occupy the highest point of the Itala, about 1 mile from the camp.

Disposition of Boer Forces.

Boers.—About 800 men, under General C. Botha and Commandant Scholtz, attacked the Itala from the west; General Opperman, with about 500, attacked the camp from the south-east; Commandant Potgeiter, with 600, attacked camp from the north. A strong detached force of 200 men was sent along road to M'Kandhla to hold the ridge where the Mel-mouth and M'Kandhla roads cross; at the same time a force of about 500, under Commandant Grobelaar, proceeded to Prospect Post 15 miles east of Itala, and attacked it at 6 a.m. on the 26th inst.

Small parties of Boers searched all the surrounding country for stock.

The Action.

4. At 12 midnight, 25th and 26th, rapid fire was heard from the advance post on the top of the Itala, and continued for about 15 minutes, when it suddenly ceased for half hour. It then recommenced and continued for half hour, when all firing from the top ceased. A verbal report was received about 2 a.m. from this post that they had been surrounded by about 500, who rushed it, and that all were either killed or taken prisoners. This was true to a great degree, but many men refused to surrender, escaped down the south side of the mountain and fought it out the whole day, doing considerable execution from the number of dead Boers found on that side.

The action was now general all round the camp, the fire terrific, and continued without cessation till 4 a.m., the Boers during this phase charged close up to the trenches, many dead were picked up 2 and 3 yards from them; at 4 a.m. the fire suddenly ceased. At dawn, 6 a.m., thinking the Boers had cleared, the native scouts were ordered out to clear up the situation, and Lieutenant Fielding, Royal Army Medical Corps, proceeded up the hill to look for wounded, suddenly the fire broke out with increased energy and continued from that time till 7.30 p.m. (19 hours). Lieutenant Fielding could not return and was detained by the Boers. The whole area of the camp was swept by bullets from every direction, and our casualties became heavy, during the action the men were practically without food or water, and it became evident that it was a question of ammunition which would decide the day, officers and men had been ordered to regulate their fire by the Boers, and not to waste. When the action ceased there only remained about 100 rounds per man, all reserve was expended. The night was very bright, there being nearly a full moon, and the guns came into action during the first phase, making excellent practice on the kopjes 1,100 yards north and ridge 3,400 yards north, materially helped to keep down the fire. At dawn when the attack recommenced they continued to fire for half-hour, when they became the target for every rifle, so I ordered them to cease and the men to take cover. The fire from the guns and Maxim killed and wounded a great number; Kaffirs reported Boers commandeered them to carry away dead and wounded, and this they were doing all that night and next day. The officer in command of the guns, Lieutenant Herbert, Royal Field Artillery, and four men were severely wounded.

Reasons for my Decision to Evacuate Itala.

5. When the firing ceased at 7.30 p.m., I waited an hour, and then sent native scouts to reconnoitre, they reported that all Boers had cleared; from personal observation at dusk large bodies of the enemy were observed retiring across the border, all going north and north-east. I decided that owing to my heavy casualties in men and horses, the exhausted condition of the force, and want of ammunition, to retire to M'Kandhla. No information of assistance was received until 4.30 p.m. the 27th instant at M'Kandhla. The 10-mule wagons were loaded with as much as they could carry, and the force moved off at 12 midnight, arriving at M'Kandhla 4 a.m. unmolested. There were left at Itala Lieutenant Hyslop and 20 men unarmed, also Chief Veterinary-Surgeon Probyn to look after wounded, collect and bury dead. Sufficient tents to form a field hospital were also left. Lieutenant Fielding, Royal Army Medical Corps, was released, and came into camp shortly after the column had marched off.

General Remarks.

6. The Boers shot harmless natives, stripped and robbed the dead and wounded. They used explosive bullets, and some of the dangerous wounds are due to them.

No helio communication could be attempted, and native scouts could not get through.

The native scouts employed by me under Guide Collins, Intelligence Guide, brought in early, ample, and accurate information. During my stay in Zululand they have been constantly in the Boer laagers, and it is to their being able to so quickly transmit information that we were quite prepared when the attack began. I should

be gratified if favourable notice could be taken of their services.

The Commandant-General, L. Botha, directed the action from the top of Babanango by helio and mounted orderlies. Two messages, picked up on the Itala, are attached.

Casualties.

7. Ours.—Killed: officers, 1; men, 21; mules, 4. Wounded: officers, 5; men, 54; horses, 222. Missing: officers, nil; men, nil.

Boers.—Reliable eye-witnesses say 128 dead; wounded, 270 about.

Amongst their killed are Commandants Scholtz, H. J. Potgieter, and the latter was killed by revolver shot from Lieutenant Lefroy, 1st Bn. Royal Dublin Fusiliers.

Ammunition Expended by our Force.

8. Guns—63 shrapnel. Lee-Metford—70,040 rounds.

A. J. CHAPMAN, Major,
Royal Dublin Fusiliers,
Officer Commanding Troops.

M'Kandhla,

30th September, 1901.

Lieutenant Fielding, Royal Army Medical Corps, reports that nothing could exceed the kindness and courtesy of General Chris Botha to the wounded, it was only his presence and influence which restrained his burghers from robbing the wounded, and on several occasions he struck burghers for trying to do so.

A. J. CHAPMAN, Major,
Officer Commanding Troops.

30th September, 1901.

Report on the Defence of Fort Prospect, Zululand, 26th September, 1901.

I have the honour to forward the following report of the action at Fort Prospect, 26th September, 1901:—

About 2 a.m. on the morning of the 26th, it was reported to me that firing could be heard at Itala; at 2.30 a.m. a rocket went up. I at once reinforced the trenches and made ready for an attack. About 4.15 a.m. a Kaffir came in and warned me that the Boers were coming to attack the post in hundreds. By this time I had provisions, water, and extra ammunition placed in all the trenches. At 4.30 a.m., under cover of a mist in the donga, the Boers made a very severe attack on the north and west of my position, the brunt of the attack fell on two sangars held by the Durham Company of Artillery; the Boers broke through the wire and got to within 20 yards of these sangars, but they both gallantly held their own and I, with the aid of the Maxim, was able to repulse this attack. By 6.30 a.m. the Boers drew off from this flank. They then commenced a very severe attack on the rear of my post, but by 10 a.m. it was repulsed. About this time a party of Zululand Native Police, gallantly led by Serjeant Gumbi, broke through and reinforced me; he brought with him 13 men and had marched 4 miles from his own post to reinforce me.

The Boers now had completely surrounded the camp, but contented themselves by keeping up a heavy fire chiefly directed on the Maxim Fort. This fire was kept up all day, gradually lessening towards evening, when the Boers drew off about 6 p.m.

My casualties were one killed and eight wounded, which, considering the severity of the fire, is very little. I consider it was owing to the excellent cover afforded by the forts and trenches, as we were subjected to very heavy

firing for 18 hours. I estimate the strength of the Boers at from 500 to 600 men, and they belonged to the Ermelo or Carolina commandos.

The casualties of the Boers are unknown, but two dead were buried at Potgieter's Farm. The prisoners who were taken at Itala say that the Boers own to having had 60 killed and wounded on the attack on Fort Prospect. I picked up 30 dead horses next morning, also 2 rifles and 20 saddles.

I cannot close the report without mentioning the gallantry displayed by all ranks, especially by the Durham Company of Militia Artillery. I wish to bring to your notice the following names of those who did very well:—

Durham Artillery.

Lieutenant R. G. M. Johnson commanded one of the sangars where the brunt of the attack fell, and helped me to organise defence.

1. No. 1332 Bombardier J. Marsden commanded the other stone sanga after Bombardier Gilligan was wounded and refused to surrender.

2. Serjeant F. Doyle commanded rear trench and repulsed Boer second attack.

3. No. 1817 Gunner J. White when wounded went on fighting, and when dressed returned under fire to his trench.

4. No. 2913 Bombardier G. Gilligan commanded stone sanga until wounded.

Dorsetshire Regiment, "B" Company, 5th Division, Mounted Infantry.

1. No. 2196 Company Serjeant-Major W. Young greatly aided me in the defence.

2. No. 3122 Private J. Bowering, wounded severely in the head, returned after a few hours to work in the trenches.

3. No. 4991 Corporal H. Whitney commanded Maxim gun section, which did good work all through the day.

4. No. 5170 Corporal Kerrins for great coolness in action, and for good work during the attack.

No. 7 Serjeant Gumbi, Zululand Police, for gallantly reinforcing me during the fight.

I have, &c.,

C. A. ROWLEY, Captain,
Officer Commanding, Prospect Post,
Prospect Post,
29th September, 1901.

Deputy Adjutant-General, Natal,
Forwarded.

The defence was a gallant one against great odds.

I trust those mentioned by Captain Rowley may be brought to notice.

Captain Rowley himself is a reliable Officer of considerable experience, and I think deserves great credit.

I have, &c.,

H. POWELL, Major,
Officer Commanding, Zululand.
Melmoth,
30th September, 1901.

Commander-in-Chief,

I quite agree with above, and recommend Captain C. A. Rowley, Dorsetshire Regiment, for brevet promotion; Lieutenant R. G. M. Johnson, Durham Artillery, for the Distinguished Service Order; the non-commissioned officers, mentioned in report, for the Distinguished Conduct Medal; and Serjeant Gumbi, Zululand Police, for such reward as is deemed suitable.

It is eminently satisfactory that so much credit was earned by the Militia detachment.

The comparatively slight loss seems to indi-

cate that the site was well chosen, and the fort well entrenched.

I have, &c.,
N. G. LYTTTELTON, Lieut.-General,
Commanding Natal.

Dundee,
5th October, 1901.

Report on the Defence of Colonel Kekewich's
Camp at Moedwill, 30th September, 1901.

From Major-General Mildmay Willson to the
Adjutant-General, Army Headquarters, Pretoria.

Krugerdsorp,
6th November, 1901.

Sir,
I beg to forward Colonel Kekewich's report on the attack on his camp on the morning of 30th September, 1901, which seems to have been most carefully arranged by the Boers, and carried out with the greatest rapidity and determination. I regret to say that our losses have been very heavy both in Officers and men, but it will be seen from the report that all ranks behaved in a most gallant manner, and although the attack was, to a certain extent, a surprise, and the fire very heavy, there was no panic or flinching of any kind.

The picquets held their ground till they were almost annihilated, and thus enabled the remainder to get under arms.

Colonel Kekewich, I am told, behaved splendidly, and, by his example, largely contributed to the successful repulse of the attack. He was wounded in three places, none of which, I am glad to say, are serious. I beg to bring his gallant behaviour to your favourable consideration, and also the names of the different Officers, non-commissioned officers, and men mentioned in the various reports.

I have, &c.,
MILDMAY WILLSON, Major-General,
Commanding West of Johannesburg.

Report on the Attack on Colonel Kekewich's
Column at Moedwill (639), on 30th Sep-
tember, 1901.

1. The column, approximate strength as per margin,* left Waterval (396) at 5 a.m. on the 29th and arrived at Moedwill at noon the same day.

2. The camp was pitched on some rising ground on the right bank of the Selons River, and from 800 to 1,000 yards east of the drift where the river is crossed by the main road from Magatos Nek to Zeerust. The camp faced west, its left resting on the road and its front being about parallel with the river. The mounted troops were on the right, the Artillery in the centre, and the Derbyshire Regiment on the left.

3. Outposts were thrown out as follows:—

The Derbyshire Regiment with 1½ companies held the drift in front of the left of the camp, and extended from there round the left and left rear, up to, and including the main road in rear of the left.

The mounted troops took up the line from this point with two squadrons extended round the right and front of the camp and joined up with the Infantry outpost on the drift.

4. The supply column, with refugees and prisoners, and with an escort of 1 company Derbyshire Regiment, and 1½ squadrons Scottish Horse, of which ½ squadron only was mounted, left the force at 7 p.m. on the 29th on its way to Naauwpoort, via Magatos Nek to refill.

Thus the force left in camp consisted of:—

4 companies Derbyshire Regiment—about 350 rifles.

* 5 companies Derbyshire Regiment—400; 8 squadrons—560; 3 guns 28th Battery; G 2 Section pompons.

6½ squadrons (Imperial Yeomanry and Scottish Horse)—about 450 rifles.

3 guns, 28th Battery.

G 2 Section Pompons.

5. Special orders were issued for patrols to be sent out from each picquet an hour before dawn, and two special patrols of a troop each were ordered to move out north-west and south-west, starting at 4.30 a.m.

6. No signs of the enemy had been seen on the march from Waterval to Moedwill, and, except for a small party of Boers reported to have been seen near Buffelshoek (10), the country in the vicinity appeared practically clear.

7. The first sign of attack was a few rifle shots heard at 4.40 a.m. from the north-west, down the river; these were subsequently found to have been fired at a patrol going out from the left or most southerly picquet furnished by the Devonshire Imperial Yeomanry.

The firing rapidly grew heavier as the enemy, in considerable force, pushed back the patrol, and came upon the Yeomanry picquet, every man of which was either killed or wounded.

Having thus established themselves to the east of the river, they opened a very heavy fire along the bank to the south; on the camp and to the north-east on another Imperial Yeomanry picquet, which soon had almost, if not all, its members killed and wounded, including the officer in command of it.

I may mention here that the right bank of the Selons River all along the front and north of the camp is high and steep, and appeared to offer a formidable obstacle to an attack.

8. It would appear that the enemy had collected in large numbers in the bed of the river and in the broken and bushy ground, of which there was much to the north-west of the camp, across the river.

9. Meanwhile the alarm had been given, and by 4.45 a.m. all were a-foot, advancing out of camp and reinforcing the picquets, except a small party of the Derbyshire Regiment remaining to guard ammunition, &c.

10. The enemy had now pushed up the river, outflanking the Derbyshire picquet holding the main drift, and, after a very gallant resistance in which all but one man was killed or wounded, occupied their position.

11. The whole of the actual camp was now under a hail of bullets, principally from the west and north-west, to which it was impossible to reply with good effect owing to the tents and loose animals, and to the difficulty in the dim light of distinguishing friend from enemy. All ranks, however, seemed to realise that they must get out at once into the open towards the enemy, to obtain a field of fire; this they did under various officers, and meanwhile our guns, Maxim and pompon, and such outposts as were not surrounded, kept the enemy off.

12. A strong body of the Derbyshire Regiment under Major Watts moved out east, on a report being made by Captain Watson, Adjutant, Scottish Horse (since died of wounds), that a large body of the enemy were working round from the north to the east or rear of the camp. It was now growing light, and as this reported movement of the enemy was discovered to be not well founded, Major Watts, who had been joined by Major Browne of the Border Regiment, with a number of men he had collected, such as servants, cooks, orderlies, &c., being satisfied as to the safety of the east, swung his men round to the north and advanced with fixed bayonets against the enemy in the bushes. As he did this a large number of men of the Imperial Yeomanry

and Scottish Horse, under Captains Rattray, Dick-Cunyngham and Mackenzie, joined in the general advance and, as they came on, the enemy whose fire had been slackening for some time and whose flank was being threatened by this movement, broke and fled. They picked up their horses which had been held for them in the river bed and retired at a gallop north and north-west, coming for a short period only under the fire of our guns.

13. I had early in the day ordered Colonel Duff to get two squadrons ready, so as to pursue the enemy on the attack being repulsed, but the casualties were so heavy, especially among the horses, that it was found impossible to do this.

14. By 6.15 a.m. the last shot was fired.

15. While the enemy's main attack from the north-west was developing, progressing, being checked, and finally repulsed, other minor attacks were made from the east, west, and south, but were not pushed home, the enemy who had made them retiring in various directions at about 6 a.m.

16. The enemy are reported to have been 1,200 strong, under Delarey, Kemp, Van Heerden, Van Tonder, Steenicamp, Oosthuizen, and Boshof. They expended an enormous quantity of ammunition, which they can ill spare, and, so far as I know, gained no advantage by this very large and rapid concentration.

They are so quick at removing their dead and wounded, that it is impossible at present to estimate their losses with any accuracy.

17. I much regret the heavy losses incurred by our troops.

I cannot speak too highly of the gallant conduct of all ranks, and especially of the 1st Bn. Derbyshire Regiment, in repelling this carefully planned and most determined attack by a large force of the enemy, which was probably made with a view to capturing our guns, ammunition, and supplies, of which, doubtless, they were in great want.

18. The severity of the attack may be realised from the fact that, at its commencement, three picquets were practically annihilated, and the casualties in some of the others were very heavy; also that a large number of the wounded were hit in several places.

19. Of course, there must be many unrecorded acts of gallantry and devotion to duty in a night attack such as this, but any special acts and good work that have been brought to my notice are embodied in the attached reports.

20. I am in hospital, having handed over the command of the column to Lieut.-Colonel Wylly, Derbyshire Regiment, but, as I was commanding it at the time the attack took place, I forward this report and my recommendations.

R. G. KEKEWICH, Colonel.

Moedwill,
2nd October, 1901.

Marlborough House, December 2, 1901.

THIS day had Audience of the King:—

His Excellency Count Paul Wolff Metternich, to present his Credentials as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the German Emperor, King of Prussia.

Señor Don Homero Morla and Monsieur Louis Joseph Janvier, to present their Credentials as Ministers Resident from the Republics of Ecuador and Hayti, respectively.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
December 2, 1901.*

THE King has been pleased to appoint Colonel Reginald Hennell, D.S.O., to be Lieutenant of the King's Body Guard of the Yeomen of the Guard, in the room of Colonel Sir Horatio Page Vance, deceased.

Downing Street, November 30, 1901.

THE King has been pleased to approve of the appointment of William Henry Jackson, Esq. (Principal Collector of Customs), to be an Official Member of the Legislative Council of the Island of Ceylon.

Whitehall, December 3, 1901.

THE King has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Sir Andrew Richard Scoble, K.C.S.I., K.C., and the Right Honourable Sir John Winfield Bonser, to be Members of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, under the provisions of the Act 3 and 4 William IV, cap. 41.

Scottish Office, Whitehall, December 2, 1901.

THE King has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 29th ultimo, to appoint Edward Theodore Salvesen, Esq., Advocate, K.C., to be Sheriff of the Sheriffdom of Roxburgh, Berwick, and Selkirk, in the room of Sheriff Vary Campbell, deceased.

York House, December 3, 1901.

THE Princess of Wales has been pleased to make the following Appointments to Her Royal Highness's Household:—

Chamberlain:—

The Earl of Shaftesbury.

Ladies of the Bedchamber:—

The Countess of Airlie.

The Countess of Bradford.

Women of the Bedchamber:—

The Lady Eva Dugdale.

The Lady Mary Lygon.

Extra Woman of the Bedchamber:—

The Lady Katharine Coke.

Private Secretary:—

The Honourable Alexander N. Hood.

Equerry in Waiting:—

Frank Dugdale, Esq.

Board of Education, Whitehall,

December 2, 1901.

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION ACTS,
1870-1900.

THE Board of Education have issued an order this day for the dissolution, under Section 41 of the Elementary Education Act, 1876, of a School Board in the undermentioned Parish:—

Airmyn York (West Riding)

Crown Office, November 30, 1901.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present
PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Galway.

Arthur Lynch, Esq., in the place of the Honourable Martin Henry Fitzpatrick Morris, called up to the House of Peers.

(F. & H. 17317.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, November 30, 1901.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated November 29, from His Majesty's Representative at Montevideo:—"Free pratique granted to arrivals from Naples."

(F. & H. 17318.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, November 30, 1901.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated November 29, from His Majesty's Representative at Rome:—"Maritime Sanitary Ordinance of yesterday revokes restrictions on arrivals from Bosphorus ports."

(F. & H. 17353.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, November 30, 1901.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated November 26, from His Majesty's Representative at The Hague, intimating that from November 27 the importation and carriage in transit of rags from places situated in the Belgian Provinces of Antwerp and East Flanders is forbidden.

This prohibition does not extend to the import and carriage in transit of rags which may have been forwarded from the above-named Provinces, but in regard to which there is sufficient proof that they have some other place of origin, and that they are transported and packed in such a manner that they cannot possibly come into contact with any object of contagion.

Moreover, the prohibition as regards carriage in transit is not to extend to rags packed in such a manner that they can neither be handled nor interfered with en route.

(F. & H. 17354.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, November 30, 1901.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated November 29, from His Majesty's Representative at Rio de Janeiro:—

"Ascension, Odessa, and Alexandria all declared to be infected with bubonic plague. All Paraguayan, Russian, Black Sea, and Egyptian Mediterranean ports suspected."

(F. & H. 17529.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, December 2, 1901.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated November 29, from His Majesty's Representative at Pera:—"Constantinople foul. One case of plague."

(F. & H. 17530.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, December 2, 1901.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated November 29, from His Majesty's Representative at Galatz:—"At Sulina free pratique granted to arrivals from Liverpool and Glasgow."

(F. & H. 17533.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, December 2, 1901.

THE Board of Trade have received, through

the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated November 29, from His Majesty's Representative at Sofia:—"Constantinople declared to be infected with plague."

(F. & H. 17534.)

Board of Trade (Fisheries and Harbour Department), London, December 2, 1901.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the following Telegram, dated November 30, from His Majesty's Representative at St. Petersburg:—"To-day's 'Official Messenger' declares Queensland and Glasgow free from plague since November 29th."

Admiralty, 27th November, 1901.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant Frederic Kernot Sanders to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th November, 1901.
Midshipman Percy Douglas Henderson to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 11th November, 1901.

Admiralty, 28th November, 1901.

THE undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in His Majesty's Fleet:—

William Fortescue Sells. Dated 19th January, 1901.

Roger de Grey Kenyon. Dated 15th July, 1901.
James Henry Thom. Dated 15th November, 1901.

Royal Naval Reserve.

In accordance with the Regulations for the Royal Naval Reserve—

Lieutenant William Peter Thompson has been placed on the Retired List. Dated 22nd November, 1901.

Admiralty, 29th November, 1901.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Sub-Lieutenant Andrew Ernest Moscrop to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th November, 1901.

Admiralty, 2nd December, 1901.

THE undermentioned Engineers have been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in His Majesty's Fleet:—

Thomas William Christian. Dated 1st September, 1901.

Philip Hobbs. Dated 29th September, 1901.

George Attwool. Dated 1st October, 1901.

Harry Tom Garwood. Dated 9th October, 1901.

George Thompson Goodall. Dated 23rd October, 1901.

War Office, Pall Mall,

3rd December, 1901.

Royal Horse Guards, Second Lieutenant Hugh R. A., Duke of Westminster, resigns his Commission. Dated 4th December, 1901.

2nd Dragoons, Lieutenant Foster Swetenham to be Captain, in succession to Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel W. C. Middleton, who holds an extra-regimental appointment. Dated 15th November, 1901.

Second Lieutenant the Honourable W. A. Montgomerie to be Lieutenant, vice R. D. Fordyce, placed on temporary half-pay. Dated 16th September, 1901.

The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant F. A. U. Pickering is dated 15th November, 1901, vice F. Swetenham.

21st Lancers, Lieutenant Algernon S. Pilcher to be Captain, vice H. F. Fraser, seconded. Dated 30th October, 1901.

4th Provisional Regiment of Dragoons, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William C. Middleton, 2nd Dragoons, to command the Regiment. Dated 15th November, 1901.

THE IMPERIAL YEOMANRY.

2nd Battalion, Sergeant H. Barwell to be Lieutenant, with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Army. Dated 27th September, 1901.

3rd Battalion, Lieutenant E. W. E. G. Sealy-Vidal resigns his Commission. Dated 1st November, 1901.

6th Battalion, The resignation of his Commission by Captain J. D. Boswell which was notified in the Gazette of 22nd October, 1901, is cancelled.

8th Battalion, Major H. E. Lowden resigns his Commission. Dated 11th November, 1901.

Captain and Brevet Major J. E. F. Dyer, 7th Dragoon Guards, to be Second in Command. Dated 12th November, 1901.

Lieutenant C. B. Despard, from 12th Battalion, to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.

Private W. M. Yates to be Lieutenant, with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Army. Dated 27th September, 1901.

11th Battalion, Captain R. B. Pott relinquishes his Commission. Dated 19th August, 1901.

Corporal G. H. S. Lyne to be Lieutenant, with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Army. Dated 14th October, 1901.

12th Battalion, Lieutenant A. Roddick relinquishes his Commission. Dated 18th July, 1901.

Lieutenant R. Tyrrell, from 8th Battalion, to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1901.

18th Battalion, The name of Second Lieutenant M. G. S. Sherriff is as now described and not as stated in the Gazette of 13th August, 1901.

25th Battalion, Captain A. J. P. Annesley, 3rd Battalion the Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), to be Captain, with the temporary rank of Captain in the Army. Dated 4th December, 1901.

Unattached, Lieutenant the Honourable J. H. Ward relinquishes his Commission. Dated 25th January, 1901.

Adolf Dankberg, Gent., late British South African Police, to be Lieutenant, with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Army. Dated 4th December, 1901.

Imperial Yeomanry Depot, Sergeant J. St. C. Macgregor to be Lieutenant, with the temporary rank of Lieutenant in the Army. Dated 1st November, 1901.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

Royal Horse and Royal Field Artillery, Brevet Colonel Alexander N. Rochfort, C.B., on completion of five years' service as a regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, is retained as a Supernumerary to the Establishment under the provisions of Article 103A, Royal Warrant 26th October, 1900. Dated 2nd December, 1901.

Lieutenant Colonel Charles V. B. Kuper, from Superintendent Remount Depot, Calcutta, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel A. N. Rochfort, C.B. Dated 2nd December, 1901.

Major William M. Grover retires on retired pay. Dated 4th December, 1901.

Captain Edward Harding Newman is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 19th November, 1901.

Captain and Brevet Major William R. N. Madocks is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 9th November, 1901.

The undermentioned Supernumerary Captains to be Captains:—

Brevet Major William R. N. Madocks, vice W. M. Crockett, promoted. Dated 17th October, 1901.

Arthur U. Stockley, vice D. D. Arderne, appointed Adjutant. Dated 7th November, 1901.

Lieutenant Geoffrey L. H. Howell to be Captain, vice Brevet Major W. R. N. Madocks, seconded. Dated 9th November, 1901.

The undermentioned Lieutenants are seconded for service under the Colonial Office:—

John H. Gibbon. Dated 30th October, 1901.

John McC. Griffin. Dated 16th November, 1901.

The undermentioned Officers to be Second Lieutenants. Dated 4th December, 1901:—

Second Lieutenant Gordon Saxton Cooper, from the Durham Artillery.

Second Lieutenant George Russell Barker, from the South-East of Scotland Artillery.

Second Lieutenant Norman Wingate Wingate-Saul, from the Donegal Artillery (the Prince of Wales's).

Second Lieutenant Reginald Charles Frederick Maitland, from the Devon Artillery.

Lieutenant Cecil Edward Walker, from the Dublin City Artillery.

Second Lieutenant Robert Jocelyn Rowan Waller, from the Antrim Artillery.

Second Lieutenant William John Frederick Halliday, from the Northumberland Artillery.

Lieutenant Frederick Alfred Dixon, from the Tipperary Artillery.

Second Lieutenant Arthur Lancelot Napier Bid-dulph, from the Clare Artillery.

Second Lieutenant John Rowland LLoyd Brinkley, from the Duke of Connaught's Own, Sligo Artillery.

Second Lieutenant John Richard Lowndes French, from the Tipperary Artillery.

Royal Garrison Artillery, The undermentioned Brevet Colonels, on completion of five years' service as regimental Lieutenant Colonels, are placed on half-pay:—

Lewis E. Coker. Dated 30th November, 1901.

James H. Rosseter. Dated 4th December, 1901.

The undermentioned Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels:—

Gilbert F. A. Norton, vice Brevet Colonel L. E. Coker. Dated 30th November, 1901.

Thomas H. E. Acton, vice Brevet Colonel J. H. Rosseter. Dated 4th December, 1901.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors:—

Claude J. Perceval, vice G. F. A. Norton. Dated 30th November, 1901.

William J. Napier, vice T. H. E. Acton. Dated 4th December, 1901.

Captain William K. Hardy is seconded for service on the Staff. Dated 3rd October, 1901.

The restoration to the establishment of Supernumerary Captain C. G. Watson is dated 3rd October, 1901, vice Captain W. K. Hardy, and not as stated in the Gazette of 29th October, 1901.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains :—

Hugh W. M. Harington, vice R. H. F. McCulloch, D.S.O., appointed Divisional Adjutant. Dated 10th October, 1901.

Charles L. Evans, vice M. B. Roberts, appointed Gunnery Instructor. Dated 9th November, 1901.

The undermentioned Supernumerary Lieutenants to be Lieutenants :—

Hugh B. Warwick, vice H. B. H. Johnston, appointed Divisional Adjutant. Dated 4th October, 1901.

Cuthbert F. G. Page, vice C. J. Everard, seconded. Dated 30th October, 1901.

The undermentioned Officers to be Second Lieutenants. Dated 4th December, 1901 :—

Lieutenant Noël Edmund Osbert Thackwell, from the Tipperary Artillery.

Lieutenant Isaac Arthur James Pask, from the Wicklow Artillery.

Second Lieutenant Reginald Michael Norman Forbes, from the Northumberland Artillery.

Lieutenant Eric Victor Watson, from the Pembroke Artillery.

Lieutenant John Herbert Thom, from the Duke of Edinburgh's Own Edinburgh Artillery.

Lieutenant Ralph Edward Barton, from the Donegal Artillery (The Prince of Wales's).

Lieutenant Reginald Ashley Renshaw, from the South-East of Scotland Artillery.

GRENADIER GUARDS.

Quartermaster and Honorary Captain George Powell retires on retired pay. Dated 4th December, 1901.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Northumberland Fusiliers, Second Lieutenant Raymond Mitchell St. John Booth, from 3rd Battalion the Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), to be Second Lieutenant, vice G. Agnew, seconded. Dated 4th December, 1901.

The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Francis Bere Follett, Gent., late Private Colonel Lumsden's Corps, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant R. H. Higgins, resigned. Dated 4th December, 1901.

The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Lieutenant-Colonel Robert P. B. Rodick, on completion of four years' service as a regimental Lieutenant-Colonel, is placed on retired pay. Dated 28th November, 1901.

Major Edward J. Cooper, D.S.O., to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice R. P. B. Rodick. Dated 28th November, 1901.

Captain Norman R. McMahon, D.S.O., to be Major, vice E. J. Cooper, D.S.O. Dated 28th November, 1901.

The King's (Liverpool Regiment), The resignation of his Commission by Second Lieutenant Walter V. Simmons Lynn, which was notified in the Gazette of 18th October, 1901, is cancelled.

Second Lieutenant Walter V. Simmons Lynn is placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 19th October, 1901.

The Suffolk Regiment, Captain William H. Bowden is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Indian Volunteers. Dated 14th October, 1901.

The Leicestershire Regiment, The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 26th October, 1901 :—

Henry C. Thorold, vice C. E. Cox, placed on temporary half-pay.

Edward L. Challenor, vice H. C. Thorold, seconded for service in South Africa.

Second Lieutenant A. W. S. Brock to be Lieutenant, vice E. L. Challenor. Dated 26th October, 1901.

The Lancashire Fusiliers, Second Lieutenant James Alexander Ballantine, from the Imperial Yeomanry, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant M. R. P. W. Gledhill, seconded. Dated 4th December, 1901.

The Royal Scots Fusiliers, The promotion to the rank of Captain of Lieutenant Christian F. H. Rumbold is antedated to 18th July, 1901, vice J. H. W. Pollard, seconded.

Lieutenant Douglas S. George to be Captain, in succession to Major A. B. H. Northcott, who holds a Staff appointment. Dated 4th September, 1901.

The restoration to the Establishment of Supernumerary Lieutenant Maurice E. McConaghey is antedated to 18th July, 1901, vice C. F. H. Rumbold.

The following notification is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 23rd July, 1901 :—

Lieutenant Hubert Garrett Blair Miller, from the Imperial Yeomanry, to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. N. Kempthorne, seconded. Dated 24th July, 1901.

The South Wales Borderers, Rupert Edric Gifford Berkeley, Gent., late Private the Imperial Yeomanry (nominated by the General Officer Commanding-in-Chief, South Africa), to be Second Lieutenant, vice P. A. Grogan, seconded. Dated 4th December, 1901.

The Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, To be Second Lieutenants. Dated 4th December, 1901 :—

Lieutenant Clements George Stewart, from 4th Battalion, in succession to Lieutenant F. FitzR. Vallings, placed on temporary half-pay.

Lieutenant George Woodward Willock, from 5th Battalion the Royal Dublin Fusiliers, in succession to Lieutenant G. C. Grazebrook, promoted.

The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, Second Lieutenant O. M. Heriot to be Lieutenant, vice C. B. Woodham, promoted. Dated 12th October, 1901.

The Royal Sussex Regiment, Arthur Roland George Wilberforce, Gent., late Private the Imperial Yeomanry, to be Second Lieutenant, vice E. C. Beeton, seconded. Dated 4th December, 1901.

