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TUESDAY, 22 JANUARY, 1918.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 16th day of January, 1918.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS the Local Government Board, after giving to the Incumbent and the Churchwardens of the Parish of St. Mary, Chelmsford, in the County of Essex, 10 days' previous Notice of their intention in that behalf, have, under the provisions of the Burial Act, 1853, as amended by the Burial Act, 1900, made a Representation to His Majesty in Council that, for the protection of the public health, the opening of any new Burial Ground in the Civil Parish of Chelmsford, in the County of Essex, save with the previous approval of the Local Government Board, should be prohibited, and that Burials should be discontinued therein, as follows, viz. :—

**CHELMSFORD.**—Forthwith and entirely in the Churchyard of St. Mary, Chelmsford, otherwise known as Rectory Lane Cemetery, in the County of Essex; Provided that—

(a) In any vault or walled grave now existing in the said Burial Ground burial may be allowed subject to the condition that every coffin buried in such vault or grave be

separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented.

(b) In any earthen grave now existing in the said Burial Ground the burial may be allowed of the body of any member of the family of the person or persons heretofore buried in such grave, subject to the condition that no part of the coffin containing the body shall be at a depth less than 3 feet below the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the grave.

(c) In the said Burial Ground, in any grave space in which no interment has heretofore taken place, the burial may be allowed of the body of any person for whom, or of any member of a family for which, such grave space has been reserved and appropriated as a burial place, with the exclusive right of burial therein, subject to the condition that no part of the coffin containing the body shall be at a depth less than 3 feet below the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the grave.

Now, therefore, His Majesty in Council is pleased hereby to give Notice of such Representation, and to order that the same be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Privy Council on the 27th day of February next.

And His Majesty is further pleased to direct

that this Order be forthwith published in the London Gazette, and that copies thereof be affixed on the doors of the Churches or Chapels of, or on some conspicuous places within, the Parish affected by such Representation one month before the said 27th day of February.

*Almeric FitzRoy.*

At the Council Chamber, *Whitehall*, the 22nd day of *January*, 1918.

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

**W**HEREAS it is provided, by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation or Order in Council made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade:

And whereas it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation made under Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade:

And whereas by a Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1917, and made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and Section 1 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited:

And whereas by subsequent Orders of Council the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars:

And whereas there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect:—

That the Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May, 1917, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, should be further amended by making the following amendments in and additions to the Schedule to the same:—

(1) That the following headings should be deleted:—

- (c) Algin and its compounds;
- (b) Asphalt;
- (b) Asphalt, coal tar;
- (c) Baskets and basketware;
- (b) Bitumen, liquid or solid;
- (c) Celluloid, articles wholly or partly manufactured of;

Chemicals, etc., the following:—

- (b) Ammonia and its salts, whether simple or compound (except ammonium nitrate, perchlorate, sulphate and sulphocyanide);
- (b) Ammonia, liquefied;
- (b) Ammonia liquor;
- (b) Ammonium alum;
- (a) Cinchona bark, its alkaloids and their salts;
- (c) Hydrastis canadensis;

(b) Nickel, oxides and salts of (except nickel nitrate), and mixtures containing such oxides or salts of nickel;

(b) Phosphorus and its compounds;

(b) Sodium carbonate;

(c) Sodium sesquicarbonate;

(c) Cork and cork dust, and articles manufactured from cork or cork dust;

(b) Fustic (chips and extract);

(b) Glue, osseine and concentrated size, fish glue, isinglass, finings and other kinds of gelatine;

Leather goods of the following descriptions:—

(c) Goods manufactured wholly or partly of leather, not otherwise prohibited;

(c) Linoleum;

(b) Logwood (chips, extract, and preparations);

(c) Spirits, potable, of a strength of less than 43 degrees above proof;

(c) Wine.

(2) That the following headings should be added:—

(b) Algin and its compounds;

(a) Asphalt;

(a) Asphalt, coal tar;

(a) Baskets and basketware;

(a) Bitumen, liquid or solid;

(a) Celluloid, articles wholly or partly manufactured of;

Chemicals, etc., the following:—

(b) Ammonia and its salts, whether simple or compound, and mixtures containing such salts (except ammonia liquor, liquefied ammonia, ammonium alum, ammonium carbonate, chloride, nitrate, perchlorate, sulphate and sulphocyanide, and nickel ammonium sulphate, and mixtures containing such ammonium salts);

(a) Ammonia, liquefied;

(a) Ammonia liquor;

(a) Ammonium alum and mixtures containing ammonium alum;

(a) Ammonium carbonate and mixtures containing ammonium carbonate;

(a) Ammonium chloride, including muriate of ammonia and sal-ammoniac, and mixtures containing these substances;

(a) Cinchona bark, its alkaloids and their salts, and preparations of any of these substances;

(c) Hydrastis canadensis and hydrastine;

(a) Nickel ammonium sulphate and mixtures containing nickel ammonium sulphate;

(b) Nickel, oxides and salts of (except nickel ammonium sulphate and nickel nitrate), and mixtures containing such oxides or salts of nickel;

(a) Phosphorus and its compounds;

(a) Sodium carbonate in all forms, including sodium sesquicarbonate and mixtures containing any of these substances;

(a) Cork and cork dust;

(c) Cork or cork dust, articles manufactured therefrom, not otherwise prohibited;

(a) Fustic (chips and extract);

(a) Glue, osseine and concentrated size

(and other sizes and sizings made from glue), fish glue, isinglass, finings and other kinds of gelatine;

o Leather goods of the following descriptions:—

(B) Goods manufactured wholly or partly of leather, not otherwise prohibited;

(A) Linoleum;

(A) Logwood (chips, extract and preparations);

(A) Motor cars of thirty horse-power and over;

(A) Respirators and self-contained breathing sets intended to afford protection to the wearer against toxic atmospheres;

(B) Size and sizings of all kinds (whether nitrogenous or not), not including articles the exportation of which is prohibited to all destinations under the prohibitions attaching to farinaceous substances, dextrine, concentrated size and other size and sizings made from glue;

(A) Spirits, potable, of a strength of less than 43 degrees above proof;

(A) Tools, small, the following:—

Saws, cross cut, frame and pit;

(A) Willows and osiers;

(A) Wine.

Now, therefore, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

*Almeric FitzRoy.*

#### CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*St. James's Palace, S.W.,*

*22nd January, 1918.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give Orders for the following appointments to the Order of the Companions of Honour for services in connection with the War. The appointments to date from the 1st January, 1918:—

*To be Companions of the Order.*

Sir John Furley.

James Seddon, Esq.

James Parker, Esq., M.P.

#### CARGOES EX GERMAN VESSELS IN BRAZILIAN PORTS.

With reference to the notification which was published in the London Gazette of December 28th last, His Majesty's Minister at Rio de Janeiro now reports by telegraph that the warehouse charges on cargo discharged from these vessels have been finally fixed at 16 per cent. on ordinary cargo and 32 per cent. on cargo classed "Sobre-Agua" in the Brazilian Customs tariff.

His Majesty's Minister adds that these charges will hold good until the end of February, by which time the local representative of the cargo-owners estimates that all cargo for transhipment will have been cleared.

Foreign Office,

18th January, 1918.

#### CARGOES EX ENEMY VESSELS IN PORTUGUESE HARBOURS.

With reference to the notification which was published in the London Gazette of the 14th ult., respecting the release of allied and neutral merchandise found on enemy vessels in Portuguese harbours, His Majesty's Minister at Lisbon reports that the Portuguese Official Gazette of December 29 last publishes a correction of Article I. of the Ministerial Order No. 1155 of November 27 last, which should now be read as follows:—

"I. That the Delivery Orders issued by masters and agents of ships shall be considered as equivalent to those issued by the ship-owners, for the purposes, etc."

Foreign Office,

19th January, 1918.

*Whitehall, 17th January, 1918.*

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to award the Edward Medal to Wilby Booth, signal man, and William Jeffells, plane-man, under the following circumstances:—

On the 2nd of June, 1917, at the North Gawber Colliery, Yorkshire, a train of empty tubs was being hauled towards the face while at the same time a train of 36 tubs, containing the day shift of over 100 men, who were leaving work, was being hauled away from the face. Both trains were being hauled at about six miles an hour. Shortly before the trains met the incoming empty train ran off the rails, knocking down the roof supports and bringing a heavy fall of roof on to the tubs, which were piled in confusion. Both lines were completely blocked, and the signalling apparatus was injured, so that it was impossible to stop the outgoing train. After rapid consultation with Booth, Jeffells jumped on to the hauling rope and, after it had travelled about 25 yards, succeeded in drawing the bolt which secured the pin fastening the rope to the train. Booth, meanwhile, mounted the first tub, and, as soon as Jeffells had drawn the bolt, succeeded, after the rope had travelled a further 70 yards, in drawing out the pin, thus detaching the train from the rope. The train came to a standstill within 30 yards of the fall. As soon as the train was detached from the rope, the hauling engine accelerated to such a degree that Booth was jerked from the tub before he could leave hold of the rope, injuring both knees.

The resource and courage of both men undoubtedly avoided a serious accident, in which many lives must have been lost. Both men risked their lives, as had Jeffells slipped from the rope, as he might easily have done, he would certainly have been crushed by the train, while had Booth failed in the very difficult task of drawing the pin while the train was in motion he would have been the first to have been killed when the train crashed into the fall.

Also to Arthur Morris, a timberman at the Llanhilleth Colliery, Monmouth, under the following circumstances:—

On the morning of the 30th March, 1917, a timberman named William Henry Dixon was drawing out timber in a part of the mine which it had been decided to abandon, and Morris was assisting him in this work. They had been at work for an hour when, owing to the collapse

of a pair of timbers, a fall of roof and sides occurred. Dixon was caught by the fall and fell in a sitting position, being buried up to the neck with rubbish and timber, about eight tons of which had fallen.

Morris was eight yards away when the fall occurred, and at once responded to Dixon's call for help, and, although heavy stones were still falling from the roof, and Morris was urged by Dixon to stand back, he persisted in his efforts to release his fellow-workman.

A large stone was then seen to be in imminent danger of falling on their heads, and with commendable presence of mind Morris ran back 20 yards for a piece of timber, which he fixed in a slanting position over Dixon to support the stone temporarily. Morris then restarted uncovering Dixon, and succeeded in releasing him in about twenty-five minutes after the accident occurred.

Dixon was badly bruised and cut all over his body, and while his injuries were being attended to by Morris, who himself suffered from cuts, the stone, which had been supported temporarily and which weighed about two tons, fell to the ground on the place where the men had been, and would undoubtedly have killed them both had the rescue been effected less expeditiously.

Morris displayed coolness, intelligence and initiative. He was 600 yards from the nearest man working in the mine, and if, as is the usual custom, he had gone for help, Dixon would have been buried by the falling debris and have lost his life.

Also to Lieutenant John Morley Stebbings, Corporal Charles Ashley, Bombardier Bert Dugdale, Acting Serjeant Charles Thomas Harris, and Acting Bombardier Arthur Frederick Edwards on account of their gallant conduct in assisting in the rescue work on the occasion of the explosion which occurred at Faversham on the 2nd April, 1916.

Also the Edward Medal in silver to George Henry Taylor and Thomas Stokes, and the Edward Medal to Thomas James White and Eli Purser, under the following circumstances:—

On the 31st May, 1917, an accident occurred at the Askern Main Colliery, Yorkshire.

Two men were trapped by a fall of roof weighing about thirty tons, and extending over an area of about 160 square feet—one of them completely buried near the edge of the fall, and the other was partially buried and severely injured. Eight of their fellow-workmen were soon on the spot, and after working bravely for two hours succeeded in releasing both men alive. All the four men recommended for medals ran considerable risk, for a space of two hours, of being buried by further falls, and, had it not been for the presence of mind and self-sacrifice, their two comrades would certainly have lost their lives. Taylor and Stokes were exposed to the greatest danger, and displayed special initiative.

*Whitehall, 22nd December, 1917.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to grant unto James Sherratt, of Trenant, in the parish of Peterchurch and county of Hereford, Esquire, and unto Mabel Clare, his wife, His Royal Licence and Authority that they may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last Will and Testament of Richard Delahay,

late of Green Hill Villa, in the parish of Newport and county of Monmouth, Gentleman, deceased, take the surname of Delahay in lieu of and in substitution for that of Sherratt, and that the said surname may in like manner be taken, borne and used by the issue of their marriage.

And to command that the said Royal Concession and Declaration be recorded in His Majesty's College of Arms, otherwise to be void and of none effect.

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*Downing Street,  
19th January, 1918.*

The KING has been pleased to approve of the nomination of Arthur Knowlton Everest Hampshire, Esq., to be an Unofficial Member of the Federal Council of the Federated Malay States.

#### PROCEEDINGS BEFORE BRITISH PRIZE COURTS OVERSEA.

In continuation of the notification on page 864 of the London Gazette of the 15th January, 1918, information has been received that proceedings have been instituted in the Prize Court in Sierra Leone in respect of certain goods ex the following vessel. Appearance should be entered by all persons claiming an interest as soon as possible.

Prize Court.	Name of Ship.
Supreme Court of Sierra Leone	Kronprinsessan Victoria. Prinsessan Ingeborg.

Colonial Office,  
22nd January, 1918.

*Board of Trade,  
Whitehall Gardens,  
21st January, 1918.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to confer the Decoration of the Albert Medal in Gold upon Mr. Alfred William Furneaux, a chief steward in the Mercantile Marine.

The following is an account of the services in respect of which the Decoration has been conferred:—

In April, 1917, the steamship in which Mr. Furneaux was serving was torpedoed by the enemy, and a Lascar, who was on the spot where certain deck plates had buckled and broken, had his legs so firmly caught between the plates that he would have gone down with the ship. Mr. Furneaux, however, went to the man's assistance and managed to get one leg out, but the other was nearly severed through above the knee. Finding it impossible to pull this leg out, Mr. Furneaux amputated it with an ordinary clasp knife and then carried the man to a boat. When in the boat he dressed the wound as well as possible, and gave the life belt he was wearing to the wounded man. Mr. Furneaux also rendered first aid in the boat to another Lascar who was badly scalded.

Mr. Furneaux was in imminent danger of losing his life in rendering the service.

## TRADE BOARDS ACT, 1909.

## HOLLOW-WARE TRADE BOARD (GREAT BRITAIN).

In accordance with the Regulations made under Section 18 of the above Act by the Board of Trade and dated 27th April, 1910, the Trade Board established under the above Act and the Trade Boards Provisional Orders Confirmation Act, 1913, for the Hollow-ware Trade as defined by the Regulations made by the Board of Trade and dated 6th July, 1914, have given notice that they have varied certain minimum rates of wages for female workers as follows:—

For female learners of 15 and under 16 years of age, from 8s. 6d. to 9s. per week.

For female learners of 16 and under 17 years of age, from 10s. 6d. to 12s. per week.

For female learners of 17 and under 18 years of age, from 13s. to 15s. per week.

For female workers (other than learners), from 15s. 9d. to 18s. per week.

The minimum rates are based on a week of 54 hours and are subject to a proportionate deduction or increase according as the number of hours spent by the worker in the factory or workshop under contract of employment in any week is less, or more than 54.

The Notice setting out the variations which have been made is dated 21st January, 1918, from which date such variations take effect as provided by the Trade Boards Act.

Further particulars in regard to the notice issued by the Trade Board will be furnished to any person affected on application to the Secretary at the address given below.

*G. T. Reid,*  
Secretary.

Office of Trade Boards,  
5, Chancery Lane,  
London, W.C. 2.

*Ministry of Munitions of War,*  
22nd January, 1918.

## ORDER.

## EXTENDING THE ORDER OF THE MINISTER OF MUNITIONS OF THE 23RD MARCH, 1917, AS TO SVELTER.

Whereas the Minister of Munitions is desirous of extending the Order made by him as to the control of spelter dated the 23rd March, 1917, in manner hereinafter appearing.

Now the Minister of Munitions, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Defence of the Realm Regulations and all other powers thereunto enabling him, hereby orders as follows:—

(1) As from the date hereof the said Order of the 23rd March, 1917, shall operate and take effect as if the following clause was substituted for clause 5 of the said Order, namely:—

“5. For the purpose of this Order the expression “Spelter” shall mean Spelter of all qualities and shall include sheet and rolled zinc, scrap zinc, hard spelter, dross, zinc ashes, flux skimmings, zinc dust, zinc ore,

zinc oxide, zinc sulphide (or lithopone), whether dry, in oil, or prepared for use, and zinc compounds of every kind, or any of them.”