The South Staffordshire Regiment, Lieutenant John F. Loder-Symonds to be Captain, vice F. H. Parkin, seconded. Dated 1st June, 1901. Supernumerary Second Lieutenant W. Miller to be Second Lieutenant, to complete establishment. Dated 4th December, 1901.

The Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment), Lieutenant Cunliffe H. Marsh, D.S.O., to be seconded for service with the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 23rd September, 1901.

The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant G. H. Garratt is antedated to 23rd September, 1901, vice C. H. Marsh, D.S.O.

The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), Lieutenant Adrian Lowry-Corry, from the Kent Artillery, to be Second Lieutenant, vice F. C. Beamish, seconded. Dated 4th December, 1901.

The Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant J. Burrage is seconded for service with the Johannesburg Police. Dated 1st September, 1901.

Sergeant-Major James Preston to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, vice Honorary Lieutenant J. Burrage. Dated 4th December, 1901.

The Durham Light Infantry, Captain Michael D. Goring Jones is seconded for service as an Adjutant of Indian Volunteers. Dated 2nd July, 1901.

The restoration to the Establishment of Supernumerary Captain Nicholas T. Biddulph is antedated to 2nd July, 1901, vice M. D. G. Jones.

The promotion to the rank of Captain of Lieutenant William J. Ainsworth, D.S.O., Adjutant, is antedated to 2nd July, 1901.

Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), Second Lieutenant John Grenville Gordon, from 4th Battalion the Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), to be Second Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant R. D. S. Stoney, promoted. Dated 4th December, 1901.

The Connaught Rangers, Captain Robert W. Harling is placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 9th October, 1901.

Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), Lieutenant Reginald J. P. Cox to be Captain, in succession to Major A. F. Muckenzie, Adjutant 3rd Battalion. Dated 3rd July, 1901.

The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of Second Lieutenant E. B. Cuthbertson is antedated to 3rd July, 1901, vice R. J. P. Cox.

The Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians), Captain Leonard R. G. Bell is placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 20th November, 1901.

The Royal Dublin Fusiliers, Lieutenant Ferdinand Henry Kunhardt, from 5th Battalion, to be Second Lieutenant, on augmentation. Dated 4th December, 1901.

The Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), Major George F. Leslie to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice A. R. Pemberton, made Supernumerary under the provisions of Article 103A, Royal Warrant 26th October, 1900. Dated 1st December, 1901.

Captain Henry H. Wilson, D.S.O., to be Major, vice G. F. Leslie, promoted. Dated 1st December, 1901.

The promotion to the rank of Lieutenant of the Honourable E. A. C. Weld-Forester is antedated to 30th April, 1901.

The Royal Army Medical Corps, Surgeon-Lieutenant Mowbray Taylor, M.B., Volunteer Medical Staff Corps, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant whilst serving in South Africa. Dated 4th December, 1901.

STAFF.

Major-General L. J. Oliphant, M.V.O., to be a Major-General on the Staff, Field Force, South Africa. Dated 16th November, 1901.

Lieutenant L. B. Chamberlain, the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), to be Aide-de-Camp to Major-General L. J. Oliphant, M.V.O. Dated 16th November, 1901.

Major I. Philipps, D.S.O., Indian Staff Corps, to be an Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General, China Expeditionary Force, from 30th June, 1901, to 20th July, 1901.

The appointment of Major W. L. Conran, Indian Staff Corps, as a Special Service Officer, graded Rate XIII, Scale B, Article 115, Royal Warrant 26th October, 1900, is dated 13th August, 1900, and not as stated in the Gazette of 20th September, 1901.

Captain C. H. Palmer, the Worcestershire Regiment, to be Aide-de-Camp to Colonel (temporary Major-General) R. H. Murray, C.B., C.M.G., Aide-de-Camp to the King, commanding an Infantry Brigade at Aldershot. Dated 1st November, 1901.

The following notification is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 28th December, 1900 :—

Captain (now Brevet Major) W. R. Birdwood, Indian Staff Corps, to be a Brigade-Major, Field Force, South Africa, from 10th January, 1900, to 14th October, 1900, and to be a Deputy-Assistant Adjutant-General from 15th October, 1900, with the local rank of Major whilst so employed, from 10th January, 1900.

Royal Military College, The undermentioned temporary appointment is made :—

Captain B. W. S. Van Straubenzee, from half-pay, to be an Instructor, vice Major W. P. Blood, Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), appointed to the Staff. Dated 30th October, 1901.

Indian Staff Corps, Colonel William Oliver Thompson, D.S.O., is transferred to the Unemployed Supernumerary List. Dated 14th November, 1901.

The temporary rank of Major granted to Captain D. E. Mocatta and Captain W. H. Savage, in the Gazette of 27th August, 1901, is whilst those Officers are serving as Regimental Seconds in Command, Indian Army, and not as therein stated.

Army Chaplains' Department, The Reverend W. H. Bullock, Chaplain to the Forces First Class, is placed on retired pay. Dated 16th November, 1901.

The Reverend W. F. R. Buckle, M.A., Chaplain to the Forces Second Class, is placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 1st December, 1901.

Army Schools, Army Schoolmaster Arthur Edgar Hodgkins to be Inspector of Army Schools, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, vice Lieutenant S. Logan, placed on temporary half-pay. Dated 30th October, 1901.

Army Ordnance Department, Major R. Crawford, Ordnance Officer, Third Class, to be Ordnance Officer, Second Class, with the substantive rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army. Dated 30th November, 1901.

Deputy-Commissary of Ordnance and Honorary Captain James Brooks to be Commissary of Ordnance, vice Honorary Captain T. J. Warnes, retired. Dated 2nd October, 1901.

Assistant-Commissary of Ordnance and Honorary Lieutenant J. Linington to be Deputy Commissary of Ordnance, with the honorary rank of Captain, vice Honorary Captain J. Brooks. Dated 2nd October, 1901.

Assistant-Commissary of Ordnance and Honorary Lieutenant J. W. Moss to be Deputy-Commissary of Ordnance, with the honorary rank of Captain, vice Honorary Captain J. Linington, seconded for service in the Department of the Director-General of Ordnance. Dated 2nd October, 1901.

Army Pay Department, Major G. Duherly, Paymaster, retires on retired pay. Dated 4th December, 1901.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Carde Rice, Army Service Corps, to be Colonel. Dated 1st November, 1901.

Major H. H. Wilson, D.S.O., the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), to be Lieutenant-Colonel, in recognition of his services during the operations in South Africa, 1899-1900. Dated 2nd December, 1901.

The promotion to the rank of Major of Captain F. D. Murray, the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders), which was notified in the Gazette of 19th April, 1901, is antedated to 29th November, 1900 (since killed in action).

MEMORANDA.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Henry J. Blagrove, C.B., half-pay, retires on retired pay. Dated 4th December, 1901.

The undermentioned Officers are granted the local rank of Lieutenant-Colonel whilst serving with the Egyptian Army. Dated 25th September, 1901 :—

Captain and Brevet Major H. V. Ravenscroft, the Manchester Regiment.

Major A. E. W., Count Gleichen, C.V.O., C.M.G., D.S.O., Grenadier Guards.

Major W. H. Hunter, Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, the Duke of Albany's).

Captain and Brevet Major G. B. Macauley, Royal Engineers.

Quartermaster and Honorary Major John T. Brind, Camp Quartermaster, Aldershot, is placed on retired pay. Dated 29th November, 1901.

The undermentioned Officers are granted the local rank of Captain whilst serving with Provisional Battalions. Dated 12th November, 1901 :—

Captain Samuel D. Norris, 3rd Battalion the King's (Liverpool Regiment).

Captain Robert W. Mellish, 4th Battalion the Cameronians (Scottish Rifles).

Lieutenant C. F. O. Graham, Royal Marine Light Infantry, is granted the local rank of Captain in the Army whilst employed with the West African Frontier Force. Dated 30th November, 1901.

Quartermaster and Honorary Lieutenant D. Wallbach is granted the local rank of Captain whilst employed as a Brigade Transport Officer of the West African Frontier Force in Northern Nigeria. Dated 18th June, 1901.

Captain G. M. Sutherland, 78th Regiment, Canadian Militia, is granted the local rank of Lieutenant in the Army whilst employed with the West African Frontier Force. Dated 27th November, 1901.

RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Rowland Fairclough, Esq., late Captain 3rd Lancashire Volunteer Artillery and Prince of Wales's Light Horse, to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th December, 1901.

War Office, Pall Mall,
3rd December, 1901.

The undermentioned Officers to be Second Lieutenants. Dated 4th December, 1901 :—

1st Dragoons, Second Lieutenant Alister Hillyar Darby Chapman, from 3rd Battalion the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), in succession to Lieutenant P. E. Hardwick, seconded.

2nd Dragoons, Second Lieutenant Montague Joseph Charles Somerset Johnstone, from 3rd Battalion the Highland Light Infantry, in succession to Lieutenant A. G. Seymour, promoted.

Lieutenant William Eugène Melles, from 5th Battalion the Northumberland Fusiliers, in succession to Lieutenant C. P. Foster, resigned.

3rd Hussars, Lieutenant Ernest Randall Holloway, from 4th Battalion the Royal Irish Regiment, in succession to Lieutenant B. Granville, promoted.

6th Dragoons, Second Lieutenant George Kennedy Smith, from 3rd Battalion the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), in succession to Lieutenant N. W. Haig, promoted.

COLDSTREAM GUARDS.

Second Lieutenant Douglas Giles Rooke, from 3rd Battalion the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), in succession to Lieutenant the Honourable L. d'H. Hamilton, M.V.O., promoted.

Lieutenant Hewett John Haverlock Pakenham, from 3rd Battalion the Gloucestershire Regiment, in succession to Lieutenant C. E. Wyld, promoted.

Lieutenant Charles John Murray, from 3rd Battalion the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders), in succession to Lieutenant F. D. Farquhar, promoted.

IRISH GUARDS.

Second Lieutenant Lord Arthur John Hamilton, from 3rd Battalion the Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), on augmentation.

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Northumberland Fusiliers, Lieutenant Ian Malcolm Bonham-Carter, from 5th Battalion, vice D. B. O. F. Mitford, seconded.

Lieutenant Hugh Lambert Ovans, from 3rd Battalion the Dorsetshire Regiment, in succession to Lieutenant A. C. L. H. Jones, promoted.

Lieutenant Hugh Benkinsop Spence, from 3rd Battalion the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), in succession to Lieutenant J. H. Matthews, promoted.

Lieutenant Humphrey Campbell Stephen, from 5th Battalion, in succession to Lieutenant H. B. Warwick, promoted.

The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Lieutenant Hubert Norris, from 6th Battalion, in succession to Lieutenant E. J. M. Harvey, promoted.

The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Lieutenant Edward Ronald Spurr Cheales, from 6th Battalion, in succession to Lieutenant T. F. G. Ogle, seconded.

The King's (Liverpool Regiment), Second Lieutenant Frederick Merhyl Dixon, from 3rd Battalion, in succession to Lieutenant H. C. Potter, promoted.

The Norfolk Regiment, Lieutenant Robert Orr Sutherland, from 4th Battalion, vice C. J. Griffith, resigned.

The Devonshire Regiment, Lieutenant Clement Gascoyen Ransford, from 3rd Battalion the Dorsetshire Regiment, in succession to Lieutenant R. P. H. Monro, promoted into the Worcestershire Regiment.

Second Lieutenant Darrell Richard Jeffreys, from 3rd Battalion the Hampshire Regiment, in succession to Lieutenant T. C. B. Holland, promoted.

Lieutenant Reginald Benjamin Featherstone, from 4th Battalion, in succession to Lieutenant H. B. W. Gardiner, promoted.

The Suffolk Regiment, Lieutenant Gerald Edward William Hervey, from 3rd Battalion, vice P. E. Sinnett, resigned.

The East Yorkshire Regiment, Lieutenant Charles William Watson, from 3rd Battalion the Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), in succession to Lieutenant W. N. Pike, promoted.

The Princess of Wales's Own (Yorkshire Regiment), Lieutenant Bertram Lionel Maddison, from 4th Battalion the East Surrey Regiment, in succession to Lieutenant P. H. Keen, transferred to Indian Staff Corps.

The Lancashire Fusiliers, Lieutenant Thomas Bowyer-Lane Maunsell, from 4th Battalion the Royal Irish Regiment, in succession to Lieutenant T. B. Olive, seconded.

The Royal Scots Fusiliers, Second Lieutenant Charles Basil Stewart, from 3rd Battalion Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, the Duke of Albany's), in succession to Lieutenant R. M. Burgoyne, promoted.

Lieutenant Harold Thompson, from 3rd Battalion, in succession to Lieutenant C. F. H. Rumbold, promoted.

The Cheshire Regiment, Lieutenant Seymour James Gordon Beaumont, from 4th Battalion the East Surrey Regiment, in succession to Lieutenant F. C. P. Williams Freeman, promoted into the Royal Warwickshire Regiment.

Second Lieutenant George Edward Goldsmith, from 6th Battalion the Worcestershire Regiment, in succession to Lieutenant F. R. Teesdale, transferred to Indian Staff Corps.

The South Wales Borderers, Second Lieutenant Colin Hay Giffard, from 4th Battalion the Border Regiment, in succession to Lieutenant A. J. Reddie, appointed Adjutant.

The East Surrey Regiment, Lieutenant Philip Cecil Wynter, from 4th Battalion, in succession to Lieutenant C. E. A. S. Currie, seconded.

The Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, Second Lieutenant Gilbert Percival Louis Myers, from 4th Battalion the Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians), in succession to Lieutenant T. H. T. Price, promoted.

Lieutenant David Dudley, from 4th Battalion the Border Regiment, in succession to Lieutenant A. T. Libby, deceased.

Lieutenant Francis Caryl Campbell Rogers, from 3rd Battalion, in succession to Lieutenant C. B. Woodham, promoted.

The South Staffordshire Regiment, Lieutenant Lionel Rodney Manners, from 3rd Battalion the Gloucestershire Regiment, in succession to Lieutenant F. H. Parkin, promoted.

The Essex Regiment, Lieutenant Archibald Thomas Wynne Constable, from 4th Battalion, vice J. L. H. Powell, placed on retired pay.

The Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment), Lieutenant Cecil Walker Case-Morris, from 3rd Battalion, vice G. F. H. Keenlyside, promoted.

The King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), Lieutenant David Henry Leslie, from 3rd Battalion, in succession to Lieutenant H. M. Smith, promoted.

Second Lieutenant William Ernest Fleming, from 3rd Battalion, in succession to Lieutenant R. Masfield, promoted.

The Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment), Second Lieutenant William Prescott Ross Wheatley, from 3rd Battalion the Sherwood Foresters (Derbyshire Regiment), on augmentation.

The King's Royal Rifle Corps, Second Lieutenant Arthur Percivale Evans, from the Royal Monmouthshire Royal Engineers (Militia), in succession to Lieutenant C. B. Petre, promoted.

The Prince of Wales's (North Staffordshire Regiment), Lieutenant John Maxwell Craigie, from 3rd Battalion, in succession to Lieutenant T. A. Andrus, promoted.

The Durham Light Infantry, Lieutenant Henry Jefferys Taylor, from 3rd Battalion, in succession to Lieutenant R. E. Rasbotham, killed in action.

The Gordon Highlanders, Second Lieutenant Thomas Geoffrey Leith, from 4th Battalion the Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians), in succession to Lieutenant A. A. D. Best, killed in action.

Lieutenant Robert Ogilvie Abercromby, from 3rd Battalion, vice H. P. Burn, seconded.

Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), Lieutenant Jasper Beverley Lynch, from 3rd Battalion, in succession to Lieutenant V. H. Kavanagh, seconded.

Lieutenant Ernest Harward Mayhew O'Farrell, from 3rd Battalion, in succession to Lieutenant H. Cracroft, promoted.

The Connaught Rangers, Lieutenant Thomas Geoffrey Rutledge, from 3rd Battalion, in succession to Lieutenant R. W. Harling, promoted.

Princess Louise's (Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders), Lieutenant Leslie St. Clair Cheape, from 5th Battalion the Worcestershire Regiment, in succession to Lieutenant H. H. G. Hyslop, promoted.

The Royal Dublin Fusiliers, Lieutenant William Frederic Higginson, from 4th Battalion, on augmentation.

The Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), Lieutenant Edward Guy Ripley, from 3rd Battalion the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), in succession to Lieutenant G. B. Byrne, promoted.

Second Lieutenant the Honourable John Cavendish Lyttelton, from 7th Battalion, in succession to Lieutenant R. P. H. Bernard, promoted.

Lieutenant Robert Pigot, from 3rd Battalion Princess Charlotte of Wales's (Royal Berkshire Regiment), vice N. E. T. Bosanquet, resigned.

The West India Regiment, Lieutenant Eric Sortain Hancock, from the Limerick City Artillery, in succession to Lieutenant E. J. Burdett, seconded. Second Lieutenant Wellesley Cathcart Hutcheon, from 3rd Battalion the King's (Liverpool Regiment), in succession to Lieutenant G. L. Oliver, appointed Adjutant.

Lieutenant Brooke Southwell Algernon Fulke Greville, from 6th Battalion the Rifle Brigade (the Prince Consort's Own), in succession to Lieutenant C. A. M. Howard, seconded.

The undermentioned University-Candidates to be Second Lieutenants. Dated 4th December, 1901 :—

LINE BATTALIONS.

The Royal Scots (Lothian Regiment), Richard Henry Hodges Manners, in succession to Lieutenant D. C. H. Maclean, promoted.

The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment), Second Lieutenant Reginald Tilson Lee, from 1st Volunteer Battalion the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, in succession to Lieutenant H. W. Smith, D.S.O., promoted.

The Northumberland Fusiliers, Charles Edward Clarges Thurlow, in succession to Lieutenant A. M. Gibbes, promoted.

Second Lieutenant Frank Higson, from 4th Volunteer Battalion the Suffolk Regiment, on augmentation.

The Devonshire Regiment, Percy Reginald Worrall, in succession to Lieutenant G. H. I. Graham, promoted.

The Prince Albert's (Somersetshire Light Infantry), Henry Langton Skrine, vice R. H. Williams, deceased.

The Prince of Wales's Own (West Yorkshire Regiment), Second Lieutenant Charles Peter Marten, from 3rd Battalion, in succession to Lieutenant B. A. Thompson, promoted into the Duke of Cambridge's Own (Middlesex Regiment).

The King's Own Scottish Borderers, Second Lieutenant Alexander Edwin Burnett, from 4th Volunteer Battalion the Suffolk Regiment, vice O. L. Bickford, resigned.

The Worcestershire Regiment, Ralph Charles Geoffrey Pollock, on augmentation.

Second Lieutenant Philip Tomlinson Bull, from 4th Volunteer Battalion the Suffolk Regiment, on augmentation.

The Hampshire Regiment, Second Lieutenant Charles Edward Morris, from 1st Volunteer Battalion the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, in succession to Lieutenant H. W. Man, seconded. Second Lieutenant George Whiteley Reid, from 4th Volunteer Battalion, vice E. F. Falkner, seconded.

The King's (Shropshire Light Infantry), Second Lieutenant Aubrey Percival Bowen, from 1st Volunteer Battalion the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, in succession to Lieutenant H. R. W. Bird, deceased.

The King's Royal Rifle Corps, Richmond Fothergill Robinson, in succession to Lieutenant G. H. Davenport, deceased.

The Highland Light Infantry, Frank Staniford Thackeray, in succession to Lieutenant E. Armstrong, promoted.

Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-shire Buffs, the Duke of Albany's), Second Lieutenant Charles Francis Schomberg, from 1st Volunteer Battalion the Oxfordshire Light Infantry, vice R. S. Mackenzie, resigned.

The Gordon Highlanders, Alec Edward Balfour, in succession to Lieutenant P. W. Brown, promoted.

The Rifle Brigade (The Prince Consort's Own), Claude Martin Davies, on augmentation.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Perth.

John George, Marquis of Tullibardine, D.S.O., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th November, 1901.

Francis James, Earl of Moray, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th November, 1901.

William David, Earl of Mansfield, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th November, 1901.

Captain Carolus Home Graham-Stirling to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th November, 1901.

Major James Stewart-Robertson to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th November, 1901.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 2ND DECEMBER 1901.)

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 :

The Order described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby revoked.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this second day of December, one thousand nine hundred and one.

L. S.

T. H. Elliott,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Order Revoked.

No.	Date.	Subject.
	1895.	
5286	16 February ...	Relating to the transshipment, in the River Thames, of certain foreign animals

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

THE NATURALIZATION ACT, 1870.

LIST of ALIENS to whom Certificates of Naturalization or of Readmission to British Nationality have been granted by the Secretary of State under the provisions of the Act 33 Vic. cap. 14, and have been registered in the Home Office pursuant to the Act during the Month of November, 1901.

Name.	Country.	Date of taking Oath of Allegiance.	Place of Residence.
Angliker, Hans ...	Switzerland	4th November, 1901 ...	Belfast, Fir Dene, Lisburn-road
Annis, Morris ...	Russia	15th November, 1901	Kingston-upon-Hull, 17, Adelaide-street
Bleines, Peter ...	Germany	5th November, 1901 ...	Surrey, 31, the Parade, Earlsfield
Braverman, James David	Russia	25th November, 1901	London, 45, Tollington-road, Islington
Cohen, Louis Jacob	Russia	10th October, 1901 ...	Dublin, 14, Warren-street, South Circular-road
Cohen, Peter Zelig	Russia	10th October, 1901 ...	Dublin, 14, Warren-street, South Circular-road
Dankberg, Adolf...	Germany	21st November, 1901	London, 39, Torrington-square
d'Arigdor, Waldo Percy Henry	France	27th November, 1901	Middlesex, 83, Avenue-road, Mill Hill Park
Davison, Samuel Hermann (otherwise Davidsohn)	Germany	2nd November, 1901...	Bradford, 25, Heaton-grove
Dreyfus, Marx ...	Switzerland	6th November, 1901...	London, 45, Woburn-place, Bloomsbury
Elliman, Jacob Max	Russia	29th October, 1901 ...	Dublin, 5, Wynnefield-road, Rathmines
Fineman, Phillip...	Russia	13th November, 1901	London, 10, Russell-street, Stepney
Goldstein, Lewis...	Russia	11th November, 1901	London, 143, Hanbury-street, Mile End New Town
Guessarian, Hatchig	Persia	7th November, 1901...	Manchester, the Grand Hotel, Aytoun-street
Gutmann, Emil ...	Germany	20th November, 1901	London, 26, Bedford-place, Russell-square
Hartmann, Georg Heinrich Wilhelm	Germany	19th November, 1901	Liverpool, 25, Park-way
Hyams, Abraham Mordecai	Russia	21st October, 1901 ...	Edinburgh, 48, Lothian-street
Jensen, Jens Erik	Denmark	18th November, 1901	Bristol, 22, Nicholas-street
Kirchenwitz, Friedrich Carl August	Germany	20th November, 1901	Essex, 45, Harvey-road, Leytonstone
Kreglinger, Ernest Charles Christopher, otherwise Kreglin	Germany	16th November, 1901	Kent, 66, Griffin-road, Plumstead
Levene, Isiah ...	Russia	19th November, 1901	London, 135, Leman-street, Whitechapel
Levinson, David...	Germany	13th November, 1901	Ireland, Whitehall-street, Clones
Levy, Barnet Elickson	Russia	18th November, 1901	London, 2, Boundary-passage, Shoreditch
Loginsky, Jacob ...	Russia	4th November, 1901 ...	Dublin, 23, Lombard-street West
Lutze, Gunther Wilhelm Albert	Germany	16th November, 1901	Yorkshire, Coburg House, Hessle
Michaels, Isaac ...	Russia	19th November, 1901	London, 232, Commercial-road, St. George's East
Naggiar, Edward Elie	Italy	1st November, 1901 ...	Middlesex, Great Ealing School, Ealing
Oppenheimer, Ernest	Germany	25th November, 1901	London, 4, Fairhazel-mansions, Fairhazel-gardens, Hampstead
Panédas, Alfred ...	France	30th October, 1901 ...	Cardiff, 35, Sophia-street
Pizer, Reuben ...	Russia	12th November, 1901	London, 15A, Buxton-street, Shoreditch
Rohde, August ...	Germany	21st November, 1901	Essex, 2, Albert-road, Silvertown
Schwab, Eugene...	Germany	26th November, 1901	London, 47, Douglas-street, Deptford
Sherwinter, Harris John	Russia	13th November, 1901	Edinburgh, 7, Hill-place
Thestrup, Nils Gustaf Edward Gustafsson	Sweden	21st November, 1901	Kingston-upon-Hull, Ardmore House, Newland
White, Oscar ...	Russia	11th November, 1901	Ireland, Main-street, Edenderry, King's County
Zeider, Bernard Amcan	Russia	7th November, 1901...	Ireland, Market-street, Sligo

Home Office, Whitehall, December 2, 1901.

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*Factory Department, Home Office,
November 29, 1901.*

THE Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. John Cunningham to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the Stewarton District of Ayrshire.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
November 29, 1901.*

THE Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. C. B. Gunn to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the Peebles District.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
December 2, 1901.*

THE Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. St. John Stanwell, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, at Stamford, in the county of Lincoln, will be vacant on the 31st instant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
December 2, 1901.*

THE Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. Denis Nyhan to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory Acts, for the Brynmawr District of Brecknockshire.

Treasury Chambers, November 29, 1901.

THE Master of the Mint, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, hereby gives notice that the following situation is withdrawn from Schedule A of the Order in Council dated the 4th June, 1870:—

"Assistant-Assayer in the Mint."

Civil Service Commission, December 3, 1901.

THE Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that the following Regulations are published with the consent of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, viz.:—

REGULATIONS respecting Open Competitive Examinations for Female Sorterships in the General Post Office, London.

These Regulations are liable to alteration for future Examinations.

These situations are filled by Open Competitive Examinations under the following rules, viz.:—

1. Candidates will be required to satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners:—

(a.) That their age on the day of the Competitive Examination is not less than 15 nor more than 18.

NOTE.—In reckoning age for competition, persons who have served for two full consecutive years in any civil situation to which they were admitted with the certificate of the Civil Service Commissioners may deduct from their actual age any time not exceeding five years which they may have spent in such service.

(b.) That they are unmarried or widows.

(c.) That they are duly qualified in respect of health and character.

2. At each Examination the number of Candidates to be selected will be such as the Postmaster-General may from time to time fix.

3. The Examination will be in the following subjects, viz.:—

1. Reading and Copying MS.
2. Writing.
3. Spelling.

4. Arithmetic (first four rules, simple and compound, including English Weights and Measures, Reduction).

5. Geography of the United Kingdom.

Candidates who fail to obtain such an aggregate number of marks as may indicate in the judgment of the Civil Service Commissioners a competent amount of general proficiency will not be regarded as qualified.

4. Persons holding situations in the Civil Service must obtain the permission of the authorities of their Department to attend the Examination, dated before the commencement of the competition.

5. Candidates must be at least 5 feet in height.

6. No Candidate will be admitted to Examination who does not, at such time as may be fixed by the Civil Service Commissioners, produce an undertaking signed by her parent or guardian, that she will, if successful, reside either with her parents or guardians, or with relations or friends approved by such parents or guardians.

7. Application for permission to attend an Examination must be made at such times and in such manner as may be fixed by the Civil Service Commissioners.

8. A fee of 2s. 6d. will be required from each Candidate attending the Examination.

Civil Service Commission, December 3, 1901.

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

November 28, 1901.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Customs: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor), Albert Robert Richards Tate.

Post Office: Female Sorter, London, Edith Emily Soole.

Male Sorter, London, Stewart Reid.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION.

Post Office: Male Sorters, London, Charles William Bye, Harry Walter Chapman, Walter John Eldridge.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Pensioner Writer in His Majesty's Dockyards, Richard Ambrose Martin.

Customs: Boatman, Moses Greer Wall.

Post Office: Registry Assistants in the Secretary's Office, William Larkum, Henry Charles Sanford.

Postman, London, Joseph Cubitt Smith.

Porter, London, Henry John Wood.

Learners, Edward Ebenezer Anderson (Aldershot), Helena Barnes (Batley), Winifred Margaret Coleman (Bodmin), William Edward Gibbard (King's Lynn), Percy Robert Grant (Grantham), Isaac Hall (Carlisle), Percy Hulme (Woolwich), Ellen Mulcahy (Buttevant), George Harvey Peake (Carlisle), Robert Whitehead (Kendal).

Postmen, Ernest Stephen Bradshaw (Sheffield), John Conlon (Bradford), Fergus Cullen (Glasgow), William John French (Newport, Monmouthshire), Ernest Clement Hughes (Woolwich), Thomas Edward Jordan (Newcastle-on-Tyne), John Morrison (Glasgow), Frank Oates (Fareham), George Scott (Glasgow), John Henry Welch (Newport, Monmouthshire), Henry George Woodrow (Bournemouth).

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

William Robert Gourlay, Alfred Valdemar Robinson.

November 29, 1901.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Prisons Department, Scotland: *Warder,* William Finlayson.

Post Office: *Postman, London,* Arthur Albert Hunt.

Porter, London, Arthur George Clements.
Temporary Assistant Postman, London, George Percival Todd.

Learners, William Cox Boughton (Stourbridge), Gertrude Mary Boulsover (Bakewell), William Harold Gray Partridge (Lincoln), John Henry Rollinson (Saltcoats).

Postmen, Charles Christopher Ayre (Yarm), Walter Bradbury (Oxford), Clifford Hewlett (Woolwich), John Ross McLachlan (Castle Douglas), James Ross (Glasgow), John Wilson (Coldstream).

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

National Education Office, Ireland; Staff Clerk, William Bright.

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

John Albert Blundell, Ernest Augustus Broadbelt, Alan Amour Crawford, Bernard Thomas Dardis, Thomas William Davey, Thomas Lawrence Eastham, Kenelm Frederick John Edwards, Herbert Bernard Jones, Curtin McKenna, Samuel Ellison MacKeown, Harry Nuttall, Clifford George Roff, Stanley Allan Watson.

November 30, 1901.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Customs: *Assistant Clerk (Abstractor),* John Ritchie Thomson.

Post Office: *Female Sorter, London,* Violet Georgina Beck.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: *Chatham Dockyard, Shipwright,* George Frost.

Labourer, George Henry Spencer.

Prisons Service, Ireland: *Warder,* Michael Egan.

Post Office: *Registry Assistant in the Secretary's Office, London,* John Quinn.

Postman, London, John Field.

Tracer, Edinburgh, Gavin Mowat.

Learners, Harold George Fox (Burton-on-Trent), William Edmund Le Brocq (Jersey), Alethea Ethel Ruckman (Folkestone).

Postman, Sittingbourne, Frank William Quaife.

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

Edwin Charles Crewe, Joseph Raphael Duggan, Robert Archibald Haimes, Thomas Smith Kirkwood, Daniel McGlinchy, George Alexander Sutherland.

Civil Service Commission, December 3, 1901.

IN pursuance of the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of the 29th November, 1898, the Civil Service Commissioners hereby announce that the undermentioned Appointments and Promotion in the Civil Service were notified to them in the month of November, 1901:—

APPOINTMENTS.

Admiralty, Noel Edward Behrens to be Clerk (Class I) in the Secretary's Department, and Wilfrid Medd, Francis George Nutt and James Edward Masterton Smith to be Clerks (Class I) in the Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy.

Morris William Graham and Richard Ambrose Martin to be Pensioner Writers in His Majesty's Naval Establishments.

George John Abbott, Edmund Denham Garwood and Ralph Jefferies to be Assistant Clerks (Abstractors).

Census Office (England), Henry Close, Charles Harcourt Lees, and John Tubridy to be Assistant Clerks (Abstractors).

Consular Service, Arthur Bernard Geary and Ernest Gabriel Lomas to be Student Interpreters in the Ottoman Dominions, Persia, Greece, or Morocco.

Customs, Gilbert Edward Jervis, James Denis Kerans, Patrick O'Loughlin, Thomas Richard Richbell, Albert Robert Richards Tate, and John Ritchie Thomson to be Assistant Clerks (Abstractors).

Education, Board of, Herbert Nicholas Elijah West to be appointed to a Temporary Staff Post.

Fishery Board (Scotland), Alexander Birnie Stephen to be Fishery Officer.

Home Office, Samuel Robert Bennett and George Stevenson Taylor to be Inspectors of Factories and Workshops.

India Office or India Audit Office, Daniel Carlin, Frank Ratcliffe Darwell, William Norman Gardiner, John Montgomery Hamilton, Sidney Charles Apps Schofield, and Daniel Sullivan to be Second Class Clerks.

Inland Revenue, John Browne, Patrick William Danaher (Dublin), William Joseph Patrick Hand (Dublin), Matthew Horan (Dublin), and John McCull (Edinburgh) to be Assistant Clerks (Abstractors).

Local Government Board (Ireland), William Corbitt to be Local Stocks Clerk.

Mercantile Marine Offices, Arthur George Albert Bennett to be Clerk or Deputy Superintendent.

National Education Office (Ireland), William Bright to be Staff Clerk.

Patent Office, Albert Wilson to be Assistant Examiner.

James Andrew Haire to be Assistant Clerk (Abstractor).

Post Office, William Christopher Anderson, George William Bell, Barnard Major Brown, Ernest Joseph Chenery, Robert Hermon Davey, Gilbert Franks, Harry Shilling Marsh, Alister John Robertson, William Gibbs Thomas, and Frederick Richard Hawkins Vidler to be Examiners in the Telegraph Stores Department.

Albert George Lee to be Clerk in the Engineer-in-Chief's Office.

Charles Henry David Bliss, Herbert John Bullard, Thomas Archer Claydon, George Gilbert Cole, Samuel Copp, William Dolton, Albert Fox Eginton, Arthur Quance Ellery, Ambrose Edwin Everett, Albert William Field, Edward Richard Gell, Edward Frank Griffiths, Robert Snowdon Hall, Arthur Ephraim Harsum, Alfred Henry Haves, James Edward Thomas Sirius Hilton, George Hunter, William Alexander Stewart Jenkins, Robert Henry Larner, Frederick James Lock,

George Thomas Macnally, Henry William Mullens, Edwin Isaac Townley Newton, Frederick George Petchey, Frederick John Phillips, Thomas Smerdon, Herbert Sidney Smith, Ralph Swansborough, Francis George Augustus Terrill, Alfred Arbery Turner, and John Thomas Webb to be Clerks in the Superintending Engineer's Office.

George Bunyan, Joseph John Burrows, and Frederick Saywood to be Assistants in the Returned Letter Office.

John Blackwell, Percy Parnall Cutchey, Henry Herbert Evans, Edward Arthur Fitzgerald, William Larkum, John Henry Meier, John Quinn, Henry Charles Sauford, and William Alexander Tinlin to be Registry Assistants in the Secretary's Office, London.

Peter Tait to be Assistant Clerk (Abstractor).

Florence Mary Styles, Isabel Ethel Taylor, and Florence Louise Jane Wilkinson to be Woman Clerks.

Daisy Caroline Waldron to be Girl Clerk.

Prisons Department (England), Arthur Joseph Wall to be Second Class Clerk in the Office of the Prisons Commissioners.

Edgar Percy Brown to be Clerk (Second Class) in a Prison.

Reformatories Office, England, John Charles Pearson to be Technical Assistant to His Majesty's Inspector of Reformatory and Industrial Schools.

Register House Departments (Edinburgh), Thomas Crossan, James Fisher, Thomas Forrest, and Alexander Smith to be Clerks.

Scotch Education Department, Horace John Macartney to be Staff Clerk.

Seamen's Registry Office, Charles Edward Ernest Gobert, William Ernest Harris, and Albert William Purcell to be Assistant Clerks (Abstractors).

Supreme Court of Judicature (England), Maurice Rackham to be Third Class Clerk in the Admiralty Registry.

Supreme Court of Judicature (Ireland), Edward Wilfrid Joseph Macdermot to be Junior Clerk.

Trade, Board of, George Cuthbert Layton Maunder to be Clerk of the Upper Division.

Charles Ernest Donkin and George Frederick Farnan to be Assistant Clerks (Abstractors).

War Office, Cecil William Egerton-Warburton and Archibald Edwards Widdows to be Higher Division Clerks.

Thomas Bishop to be Chief Examiner in the Army Ordnance Department.

Edward Charles Cook to be Storeholder in the Army Ordnance Department.

War Office, Royal Ordnance Factories.

Royal Laboratory, John Machray Ledingham to be Manager.

Henry Burrows and Daniel Thomas Morley to be Assistant Managers.

George Wallace Brodie, David Carnegie, William Charlesworth, William Davidson, Robert Forest Shand, and Henry Heron Smith to be Principal Foremen.

Royal Carriage Department, Joseph Henry Charlesworth to be Assistant Manager.

Archibald Robert Anderson to be Chief Draughtsman.

Frederic William Charles Dean to be Assistant Chief Draughtsman.

Everett Louis Chasteauneuf, James Dargie, David Doig, John William Ginno, and Alfred Stace to be Principal Foremen.

John Burke Farlie to be Metallurgist.

Building Works Department, Charles Oldfield Booth to be Manager.

Francis Caird, George Henry Church, Arthur Clifford Coomes, Charles Henry Daw, William Gregory, Francis Foster Thomas Marrable, George Henry Masters, William Menzies, Arthur William Onslow, William Sherman, and Charles Stagg to be Principal Foremen.

Royal Small Arms Factory, Enfield, Joseph James Speed to be Manager.

Joseph Parrott Ackroyd, Charles John Foster, Henry Arthur Hitch, Godfrey Sugden Metcalfe, Richard Middlehurst, and Charles Shepherd to be Principal Foremen.

Royal Gunpowder Factory, Waltham, James Miln Thomson to be Assistant Manager.

William Rintoul, Robert Robertson, and William Thomas Thomson to be First Class Chemists.

Charles Hunt Allison, Walter James Chittenden, and Ernest Ethelbert Skerman to be Principal Foremen.

Royal Small Arms Factory, Birmingham, John Fenwick Crockatt to be Assistant Manager.

Harry George to be Principal Foreman.

Royal Gun Factory, Alfred Spelman Angas and Francis Radcliffe to be Assistant Managers.

Thomas Seward Green, George Henry Mahy, John Kershaw Schofield, William Henry Turton, and John Butchard Wood to be Chief Foremen.

Henry James Maskell and John Frederic Wampen to be Chief Draughtsmen.

William Edward Miles to be Chief Foreman in the Steam Section.

Central Office, John Richard Clayton to be Assistant Manager.

Woods, Office of, Cornelius Curtin to be Assistant Clerk (Abstractor).

Works, Office of, Arthur Pettman Patey to be Resident Engineer at the Houses of Parliament.

Clerks of the Second Division.

Agriculture, Board of, Robert Squire Langford and William Percy Smart.

Agriculture and Technical Instruction (Ireland), Department of, Patrick John Martin.

Civil Service Commission, Herbert Frederick Shave.

Customs, Patrick Manley, for temporary duty.

Education, Board of, Athelstane Ridgway.

Inland Revenue, James Cotter, Leonard Theodore Cunningham, Michael Deegan (Dublin), Charles Henry Ford (Edinburgh), and, for temporary duty, Alexander Patrick Hughes (Edinburgh).

Local Government Board (Ireland), Thomas John McArdle.

Post Office, William Florence Buzzing, Harold James Taylor Griffiths, and Henry Wilson.

Registrar-General's Office (Scotland), Horace John Mitchelmore, for temporary duty.

Trade, Board of, William Henry Codling.

PROMOTION under Clause XII of the Order in Council of 29th November, 1898:—

Colonial Office, Charles Wormald Appleyard, Clerk of the Second Division, to be Assistant to the Accountant to the High Commissioner for South Africa.

[Extract from the New South Wales Government Gazette (No. 715) of Tuesday,
August 27, 1901.]

PROCLAMATION.

New South Wales to wit. (L.S.) } By His Excellency the Honourable Sir Frederick Matthew
Fredk. M. Darley, } Darley, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order
Lieutenant-Governor. } of Saint Michael and Saint George, Lieutenant-Governor of
the State of New South Wales and its Dependencies, in the
Commonwealth of Australia.

WHEREAS by section 10 of the "Imported Stock Act of 1871," the Governor may, by Proclamation in the Government Gazette, restrict or absolutely prohibit for any specified time the importation or introduction of any stock, fodder, or fittings from any other State or country in which there is reason to believe any infectious or contagious disease in stock exists: And whereas there is reason to believe that certain infectious and contagious diseases exist in some of the countries of Europe, Asia, Africa, America, and in Colonies other than the Australian States: Now, therefore, I, Sir Frederick Matthew Darley, the Lieutenant-Governor aforesaid, do, by this my Proclamation, hereby restrict, as set forth in Schedule A hereto, and absolutely prohibit, as set forth in Schedule B hereto, for a period of two years from the date hereof, the importation or introduction into this State of the stock, articles, or things mentioned in the said Schedules from the countries or Colonies therein named:—

SCHEDULE A.

IMPORTED STOCK ACT OF 1871, THE IMPORTED STOCK ACT AMENDMENT ACT OF 1884, AND THE IMPORTED STOCK ACT FURTHER AMENDMENT ACT, 1896.

Stock and Fittings from places outside the Australian States which may be admitted subject to the Restrictions and Regulations mentioned in this Schedule.

Description of Stock or Articles or Things.	Country or Colony from which Stock come.	Restrictions and Regulations.
*Cattle, Sheep, and Swine	From Great Britain and Ireland, Germany, Belgium, the United States of America, and Canada	All such stock imported from Great Britain and Ireland shall be shipped at the Ports of London, Liverpool, or Glasgow; from Germany, at the Ports of Hamburg and Bremen; from Belgium, at the Port of Antwerp; from the United States, at the Port of New York; and from Canada, at the Port of Vancouver; and all such stock shall be introduced and dealt with in accordance with the Regulations under the above-named Act in force for the time being
Angora Goats ...	From the United States of America	All such goats shall be introduced and dealt with in accordance with the above-mentioned Regulations
†Horses and Camels ...	From any Country or Colony other than a Country or Colony in Africa and the Indian Archipelago	All such horses and camels shall be introduced and dealt with in accordance with the above-mentioned Regulations
Dogs ...	From any Country or Colony except a Country or Colony in Africa and the Indian Archipelago	All such dogs shall be introduced and dealt with in accordance with the above-mentioned Regulations
Goats (including Angora), Deer, Antelopes, Llamas, Buffalo, and other wild Ruminants	From any Country or Colony other than a Country or Colony in Africa and the Indian Archipelago	All such stock may be admitted for any Zoological Society, but shall be dealt with in accordance with the above-mentioned Regulations
Fittings (including Stalls, Fittings, and Premises for the keeping or confining of Cattle or Sheep), and all Brushes, Combs, Rugs, Mats, Halters, and Headstalls, or other articles	From any Country or Colony except a Country or Colony in Africa and the Indian Archipelago	Fittings may be landed, provided the permission of the Chief Inspector of Stock is obtained, but subject to disinfection as required by the above-mentioned Regulations

* Cattle subject to Tuberculin Test.

† Horses subject to Mallein Test.

SCHEDULE B.

Stock, Articles, or Things from places outside the Australian States which are absolutely prohibited from being introduced into this State.

Description of Stock, Articles, or Things.	From what Country or Colony.
Cattle, Sheep, and Swine	Are absolutely prohibited from all Countries other than Great Britain and Ireland, Germany, Belgium, the United States of America, and Canada
Horses, Camels, Dogs, Goats, Deer, Antelopes, Llamas, Buffalo, and other wild Ruminants	From any Country or Colony in Africa and the Indian Archipelago
Cattle, Sheep, Swine, Horses, Camels, Dogs, Goats, Deer, Antelopes, Llamas, Buffalo, and other wild Ruminants	From any Country or Colony by any vessel which, with such stock on board, has called at any Port in the Indian Archipelago
All kinds of Carcases, Hides, Skins, Wool, Hair, Horns, Hoofs, and Bones	
All Fodder (including Hay, Straw, Litter, Grass, Green Crop, Grain, Corn, and anything commonly used for, or with, or about, Stock)	Put on board a vessel from any Country or Colony not being an Australian State for the use of or in any way connected with stock from such Country or Colony or with which such stock have been in contact
Litter, Bedding, and Manure	

Given under my hand and seal, at Sydney, this twenty-seventh day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and one, and in the first year of His Majesty's Reign.

By His Excellency's Command,
JOHN KIDD.

GOD save the KING !

[This Proclamation is in lieu of that dated 8th August, and published in the New South Wales Government Gazette of September 8, 1899.]

Department of Mines and Agriculture,
Stock and Brands,
Sydney, 27th. August, 1901.

IMPORTED STOCK ACT OF 1871, THE IMPORTED STOCK ACT AMENDMENT ACT OF 1884, AND THE IMPORTED STOCK ACT FURTHER AMENDMENT ACT OF 1896.

THE following Regulation, made by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, for carrying into effect the provisions of the above-named Acts with regard to the application of the Mallein and Tuberculin Test to Horses or Cattle intended to be shipped to this State and the duration of Quarantine for Stock, is hereby published for general information.

JOHN KIDD.

Application of Mallein and Tuberculin Tests to Horses and Cattle.

All horses intended to be shipped from any place other than any of the Australian States (which include Tasmania and New Zealand) shall, before being shipped, be subjected by the Veterinary Surgeon appointed to examine and grant certificates of health for stock intended to be shipped for this State to a Mallein Test, and all cattle from any such place shall be subjected to a Tuberculin Test ; and if any of such horses or cattle shall, in the opinion of such Veterinary Surgeon, react to such test, he will refuse to grant a certificate of health, and such horses or cattle, as the case may be, shall not be admitted into this State.

This Regulation to take effect three months after the date of issue.

Duration of Quarantine for Stock from places outside the Australian States.

The several kinds of Stock from places outside the Australian States mentioned below admitted to quarantine shall remain therein for the respective periods herein specified, dating from the day of removal from the vessel, namely :—

Horses	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 days.
Cattle	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40 "
Sheep, if imported from the United Kingdom	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30 "
Sheep, if imported from any other Colony or Country outside the Australian States	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60 "
Camels	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	90 "
Buffaloes, Goats, Deer, Antelopes, Llamas, and other wild Ruminants...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60 "
Swine	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60 "
Dogs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 months.

If any stock are not removed at the expiration of their term of quarantine, they shall, after not less than 14 days' notice has been given to the owner, be sold or otherwise disposed of as the Minister may direct.

County Borough of Croydon.
The Locomotives Act, 1898.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the above mentioned Act, that the Council of the county borough of Croydon have made certain Bye-laws for regulating the use of Locomotives, and of waggons drawn by Locomotives on highways within the county borough of Croydon, and for prohibiting and restricting the use of Locomotives on certain specified bridges in the said borough.

And notice is hereby also given that at the expiration of one calendar month from the date of the publication of this advertisement application will be made to the Local Government Board to confirm the said Bye-laws, and that in the interval a copy of the same will be deposited at the Town Clerk's Office, Town Hall, Croydon, and will remain open during office hours to the inspection of any ratepayer of the said borough without fee or reward, or a copy of the said Bye-laws, or any part thereof, will be furnished on payment of sixpence for every hundred words contained therein.

(By order.)

E. MAWDESLEY,

Town Clerk.

Town Hall, Croydon,
26th November, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named Congregational Church, situated at Halmer End, in the civil parish of Audley, in the county of Stafford, in the registration district of Newcastle-under-Lyme, being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the twenty-second day of November, 1901, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this twenty-third day of November, 1901.

JOSEPH KNIGHT, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named Wesleyan Methodist School Chapel, situated at Appley-lane, Appley Bridge, in the civil parish of Wrightington, in the county of Lancaster, in the registration district of Wigan, being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the twenty-second day of November, 1901, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this twenty-third day of November, 1901.

HENRY GORDON PHAR, Deputy Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named Congregational Church, situated at Chapel-street, in the civil parish of Burnham, in the county of Buckingham, in the registration district of Eton, being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the twenty-seventh day of November, 1901, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this twenty-eighth day of November, 1901.

R. H. BARKETT, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named Mount Zion Chapel, situated at Church-road, in the civil parish of Leatherhead, in the county of Surrey, in the registration district of Epsom, being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the twenty-eighth day of November, 1901, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and

7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 30th day of November, 1901.

W. O. READER, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named Wesleyan Methodist Church, situated at Fore-street, Totnes, in the civil parish of Totnes, in the county of Devon, in the registration district of Totnes, being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the twenty-seventh day of November, 1901, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85, being substituted for the building named Wesleyan Methodist Chapel, situate at the Plains, Totnes, now disused.—Witness my hand this twenty-eighth day of November, 1901.

THOS. W. WINDEATT, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building named English Congregational Church, situated at Ynysmurig-road, Abercynon, in the civil parish of Llanwonno, in the county of Glamorgan, in the registration district of Poutypridd, being a building certified according to law as a place of meeting for religious worship, was on the twenty-seventh day of November, 1901, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. 4, c. 85.—Witness my hand this 28th day of November, 1901.

WM. SPICKETT, Superintendent Registrar.

Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the St. Luke's Tradesmen's Friendly Society, Register No. 4374, held at the Cocoa Rooms, 124, Pembroke-place, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 25th day of November, 1901, 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 25th day of November, 1901.

Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Harleston Provident Medical Society, Register No. 1151, held at the Committee Rooms, Thorofare-street, Harleston, in the county of Norfolk, is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 25th day of November, 1901, 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 25th day of November, 1901.

Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Geranium Lodge of Ancient Free Gardeners, Register No. 1601, held at the Royal Hotel, Tyne Docks, South Shields, in the county of Durham, is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 26th day of November, 1901, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears proceedings be com

menced 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 26th day of November, 1901.

Advertisement of Cancelling.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Chief Registrar of Friendly Societies has, pursuant to s. 77 of the Friendly Societies Act, 1896, by writing under his hand, dated the 26th day of November, 1901, cancelled the Registry of the Frampton Cotterell District Loyal Philanthropic Institution (Register No. 1050), held at the Ring-o'-Bells Inn, Coalpit Heath, Bristol, in the county of Gloucester, 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 liability incurred by the Society, which may be enforced against it as if such cancelling had not taken place.

E. W. BRABROOK, Chief Registrar.

Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1893.
56 and 57 Vict., cap. 39.

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Bramley and District Coal Association Limited, Register No. 3284 R, held at 251, Town-street, Bramley, in the county of York, is dissolved by instrument, registered at this office, the 26th day of November, 1901, 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 26th day of November, 1901.

The Great Indian Peninsula Railway Company.
Annuity Trustees.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Registration Books, in respect of the Annuities, will be closed from the 11th to the 31st December instant, both days inclusive, for the preparation of the half-yearly annuity warrants, which will be forwarded to the Annuitants on the 1st January, 1902.

By Order of the Annuity Trustees,

J. I. BERRY, Secretary.

Offices, 48, Copthall-avenue, E.C., London.
2nd December, 1901.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.
Mr. Justice Joyce.
1901. D. 063.

In the Matter of the Debenture Corporation Limited and Reduced, and in the Matter of the Companies Act, 1867.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition presented to His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 24th day of May, 1901, for confirming a resolution reducing the capital of the above Company from £3,000,000 to £2,000,000, is directed to be heard before Mr. Justice Joyce on the 14th day of December, 1901.

LINKLATER, ADDISON, BROWN, and JONES,
2, Bond-court, Wallbrook, London, E.C.,
Solicitors for the Company.

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 30th November, 1901, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

						QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
						Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	...	...	...	...	...	60,323	6	27	1
Barley	...	...	...	...	...	193,434	3	26	9
Oats	...	...	...	...	...	22,419	1	18	9

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1897 to 1900.

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.
1897	...	...	73,759	1	182,106	0	16,997	5	33	9	25	10	16	9
1898	...	...	79,838	2	196,712	5	18,693	5	27	7	28	6	17	1
1899	...	...	72,974	7	163,441	3	22,575	4	25	7	25	10	16	6
1900	...	...	48,700	5	164,624	0	18,157	4	27	0	25	9	17	2

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

Board of Agriculture, 4, Whitehall-place, London, S.W.
November 30, 1901.

P. G. CRAIGIE.

No. 27382.

THE LONDON GAZETTE, DECEMBER 3, 1901.

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 30th November, 1901.

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	28 0	29 7	19 11	Hull	26 10	25 1	19 0
Middlesex :—				Howden	27 1	...	...
Uxbridge	29 0	...	...	Beverley	27 2	24 10	18 7
Essex :—				Bridlington	27 1	24 10	19 0
Romford	26 8	...	18 7	Nottinghamshire :—			
Chelmsford	28 1	29 9	20 10	Retford	26 11	23 9	18 6
Colchester	27 4	28 2	18 10	Worksop ... ..	...	25 1	...
Braintree	27 10	29 5	19 1	Mansfield ... ..	...	21 11	18 1
Saffron Walden	26 6	28 3	...	Newark	27 4	27 4	19 3
Hertfordshire :—				Nottingham	28 6	23 1	19 11
Bishop's Stortford	26 1	29 4	19 6	Leicestershire :—			
Hertford	27 3	26 11	...	Loughborough	26 8	24 6	17 10
Royston	26 5	26 5	16 3	Leicester	27 9	23 9	18 8
Hitchin	26 11	25 3	19 0	Melton Mowbray	26 1	24 0	18 1
Bedfordshire :—				Rutland :—			
Luton	27 2	24 5	20 0	Oakham	25 11	...	18 4
Bedford	27 0	25 10	...	Northamptonshire :—			
Huntingdonshire :—				Peterborough	26 3	24 1	18 5
St. Neots	26 6	26 1	...	Kettering	26 9	23 9	18 7
St. Ives	26 10	23 9	18 8	Northampton	27 2	24 6	19 1
Cambridgeshire :—				Warwickshire :—			
Wisbech	26 4	23 5	18 3	Coventry	27 6	25 5	19 3
Ely	25 11	22 10	18 1	Birmingham	28 11	...	...
Cambridge	26 8	27 9	18 3	Warwick	27 2	26 2	19 11
Suffolk :—				Stratford-on-Avon	Nil.	...	...
Haverhill	26 10	28 0	...	Oxfordshire :—			
Sudbury	28 10	28 8	...	Banbury	27 2	22 7	18 7
Hadleigh	26 8	29 9	...	Oxford	27 0	25 4	20 4
Ipswich	27 6	30 3	18 6	Bicester	Nil.	...	...
Woodbridge	27 11	29 2	20 0	Buckinghamshire :—			
Stowmarket	26 10	29 9	19 4	Newport Pagnell ... ..	...	26 11	...
Bury St. Edmunds	27 4	28 7	18 8	Aylesbury ... ..	...	27 3	19 7
Saxmundham	27 9	26 3	...	Berkshire :—			
Framlingham	28 1	30 1	...	Abingdon	27 6	25 0	18 5
Eye ... ..	...	30 7	...	Wallingford	28 4	...	19 4
Halesworth	28 6	30 6	...	Hungerford	27 10	32 8	...
Bungay	27 9	30 1	...	Newbury	27 11	27 0	18 11
Beccles	27 2	28 7	...	Reading	27 10	21 8	19 8
Norfolk :—				Surrey :—			
Diss	27 1	31 3	18 7	Farnham ... ..	...	29 5	...
Harleston	27 8	29 4	...	Guildford	26 1	27 7	18 9
Yarmouth	27 2	28 0	17 11	Redhill	Nil.	...	...
Norwich	26 11	28 9	18 7	Kingston ... ..	...	31 11	...
North Walsham	26 6	24 11	16 8	Croydon	27 7	...	...
Holt ... ..	...	24 1	17 8	Kent :—			
Fakenham	27 7	26 5	18 11	Rochester	27 2	29 7	...
East Dereham	26 7	26 3	18 4	Sandwich	28 10	...	18 8
Watton	26 1	24 5	16 8	Canterbury	29 8	31 2	...
Lynn	26 9	26 0	18 11	Ashford	28 11	27 9	18 11
Lincolnshire :—				Maidstone	29 0	36 9	...
Spalding	26 8	24 4	18 4	Tunbridge	Nil.	...	...
Stamford	27 2	24 1	19 6	Sussex :—			
Grantham	27 0	25 5	19 5	Lewes	26 11	...	...
Sleaford	26 9	25 2	19 5	Brighton	26 6	31 5	...
Boston	26 10	24 11	18 8	Hayward's Heath	26 8	...	...
Louth	26 9	25 7	18 4	Horsham	27 3	28 6	20 9
Lincoln	27 1	25 6	19 4	Pulborough	Nil.	...	...
Gainsborough	27 6	25 2	18 6	Chichester	27 7	29 6	19 3
Brigg	26 10	25 8	18 7				

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.
Hampshire :—				Staffordshire :—			
Newport ...	...	29 0	...	Wolverhampton ...	...	26 10	...
Fareham ...	26 2	26 0	19 6	Stafford ...	27 7	25 11	19 11
Southampton ...	26 7	...	...	Burton-on-Trent ...	...	27 6	20 5
Winchester ...	26 3	23 5	19 10	Derbyshire :—			
Basingstoke ...	26 7	25 9	19 8	Derby ...	28 7	27 9	...
Andover ...	26 10	22 2	19 3	Yorkshire, W.R. :—			
Ringwood ...	Nil.	...	...	Sheffield ...	Nil.	...	...
Dorsetshire :—				Doncaster ...	26 10	24 3	18 4
Wimborne ...	...	22 1	18 4	Goole ...	27 3	23 4	18 6
Wareham ...	...	26 6	...	Pontefract ...	26 8	24 10	...
Dorchester ...	25 9	24 2	17 4	Wakefield ...	...	24 9	...
Blandford ...	25 3	23 2	18 3	Leeds ...	28 11	26 7	20 5
Bridport ...	25 8	25 9	...	Knaresborough ...	Nil.	...	...
Devonshire :—				Ripon ...	28 1	25 3	...
Tiverton ...	Nil.	...	...	York ...	27 2	25 3	19 3
Barnstaple ...	25 1	23 1	17 8	Yorkshire, N.R. :—			
Exeter ...	26 7	24 1	17 7	Easingwold ...	27 10	24 5	19 6
Newton Abbot ...	...	23 1	...	Malton ...	27 6	25 2	16 11
Totnes ...	25 0	22 9	16 10	Scarborough ...	Nil.	...	...
Kingsbridge ...	24 8	22 3	...	Thirsk ...	...	26 8	18 5
Plymouth ...	...	23 2	...	Bedale ...	27 2	24 10	18 10
Okehampton ...	26 9	...	18 7	Northallerton ...	...	24 0	...
Cornwall :—				Durham :—			
Liskeard ...	...	19 7	16 6	Darlington ...	27 9	24 1	19 6
Wadebridge ...	25 1	20 3	18 6	Stockton-on-Tees ...	27 3	24 0	...
Truro ...	24 6	20 6	17 9	Bishop Auckland ...	Nil.	...	...
Somersetshire :—				Sunderland ...	27 1	23 3	...
Bridgwater ...	25 7	25 4	19 7	Northumberland :—			
Taunton ...	25 8	26 6	...	Newcastle-on-Tyne ...	...	24 6	19 5
Yeovil ...	26 1	24 7	18 9	Alnwick ...	...	24 5	18 10
Frome ...	...	23 8	...	Berwick ...	26 1	24 8	18 8
Bath ...	26 1	...	...	Cumberland :—			
Bristol ...	26 5	25 4	...	Carlisle ...	...	29 1	18 4
Wiltshire :—				Cockermouth ...	...	...	17 5
Warminster ...	26 8	24 10	19 0	Penrith ...	...	...	18 6
Salisbury ...	26 3	24 5	19 0	Westmorland :—			
Devizes ...	26 5	25 1	19 3	Kendal ...	...	...	22 9
Swindon ...	27 2	27 6	...	Lancashire :—			
Gloucestershire :—				Garstang ...	Nil.	...	...
Cirencester ...	26 4	22 4	18 8	Preston ...	Nil.	...	...
Gloucester ...	27 7	23 6	21 0	Manchester ...	29 9	...	...
Cheltenham ...	27 3	23 10	...	Warrington ...	26 9	...	17 8
Tewkesbury ...	27 8	...	...	Cheshire :—			
Monmouthshire :—				Chester ...	27 2	...	...
Chepstow ...	25 9	30 5	17 11	Anglesey :—			
Newport ...	27 1	...	18 9	Llangefni ...	...	...	16 4
Abergavenny ...	26 9	24 10	...	Carnarvonshire :—			
Herefordshire :—				Carnarvon ...	...	21 1	16 4
Ross ...	27 1	25 4	18 0	Denbighshire :—			
Hereford ...	26 7	23 6	19 6	Denbigh ...	Nil.	...	...
Worcestershire :—				Wrexham ...	26 9	25 4	...
Evesham ...	27 10	22 3	19 0	Montgomeryshire :—			
Worcester ...	26 5	25 5	19 11	Welshpool ...	27 0	24 10	...
Shropshire :—				Cardiganshire :—			
Ludlow ...	27 4	24 9	19 1	Cardigan ...	Nil.	...	...
Bridgnorth ...	27 0	26 4	...	Pembrokeshire :—			
Shrewsbury ...	27 7	27 2	...	Haverfordwest ...	...	22 0	16 6
Oswestry ...	27 3	26 7	...	Glamorgan :—			
Market Drayton ...	26 9	25 4	18 1	Cardiff ...	Nil.	...	...
				Brecknockshire :—			
				Brecon ...	...	...	18 11

ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of Agricultural Produce Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 30th November, 1901, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

					Quantities.	
					1900.	1901
Animals, living :—						
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves	...	...	...	Number	9,835	9,680
Sheep and Lambs	...	...	...	"	3,495	7,271
Swine	...	...	...	"	—	—
Fresh Meat :—						
Beef	...	...	...	cwts.	87,590	78,540
Mutton	...	...	...	"	32,885	90,541
Pork	...	...	...	"	18,181	18,544
Salted or Preserved Meat :—						
Bacon	...	...	...	"	97,566	111,776
Beef	...	...	...	"	5,004	3,818
Hams	...	...	...	"	27,578	37,982
Pork	...	...	...	"	4,157	4,502
Meat, unenumerated, salted or fresh...	...	...	...	"	9,060	11,258
Meat, preserved, otherwise than by salting	...	...	...	"	21,645	14,428
Dairy Produce and Substitutes :—						
Butter	...	...	...	"	64,580	66,326
Margarine	...	...	...	"	21,261	14,505
Cheese	...	...	...	"	52,599	59,050
* Milk, Fresh, in cans or drums	...	...	...	"	782	572
* " Cream	...	...	...	"		90
* " Preserved, other kinds	...	...	...	"		21
" Condensed	...	...	...	"		14,892
Eggs	...	...	...	Great Hundred	288,048	423,681
Poultry and Game	...	...	...	Value £	13,125	12,378
Rabbits, dead (not tinned)	...	...	...	cwts.	18,655	9,227
Lard	...	...	...	"	41,127	28,984
Corn, Grain, Meal and Flour :—						
Wheat	...	...	...	"	1,142,400	1,769,700
Wheat, Meal and Flour	...	...	...	"	347,700	613,400
Barley	...	...	...	"	307,400	869,000
Oats	...	...	...	"	310,400	325,500
Pease	...	...	...	"	71,000	45,700
Beans	...	...	...	"	42,500	20,500
Maize or Indian Corn	...	...	...	"	1,103,100	642,600
Fruit, Raw :—						
Apples	...	...	...	"	102,233	74,950
Apricots and Peaches	...	...	...	"	—	—
Bananas	...	...	...	Bunches	16,207	48,540
Cherries	...	...	...	cwts.	—	—
Currants	...	...	...	"	—	—
Gooseberries	...	...	...	"	—	—
Grapes	...	...	...	"	10,896	3,292
Lemons	...	...	...	"	21,352	10,189
Oranges	...	...	...	"	152,635	237,499
Pears	...	...	...	"	3,061	3,896
Plums	...	...	...	"	—	—
Strawberries	...	...	...	"	—	—
Unenumerated	...	...	...	"	2,028	2,481
Hay	...	...	...	Tons	1,729	7,881
Hops	...	...	...	cwts.	14,875	4,134
Vegetables, Raw :—						
Onions	...	...	...	Bush.	144,024	151,021
Potatoes	...	...	...	cwts.	311,265	42,021
Tomatoes	...	...	...	"	10,093	5,444
Unenumerated	...	...	...	Value £	11,203	5,259
† Dried	...	...	...	cwts.	—	5,005
† Preserved by canning	...	...	...	"	—	1,368

* In 1900 these were not shown separately.

† Included with Vegetables Unenumerated prior to 1901.

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 48 Weeks ended 28th November, 1901.

Ports.	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.
Week ended 28th November, 1901.												
Liverpool ...	173,015	5,808	...	9,958	2,515	191,291	677	...	85	4,228	268	5,258
London ...	...	...	521	...	...	521	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hull ...	1,050	...	...	320	100	1,470	273	...	...	47	...	320
Manchester ...	29,307	...	...	...	...	29,307	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Ports ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	...	38
Total ...	203,372	5,808	521	10,273	2,615	222,589	950	...	85	4,313	268	5,616
48 Weeks ended 28th November, 1901.												
Liverpool ...	2,136,155	42,512	45,640	217,503	62,261	2,504,071	43,353	1,865	10,881	58,022	8,178	122,299
London ...	5,398	...	32,871	101	1,199	39,569	3,021	...	27,993	100	38	31,152
Hull ...	32,503	...	2,900	15,899	454	51,256	53,898	300	3,024	16,579	273	74,074
Manchester ...	335,735	...	...	80,197	...	415,932	7	...	...	...	...	7
Other Ports ...	97,299	4	...	...	129	97,432	72,115	...	65	38	...	72,218
Total ...	2,607,090	42,516	81,411	313,200	64,043	3,108,260	172,394	2,165	41,963	74,789	8,489	299,750

Dated November 29, 1901.

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 23rd day of November, 1901.

PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.							Average Amount.
							£
Ashford Bank	Ashford ...	Pomfret and Co.	4426				
Aylesbury Old Bank	Aylesbury ...	Cobb, Bartlett, and Co.	7716				
Banbury Bank	Banbury ...	Gillett and Co.	4902				
Banbury Old Bank	Banbury ...	T. R. Cobb and Son	3681				
Bedford Bank	Bedford ...	Barnard and Co.	11239				
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank	Bicester ...	Tubb and Co.	10389				
Buckingham Bank	Buckingham ...	Bartlett and Co.	6866				
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank	Cambridge ...	Foster and Co.	20153				
Canterbury Bank	Canterbury ...	Hammond and Co.	6876				
Derby Bank	Derby ...	Samuel Smith and Co.	3879				
Faversham Bank	Faversham ...	Hilton and Co.	2010				
Hull and Kingston-upon-Hull Bank	Kingston-upon-Hull ...	Smith Brothers and Co.	8433				
Ipswich Bank	Ipswich ...	Bacon and Co.	9441				
Kington and Radnorshire Bank	Kington ...	Davies and Co.	13667				
Leeds Old Bank	Leeds ...	Beckett and Co.	35722				
Lincoln Bank	Lincoln ...	Smith, Ellison, and Co....	47740				
Llandovery, Lampeter, and Llan- dilo Banks... ..	Llandovery ...	D. Jones and Co.	12233				
Naval Bank	Plymouth ...	Harris, Bulteel, and Co.	2838				
Newark Bank	Newark ...	Samuel Smith and Co.	5540				
Newmarket Bank	Newmarket ...	Hammond and Co.	3698				
Nottingham Bank	Nottingham ...	Samuel Smith and Co.	12114				
Oxfordshire Witney Bank	Witney ...	Gillett and Co.	3455				
Reading Bank	Reading ...	Simonds and Co.	9830				
Richmond Bank	Richmond ...	Roper and Co.	3172				
Sleaford and Newark Bank, and Newark and Sleaford Bank }	Sleaford ...	Peacock and Co.	10018				
Wallingford Bank	Wallingford ...	Hedges, Wells, and Co....	863				
Wellington Somerset Bank	Wellington ...	Fox, Fowler, and Co.	3022				
West Riding Bank, Wakefield; and Pontefract Bank	Wakefield ...	Leatham, Tew, and Co.	18400				
Worcester, Great Malvern, and Tewkesbury Old Bank	Worcester ...	Berwick, Lechmere, and Co.	12900				
York and East Riding Bank	Beverley ...	Beckett and Co....	44683				

JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.						Average Amount.
						£
Bank of Whitehaven Limited	...	...	...	...	Whitehaven	12267
Bradford Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Bradford	31554
Bradford Commercial Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Bradford	8606
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Carlisle	22012
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Halifax	5240
Halifax Commercial Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Halifax	5112
Halifax Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Halifax	11550
Knaresborough and Claro Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Harrogate	21717
Lancaster Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Lancaster	51079
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Lincoln	39276
North and South Wales Bank Limited	...	...	...	...	Liverpool	49765
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Nottingham	23003
Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Leicester	17342
Sheffield and Hallamshire Bank Limited	...	...	...	...	Sheffield	4696
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Sheffield	9394
Sheffield Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Sheffield	9114
Stamford, Spalding, and Boston Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Stamford	35493
Stuckey's Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Langport	99906
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank Limited	...	...	...	...	Wakefield	6083
West Riding Union Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Huddersfield	7832
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Whitehaven	25611
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Salisbury	59252
York City and County Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	York	94588
Yorkshire Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	Leeds	95973
York Union Banking Company Limited	...	...	...	...	York	71708

H. GORE, Assistant-Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue Office, November 30, 1901.

Stolen.

THE undermentioned Government of India Promissory Notes:—

No.	Loan.	Amount.	Originally standing in the Name of
(1.) L15755	3½% 1854-55	Rs. 1,000/-	James Wilson.
(2.) 066426	3½% 1854-55	Rs. 100/-	Captain H. Stenson.
(3.) M000220	3½% 1854-55	Rs. 100/-	The Official Trustee, Madras.
(4.) 065152	3½% 1842-43	Rs. 100/-	The Administrator-General, Bengal.

No. L15755 3½% 1854-55 for Rs. 1,000/- was last endorsed by James Wilson in blank.
No. 066426 3½% 1854-55 for Rs. 100/- was last endorsed by R. W. Carter and Co. in blank.
No. M000220 3½% 1854-55 for Rs. 100/- was last endorsed by Alexr. Jacks and Co. in blank.
No. 065152 3½% 1842-43 for Rs. 100/- was last endorsed by R. W. Carter and Co. in blank.

Payment of the above Notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, and application is to be made for accrued interest and for the issue of duplicates in favour of the Proprietors after two years from date of last advertisement.

R. W. CARTER and Co., Warnford-court, London, E.C.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of SWINE-FEVER for the Week ended November 30th, 1901,
distinguishing Counties (including Boroughs*).

County.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or as having been exposed to Infection.	County.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or as having been exposed to Infection.
ENGLAND.			ENGLAND.		
	No.	No.		No.	No.
Berks	3	12	Salop	1	2
Buckingham	1	17	Warwick	1	...
Chester	1	1	Wilts	1	3
Devon ... ..	...	10	York, East Riding	1	3
Essex	1	2	" North Riding	1	3
Hants	1	8	" West Riding	2	...
Lincoln, Parts of Kesteven ... ..	...	2	WALES.		
Middlesex	1	3	Glamorgan	1	1
Norfolk	5	21			
Northampton	1	1			
Soke of Peterborough	1	2			
Northumberland	1	1			
Notts	1	13			
			TOTAL	25	105

* 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:—

Buckinghamshire.—(1.) An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Stoke and Burnham, and the parishes of Hughenden, West Wycombe, Chepping Wycombe Rural, Little Marlow, Wooburn, and Hedsor, in the administrative county of Buckingham; and also comprising the borough of Chepping Wycombe (6 September, 1900).

(2.) An Area comprising the petty sessional division of the Three Hundreds of Buckingham, and the borough of Buckingham, in the administrative county of Buckingham (11 June, 1901).

Cheshire.—(1.) An Area comprising the parishes of Buglawton, North Rode, Eaton, Marton, Saddington, Lower Withington, Kermingham, Swettenham, Somerford Booths, Hulme Walfield, Somerford, Davenport, Brereton-cum-Smethwick, Arclid, Smallwood, Newbold Astbury, and Moreton-cum-Alcumlow, in the administrative county of Chester; and also comprising the borough of Congleton (2 May, 1901).

(2.) An Area comprising the petty sessional division of Nantwich, in the administrative county of Chester; and also comprising the borough of Crewe (30 October, 1901).

Derbyshire.—(1.) An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Eckington and Chesterfield, in the administrative county of Derby; and also comprising the borough of Chesterfield (23 September, 1901).

(2.) An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Repton and Swadlincote, in the administrative county of Derby (8 July, 1901).

Essex.—An Area comprising the petty sessional division of Rochford, and the parishes of Downham, Ramsden Bellhouse, Ramsden Crays, Great Burstead, Little Burstead, Laindon, Lee Chapel, Basildon, Vange, Nevendon, Wickford, North Benfleet, Pitsea, and Bowers Gifford, in the administrative county of Essex; and also

comprising the borough of Southend-on-Sea (2 November, 1901).

Flintshire.—An Area comprising the petty sessional division of Overton (detached), in the administrative county of Flint (30 October, 1901).

Isle of Ely.—An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of North Witchford and Ely, in the administrative county of the Isle of Ely (8 May, 1901).

See also under *Norfolk and Isle of Ely*.

Lincoln (Parts of Holland).—An Area comprising the Parts of Holland Division of Lincolnshire; and also comprising the borough of Boston (9 August, 1901).

Norfolk.—(1.) An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Swainsthorpe and Forehoe (except the parish of Hingham), and the parishes of Felthorpe, Taverham, Drayton, Horsford, Hellesdon, Horsham St. Faith with Newton St. Faith, Spixworth, Catton, Beeston St. Andrew, Sprowston, Thorpe-next-Norwich, Great Plumstead, and Postwick, in the administrative county of Norfolk (29 May, 1901).

(2.) An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Holt and North Greenhoe, and the parishes of Burnham Overy, Burnham Norton, Burnham Deepdale, Burnham Westgate, Burnham Sutton, Burnham Thorpe, North Creake, South Creake, and Waterden, in the administrative county of Norfolk (29 May, 1901).

(3.) An Area comprising the petty sessional division of Mitford and Launditch, in the administrative county of Norfolk (21 August, 1901).

See also under *Norfolk and Isle of Ely*.

Norfolk and Isle of Ely.—An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Freebridge Marshland and Freebridge Lynn (except the parishes of Harpley, Little Massingham, Great Massingham, Castle Acre, and West Acre), and the parishes of Heacham, Sedgeford, Fring, Snettisham, Ingoldisthorpe, Shernborne, Watlington,

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Tottenham, Wormegay, Runceton Holme, South Runceton, Wallington-cum-Thorpland, Shouldham Thorpe, Shouldham, Marham, Outwell, and Upwell, in the administrative county of Norfolk; the petty sessional division of Wisbech, and the borough of Wisbech, in the administrative county of the Isle of Ely (16 April, 1901).

Northamptonshire.—An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Wellingborough and Thrapston, and the borough of Higham Ferrers, in the administrative county of Northampton (5 October, 1901).

Staffordshire.—An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Rushall and Handsworth, in the administrative county of Stafford; and also comprising the boroughs of Walsall, Wednesbury, West Bromwich, and Smethwick (29 August, 1901).

Wiltshire.—An Area comprising the petty sessional divisions of Swindon, Malmesbury, Cricklade, Calne, Chippenham, Bradford, Melksham, Trowbridge, Westbury, Whorwelsdown, Warminster, and Tisbury and Mere, the parishes of Poulshot, Rowde, Potterne, Roundway, Bromham, and Chittoe, and the boroughs of Malmesbury, Calne, Chippenham, and Devizes, in the administrative county of Wilts; and also comprising the borough of Swindon (6 July, 1901).

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Worcestershire.—See under *Staffordshire and Worcestershire*.

Yorkshire.—(1.) An Area comprising the parishes of Clayton, Queensbury, Shelf, Norwood Green and Coley, Hipperholme, Southowram, Upper Greetland, Greetland, Elland, Fixby, Clifton, Hartshead, Liversedge, Cleckheaton, Hunsworth, Drighlington, Birkenshaw, Gomersal, Birstal, and Heckmondwike, in the administrative county of the West Riding of the county of York; and also comprising the borough of Brighouse (29 May, 1901).

(2.) An Area comprising the parishes of Brearton, Farnham, Ferrensby, Knaresborough, Knaresborough Outer, Goldsborough Plompton, Follifoot, Starbeck, Pannal, Killinghall, Nidd, Scotton, Scriven, and Bilton, and the borough of Harrogate, in the administrative county of the West Riding of the county of York (24 August, 1901).

(3.) An Area comprising the parishes of Sprotbrough, Balby-with-Hexthorpe, Loversall, Warmsworth, Cadeby, Mexborough, Denaby, Coniebrough, Braithwell, Edlington, Stainton, Wadworth, and Tickhill, in the administrative county of the West Riding of the county of York (30 November, 1901).

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 AND 1896.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the undermentioned DISEASES for the Week ended November 30th, 1901, 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.
ENGLAND.			ENGLAND.			
	No.	No.		No.	No.	No.
Cornwall	1	1	Essex	2	...	4
Devon	1	5	Hertford ... ..	...	1	...
Kent	1	1	Kent	1	...	2
Leicester	1	1	London	18	...	24
Norfolk	1	1				
Stafford	1	1				
Westmorland... ..	2	2				
Wilts	1	1				
SCOTLAND.						
Aberdeen	5	5				
Berwick	1	1				
Fife	1	1				
Forfar	1	2				
Midlothian	2	2				
Perth	1	1				
TOTAL	20	25	TOTAL	21	1	30

* 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:—

Breconshire.—The County of Brecon (17 December, 1900).

Carmarthenshire.—The petty sessional divisions of Llandovery, Llandeilo, Llanelly, Carmarthen,

Newcastle-in-Emlyn, and Llanfihangel-Ar-Arth, and the boroughs of Kidwelly and Llandovery, in the administrative county of Carmarthen. Borough of Carmarthen (15 October, 1900.)

Glamorgan.—The parishes of Llangiwig, Cilybebyll, Ynys-y-Mond, Rhyngdwyclach, Mawr, and Llandeilo-Talybont, in the administrative county of Glamorgan (15 October, 1900).

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.		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Week ended Nov. 30, 1901	20	25	...	...	21	30	...	...	...	...	...	25	105
Corresponding week in 1899	15	21	...	...	16	33	...	...	...	...	1	27	201
Corresponding week in 1898	14	17	...	...	20	34	...	...	...	...	...	25	522
	10	17	...	...	11	21	...	...	...	...	...	38	458
Total for 48 weeks, 1901	583	834	12	669	1,272	2,180	...	...	...	1	1	3,036	14,696
Corresponding period in 1900	511	856	17	227	1,046	1,740	...	...	...	6	5	1,801	16,804
Corresponding period in 1899	500	931	...	...	789	1,380	...	...	...	9	...	2,206	29,484
Corresponding period in 1898	512	778	...	...	688	1,291	1	1	220	16	...	2,320	40,161

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

Board of Agriculture, 3rd December, 1901.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

Mr. Justice Farwell.

1901. U. 0120.

In the Matter of the Life Assurance Companies Acts, 1870 and 1872, and in the Matter of the Universal Life Assurance Society.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition was on the 24th October, 1901, presented to this Court by Charles Freville Surtees, of Mainsforth Hall, in the county of Durham, J.P., a Colonel in His Majesty's Army, the Honourable Edwin Berkeley Portman, of 46, Cadogan-place, in the county of Middlesex, James Woodgate Arbuthnot, of Elderslie, Dorking, in the county of Surrey, Esquire, Bristow Bovill, of Brookwood Cottage, Holmwood, in the county of Surrey Esquire, Sir Henry Seymour King, of 25, Cornwall-gardens, in the county of Middlesex, K.C.I.E., M.P., Charles Davis Lucas, of 43 Phillimore-gardens, in the county of Middlesex, a Rear-Admiral in His Majesty's Navy, V.C., Charles Macnamara, of 21, Grosvenor-street, in the county of Middlesex, F.R.C.S., Sir Charles Pontifex, of 5, Wetherby-gardens, in the county of Middlesex, K.C.I.E., and Sir Walter George Stirling, of 50, Lennox-gardens, in the county of Middlesex, Baronet, a Colonel in His Majesty's Army, the Directors of the above named Society praying that a conditional agreement dated the 29th May 1901 made between the said Charles Freville Surtees on behalf of the said Universal Life Assurance Society of the one part and the North British and Mercantile Insurance Company of the other part and the transfer to be effected thereby of the business of the said Universal Life Assurance Society to the said North British and Mercantile Insurance Company may be sanctioned and confirmed by the Court and carried into effect and that the petitioners may be at liberty to execute and do all assurances and things which shall be necessary for that purpose or that such further or other Order may be made in the premises as the Court shall think fit. And notice is hereby also given that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Honourable Mr. Justice Farwell at the Royal Courts of Justice Strand London on Tuesday, the seventeenth day of December 1901 and any person interested in the said Universal Life Assurance Society and desiring to oppose the making of an Order for the sanction and confirmation of the said agreement and transfer under the above mentioned Acts should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the said petition will be furnished to any such person requiring the same by the undersigned the Solicitors to the petitioners on payment of the regulated charge for the same.—Dated this second day of December 1901.

POLLOCK and Co., 6, Lincoln's-inn-fields,
W.C., Solicitors to the Petitioners.

In the Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster.—Manchester District.

1901. Letter H. No. 245.

In the Matter of Holdsworth and Gibb Limited and Reduced; and in the Matter of the Companies Act, 1867; and in the Matter of the Court of Chancery of Lancaster Acts, 1850 to 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition presented to the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster, Manchester District, on the 27th day of August, 1901, for confirming Special Resolutions of the above named Company, as follows :—“(1.) That the capital of

the Company be reduced from £120,000 (divided into 6,000 shares of £20 each, with £10 paid up thereon and £10 uncalled) to £69,000 (divided into 6,000 shares of £11 10s. 0d. each with £10 paid up thereon and £1 10s. 0d. uncalled), and that such reduction be effected by extinguishing the liability in respect of uncalled capital to the extent of £8 10s. 0d. on each of the shares of the Company. (2.) That the said 6,000 shares of £11 10s. 0d. each with £10 paid up thereon be sub-divided into 60,000 shares of £1 3s. 0d. each with £1 paid up on each share” is directed to be heard before His Honour Samuel Hall, Esquire, K.C., the Vice-Chancellor, at the sittings of the Court to be holden at St. George's Hall, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, on Monday, the 16th day of December, 1901, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon. Any creditor or shareholder of the Company desiring to oppose the making of an Order for the reduction of the capital of the said Company under the above Acts should appear at the time of hearing by himself, or his Counsel, for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or shareholder of the Company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charges for the same.—Dated the 29th day of November, 1901.

SALE SEDDON and Co., 29, Booth-street,
Manchester, Solicitors for the said Company.

British Linen Company Bank.

Edinburgh, November 30, 1901.

THE General Court of Proprietors of the British Linen Company have ordered that to settle the Half-year's Dividend on the Capital Stock of the Company to be paid at Christmas next, the Transfer Books shall be closed from this date to the 26th proximo inclusive, and notice is hereby given to the Proprietors that the Dividend, without deduction of Income Tax, will be paid on Tuesday, the 24th day of December next.

WM. BAIN, Secretary.

The Central Hardware Company Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at the offices of Mr. H. Maddocks, Solicitor, 37, Earl-street, in the city of Coventry, on Friday, the 29th day of November, 1901, the following resolution was duly passed :—

“That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and accordingly that the same be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Joseph Ashley, of Bishop-street, Coventry, Auctioneer, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.”

Dated this 29th day of November, 1901.

W. S. LOUDON, Chairman.

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1893.

The Nursery Florist and Fruit Growers

Syndicate, Limited.

Extraordinary Resolution (pursuant to Companies Act, 1862, sect. 129.)

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company, duly convened and held at the registered office of the Company, Edwarebury Farm, Edwarebury, Middlesex, on Wednesday, the 24th April, 1901, the following resolution was duly passed :—

Resolution.—“Resolved that it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Company that it cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and

that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that the same be wound up accordingly, and that Mr. Charles Fox, Chartered Accountant, of 11, Old Jewry-chambers, London, E.C., be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

8th May, 1901. R. PASCOE, Chairman.

Barnacle Hall Brickworks Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at 35, Bayley-lane, Coventry, on the 19th day of November, 1901, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed:—

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

2. That Mr. Thomas Mason Daffern, of Coventry, Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.

Dated this 25th day of November, 1901.

R. A. ROTHERHAM, Chairman.

Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1893.
Neath Industrial Co-Operative Society, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Neath Industrial Co-Operative Society, Limited, duly convened and held at the Town Hall, situate in New-street, Neath, on Saturday, the 23rd day of November, 1901, at 7 o'clock in the evening, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

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

And at the same Meeting James Gandy, of Victoria-chambers, Neath, Superintendent Registrar, was appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.

J. MAJOR, Chairman.

D. J. JONES, Secretary.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900, and of the Yorkshire Vegetarian Restaurants Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened and held at No. 23, Cheapside, Bradford, on Monday, the 25th day of November, 1901, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

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

"That Frank Marlbor, of 23, Cheapside, Bradford, be and he is hereby appointed the Liquidator of the Company."

W. GILL, Secretary.

In the Matter of the Devon Great Consols Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened and held at Nos. 2 and 3, West-street, Finsbury-circus, in the city of London, on Thursday, the 28th day of November, 1901, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

That the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is desirable to wind up the same, and that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Peter Watson, of Nos. 2 and 3, West-street, Finsbury-

circus, in the city of London, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.

Dated this 29th day of November, 1901.

PETER WATSON, Chairman.

The Coin Operating Lung Test Co., Limited.

11, Gothic-arcade, Birmingham,

November 18th, 1901.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened and held at No. 11, Gothic-arcade, Snow Hill, Birmingham, on Wednesday, the 27th day of November, 1901, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Company that this Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is desirable that the same should be wound up voluntarily, and that the Company be wound up accordingly; that Mr. P. B. Hughes, of Eversleg, Selborne-road, be and he is hereby appointed the Liquidator of the Company.

P. B. HUGHES, Secretary.

W. H. STUBBS, Solicitor of the Supreme Court.

The Proprietors Reserve Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, held on the 24th day of October, 1901, the following resolution was duly passed; and at an Extraordinary General Meeting held on the 8th day of November, 1901, was duly confirmed as a Special Resolution, viz.:—

"That the Proprietors Reserve Limited, be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900."

29 November, 1901.

C. ROBE, Chairman

In the Matter of the Lecomte Intensified Gas Light Corporation, Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened and held at 20, High Holborn, W.C., on the 21st day of November, 1901, the following Extraordinary Resolutions were duly passed, viz.:—

1. "That it has been proved to our satisfaction that the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities continue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same voluntarily."

2. "That Mr. Albert Edward Goff, of 32, Museum-street, W.C., be and is hereby appointed the Liquidator to conduct the winding up."

London, 22nd day of November, 1901.

A. FLURSCHEIM, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900, and in the Matter of the Lecomte Intensified Gas Light Corporation, Limited.

THE creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 17th day of December next, to send in their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names of their Solicitors (if any), to the undersigned Albert Edward Goff, of 32, Museum-street, W.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. A. E. GOFF, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and in the Matter of the Rochdale and District Building Trades Employers Indemnity Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the twentieth day of January, 1902, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to William Shepherd, of 100, Yorkshire-street, Rochdale, 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 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 29th day of November, 1901.

BRIERLEY and HUDSON, the Butts,
Rochdale, Solicitors to the above named Liquidator.

John Sylvester and Co. Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the office of Messrs. Wells and Hind, Fletcher Gate, Nottingham, on Wednesday, the 8th day of January, 1902, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated the 30th day of November, 1901.

SAML. HANCOCK, Liquidator.

John Conder and Co. Limited. (In Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the offices of Messrs. Williamson and White, Westminster-chambers, No. 37, Brown-street, Manchester, on Tuesday, the 7th day of January, 1902, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having laid before the Meeting the account of the Liquidator, 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 30th day of November, 1901.

JOHN WILSON, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, and in the Matter of the Barry Castle Building Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the offices of Mr. Alfred Akenhead, the Liquidator, No. 2, Bank-buildings, St. Mary-street, Cardiff, on Wednesday, the first day of January, 1902, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed

of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1901.

ALFRED AKENHEAD, Liquidator.

The Manchester Pedal and Appliances Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the Liquidator's offices, Temple-courts, Temple-row, in the city of Birmingham, on Wednesday, the 8th day of January next, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon precisely, to receive the Liquidator's report showing how the winding up of the Company has been conducted, and its property disposed of, and to hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1901.

WALTER E. FOWKES, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Velto Company, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at 98A, Fishergate, Preston, in the county of Lancaster, on Friday, the third day of January, 1902, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1901.

J. J. DAWSON, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Woven Leather Machine Belting Company Limited. In Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at No. 1, Wool Exchange, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on Monday, the 6th day of January, 1902, at 12 o'clock at noon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining the remuneration of the Liquidator and 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 2nd day of December, 1901.

C. BULLEN SMITH, Liquidator.

J. Gales and Coy. Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at Neptune House, Corporation-road, Birkenhead, on Tuesday, the 31st of December, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company, and of the liquidation thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated the 29th day of November, 1901.

JNO. GALES, Liquidator.

In the Matter of Forshaw's Brewery Company Limited. (In Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that Special Resolutions of the above named Company were duly passed and confirmed on the 1st day of October, 1901, and the 28th day of October, 1901, respectively, for the voluntary liquidation of the Company. All persons being creditors of or having claims against the said Company are required, on or before the 13th day of January, 1902, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Walter Davies, of 5, Winckley-street, Preston, Chartered Accountant, the Liquidator of the said Company.

LEO. KENNEDY and GLOVER, Ormskirk,
Solicitors for the Liquidator.

Super-Aeration Limited.

(Incorporated 21st August, 1899.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 4th day of January, 1902, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to the undersigned Patrick Adam Glegg, of 5, Moorgate-street, London, E.C., Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing from the Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 2nd day of December, 1901.

P. A. GLEGG, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900, and in the Matter of the Modern Drama Syndicate Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at No. 40, Old Broad-street, London, E.C., on Tuesday, the 7th day of January, 1902, 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 29th day of November, 1901.

WM. C. BROOKS, 40, Old Broad-street,
London, E.C., Liquidator.

Great Boulder Junction Reefs Limited.

(In Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at St. Lawrence House, Trump-street, in the city of London, on Monday, the 6th day of January, 1902, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1901.

ARTHUR JNO. DAVIS, Liquidator.

The A 1 Boot Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, that a General Meeting of the Members of the

above named Company will be held at Basma House, London Wall-avenue, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 15th day of January, 1902, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators; and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidators thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated this 25th day of November, 1901.

AUGUSTUS C. PALMER, } Liquidators.
W. M. RICHARDS, }

The Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900.

"The Thomas Brettell and Company Limited."

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of the Thomas Brettell and Company Limited will be held at 55 and 56, Bishopsgate-street, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 31st day of December, 1901, at twelve o'clock noon precisely, for the purpose of having an account laid before them by the Liquidator (pursuant to section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862), showing the manner in which the winding up of the said Company has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.

E. LAYTON BENNETT, Liquidator.

4, Milk-Street-Buildings, Cheapside,
London, E.C.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900, and in the Matter of Warringtons Limited.

TAKE notice that, pursuant to section 142 of the Companies Act, 1862, a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the above office at 12 o'clock noon, on the ninth day of January, 1902, 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, shall be disposed of.—Dated the twenty-eighth day of November, 1901.

For Warringtons Limited,

W. A. LINDSAY, Liquidator.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Laaser Berlowitz and Wil iam Marshall, carrying on business as Automatic Machine Manufacturers, at Broad-street House, New Broad-street, London, in the county of Middlesex, under the style or firm of the Albion Manufacturing Company, was dissolved as and from the 11th day of November, 1901, by mutual consent.—Dated the 13th day of November, 1901.

LAASER BERLOWITZ.
WILLIAM MARSHALL.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Granville Smith and Edward Coleman, carrying on business as Solicitors, lately at 16, Leadenhall-street, but now at 12, King William-street, Mansion House, both in the city of London, under the style or firm of Granville Smith and Company, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the thirtieth day of November, 1901. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Edward Coleman, who will in future carry on the said business alone on his own account.—Dated this twenty-eighth day of November, 1901.

GRANVILLE SMITH.
EDWARD COLEMAN.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership of Charlton Humble and Frederick Smith, who carried on business at Newcastle-upon-Tyne as Iron and General Merchants, Metal Brokers and Steamship Owners, under the style or firm of "Humble and Thompson," has been dissolved as on the 31st of August last. Mr. Humble has retired from the business, but Mr. Smith will continue to carry on the same in partnership with Mr. Robert Ditchburn Rutter, of Sunderland, under the style of "Humble and Thompson." Mr. Smith will receive all debts owing to and discharge all the debts due from and liabilities of the said late firm, and he and Mr. Robert Ditchburn Rutter will be the only persons liable for the debts and engagements hereafter to be contracted or entered into in respect of the same business, and particularly Mr. Humble will not be so liable.—Dated this twenty-ninth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and one.

CHARLTON HUMBLE.
FRED. SMITH.
R. D. RUTTER.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Augustus Cufaude Palmer, Frederick William Allen, Herbert William Freshwater, and Ernest Rosling, carrying on business or practising as Chartered Accountants and Auditors, at Numbers 7 and 8, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E., and at Bristol, Leicester, and Northampton, under the style or firm of "A. C. Palmer and Co.," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent so far as regards the said Ernest Rosling, who retires from the firm. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Augustus Cufaude Palmer, Frederick William Allen, and Herbert William Freshwater, who will continue the said business under the present style or firm of "A. C. Palmer and Co."—As witness our hands this 26th day of November, one thousand nine hundred and one.

AUGUSTUS CUFUADE PALMER.
FREDERICK W. ALLEN.
H. W. FRESHWATER.
ERNEST ROSLING.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Ronald Stuart Gray, of the city of York, Pianoforte and Organ Merchant, Alfred Gray, of Number 6, Carlisle-street, in the city of Kingston-upon-Hull, Pianoforte and Organ Merchant, and John Frederick Gray, of the said city of York, Pianoforte and Organ Merchant, carrying on business as Pianoforte and Organ Merchants, at Number 35, Coney-street, in the said city of York, and Number 6, Carlisle-street, Kingston-upon-Hull aforesaid, under the style or firm of "John Gray and Sons," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the first day of April, 1901, so far as the said John Frederick Gray is concerned, who retires from the said business, which business will in future be carried on by the said Ronald Stuart Gray and Alfred Gray alone on their own account, under the said style of "John Gray and Sons." All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Ronald Stuart Gray and Alfred Gray.—Dated 16th day of July, 1901.

RONALD S. GRAY.
ALFRED GRAY.
JOHN FREDERICK GRAY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Lawrence of Eastwood Mount, Rotherham, in the county of York, Fitter, and George Harival Shaw Brown, of 12, Westgate, Rotherham aforesaid, Coal Merchant, carrying on business as Firewood Manufacturers, at 210, Effingham-street, Rotherham aforesaid, under the style or firm of Brown and Lawrence, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the undersigned George Harival Shaw Brown, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—Dated this twenty-third day of November, 1901.

JOHN LAWRENCE.
G. H. S. BROWN.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Ernest Crick and John Bradford carrying on business as Dairy-men, at Newmarket, in the counties of Suffolk and Cambridge, under the style or firm of "Crick and Bradford," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the twenty-eighth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and one. All debts due to and owing by the said firm will be received and paid by the said George Ernest Crick.—Dated this twenty-eighth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and one.

GEORGE ERNEST CRICK.
JOHN BRADFORD,

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Alfred Hindle and William Nuttall, carrying on business together as Mineral Water Manufacturers, under the style or firm of "Hindle and Co.," at the Imperial Mineral Water Works, Warbreck road, Blackpool, in the county of Lancaster, has as from the 1st day of November, 1901, been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said William Nuttall, who will continue the said business as heretofore.—Dated the 25th day of November, 1901.

ALFRED HINDLE.
WILLIAM NUTTALL.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Hamilton and Gavin Hamilton, carrying on business as Drapers, at 5, Charlotte-square, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, under the style or firm of "James Hamilton," was on the 1st day of November, 1901, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the undersigned Gavin Hamilton, by whom the business will in future be carried on under the said style or firm of James Hamilton.—Dated this first day of November, 1901.

JAMES HAMILTON.
GAVIN HAMILTON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Lydia Parsons and Hannah Neale, carrying on business together in copartnership as Boot and Shoe Merchants and General Clothiers, at 34, Beatrice-road, and as House Furnishers at 10, Beatrice-road, both in Newfoundpool, Leicester, under the style or firm of "L. Parsons and H. Neale," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the twenty-ninth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and one. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm in respect of the said Boot and Shoe and Clothing business, carried on at 34, Beatrice-road aforesaid, will be received and paid by the said Lydia Parsons, who will continue such business at the same address. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm in respect of the said Furnishing business, carried on at 10, Beatrice-road aforesaid, will be received and paid by the said Hannah Neale, who will continue such business at the same address.—Dated the twenty-ninth day of November, 1901.

LYDIA PARSONS.
HANNAH NEALE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Horace James Liley and William Laker, carrying on business as Florists, Greengrocers, and Market Gardeners, at Number 3, Lewes-place, Seaside-road, Eastbourne, in the county of Sussex, and at Langley Mount, Westham, in the said county, under the style or firm of "H. J. Liley," has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said William Laker, who will continue to carry on business as a Florist, Greengrocer, and Market Gardener at the above mentioned addresses.—Dated this 25th day of November, 1901.

HORACE JAMES LILEY.
WILLIAM LAKER.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Henry Taylor and Charles Ernest Whitehouse, carrying on business as Bridle Cutters and Horse Clothing Manufacturers, at Crown Works, Marsh-street, Walsall, in the county of Stafford, under the style or firm of "Taylor, Son and Whitehouse," was dissolved as and from the 29th day of November, 1901, by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing from the said late firm will be received and paid by the said James Henry Taylor, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—Dated the 29th day of November, 1901.

JAS. H. TAYLOR.
CHARLES ERNEST WHITEHOUSE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Lionel John Porter, of Northleach, in the county of Gloucester, Veterinary Specialist, and Ernest Henry Charles Boulton (sometimes called Ernest Boulton), of Northleach aforesaid, Chemist, carrying on business as Manufacturers and Vendors of the Chemical Substances known as "Bolio," and "Hicks Electric Fluid," at Northleach, in the county of Gloucester, under the style or firm of "The Bolio Co.," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the ninth day of November, 1901. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Lionel John Porter, who will continue to carry on the business under the style or firm of "The Bolio Co.," at Northleach aforesaid.—Dated this twenty-second day of November, 1901.