(2) This Order may be cited as “The Spelter Control (Amendment) Order, 1918.”

## DEFENCE OF THE REALM REGULATIONS.

## SCREENING OF LIGHTS ON BOARD BRITISH MERCHANT VESSELS.

In exercise of the powers conferred upon them by the Defence of the Realm Regulations and all other powers thereunto enabling them, the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty hereby make the following Order:—

1. No light of any description shall be exposed in any British Merchant Vessel so as to be visible outboard or as to reflect upwards, and if any Master, Officer, Member of the Crew or Passenger, or any other person on board, so exposes or permits to be exposed any light, he shall be guilty of an offence against these Regulations.

Provided that this Order shall not apply to such Navigation Lights as the Admiralty Instructions may authorise to be shown at any particular time or in any particular place or circumstances, nor to any lights that are necessary for authorised signalling purposes.

2. It shall be the duty of the owner of every such vessel to provide adequate means of screening lights on board, and it shall be the duty of the Master or of such other Member of the Crew as he may appoint to take measures to secure that lights on board are screened as this Order requires, and if any of the said persons fail to perform his said duty he shall be guilty of an offence against these Regulations.

3. Any Naval Officer whom the Senior Naval Officer of the Port may appoint for the purpose may board any such vessel entering the Port to inspect the means provided for screening lights as this Order requires. The Master of such vessel shall give facilities for such inspection and shall, if the Inspecting Officer so requires, sign a certificate to the effect that adequate means of screening lights are provided on board.

Given under our hands this 16th day of January, 1918.

*A. L. Duff,*  
*Hugh Tothill.*

Admiralty, S.W. 1.

## NAVAL SALVAGE MONEY.

*Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, S.W. 1.,*  
21st January, 1918.

Notice is hereby given to all Persons interested therein, that preparations are now being

made for the intended Distribution of the following Salvage Awards:—

Salvage of s.v. "Roma" by H.M.S. "Safeguard," 28th and 29th May, 1917.

Salvage of barrels of rum by H.M. Trawlers "Emerald," "Kosmos," "Dewsland," "Hatano," "Lord Zetland," "Girl Rhoda," "Rosehall," "Kestrel," and "Pleasance" during the month of May, 1917.

Agents or other Persons having any just and legal demand, unliquidated, against the Award are required to transmit the particulars of any such demand to the Registrar of the Admiralty Division of H.M. High Court of Justice, in order that the same may be examined, taxed, and allowed by that Officer, and paid under the sanction of the Judge of the said court.

Due Notice will be given, by future advertisement in the London Gazette, of the date proposed for the commencement of Distribution.

Admiralty, 15th January, 1918.

*R.N.V.R.*

With reference to the notice which appeared in the London Gazette of the 4th inst. (page 277), relative to the grant of a tempy. commn. as Sub-Lieut., *R.N.V.R.*, to David A. Soyston, the name should be David A. Foyston, and not as therein stated.

Admiralty, 16th January, 1918.

*R.N.V.R.*

To be tempy. Sub-Lieut.—

John L. Farrell. 25th Oct. 1916.

*R.M.*

Temp. Capt. (now temp. Maj.) Thomas Robert McCready granted the actg. rank of Maj., from 26th June 1917 to 11th Aug. 1917.

Temp. 2nd Lt. (now temp. Capt.) Herbert Angus Carruthers granted the actg. rank of Capt. 11th Nov. 1917.

*Submarine Miners.*

Temp. Capt. Philip Albert Smith to be supernumerary to estabmt. whilst specially employed. 14th Jan. 1918.

Admiralty, 17th January, 1918.

Eng. Cdr. Ernest E. Pethick placed on Retired List. 10th Jan. 1918.

To be tempy. Eng. Sub-Lieut.—

Clifton Pout. 17th Jan. 1918.

*R.N.R.*

To be tempy. Lieuts.—

George A. Fenby. 11th Jan. 1918.

James Nicholson. 17th Jan. 1918.

*R.N.V.R.*

Tempy. Lieut.-Cdrs. to be tempy. Cdrs.—

Reginald C. D. Isgar.

Walter D. Smiles, D.S.O.

10th Jan. 1918.

Tempy. Lieut. to be tempy. Lieut.-Cdr.—

The Hon. John R. B. Balfour. 10th Jan. 1918.

Tempy. Sub-Lieuts. to be tempy. Lieuts.—

Alexander W. Southam.

James E. MacDowell.

Edward W. Benson.

John Macky.

10th Jan. 1918.

To be tempy Lieut.—

James G. Armour. 17th Jan. 1918.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieuts.—

Cecil C. Porter.

George Bucknall.

Ernest F. Hedge.

10th Jan. 1918.

*R.N.V.R.*

Tempy. Sub-Lieut. to be tempy. Lieut.—

James R. Lough. 30th Dec. 1917.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieut.—

Henry Cox. 30th Dec. 1917.

*R.M.L.I.*

Capt. (temp. Maj.) John William Seigne, Gen. Staff Offr., 2nd Gde., is promoted to the rank of Maj. by Brevet for brilliant service. 4th Jan. 1918.

The notice which appeared in the London Gazette of the 15th January, 1918 (p. 865) regarding this Officer is cancelled.

*R.M.*

*Submarine Miners.*

Tempy. Lieut. Arthur Innes to be tempy. Capt., vice Taylor, supernumerary. 8th Jan. 1918.

Admiralty, 18th January, 1918.

Vice-Admiral Archibald P. Stoddart, C.B., has been placed on the Retired List at his own request, to date 15th Jan. 1918.

Consequent thereon, the following promotions ensue:—

Rear-Admiral Alexander L. Duff, K.C.B., to be Vice-Admiral.

Captain Edward M. Phillpotts, C.B., A.D.C., to be Rear-Admiral.

Placed on the Ret. List—

Rev. Richard S. Hartley, Chaplain.

Rev. Henry Backwell, M.A., Chaplain and Nav. Instr.

12th Jan. 1918.

*R.N.R.*

To be tempy. Sub-Lieut.—

Arthur H. Dobbs. 15th Jan. 1918.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieuts.—

William R. Forsyth.

Rowland A. Reece.

18th Jan. 1918.

To be tempy. Asst. Payrs.—

William Jennings. 16th Jan. 1918.

*R.N.V.R.*

To be tempy. Lieuts.—

George A. Barnes. 18th Jan. 1918.

Charles Granville. 18th Jan. 1918.

Tempy. Sub-Lieuts. to be tempy. Lieuts.—

Donald W. J. Acteson. 10th Sept. 1917.

Spencer R. Mason. 7th Dec. 1917.

Bertie W. Beaumont. 27th Dec. 1917.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieuts.—

Lawrence P. Ratcliffe. 15th Jan. 1918.

Charles Hart.

William R. Garner.

Arthur Meldrum.

Henry R. I. Jones.

John S. W. Boundy.

Francis C. Philips.

18th Jan. 1918.

*Admiralty, 19th January, 1918.*

Carptr. to be Chf. Carptr.—

William H. Venning, D.S.C. 19th Jan. 1918.

To be temp. Surgs.—

Henry Hurst.

Henry T. Cubbon.

16th Jan. 1918.

Payr. to be Stf.-Payr.—

James Dean. 19th Jan. 1918.

Tempy. Proby. Obsr. Offrs. to be Tempy. Obsr. Sub-Lieuts.—

Leo A. Christian.

John W. Nixon.

Henry A. Havilland-Roe.

Edward D. Harding.

Aubrey E. Horn.

5th Jan. 1918.

Proby. Obsr. Offrs. to be Obsr. Sub-Lieuts.—

Charles A. Bradnam.

Frank Porter.

5th Jan. 1918.

*R.N.R.*

To be tempy. Lieut.—

John W. Pegden. 14th Jan. 1918.

To be tempy. Eng. Sub-Lieuts.—

Alfred C. Ritchie. 14th Jan. 1918.

Coll Macdonald.

John E. Palmer.

15th Jan. 1918.

William E. J. Graham. 16th Jan. 1918.

*R.N.V.R.*

To be tempy. Asst. Payrs.—

Charles R. Morton. 10th Jan. 1918.

Frank P. Brindley. 19th Jan. 1918.

*R.N.A.S.*

Tempy. Proby. Flt. Offrs. to be tempy. Flt. Sub-Lieuts.—

Edward C. Stocker. 18th Oct. 1917.

Basil F. Jackson. 17th Nov. 1917.

Charles C. Dews.

Solomon C. Joseph.

2nd Dec. 1917.

Ralph W. Robinson.

Walter Gilman.

James H. Leavesley.

Lionel C. Messiter.

Henry E. Forrow.

George W. Graham.

Kenneth R. Cole.

James A. Radcliffe.

2nd Jan. 1918.

*Admiralty, 21st January, 1918.*

Lieut.-Cdr. (retd.) to be Cdr. (retd.)—

Hugh J. Orr. 21st Jan. 1918.

*R.N.V.R.*

Tempy. Sub-Lieut. to be tempy. Lieut.—

George O. Tatley. 21st Jan. 1918.

*War Office,*

*18th January, 1918.*

**THE RAW GOAT SKINS (PRICES)  
ORDER, 1918.**

In pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by the Defence of the Realm Regulations, the Army Council hereby order as follows:—

1. No person shall, without a permit issued by or on behalf of the Director of Raw Materials, sell or deliver any Raw Goat Skins at prices exceeding the prices set out in the Schedule hereto annexed.

2. This Order may be cited as the Goat Skins (Prices) Order, 1918.

By Order of the Army Council,

*R. H. Brade.*

**SCHEDULE.**

**I.—INDIAN SKINS.**

*Amritzars:*

Standard Assortment:—85 per cent. primes; 15 per cent. seconds.

Average weight per 500 skins:—

1,000 lbs., 40 pence per skin.

1,100 lbs., 44 " "

1,200 lbs., 48 " "

1,300 lbs., 50 " "

1,400 lbs., 52 " "

*Coconadas:*

Standard Assortment:—90 per cent. primes; 10 per cent. seconds.

Average weight per 100 skins:—

180-190 lbs., 48 pence per skin.

*South Madras:*

Standard Assortment:—90 per cent. primes; 10 per cent. seconds.

Average weight per 100 skins:—

160-170 lbs., 44 pence per skin.

170-175 lbs., 46 " "

*North Madras:*

Standard Assortment:—85 per cent. primes; 15 per cent. seconds.

Average weight per 100 skins:—

180-190 lbs., 44 pence per skin.

*Wet Salted Skins.*

Average prices for usual selection and quality:—

40 inches and up,	54	pence	per	skin.
36-40 inches	50	"	"	"
33-36 inches	42	"	"	"
28-33 inches	37	"	"	"

## II.—SOUTH AFRICAN SKINS.

Assortment:—

	Pence per lb.		
	Light.	Extra Light.	Kids.
Capes.....	32	35½	34
Algoa Bay....	31	34	32
Kaffirs.....	28	32½	29
Natal .....	30½	33	34

## III.—WEST AFRICANS.

For usual assortment and average quality.

Weight per 12 skins:—

13 lbs.,	33	pence	per	lb.
15 lbs.,	31	"	"	"

## IV.—ALL OTHER CLASSES OF SKINS.

Skins of all other classes shall be sold at prices not exceeding those calculated on the basis of those above set out.

War Office,  
18th January, 1918.

THE RAW GOAT SKINS (REQUISITION)  
ORDER, 1918.

In pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by the Defence of the Realm Regulations, notice is hereby given that it is the intention of the Army Council to take possession of all Raw Goat Skins now in stock in the United Kingdom or to be imported into the United Kingdom after the date hereof.

By Order of the Army Council,  
*R. H. Brade.*

India Office,  
22nd January, 1918.

The KING has approved the grant of the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel to the following officers of the Indian Medical Service whilst holding the appointment of Assistant Director of Medical Services in India:—

Dated 9th October, 1917.

Major Charles William Francis Melville, M.B.  
Major John Kenneth Sprot Fleming.

(D. I. P. 518.)

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF  
AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 16TH JANUARY 1918.)

(WART DISEASE OF POTATOES INFECTED AREA.)

The Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in them under the Destructive Insects and Pests Acts, 1877 and 1907, and of every other power

enabling them on this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

*Declaration of Wart Disease of Potatoes  
Infected Area.*

1. The Order dated the sixteenth day of February, nineteen hundred and fourteen, declaring the area within the county borough of Birmingham and the borough of Sutton Coldfield, bounded on the north-west by Perry Road; on the west by New Road; on the south by Witton Road, Marsh Lane, Slade Road and Reservoir Road; on the east by South Road, Summer Lane, Short Heath Road and Court Lane; and on the north-east by Old Chester Road, to be an Infected Area is hereby revoked, and the area described in the schedule to this Order is hereby declared to be infected with Wart Disease and an Infected Area for the purposes of the Wart Disease of Potatoes (Infected Areas) Order of 1914.

*Notification of Disease.*

2. Reports of the existence of Wart Disease within the Infected Area shall be made to the Director of Supplies, Food Production Department, 72, Victoria Street, London, S.W. 1.

*Commencement.*

3. This Order shall come into operation on the first day of February, nineteen hundred and eighteen.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries have hereunto set their Official Seal this sixteenth day of January, nineteen hundred and eighteen.



*Percy G. Dallinger,*  
On behalf of the Secretary.

## SCHEDULE.

The land known as Stockdale Farm, Erdington, in the occupation of Mr. J. G. Loescher, together with the gardens abutting on the farm on the east side of the Reservoir Road and the west side of Low Wood Road; and Gipsy Lane allotment; all in the county borough of Birmingham.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, 4, Whitehall Place, London, S.W. 1.

Ministry of Food,  
21st January, 1918.

THE SUGAR ORDER, 1917, 4TH JANUARY, 1918.  
Statutory Rule and Order, 1917, No. 8, Price 1d. Net, Post free 1½d.

THE BREAD (USE OF POTATOES) ORDER, 8TH JANUARY, 1918.

Statutory Rule and Order, 1918, No. 14, Price 1d. Net, Post free 1½d.

THE SUGAR ORDER (IRELAND), 24TH DECEMBER, 1917.

Statutory Rule and Order, 1917, No. 1330, Price 1d. Net, Post free 1½d.



**THE MEAT (MAXIMUM PRICES) ORDER, 24TH DECEMBER, 1917.**

Statutory Rule and Order, 1917, No. 1368,  
Price 1d. Net, Post free 1½d.

**THE BRITISH ONIONS ORDER, 24TH DECEMBER, 1917.**

Statutory Rule and Order, 1917, No. 1331,  
Price 1d. Net, Post free 1½d.

Notice is hereby given, that the above named Orders have been made by the Food Controller, and that copies of the Orders and of all other Orders made by the Food Controller, printed as Statutory Rules and Orders, and receivable in evidence under the Documentary Evidence Acts, can be purchased at the prices stated, through any bookseller or directly from H.M. Stationery Office, at the following addresses: Imperial House, Kingsway, W.C. 2; 37, Peter Street, Manchester; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 23, Forth Street, Edinburgh; or E. Ponsonby, Ltd., 116, Grafton Street, Dublin.

**ADMIRALTY NOTICE TO MARINERS.**

No. 102 of the year 1918.

**ENGLAND, SOUTH-EAST COAST.**

*Dover Channel.—Light-Buoys established;  
Traffic Regulations.*

*Former Notice.—No. 8 of 1918; hereby cancelled.*

1. In addition to the two light-vessels mentioned in Admiralty Notice to Mariners No. 1310 of 1917, four light-buoys have been moored in the Dover channel off Folkestone, as follows:—

(a) N.E. Folkestone gate light-buoy:

*Position.*—Lat. 51° 04' 32" N., 1° 15' 35" E.

*Description.*—A can light-buoy painted in black and white chequers exhibiting an *occulding red light every ten seconds.*

(b) S.E. Folkestone gate light-buoy:

*Position.*—Lat. 51° 03' 25" N., long. 1° 17' 00" E.

*Description.*—A red conical light-buoy, exhibiting an *occulding green light every ten seconds.*

(c) S.W. Folkestone gate light-buoy:

*Position.*—Lat. 51° 01' 25" N., long. 1° 13' 40" E.

*Description.*—A black conical light-buoy, exhibiting a *flashing green light every five seconds.*

(d) N.W. Folkestone gate light-buoy:

*Position.*—Lat. 51° 02' 25" N., long. 1° 11' 50" E.

*Description.*—A can light-buoy painted in red and white chequers, exhibiting a *flashing red light every five seconds.*

2. Shipping is hereby warned that the *only* passage for traffic proceeding between the Downs and Dungeness is between the N.E. and S.E. gate light-buoys and then between North and South Folkestone gate light-vessels shown on the chart, and between N.W. and S.W. gate light-buoys and *vice versa*, and that Article 25 of the Collision Regulations must be complied with, that is to say, East-bound traffic must keep to the southern side of the passage and West-bound traffic must keep to the Northern side. Ships disregarding this warning will do so at their own peril.

3. *Caution.*—Mariners are warned to exercise great caution when approaching the ships' passage between the Folkestone gate light-vessels, as the tidal streams may at times set obliquely across the passage. Both light-vessels should be given as wide a berth as the width of the passage and compliance with Article 25 of the Collision Regulations permit.

4. The latest route information and route instructions are to be obtained from the examination vessels off Calais and Boulogne, or in the Downs or from Patrol vessels westward of Folkestone gate or in the vicinity of Cape Gris Nez. Any deviation from these instructions may entail the destruction of the vessel.

5. No vessel is to anchor or to fish in the following area:—

The area is bounded by lines joining the following points:—

(a) Admiralty pier light-house, Dover.

(b) Les Quenocs buoy No. 4.

(c) Cape Gris Nez light-house.

(d) The light-buoy at the N.E. end of the Bassure de Baas in lat. 50° 48½' N., long. 1° 33' E.

(e) The light-buoy at the S.W. end of Le Colbart in lat. 50° 49½' N., long. 1° 15½' E.

(f) Sandgate castle.

6. British Merchant Vessels approaching the Straits of Dover are to hoist their number in the International Code.

7. *Caution.*—Mariners are warned that light-buoys which are not shown on the chart, may be met with between the parallels of 51° 04' N. and 51° 20' N.

*Note.*—The light-buoys, described above in paragraph 1, are to be inserted on the charts.

*Charts affected.*

No. 1895, Dungeness to the Thames.

No. 2451, Owers to Dungeness:

No. 1406, Dover and Calais to Orfordness and Scheveningen.

No. 1431, Approaches to Dover Strait—Fécamp to North Foreland.

No. 2675c, English channel—eastern sheet.

*Publication.*—Channel Pilot, Part I, 1908, page 274.

*Authority.*—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty.

By Command of their Lordships,

J. F. PARRY,

*Hydrographer of the Navy.*

Admiralty, London.

19th January, 1918.

**SPECIAL ACTS (EXTENSION OF TIME) ACT, 1915.**

**DOVER HARBOUR ACT, 1913.**

**B**Y virtue and in exercise of the powers conferred on them by the Special Acts (Extension of Time) Act, 1915, the Board of Trade hereby order that the time limited by Section 6 of the Dover Harbour Act, 1913, for the completion of the works authorised by Section 4 of the Act shall be extended by one year.

Dated this 19th day of January, 1918.

Garnham Roper,

An Assistant Secretary to the Board of Trade.

## LAND REGISTRY.

Land Transfer Acts, 1875 and 1897.

NOTICE.—The following Persons are about to be registered as Proprietors of the following Properties with Absolute or Good Leasehold Title:—

Plans of the several properties can be seen at the Land Registry, Lincoln's Inn Fields. Any person may, by notice in writing signed by himself or his Solicitor, and delivered at the Registry before the expiration of one month from the appearance of this Notice, object to the registration. The notice must state concisely the grounds of the objection and give the address in the United Kingdom of the person delivering the Notice, and, if it is delivered by a Solicitor, must give the name and address of the person on whose behalf it is given.

Information as to registration and the mode and cost of application for it can be obtained at the Registry.

Number of Title.	The Land.				The Applicant.		
	County.	Parish or Place.	Name and Short Description.	Freehold or Leasehold.	Name.	Address.	Description.
16679	Hertford	Widford	Land and buildings at Widford	Freehold	The Right Honourable Edith Augusta Baroness Buckmaster	1, Porchester Terrace, Hyde Park, W. 2	—
50571	London	Wandsworth Borough	Dwelling-house and garden, The Hollies, Upper Tooting Park	Leasehold	Harold Francis Arrow	13, Hartington Villas, Hove, Brighton	Esquire
51417	London	Eltham	Dwelling-house and garden, 64, Greenvale Road	Leasehold	Albert Edward Harris	64, Greenvale Road, Eltham, S.E.	Engineer
83504	London	Hampstead	Dwelling-house and garden, The Hoo, Lyndhurst Gardens	Leasehold	James Steel	42, Lindfield Gardens, Hampstead, N.W. 3	Esquire
188404	London	Shoreditch	Land and buildings, 5A, Wareham Street, 5A, Worgate Street, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10, Wareham Street, 29, 31, 33, 35, 37, and 39, Mintern Street, 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, Worgate Street, and 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, and 44, Rushton Street	Freehold	Henry Jacob	9, Water Lane, Great Tower Street, E.C. 3	Gentleman
188406	London	Shoreditch	Dwelling-houses and public-house, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, Hutley Place, 23, 25, and 27, Norris Street, 49, 51, 53, 55, and 57, and (The Hanbury Arms Public-house) 59, Felton Street, and 18 and 20, Holt Place	Freehold	The Welch Ale Brewery Limited	531, King's Road, Chelsea, S.W. 10	—
188422	London	Shoreditch	Land and dwelling-houses, 44, 46, 48, and 50, Felton Street, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, and 28, Norris Street, 75, 77, 79, 81, and 83, Hyde Road	Freehold	Louisa Janet Peck	Four Oaks, Hatch End, Middlesex	Wife of Frederick Peck

LAND REGISTRY—*continued.*

Land Transfer Acts, 1875 and 1897.

NOTICE.—The following Persons are about to be registered as Proprietors of the following Properties with Absolute or Good Leasehold Title :—

Number of Title.	The Land.				The Applicant.		
	County.	Parish or Place.	Name and Short Description.	Freehold or Leasehold.	Name.	Address.	Description
188499	London ...	Hackney ...	Dwelling-house and garden, 39, Rendlesham Road	Leasehold ...	Frank William Snewin ...	192, Lower Clapton Road, E. 5	Dairyman
188501	City of	London	Dwelling-house and tavern, known as the Cock Tavern, 22, Fleet Street	Freehold ...	George Wallace Wright	The Mitre, Chancery Lane, W.C. 2	Hotel Proprietor
188514	London ...	Stoke Newington...	Dwelling-house and garden, 125, Bethune Road	Leasehold ...	Thomas Leopold Horn ...	144, Holmleigh Road, Stamford Hill, N. 16	Electrical Engineer
188519	City of	London	Warehouses, 7, 8, and 8A, Miles Lane	Freehold ...	Thomas Henry Wilson ...	34, King Street, Cheapside, E.C. 2	Gentleman
215771	London ...	Camberwell ...	Dwelling-house and garden, 10, St. Mary's Road	Freehold ...	James Alexander Emmott	129, Queen's Road, Peckham, S.E. 15	Gentleman
215775	London ...	Greenwich...	Dwelling-houses and gardens, 1, 3, 7, and 9, Combedale Road	Leasehold ...	Henry Herbert Russell ...	1, Trafalgar Road, Greenwich, S.E. 10	Baker
215816	London ...	Lewisham ...	Dwelling-houses and yards, 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15, Wathington Grove	Leasehold ...	Frederick Arthur Sinden	221, Sydenham Road, Sydenham, S.E. 26	Gentleman
215819	London ...	Lewisham ...	Dwelling-house and garden, 47, Ardgowan Road	Leasehold ...	John Robert Steele ...	47, Ardgowan Road, Hither Green, S.E. 6	Salvation Army Officer
215820	London ...	Lambeth ...	Dwelling-house and garden, 26, Milton Road	Leasehold ...	Adah Fanny Grainger ...	367, Coldharbour Lane, Stockwell, S.W. 9	Wife of Alfred Frederick Grainger
215822	London ...	Wandsworth Borough	Dwelling-houses, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, and 24, John Street	Freehold ...	Florence Mary Frame ...	22, Enmore Road, Putney, S.W. 15	Widow

W. F. BURNETT, Acting Assistant Registrar.

## RECEIPTS into and ISSUES out of the EXCHEQUER

REVENUE AND OTHER RECEIPTS.	Estimate for the Year 1917-18. (See Note.)	Total Receipts into the Exchequer from	
		1st April, 1917, to 19th Jan., 1918.	1st April, 1916, to 20th Jan., 1917.
Balances in Exchequer on 1st April:—	£	£	£
Bank of England ... ..	—	25,209,947	25,111,065
Bank of Ireland ... ..	—	1,225,912	463,941
		26,435,859	25,575,006
<b>REVENUE.</b>			
Customs ... ..	70,750,000	56,894,000	55,326,000
Excise ... ..	34,950,000	30,733,000	45,420,000
Estate, &c., Duties ... ..	29,000,000	25,073,000	23,907,000
Stamps ... ..	8,000,000	6,151,000	5,956,000
Land Tax ... ..	2,600,000	920,000	920,000
House Duty ... ..	224,000,000	101,010,000	81,391,000
Property and Income Tax (including Super-Tax) ...	200,000,000	163,122,000	98,513,000
Excess Profits Duties, &c. ... ..	400,000	479,000	251,000
Land Value Duties ... ..	33,700,000	27,200,000	26,700,000
Post Office ... ..	600,000	460,000	470,000
Crown Lands ... ..	7,500,000	1,925,975	5,154,238
Receipts from Sundry Loans, &c. ... ..	27,100,000	47,005,576	12,050,903
Miscellaneous ... ..			
<b>REVENUE ... ..</b>	<b>638,600,000</b>	<b>460,973,551</b>	<b>356,059,141</b>
<b>Total, including Balance ... ..</b>		<b>487,409,410</b>	<b>381,634,147</b>
<b>OTHER RECEIPTS.</b>			
Repayment of Advances for Bullion ... ..		1,970,000	3,030,000
Repayment of Advances for Interest on Exchequer Bonds under Capital Expenditure (Money) Act, 1904 ... ..		169,818	36,918
Under Telegraph (Money) Act, 1913 ... ..		100,000	210,000
„ Post Office (London) Railway Act, 1913 ... ..		68,000	160,000
„ Military Works Acts, 1897 to 1903... ..		—	8,824
„ Public Buildings Expenses Act, 1903 ... ..		—	8,000
„ Housing Act, 1914 ... ..		394,500	74,600
For Treasury Bills for Supply ... ..		2,232,032,000	1,758,863,000
For Exchequer Bonds under the Capital Expendi- ture (Money) Act, 1904 ... ..		—	3,087,600
For Exchequer Bonds under the Cunard Agreement (Money) Act, 1904 ... ..		1,300,000	—
For 4½ per cent. War Loan, 1925-1945 ... ..		—	424
For 5 per cent. Exchequer Bonds, 1919 ... ..		—	34,222,000
For 5 per cent. Exchequer Bonds, 1920 ... ..		—	84,140,469
For 5 per cent. Exchequer Bonds, 1921 ... ..		—	62,468,806
For 5 per cent. Exchequer Bonds, 1922 ... ..		82,248,400	—
For 6 per cent. Exchequer Bonds, 1920 ... ..		48,000	160,831,000
For War Expenditure Certificates ... ..		—	29,878,500
For War Savings Certificates ... ..		37,100,000	43,550,000
For other Debt created under the War Loan Acts, 1914 to 1917 ... ..		575,657,253	199,875,038
For 4 per cent. War Loan, 1929-1942, and 5 per cent. War Loan, 1929-1947 ... ..		166,913,580	—
For National War Bonds ... ..		262,393,000*	—
East Africa Protectorate Loan: Repayments on account of Principal and Interest ... ..		5,940	5,940
Cunard Loan: Repayment on account of Principal		130,000	130,000
China Indemnity ... ..		—	400,000
Temporary Advances—			
Ways and Means (including Treasury Bills £345,000,000 in 1916-17) ... ..		845,103,500	720,553,000
<b>Total ... ..</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>4,693,043,401</b>	<b>3,483,168,266</b>

Notes.—Estimate as in House of Commons Paper No. 75 of 1917, and Supplementary Grants.

\* Excluding sales through Joint Stock and Private Banks not yet brought to account.

between the 1st April, 1917, and the 19th January, 1918.

EXPENDITURE AND OTHER ISSUES.	Estimate for the Year 1917-18. (See Note.)	Total Issues out of the Exchequer- to meet payments from	
		1st April, 1917, to 19th Jan., 1918.	1st April, 1916, to 20th Jan., 1917.
<b>EXPENDITURE.</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>£</b>
Permanent Charge of Debt ... ..	17,000,000	17,006,991	18,003,300
Interest, &c., on War Debt ... ..	194,500,000	147,750,453	99,872,905
Payments to Local Taxation Accounts, &c. ...	9,700,000	6,643,186	6,687,392
Other Consolidated Fund Services ... ..	1,695,000	1,497,931	1,689,522
Supply Services ... ..	2,543,830,000	1,994,682,857	1,552,049,051
<b>EXPENDITURE ... ..</b>	<b>2,766,725,000</b>	<b>2,167,581,418</b>	<b>1,678,302,170</b>
<b>OTHER ISSUES.</b>			
For Advances for Bullion ... ..		2,120,000	3,150,000.
For Advances for Interest on Exchequer Bonds under the Capital Expenditure (Money) Act, 1904 ... ..		169,818	91,370
Under Telegraph (Money) Act, 1913 ... ..		100,000	210,000
„ Post Office (London) Railway Act, 1913 ... ..		95,000	200,000
„ Military Works Acts, 1897 to 1903 ... ..		—	8,008
„ Public Buildings Expenses Act, 1903 ... ..		—	8,000
„ Housing Act, 1914 ... ..		394,500	98,900
For Treasury Bills for Supply ... ..		1,610,854,000	1,307,813,000
For Exchequer Bonds under the Capital Expenditure (Money) Act, 1904 ... ..		—	3,087,600
For Exchequer Bonds under the Cunard Agreement (Money) Act, 1904 ... ..		1,300,000	—
For War Loans, Exchequer Bonds, &c., under Section 34 of Finance Act, 1917 ... ..		8,922,706	417,785
For other Debt under the War Loan Acts, 1914 to 1917 ... ..		38,410,081	9,651,957
For Depreciation Fund under the Finance Act, 1917 ... ..		27,490,200	—
Old Sinking Fund, 1907-8, issued under section 9 of the Finance Act, 1908 ... ..		10,000	69,000
Old Sinking Fund, 1910-11— Issued under Finance Act, 1911— Section 16 (1) (b) ... ..		20,000	53,160
Old Sinking Funds, 1911-12 and 1913-14— Issued under Anglo-Persian Oil Company (Acquisition of Capital) Act, 1914 ... ..		949,000	250,000
East Africa Protectorate Loan Repayments— Issued to reduce Debt under Finance Act, 1911 ... ..		5,940	5,940
Cunard Loan Repayments— Issued to reduce Debt under the Cunard Agreement (Money) Act, 1904 ... ..		130,000	130,000
China Indemnity— Issued to reduce Debt under Finance Act, 1906 ... ..		—	400,000
Temporary Advances repaid— Ways and Means (including Treasury Bills £337,380,000 in 1916-17) ... ..		817,849,000	455,173,000
<b>Balances in Exchequer—</b>		<b>4,676,401,663</b>	<b>3,459,119,890</b>
	<b>1918.</b>	<b>1917.</b>	
	<b>19th Jan.</b>	<b>20th Jan:</b>	
Bank of England ... ..	£15,189,054	£22,613,316	
Bank of Ireland ... ..	1,452,684	1,435,060	16,641,738
<b>Total ... ..</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>4,693,043,401</b>	<b>3,483,168,266</b>

MEMO.