LIONEL JOHN PORTER.
ERNEST HENRY CHARLES BOULTON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, George Robert Tayler, Winifid Bulwer Jenyns, Arthur Annesley Tyndale Tyndale Biscoe, carrying on business as Fruit and Flower Growers, at Churchdown, in the county of Gloucester, under the style or firm of the Churchdown Fruit and Flower Company, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the thirty-first day of October, 1901.—Dated 28th day of November, 1901.

GEORGE ROBERT TAYLER.

W. B. JENYNS.

ARTHUR A. T. TYNDALE BISCOE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert Harry Horn and William Harman Leonard, carrying on business as Engineers, Boiler Repairers, Ship and General Smiths, at Great Grimsby, under the style or firm of "Horn and Leonard," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the twelfth day of October, 1901.—Dated 27th day of November, 1901.

ROBERT HARRY HORN.

WILLIAM HARMAN LEONARD

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Samuel Sharp, Joseph Sharp, and Sam Wright, carrying on business as Coal Merchants, at Halifax, in the county of York, under the style or firm of "The North Bridge Coal Company," has been dissolved as from the 1st day of July last.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1901.

SAML. SHARP.

JOSEPH SHARP.

SAM WRIGHT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Samuel Sharp and Joseph Sharp, carrying on business as Coal Merchants at Leeds, in the county of York, under the style or firm of "J. Sharp and Co.," and at Armley, in Leeds aforesaid, under the style or firm of "The Armley and Wortley Coal Co.," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 1st day of July last.—Dated this twenty-eighth day of November, 1901.

SAML. SHARP.

JOSEPH SHARP.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Richard Darbyshire, James Hampson, and Robert Price, carrying on business as Brickmakers at Wepre, in the county of Flint, under the style or name of "The Wepre Hall Brick Works," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent (so far as regards the said Robert Price, who retires from the firm). All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Richard Darbyshire and James Hampson, who will continue the said business under the present style or name of "The Wepre Hall Brick Works."—As witness our hands this 26th day of September, 1901.

ROBERT PRICE.

RICHARD DARBYSHIRE.

JAS. HAMPSON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Thomas Ambrose Ward and James Alfred Bagshaw, under the firm of Ward and Bagshaw, at No. 50, Southgate-street, Leicester, in the trade or business of Boot and Shoe Manufacturers, was dissolved by mutual consent as from the 16th November, 1901. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Thomas Ambrose Ward.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1901.

T. A. WARD.

J. A. BAGSHAW.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Hart and David Sibbald, carrying on business at No. 43, Wardwick, Derby, as Chartered Accountants, under the style or firm of "Hart and Sibbald," was on the 19th day of November instant dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by the said William Hart, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 19th day of November, 1901.

WILLIAM HART.

DAVID SIBBALD.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Henry Walters and James Bartlett, carrying on business as Grocers and Beer, Wine, and Spirit Merchants, at Maesynew Shop, Llanhilleth, in the county of Monmouth, under the style or firm of "Bartlett, Walters, and Co.," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 26th day of August, 1901. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said James Bartlett.—Dated this 27th day of November, 1901.

JAMES HENRY WALTERS.

JAMES BARTLETT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Henry Buxton and Cleland Campbell Clarke, carrying on business as Manufacturers of Logwood, Fustic, and Tannin Extracts, at Park-street Mills, Greenheys, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Hulme, Buxton and Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 29th day of November, 1901. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Cleland Campbell Clarke.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1901.

JOHN HENRY BUXTON.

CLELAND C. CLARKE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time existed between Eustace Owen Matson and James Waters, under the firm of Matson and Waters, at Numbers 100 and 102, Albert-road, and at workshops and premises in Saxe Weimer-road, all at Southsea, in the county of Hants, in the trade of Cabinet Makers and Upholsterers, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 24th day of June last. All debts owing by and to the firm will be paid and received by the said James Waters, who will in future continue the business for his own benefit.—As witness the hand of the said James Waters this first day of November, one thousand nine hundred and one.

J. WATERS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an Order dated the 6th day of November, 1901, and made in an action pending in the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, intituled "Bennitt v. Payne and another, 1901, B. No. 2397," the Partnership heretofore subsisting between Arthur George Payne, Alexander Payne, and Harry Pynson Bennitt, carrying on business under the style or firm of "The Llanfynydd Terra Cotta Tile and Brickworks," at Hafod Ably, Llanfynydd, in the parish of Hope, in the county of Flint, was as between the said Harry Pynson Bennitt and Alexander Payne, the surviving or continuing partners in the said firm, dissolved as from the said 6th day of August, 1901, and the Partnership with the said Arthur George Payne was previously dissolved by his bankruptcy on the 17th October, 1900.—As witness our hands this 2nd day of December, 1901.

LOWE and CO., 2, Temple-gardens, London, E.C.,
Solicitors for the said Harry Pynson Bennitt.

CHRISTOPHER WEATHERLY, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Christopher Weatherly, formerly of 31, Medina-villas, Hove, in the county of Sussex, and the Junior Constitutional Club, Piccadilly, W., but late of 12, Gay-street, Bath, in the county of Somerset, Esquire, a Bachelor, who died on the 23rd day of July last, and probate of whose will, with two codicils, was on the 31st day of August last granted out of the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice to Thomas Henry Riches Woodbridge, Algernon Rivers Woodbridge, and Edward Harry Weatherly, the executors therein named, are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims to us, the undersigned, at our offices in Uxbridge, on or before the 18th day of January, 1902, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1901.

WOODBIDGE and SONS, Uxbridge, and 7,
New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Solicitors for the
said Executors.

SIMPSON BURRELL, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having claims against the estate of Simpson Burrell, formerly of Carnaby, but late of South Field, Hunmanby, both in the county of York, Gentleman, who died on the 31st day of October, 1901, and of whose estate letters of administration were granted by the York District Probate Registry on the 14th day of November, 1901, to John Burrell, the natural and lawful brother, and one of the next of kin of the deceased, are required to send particulars thereof to us, on or before the 31st day of December, 1901, after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1901.

SUTOLIFFE and SUTOLIFFE, Bridlington,
Yorkshire, Solicitors for the said Administrator,

SARAH FRANCES BOWEN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Sarah Frances Bowen, late of 6, Camden-villas, Sevenoaks, in the county of Kent (who died on the 5th day of September, 1901, and letters of administration of whose estate were granted to the administrator therein named by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 22nd day of November, 1901), 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 22nd day of December, 1901; and notice is hereby given, that at the expiration of that time the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which 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 29th day of November, 1901.

WARDLEY, BARTON and TERRY, Sevenoaks, Solicitors for the said Administrator.

Re JOSEPH SIMONS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Joseph Simons, late of "The Hollies," Watt-road, Erdington, in the county of Warwick, Builder, deceased (who died on the 2nd day of June, 1901, and whose will was proved in the Birmingham District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 20th day of September, 1901, by Edward John Simons, of St. John's Wesleyan Manse, Woodbridge, Ipswich, in the county of Suffolk, Wesleyan Minister, and Tom Banks, of 4, Cherry-street, in the city of Birmingham, Estate Agent, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, Edge and Ellison, on or before the 31st day of December, 1901, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and 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 thirtieth day of November, 1901.

EDGE and ELLISON, 5, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Executors.

JAMES CHASE, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of James Chase, late of Goldsworthy-road, Woking, in the county of Surrey, deceased, who died on the 17th day of August, 1901, and to whose estate letters of administration were granted out of the Principal Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 28th day of September, 1901, to Elizabeth Ann Bennett, of No. 19, Park-terrace, Nightingale-road, Guildford, Surrey, are hereby required to send the particulars of their debts, claims, or demands to the administratrix at the office of the undersigned, her Solicitor, on or before the 28th day of December, 1901; and notice is hereby also given, that after that date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said James Chase, among 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 27th day of November, 1901.

GILBERT H. WHITE, Guildford, Solicitor for the Executor.

JAMES RONALD WATSON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of James Ronald Watson, late of 35, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, and of 4N, Hyde Park-mansions, Edgware-road, in the county of Middlesex, Explosives Merchant, deceased (who died on the 28th day of May, 1899, and whose will and codicil

were proved by Herbert Charles Walter Jones and Robert Joseph Harmer, two of the executors therein named, the other executor having renounced probate, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 22nd day of July, 1899), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to me, the undersigned, as Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 20th day of January, 1902; and notice is hereby given, that at the expiration of that time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of December, 1901.

EDWIN COBBING, J. Broad-court-chambers, Bow-street, W.C., Solicitor for the said Executors.

Re PHILOSOPHER JOHN BURDETT, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Philosopher John Burdett, late of the Hotel Victoria, Southend-on-Sea, in the county of Essex, Licensed Victualler, deceased (who died on the 18th day of September, 1901, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 20th day of November, 1901, by Walter Alfred Jones and Frank Cox, two of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, B. and F. Tolhurst and Cox, on or before the 14th day of December, 1901, 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 not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of November, 1901.

B. and F. TOLHURST and COX, 67, High-street, Southend-on-Sea, Solicitors for the said Executors.

Lieutenant-Colonel FRANCIS EDWARD WEBB, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Francis Edward Webb, late of No. 10, Restormel-terrace, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, and formerly of No. 11, Windsor-place, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Lieutenant-Colonel, late of H.M. 28th Regiment of Foot, and of the Army Pay Department, deceased (who died on the 21st day of October, 1901, and whose will was proved in the Exeter District Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice, on the 13th day of November, 1901, by James Maurice, of No. 34, Bedford-street, Plymouth, Chemist, one of the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands, to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 4th day of January, 1902, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1901.

G. GIDLEY and SON, 17, Saltash-street, Plymouth, Solicitors for the said Executor.

GEORGE DICKINSON MOULDEN, Deceased.

ALL persons having any claims against the estate of George Dickinson Moulden, late of 311, Gray's-inn-road, London, Grocer, who died on the 9th day of July, 1901, are required to send particulars thereof to me, the undersigned, before the 31st day of December next, after which date the estate will be distributed, having regard only to those claims of which notice shall have been received.—Dated the 29th day of November, 1901.

JNO. POINTON, White Hill Farm, Welwyn, sole Executor.

Re STEPHEN PAYNE COLLIER, Deceased.
Pursuant to the Act of Parliament, 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Stephen Payne Collier, late of Clevedon, in the county of Somerset, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the twenty-seventh day of September, 1901, and whose will was proved in the Bristol District Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 22nd day of November, 1901, by Charles Albert Collier, and James Barnard, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, on or before the 31st day of December, 1901, 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 29th day of November, 1901.

WM. FK. LANGWORTHY, 12, Baldwin-street, Bristol, Solicitor for the Executors.

JANE WILLIAMS, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Act of Parliament, 22 and 23rd Vict., c. 35, that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Jane Williams, late of Tregonatha, in the city of Lichfield, Widow, deceased, who died on the 29th day of April, 1901, and whose will, with one codicil, was proved by Edward John Fownes, of the Manor House, Weston Bampfylde, Sparkford, Somerset, Lieutenant-Colonel, retired, one of the executors therein named, on the 23rd day of May, 1901, 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 executor, at the offices of the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 19th day of December, 1901; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Jane Williams, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and that he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 2nd day of December, 1901.

H. S. CHINN and SON, the Close, Lichfield, Solicitors for the said Executor.

Miss OLIVE CATHERINE HICKS, 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."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Miss Olive Catherine Hicks, late of Emsworth, in the county of Southampton, who died on the 21st day of October, 1901, are hereby requested to send, in writing, particulars of their claims and demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for Philip Henry Lyne and Arthur Whicher Lyne, the executors of the deceased, on or before the 1st day of January 1902, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors have then had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim the said executors have not had notice at the time of the distribution.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1901.

PROIR, CHURCH and ADAMS, 11, Bedford-row, London, Solicitors for the said Executors.

The Duchess of CLEVELAND, 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."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of the Most Noble Catherine Lucy Wilhelmine Duchess of Cleveland, late of Battle Abbey, in the county of Sussex, and of No. 18, Grosvenor-place, in the county of Middlesex, who died on the 18th day of May, 1901, are hereby requested to send, in writing, particulars of their claims and demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the Right Honourable Archibald Philip Earl of Rosebery, K.G., and the Right Honourable Arthur Philip Earl Stanhope, the executors named in the will of the deceased, on or before the 12th

day of January, 1902, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors have then had notice, and the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim the said executors have not had notice at the time of the distribution.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1901.

WALFORDS, 27, Bolton-street, Piccadilly, London, W., Solicitors for the said Executors.

MARY ANN HEUGH, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of Mary Ann Heugh, late of Hatt, in the county of Cornwall, Widow, deceased (who died on the 12th day of September, 1901, at Civita d'Antino Aquila, in the Kingdom of Italy, and whose will was proved in England by George Sutherland and Charles Hulbert, the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 23rd day of October, 1901), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims or demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 10th day of January, 1902; 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 had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of November, 1901.

EARDLEY HOLT and HULBERT, 23, Charles-street, St. James's, London, S.W., Solicitors to the said Executors.

WALTER PRATT FREEBORN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of Walter Pratt Freeborn, late of Lyndhurst, Talbot-road, Old Trafford, near the city of Manchester, and lately carrying on business under the style of "H. R. Freeborn," at 11, Cross-street, in the said city of Manchester, Gentlemen's Out-fitter (who died on the 9th day of September, 1901, intestate, and letters of administration of whose estate were granted by the District Probate Registry at Manchester of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, to Frances Mary Helen Freeborn, the lawful Widow and relict of the said intestate), are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims to Messrs. Bayley, Wood, and Co., of 6, Booth-street, in the said city of Manchester, Chartered Accountants, on or before the 21st day of December, 1901, after which date the administratrix will proceed to distribute the estate, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1901.

W. L. C. BOWDEN and LIVESEY, 38, Deans-gate, Manchester, Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

WILLIAM LEEDAM, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of William Leedam, late of 3, Carlton-street, Methuen, Massachusetts, in the United States of America, Weaver, a Bachelor, deceased (who died on the 7th day of January, 1901, and to whose estate letters of administration were granted out of the Principal Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 11th day of June, 1901, to William Leedam, of 71, City-road, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Tailor), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned, the Solicitor of the said administrator, on or before the 23rd day of December next; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said administrator shall then have notice; and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1901.

W. MOSSOP, 6, Nicholas-street, Burnley, Solicitor for the said Administrator.

SAMUEL BLUNDEN DANIELL, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Samuel Blunden Daniell, late of Colchester, in the county of Essex, Gentleman deceased (who died on the 14th day of September, 1901, intestate, and letters of administration of whose estate were granted on the 10th day of October, 1901, to Maria Daniell the relict of the deceased by the Ipswich District Registry Probate Division of the High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to the undersigned the Solicitors of the said administratrix on or before the 11th day of January next, after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the estate of the deceased, having regard only to the claims of which the said administratrix shall then have had notice.—Dated the 29th day of November, 1901.

GOODY and SONS, Colchester, Solicitors for the said Administratrix.

Re GEORGE YATES, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of George Yates, late of Number 9, Duke-street, Southport, and Woodhill Paper Mills, Elton, near Bury, both in the county of Lancaster, Paper Manufacturer, deceased (who died on the 27th day of April, 1901, and whose will, with two codicils thereto, was proved in the Liverpool District Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 13th day of July, 1901, by William Yates, of 13room House, Bury, Paper Manufacturer, James Yates, of 9, Duke-street, Southport, Gentleman, and Thomas Phillips of Southport, Property Agent, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, Messieurs Buck, Cockshott, and Cockshott, 3, Tulketh-street, Southport, on or before the 31st day of December, 1901, 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 28th day of November, 1901.

BUCK, COCKSHOT and COCKSHOT, Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re JAMES NODEN, 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."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of James Noden, late of 34, St. George's-road, Over, in the county of Chester, Retired Farmer, deceased (who died on the 25th day of October, 1901, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 25th day of November, 1901, by Joseph Noden and William Noden, the executors therein named), are hereby requested to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to me, the undersigned John Henry Cooke, as Solicitor for and on behalf of the said executors, on or before the 15th day of January next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims 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 they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1901.

JOHN H. COOKE, Winsford, Cheshire, Solicitor for the said Executors.

ELIZABETH WHITE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the estate of Elizabeth White, late of Alnwick, in the county of Northumberland, Provision Merchant (who died on the 28th day of May, 1901, and whose will was proved by me, Charles Percy, of Alnwick, Solicitor, the executor therein named, on the 29th day of August, 1901, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands, to me, the undersigned Charles Percy, on or before the 13th day of December next, after which day

I 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 I shall then have had notice; and that I will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand I shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1901.

CHAS. PERCY, Executor of the said Deceased.

WILLIAM KINGSLEY ROADS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of William Kingsley Roads, late of 94, Lugard-road, Peckham, Surrey, Civil Servant, deceased, who died on the 15th of October, 1901, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry on the 29th of October, 1901, by John Antoine Schindehutte Parker, the executor therein named, are hereby requested to send particulars in writing of their claim to us the undersigned, on or before the 20th day of December next, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1901.

EDWIN, SON, and EDGLEY, 10, Trinity-street, Southwark, London, S.E., Solicitors for the said Executor.

Re WILLIAM ALFRED BUECHI, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands against the estate of William Alfred Buechi, late of 54, Summer-road, in the city of Birmingham, Commercial Clerk, deceased (who died on the 27th day of October, 1901, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Birmingham of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 25th day of November, 1901, by Caspar Reinhart, the sole executor therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, on or before 11th day of January, 1902, after which date the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; 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 the 30th day of November, 1901.

A. D. BROOKS, 122, Colmore-row, Birmingham, Solicitor for the said Executor.

GEORGE BAMPTON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of George Bampton, late of Mountsorrell, in the county of Leicester, deceased (who died on the 3rd day of October, 1901, and whose will was proved in the Leicester District Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 25th day of November, 1901, by Joseph Burton, of 7, Park-street, Nottingham, one of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 26th day of December next, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1901.

DEANE and SON, Town Hall-passages, Loughborough, Solicitors for the Executor.

ESARHADDON WAINMAN, Deceased.

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

ALL persons having any claim against the estate of Esarhaddon Wainman, late of 9, Salisbury-view, Armley, Leeds, New Connexion Minister, who died on the 4th May, 1901, are hereby required to send particulars thereof to the undersigned, on or before the 20th December, 1901, after which date the executors will distribute the assets of the deceased, having regard only to claims then received.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1901.

EMSLEY, SON, and SMITH, 17, East-parade, Leeds, Solicitors for the Executors.

Dame SELINA HEATHCOTE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands against upon or against the estate of Dame Selina Heathcote, late of Beechwood, Totton, in the county of Southampton, Widow (who died on the 17th day of July, 1901, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved in the Principal Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, Probate Division, on the 13th day of November, 1901, by Colonel Charles George Heathcote, the Reverend Evelyn Dawsonne Heathcote and Helena Mary Heathcote, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the second day of January, 1902, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 26th day of November, 1901.

HOUSEMAN and CO., 3, Princes-street, Storey's-gate, Westminster, S.W., Solicitors for the said Executors.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Act of Parliament, 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35, that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of George Christie Turnbull, late of Highclere, Barnet Common, in the county of Herts, and of No. 27, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, Shipbroker, deceased, who died on the 26th day of September, 1901, at Dollar, in the county of Clackmannan, North Britain, and whose will was proved by Mary Hannah Turnbull and Alexander Bryce Kirkpatrick, on the 26th day of November, 1901, 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 executors, at the office of the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the fourth day of January, 1902; and notice is also given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said George Christie Turnbull, deceased, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall then not have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1901.

HEWITT and URQUHART, 150, Leadenhall-street, E.C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

WILLIAM PITT, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Pitt, late of the Mount, Wellington-road, and 225, Market-place, Dudley, in the county of Worcester, clothier, who died on the 29th day of September, 1901, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 8th day of November, 1901, by Edward Smith and Joseph Odell, the executors therein named, are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the first day of January next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims 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 28th day of November, 1901.

HOOPER and FAIRBAIRN, 1, Priory-street, Dudley, Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re JOHN PABLO BRYCE, Esquire, late of Bystock, Exmouth, in the county of Devon, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Pablo Bryce, deceased, who died on the 3rd day of March, 1901, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Exeter of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 12th day of August, 1901, by Mercedes Bryce, of Bystock aforesaid, the executrix therein named, are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to the undersigned, the Solicitors to the said executrix, on or before the 30th day of December next, after which date the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice; and she will not

be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1901.

FORD, HARRIS and FORD, Exeter, Solicitors.

PERCY HALLIWELL, Deceased.

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

ALL persons having claims or demands against the estate of Percy Halliwell, late of 65, Aughton-road, Birkdale, formerly of 10, New River-street, Weaste, Pendleton, both in the county of Lancaster, Dentist (who died on the 21st day of October, 1901, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 20th day of November, 1901, by Frederick Glover and John Bradshaw, the executors), are required to send particulars thereof to me, the undersigned, on or before the 4th day of January next, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets, having regard only to claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1901.

CHAS. P. GREENWOOD, 2, Post Office-avenue, Southport, Solicitor for the Executors.

Re RICHARD WOOD, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of Richard Wood, late of Cattal, Knaresborough, in the county of York, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 7th day of October, 1901, and whose will was proved in the Wakefield District Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 28th day of November, 1901, by Ann Wood and Elizabeth Wood, the sisters, and Philip Trevor Wood, the nephew, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 15th day of January next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims 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 of whose claims they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1901.

KIRBY and SON, 12, Princes-street, Harrogate, Solicitors for the Executors.

JAMES ISHERWOOD ROTHWELL, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons being creditors of or otherwise having any claims upon or against the estate of James Isherwood Rothwell, late of 3, Belvoir-terrace, Levenshulme, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Commercial Traveller, formerly of 6, Denbigh-place, Leech-street, Rusholme, in the city of Manchester, deceased (who died on the 2nd day of June, 1901, and whose will was proved on the 13th day of September, 1901, in the District Probate Registry, at Manchester, by James Towns, of the Woodlands, Albert-road, Levenshulme aforesaid, one of the executors named in the said will) are required, on or before the 21st day of December, 1891, to send to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executor, the particulars of their claims upon or against the said estate, and that at expiration of such time the executor will distribute the whole of the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1901.

EDWIN ALMOND and SONS, 16, Kennedy-street, Manchester.

NICHOLAS MARSDEN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Nicholas Marsden, late of 129, Chesterton-road, North Kensington, London, W., deceased, who died at Manchester, on 5th day of March, 1901, are required to send particulars in writing, of such claims or demands to the undersigned, on or before the 7th day of January, 1902, after which date the executors will distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.—Dated this twenty-eighth day of November, 1901.

For the Trustees, Executors, and Securities Insurance Corporation, Limited,
H. R. BOYCE, Solicitor, Secretary.

HENRY MAUNDER, Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35. **NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Henry Maunder, late of Gloucester Villa, Queen's-road, Boscombe, in the county of Hants, deceased, who died on the 27th day of October, 1901, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 23rd day of November, 1901, by Henry Johnson and Ellen Mary Maunder, the executors therein named, are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 20th day of January, 1902, 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 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 27th day of November, 1901.

BARTLETT and LARGE, 147, Cannon-street, E.C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

WILLIAM BRAMLEY SMITH, Esquire, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands upon or against the estate of William Bramley Smith, late of "Glenbrook," Hope, and formerly of Holmesfield, both in the county of Derby, Gentleman (who died on the 13th day of September, 1901, and whose will was proved at the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 26th day of October, 1901, by the executrix therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, on or before the 14th day of December, 1901. And notice is hereby further given that at the expiration of that time the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator amongst the persons 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 or persons of whose claim or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1901.

F. FENSDALE SMITH, 12, Norfolk-row, Sheffield, Solicitor for the said Executrix.

FRANCES ELIZABETH HIRSCH, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Frances Elizabeth Hirsch, late of The Elms, Gresford, in the county of Denbigh, Widow, deceased (who died at 12, Princes-square, Paddington, in the county of London, and whose will was proved in London on the 6th day of November, 1901, by Edward Malkin Hance, of No. 17, Percy-street, in the city of Liverpool, Barrister-at-Law, one of the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in writing particulars of their claims and demands to us the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 13th day of January, 1902, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice, and the said executor will not be liable or accountable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of December, 1901.

HOLLAMS, SON, COWARD, and HAWKSLEY, 30, Mincing-lane, London, E.C.

WILLIAM ARTHUR BRIERLEY SALISBURY, 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."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Arthur Brierley Salisbury, of Gedding, in the county of Nottingham, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 15th day of December, 1898, and whose will was proved on the 3rd day of February, 1899, in the Nottingham District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, by Walter Hamlyn Speed and Thomas Bellamy, the executors therein named), are required to send particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned on or before

the 25th day of January, 1902, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the estate of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1901.

T. B. COX, 13, St. Peter's-gate, Nottingham, Solicitor to the said Executors.

Re Miss HARRIET ROSAMOND CURE, Deceased.

Notice to Creditors.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Miss Harriet Rosamond Cure (commonly known as Miss Capel Cure), formerly of Blake Hall, in the county of Essex, and of No. 51, Grosvenor-street, in the county of London, and late of Duke-street-mansions, Grosvenor-square, in the said county of London, Spinster, deceased, who died on the 6th of October, 1901, and Probate of whose will was granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice on the 21st day of November, 1901, to Sir Arthur Nonnus Birch, of the Bank of England, Burlington-gardens, in the county of London, K.C.M.G., the surviving executor named in the said will, are required to send the particulars of their claims and demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executor, on or before the 8th day of January, 1902, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which he shall then have notice; and the said executor will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose claim or demand he shall not have had notice at the time of the distribution of the said assets.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1901.

W. H. HERBERT 10, Cork-street, Burlington-gardens, London, W., Solicitor.

DAVID KAY, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of David Kay, formerly of the city of Melbourne, in Victoria, and late of Milburn, Otago, in New Zealand, Doctor of Divinity, deceased (who died on the 7th day of January, 1901, and of whose estate administration with the will and one codicil annexed was on the 29th day of November, 1901, granted by His Majesty's High Court of Justice at the Principal Probate Registry to William Charles Murray as Attorney of the Union Trustee Company of Australia Limited, whose registered office is at No. 339, Collins-street, in the city of Melbourne aforesaid, and of William Reid, of No. 267, Collins-street, in the city of Melbourne aforesaid, Bank Manager, the executors of the deceased), are hereby required to send the particulars thereof, in writing, to the undersigned, Solicitors for the said administrator, on or before the 31st day of December, 1901, after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute or deal with the assets of the deceased, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 2nd day of December, 1901.

MURRAY, HUTCHINS, STIRLING, and MURRAY, 11, Birchin lane, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Administrator.

ROBERT WEBSTER THE ELDER, Deceased, ROBERT WEBSTER THE YOUNGER, Deceased.

MARY ANN WEBSTER, Deceased.

JOHN WRIGHT WEBSTER, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act, 1859.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of (1) Robert Webster the elder, late of Parliament-street, Derby, Draper, who died on the 25th May, 1887, and letters of administration of whose personal estate with the will of the said Robert Webster the elder annexed, were granted by the Principal Probate Registry on the 25th November, 1901, to John James Turner, the administrator; or (2) Robert Webster the younger, late of Parliament-street, Derby, Railway Clerk, who died on the 9th October, 1889, intestate, and letters of administration of whose personal estate were granted by the said Principal Registry on the 6th November, 1901, to the said John James Turner, the administrator; or (3) Mary Ann Webster, late of Parliament-street, Derby, Widow, who died on the 24th July, 1892, intestate, and letters of administration of whose personal estate were granted by the Derby Probate Registry on the 14th May, 1897, to the said John James Turner, the administrator; or (4) John Wright Webster, late of Parliament-street, Derby, Draper, who died on the 3rd June, 1900,

and whose will was proved in the said Derby Registry on the 8th August, 1900, by George Morrall and William Marriott, the executors, are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, Frederick Stone, Solicitor for the said administrator and executors, on or before the 14th day of January, 1902, after which date the said administrator and executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased persons 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 persons 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 30th November, 1901.

FREDK. STONE, 48, Foul-street, Derby, Solicitor for the said Administrator and Executors.

JOHN SINCLAIR MANSON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of Captain John Sinclair Manson, late of 102, Hampton-road, Forest Gate, in the county of Essex, deceased who died on the 30th day of September, 1901 (and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 30th day of October, 1901, by Emily Manson, Widow, George Lawson Scott and Al red Archer, the executors therein named), are required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 18th day of January, 1902, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they then shall have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice as aforesaid.—Dated the 2nd day of December, 1901.

CARR, TYLER and OVERY, 23, Rood-lane, Fenchurch-street, E.C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

JOHN BLAKE HALL, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands against the estate of John Blake Hall, of 1, South-terrace, Harrogate, in the county of York, formerly of the Station Hospital, Bellary, Madras, India, Army Surgeon, who died on the 29th day of September, 1901, and whose will was proved by Helen Catherine Lucy Hall, the executrix thereof, in the Wakefield District Registry (Probate Division) of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 19th day of November, 1901, are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me the undersigned, as Solicitor to the said executrix, on or before the 31st day of December, 1901, after which day the said executrix will distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice.—Dated this 27th day of November, 1901.

BRANSBY GREENWOOD, 14, King-street, Wakefield, Solicitor to the said Executrix.

GEORGE DAVIS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of George Davis, deceased, late of Shipway Farm, Portbury, in the county of Somerset, Farmer, who died on the 6th day of September, 1901, intestate, and letters of administration of whose estate were granted to James Davis, of the Grange, Portishead, in the said county of Somerset, on the 16th day of October, 1901, by the Bristol District Registry Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, are required to send particulars thereof to us on or before the 1st day of January, 1902, after which date the assets of the deceased will be distributed, regard being had only to the claims of which notice shall then have been given.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1901.

WANSBROUGH, DICKINSON, ROBINSON, and TAYLER, Lion-chambers, Broad-street, Bristol, Solicitors to the Administrator.

Re FREDERIC ROBERT BROOKE WALTON, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to Statute, 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Frederic Robert Brooke Walton, late of 19, Townwalls, Shrewsbury, in the county of Salop, District Probate Registry of Shrewsbury, deceased (who died on the

12th day of October, 1901, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 25th day of November, 1901, by Theodora Bell, the executor therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 31st day of December, 1901, after which date the executor will distribute the assets among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which we shall then have had notice.—Dated the 28th day of November, 1901.

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

GEORGE TUCKER, Deceased.

22 and 23 Vic., c. 35.

ALL persons having claims or demands against the estate of George Tucker, late of Number 15, Larkstone-road, Ilfracombe, in the county of Devon, Contractor and Nurseryman (who died on the 9th day of August, 1901, and whose will was proved in the District Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice at Exeter, on the 5th day of November, 1901, by Maria Tucker, William Cole, and John Gibbs Dadds, the executors), are required to send particulars of such claims or demands to me, the undersigned, as Solicitor to the said executors, on or before the 11th day of January, 1902, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets, having regard only to the claims then received.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1901.

R. M. ROWE, 6, Market-square, Ilfracombe, Solicitor to the said Executors.

Re SYDNEY HERBERT PEARCE, Deceased.

ALL persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Sydney Herbert Pearce, formerly of Bournemouth, in the county of Southampton, a Captain in the Mercantile Marine, are hereby required to send particulars thereof to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the administratrix, forthwith.—Dated this 26th day of November, 1901.

COCKER and TURNER, Dalkeith Steps, Bournemouth, Solicitors.

THOMAS BATEMAN, Deceased.

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

I GIVE notice that persons having claims against the estate of Thomas Bateman, late of 12, Germany-street, Lancaster, in the County Palatine of Lancaster, Blacksmith, who died on the 7th of October, 1900, and to whose estate administration was on the 23rd of November, 1901, granted to me at the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court for the use of the executors of Her late Majesty in Right of Her Duchy of Lancaster, are to send written particulars of such claims to me, at the Duchy of Lancaster Office, Lancaster-place, London, on or before the 28th of February next, after which day the said estate will be dealt with, having regard to such claims only as I then have notice of, and that I will not, with respect to any other claim, be liable for any part of the said estate so dealt with.—Dated this 28th of November, 1901.

REGINALD C. HART-DYKE.

THOMAS WILLIAM SANDHAM, Deceased.

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

I GIVE notice that persons having claims against the estate of Thomas William Sandham, late of Bolton-le-Sands, in the County Palatine of Lancaster, Labourer, who died on the 19th of November, 1900, and to whose estate administration was on the 23rd of November, 1901, granted to me at the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court for the use of His Majesty in Right of His Duchy of Lancaster, are to send written particulars of such claims to me, at the Duchy of Lancaster Office, Lancaster-place, London, on or before the 2nd of March next, after which day the said estate will be dealt with, having regard to such claims only as I then have notice of, and that I will not, with respect to any other claim, be liable for any part of the said estate so dealt with.—Dated this 2nd of December, 1901.

REGINALD C. HART-DYKE.

JANE ARDEN, Deceased.