Treasury Bills outstanding on 19th January, 1918:—

£  
\*1,085,081,000

\* Includes £206,000, the proceeds of which were not carried to the Exchequer within the period of the Account, besides an amount (not yet ascertained and brought to account) for Bills tendered as subscription to National War Bonds.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act seven and eight 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 12th day of January, 1918.

## PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
Banbury Bank ... ..	Banbury ... ..	Gillett and Co. ... ..	£ 6733
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank ... ..	Bicester ... ..	Tubb and Co. ... ..	15260
Leeds Old Bank ... ..	Leeds ... ..	Beckett and Co. ... ..	46353
Oxfordshire Witney Bank ... ..	Witney ... ..	Gillett and Co. ... ..	8604
Wellington Somerset Bank ... ..	Wellington ... ..	Fox, Fowler and Co. ... ..	2524
York and East Riding Bank ... ..	Beverley ... ..	Beckett and Co. ... ..	51510

## JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
Halifax Commercial Banking Company Limited ... ..	Halifax ... ..		£ 2713
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited ... ..	Nottingham ... ..		24550
West Yorkshire Bank Limited ... ..	Halifax ... ..		1987

H. BIRTLES, Registrar of Bank Returns.

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 3 weeks ending 17th January, 1918, together with the Number of Bales Imported and Exported during the corresponding 3 weeks in 1917 and 1916:—

PORTS.	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.
Week ending 17th January, 1918.												
Liverpool ... ..	Bales. 10,541	Bales. 1,129	Bales. ...	Bales. 8,452	Bales. 139	Bales. 20,261	Bales. ...	Bales. ...	Bales. ...	Bales. ...	Bales. ...	Bales. ...
London ... ..	...	...	...	...	7,566	7,566	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hull ... ..	2,918	...	...	...	...	2,918	...	...	...	...	...	...
Manchester ... ..	1,344	...	8,664	14,981	...	24,989	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Ports ... ..	1,969	...	...	...	7	1,976	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ... ..	16,772	1,129	8,664	23,433	7,712	57,710	...	...	...	...	...	...
3 weeks ending 17th January, 1918.												
Liverpool ... ..	108,247	1,129	14,272	16,586	487	140,721	100	...	...	...	...	100
London ... ..	...	...	...	...	13,114	13,114	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hull ... ..	4,226	...	...	...	...	4,226	...	...	...	...	...	...
Manchester ... ..	10,371	...	15,189	24,523	...	50,083	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Ports ... ..	7,317	...	...	...	7	7,324	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ... ..	130,161	1,129	29,461	41,109	13,608	215,468	100	...	...	...	...	100
3 Weeks ending :												
18th January, 1917 ...	244,901	1,926	2,512	69,126	1,949	320,414	9,310	...	442	4,635	364	14,751
20th January, 1916 ...	146,401	46	8,005	51,302	7,411	213,165	9,057	...	11,699	13,711	403	34,870

19th January, 1918.

H. FOUNTAIN,  
Commercial Department, Board of Trade.

A RETURN showing the Amount received from and paid to Trustee Savings Banks and Post Office Savings Banks in the United Kingdom by the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt, including transactions on the Savings Bank Investment Account, during the Four Weeks ended 19th January, 1918.

	Total Amount received by the Commissioners.			Total Amount paid by the Commissioners.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<b>TRUSTEE SAVINGS BANKS—</b>						
In Money and Interest credited ... ..	448,666	6	11	506,550	9	0
For Stock sold or purchased for the Savings Bank Investment Account ... ..	13,110	6	6	10,980	6	11
Transfer Certificates to and from Savings Banks and Post Office Savings Banks ... }	3,409	3	7	1,034	12	9
Total ... ..	£465,185	17	0	£518,565	8	8
<b>POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANKS—</b>						
In Money and Interest credited ... ..	2,573,304	15	11	27,508	4	8
For Stock sold or purchased for the Savings Bank Investment Account ... ..	144,193	11	4	57,993	10	5
Transfer Certificates to and from Savings Banks and Post Office Savings Banks ... }	1,034	12	9	3,409	3	7
Total ... ..	£2,718,533	0	0	£88,910	18	8

	At 19th January, 1918.		At corresponding period last Month.		At corresponding period last Year.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
<b>Total Amount at the credit of:—</b>						
The Fund for the Banks for Savings ... ..	51,723,785	3 5	51,777,164	15 1	52,882,054	2 0
The Post Office Savings Banks Fund ... ..	205,928,309	15 5	203,298,687	14 1	199,445,345	4 1
Total ... ..	£257,652,094	18 10	£255,075,852	9 2	£252,327,399	6 1
<b>SAVINGS BANK INVESTMENT AC- COUNT—</b>						
<b>Total Amount of Stock held for Depositors in—</b>						
Trustee Savings Banks ... ..	15,460,927	9 9	15,458,778	1 6	6,570,605	18 0
Post Office Savings Banks ... ..	21,798,316	12 5	21,907,936	17 1	23,155,604	17 2
Total ... ..	£37,259,244	2 2	£37,366,714	18 7	£29,726,210	15 2

H. WEATHERILL, Check Officer.  
National Debt Office, 21st January, 1918.

W. G. TÜRPIN,  
Comptroller-General.



## DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 TO 1914.

## RETURN of OUTBREAKS of SWINE FEVER for the Week ended 19th January, 1918.

Counties (including all Boroughs therein*).	Outbreaks confirmed.	Swine slaughtered as diseased or as having been exposed to infection.	Counties (including all Boroughs therein*).	Outbreaks confirmed.	Swine slaughtered as diseased or as having been exposed to infection.
ENGLAND.	No.	No.	ENGLAND.	No.	No.
Berks ... ..	1	...	Monmouth ... ..	1	...
Essex ... ..	1	2	Norfolk ... ..	1	...
Hertford ... ..	1	...	Notts ... ..	2	1
Kent ... ..	1	...	Suffolk ... ..	1	...
Lincoln, Parts of Lindsey	1	1	Wilts ... ..	1	...
			York, West Riding ...	2	1
			TOTAL ... ..	13	5

\* For convenience Berwick-upon-Tweed is considered to be in Northumberland, Dudley in Worcestershire, Stockport in Cheshire, and the city of London in the county of London.

NOTE.—The term “administrative county” used in the following descriptions of Areas is the district for which a county council is elected under the Local Government Act, 1888, and includes all boroughs in it which are not county boroughs.

The following Areas are now “Scheduled Areas” for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Regulation of Movement) Order of 1908 :—

*Anglesey, &c.*—An Area comprising the administrative counties of Anglesey, Brecon, Cardigan, Carmarthen, Carnarvon, Denbigh (excluding the petty sessional division of Upper Chirk—except such parts of the parish of Llangadwaladr as lie to the north of a line commencing at the boundary of that parish at Tomen y Gwyddel and proceeding westward along the fence, following the watershed by Llyn Gloyw-bach and Pen Llyn Gloyw to the boundary between the parishes of Llangadwaladr and Llanarmon Dyffryn Ceiriog on Bryn Du—and also excluding that part of the parish of Glyn Traian which lies to the south of the River Ceiriog), Flint (excluding the petty sessional division of Overton), Glamorgan, Hereford, Merioneth, Monmouth, Montgomery [excluding the borough of Llanfyllin and the parishes of Hyssington, Snead, Aston, Castlewright, Llangynog, Hirnant, Pen-nant, Llanrhaidr-yn-Mochnant, Llanfechain, Llansaintffraid Po’l, Llansaintffraid Deythur, Careghofa, Llandrinio, Llandysilio, Criggion, Bausley, Llanwddyn,

*Llanfihangel-yng-ngwynfa, and Meifod (except the portion which lies to the south of that part of the River Vyrnwy between the Bronarth Bridge and New Bridge Mechain, and also except such portion as lies to the south-east of a line commencing at the junction of the road from Castlehill-lane to the Fighting Cocks Inn with the southern boundary of the parish, and proceeding thence in a westerly direction by that road via the Fighting Cocks Inn and the main road from Sarnau to Geuffordd to the junction near Waen Cottage of the latter road with the road leading north-westward to Pont Ysgawrhyd, thence following that road to Pont Ysgawrhyd, and thence following the southern bank of Afon Vyrnwy to its junction near Celynog with the southern boundary of the parish)], Pembroke, and Radnor;*

The county boroughs of Cardiff, Newport, Merthyr Tydfil, and Swansea;

The parish of Brompton and Rhiston, and such parts of the parish of Chirbury as

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 TO 1914—*continued.*

NOTE.—The term "administrative county" used in the following descriptions of Areas is the district for which a county council is elected under the Local Government Act, 1888, and includes all boroughs in it which are not county boroughs.

The following Areas are now "Scheduled Areas" for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Regulation of Movement) Order of 1908—*continued.*

lie to the west of the River Camlad, in the administrative county of Salop; and

The parishes of Bromsberrow, Dymock, Kempsey, Preston near Ledbury, Hewelsfield, Lancout, St. Briavels, Tidenham, Woolaston, Staunton and Alvington, in the administrative county of Gloucester (31 July, 1917).—See also under Berks, &c.

*Ayrshire, &c.*—An Area comprising the counties of Ayr and Wigtown, and the burghs of Ayr, Irvine, and Kilmarnock (16 June, 1917).

*Bedfordshire, &c.*—An Area comprising the administrative counties of Bedford, Cambridge (except the parishes of Kirtling, Borough Green, Westley Waterless, Brinkley, Carlton-cum-Willingham, Weston Colville, West Wrattling, Balsham, West Wickham, Horseheath, Barilow, Shudy Camps and Castle Camps), Derby (except the parishes of Boyleston, Doveridge—with its detached part—Marston Montgomery, Somershall Herbert, and Sudbury—with its detached parts), Hertford, Huntingdon, the Isle of Ely, Leicester, the Parts of Holland, Kesteven, and Lindsey Divisions of Lincolnshire, Nottingham (except the parishes of Finningley and Mission), Rutland, and the Soke of Peterborough;

The county boroughs of Derby, Grimsby, Leicester, Lincoln and Nottingham;

The parishes of Linslade, Grove, Slapton, Edlesborough, Ivinghoe, Pitstone, Cheddington, Marsworth, and Mentmore, in the administrative county of Buckingham;

The parishes of Little Hallingbury, Great Hallingbury, Birchanger, Stansted Mountfichet, Farnham, Manuden, Berden, Ugley, Elsenham, and Henham, in the administrative county of Essex; and

The petty sessional division of Little Bowden and the parishes of Easton-on-the-Hill, Collyweston, Duddington, Wakerley, Harringworth, Bulwick, Blatherwycke, Laxton, Fineshade, King's Cliffe, Apethorpe, Nassington, and Yarwell, in the administrative county of Northampton (16 June, 1917). See also under Suffolk, Berkshire, &c., and Yorkshire (West Riding), &c.

*Berkshire, &c.*—An Area comprising the administrative counties of Berks, Buckingham (except the parishes of Linslade, Grove, Slapton, Edlesborough, Ivinghoe, Pitstone, Cheddington, Marsworth, and Mentmore), Chester, Dorset, Gloucester (except the parishes of Bromsberrow, Dymock, Kempsey, Preston near Ledbury, Hewelsfield, Lancout, St. Briavels, Tidenham, Woolaston, Staunton and Alvington), the Isle of Wight, Middlesex, Northampton (except the petty sessional division of Little Bowden and the parishes of Easton-on-the-Hill, Collyweston, Duddington, Wakerley, Harring-

worth, Bulwick, Blatherwycke, Laxton, Fineshade, King's Cliffe, Apethorpe, Nassington, and Yarwell), Oxford, Salop (except the parish of Brompton and Rhiston, and such parts of the parish of Chirbury as lie to the west of the River Camlad), Somerset, Southampton, Stafford, Warwick, Wilts, and Worcester;

The county boroughs of Bath, Birkenhead, Bournemouth, Bristol, Burton-upon-Trent, Chester, Coventry, Dudley, Gloucester, Northampton, Oxford, Portsmouth, Reading, Smethwick, Southampton, Stockport, Stoke-upon-Trent, Wallasey, Walsall, West Bromwich, Wolverhampton, and Worcester.

The petty sessional division of Upper Chirk (except such parts of the parish of Llangadwaladr as lie to the north of a line commencing at the boundary of that parish at Tomen y Gwyddel and proceeding westward along the fence following the watershed by Llyn Gloywbach and Pen Llyn Gloyw to the boundary between the parishes of Llangadwaladr and Llanarmon Dyffryn Ceiriog on Bryn Du) and that part of the parish of Glyn Traian which lies to the south of the River Ceiriog, in the administrative county of Denbigh;

The parishes of Boyleston, Doveridge (including its detached part), Marston Montgomery, Somershall Herbert, and Sudbury (including its detached parts), in the administrative county of Derby;

The petty sessional division of Overton, in the administrative county of Flint;

The borough of Llanfyllin, and the parishes of Hyssington, Snead, Aston, Castlewright, Llangynog, Hirnant, Pennant, Llanrhaidr - yn - Mochnant, Llanfechain, Llansaintffraid Pool, Llansaintffraid Deythur, Careghofa, Llandrinio, Llandysilio, Criggion, Bausley, Llanwddyn, Llanfihangel-yng-ngwynfa, and Meifod (except the portion which lies to the south of that part of the River Vyrnwy between the Broniarth Bridge and New Bridge Mechain, and also except such portion as lies to the south-east of a line commencing at the junction of the road from Castlehill-lane to the Fighting Cocks Inn with the southern boundary of the parish, and proceeding thence in a westerly direction by that road via the Fighting Cocks Inn and the main road from Sarnau to Geuffordd to the junction near Waen Cottage of the latter road with the road leading north-westward to Pont Ysgawrhud, thence following that road to Pont Ysgawrhud, and thence following the southern bank of Afon Vyrnwy to its junction near Celymog with the southern boundary of the parish), in the administrative county of Montgomery; and

The parishes of Chithurst, Elsted, Farnhurst, Harting, Iping, Linch, Linchmere, Rogate, Stedham, Terwick, Trotton (including its detached part), Woolbeding; Trey-

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 TO 1914—*continued.*

The following Areas are now "Scheduled Areas" for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Regulation of Movement) Order of 1908—*continued.*