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

I GIVE notice that persons having claims against the estate of Jane Arden, late of 121, Arthur-street, Moorside, Swinton, in the County Palatine of Lancaster, Widow, who died on the 4th of February, 1901, and to whose estate administration was on the 23rd of November, 1901, granted to me at the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court for the use of His Majesty in Right of His Duchy of Lancaster, are to send written particulars of such claims to me, at the Duchy of Lancaster Office, Lancaster-place, London, on or before the 2nd of March next, after which day the said estate will be dealt with, having regard to such claims

only as I then have notice of, and that I will not, with respect to any other claim, be liable for any part of the said estate so dealt with.—Dated this 2nd of December, 1901.
REGINALD C. HART-DYKE.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in the matter of the estate of Benjamin Bright, deceased, and in an action Gwynn against Brown Cave (1901 B. 2396), the creditors of Benjamin Bright, late of Barton Court, Colwell, in the county of Hereford, Esquire, deceased, who died in or about the month of April, 1900, are, on or before the 14th day of January, 1902, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Charles William Rawlinson, of 42, Bedford-row, in the county of London, a member of the firm of Messrs. Petch and Smurthwaite of the same place, the Solicitors of the defendant, the sole 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 at the chambers of Mr. Justice Buckley, at the Royal Courts of Justice, London, on Tuesday, the 29th day of January, 1902, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1901.

BLACK and MOSS, 2, Clement's-inn, Strand, London, W.C.; Agents for
NEVINSON and BARLOW, Malvern, Plaintiffs' Solicitors.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in the matter of Benjamin Brown Smith, deceased, in the matter of the trusts of the will and codicil of the said Benjamin Brown Smith, in the matter of the Trustee Act, 1893, Smith v. Smith, 1901, S. No. 1186, the creditors of Benjamin Brown Smith, late of the Hollies, Waterloo-road, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Banker, who died 11th December, 1884, are on or before the 3rd day of January, 1902, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Gilbertson Smith, of 3, Salters' Hall-court, London, E.C., a member of the firm of Miller, Smith and Bell, of the same place, Solicitors of the defendant Charles Brown Smith, the executor of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them; or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before Mr. Justice Joyce, at his chambers, the Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, W.C., on Friday, the 10th day of January, one thousand nine hundred and two, at 12 o'clock noon, being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1901.

MILLER, SMITH and BELL, 3, Salters' Hall-court, London, E.C., Solicitors.

PURSUANT to Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in the matter of the estate of Henry Clough, deceased, 1900, C. No. 4021, and in an action by Caleb Henry Clough against Jonas Whitley, Henry Scott and John George Clough, as interested in the estate of Henry Clough, late of "The Nook," Irthington Brampton, in the county of Cumberland, Gentleman, formerly of 25, Victoria-park, Shipley, in the county of York, all persons claiming to be interested in the estate of the said Henry Clough, who died on the 29th January, 1900, are, on or before the 7th January, 1902, to send by post, to Wright, Brown and Strong, of 7, Bank-street, Carlisle, in the county of Cumberland, the Solicitors of the plaintiff, Caleb Henry Clough, the executor of the deceased, or to Chester and Co., Solicitors, of 36, Bedford-row, London, their agents, 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 at the chambers of the Judge, Room No. 267, at the Royal Courts of Justice, London, on the 14th day of January, 1902, at 12 o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1901.

CHESTER, BROOME and GRIFFITHS, 36, Bedford-row; Agents for
WRIGHT, BROWN and STRONG, Carlisle.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, made between Robert and John Braithwaite, of Crook Foundry, Crook, in the county of Westmorland, and Troughton Thompson, Trustee.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I, the above named Trustee, intend to pay a First and Final Dividend with the assets realized, and all persons who have claims against the estate are required, on or before December 11th instant, to send me, at 8, Lowther-street, Kendal, particulars of their claims, or they will be excluded from the benefit of the said Dividend.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1901. TROUGHTON THOMPSON.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, executed by James Johnson, of South-street, Dorking, Coal Merchant, on the 28th November, 1899.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands against the above named James Johnson, are requested to send us particulars of the same within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend about to be declared.—3rd December, 1901.

DOWN, SCOTT and DOWN, Solicitors to the Trustee, Dorking, Surrey.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, executed on the 31st day of July, 1901, by William Henry Holgate, residing and carrying on business at Number 125, Linthorpe-road, Middlesbrough, in the county of York, Picture Framer and Picture Dealer.

THE creditors of the above named William Henry Holgate, who have not already sent in their claims, are required, on or before the 12th day of December, 1901, to send in their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to Frederic John Forster, of Albert-chambers, Middlesbrough aforesaid, Chartered Accountant, the Trustee under the said deed, or in default thereof, they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1901.

GEO. ROBSON and PUNCH, 35, Albert-road, Middlesbrough, Solicitors for the above named Trustee.

Re George Havelock Moulton, of 21, Wellington-place, and 2, George-street, Hastings, and 1, London-road, St. Leonards, in the county of Sussex, Wine and Spirit Merchant.

Under Deed of Assignment, dated 24th October, 1900, for the benefit of Creditors.

THE creditors of the above named George Havelock Moulton, who have not already sent in their claims, are required, on or before Tuesday, the 17th day of December, 1901, to send in their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to the undersigned, the Trustee under the said deed, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the final Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 29th day of November, 1901.

F. B. HARPER, 10, Trinity-square, Tower Hill, London, E.C., Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Inspectorship for the benefit of Creditors, executed on the 16th day of April, 1901, by Samuel Hipsley Frederick Dibble Seaman and Frederick Ernest Seaman, both of Gore farm and Bashley Manor Farm, both in the parish of New Milton, in the county of Southampton, Farmers and Copartners.

THE joint and separate creditors of the above named Samuel Hipsley Frederick Dibble Seaman and Frederick Ernest Seaman, who have not already sent in their claims, and assented to the said deed, are required, on or before the 31st day of December, 1901, to assent thereto, and send in their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and be prepared to prove the same to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors to John Charles Nike King, of Lymington, in the said county of Southampton, Corn Merchant, and George Edward Richards, of Wimborne, in the county of Dorset, Valuer, the Inspectors under the said Deed, or in default thereof they (the said joint and separate creditors) will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 28th day of November, 1901.

TATTERSALL and SON, of No. 108, Old Christchurch-road, Bournemouth, Solicitors for the above named Inspectors.

The Deeds of Arrangement Acts, 1887 and 1890.

Re Henry George Bishop, of Stowmarket, in the county of Suffolk, Architect and Surveyor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture dated the 28th day of November, 1901, the above named Henry George Bishop has assigned all his estate and effects unto Philip Charles Napier Peddar, of Stowmarket, in the said county, Auctioneer, upon trust for

the equal benefit of his creditors. All persons indebted to, or having any claim or demand against the estate are requested to pay or send particulars thereof to the said Philip Charles Napier Peddar forthwith.—Dated this 2nd day of December, 1901.

HAYWARD and SON, Stowmarket and Needham Market, Solicitors to the Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, executed on the 3rd day of May, 1901, by Frederick Charles Bowden, of 64, Harlesden-gardens, Harlesden, in the county of Middlesex, and Crown Hill-road, Harlesden aforesaid, Builder and Contractor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Dividend is intended to be declared. The creditors of the above named Frederick Charles Bowden, who have not already sent in their claims and assented to the said deed, are required on or before the 17th December, 1901, to assent to the said deed, and to send in their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, together with all bills, notes, and other negotiable instruments, to George Alexander Sexton, of Bank-buildings, High-road, Kilburn, in the county of London, Architect and Surveyor, the Trustee under the said deed, or in default they will be excluded from the benefit of any Dividend which may hereafter be declared.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1901.

BRABY and MACDONALD, Dacre House, Arundel-street, Strand, London, W.C., Solicitors for the said Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, executed on the 28th day of August, 1900, by William North, of 128, Beacon-road, Wibsey, in the city of Bradford, Wholesale Butcher.

THE creditors of the above named William North, who have not already sent in their claims, are required, on or before the 15th day of December, 1901, to send in their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to James Wainwright, of the Auction Mart, Skipton, in the county of York, Accountant, the Trustee under the said deed, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 30th day of November, 1901.

TREWAVAS and MASSEY, 1, Cheapside, Bradford, Solicitors for the above named Trustee.

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.
No. 7 of 1901.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900, and in the Matter of the Victor Mill-Furnishing Company Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above named Company by the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham, was on the 29th day of November, 1901, presented to the said Court by Isaac Thorp and Sons Limited, whose registered office is at 25, Church-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at Corporation-street, Birmingham, on the 12th day of December, 1901, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, 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 Solicitor, or his Counsel, for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

EDWIN JAKUES and SONS, 103, Colmore-row, Birmingham; Agents for
SALE SEDDON and CO., 29, Booth-street, Manchester, Solicitors to the Petitioners.

NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on, or send by post to, the above named, notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person, or, if a firm, the name and address of the firm, and must be signed by the person or firm, or his or their Solicitor (if any) and must be served, or, if posted, must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above named not later than six o'clock in the afternoon of the 11th day of December, 1901.

In the High Court of Justice, in Bankruptcy
In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Notice dated the 26th day of November, 1901.

To William George Wrigglesworth, late of the Temple Bar, Walworth-road, Surrey, Licensed Victualler.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Notice has been issued against you in this Court at the instance of J. and W. Nicholson and Co. Limited, of 195, St. John-street, Clerkenwell, and the Court has ordered that the publication of this Notice in the London Gazette and in the Morning Advertiser newspaper shall be deemed to be service of the Bankruptcy Notice upon you. The Bankruptcy Notice can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated 29th day of November, 1901.

HERBERT J. HOPE, Registrar.

The Bankruptcy Acts, 1883 and 1890.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester.
In Bankruptcy. No. 82 of 1900.

Re Aron David Rosa, now or late of Knoll House, 396, Higher Broughton, Salford, Lancashire, and of 3, Nadjiverti Han, Constantinople, in Turkey, Maurice Rosa, now of 69, Richmond-grove, High-street, Chorlton-on-Medlock, in the city of Manchester, but late of Knoll House aforesaid, and William Rider, now of 6, Drayton-avenue, Burton-road, West Didsbury, Lancashire, late of 1, Kenilworth avenue, Burton-road, West Didsbury aforesaid, and together in partnership carrying on business as Merchants and Shippers, at 6, Hall-street, Oxford-street, in the city of Manchester aforesaid, under the style of "A. D. Rosa and Co.," and also carrying on a like business in partnership with another person, under the same style, and at the same place, and also at Alexandria and Cairo, in Egypt, and as to the said Aron David Rosa, carrying on business in partnership with other persons, as Army Contractors, at Constantinople aforesaid, under the style of "A. Fresco and Co."

NOTICE is hereby given, that there being in the hands of the Trustee in the above Bankruptcy a surplus estimated at £150, arising from the separate estate of Aron David Rosa, one of the bankrupts, and there being no separate creditors of such bankrupt, it is the intention of such Trustee, at the expiration of seven days from the appearance of this notice in the Gazette, to transfer such surplus to the credit of the joint estate in the said Bankruptcy.—Dated this twenty-ninth day of November, 1901. JNO. P. GARNETT, Trustee.

Bankruptcy Acts, 1883 to 1890.

In the High Court of Justice, in Bankruptcy.
No. 727 of 1899.

Re M. F. Purcell, of 10, Barton-street, Westminster, in the county of London, Barrister-at-Law.

THE creditors of the above-named M. F. Purcell, who have not already sent in their claims, are required, on or before Tuesday, the 10th day of December, 1901, to send in their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to Herbert Watkins, F.C.A., of 23, New Broad-street, London, E.C., Trustee under the said Bankruptcy, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any Dividend likely to be made to them.—Dated this 2nd day of December, 1901.

HERBERT WATKINS, Trustee.

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.
3897	Frank, Max (trading as Frank Bros. and Co.)	23, Australian-avenue, Cripplegate, in the city of London	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 5, 1901	1212 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901	659	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (D.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3898	Golding, Selmon...	Lately residing and carrying on business at 6, Cuning-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, but whose present place of residence or business the Petitioning Creditors are unable to ascertain	...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 8, 1901	1233 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901	658	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (D.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3899	Hawthorn Brothers and Company	54, Great Tower-street, in the city of London	Shipbrokers and Ship-owners	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 14, 1901	1253 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901	657	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3900	Hiam, William John ...	124, Cazenove-road, Stoke Newington, in the county of London, carrying on business at Throgmorton House, and lately carrying on business at 123, Cannon-street, both in the city of London	Accountant ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 30, 1901	1316 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901	661	Debtor's	
3901	Martin, Henry Thomas ...	40, Vernon-road, Romford-road, Stratford, and employed at the Works of the Great Eastern Railway Company (Carriage Department), at Stratford, both in Essex	Body Maker ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 30, 1901	1313 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901	660	Debtor's	
3902	Mason, Thomas ...	Chapel-yard, Sardinia-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields, and residing at 23, Thornton-street, Brixton, both in the county of London	Carman and Contractor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 27, 1901	1302 of 1901	Nov. 27, 1901	655	Debtor's	
3903	Pinnick, Alfred ...	Lately carrying on business at 69, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, and residing at 14, Harold-road, Hornsey, Middlesex	Hosier ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 7, 1901	1226 of 1901	Nov. 27, 1901	654	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3904	Coaker, Edwin ...	Berrynarbor, Devonshire, lately residing and carrying on business at Ilfracombe, Devonshire	Builder ...	Barnstaple ...	Nov. 30, 1901	15 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901	10	Debtor's	
3905	Meyers, Charles ...	86, Market-street, Hoylake, Cheshire...	Grocer ...	Birkenhead ...	Oct. 29, 1901	21 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901	16	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (A.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3906	Kennell, Thomas Moy ...	The Union Bar, Union-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick	Restaurant Proprietor ...	Birmingham ...	Nov. 26, 1901	121 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901	105	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (A.), 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.
3907	Rowlands, James Edmund	Residing and carrying on business at 366, Witton-road, Witton, in the county of Warwick	Greengrocer	Birmingham ...	Nov. 30, 1901	125 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901	106	Debtor's	
3908	Wright, Joseph Brotherton	8, Astley-lane, Astley Bridge, lately of 61, Tyndall-street, both in Bolton, Lancashire	Insurance Agent, lately Confectioner	Bolton	Nov. 29, 1901	44 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901	42	Debtor's	
3909	J. A. Short and Co. ...	35, Victoria-street, Thomas-street, Bristol, in the city and county of Bristol	Wall-paper Merchant ...	Bristol	Nov. 22, 1901	78 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901	71	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3910	Tomlinson, Harvey ...	Little Dunstall, Staffordshire	Farmer	Burton-on-Trent	Nov. 30, 1901	20 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901	19	Debtor's	
3911	Mason, George Baker ..	Higham, near Bury St. Edmunds, Suffolk ...	General Shopkeeper ...	Cambridge ...	Nov. 30, 1901	16 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901	13	Debtor's	
3912	Osborne, Charles ...	5, Tunnel-terrace, Blaengwynfi, near Bridgend, in the county of Glamorgan	Labourer	Cardiff	Nov. 28, 1901	57 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901	50	Debtor's	
3913	Vanstone, Douglas Henry	Residing at 16 and 17, Glebe-street, Penarth, in the county of Glamorgan	Tobacconist and News-agent	Cardiff	Nov. 29, 1901	58 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901	51	Debtor's	
3914	Davies, Naasson	Dderwenfawr, Upper Town, Loughor, Glamorganshire	Draper and Grocer ...	Carmarthen ...	Nov. 30, 1901	20 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901	16	Debtor's	
3915	Sellens, Alexander Alfred	Brightlingsea, Essex	Draper	Colchester ...	Nov. 28, 1901	14 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901	14	Debtor's	
3916	Kingston, Jonas	High-street, Orpington, in the county of Kent	Fruit Grower and Salesman	Croydon	Nov. 27, 1901	46 of 1901	Nov. 27, 1901	33	Debtor's	
3917	Barton, Michael (carrying on business under the style of M. Barton and Co.)	Carrying on business at Ye Olde Pente House, Enfield, and residing at 8, Cecil-avenue, Southbery-road, Enfield, both in Middlesex	Wine and Spirit Merchant	Edmonton ...	Nov. 27, 1901	19 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901	16	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (H.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3918	Beck, Edward	Bevan-street, Lowestoft, Suffolk	Formerly Smackowner, now out of business	Great Yarmouth	Nov. 30, 1901	33 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901	32	Debtor's	
3919	Sykes, Martin	Moor Bottom, Greetland, near Halifax, Yorkshire	Farmer	Halifax	Nov. 25, 1901	33 of 1901	Nov. 25, 1901	31	Debtor's	
3920	Bearson, A.	71, West Derby-road, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster	Tobacconist	Liverpool ...	Nov. 26, 1901	82 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901	69	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (H.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883

RECEIVING ORDERS—continued.

No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
3921	Chapman, Alfred Thomas, and Chapman, Thomas ...	Little Paddock Farm, Challock, in the county of Kent Lenham Heath, in the said county, lately carrying on business at Halling, in the said county Lately carrying on business at Lenham, in partnership, under the style of Chapman Brothers	Farmer No occupation, late Butcher	Maldstone ...	Nov. 28, 1901	22 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901	21	Debtor's	
3922	Mayall, Robert and Wild, William (trading under the style of Mayall and Wild) ...	Residing at Luzley Brook, Shaw, in the county of Lancaster Residing at 163, Portland-street, Southport, in the said county At 29, New Cannon-street, Manchester ...	Glycerine Merchants and Drysalters	Manchester ...	Nov. 28, 1901	108 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901	79	Debtor's	
3923	Pettitt, Alfred	Now residing at 23, Lynwood-grove, Sale, Cheshire, lately residing at 14, North-grove, Urmston, Lancashire, formerly carrying on business at 14, North-grove aforesaid, and 49, Deansgate, Manchester, and also formerly carrying on business in partnership with another person, under the style of M. Oliver and Co., at 49, Deansgate, Manchester	Now a Compositor, formerly a Rent and Debt Collector, and also formerly a Boot Dealer	Manchester ...	Nov. 28, 1901	109 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901	80	Debtor's	
3924	Bangay, Richard... ..	144, Silver-road, Norwich, lately carrying on business at Magdalen-street, Norwich	Cabinet Maker	Norwich ...	Nov. 29, 1901	43 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901	42	Debtor's	
3925	Larter, William Robert .	Mousehold-road, Sprowston-road, in the county of Norfolk	Fish Dealer and Oyster-stall Keeper	Norwich ...	Nov. 29, 1901	42 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901	41	Debtor's	
3926	Vear, Edward	202, Barnby - gate, Newark - on - Trent, Nottinghamshire	Drayman and Grocer ...	Nottingham ...	Nov. 27, 1901	53 of 1901	Nov. 27, 1901	54	Debtor's	
3927	Gout, John Edwin	Baston, Lincolnshire, lately residing at Langtoft, in the same county	Farmer and Butcher ...	Peterborough ...	Nov. 21, 1901	17 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901	14	Creditor's...	Sec. 4-1 (A.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3928	Jones, Abraham	9, Mount Pleasant, Abercynon-road, Abercynon, Glamorganshire	Collier	Pontypridd ...	Nov. 27, 1901	33 of 1901	Nov. 27, 1901	33	Debtor's	
3929	Lloyd, William Oliver ...	West End Stores, Cardiff-road, Pwllheli, Carnarvonshire	Grocer	Portmadoc and Festiniog	Nov. 29, 1901	17 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901	16	Debtor's	
3930	Perrin, Frankcom William	627, Oxford-road, Reading	Carpenter, Carver, and Gilder	Reading ...	Nov. 29, 1901	20 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901	16	Debtor's	

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3931	Holt, John Charles ...	52 and 54, Hythe-street, Dartford, Kent ...	Grocer and Provision Merchant	Rochester ...	Nov. 28, 1901	42 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901	28	Debtor's	Sec. 1, Bankruptcy Act, 1890
3932	Cleasby, Edgar ... and Hasselby, William George (lately carrying on business as Cleasby and Hasselby) ...	Residing at 223, City-road, in the city of Sheffield Residing at 20, South-street, Park, Sheffield aforesaid At 9, Castle-hill, Sheffield aforesaid ...	Late Grocers and Produce Merchants	Sheffield ...	Sept. 17, 1901	78 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901	86	Creditor's...	
3933	Colquhoun, Isaac ...	1, Glanmor-terrace, in the county borough of Swansea	Chief Constable of Police of the County Borough of Swansea	Swansea ...	Nov. 28, 1901	28 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901	27	Debtor's	
3934	Runswick, William Frederick	3, Kimberley-road, Falmouth, Cornwall, lately residing and carrying on business at Barbe's Private Hotel, Perranporth, in the same county	Insurance Agent...	Truro ...	Nov. 30, 1901	41 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901	41	Debtor's	
3935	Rawlinson Heber Charles	Woodhouse Lane End, East Ardsley, Yorkshire	Painter ...	Wakefield ...	Nov. 30, 1901	31 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901	27	Debtor's	
3936	Haswell, Edward Henry	29, Addison-road, New Bilton, Rugby, late of 20, Leam-street, Leamington, both in the county of Warwick, and 90, Welford-road, Leicester, in the county of Leicester	Butcher ...	Warwick ...	Nov. 28, 1901	8 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901	7	Debtor's	
3937	James, Frederick ...	26, St. Cuthbert-street, Wells; Somersetshire	Baker ...	Wells ...	Nov. 30, 1901	8 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901	8	Debtor's	
3938	Wooster, William ...	High-street, Southall, Middlesex ...	Chemist and Druggist ...	Windsor ...	Nov. 28, 1901	24 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901	18	Debtor's	Sec. 4-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1883
3849	Hudson, Walter George William	St. Romans, Putney Heath, in the county of London	No occupation ...	Wandsworth ...	Oct. 22, 1901	60 of 1901	Nov. 21, 1901	48	Creditor's...	

The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of the 28th November, 1901.

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.
Avery, Edward ...	12, Dean-street, Soho, in the county of London, and of Electric-avenue and of the Parade, Clacton-on-Sea, and of High-street, Colchester, both in Essex, and lately residing and carrying on business at 53, Greek-street, Soho aforesaid, and 13, Leighton-crescent, Kentish Town, in the county of London	Bookseller ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1237 of 1901	Dec. 12, 1901	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 22, 1902	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Cundy, Frank George	181, Great Portland-street, in the county of London	Cycle Dealer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1222 of 1901	Dec. 13, 1901	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 22, 1902	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Edwards, Frank ...	85, Trafalgar-road, Greenwich, in the county of London, Provision Dealer, and lately carrying on business at 87, Rosemary-road, Peckham, in the county of London	Provision Dealer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1301 of 1901	Dec. 13, 1901	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 23, 1902	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Gosling, Alfred Cameron Joseph	Carrying on business at Palmerston-buildings, in the city of London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1108 of 1901	Dec. 17, 1901	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 23, 1902	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Harris, Lewis (trading as R. Harris and George Israel)	Residing and carrying on business at 28, Brick-lane, Whitechapel, in the county of London	Upper Manufacturer and Leather Cutter	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1282 of 1901	Dec. 17, 1901	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 23, 1902	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Hopkinson, John ...	73 and 75, Curtain-road, Shoreditch, in the county of London, and residing at 3, Glencoe, Chapel-street, Brixton - road, Surrey	Furniture Manufacturer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1294 of 1901	Dec. 11, 1901	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 23, 1902	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order if any, for Summary Administration.
Large, John Wallace	2, Coborn-road, Bow, in the county of London	Wheelwright ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1181 of 1901	Dec. 16, 1901	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 31, 1902	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Lazarnick, Jonah ...	Size-yard, Whitechapel-road, and 5, Walkmead-road, South Hackney, both in the county of London, lately carrying on business at Size-yard, Whitechapel-road aforesaid	Corn Dealer and Carman	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1220 of 1901	Dec. 12, 1901	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 31, 1902	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Mason, Thomas ...	Chapel-yard, Sardinia-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of London, and residing at 28, Thornton - street, Brixton, in the county of London	Carman and Contractor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1302 of 1901	Dec. 13, 1901	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 31, 1902	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Millar, F. J. Moss ...	20, High Holborn, in the county of London	Laundry Agent ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1082 of 1901	Dec. 16, 1901	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 31, 1902	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Nanson, Henry ...	20, Great Winchester-street, in the city of London	Solicitor ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	659 of 1901	Dec. 18, 1901	2.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 31, 1902	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
O'Connor, Mary Anne Priscilla Josephine (sued as Mary J. O'Connor)	84, Brompton-square, in the county of London, lately residing at the Palace, Elphin, in the county of Roscommon, Ireland	Spinster ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1060 of 1901	Dec. 18, 1901	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 31, 1902	12.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Purdom, James Edward	40, High - street, Hampstead, in the county of London	Oil and Colour Man	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1377 of 1901	Dec. 13, 1901	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 24, 1902	12.30 P.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	
Thompson, Livingstone W. N.	During a part of the last twelve months residing at Topsham Barracks, Exeter, Devonshire, but whose present address the Petitioning Creditor is unable to ascertain	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1072 of 1901	Dec. 18, 1901	12 noon	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	Jan. 28, 1902	11.30 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey - street, London, W.C.	

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Vendor'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.
Cocking, George William	3, East - square, Monk Bretton, Barnsley, York- shire, late of Psalter's- lane, Holmes, near Rotherham, in the same county	Labourer, late Shopkeeper	Barnsley ...	7 of 1901	Dec. 10, 1901	10.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Regent- street, Barnsley	Dec. 10, 1901	11 A.M.	County Court- hall, Regent- street, Barns- ley	Nov. 30, 1901
Masters, Harry (former- ly carrying on business under the style or firm of the Worcester Fruit Company)	Now residing at and formerly carrying on business at 115, Soho- road, Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, lately carrying on business at Upper Parkstone, in the county of Dorset	Fruiterer ...	Birmingham ...	115 of 1901	Dec. 11, 1901	12 noon	174, Corporation - street, Birmingham	Jan. 2, 1902	2 P.M.	County Court, Birmingham	Nov. 15, 1901
Russell, Arthur John	100, Great Hampton-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, lately residing at Green-street, Great Gonerley, in the county of Lincoln	Butcher ...	Birmingham ...	116 of 1901	Dec. 13, 1901	11 A.M.	174, Corporation - street, Birmingham	Jan. 13, 1902	2 P.M.	County Court, Birmingham	Nov. 15, 1901
Simpson, Frederick ...	44, Carver-street, Birming- ham, in the county of Warwick, lately residing and carrying on business at 11, Dover-street, Bir- mingham aforesaid	General Dealer and Milkseller	Birmingham ...	117 of 1901	Dec. 11, 1901	11 A.M.	174, Corporation - street, Birmingham	Jan. 2, 1902	2 P.M.	County Court, Birmingham	Nov. 29, 1901
Wright, Joseph Brotherton	8, Astley - lane, Astley Bridge, Bolton, lately re- siding and carrying on business at 61, Tyndall- street, Bolton	Insurance Agent, lately a Confec- tioner	Bolton ...	44 of 1901	Dec. 13, 1901	3 P.M.	19, Exchange-street, Bolton	Dec. 18, 1901	3 P.M.	Court - house, Mawdsley street, Bolton	Nov. 29, 1901
Swallow, Robert ...	1, Grand-parade, Brighton, and High-street, Shore- ham, Sussex	Coal Merchant ...	Brighton ...	103 of 1901	Dec. 11, 1901	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 4, Pavilion- buildings, Brighton	Dec. 12, 1901	11 A.M.	Court - house, Church-street, Brighton	
Cornwell, Mary Beeton	West Wratting, in the county of Cambridge	Grocer and Draper, Widow	Cambridge ...	15 of 1901	Dec. 11, 1901	10.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 5, Petty Cury, Cambridge	Dec. 11, 1901	11 A.M.	Guildhall, Cam- bridge	Nov. 28, 1901

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Debtor's Name	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Newton, Mary (carrying on business under the style or name of John Camm and Co.)	Residing at 35, Skerton-road, Old Trafford, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business at 46, Crane-street, in the city of Chester	Brush Manufacturer, Spinster	Chester ...	17 of 1901	Dec. 11, 1901	3 P.M.	The Castle, Chester	Jan. 7, 1902	11 A.M.	The Castle, Chester	
Mitchell, George ...	Dale-street, Ossett, in the county of York	Woollen Cloth Manufacturer	Dewsbury ...	38 of 1901	Dec. 12, 1901	3.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Batley	Jan. 7, 1902	2 P.M.	County Court-house, Dewsbury	
Lewis, Charles William	Grainthorpe, Lincolnshire	Wheelwright ...	Great Grimsby	29 of 1901	Dec. 10, 1901	11 A.M.	Office of Official Receiver, 15, Osborne-street, Great Grimsby	Jan. 2, 1902	11 A.M.	Townhall, Great Grimsby	Nov. 23, 1901
Sykes, Martin ...	Moor Bottom, Greetland, near Halifax, Yorkshire	Farmer ...	Halifax ...	33 of 1901	Dec. 11, 1901	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Townhall-chambers, Halifax	Jan. 13, 1902	2 P.M.	County Court-house, Prescott-street, Halifax	Nov. 25, 1901
Chase, E. E. ...	Lakenheath, Suffolk, and lately carrying on business at the Carlisle Hotel, Hastings, Sussex	Licensed Victualler	Hastings ...	39 of 1901	Dec. 10, 1901	3.30 P.M.	County Court Offices, 24, Cambridge-road, Hastings	Dec. 10, 1901	12 noon	Townhall, Hastings	
Nice, Herbert William	Ham-street, Ham Common, Surrey	Grocer and Provision Dealer, lately carrying on business, in partnership with William Hunt, under the style of H. W. Nice and Co.	Kingston, Surrey	33 of 1901	Dec. 10, 1901	11.30 A.M.	24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Jan. 7, 1902	2.30 P.M.	Court-house, Kingston, Surrey	Nov. 28, 1901
Gagg, Frederick ...	109, Waverley-street, in the city and county of Kingston-upon-Hull, lately carrying on business, in copartnership with Walter Donkin, at 109, Waverley-street aforesaid	Corn Factor, lately carrying on business with another under the style of Gagg and Donkin	Kingston-upon-Hull	63 of 1901	Dec. 10, 1901	11.30 A.M.	Office of Official Receiver, Trinity House-lane, Hull	Dec. 16, 1901	2 P.M.	Court-house, Townhall, Hull	

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Short, Robert ..	The Old Half Way House, Dairycoates, Hessle-road, in the city and county of Kingston-upon-Hull	Blacksmith ...	Kingston-upon-Hull	64 of 1901	Dec. 10, 1901	11 A.M.	Office of Official Receiver, Trinity House-lane, Hull	Dec. 16, 1901	2 P.M.	Court House, Townhall, Hull	Nov. 23, 1901
Chapman, Alfred Thomas and Chapman, Thomas	Little Paddock Farm, Challock, in the county of Kent Lenham Heath in the said county, lately carrying on business at Halling, in the said county (lately carrying on business at Lenham in partnership under the style of Chapman Brothers)	Farmer ... No occupation, late Butcher	Maidstone ...	22 of 1901	Dec. 11, 1901	11 A.M.	9, King-street, Maidstone	Dec. 11, 1901	12 noon	Sessions-house, Maidstone	Nov. 29, 1901
Pettitt, Alfred	Now residing at 23, Lynwood-grove, Sale, Cheshire, lately residing at 14, North-grove, Urms-ton, Lancashire, formerly carrying on business at 14, North-grove aforesaid, and 49, Deansgate, Manchester, and also formerly carrying on business in partnership with another person under the style of M. Oliver and Co., at 49, Deansgate, Manchester	Compositor, formerly Rent and Debt Collector, and Boot Dealer	Manchester ...	109 of 1901	Dec. 11, 1901	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Byrom-street, Manchester	Dec. 16, 1901	11 A.M.	Court-house, Quay-street, Manchester	Nov. 29, 1901
Lewis, David Francis	153, Windsor-road, Neath, in the county of Glamorgan	Grocer ...	Neath and Aberavon	23 of 1901	Dec. 11, 1901	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, 31, Alexandra-road, Swansea	Dec. 10, 1901	11.30 A.M.	Townhall, Neath	Nov. 29, 1901
Allcock, William Edwin	Weir Mill Farm, Linby, Nottinghamshire	Farmer ...	Nottingham ...	52 of 1901	Dec. 10, 1901	12.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 4, Castle-place, Park-street, Nottingham	Jan. 10, 1902	10 A.M.	County Court-house, St. Peter's-gate, Nottingham	Nov. 30, 1901

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Seaman, Frederick Joseph	2, South-street, Market Place, Hucknall Torkard, Nottinghamshire, lately trading at 5, Red Lion-square, Heanor, and 2, South-parade, Matlock, both in Derbyshire	Photographer and Picture Frame Maker	Nottingham ...	49 of 1901	Dec. 10, 1901	12 noon.	Official Receiver's Offices, 4, Castle-place, Park-street, Nottingham	Jan. 10, 1902	10 A.M.	County Court-house, St. Peter's-gate, Nottingham	Nov. 30, 1901
Williams, Isaac ...	7, Charles-street, Llan-bradach, Glamorganshire	Collier	Pontypridd, Ystrad, fodwg, and Porth	31 of 1901	Dec. 10, 1901	3 P.M.	135, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil	Dec. 17, 1901	11.15 A.M.	Court-house, Pontypridd	Nov. 30, 1901
Southorn, Nicholas Grose	144, Holdenburst-road, Bournemouth, in the county of Hants	Baker and Confectioner ...	Poole	22 of 1901	Dec. 10, 1901	12.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, City-chambers, Salisbury	Dec. 11, 1901	11.30 A.M.	Townhall, Poole	Nov. 29, 1901
Harrison, Joseph ...	South Shore Hotel, Blackpool, in the county of Lancaster, lately residing and carrying on business at the Wellington Hotel, Rochdale, in the said county	Joint Manager of the South Shore Hotel, lately Licensed Victualler	Rochdale	16 of 1901	Dec. 17, 1901	12.30 P.M.	Townhall, Rochdale	Jan. 24, 1902	11.30 A.M.	Lecture Hall, Acker-street, Rochdale	Nov. 30, 1901
Holt, John Charles ..	52 and 54, Hythe-street, Dartford, in the county of Kent	Grocer and Provision Merchant	Rochester	42 of 1901	Dec. 16, 1901	11 A.M.	115, High-street, Rochester	Dec. 16, 1901	2 P.M.	Court-house, Eastgate, Rochester	Nov. 30, 1901
Smith, George Gerald	3, Ivy-terrace, Brook-street, Belvedere, in the county of Kent	Builder	Rochester	37 of 1901	Dec. 16, 1901	12 noon	115, High-street, Rochester	Dec. 16, 1901	2 P.M.	Court-house, Eastgate, Rochester	Nov. 30, 1901
Moon, Joseph ...	Residing at 14, Davyhulme-road, Urmston, near Manchester, but formerly carrying on business at the Cattle Market, Salford	Now Cattle Salesman, but formerly Cattle Dealer	Salford	25 of 1901	Dec. 11, 1901	2.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Byrom-street, Manchester	Jan. 7, 1902	2 P.M.	Court-house, Encombe place, Salford	Nov. 27, 1901
Etchells, William Henry	2, Lilac-street, Stockport, Cheshire, lately residing at Regent-road, Stockport aforesaid, and formerly residing at 22, Adswood-lane, Stockport aforesaid	Commission Agent	Stockport	23 of 1901	Dec. 12, 1901	10.15 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, County-chambers, Market Place, Stockport.	Dec. 12, 1901	11 A.M.	Court-house, Vernon-street, Stockport	Nov. 28, 1901

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Debtor's Name.	Address	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Wilkes, John...	101, London-road, Stoke-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford	Timekeeper	Stoke - upon - Trent and Longton	11 of 1901	Dec. 13, 1901	11.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffordshire	Dec. 17, 1901	10.15 A.M.	Townhall, Stoke-upon-Trent	Nov. 27, 1901
Huxtable, William Henry	5, Nicholson-place, Walter-road, carrying on business at 5, Nichol-on-place, Walter-road, and at 2, Harbour-road, St. Thomas, all in the county borough of Swansea	Greengrocer and Fruiterer	Swansea	26 of 1901	Dec. 12, 1901	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, 31, Alexandra-road, Swansea	Dec. 13, 1901	11.30 A.M.	Townhall, Swansea	Nov. 28, 1901
Loney, John Henry	Residing at Vine Cottage, Salisbury - road, Marlborough, Wiltshire, and carrying on business at Kingsbury-street, Marlborough, Wiltshire	Fishmonger	Swindon	18 of 1901	Dec. 11, 1901	11.45 A.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 38, Regent-circus, Swindon	Dec. 11, 1901	12.30 P.M.	County Court, Town hall, Regent-circus, Swindon	Nov. 28, 1901
Burgess, Robert William	Lately residing at 183, Pargeter-street, Walsall, and lately carrying on business at 80, Oxford-street, Pleck, Walsall, Staffordshire	Metal Goods Manufacturer	Walsall	31 of 1901	Dec. 13, 1901	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Wolverhampton	Dec. 19, 1901	11.30 A.M.	Court - house, Walsall	Nov. 20, 1901
Chandler, Harry Oswald	The Crown Inn, Alrewas, Staffordshire, formerly of Green Farm, Alrewas aforesaid.	Licensed Victualler, formerly Farmer	Walsall	36 of 1901	Dec. 13, 1901	11.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Wolverhampton	Dec. 19, 1901	11.30 A.M.	Court - house, Walsall	Nov. 20, 1901
Gee, John Thomas	236, Stafford-street, Walsall, Staffordshire, and of James-street, Coalville, lately residing at Belvoir-road, Coalville, Leicestershire	China Dealer	Walsall	34 of 1901	Dec. 13, 1901	10.30 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, Wolverhampton	Dec. 19, 1901	11.30 A.M.	Court - house, Walsall	Nov. 20, 1901

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Greed, Thomas Matthew	Residing in lodgings at 21, Wolverhampton - street, Walsall, carrying on business at the Crown Bakery, Wolverhampton - street, Walsall, formerly carrying on business at 30, Stafford-street, Walsall, in co-partnership with William Henry Harper, under the style or firm of Greed and Harper, all in Staffordshire	Baker and Confectioner	Walsall	35 of 1901	Dec. 13, 1901	12 noon	Official Receiver's Office, Wolverhampton	Dec. 19, 1901	11.30 A.M.	Court - house, Walsall	
Bishop, Cecil Clayforth (carrying on business under the style of Bishop Bros.)	20, Carholme-road, Forest Hill, Kent, and carrying on business at 534, Wandsworth-road, Clapham, London	Auctioneer	Wandsworth	67 of 1901	Dec. 10, 1901	12.30 P.M.	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Jan. 9, 1902	12 noon	Court - house, Wandsworth, Surrey	
Gray, William Stephen	49, Ingelow-road, Battersea, in the county of London	Book keeper	Wandsworth	71 of 1901	Dec. 11, 1901	12.30 P.M.	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Jan. 9, 1902	12 noon	Court - house, Wandsworth, Surrey	
Hudson, Walter George William	St. Ronans, Putney Heath, in the county of London	No occupation	Wandsworth	60 of 1901	Dec. 11, 1901	11.20 A.M.	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Jan. 9, 1902	12 noon	Court - house, Wandsworth, Surrey	
Morris, David, trading as Turner and Co.	32 and 34, High - road, Palham, carrying on business at 32 and 34, High-road aforesaid, in the county of London	House Furnisher...	Wandsworth	70 of 1901	Dec. 12, 1901	11.30 A.M.	24, Railway - approach, London Bridge, S.E.	Jan. 9, 1902	12 noon	Court - house, Wandsworth, Surrey	
Hawwell, Edward Henry	29, Addison - road, New Bilton, Rugby, Warwickshire, lately residing and carrying on business at 20, Leam-street, Leamington, Warwickshire, and at 90, Welford - road, Leicester, Leicestershire	Butcher	Warwick	8 of 1901	Dec. 10, 1901	12 noon	Official Receiver's Office, 17, Hertford-street, Coventry	Dec. 20, 1901	2 P.M.	Shirehall, Warwick	
Green, William Llewellyn	66, St. Andrews, Uxbridge, Middlesex	Brewer's Agent	Windsor	21 of 1901	Dec. 14, 1901	1 P.M.	Offices of Herbert and Son, 95, Peascod-street, Windsor	Dec. 14, 1901	11 A.M.	Townhall, Windsor	Nov. 20, 1901

NOTICE OF DAY APPOINTED FOR PROCEEDING WITH PUBLIC EXAMINATION ADJOURNED SINE DIE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date fixed for proceeding with Examination.	Hour.	Place.
Hall, John Thompson	41, Stanhope-road, Darlington, in the county of Durham, and lately carrying on business at Northgate, Darlington aforesaid	Sharebroker	Stockton-on-Tees ...	15 of 1901	Dec. 18, 1901 ...	10.30 A.M.	Court - house, Bridge-road, Stockton-on-Tees

ADJUDICATIONS.

Debtor's Name	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Filing Petition.
Barclay, Sir David Edward Durell, Baronet (described in the Receiving Order as Sir David E. D. Barclay, Baronet)	Late of Birch Hall, Windlesham, Surrey, but whose present residence the Petitioning Creditors are unable to ascertain	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	862 of 1901	Nov. 27, 1901 ...	July 31, 1901
Cundy, Frank George	181, Great Portland-street, in the county of London ..	Cycle Dealer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1232 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901 ...	Nov. 7, 1901
Finch, Edwin George (trading as Rogers, Finch, and Co.)	60, St. James's-street, Piccadilly, in the county of London, trading there, and residing at 12, Earl's-court-gardens, Middlesex	Wine Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1171 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901 ...	Oct. 25, 1901
Gibbs, William Henry	Carrying on business at 5, West Kensington-terrace, West Kensington, in the county of London, and lately residing at 19, Mornington-avenue, West Kensington aforesaid	Builder	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1163 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901 ...	Oct. 21, 1901
Large, Wallace John (described in the Receiving Order as John Wallace Large)	2, Coborn-road, Bow, in the county of London	Wheelwright	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1181 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901 ...	Oct. 28, 1901
Martin, Henry Thomas	40, Vernon-road, Romford-road, Stratford, and employed at the works of the Great Eastern Railway Company, Carriage Department, at Stratford, both in Essex	Body Maker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1313 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901 ...	Nov. 30, 1901
Mason, Thomas	Chapel-yard, Sardinia-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields, and residing at 28, Thornton-street, Brixton, both in the county of London	Carman and Contractor	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1302 of 1901	Nov. 27, 1901 ...	Nov. 27, 1901
Pilbrow, William Francis	1, Wellington-square, Chelsea, in the county of London, and formerly residing at Broadstairs, Kent	Builder	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	969 of 1901	Nov. 27, 1901 ...	Sept. 2, 1901
Coaker, Edwin	Berrynarbor, Devonshire, lately residing and carrying on business at Ilfracombe, Devonshire	Builder	Barnstaple	15 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901 ...	Nov. 30, 1901
Meyers, Charles	86, Market-street, Hoylake, Cheshire	Grocer	Birkenhead	21 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901 ...	Oct. 29, 1901

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Filing Petition.
Masters, Harry (formerly carrying on business under the style or firm of the Worcester Fruit Company)	Now residing at and formerly carrying on business at 115, Soho-road, Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, lately carrying on business at Upper Parkstone, in the county of Dorset	Fruiterer	Birmingham	115 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901	Nov. 13, 1901
Rowlands, James Edmund	Residing and carrying on business at 366, Witton-road, Witton, in the county of Warwick	Greengrocer	Birmingham	125 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901	Nov. 30, 1901
Russell, Arthur John	100, Great Hampton-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, lately residing at Green-street, Great Gonerley, in the county of Lincoln	Butcher	Birmingham	116 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901	Nov. 12, 1901
Wright, Joseph Brotherton	8, Astley-lane, Astley Bridge, lately of 61, Tyndall-street, both in Bolton, Lancashire	Insurance Agent, lately Confectioner	Bolton	44 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901	Nov. 29, 1901
Garland, George	138, Kenn-road, Clevedon, in the county of Somerset	Builder	Bristol	79 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901	Nov. 22, 1901
Tomlinson, Harvey	Little Dunstall, Staffordshire	Farmer	Burton-on-Trent	20 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901	Nov. 30, 1901
Mason, George Faker	Higham, near Bury St. Edmunds, Suffolk	General-shop Keeper	Cambridge	16 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901	Nov. 30, 1901
Dix, William (carrying on business under the style of W. G. Dix)	36, Lower Cathedral-road, Cardiff	Builder	Cardiff	56 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901	Nov. 27, 1901
Grove, John	Residing and carrying on business at 12, Clare-road, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, formerly carrying on business at 41, Caroline-street, Cardiff	Earthenware Hawker	Cardiff	54 of 1901	Nov. 22, 1901	Nov. 22, 1901
Osborne, Charles	5, Tunnel-terrace, Blaengwynfi, near Bridgend, in the county of Glamorgan	Labourer	Cardiff	87 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901	Nov. 24, 1901
Vanstone, Douglas Henry	Residing at 16 and 17, Glebe-street, Penarth, in the county of Glamorgan	Tobacconist and Newsagent	Cardiff	58 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901	Nov. 29, 1901
Hymers, Emerson	North Hudgill, in the parish of Alston, in the county of Cumberland	Farmer	Carlisle	9 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901	Nov. 14, 1901
Davies, Naasson	Dderwenfawr, Upper Town, Loughor, Glamorganshire	Draper and Grocer	Cardiff	20 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901	Nov. 30, 1901
Thompson, Joseph Henry	1, Hall Brow, Workington, Cumberland	Coal Dealer	Cockermouth and Workington	17 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901	Nov. 19, 1901
Sellens, Alexander Alfred	Brightlingsea, Essex	Draper	Colchester	14 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901	Nov. 28, 1901

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Beck, Edward	Bevan-street, Lowestoft, Suffolk... ..	Formerly Smackowner, now out of business	Great Yarmouth ...	33 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901 ...	Nov. 30, 1901
Sykes, Martin	Moor Bottom, Greetland, near Halifax, Yorkshire	Farmer	Halifax	33 of 1901	Nov. 25, 1901 ...	Nov. 25, 1901
Brooks, John William Daniel	Formerly residing at 38, De Montfort-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, and now residing at Kibworth Beauchamp, in the county of Leicester	Teacher of Singing	Leicester	108 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901 ...	Nov. 15, 1901
Stanley, John Harold	262, Beaumont-road, Belgrave, in the county borough of Leicester	Builder (lately carrying on business in copartnership with William Barsby, late of 430, Abbey-lane, Belgrave aforesaid, deceased, as Barsby and Stanley, Builders)	Leicester	107 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901 ...	Nov. 13, 1901
Wills, William	Grims-lane, Hinckley, in the county of Leicester	Furniture Dealer	Leicester	101 of 1901	Nov. 27, 1901 ...	Oct. 22, 1901
Chapman, Alfred Thomas, and Chapman, Thomas	Little Paddock Farm, Challock, in the county of Kent ... Lenham Heath, in the said county, lately carrying on business at Halling, in the said county Lately carrying on business at Lenham, in partnership, under the style of Chapman Brothers	Farmer No occupation, late Butcher	Maidstone	22 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901 ...	Nov. 28, 1901
Mayall, Robert, and... .. Wild, William (trading under the style of Mayall and Wild)	Residing at Luzley Brook, Shaw, in the county of Lancaster Residing at 163, Portland-street, Southport, in the said county At 29, New Cannon-street, Manchester... ..	Glycerine Merchants and Drysalters	Manchester	108 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901 ...	Nov. 23, 1901
Pettitt, Alfred	Now residing at 23, Lynwood-grove, Sale, Cheshire, lately residing at 14, North-grove, Urmston, Lancashire, formerly carrying on business at 14, North-grove aforesaid, and 49, Deansgate, Manchester, and also formerly carrying on business, in partnership with another person, under the style of M. Oliver and Co., at 49, Deansgate, Manchester	Now a Compositor, formerly a Rent and Debt Collector, and also formerly a Boot Dealer	Manchester	109 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901 ...	Nov. 28, 1901
Bangay, Richard	144, Silver-road, Norwich, lately carrying on business at Magdalen-street, Norwich	Cabinet Maker	Norwich	43 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901 ...	Nov. 29, 1901
Carter, William Robert	Mousehold-road, Sprowston-road, in the county of Norfolk ...	Fish Dealer and Oyster-stall Keeper	Norwich	42 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901 ...	Nov. 29, 1901
Vear, Edward	202, Barnby-gate, Newark-on-Trent, Nottinghamshire ...	Drayman and Grocer... ..	Nottingham... ..	53 of 1901	Nov. 27, 1901 ...	Nov. 27, 1901

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Jones, Abraham	9, Mount Pleasant, Abercynon-road, Abercynon, Glamorgan-shire	Collier	Pontypridd	33 of 1901	Nov. 27, 1901 ...	Nov. 27, 1901
Lloyd, William Oliver	West End Stores, Cardiff-road, Pwllheli, Carnarvonshire ...	Grocer	Portmadoc and Festiniog	17 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901 ...	Nov. 29, 1901
Perrin, Frankcom William	627, Oxford-road, Reading	Carpenter, Carver, and Gilder ...	Reading	20 of 1901	Nov. 29, 1901 ...	Nov. 29, 1901
Holt, John Charles	52 and 54, Hythe-street, Dartford, Kent	Grocer and Provision Merchant ...	Rochester	42 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901 ...	Nov. 28, 1901
Moon, Joseph	14, Davyhulme-road, Urmston, near Manchester, Lancashire, formerly carrying on business at the Cattle Market, Salford	Cattle Salesman, formerly Cattle Dealer	Salford	25 of 1901	Nov. 27, 1901 ...	Nov. 5, 1901
Williams, Alfred John (trading as A. Williams and Co.)	Residing at 154, Great Clowes-street, Lower Broughton, Salford, Lancashire, and carrying on business at Gordon-street, Lower Broughton aforesaid	Builder and Contractor	Salford	29 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901 ...	Nov. 14, 1901
Runswick, William Frederick	3, Kimberley-road, Falmouth, Cornwall, lately residing and carrying on business at Barbes Private Hotel, Perranporth, in the same county	Insurance Agent	Truro	41 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901 ...	Nov. 30, 1901
Rawlinson, Heber Charles	Woodhouse, Lane End, East Ardsley, Yorkshire	Painter	Wakefield	31 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901 ...	Nov. 30, 1901
Chandler, Harry Oswald	The Crown Inn, Alrewas, Staffordshire, formerly of Green Farm, Alrewas aforesaid	Licensed Victualler, formerly Farmer	Walsall	36 of 1901	Nov. 26, 1901 ...	Nov. 18, 1901
Hudson, Walter George William	St. Romans, Patney Heath, in the county of London ...	No occupation	Wandsworth	60 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901 ...	Oct. 22, 1901
Morris, David (trading as Turner and Co.)	32 and 34, High-road, Balham, carrying on business at 32 and 34, High-road aforesaid, in the county of London	House Furnisher	Wandsworth	70 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901 ...	Nov. 25, 1901
Haswell, Edward Henry	29, Addison-road, New Bilton, Rugby, late of 20, Leam-street, Leamington, both in the county of Warwick, and 90, Welford-road, Leicester, in the county of Leicester	Butcher	Warwick	8 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901 ...	Nov. 28, 1901
James, Frederick	26, St. Cuthbert-street, Wells, Somersetshire	Baker	Wells	8 of 1901	Nov. 30, 1901 ...	Nov. 30, 1901

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Adie, Charles	57, Akerman-road, Brixton, in the county of London	Builder	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1324 of 1895	Dec. 17, 1901 ...	E. Leadam Hough, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Dolmetsch, Arnold ..	Boveney, near Windsor, in the county of Berks, lately residing and carrying on business at 85, Charlotte-street, Fitzroy-square, Middlesex	Musician and Musical Instrument Maker	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	937 of 1901	Dec. 17, 1901 ...	Edward Hobbs ...	Jewry House, Old Jewry, London, E.C.
Hope, Richard	Late of 24, Albert-street, Ramsgate, Kent, then of 87, Benthall-road, Stoke Newington, Mid- dlesex	Builder and Decorator ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1412 of 1900	Dec. 19, 1901 ...	John Walter Scarlett...	36, High-street, Ramsgate
Moses, Elisha (described in the Receiving Order as Elias Moss)	65, Princes-road, Notting Hill, in the county of London	Glass and China Dealer ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	65 of 1901	Dec. 17, 1901 ...	G. W. Chapman, Offi- cial Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Scourso, Plato Francis (trading as Scourso, Howard, and Co.)	22, Great St. Helen's, in the city of London, and of 45, Griffin-road, Plumstead, Kent	East India and General Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	867 of 1900	Dec. 20, 1901 ...	Frederick Bertram Smart	22, Queen-street, Cannon- street, E.C.
Midgley, Alfred	Residing at and carrying on business at 79, Old-road, Hyde, in the county of Chester	Grocer and Outdoor Beer Retailer	Ashton-under-Lyne and Stalybridge	4 of 1901	Dec. 17, 1901 ..	Christopher Jenkins Dibb	Official Receiver's Offices, Byrom street, Manchester
Bowen, David Daniel ...	Pryn Hafod Stores, Marian Glas, Anglesey, lately residing and carrying on business at Deiniol House, Criccieth, Carnarvonshire	Grocer and Draper	Bangor	26 of 1901	Dec. 19, 1901 ...	Llewelyn Hugh-Jones, Official Receiver	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate- row, Chester
Brown, Francis	The French Steam Laundry, Carnarvon-road, Bangor, Carnarvonshire	Steam Laundry Proprietor...	Bangor	28 of 1901	Dec. 19, 1901 ...	Llewelyn Hugh-Jones, Official Receiver	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate- row, Chester
Hughes, Hugh	Bryn Maeleg, Station-street, Holyhead, Angle- sey	Third Mate	Bangor	26 of 1898	Dec. 19, 1901 ...	Llewelyn Hugh-Jones, Official Receiver	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate- row, Chester
Jones, Alfred	Plas Clough Farm, near Denbigh, in the county of Denbigh	Farmer and Pheasant Breeder	Bangor	26 of 1900	Dec. 17, 1901 ...	Llewelyn Hugh-Jones, Official Receiver	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate- row, Chester
Jones, Jane	The Conway Mart, 10, Upper Gale-street, Con- way, Carnarvonshire	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Bangor	31 of 1901	Dec. 19, 1901 ...	Llewelyn Hugh-Jones, Official Receiver	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate- row, Chester
Bowyer, Albert Edward ..	Ark-terrace, Bath-road, Melksham, in the county of Wilts	Boot and Shoe Seller ...	Bath	3 of 1901	Dec. 18, 1901 ...	Frank Lowson Clark, Official Receiver	Baldwin-street, Bristol
Cooper, Jacob	469, Bolton-road, Darwen, Lancashire, lately 4, Kay-street, Darwen	Coal Merchant	Blackburn	24 of 1901	Dec. 18, 1901 ...	Thomas Hindle ...	District-chambers, Darwen
Draper, James	Residing at 7, Clyde-street, Bolton, Lan- cashire, and carrying on business at 12, Vic- toria-street, Bolton aforesaid	Cabinet Maker	Bolton	15 of 1901	Dec. 17, 1901 ...	Thomas H. Winder ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Exchange-street, Bolton

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Atkinson, Thomas Lawrence	Bridge-street, in the city of Bradford ...	Solicitor ...	Bradford ...	31 of 1901	Dec. 16, 1901 ...	John Butterfield ...	City-chambers, 2, Darley-street, Bradford
Jennings, John Edward ...	Myrtle-place, Bingley, and Main-street, Bingley, in the county of York	Butcher ...	Bradford ...	85 of 1901	Dec. 18, 1901 ...	Edgar Musgrave ...	Craven Bank-chambers, Bradford
Bridgman, Christopher Vickry	Anderton, in the county of Cornwall ...	Solicitor ...	Bristol (by transfer from Plymouth and East Stonehouse)	23 of 1901	Dec. 18, 1901 ...	Frank Lowson Clark, Official Receiver	Baldwin-street, Bristol
Winter, George ...	153, Fishponds-road, Eastville, and 192, Stapleton-road, both in the city and county of Bristol	Grocer... ..	Bristol ...	29 of 1901	Dec. 18, 1901 ...	Edward Thomas Collins	39, Broad-street, Bristol
Spicer, Frederick Bedwell	31, College-road, Deal, in the county of Kent, and carrying on business at the rear of Rupert Cottage, North Deal, in the said county	Market Gardener ...	Canterbury ...	47 of 1901	Dec. 18, 1901 ...	Worsfold Mowll ...	Official Receiver's Office, 68, Castle-street, Canterbury
Davies, Isaac Peers ...	Church-street, Flint, in the county of Flint ..	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Chester ...	10 of 1900	Dec. 19, 1901 ..	Llewelyn Hugh-Jones, Official Receiver	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate-row, Chester
Keeling, Martha ...	Burtleigh, Anglefield-road, and of the Station Cigar Stores, Station-chambers, both in Clacton-on-Sea, Essex	Lodging-house Keeper and Tobacconist, Widow	Colchester ...	13 of 1901	Dec. 18, 1901 ...	Frederick Messent, Official Receiver	36, Princes-street, Ipswich
Parsons, Henry ...	Park-street, Blackheath, Staffordshire ...	Fire Iron Manufacturer ...	Dudley ...	15 of 1900	Dec. 17, 1901 ..	Edward Percy Jobson, Official Receiver	Wolverhampton - street, Dudley
Davis, Sarah ... and Davis, Amelia	13, Upper Westbourne-villas, Hove, Sussex, and lately residing and carrying on business at 10, South-cliff, Eastbourne, Sussex, and at Nicarie, Cantelupe-road, Bexhill, in the same county	Lodging-house Keepers, spinsters	Eastbourne ...	8 of 1899	Dec. 17, 1901 ...	E. W. J. Savill, Official Receiver	4, Pavilion-buildings Brighton
Boyd, Julius Middleton ..	Hillside, Nightingale-road, Godalming ..	Colonel, Retired ...	Guildford ...	7 of 1893	Dec. 15, 1901 ...	Paul Pfeiderer ...	7, Waterloo-place, Pall Mall, S.W.
Wildman, Stephen (carrying on business under the style of Stephen Wildman, Junior)	Shaw Beck House, and carrying on business at Moorfield Mill, Yeadon, in the county of York	Worsted Spinner ...	Leeds ...	115 of 1900	Dec. 17, 1901 ...	George Frederic Whitworth, Chartered Accountant	15, Bridge-street, Bradford
Corkill, John ...	Ballaeras, Knowsley-road, Cressington Park, near Garston, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business at 2, Errol-street, Liverpool	Builder and Contractor ...	Liverpool ...	10 of 1900	Dec. 19, 1901 ...	H. D. Eshelby...	24, North John-street, Liverpool

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Pierce, William and Watts, Edward George Bacchus (carrying on business under the style or firm of Pierce, Watts, and Co.) ...	Residing at 32, Parkfield-road, Toxteth Park, in the city of Liverpool Residing at Wilmont, Osbert-road, Blundell- sands, in the county of Lancaster At 172, Regent-road, in the said city	Timber Merchants	Liverpool	85 of 1900	Dec. 17, 1901 ...	William Crossman Spencer	Central-buildings, 41, North John-street, Liverpool
Lightfoot, Edwin Ernest	41, Adelaide-street, Luton, in the county of Bedford	Straw Hat Manufacturer ...	Luton	21 of 1901	Dec. 18, 1901 ...	Alfred Ewen, Official Receiver	Bridge-street, Northampton
Anderson, David T. ...	148C, Westgate-road, Newcastle-on-Tyne ...	Tailor	Newcastle-on-Tyne	6 of 1901	Dec. 14, 1901 ...	John M. Winter ...	16, Market - street, New- castle
Hosking, Harriet	Residing at 21, Commercial-road, Newport, in the county of Monmouth, carrying on busi- ness at 21, Commercial-road, 5, Dock-street, and 78, High-street, all in Newport aforesaid, and also at Cwmcarn, in the said county of Monmouth	Boot and Shoe Dealer, the Wife of James Hosking	Newport, Mon. ...	28 of 1901	Dec. 16, 1901 ...	Herbert William Freshwater	Brighton - chambers, St. Stephen's-avenue, Bristol
Thomas, Edward Hopkin	White Hart Inn, Broad-street, Abersychan, in the county of Monmouth	Innkeeper	Newport, Mon. ...	28 of 1900	Dec. 17, 1901 ...	George Henry Llewellyn, Official Receiver	Westgate-chambers, New- port, Mon.
Obiverton, Frank	89, Upper St. James'-street, Newport, Isle of Wight	Cooper, Oil Merchant, and General Warehouseman	Newport and Ryde...	26 of 1900	Dec. 17, 1901 ...	Harry Castell Damant, Official Receiver	19, Quay-street, New port, Isle of Wight
Edens, Frederick	Residing at 94, Walton-street, in the city of Oxford, and carrying on business at the London and North Western Coal Wharf, in the city of Oxford	Coal Merchant	Oxford	11 of 1901	Dec. 18, 1901 ...	George Mallam, Official Receiver	Official Receiver's Office, 1, St. Aldate-street, Oxford
Sims, William Thomas ...	Ampney Cottage, Cowley-road, Oxford ...	Licensed Victualler... ..	Oxford	16 of 1901	Dec. 18, 1901 ...	George Mallam, Official Receiver	Official Receiver's Office, 1, St. Aldate-street, Oxford
Humphreys, Ellis Owen ...	Madoc-street, Portmadoc, Carnarvonshire ...	Coach Builder	Portmadoc Festiniog and	8 of 1893	Dec. 19, 1901 ...	Llewelyn Hugh-Jones, Official Receiver	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate- row, Chester
Jones, Richard, and Evans, Richard (carrying on business under the style or firm of Jones and Evans)...	Victoria House, Trefriw, Carnarvonshire Wern, Trefriw aforesaid At Trefriw aforesaid	Builders and Joiners ...	Portmadoc Festiniog and	6 of 1901	Dec. 19, 1901 ...	Llewelyn Hugh-Jones; Official Receiver	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate- row, Chester

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Morris, John	15, Cardiff-road, West End, Pwllheli, Carnarvonshire, lately residing and carrying on business at Mafeking House, Glanypwll, Blaenau Festiniog, Merionethshire	Shopkeeper	Portmadoc and Festiniog	11 of 1901	Dec. 19, 1901 ...	Llewelyn Hugh-Jones, Official Receiver	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate-row, Chester
Thomas, Griffith Griffith ...	Meirionfa, Harlech, in the county of Merioneth, lately carrying on business at Meirionfa, Harlech	Quarry Labourer, lately Butcher	Portmadoc and Festiniog	12 of 1901	Dec. 19, 1901 ...	Llewelyn Hugh-Jones, Official Receiver	Crypt-chambers, Eastgate-row, Chester
Moore, Percy	Bramshott, Hants	Wheelwright	Portsmouth	34 of 1901	Dec. 24, 1901 ...	J. C. Moberly ...	Cambridge Junction, High-street, Portsmouth
Mappin, George W. ...	Late of Abbeydale Grange, Abbeydale-road, Sheffield, in the county of York	... ..	Sheffield	26 of 1901	Dec. 17, 1901 ...	John Charles Clegg ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Figtreet-lane, Sheffield
Jones, William Mathetes	11, Christina-street, Swansea	Commercial Traveller ...	Swansea	15 of 1900	Dec. 13, 1901 ...	David Daniel Richards	9, Castle-street, Swansea, late 7, Fisher-street, Swansea
Owen, Robert (carrying on business as R. Owen)	Residing and carrying on business at 2, Exer-ton-street, Runcorn, in the county of Chester, lately residing and carrying on business at 5, Bridge-street, Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh	Grocer... ..	Warrington	1 of 1901	Dec. 17, 1901 ...	Christopher Jenkins Dibb	Official Receiver's Offices Byrom-street, Manchester
Maries, John Henry ...	10, Henley-street, Stratford-on-Avon, Warwickshire	Musician, Dealer in Musical Instruments and Music	Warwick	4 of 1901	Dec. 17, 1901 ...	Edward Thomas Peirson, Official Receiver	17, Hertford-street, Coventry

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Baughan, William Frederick	1, Acacia-gardens, St. John's Wood, in the county of London	Gentleman	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1279 of 1893	Statutory interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum (making, with the Dividends already declared, 20s. in the pound and interest, as provided for by the Debtor's Scheme of Arrangement)	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Bennett, Walter (carrying on business as Walter Bennett, and also as Walter Brothers)	336, Central Markets, in the city of London, and carrying on business at 19 1/2, Roman-road, Old Ford, in the county of London, residing at 181, Inderwick-road, Hornsey, Middlesex, and lately carrying on business at 335, Central Markets aforesaid	Butcher and Poulterer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	24 of 1900	2s. 2 1/2 d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Collett, Hubert Edward	1, Holborn-circus, in the city of London, and residing at Ravenspurn, Finchley, in the county of Middlesex	Diamond Merchant and Importer of Precious Stones	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	538 of 1900	2 1/2 d.	Second and Final	Dec. 18, 1901, or any subsequent Wednesday between 10 and 2	Offices of Seear, Hasluck, and Co., 17, Holborn - viaduct, London, E.C.
Evans, David	9, Euston-square, in the county of London	Lodging-house Keeper	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1157 of 1893	4s. 1d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Graydon, Newnham	Residing at 6, Priory-road, Hornsey, and lately carrying on business at 66, Fenchurch-street, in the city of London	Journalist	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	989 of 1900	9 1/2 d.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Haslock, Robert William	Residing at 8, Hollywood-road, South Kensington, and carrying on business there and at 100, Drayton - gardens, South Kensington, both in the county of London	Builder	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1183 of 1900	1s. 2 1/2 d.	First and Final	Dec. 16, 1901 ...	Offices of Woodthorpe, Bevan, and Co., Leadenhall-buildings, London, E.C.
Hayter, Cecil Goode-nough	Late of 3, Norfolk - street, Park-lane, London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	434 of 1901	2s. 0 1/2 d.	First and Final	Dec. 21, 1901 ...	G. H. Carter's, 1 and 2, Queen-street, Cheapside, E.C.
Jones, Richard	Residing at 170, Askew-road, Shepherd's Bush, in the county of Middlesex, and carrying on business at 170, Askew-road, Shepherd's Bush aforesaid, and at 7, Greenside-road, Shepherd's Bush, both in the county of Middlesex, in copartnership with Frederick Stratt	Ironmonger, Plumber, Gasfitter, and Decorator	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	554 of 1889	14s. 1d.	Supplemental	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.