- ford, Didling, and Bepton, in the administrative county of West Sussex (31 July, 1917).—See also under Bedfordshire, &c., and also under Anglesey, &c.
- Breconshire.—See under Anglesey, &c.
- Buckinghamshire.—See under Berks, &c., and also under Bedfordshire, &c.
- Cambridgeshire.—See under Bedfordshire, &c., and also under Suffolk.
- Cardiganshire.—See under Anglesey, &c.
- Carmarthenshire.—See under Anglesey, &c.
- Carnarvonshire.—See under Anglesey, &c.
- Cheshire.—See under Berks, &c.
- Cornwall, &c.—An Area comprising the administrative counties of Cornwall and Devon and the county boroughs of Exeter and Plymouth (16 June, 1917)
- Cumberland.—See under Scotland, &c.
- Denbighshire.—See under Anglesey, &c., and also under Berks, &c.
- Derbyshire.—See under Bedfordshire, &c., and also under Berks, &c.
- Devonshire.—See under Cornwall, &c.
- Dorsetshire.—See under Berks, &c.
- Durham, &c.—An Area comprising the administrative counties of Durham, the East Riding of Yorkshire, and the North Riding of Yorkshire (except the parishes of Langthorpe, Milby, Ellenthorpe, Kirby Hill, Humberton, Thornton Bridge, Marton-le-Moor, Norton-le-Clay, Cundall with Lecky Dishforth, Asenby, Rainton with Newby, Hutton Conyers, Melmerby, Wath, Norton Conyers, Middleton Quernhow, Sutton Howgrave, Howgrave, East Tanfield and West Tanfield); and also comprising the county boroughs of Darlington, Gateshead, South Shields, Sunderland, West Hartlepool, Kingston-upon-Hull, and Middlesbrough (16 June, 1917).—See also under Yorkshire (West Riding), &c.
- Essex.—An Area comprising the administrative county of Essex (excluding the parishes of Little Hallingbury, Great Hallingbury, Birchanger, Stansted Mountfitchet, Farnham, Manuden, Berden, Ugley, Elsenham, and Henham); and also comprising the county borough of Southend-on-Sea (15 March 1915).—See also under Bedfordshire, &c., and under London.
- Flintshire.—See under Anglesey, &c., and also under Berks, &c.
- Glamorgan.—See under Anglesey, &c.
- Gloucestershire.—See under Berks, &c., and also under Anglesey, &c.
- Hampshire.—See under Southampton.
- Herefordshire.—See under Anglesey, &c.
- Hertfordshire.—See under Bedfordshire, &c.
- Huntingdonshire.—See under Bedfordshire, &c.
- Isle of Ely.—See under Bedfordshire, &c.
- Isle of Wight.—See under Berks, &c.
- Kent, &c.—An Area comprising the administrative county of Kent and the city and county borough of Canterbury; the administrative county of Surrey (except the parishes of Crowhurst, Lingfield, and Horne; so much of the parish of Tandridge as lies to the south of the South-Eastern Railway—old main line—and to the east of Tandridge Lane; and so much of the parish of Godstone, including its detached part, as lies to the south of a line commencing at the junction of Danemore Lane and Tandridge Lane, and proceeding thence in a westerly direction via Danemore Lane, the Roman Road, Byers Lane, the northern boundary fence of Hookstile House and the orchard on the western side of Hookstile House to the boundary between the parishes of Godstone and Horne); and the county borough of Croydon (16 June, 1917).—See also under Sussex.
- Lancashire.—An Area comprising the administrative county of Lancaster—except the petty sessional divisions of North Lonsdale and Hawkshead (including its detached part); and also comprising the county boroughs of Blackburn, Blackpool, Bolton, Bootle, Burnley, Bury, Liverpool, Manchester, Oldham, Preston, Rochdale, St. Helens, Salford, Southport, Warrington, and Wigan (16 June, 1917).—See also under Scotland, &c.
- Leicestershire.—See under Bedfordshire, &c.
- Lincolnshire.—See under Bedfordshire, &c.
- London.—An Area comprising the administrative county of London, the city of London, the county boroughs of East Ham and West Ham (1 June, 1908).
- Merionethshire.—See under Anglesey.
- Middlesex.—See under Berks.
- Monmouthshire.—See under Anglesey.
- Montgomeryshire.—See under Anglesey, &c., and also under Berks, &c.
- Norfolk.—An Area comprising the administrative county of Norfolk, and the county boroughs of Norwich and Great Yarmouth (20 March, 1915).
- Northamptonshire.—See under Berks, &c., and also under Bedfordshire, &c.
- Northumberland.—See under Scotland, &c.
- Nottinghamshire.—See under Bedfordshire, &c., and also under Yorkshire (West Riding), &c.
- Oxfordshire.—See under Berks, &c.
- Pembrokeshire.—See under Anglesey, &c.
- Radnorshire.—See under Anglesey, &c.
- Rutland.—See under Bedfordshire, &c.
- Salop.—See under Berks, &c., and also under Anglesey, &c.
- Scotland.—An Area comprising Scotland (except the counties of Ayr and Wigton, and the burghs of Ayr, Irvine, and Kilmarnock); The administrative counties of Cumberland, Northumberland (including the borough of Berwick-upon-Tweed), and Westmorland; The county boroughs of Barrow-in-Furness, Carlisle, and Tynemouth; The petty sessional divisions of North Lonsdale and Hawkshead (including its detached part), in the administrative county of Lancaster; and The parishes of Dent, Garsdale, and Sedburgh, in the administrative county of the West Riding of Yorkshire (16 June, 1917).—See also under Ayrshire, &c.
- Soke of Peterborough.—See under Bedfordshire, &c.
- Somerset.—See under Berks, &c.
- Southampton.—See under Berks, &c.
- Staffordshire.—See under Berks, &c.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 TO 1914—*continued*

The following Areas are now "Scheduled Areas" for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Regulation of Movement) Order of 1908—*continued*.

**Suffolk.**—An Area comprising the administrative counties of East Suffolk and West Suffolk, and the county borough of Ipswich; and also comprising the parishes of Kirtling, Borough Green, Westley Waterless, Brinkley, Carlton-cum-Willingham, Weston Colville, West Wrating, Balsham, West Wickham, Horseheath, Bartlow, Shudy Camps and Castle Camps, in the administrative county of Cambridge (17 November, 1911).

**Surrey.**—*See under Kent, &c., and also under Sussex.*

**Sussex.**—An Area comprising the administrative counties of East Sussex and West Sussex (*except the parishes of Chithurst, Elsted, Farnhurst, Harting, Iping, Linch, Linchmere, Rogate, Stedham, Terwick, Trotton—including its detached part—Woolbeding Treyford, Didling, and Bepton, in the administrative county of West Sussex*), and the county boroughs of Brighton, Eastbourne, and Hastings; and also comprising the parishes of Crowhurst, Lingfield, and Horne; so much of the parish of Tandridge as lies to the south of the South Eastern Railway (old main line) and to the east of Tandridge Lane; and so much of the parish of Godstone, including its detached part, as lies to the south of a line commencing at the junction of Danemore Lane and Tandridge Lane, and proceeding thence in a westerly direction via Danemore Lane, the Roman Road, Byer Lane, the northern boundary fence of Hookstile House, and the orchard on the western

side of Hookstile House to the boundary between the parishes of Godstone and Horne, in the administrative county of Surrey (31 October, 1911).—*See under Berks, &c.*

**Warwickshire.**—*See under Berks, &c.*

**Westmorland.**—*See under Scotland.*

**Wiltshire.**—*See under Berks, &c.*

**Worcestershire.**—*See under Berks, &c.*

**Yorkshire (East Riding).**—*See under Durham, &c.*

**Yorkshire (North Riding).**—*See under Durham, &c., and also under Yorkshire (West Riding), &c.*

**Yorkshire (West Riding), &c.**—An Area comprising the administrative county of the West Riding of the county of York (*except the parishes of Dent, Garsdale and Sedburgh*) and the county boroughs of Barnsley, Bradford, Wakefield, Halifax, Huddersfield, Leeds, Rotherham, Sheffield, Dewsbury, and York; the parishes of Finningley and Misson, in the administrative county of Nottingham; and the parishes of Langthorpe, Milby, Ellenthorpe, Kirby Hill, Humberton, Thcrnton Bridge, Marton-le-Moor, Norton-le-Clay, Cundall with Leckby, Dishforth, Assenby, Rainton with Newby, Hutton Conyers, Melmerby, Wath, Norton Conyers, Middleton Quernhow, Sutton Howgrave, Howgrave, East Tanfield and West Tanfield, in the administrative county of the North Riding of the county of York (5 June, 1917).—*See also under Scotland.*

The following boroughs are subject to Special Orders relating to Swine-Fever:—City of Birmingham, city of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

In the case of Birmingham, the movement of swine into the borough by railway is not affected. In the case of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, the movement of swine out of, but not into, the borough is affected.

RETURN OF OUTBREAKS of the undermentioned DISEASES for the Week ended  
19th January, 1918.

ANTHRAX.

Counties (including all Boroughs therein*).	Outbreaks confirmed.	Animals attacked.				
		Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.	Horses.	Dogs.
<b>ENGLAND.</b>		No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Chester... ..	1	1	...	...	...	...
Lancaster ... ..	1	1	...	...	...	...
Northampton ... ..	1	1	...	...	...	...
York, West Riding ... ..	1	1	...	...	...	...
<b>SCOTLAND.</b>						
Ayr ... ..	1	1	...	...	...	...
Haddington ... ..	1	1	...	...	...	...
Lanark ... ..	1	1	...	...	...	...
Midlothian (Ex. City of Edinburgh) ... ..	1	1	...	...	...	...
<b>TOTAL</b> ... ..	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	...	...	...	...

\* For convenience Berwick-upon-Tweed is considered to be in Northumberland, Dudley in Worcestershire, Stockport in Cheshire, and the city of London in the county of London.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 to 1914—*continued.*RETURN OF OUTBREAKS of the undermentioned DISEASES for the week ended  
19th January, 1918—*continued.*

## SHEEP-SCAB.

Counties (including all Boroughs therein*).	Outbreaks reported by the Local Authorities.
ENGLAND.	
Derby ... ..	No. 1
Leicester ... ..	1
Stafford ... ..	3
Warwick ... ..	2
Wilts ... ..	2
Yorks, East Riding ... ..	1
WALES.	
Carnarvon ... ..	1
Denbigh ... ..	4
Glamorgan ... ..	1
SCOTLAND.	
Fife ... ..	1
Nairn ... ..	1
Perth ... ..	1
TOTAL ... ..	19

## PARASITIC MANGE.

Counties (including all Boroughs therein*).	Outbreaks reported by the Local Authorities.	Animals Attacked.	Counties (including all Boroughs therein*).	Outbreaks reported by the Local Authorities.	Animals Attacked.
ENGLAND.			ENGLAND.		
	No.	No.		No.	No.
Berks ... ..	3	10	Stafford ... ..	2	3
Buckingham ... ..	2	8	Suffolk ... ..	1	1
Cambridge ... ..	1	2	Surrey ... ..	6	7
Isle of Ely ... ..	1	1	Sussex, East ... ..	3	4
Cornwall ... ..	3	4	" West ... ..	3	3
Derby ... ..	1	1	Warwick ... ..	5	9
Devon ... ..	1	3	Wilts ... ..	2	3
Durham ... ..	5	10	Yorks, East Riding ... ..	1	1
Essex ... ..	5	13	" West " ... ..	10	11
Gloucester ... ..	3	6	SCOTLAND.		
Hants ... ..	5	8	Lanark ... ..	4	8
Hertford ... ..	5	6	City of Edinburgh ... ..	1	2
Huntingdon ... ..	2	3	TOTAL ... ..		
Kent ... ..	5	7		133	255
Lancaster ... ..	17	22			
Leicester ... ..	2	4			
London ... ..	17	60			
Middlesex ... ..	1	1			
Norfolk ... ..	7	21			
Soke of Peterborough ... ..	1	1			
Notts ... ..	3	3			
Oxford ... ..	1	2			
Rutland ... ..	4	7			

\* For convenience Berwick-upon-Tweed is considered to be in Northumberland, Dudley in Worcestershire, Stockport in Cheshire, and the city of London in the county of London.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 TO 1914—continued.

SUMMARY OF RETURNS.

Period.	Anthrax.		Foot-and-Mouth Disease.		Glanders (including Farcy).§		Parasitic Mange.†		Sheep Scab.	Swine-Fever.		
	Outbreaks con-firmed.	Animals attacked.	Outbreaks con-firmed.	Animals attacked.	Outbreaks reported by the Local Authorities.	Animals attacked.	Outbreaks reported by the Local Authorities.	Animals attacked.	Outbreaks reported by the Local Authorities.	Outbreaks con-firmed.	Swine slaughtered or as diseased or exposed to in-fectious.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
Week ended January 19th, 1918 ...	8	8	...	..	...	...	133	255	19	13	5	
Corresponding week in {	1917 ...	7	7	...	...	...	97	190	42	38	12	
	1916 ...	17	19	...	...	2	111	294	20	66	288	
	1915 ...	17	18	...	...	...	—	—	11	77	296	
Total for 3 weeks, 1918 ...	21	23	...	...	1	2	433	891	69	56	19	
Corresponding period in {	1917 ...	47	50	...	...	1	1	245	532	101	123	46
	1916 ...	44	46	...	...	3	12	291	820	69	233	731
	1915 ...	58	64	...	...	2	4	—	—	52	260	1,172

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

† The Parasitic Mange Order of 1911 was suspended from 6th August, 1914, to 27th March, 1915, inclusive.

§ Excluding outbreaks in Army horses.

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, 22nd January, 1918.

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, per Quarter of 8 bushels, Imperial Measure\*, as received from the Inspectors of Corn Returns in the week ended 19th January, 1918, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

British Corn.				Quantities Sold.		Average Price.	
				Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
WHEAT	...	...	...	69,665	1	71	3
BARLEY	...	...	...	75,064	5	58	1
OATS	...	...	...	19,375	2	47	9

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the Corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1911 to 1917.

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.
1911 ...	90,700	5	86,979	7	33,689	5	30	11	24	5	17	3
1912 ...	71,888	5	30,317	2	19,683	1	33	7	33	1	21	1
1913 ...	60,741	7	73,632	5	21,376	5	30	11	28	10	19	4
1914 ...	71,042	2	111,131	5	23,907	2	30	11	26	3	18	11
1915 ...	83,469	1	93,676	7	41,510	3	51	6	31	3	28	10
1916 ...	124,557	7	64,308	3	54,357	2	57	2	49	6	32	6
1917 ...	71,352	2	63,394	5	37,539	4	75	8	64	9	47	4

\* 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.

H. E. DALE,  
Assistant Secretary.

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries,  
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19th January, 1918.

Average Price of BRITISH WHEAT, BARLEY and OATS, per Quarter of Eight Bushels (Imperial Measure), as received by the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries from the Inspectors of Corn Returns at each of the undermentioned Towns during the week ended Saturday, the 19th January, 1918.

Towns.	Wheat.		Barley.		Oats.		Towns.	Wheat.		Barley.		Oats.		
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.		s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	
Bedfordshire :—							Hampshire :—							
Bedford ...	71	4	59	8	52	6	Andover ...	70	10	59	5	...	...	
Luton ...	70	11	56	0	42	0	Basingstoke ...	70	7	55	10	42	1	
Berkshire :—							Fareham ...	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...	
Abingdon ...	70	11	57	6	42	1	Newport ...	71	1	60	8	42	1	
Hungerford ...	70	3	53	9	53	11	Southampton ...	71	6	60	6	42	1	
Newbury ...	69	11	55	11	45	1	Winchester ...	70	7	56	0	48	1	
Reading ...	71	2	58	9	48	11	Herefordshire :—							
Wallingford ...	68	8	58	2	42	1	Hereford ...	71	7	58	2	42	11	
Buckinghamshire :—							Ross ...	...	...	...	45	3	...	
Aylesbury ...	68	8	...	...	42	5	Hertfordshire :—							
Newport Pagnell ...	70	10	56	1	...	...	Bishop's Stortford	71	1	58	0	46	6	
Cambridgeshire :—							Hertford ...	70	6	57	7	...	...	
Cambridge ...	70	10	60	0	...	...	Hitchin ...	70	6	57	3	...	...	
Ely ...	70	11	57	6	45	3	Royston ...	70	10	59	7	46	6	
Wisbech ...	71	4	56	3	45	0	Huntingdonshire :—							
Cheshire :—							St. Ives ...	70	7	58	2	54	6	...
Chester ...	70	9	...	...	42	2	St. Neots ...	70	10	58	8	...	...	
Cornwall :—							Kent :—							
Truro ...	69	2	57	2	41	7	Ashford ...	70	9	52	6	...	...	
Wadebridge ...	69	10	55	11	...	...	Canterbury ...	71	8	58	5	60	5	
Cumberland :—							Maidstone ...	71	8	54	6	...	...	
Carlisle ...	...	...	...	...	42	0	Rochester ...	70	9	...	...	...	...	
Penrith ...	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...	Sandwich ...	Nil.	...	...	...	...		
Derbyshire :—							Lancashire :—							
Derby ...	70	5	59	10	46	2	Manchester ...	...	...	...	43	0	...	
Devonshire :—							Warrington ...	...	...	60	6	...	...	
Barnstaple ...	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...	Leicestershire :—							
Exeter ...	69	4	58	10	59	6	Leicester ...	71	0	56	9	52	11	
Kingsbridge ...	70	8	56	0	42	0	Loughborough ...	71	2	58	6	42	0	
Newton Abbot ...	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...	Melton Mowbray	71	3	54	2	...	...	
Okehampton ...	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...	Lincolnshire :—							
Plymouth ...	70	8	56	11	42	2	Boston ...	71	2	57	9	47	4	
Tiverton ...	...	...	61	11	...	...	Brigg ...	71	9	59	3	...	...	
Totnes ...	...	...	56	4	42	0	Gainsborough ...	70	10	53	0	...	...	
Dorsetshire :—							Grantham ...	70	11	59	6	42	1	
Blandford ...	70	10	58	9	51	3	Lincoln ...	71	1	59	0	60	5	
Bridport ...	70	11	58	2	...	...	Louth ...	70	11	56	11	42	0	
Dorchester ...	76	2	60	10	52	0	Sleaford ...	71	1	58	10	42	2	
Wareham ...	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...	Spalding ...	71	2	57	10	42	1	
Wimborne ...	71	7	58	10	53	6	Stamford ...	71	1	59	2	...	...	
Durham :—							London :—							
Darlington ...	70	11	60	0	52	5	London ...	72	5	58	8	57	9	
Stockton-on-Tees ...	72	0	56	10	42	0	Middlesex :—							
Sunderland ...	70	8	55	0	...	...	Uxbridge ...	71	4	56	11	...	...	
Essex :—							Monmouthshire :—							
Braintree ...	70	11	57	0	44	8	Abergavenny ...	...	...	60	9	...	...	
Chelmsford ...	71	6	58	8	49	9	Chepstow ...	70	6	58	11	42	1	
Colchester ...	70	11	58	5	48	6	Newport ...	70	11	56	1	41	2	
Romford ...	70	11	56	0	...	...	Norfolk :—							
Saffron Walden ...	70	11	57	11	55	9	Diss ...	70	11	56	4	...	...	
Gloucestershire :—							East Dereham ...	71	8	58	9	48	9	
Cheltenham ...	70	9	58	2	...	...	Fakenham ...	70	10	56	4	50	4	
Cirencester ...	71	0	58	2	42	0	Harleston ...	70	11	56	10	...	...	
Gloucester ...	71	9	58	2	...	...	Holt ...	70	11	...	...	...	...	
Tewkesbury ...	71	1	...	...	42	2	Lynn ...	70	10	57	5	44	8	
							North Walsham ...	...	...	56	4	42	1	