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Longley, Thomas James (described in the Receiving Order as T. J. Longley)	70, Mark-lane, London, E.C., and Cheesworth, Horsham, in the county of Sussex	Timber Merchant ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1424 of 1899	1s. 1½d.	First and Final	Dec. 9, 1901 ...	Offices of Bournier, Bullock, and Co., Bush-lane House, Cannon-street, E.C.
Woodward, Francis William Wilson	25, Montague-street, Russell-square, in the county of London	Gentleman ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	762 of 1900	1s.	First and Final	Any day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	Offices of Official Receivers, Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Camerson, Donald Macrae	18, Albert-road, Birkenhead, Cheshire ...	Missionary ...	Birkenhead ...	12 of 1901	2s. 6½d.	First and Final	Dec. 4, 1901 ...	Offices of Official Receiver, 35, Victoria-street, Liverpool
Marsden, Thomas ...	Lately carrying on business and residing at 69, Victoria-street, Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, but now residing at Battridge Cottage, Entwistle, in the said county	Grocer ...	Blackburn and Darwen	3 of 1901	2s. 11½d.	First and Final	Dec. 17, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 14, Chapel-street, Preston
Shorrock, John Thomas	15, Pollard-street, Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, lately residing and carrying on business at the Royal Exchange Hotel, 20, Swarbrick-street, Blackburn aforesaid	Formerly Licensed Victualler, now out of business	Blackburn and Darwen	14 of 1901	5s. 8½d.	First and Final	Dec. 17, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 14, Chapel-street, Preston
Field, Charles Henry ... and Veness, Richard Ernest	Bury St. Edmunds ...	Trading in copartnership as Licensed Victuallers, Brewers, and Wine and Spirit Merchants	Bury St. Edmunds ...	6 of 1901	2s. 6d.	First	Dec. 7, 1901 ...	8, Willoughby-road, Ipswich
Field, Charles Henry ... (Separate Estate)	62, Guildhall-street, Bury St. Edmunds ...	Brewer ...	Bury St. Edmunds ...	6 of 1901	½d.	First and Final	Dec. 7, 1901 ...	8, Willoughby-road, Ipswich
Veness, Richard Ernest ... (Separate Estate)	Saracen's Head Hotel, Guildhall-street, Bury St. Edmunds	Brewer ...	Bury St. Edmunds ...	6 of 1901	6s.	First and Final	Dec. 7, 1901 ...	8, Willoughby-road, Ipswich
Terry, William, jun. ... and Terry, Harry ... (trading as Terry Brothers) ...	2, Sarum-villas, St. George's-road, Farnham, Surrey Alton Villa, Waverley Estate, Farnham aforesaid	Builders and Contractors	Guildford and Godalming	5 of 1901	9d.	First and Final	Dec. 13, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.
Puckle, Raymond Aufreere	Clewer, Marina, Bexhill-on-Sea, in the county of Sussex, carrying on business at the Bexhill Steam Laundry, Belle Hill, and at the Reform Sanitary Laundry, Reginald-road, Bexhill-on-Sea	Laundry Proprietor ...	Hastings ...	5 of 1901	1s. 0½d.	First and Final	Dec. 18, 1901, or on any subsequent Wednesday, between 11 and 2	Edward Moore and Sons, 3, Crosby-square, London, E.C.

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Sellens, Samuel (trading as Sellens and Cramp)	Sedlescombe, Sussex	Grocer, Draper, and Coal Merchant	Hastings	35 of 1901	5s. 6d.	First	Dec. 5, 1901 ...	Offices of Official Receiver, 4, Pavilion-buildings, Brighton
Green, George Henry (trading as Gurney and Co.)	Broad-street, Ross, in the county of Hereford	Baker	Hereford	11 of 1900	1s. 5d.	First and Final	Dec. 12, 1901 ...	Office of Trustee, Mitcheldean, Gloucestershire
Fernée, Frank	9, New Bedford-road, Luton, in the county of Bedford	Hatter	Luton	18 of 1901	1s. 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ d.	First and Final	Dec. 9, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Bridge-street, Northampton
Whitfield, Frederick James	45, Castle-street, Oxford	Tailor and Second-hand Clothes Dealer	Oxford	1 of 1901	2s. 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ d.	First and Final	Dec. 7, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 1, St. Aldate-street, Oxford
Davies, John (trading as Jane Davies and Son)	The Bakery, Chapel-place, Portmadoc, in the county of Carnarvon	Baker and Flour Dealer	Portmadoc and Festiniog	8 of 1901	8s. 5d.	First and Final	Dec. 12, 1901 ...	At Pencyflog, Portmadoc
Gray, Robert Thomas ...	23, Manners-road, Southsea, Hants... ..	Post Office Clerk ...	Portsmouth	9 of 1897	2s.	Seventh	Dec. 10, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Cambridge Junction, High-street, Portsmouth
Goldman, Annie	6, Esplanade-gardens, Scarborough, Yorkshire	Lodging-house Keeper, Widow	Scarborough	17 of 1901	2s. 6d.	First and Final	Dec. 11, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 74, Newborough, Scarborough
Barker, Henry Wordsworth	27, Fir-street, Walkley, in the city of Sheffield	Insurance Agent... ..	Sheffield	46 of 1901	8 $\frac{1}{2}$ d.	First and Final	Dec. 5, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Figtree-lane, Sheffield
Gregory, John Henry ...	330, 323, and 325, Attercliffe-common, Sheffield	Jeweller, Clothier, Draper, Boot Merchant, and House Furnisher	Sheffield	2 of 1901	2s. 6d.	Second	Nov. 30, 1901 ...	Office of Trustee, William Holmes, Church-street-chambers, Sheffield
Howe, John William ...	46, Button-lane, and 143, Richards-road, Heeley, both in the city of Sheffield	Engineer	Sheffield	51 of 1901	8s. 2d.	First and Final	Dec. 6, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Figtree-lane, Sheffield
Pournin, Victor	Residing at 4, Kingsfield-road, Southampton, and carrying on business at 128, Above Bar, in the town and county of the town of Southampton	Ladies' Tailor	Southampton	21 of 1901	4s. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ d.	First and Final	Dec. 10, 1901 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 172, High-street, Southampton
Blakey, William John (trading as Richard Blakey and Son)	Residing at 5, Van Mildert-terrace, Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, and carrying on business at West Row, Stockton-on-Tees	Wholesale Stationer, Printer, and Haberdasher	Stockton-on-Tees	16 of 1900	1s. 2d.	Fourth and Final	Dec. 7, 1901 ...	Office of Trustee, Robert Edward Jones, Chartered Accountant, 38, Fountain-street, Manchester

NOTICES OF DIVIDENDS—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or herwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Warwick, John William	Residing at Haughton-le-Skerne, near Darlington, and carrying on business at the County Sale Rooms, Hartlepool, both in the county of Durham	Auctioneer	Stockton-on-Tees ..	30 of 1901	1s. 4d.	First and Final	Dec. 11, 1901	Official Receiver's Office, 8, Albert-road, Middlesbrough
Myers, George Henry ...	18, Abbey-gardens, St. John's Wood, London, lately residing and carrying on business at Sherndon Grange, Edenbridge, Kent	Farmer	Tunbridge Wells ...	13 of 1901	5s. 8½d.	First and Final	Dec. 12, 1901	Official Receiver's Offices, 24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.
Houchen, William Charles	Residing and carrying on business at 112, Plough-road, Battersea, S.W.	Baker	Wandsworth ...	27 of 1901	1s. 8d.	First and Final	Dec. 13, 1901	Official Receiver's Offices, 24, Railway-approach, London Bridge, S.E.
M Bradley, Edwin ...	Residing with Benjamin Bradley at Pugh's-terrace, Merridale-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, formerly trading at 80, Worcester-street, Wolverhampton aforesaid	Shop Assistant, formerly Boot and Shoe Manufacturer	Wolverhampton ...	11 of 1887	8s. 11d.	First and Final	Dec. 11, 1901	Official Receiver's Office, Wolverhampton
Roberts, Edward Lewis (trading as Lewis Roberts)	Little Overton, Flintshire, carrying on business at Overton, Flintshire; and at Ellesmere, Salop	Coal Merchant	Wrexham	7 of 1900	5s. 9d.	First and Final	Dec. 12, 1901	Official Receiver's Office, Crypt-chambers, Eastgate-row, Chester.

APPLICATIONS FOR DEBTORS' DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Day Fixed for Hearing.	Hour.	Place.
Hay, James Smith (trading as A. G. Walker and Co.)	24, Elsworth-road, South Hampstead, Middlesex...	China Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	681 of 1901	Dec 19, 1901 ...	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Jones, Richard	Residing and trading at 170, Askew-road, Shepherd's Bush, Middlesex, also trading at 7, Green-side-road, Shepherd's Bush, Middlesex, in co-partnership with Frederick Stoatt	Plumber, Gasfitter, Decorator, and Ironmonger	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	554 of 1889	Dec. 19, 1901 ...	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Mollison, James	Residing at 56, George-street, Portman-square, and carrying on business at 15A, Baker-street, Portman-square, both in the county of London	Ladies' Tailor, trading in co-partnership with Joseph Yantian, under the style of Yantian and Mollison	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1312 of 1895	Dec. 17, 1901 ..	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Newton, George James (trading as G. Newton and Co.)	5, Blackstock-road, Finsbury Park, in the county of London	Cycle and Accessories Manufacturer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1429 of 1899	Dec. 20, 1901 ...	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Painter, James Samuel (the younger)	2, Albion-street, Rotherhithe, Surrey... ..	Greengrocer and Fishmonger	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	680 of 1896	Dec. 20, 1901 ...	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Price, Albert Henry and Price, Frederick (carrying on business as A. H. and F. Price) ...	135, East-buildings, Baker-street, in the county of London 42, Fitzalan-street, Kennington-road, Surrey Lyric-chambers, Whitecomb-street, in the county of London	Musical Instrument Makers and copartners	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1216 of 1896	Dec. 20, 1901 ...	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Williams, Ernest Frederick	56, Charlwood-road, Putney, Surrey, and carrying on business at 50 and 51, Lime-street, in the city of London, and at 125, Clapham-road, Surrey, as the South London Paint and Varnish Company	Oil, Paint and Varnish, and Timber Merchant, trading in co-partnership with Alfred Ernest Lake as Lake and Williams	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	537 of 1894	Dec. 20, 1901 ...	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Kemp, William (lately trading as the Princess Laundry)	65, Hartington-road, Brighton, Sussex, lately carrying on business at Whippingham-road, Brighton aforesaid	Laundry Manager	Brighton	70 of 1901	Mar. 14, 1902 ...	12 noon	Court-house, Church-street, Brighton
Yabsley, John Smith	3, Cove-street and 20, Old Market-street, both in the city and county of Bristol	Boot Manufacturer and Retailer...	Bristol	15 of 1898	Jan. 17, 1902 ...	11 A.M.	Guildhall, Bristol
Janes, Benjamin	Residing in New-road, Ystalyfera, Glamorganshire	Labourer	Neath and Aber-avon	26 of 1900	Jan. 23, 1902 ...	2 P.M.	Gwyn Hall, Neath

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.
Andreini, Luca ...	Carrying on business at 57, Barbican, in the city of London	Merchant ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	478 of 1901	Oct 30, 1901	Discharge suspended for four years Bankrupt to be discharged as from 30th October, 1905	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities, that he had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; had on a previous occasion made an arrangement with his creditors, and had been guilty of misconduct in relation to his property and affairs, in having, without the consent or concurrence of the general body of his creditors, and at a time when he knew that he was insolvent and unable to pay his debts as and when they became due, disposed of his business and business assets on terms which were calculated to prejudice and did prejudice many of his creditors
Barnett, Maurice	54, Penn-road-villas, Camden-road, in the county of London	Bank Clerk ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	816 of 1895	Oct. 30, 1901 (his Public Examination was concluded on 18th October, 1895)	Bankrupt discharged, subject to the following condition, to be fulfilled before his Discharge takes effect, viz — Bankrupt shall, before the signing of this Order, consent to Judgment being entered against him in the King's Bench Division of the High Court by the Official Receiver, for the sum of £10, being part of the balance of the debts provable in the Bankruptcy which is not satisfied at the date of this Order, and £1 10s, costs of Judgment, and that, upon the required consent being given, Judgment may be entered against the bankrupt in the King's Bench Division of the High Court for the sum of £10, together with £1 10s. costs of Judgment	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; and that he 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
Bella, Edward ...	25, Soho-square, in the county of London	Advertising Agent ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1426 of 1900	Oct. 30, 1901	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 30th October, 1903; his Public Examination was concluded on 27th February, 1900	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; and had contributed to his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculations

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge.
Bradly, William George	Residing and carrying on business at the Waterloo Coffee House and Hotel, 69, Haymarket, in the parish of St. James, Westminster, in the county of London, carrying on partnership therewith one Edward Horton Bradly, lately residing and carrying on business at the Clarence Tavern, 240, Seven Sisters-road, Holloway, in the county of London	Licensed Victualler ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	522 of 1900	Oct. 30, 1901	Discharge suspended until the 24th December, 1903. Bankrupt to be discharged as from the said 24th December, 1903; his Public Examination was concluded on the 31st October, 1900	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; and had contributed to his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculations and by gambling
Coton, Max (trading as Isaac Berger)	111, Brick-lane, in the county of London	Ironmonger ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	50 of 1901	Oct. 30, 1901	Discharge suspended for three years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 30th October, 1904	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had failed to account satisfactorily for the deficiency of assets to meet his liabilities; and had contributed to his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculation
Wasserberg, Jacob	54, Burgoyne-road, Harringay, Middlesex	Working Jeweller ...	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	3 of 1901	Nov. 5, 1901	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 5th November, 1903	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; and that he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy
Welham, Ernest Edward	Chester House, Lovewell-road, Kirkley, Lowestoft, Suffolk	Grocer ...	Great Yarmouth	7 of 1894	Nov. 8, 1901	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 8th November, 1903	Bankrupt's assets were not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he had omitted to keep proper books of account; and had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Grounds named in Order for refusal of absolute Order of Discharge
Jennings, Edwin	Residing in lodgings at 15, Hounsfield-road, Sheffield, Yorkshire	Clothier, trading, with Archer Weller Smith as Jennings and Co., and Leeds and Yorkshire Clothing Co.	Sheffield	29 of 1891	Nov. 7, 1901	Bankrupt's discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from 7 November, 1903	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of the partnership unsecured liabilities. Bankrupt's assets in his private estate are not of the value of 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; that he omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position during the time he was in business; had continued to trade after knowing or might have known himself to be insolvent; had failed to account satisfactorily for the deficiency of assets to meet his liabilities; and had brought on or contributed to his bankruptcy by rash and hazardous speculation in entering into and continuing a business of which he had no practical knowledge, and by spending large sums of money in fitting up shops, and being from the commencement insolvent
Hick, John	Castleford Yorkshire	No occupation	Wakefield	17 of 1899	Nov. 5, 1901	Discharge granted	

ADJUDICATION ANNULLED.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Adjudication.	Date of Annulment.	Grounds of Annulment.
Hames, Arthur	Holwell, Dorset	Cattle Dealer	Yeovil	15 of 1898	Nov. 30, 1898 ..	Oct. 10, 1901 ...	Debts paid in full

APPOINTMENTS OF TRUSTEES.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No	Trustee's Name.	Address.	Date of Certificate of Appointment.
Batchelar, John ... (trading as J. Batchelar and Co.)	48, Hammersmith-road, and 46A, Brook-green, both in West Kensington, and 137½ and 139A, King-street, Hammersmith, and residing at 22, Mayfield-avenue, Chiswick, all in Middle- sex	Timber Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1205 of 1901	Bourner, Arthur Charles	Bush-lane House, Cannon- street, London, E.C.	Nov. 26, 1901
Collingwood, Thomas Crisp	The Clarence Public House, Aldersgate-street, and of the Prince Albert Public House, 21, Brushfield-street, Bishopsgate, both in the city of London, and of the Rainbow Public House, 200, Liverpool-road, Islington, in the county of London	Licensed Victualler	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1235 of 1901	Moore, Alfred Aylett	3, Crosby-square, London, E.C.	Nov. 28, 1901
Gibbs, William Henry ...	Carrying on business at 5, West Kensington- terrace, West Kensington, in the county of London, and lately residing at 19, Morning- ton-avenue, West Kensington, aforesaid	Builder	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1163 of 1901	Haydon, Flaxman ...	16, Union-court, Old Broad- street, London, E.C.	Nov. 29, 1901
Harvey, Charles Hannen ...	233, Ditchling-road, Brighton, Sussex, and of 4, 6 and 8, Old Swan-lane, in the city of London	Wholesale Grocer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1198 of 1901	Berry, Oscar ...	Monument House, Monu- ment-square, London, E.C.	Nov. 28, 1901
Voile, Thomas	Residing at 26, Lower, Hastings-street, in the county borough of Leicester, and carrying on business at 37, Wellington-street, Leicester, aforesaid	Yarn Agent and Merchant	Leicester	106 of 1901	Steeds, Edwin Play- ster	20, Friar-lane, Leicester, Chartered Accountant	Nov. 30, 1901
(also trading as The Voile Company ... also trading as La Campagnie Voile also trading as The Voile Fruit Company)...	62 and 63, Mark-lane, in the city of London ...	Dealer in Household Specialities Picture Frame Dealer Fruit Importer					
Kinane, Michael	Prince of Wales-road, in the county borough of Swansea	Grocer and Baker	Swansea	24 of 1901	Harvey, John Francis	4 and 5, Goat-street, Swansea, Chartered Ac- countant	Nov. 29, 1901

NOTICES OF RELEASE OF TRUSTEES.

Debtor's Name.	Debtor's Address.	Debtor's Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Trustee's Name.	Trustee's Address.	Trustee's Description.	Date of Release.
Davies, David	9, Lewis - street, Aberaman, Aberdare, in the county of Glamorgan	China Dealer and Carpenter	Aberdare and Mountain Ash	11 of 1900	William Lewes Daniel	135, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901
Thomas, George	34, Christchurch-road, Claughton, Birkenhead, Cheshire	Painter and Plumber...	Birkenhead	5 of 1901	Frederick Gittins ...	35, Victoria-street, Liverpool	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901
Walton, Thomas, Walton, William James and Walton, Alfred (trading as Thomas Walton and Sons)	All of 71, Lower Audley-street, Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business at 7, Sudell Cross, Blackburn aforesaid	Cycle Dealers	Blackburn	14 of 1899	Charles Harvey Plant	14, Chapel - street, Preston	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901
Mack, Thomas N.	Station-road, Haslemere, Surrey...	Builder and Carpenter	Guildford and Godalming	4 of 1899	William Emery	71, High-street, Guildford, Surrey	Auctioneer and Accountant	Sept. 27, 1901
Matthews, John Angrave Homer	Horncastle, Lincolnshire	Miller	Lincoln	1 of 1901	Richard John Ward	31, Silver-street, Lincoln	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901
Bryers, Thomas	Residing and carrying on business at Moss Farm, Rainford, in the county of Lancaster	Farmer	Liverpool	7 of 1901	Frederick Gittins ...	35, Victoria street, Liverpool	Official Receiver ..	Nov. 21, 1901
McShane, John	248, County-road, in the city of Liverpool	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Liverpool	74 of 1900	Frederick Gittins ...	35, Victoria-street, Liverpool	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901
Stead, Eleanor	Residing and carrying on business at 80, Farnworth-street, Farnworth in Widnes, in the county of Lancashire, and also carrying on business at Simms Cross, Widnes aforesaid	Chemist, Druggist, and Grocer, Widow	Liverpool	8 of 1901	Frederick Gittins ...	35, Victoria-street, Liverpool	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901
Broadhurst, Frederick ...	Park-lane, Sandbach, Cheshire ...	Confectioner, Florist, and Nurseryman	Macclesfield...	5 of 1899	Arthur C. Procter ...	23, King Edward-street, Macclesfield	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901
Webb, Thomas George ...	Carrying on business at Queen's-chambers, 7, Market-street, Manchester	Engineer	Manchester	16 of 1900	Christopher Jenkins Dobb	Byrom-street, Manchester	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901
Kelly, James	30, Tramroad Side North, Merthyr Tydfil	Labourer	Merthyr Tydfil ...	4 of 1901	William Lewes Daniel	135, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901

NOTICES OF RELEASE OF TRUSTEES—continued.

No.	Debtor's Name.		Debtor's Address.		Debtor's Description.		Court.		No. of Matter.		Trustee's Name.		Trustee's Address.		Trustee's Description.		Date of Release.	
27382.	Balmain, David	...	...	160, Philip-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne														
	Balmain, John	...	...	12, Tamworth - road, Newcastle aforesaid														
N	D. Balmain and Son)	...	...	At 160, Philip-street aforesaid	Builders	...	...	Newcastle-on-Tyne...	58	of 1900	John Grant Gibson...	30, Mosley-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Official Receiver	...	Nov. 21, 1901			
	Bennion, George	...	...	Residing at 12, North Parade, and trading at Whitley - road, both in Whitley Bay, Northumberland	Auctioneer, and China and Earthenware Merchant			Newcastle-on-Tyne...	7	of 1901	John Grant Gibson...	30, Mosley-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Official Receiver	...	Nov. 21, 1901			
N	Burn, John	...	...	Stag's Head Hotel, Felton, Northumberland	Licensed Victualler and Mason			Newcastle-on-Tyne...	53	of 1900	John Grant Gibson...	30, Mosley-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Official Receiver	...	Nov. 21, 1901			
	Harbottle, Robert Tully	...	...	Residing at 48, Eastbourne - avenue, and trading at 20, West-street, both in Gateshead, county of Durham	Builder	...	...	Newcastle-on-Tyne ..	10	of 1900	John Grant Gibson...	30, Mosley-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Official Receiver	...	Nov. 21, 1901			
N	Sharpe, John Fletcher	...	...	14, Marsdon-street, South Shields, county of Durham, formerly residing and carrying on business at 29, 31, and 33, Derby-street, South Shields aforesaid	Grocer's Assistant, late Grocer			Newcastle-on-Tyne...	56	of 1900	John Grant Gibson...	30, Mosley-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Official Receiver	...	Nov. 21, 1901			
	Taylor, John Andrew	...	...	12, Park - avenue, Wallsend, Northumberland, lately residing at 8, High-street East, Wallsend, and previously trading at 11, Simpson - street, Cullercoats, Northumberland	Assistant Clothier, late Grocer and General Dealer			Newcastle-on-Tyne...	14	of 1901	John Grant Gibson...	30, Mosley-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Official Receiver	...	Nov. 21, 1901			
N	Turner, Hannah	...	...	Residing at 113, Headlam-street, and trading at 111, Headlam-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Provision Dealer and Greengrocer (Wife of Robert Turner, trading separately from her Husband)			Newcastle-on-Tyne	13	of 1900	John Grant Gibson...	30, Mosley-street, Newcastle-on-Tyne	Official Receiver	...	Nov. 21, 1901			
	Leeson, William	...	...	Residing and trading at Church-street, Sutton-in-Ashfield, Nottinghamshire	Baker and Confectioner			Nottingham	18	of 1900	Thomas Gourlay	4, Castle-place, Park-street, Nottingham	Official Receiver	...	Nov. 21, 1901			
N	Shaw, Henry	...	...	Residing in lodgings at 7, Rock-street, and trading at 70A, Main-street, both in Bulwell, Nottingham, lately residing at 70A, Main-street, Bulwell aforesaid, and formerly at Kimberley, Nottinghamshire	Draper	...	...	Nottingham...	14	of 1901	Thomas Gourlay	4, Castle - place, Park-street, Nottingham	Official Receiver	...	Nov. 21, 1901			

NOTICES OF RELEASE OF TRUSTEES—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Debtor's Address.	Debtor's Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Trustee's Name.	Trustee's Address.	Trustee's Description.	Date of Release.
Smith, John Jenkins ...	21, Upper Talbot-street, Nottingham	Draper	Nottingham...	3 of 1899	Thomas Gourlay ...	4, Castle-place, Park-street, Nottingham	Official Receiver ..	Nov. 21, 1901
Walker, Harry William ..	5, Dryden-street, lately residing and trading at 85, Arkwright-street, both in Nottingham	Out of business, lately Grocer and Provision Dealer, and Wine, Spirit and Ale Merchant	Nottingham...	1 of 1900	Thomas Gourlay ...	4, Castle-place, Park-street, Nottingham	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901
Geldard, Herbert	8, Fairfield-terrace, Sandylands, Morecambe, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business at Back Westminster-road, Morecambe aforesaid	Slater and Plasterer ...	Preston	1 of 1901	Charles Harvey Plant	14, Chapel-street, Preston	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901
Denne, Thomas Albert ..	26, Station-street, Sittingbourne, Kent	Decorator	Rochester	35 of 1900	R. T. Tatham ...	9, King-street, Maidstone	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901
Kemp, Thomas	6 and 7, Stone-street, Gravesend, in the county of Kent	House Farnisher ...	Rochester	36 of 1900	R. T. Tatham ...	9, King-street, Maidstone	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901
Sharman, Arthur William...	The Globe Hotel, Gravesend, Kent	Licensed Victualler ...	Rochester	6 of 1901	R. T. Tatham ...	9, King-street, Maidstone	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901
Tapp, W.	224, New-road, Chatham, Kent ...	Jeweller	Rochester	26 of 1900	R. T. Tatham ...	9, King-street, Maidstone	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901
Cook, John	Charlton, near Andover, Hampshire	Baker	Salisbury	17 of 1900	Frederick Aston Dawes	City-chambers, Endless-street, Salisbury	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901
Notley, Charles Holmes ...	The Friary House, Salisbury, Wiltshire	Schoolmaster	Salisbury	16 of 1900	Frederick Aston Dawes	City-chambers, Endless-street, Salisbury	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901
Wild, John	Argyle-street, Hazel Grove, Cheshire	Builder... ..	Stockport	11 of 1899	Arthur C. Procter ...	23, King Edward-street, Macclesfield	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901
Dobing, John	Late of Elstob Crossing, near Stillington, now of 31, Webster-street, Stockton-on-Tees, both in the county of Durham	Late Master Blacksmith, now Journeyman Blacksmith	Stockton-on-Tees ...	14 of 1901	John Richard Stubbs	8, Albert-road, Middlesbrough	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901
Lancaster, Thomas	The Baydle Beck Inn, near Darlington, in the county of Durham	Licensed Victualler ...	Stockton-on-Tees ...	5 of 1901	John Richard Stubbs	8, Albert-road, Middlesbrough	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901
Mahoney Mary Ann	Forge Hammer Inn, Hart-street, Ebbw Vale, Monmouthshire	Innkeeper, Widow ...	Tredegar	3 of 1901	William Daniel Lewes	135, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil	Official Receiver ...	Nov. 21, 1901

NOTICES OF RELEASE OF TRUSTEES—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Debtor's Address.	Debtor's Description.	Court.	No. of Master.	Trustee's Name.	Trustee's Address.	Trustee's Description.	Date of Release.
Goldstein, William Isaac ... and Zarensky, Zackarias ... (carrying on business under the style of Goldstein and Zarensky) ...	Residing at 294, Derby-road, Bootle Residing at 88, Knutsford-road, Latchford, Warrington; both in the county of Lancaster At 88, Knutsford-road, Latchford, Warrington aforesaid	Furniture and General Dealers	Warrington ...	5 of 1900	Christopher Jenkins Dibb	Byrom-street, Manches- ter	Official Receiver ..	Nov. 21, 1901
Lawrence, Arthur ...	Eversley, in the county of South- ampton, and lately residing at St. Ewe, St. Austell, Cornwall	Clerk in Holy Orders...	Winchester ...	4 of 1889	George Adams ..	Saltash, Cornwall	Gentleman, J.P. for Cornwall	Nov. 18, 1901
Hughes, John Trevor ...	Lately residing at Queen Cottage, Brymbo, near Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh	Butcher ...	Wrexham ...	3 of 1898	Llewelyn Hugh- Jones	Crypt-chambers, Chester	Official Receiver ..	Nov. 15, 1901
Fawbert, George ...	Now residing at 36, Jackson- street, in the city of York, and previously residing at 11, Trinity-lane, in the said city	Journeyman Joiner ...	York ...	9 of 1901	Edward Towler Wilkinson	28, Stonegate, York ..	Official Receiver ..	Nov. 15, 1901

ADMINISTRATION ORDER IN THE CASE OF DECEASED DEBTOR.

Name of Deceased.	Late Address.	Late Description.	Date of Death.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Order.	Date of Filing Petition or Application for Transfer.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy, if any, committed by Deceased within three months before the date of his Decease.	Whether Will or other Testamentary Disposition (with date thereof), or Letters of Administration.	Date when proved or granted.
Sechiari, Pandely ...	Residing at 88, Westbourne- terrace, Westbourne Park, Middlesex, and carrying on business at 4, Bishopsgate- street, in the city of London	Merchant ...	Sept. 18, 1901	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1231 of 1901	Nov. 28, 1901	Nov. 8, 1901 ...	... ..	Will ...	Probate granted, Oct. 26, 1901

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.
Richardson, James Francis	Bow chambers, 55, Cross-street, Manchester	Solicitor, lately carrying on business in co-partnership with Robert Cook, under the style or firm of George Richardson, Son and Cook	Manchester	95 of 1901	Bankruptcy Petition	Nov. 1, 1901 ...	Wednesday, 4th December, 1901, at 2.45 P.M.	Mary Louisa Popplewell, 11, March-street, Chorlton-on-Medlock, Manchester, Widow

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 1900.

FIRST MEETINGS.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	Number.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.
The Dearne and Dove Steel Company Limited	Worsborough Dale, near Barnsley, in the county of York	High Court of Justice	00293 of 1901	Creditors, Dec. 12, 1901 .. Contributories, Dec. 12, 1901	11.30 A.M. 12.30 P.M.	Stafford Arms Hotel, Wakefield, Yorkshire Stafford Arms Hotel, Wakefield, Yorkshire
The Automatic Photoscope Syndicate Limited	10, Norfolk-street, Manchester	Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster, Manchester District	236A of 1901	Creditors, Dec. 11, 1901 . Contributories, Dec. 11, 1901	2 P.M. 2.15 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 35, Victoria-street, Liverpool Official Receiver's Office, 35, Victoria-street, Liverpool

NOTICE OF INTENDED DIVIDEND.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	Number.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Liquidator.	Address.
James Grime and Company Limited ...	Hampden Mill, Glimshaw-street, Darwen ...	Blackburn	1 of 1900	Dec. 18, 1901 ...	Hindle, Thomas	District-chambers, Darwen

Pursuant to the Companies (Winding-up) Act, 1900, and the Rules thereunder, notices to the above effect have been received by the Board of Trade.

JOHN SMITH, Inspector-General in Companies Liquidation.

THE estates of Thomas Wilson and Son, Timber and Coal Merchants, Forres, and Thomas Wilson, Timber Merchant, Forres, the sole Partner of that Company, as such, and as an individual, were sequestrated on the 23th day of November, 1901, by the Sheriff of Inverness, Elgin, and Nairn, at Elgin.

The first deliverance is dated the 23th day of November, 1901.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Saturday, the 7th day of December, 1901, within the Commercial Hotel, High-street, Forres.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before 23th March, 1902.

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

MACKENZIE and GRANT, Solicitors, Forres, Agents.

THE estates of John Robertson, Blacksmith and Machine Agent, Conon Bridge, in the parish of Urquhart and county of Ross and Cromarty, were sequestrated on the 28th day of November, 1901, by the Sheriff of Ross and Cromarty and Sutherland.

The first deliverance is dated the 28th day of November, 1901.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at eleven o'clock, on Thursday, the

12th day of December, 1901, within the National Hotel in Dingwall.

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ALEXR. ROSS, Solicitor, Dingwall, Agent.

THE estates of James Cameron Turner, Licensed Grocer and Provision Merchant, High-street, Falkirk, were sequestrated on the 29th day of November, 1901, by the Sheriff of Stirling, Dumbarton, and Clackmannan, at Falkirk.

The first deliverance is dated the 29th day of November, 1901.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Thursday, the 12th day of December, 1901, within the Crown Hotel, Falkirk.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debts must be lodged on or before the 29th day of March, 1902.

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GABRIEL BLANE, Solicitor, 42, New Market-street, Falkirk, Agent.

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