Average Price of BRITISH 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.
Norfolk— <i>continued</i> :—				Sussex :—			
Norwich ... ..	71 4	57 5	48 2	Brighton ... ..	71 11	...	...
Watton ... ..	70 11	56 3	42 1	Chichester ... ..	72 0	56 0	44 5.
Yarmouth ... ..	72 8	58 0	42 2	Hayward's Heath	70 4	...	...
				Horsham ... ..	Nil.	...	...
Northamptonshire :—				Lewes ... ..	72 2	...	...
Kettering ... ..	Nil.	...	...	Warwickshire :—			
Northampton ... ..	70 10	56 8	...	Birmingham ... ..	71 11	...	43 10.
Peterborough ... ..	71 0	58 3	46 0	Coventry ... ..	...	57 2	46 6
Northumberland :—				Stratford-on-Avon	70 7	59 4	...
Alnwick ... ..	...	59 10	...	Warwick ... ..	71 0	56 5	42 2.
Berwick ... ..	73 4	58 11	53 3	Wiltshire :—			
Newcastle-on-Tyne	Nil.	...	...	Devizes ... ..	70 6	58 11	48 0
Nottinghamshire :—				Salisbury ... ..	71 0	59 3	49 3.
Mansfield ... ..	71 10	59 8	...	Swindon ... ..	69 10	58 5	...
Newark ... ..	71 8	59 9	52 6	Warminster ... ..	69 9	53 10	42 0.
Nottingham ... ..	71 3	57 6	55 4	Worcestershire :—			
Retford ... ..	72 2	59 5	54 9	Evesham ... ..	70 11	...	...
Worksop ... ..	...	59 6	...	Worcester ... ..	71 5	57 0	42 1.
Oxfordshire :—				Yorkshire, E.R. :—			
Banbury ... ..	70 10	56 1	46 8	Beverley ... ..	Nil.	...	...
Bicester ... ..	70 5	56 4	42 9	Bridlington ... ..	70 11	59 4	42 0.
Oxford ... ..	70 10	57 3	55 9	Driffild ... ..	70 11	59 1	52 10.
Shropshire :—				Hull ... ..	71 8	57 9	42 5.
Bridgnorth ... ..	70 11	56 1	42 0	Yorkshire, N.R. :—			
Market Drayton ... ..	71 8	56 11	42 3	Bedale ... ..	...	...	42 1
Oswestry ... ..	70 10	56 1	...	Malton ... ..	72 6	59 3	51 9.
Shrewsbury ... ..	70 11	58 0	41 11	Northallerton ... ..	70 11	60 1	46 5.
Somersetshire :—				Scarborough ... ..	70 11	57 7	...
Bath ... ..	Nil.	...	...	Thirsk ... ..	71 6	58 6	...
Bridgwater ... ..	70 10	58 5	42 1	Yorkshire, W.R. :—			
Bristol ... ..	72 3	57 7	42 1	Doncaster ... ..	70 11	58 5	...
Taunton ... ..	70 6	58 4	55 10	Goole ... ..	70 11	57 10	42 0.
Yeovil ... ..	70 8	55 1	...	Knarborough ... ..	71 4	58 7	44 4.
Staffordshire :—				Leeds ... ..	...	61 5	...
Burton-on-Trent ... ..	...	60 5	...	Pontefract ... ..	Nil.	...	...
Stafford ... ..	...	...	43 1	Ripon ... ..	70 11	60 2	43 3.
Wolverhampton ... ..	70 5	55 4	41 0	Selby ... ..	70 11	59 4	42 0.
Suffolk :—				Wakefield ... ..	Nil.	...	...
Beccles ... ..	70 11.	57 0	...	York ... ..	70 11	60 3	44 7.
Bungay ... ..	70 9	56 10	...	Anglesey :—			
Bury St. Edmunds	71 3	56 11	49 3	Llangefni ... ..	...	55 9	47 0.
Eye ... ..	70 11	56 8	...	Carnarvonshire :—			
Framlingham ... ..	71 2	...	...	Carnarvon ... ..	Nil.	...	...
Hadleigh ... ..	Nil.	...	...	Denbighshire :—			
Halesworth ... ..	70 10	56 9	...	Denbigh ... ..	...	57 2	...
Haverhill ... ..	70 11	57 2	...	Wrexham ... ..	...	60 7	...
Ipswich ... ..	71 1	57 3	49 3	Glamorgan :—			
Saxmundham ... ..	70 11	56 6	...	Cardiff ... ..	76 4	...	...
Stowmarket ... ..	71 1	56 10	42 1	Montgomeryshire :—			
Sudbury ... ..	70 11	57 10	...	Welshpool ... ..	70 7	57 2	...
Woodbridge ... ..	70 11	56 5	...	Pembrokeshire :—			
Surrey :—				Haverfordwest ... ..	...	...	41 9.
Farnham ... ..	Nil.	...	...				
Guildford ... ..	69 10	56 0	65 1				
Redhill ... ..	70 9	51 3	...				



**ACCUMULATION OF DIVIDENDS ON CONSOLS, £2 10s.% ANNUITIES, AND LOCAL LOANS (3%) STOCK.**

A RETURN showing the Amount of STOCK, the DIVIDENDS, on which, at the Request of the Proprietors, are received each Quarter, by the BANK OF ENGLAND, invested and added to the CAPITAL.

[The receipt and investment by the Bank of England does not take place until the first day of the month after that in which the Dividends are due. A Proprietor will thus have the opportunity of taking any particular Dividend, without thereby revoking his request as regards future Dividends.]

Name of Stock.	On 5th Jan., 1918.		At corresponding period last Quarter.		At corresponding period last Year.	
	No. of Accounts.	Amount of Stock.	No. of Accounts.	Amount of Stock.	No. of Accounts.	Amount of Stock.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Consols ... ..	4,447	869,240 1 0	4,477	872,490 12 2	4,649	893,967 6 4
£2 10s.% Annuities ...	158	34,974 2 1	156	34,463 4 10	160	33,732 2 0
Local Loans Stock (£3%)	397	127,117 14 8	394	94,926 18 1	406	95,292 17 0

W. W. WISE, Principal.  
Bank of England, 5th January, 1918.

A. M. WALKER,  
Assistant Accountant-General.

A RETURN showing the Amount of STOCK, the DIVIDENDS on which, at the Request of the Proprietors, are received each Half-Year by the BANK OF ENGLAND; invested and added to the CAPITAL.

[The receipt and investment by the Bank of England does not take place until the first day of the month after that in which the Dividends are due. A Proprietor will thus have the opportunity of taking any particular Dividend, without thereby revoking his request as regards future Dividends.]

Name of Stock.	On 1st Dec., 1917.		At corresponding period last Half-Year.		At corresponding period last Year.	
	No. of Accounts.	Amount of Stock.	No. of Accounts.	Amount of Stock.	No. of Accounts.	Amount of Stock.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
£4 10s. % War Stock, 1925-45	392	40,609 7 9	393	41,982 8 10	1,762	297,044 0 0
£5 % War Stock, 1929-47	2,133	415,576 7 3	142	28,458 13 10	—	—
			War 4½ "B"	270,513 7 4	—	—
			1,430			

W. W. WISE, Principal.  
Bank of England, 5th January, 1918.

A. M. WALKER,  
Assistant Accountant-General.

## Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

## Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the BROWN-HILLS FRIENDLY SOCIETY, Register No. 939, held at the Hussey Arms Hotel, Brownhills, Walsall, in the county of Stafford, is dissolved by Instrument, registered at this office, the 14th day of January, 1918, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in, or having any claim on, the funds of the Society, to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

G. STUART ROBERTSON, Chief Registrar.

Dean Stanley-street, Westminster,  
022 the 14th day of January, 1918.

## Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

## Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the FERRIBY SLUICE UNITED BRICKMAKERS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY, Register No. 391, held at the Hope and Anchor Inn, South Ferriby, Hull, in the county of Lincoln, is dissolved by Instrument, registered at this office, the 16th day of January, 1918, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in, or having any claim on, the funds of the Society, to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

G. STUART ROBERTSON, Chief Registrar.

Dean Stanley-street, Westminster,  
023 the 16th day of January, 1918.

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

Mr. Justice Neville.

In the Matter of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, and in the Matter of the EUROPEAN AGENCY Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding-up of the above named Company by the High Court of Justice was, on the 17th day of January, 1918, presented to the said Court by Barclay's Bank Limited, of 54, Lombard-street, in the city of London, a creditor of the said Company, and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at the Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, on the 5th day of February, 1918; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order on the said petition may appear at the time of hearing, by himself or his Counsel, for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

JANSON, COBB, PEARSON and CO., 22, College-hill, E.C. 4, Solicitors for the Petitioner.

**NOTE.**—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above named notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person, or, if a firm, the name and address of the firm, and must be signed by the person or firm, or his or their Solicitor (if any), and must be served, or, if posted, must be sent by post in sufficient time to reach the above-named not later than five o'clock in the afternoon of the 4th day of February, 1918.

033

In the Matter of BRADBURY GREATORIX & COMPANY Limited and Reduced; and in the Matter of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a petition has been presented to the High Court of Justice for confirming a Resolution of the above named Company for reducing its capital from £500,000 to £434,000. A list of the persons admitted to have been

creditors of the Company on the 15th day of December, 1917, may be inspected at the offices of the Company, at 6, Aldermanbury, London, E.C., or at the office of the Company's Solicitors, Messrs. Reynolds and Miles, 70, Basinghall-street, London, E.C., at any time during usual business hours, on payment of the charge of one shilling. Any person who claims to have been on the last mentioned day, and still to be, a creditor of the Company, and who is not entered on the said list, and claims to be so entered, must, on or before the 23rd day of February, 1918, send in his name and address and the particulars of his claim, and the name and address of his Solicitor (if any) to the undersigned, at 70, Basinghall-street, London, E.C. 2, or in default thereof he will be precluded from objecting to the proposed reduction of capital.—Dated this 17th day of January, 1918.

REYNOLDS and MILES, Solicitors for the  
024 Company, 70, Basinghall-street, London, E.C. 2.

## The Companies Acts, 1908 and 1913.

Special Resolution (pursuant to the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, s. 69) of MCPHAIL & SIMPSON Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of McPhail & Simpson Limited, held at Finsbury-pavement House, London, E.C. 2, on Monday, the 31st day of December, 1917, the following Special Resolution was passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, also held at Finsbury-pavement House, London, E.C. 2, on Tuesday, the 15th day of January, 1918, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—  
It was resolved—

“That through the expiry of the lease of the Works at Wakefield, and the consequent disposal of the business and most of the plant, McPhail & Simpson Limited be wound up voluntarily.”

And it was resolved—

“That Mr. George Elder Levie, C.A., be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up at a fee of £35, and that Messrs. D. N. Shaw and T. S. Cockburn be and are hereby appointed an Advisory Committee.”

094

D. N. SHAW, Chairman.

## The Companies Acts, 1908 to 1917.

Special Resolutions of KIBWEZI RUBBER LANDS Limited.

Passed 31st December, 1917.

Confirmed 15th January, 1918.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at Winchester House, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, on Monday, the 31st day of December, 1917, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Company, also duly convened, and held at 19, Bishopsgate, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 15th day of January, 1918, the said Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1908 to 1917.

2. That Mr. Duncan Frederick Basden, of 33, St. Swithin's-lane, in the city of London, Chartered Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such liquidation at an agreed remuneration of 100 guineas.

A. G. ANGLIER, Chairman of Meeting of 15th  
087 January, 1918.

## The BRITISH STRINGERTYPE SYNDICATE Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened, and held at 44, Leadenhall-street, London, E.C., on the 19th day of December, 1917, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened,

and held at 44, Leadenhall-street aforesaid, on the 3rd January, 1918, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the British Stringertype Syndicate Limited be wound up voluntarily; and that Mr. Henry Turton, of 44, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, be and is hereby appointed the Liquidator to conduct such winding-up."

Dated this 18th day of January, 1918.

077

H. TURTON, Secretary.

The STANDARD WOODWORK MANUFACTURING COMPANY Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at the Great Eastern Hotel, Liverpool-street, in the city of London, on the 3rd day of January, 1918, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place, on the 18th day of January, 1918, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

1. "That the assets and undertaking of the Company having been acquired by the Minister of Munitions for national purposes, and the business of the Company having been brought to an end by reason thereof, the Company be now wound up voluntarily; and

2. "That Edwin James Howard, of 96, Abbey-road Mansions, London, N.W., be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator to conduct the winding-up at a remuneration of fifty guineas, exclusive of disbursements and costs of legal proceedings (if any)."

072

E. J. HOWARD, Secretary.

The Companies Acts, 1908 and 1913.

CRAWSHAWBOOTH MILL Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at Roberts' Café, Moulst-street, Manchester, on Friday, the 28th day of December, 1917, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place, on Friday, the 18th day of January, 1918, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily; and that J. Roberts Lord, of Irwell-terrace, Bacup, Chartered Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

044

J. T. OGDEN, Chairman.

BERTENSHAW, JOHNSON & COMPANY Limited.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of Bertenshaw, Johnson & Company Limited, duly convened, and held at the office of Mr. John Collier, 4, Chapel-walks, in the city of Manchester, Incorporated Accountant, on Friday, the 28th day of December, 1917, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place, on Tuesday, the 15th day of January, 1918, the same Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the regulations contained in the printed document submitted to the Meeting, and for the purpose of identification subscribed by the Chairman thereof be and the same are hereby approved, and that such regulations be and they are hereby adopted as the articles of the Company to the exclusion of and in substitution for all the existing articles thereof."

086

J. L. BERTENSHAW, Chairman.

The EMBA CASPIAN OIL COMPANY Limited.

Special Resolution.

Passed 28th December, 1917.

Confirmed 14th January, 1918.

**A**T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, held at Winchester House, Old Broad-street, London, E.C., on the 28th day of December, 1917, the following Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General

Meeting, duly held at the same place, on the 14th day of January, 1918, the same was duly confirmed as a Special Resolution, namely:—

"That the articles of the Company be altered in the manner following, that is to say, the following article shall be substituted for Article 82, viz.:—

"82.—That the qualification of a director shall be the holding of 500 Ordinary shares or 250 Preference shares in the Company."

027

CARRICK, Chairman.

The Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908.

CRAWSHAWBOOTH MILL Limited.

**I**N pursuance of section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, a Meeting of the creditors of the above named Company will be held at the Grosvenor Hotel, Deansgate, Manchester, on the 5th day of February, 1918, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purposes provided for in the said section.—Dated this 18th day of January, 1918.

047

J. ROBERTS LORD, Liquidator.

The PENLAN COLLIERY COMPANY (1909) Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a Meeting of the creditors of the above named Company will be held at No. 9, Wind-street, Swansea, on Monday, the 28th day of January, 1918, at three o'clock in the afternoon.—Dated this 17th day of January, 1918.

073

W. M. JONES, Liquidator.

The Companies Acts, 1908 to 1917, and in the Matter of KIBWEZI RUBBER LANDS Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a Meeting of the creditors of the above named Company will be held at the offices of the Liquidator, Mr. Duncan Frederick Baden, 33, St. Swithin's-lane, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 30th day of January, 1918, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purposes provided for in the said section.—Dated this 18th day of January, 1918.

FRANCIS and JOHNSON, 19, Great Winchester-street, London, E.C. 2, Solicitors for the said Liquidator.

088

The Companies Acts, 1908 and 1913.

McPHAIL & SIMPSON Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a Meeting of the creditors of the above named Company will be held at Finsbury-pavement House, London, E.C., on Wednesday, the 30th day of January, 1918, at 12 o'clock noon.—Dated this 17th day of January, 1918.

093

GEO. ELDER LEVIE, Liquidator.

The Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908.

In the Matter of the ABERDOVEY & BARMOUTH S.S. CO. Limited.

**T**HE creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 19th day of February, 1918, 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 Edmund M. Owen, of 8, Victoria-street, Liverpool, C.A., the Liquidator of the said Company; and, if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, or personally, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof

they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 19th day of January, 1918.

065 EDMUND M. OWEN, Liquidator.

The Companies Acts, 1908 to 1917, and in the Matter of KIBWEZI RUBBER LANDS Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 2nd day of March, 1918, to send their names and addresses, and particulars of their debts or claims, and the name and address of their Solicitor (if any), to Mr. Duncan Frederick Basden, of 33, St. Swithin's-lane, in the city of London, the Liquidator of the said Company; and, if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 18th day of January, 1918.

FRANCIS and JOHNSON, 19, Great Winchester-street, London, E.C. 2, Solicitors for the said Liquidator.

The Industrial and Provident Societies Acts, 1803 to 1913, and the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908.

In the Matter of the GREETLAND, WEST VALE & STAINLAND COAL SOCIETY Ltd.

THE creditors of the above named, who have not already sent in their claims are required, on or before the 22nd February, 1918, to send in their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Geo. H. Walker, of 37, Southgate, Halifax, Incorporated Accountant, the Liquidator herein, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the dividend about to be declared.—Dated this 18th day of January, 1918.

014 GEO. H. WALKER, Liquidator.

The Companies Acts, 1908 and 1913.

McPHAIL & SIMPSON Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the twentieth day of February, 1918, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to George Elder Levie, Chartered Accountant, of Finsbury-pavement House, London, E.C. 2, the Liquidator of the said Company; and, if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors or personally, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 17th day of January, 1918.

092 GEO. ELDER LEVIE, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, and in the Matter of the CLEVELAND BRICK COMPANY Limited. (In Voluntary Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 195 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, Royal Exchange, Middlesbrough, Yorks., on Friday, the 22nd day of February, 1918, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of having laid before it an account, showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation which may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining, by Extraordinary Resolution, the manner in which the books and papers of the Company, and of the Liquidator, shall be disposed of.—Dated the twenty-second day of January, 1918.

091 W. T. MACKAY, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1908 to 1917, and in the Matter of the UNITED MUSIC SCHOOLS Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 195 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a General Meeting of the above named Company will be held at No. 50, Gresham-street, Bank, London, E.C., on Monday, the 25th day of February, 1918, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having laid before it an account, showing how the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company has been 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 and papers of the Company, and of the Liquidator, shall be disposed of.—Dated this 16th day of January, 1918.

001 W. T. ROWLINSON, Liquidator.

The Industrial and Provident Societies Acts, 1803 to 1913, and the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908.

In the Matter of the GREETLAND, WEST VALE, & STAINLAND COAL SOCIETY Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 195 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at No. 37, Southgate, Halifax, on Friday, the 1st day of March, 1918, 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 and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated the 18th day of January, 1918.

013 GEO. H. WALKER, Liquidator.

The UNITED GOLD COAST MINING PROPERTIES Limited. (In Liquidation.)

Blomfield House, 85, London Wall, London, E.C. 2.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at Blomfield House, 85, London Wall, E.C., on Tuesday, the 26th day of February, 1918, at 12 o'clock noon, to receive the report of the Liquidator, showing how the winding-up of the Company has been conducted and its property disposed of, to hear any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, to fix the remuneration of the Liquidator, and to pass an Extraordinary Resolution as to the disposal of the books, accounts and documents of the Company and of the Liquidator thereof.—Dated this 18th day of January, 1918.

007 W. T. KEY, Liquidator.

G. H. WILLS & CORY Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 195 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at No. 49, Mount Stuart-square, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, on Tuesday, the twenty-sixth day of February, 1918, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also 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 nineteenth day of January, 1918.

008 GEO. H. WILLS, Liquidator.

E. HART & CO. (SOUTHAMPTON) Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Companies Acts, 1908 to 1913, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at 17, Coleman-street, London, E.C. 2, on the 25th day of February, 1918, at 11 o'clock in the fore-

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, shall be disposed of.—Dated 16th day of January, 1918.

048 HY. JNO. SELF, Liquidator.

The Companies Acts, 1908 and 1913.

ROBERTS, TOMKIES & COMPANY Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of Roberts, Tomkies & Company Limited will be held at the office of the Liquidator, Chelsea-street, New Basford, Nottingham, on the 25th day of February, 1918, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having the Liquidator's accounts, showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, laid before such Meeting, pursuant to section 195 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated this 15th day of January, 1918.

074 C. F. N. GIBBONS, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1908 to 1917, and in the Matter of the **WORTHING WEST END BRICK COMPANY Limited.** (In Voluntary Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 195 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the Liquidator's office, 6, Broad Street-place, London, E.C., on Monday, the 25th day of February, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also 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 17th day of January, 1918.

078 JAMES FAIRBAIRN, Liquidator.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, Harry Brearley, Horace Brearley, Willie Arthur Brearley and Stanley William Arnaud, carrying on business as Mechanical and General Engineers, at Brandon, in the county of Suffolk, under the style or firm of "The SPARTAN ENGINE COMPANY," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the thirty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, so far as regards the said Horace Brearley and Stanley William Arnaud. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Harry Brearley and Willie Arthur Brearley, who will continue to carry on the said business under the style of "The Spartan Engine Company" as heretofore.—Dated the 22nd day of December, 1917.

HARRY BREARLEY.  
HORACE BREARLEY.  
W. A. BREARLEY.  
S. W. ARNAUD.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, Frederick William Meacock and Alan Randal Vivian Evans, carrying on business as Commission and Forwarding Agents, at 14, Water-street, in the city of Liverpool, under the style or firm of "W. I. & F. MEACOCK," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 11th day of January, 1918. All debts due and owing to or by the said late firm will be received or paid by

the said Alan Randal Vivian Evans, who will carry on the business under the same style as heretofore.—Dated this 17th day of January, 1918.

011 F. W. MEACOCK.  
ALAN R. V. EVANS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned, Rosetta Eliza Alps and Ernest James Alps, carrying on business as General Ironmongers, at 50, Sun-street, Waltham Abbey, under the style or firm of "JOHN ALPS," has been dissolved by mutual consent so far as regards the said Ernest James Alps, who retires from the firm as from the 28th day of July, 1917. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Rosetta Eliza Alps, who will continue the said business under the present style or firm of "John Alps."—Dated this 4th day of January, 1918.

045 R. E. ALPS.  
E. J. ALPS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between George Phillips, Harry Claude Phillips and Alfred John Phillips, carrying on business as Builders, at 25, Bristol-road, Birmingham, under the style or firm of **PETTS & PHILLIPS**, has been dissolved as and from the 31st day of December, 1917, as far as regards the said Harry Claude Phillips. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by us, George Phillips and Alfred John Phillips, who will carry on the said business under the same style as heretofore.—Dated this 11th day of January, 1918.

034 GEORGE PHILLIPS.  
ALFRED J. PHILLIPS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, Charles Thorne Tyler, Walter Arthur Tyler and Ethelbert George Tyler, carrying on business as Wine Merchants, at 71, Eastcheap, London, E.C., under the style or firm of **TYLER & SONS**, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 31st day of December, 1917. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Walter Arthur Tyler, trading at the same address under the same style.—Dated this 18th day of January, 1918.

016 CHARLES THORNE TYLER.  
WALTER A. TYLER.  
E. G. TYLER.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, Edith Tattersall, Frederick William Tattersall and Edward William Tattersall, lately carrying on business as Trade or Commercial Journalists and Statisticians, at 17, St. Ann's-square, in the city of Manchester, under the style or firm of **FREDERICK W. TATTERSALL & CO.**, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the first day of January, 1918. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by Mr. Frederick William Tattersall, who will continue to carry on the business under the style of Frederick W. Tattersall.—Dated the 18th day of January, 1918.

060 EDITH TATTERSALL.  
FREDERICK W. TATTERSALL.  
EDWARD W. TATTERSALL.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between James Ellis Jones and John William Scholes, trading as **JONES AND SCHOLES**, as Tailors and Drapers, Imperial Chambers, 23, Station-road, Doncaster, in the county of York, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued under the name of Jones and Scholes by James Ellis Jones, who will discharge all liabilities and collect all accounts of the late partnership.—Dated this 17th day of January, 1918.

096 JAMES E. JONES.  
JOHN W. SCHOLES.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, John Edward Winder and Arthur Nield Winder, carrying on business as Stock and Share Brokers, at 6, Pall-mall, in the city of Manchester, under the style or firm of J. E. WINDER & SON, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 31st day of December, 1917. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Arthur Nield Winder, who will continue the said business under the present style or firm of J. E. Winder and Son.—Dated this 19th day of January, 1918.

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J. E. WINDER.  
A. N. WINDER.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, Walker Schofield and Frederick Brown, carrying on business as Makers Up and Packers, at 17, East-street, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of "F. BROWN & CO.," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the 31st day of December, 1917. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Frederick Brown.—Dated this 18th day of January, 1918.

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W. SCHOFIELD.  
F. BROWN.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, Laura Agnes Bowen, Bertram Herbert Bowen, and Charles Brice Bowen, carrying on business as Cotton Goods Merchants, at No. 33, Chorlton-street, Manchester, under the style or firm of HERBERT B. BOWEN, has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the thirtieth day of June, 1917, so far as the said Charles Brice Bowen is concerned. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Laura Agnes Bowen and Bertram Herbert Bowen, who will carry on the said business under the same style or firm.—Dated the seventeenth day of January, 1918.

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LAURA A. BOWEN.  
BERTRAM H. BOWEN.  
C. BRICE BOWEN.

MARY ANN VYSE, Deceased.

Pursuant to 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 Mary Ann Vyse, late of "Inverness," Stock, near Ingatstone, Essex, Widow, deceased (who died on the 9th day of November, 1916, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry, on the 9th day of January, 1917, by Lewis George Davies and Frederick Charles Yates, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 20th day of February, 1918, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and 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 16th day of January, 1918.

PEARCE and ROWSE, 70, Gracechurch-street,  
002 London, E.C. 3, Solicitors for the Executors.

WILLIAM EDWARD DOWDING, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act, 1859 (22 and 23 Vic., c. 35).

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of William Edward Dowding, late of "Danegate," Plough-lane, Purley, in the county of Surrey, Journalist, deceased (who died on the 24th

day of October, 1917, and whose will was proved by Charles Edward Churchill, of 1, Broad Street-place, in the city of London, Solicitor, one of the executors therein named, on the 22nd day of November, 1917, in the Principal Probate Registry), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said executor, on or before the 28th day of February, 1918; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have notice, and that he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 18th day of January, 1918.

CHURCHILL, SMALLMAN and CO., 1, Broad  
005 Street-place, E.C. 2.

Re JOHN CLOSE, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vict., c. 35.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of John Close, late of Low Haw Lees, West Tanfield, in the county of York, Farmer, deceased (who died on the 11th day of February, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 15th day of May, 1917, by John William Kay, of West Tanfield aforesaid, Auctioneer and Valuer, and Herbert Close, of Low Haw Lees aforesaid, Farmer, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 31st day of March, 1918, 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 that they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debts, claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 16th day of January, 1918.

EDMUNDSON and GOWLAND, Masham, via  
006 Ripon, Yorks, Solicitors for the said Executors.

DANIEL DOWDESWELL, Deceased.

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of Daniel Dowdeswell, late of Tump Farm, The Edge, near Stroud, but formerly of Lower House, Newent, Gloucestershire, Farmer (who was found drowned on the 4th day of October, 1917, and letters of administration to whose estate were granted to Ellen Cook Dowdeswell out of the Principal Probate Registry, on the 18th day of December, 1917), are hereby required to send particulars of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said administratrix, on or before the 23rd day of February, 1918, after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having only 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 17th day of January, 1918.

LITTLE and BLOXAM, Stroud, Glos., Solicitors for the Administratrix.

Estate of ALBERT RALPH KNEE, Deceased.

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

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of Albert Ralph Knee, late of Temple-street, College-place, the Clifton Pantechnicon, and 17, Gordon-road, Clifton, all in the city and county of Bristol, Furniture Removal Contractor and Warehouseman, deceased, trading under the style of "Knee Brothers" (who died on the 29th day of August, 1917, and pro-

bate of whose will was duly granted, on the 16th day of January, 1918, out of the Bristol District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, to Edwin Light Wyatt, of Bishopsworth, in the county of Somerset, Accountant, one of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in particulars of such claims to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the executor, on or before the 25th day of March, 1918, after which date the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased, having regard only to those claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of January, 1918.

BURGES and SLOAN, Ghyston Buildings, Marsh-street, Bristol, Solicitors for the Executor.

Re JOHN BROOKE, Deceased.

Notice pursuant to Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic., c. 35.

ALL persons having any claims against the estate of John Brooke, late of 8, Derry-street, Barrow-in-Furness, formerly a Church Verger (who died on the 25th day of November, 1917, and whose will has been proved by Thomas Gardiner, the executor), are hereby required to send particulars thereof to us, the undersigned, before the 18th day of February next, after which date the estate will be distributed, having regard only to the claims then notified.—Dated this 18th day of January, 1918.

FRANK TAYLOR and SON, 40, Cornwallis-street, Barrow-in-Furness, Solicitors for the said Executor.

HELEN MATTHEWS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of Helen Matthews, of "Herrison," Dorchester, formerly of 1, Ice-cottages, Eastfield-road, Westbury-on-Trym, Bristol, Spinster, deceased (who died on 20th August, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry, on the 27th November, 1917, by Philip Wathen Bush and Cyril Haley Matthews, the executors), are required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims to us, the undersigned, on or before the 21st February next, after which date the assets of the deceased will be distributed, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been received.—Dated 17th January, 1918.

G. BUSH and BUSH, 9, Bridge-street, Bristol, Solicitors to the Executors.

Re FRANK ARTHUR JOHN LONGLEY, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of Frank Arthur John Longley, late of 27, Ondine-road, East Dulwich, in the county of Surrey, a Second Lieutenant in His Majesty's Army, deceased (who died on the 19th day of June, 1917, and to whose estate letters of administration, with the will annexed, were granted, on the 17th day of January, 1918, to Hugh Alexander Roberts, as attorney for Philip Charles Longley, the executor), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to us on or before the 28th day of February, 1918, after which date the said attorney will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased; and will not be liable to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of January, 1918.

YOUNG, JONES and CO., 2, Suffolk-lane, Cannon-street, London, E.C. 4, Solicitors for the said Attorney.

ALFRED WING, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of Alfred Wing, deceased, late of The Queen's Hotel, Westcliff-on-Sea, in the county of Essex, and 13, Fenchurch-avenue, in the city of London (who

died on the 29th day of November, 1917, and to whose estate administration, with the will annexed, was granted, on the 10th day of January, 1918, by the Principal Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice to Samuel James Randle, the Syndic lawfully appointed by the London and South-Western Bank Limited, the executor, for their use and benefit), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims to the said London and South-Western Bank Limited, 170, Fenchurch-street, E.C., on or before the 28th day of February, 1918, after which date the assets of the said testator will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been received.—Dated this 19th day of January, 1918.

JOHN WARBURTON, 70, Gracechurch-street, London, E.C. 3, Solicitor for the London and South-Western Bank Limited and the said Syndic.

Re EDWIN EGERTON BOULT, 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 Edwin Egerton Boulton, late of The Limes, Regent-street, Stoke-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 24th day of April, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 8th day of December, 1917, by Charles Alfred Egerton Boulton, of 43, Saint John-street, Hanley, in the county of Stafford, Gentleman, and William Jervis Turner, of Hanley aforesaid, Solicitor, 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 28th day of February, 1918, 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 debts, 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 18th day of January, 1918.

W. H. BISHOP and TURNER, Hanley, Staffordshire, Solicitors for the said Executors.

MAURICE HOWARD BURGESS, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act, 1859.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and every person having any claim or demand against the estate of Maurice Howard Burgess, late of Homelands, Woodhouse-lane, Ashton-on-Mersey, in the county of Chester, Accountant (who died on the 3rd day of October, 1914, and administration of whose estate was, on the 3rd day of July, 1917, granted out of the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice to Samuel Billing), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to us, the undersigned, on or before the 22nd day of February, 1918, after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the estate of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose debt or claim he shall not have then had notice.—Dated this 19th day of January, 1918.

BEALE and CO., 16, Great George-street, Westminster, S.W. 1, Solicitors for the Administrator.

Re ALEXANDER PETTIGREW, Deceased.

Pursuant to 22 and 23 Vict., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Alexander Pettigrew, late of Dodderhill Vicarage, Droitwich, and Church-street, Birmingham, Commission Agent, deceased (who died on the 9th day of November, 1917, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved in the Worcester

District Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 9th day of January, 1918, by the Reverend Alexander Gordon Pettigrew and Malcolm Hartley Pettigrew, the executors therein named), are required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims to the undersigned on or before the 16th day of February, 1918, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims 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 or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 16th day of January, 1918.

EDWIN JAQUES and SONS, 102, Colmore-row,  
037 Birmingham, Solicitors for the Executors.

Mrs. JANE BLISS, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demands against the estate of Jane Bliss, late of 30, St. George's-avenue, Tufnell Park, N., in the county of Middlesex, Widow, deceased (who died on the 25th day of May, 1904, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry, on the 15th day of June, 1904, by Richard Jennings and Laura Harriet Bridges, and whose estate became divisible on the 10th day of February, 1916, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the executors, on or before the 9th day of February, 1918, at the undermentioned address, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and 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 21st day of January, 1918.

RICHARD T. JENNINGS, 2, Basinghall-  
031 avenue, E.C., Solicitor for the said Executors.

Re JOHN PEARMAN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of John Pearman, late of 10, South Molton-street, London, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 1st day of December, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice, on the 9th day of January, 1918, by Blake Pearman Allnatt, of 2, The Forbury, Reading, in the county of Berks., Chartered Accountant, the sole executor named in the said will), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executor, on or before the 16th day of February, 1918, after which day 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 will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debts, claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 16th day of January, 1918.

G. E. B. ROGERS, 9, Cross-street, Reading,  
033 Solicitor for the said Executor.

Re HARRIET LAND MOORE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of Harriet Land Moore, formerly of 170, Cowick-street, St. Thomas, Exeter, but late of "Montana," High-street, Honiton, Devon (Wife of William James Moore), deceased (who died

on the 3rd day of November, 1917, and letters of administration to whose estate, with the will annexed, were granted by the District Probate Registry at Exeter of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 10th day of January, 1918, to the Public Trustee, the residuary legatee in trust named in the said will), are hereby required to send particulars of their debts, claims or demands to the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said residuary legatee in trust, on or before the 18th day of February, 1918, after which date the Public Trustee 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 debts, claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 17th day of January, 1918.

W. H. STONE, 10, Gandy-street, Exeter, Soli-  
038 citor for the said Residuary Legatee in Trust.

Re JAMES PARKER, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of James Parker, late of "Fair View," Jockey-road, Wyldę Green, deceased (who died on the 30th day of October, 1917, and whose will was proved on the 14th day of December, 1917), are hereby required to send particulars of such claims to the undersigned on or before the 16th day of February, 1918, after which date the estate will be distributed by the executors, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 16th day of January, 1918.

EDWIN JAQUES and SONS, 102, Colmore-row,  
036 Birmingham, Solicitors for the Executors.

Re AUGUSTA KATE WARD, Deceased.

22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of Augusta Kate Ward, late of 17, Lansdown-terrace, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, Widow (who died on the 14th day of April, 1917, and to whose estate letters of administration, with will annexed, were granted out of the Gloucester District Registry, on the 7th day of January, 1918, to de Castro Elizabeth Ward, the Attorney of the executor named in the said will), are required to send particulars of such claims to us, the undersigned, on or before the 25th day of February next, after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice.—Dated this 18th day of January, 1918.

HEATH and ECKERSALL, 3, Regent-street,  
039 Cheltenham, Solicitors for the said Adminis-  
tratrix.

Re HENRY AGG PINCHIN, Deceased.

22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of Henry Agg Pinchin, late of Laines Farm, Chedworth, in the county of Gloucester, Farmer (who died on the 16th day of August, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry, on the 11th day of December, 1917, by Victorine Pinchin and Frederick Joseph Eckersall, the executors named therein), are required to send particulars of such claims to us, the undersigned, on or before the 25th day of February next, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 18th day of January, 1918.

HEATH and ECKERSALL, 3, Regent-street,  
040 Cheltenham, Solicitors for the said Executors.

ELDRIDGE ALBERT HALLETT, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claim or demand against the estate of Eldridge Albert Hallett, late of 25, Sale-street, Paddington, in the county of Middlesex, Carpenter, de-



ceased (who died on the 29th day of October, 1914, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry, on the 28th day of December, 1914, by James Salter Hallett, the executor therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executor, on or before the 28th day of February, 1918, 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 debts, 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 claim or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 17th day of January, 1918.

A. F. HARDWICK, 34, Duke-street, Brighton,  
042 Solicitor for the said Executor.

**THOMAS MARSTON, Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of Thomas Marston, late of "The Duke of Edinburgh," 204, Ferndale-road, Brixton, London, S.W., Licensed Victualler, formerly of "St Albans," 27, Stirling-road, Clapham Rise, also of 16, Carroun-road, South Lambeth (who died on the 28th day of October, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry, on the 1st day of December, 1917, by Eliza Marston, Gabriel Joseph Scott and Henry Boustred, the executors therein named), are required to send particulars of their claims to us, the undersigned, on or before the 23rd day of February, 1918, 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 of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 15th day of January, 1918.

HENRY BOUSTRED and SON, 74, Coleman-street, London, E.C. 2, Solicitors for the said  
043 Executors.

**THOMAS ERNEST POLDEN, Deceased.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given, pursuant to Statute of the 22nd and 23rd Vict., cap. 35, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Ernest Polden, late of 71, Piccadilly, in the city of Westminster, Printer and Publisher (who died on the 31st day of October, 1916, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice, on the 1st day of September, 1917, by Warwick Brookes, Claude Spencer Seager, and Thomas Charles Bertram Matlocks, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 23rd day of February, 1918, 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 that the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of January, 1918.

E. E. BROOK, 4, King's Bench-walk, Temple,  
057 London, Solicitor for the Executors.

**Re ALBERT JOHN FRANCIS OSBORNE, Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Albert John Francis Osborne, late of Yew Cottage, Cuxham, Wallingford, in the county of Berks, formerly of 32A, Marlborough-hill, St. John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex, 2nd Lieutenant, H.M. Army, deceased (who died on the 10th day of July, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 22nd day of October, 1917,

by Bernard Shadwell and Miriam Olive Osborne, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 28th day of February, 1918, 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 debts, 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 17th day of January, 1918.

FREDK. H. PRIESTLEY, 4, Broad Street-buildings, Liverpool-street, London, E.C. 2.  
056 Solicitor for the said Executors.

**GEORGE CHUTER, Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of George Chuter, late of Grayswood, Surrey (who died on the 18th day of September, 1917), are hereby requested to send particulars of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, Solicitor to the deceased's executor, on or before the 31st day of January, 1918, after which date the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto.

R. HENRY MELLERSH, Godalming, Surrey,  
041 Solicitor to the Executor.

**Re AUGUSTUS MONTAGUE HAINES, Deceased.**

Pursuant to the 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."

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands upon or against the estate of Augustus Montague Haines, late of 29, Bramham-gardens, South Kensington, in the county of London, formerly of "Fairlands," Sutton, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 30th day of October, 1917, and whose will was proved by Ernest Thomas Coote and Harry Colton Haines, the executors therein named, on the 1st day of January, 1918, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims or demands to the said executors, at the offices of the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 28th day of February, 1918; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Augustus Montague Haines amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, 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 18th day of January, 1918.

H. E. THOMAS and CO., 111, Powis-street, Woolwich,  
058 Solicitors for the said Executors.

**Re WILLIAM ESSERY, Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vict., c. 35.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of William Essery, late of No. 1, Egerton-road, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, retired Chemist, deceased (who died on the 9th day of September, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Exeter District Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 22nd day of October, 1917, by Alfred Taylor Essery and Florence Jane Tribble, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 7th day of February, 1918, 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 persons of whose debts, claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 16th day of January, 1918.

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

WALTER CARRINGTON HEARNDEN, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Walter Carrington Hearnden, late of Leatherhead, in the county of Surrey (who died on the 2nd day of November, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, at the Principal Registry, on the 17th day of December, 1917, by Mrs. Florence Emily Hearnden, the executrix named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executrix, on or before the 18th day of February, 1918, after which date the said executrix 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 she shall then have had notice; and 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 18th day of January, 1918.

EDWARD H. STENNING, of 64, Cannon-street,  
017 London, E.C. 4, Solicitor to the said Executrix.

Pursuant to 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of GEORGE WILLIAM BROWN, formerly of 10, Katherine-road, Cherry Tree-lane, Stockport, Cheshire, Commercial Traveller, late a Gunner in the Royal Garrison Artillery (who died on the 7th October, 1917, and whose estate is being administered by the Public Trustee, Manchester), are hereby required to send written particulars thereof to the undersigned before the 23rd February next, after which date he will distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims then received.—Dated this 17th day of January, 1918.

FOYSTER, WADDINGTON and CO., 40, Brazen-nose-street, Manchester, Solicitors (in this Matter) to the Deputy Public Trustee, Manchester.  
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EDMUND BENSON FOSTER, Esquire, Deceased.

ALL creditors having any claims against the estate of Edmund Benson Foster, late of Clever Manor, near Windsor, in the county of Berks, Esquire, J.P., deceased (who died on the 1st day of November, 1917, and whose will was proved by Edith Eleanor Foster, Widow of the deceased, Sir Walter John Grove, Bart., and Godfrey Leach, Esq., the executors therein named, in the Principal Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 17th day of January, 1918), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims to us, the undersigned, on or before the 8th day of March, 1918, after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of January, 1918.

WEIR, FORD and LEACH, 5, Philpot-lane,  
064 London, E.C., Solicitors for the said Executors.

Miss KATHARINE PAYNE, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Katharine Payne, late of 77, Alexandra-road, Reading, in the county of Berks, Spinster (who died on the sixteenth day of August, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Probate

Division of the High Court of Justice at the Oxford District Registry, on the nineteenth day of September, 1917, by Robert Sidney Payne, of Reading aforesaid, Solicitor, the executor named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executor or administrator, on or before the twenty-first day of February, 1918, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and 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 17th day of January, 1918.

WEEDON and PAYNE, of 164A, Friar-street,  
062 Reading, in the county of Berks, Solicitors to the said Executor.

JOHN ISSARD DAVIES, Deceased.

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

ALL persons having claims against the estate of the above named deceased, late of Llymeirion, in the town and county of Carnarvon (who died on the 8th day of March, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Bangor District Probate Registry, on the 10th day of May, 1917, by Kathleen Issard Davies, Thomas Morgan-Lloyd, Charles Davies and Frederick Spencer Davies, the executors therein named), are required to send written particulars of their claims to us before the 23rd day of February, 1918, after which date they will distribute, having regard only to claims then notified.—Dated this 19th day of January, 1918.

CARTER, VINCENT and CO., Lloyds Bank  
076 Chambers, Carnarvon, Solicitors for the Executors.

Re HAROLD SYDNEY HAMPTON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 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 Harold Sydney Hampton, late of "The Orchard," formerly of "Under-shaw," both at Woldingham, in the county of Surrey, and Managing Director of Messrs. Hampton and Sons Limited, No. 8, Pall-mall East, S.W. 1 (who died on the 5th day of September, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 6th day of November, 1917, by Clarence Lambert Hampton and Thomas Henry Griffiths, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims and demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 23rd day of February, 1918, 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 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 debts, claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 18th day of January, 1918.

MOON, GILKS and MOON, 24, Bloomsbury-square, London, W.C. 1, Solicitors for the said  
069 Executors.

CHARLES HENRY TOUSSAINT, 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 Charles Henry Toussaint, late of 117, Park-road, Crouch End, in the county of Middlesex (who died on the 3rd day of December, 1917, and whose will was proved by Daisy Maud Peters and William Rix, the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 16th day of January, 1918), 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 1st day of March, 1918. 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 18th day of January, 1918.

HENSAMAN and MARSHALL, 35, Bedford-row,  
070 London, W.C. 1, Solicitors to the said Executors.

Engineer Lieutenant-Commander STEPHEN  
BROWN, R.N., Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Engineer Lieutenant-Commander Stephen Brown, R.N., late of H.M.S. "Strongbow," formerly of H.M.S. "King George V." (who died at sea on the 17th day of October, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 3rd day of January, 1918, by the Public Trustee, the sole executor therein named), are hereby required to send full particulars, in writing, of their claims to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said Public Trustee, on or before the 28th day of February, 1918, after which date the said executor will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice; and he will not be liable for the assets, so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of January, 1918.

GEDGE, FISKE and GEDGE, 10, Norfolk-street,  
071 Strand, W.C. 2, Solicitors for the Executor.

CHARLES ROLLO BARRETT, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act 22 and 23 Victoria, chapter 35.

ALL creditors and others having claims against the estate of Charles Rollo Barrett, of Whitehill Hall, Chester-le-Street, in the county of Durham, Mining Engineer (who died on the 28th September, 1917, and whose will was proved at Durham on the 5th January, 1918), are to send their claims to the executors, at our offices, on or before the 9th March, 1918; the executors, after that date, will be at liberty to distribute the assets of the deceased, or any part thereof, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated 18th January, 1918.

DEES and THOMPSON, 117, Pilgrim-street,  
080 Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitors of the Executors.

Re ELIZABETH HOYLE, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and  
23rd Vict., c. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of Elizabeth Hoyle, late of 154, Bradford-road North, Huddersfield, in the county of York, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 24th day of November, 1917, and whose will and codicil were proved in the Wakefield District Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 10th day of January, 1918, by the Reverend Alfred Whorlow, of the Vicarage, Woodhouse, Huddersfield aforesaid, the executor therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 23rd day of February, 1918, 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 debts, claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 17th day of January, 1918.

FISHER and CO., John William-street, Hudders-  
029 field, Solicitors for the said Executor.

Re WILLIAM MOUNTAIN HARRISON, Deceased.  
Pursuant to the Act 22nd and 23rd Vict., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of William Mountain Harrison, late of Burtonfields, Stamford Bridge, in the county of York, Gentleman (who died on the 12th October, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry, on the 14th December, 1917, by George Frederick Bush and Edward Bramley, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to us, the undersigned, on or before the 4th March, 1918, 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.—Dated this 16th day of January, 1918.

BRAMLEY and SON, 6, Paradise-square, Shef-  
066 field, Solicitors for the said Executors.

Miss ANNE RICHARDSON, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of Anne Richardson, late of Uppingham, Marlborough-road, Bournemouth, Spinster (who died on the 23rd day of October, 1917), are, on or before the 21st February, 1918, to send full particulars of their claims by post, prepaid, to me, the undersigned, Solicitor for the executors, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which I shall then have had notice.—Dated this 18th day of January, 1918.

C. E. W. OGELVIE, Solicitor for the Executors,  
081 32, Essex-street, Strand, W.C. 2.

Lieut. ARTHUR CHRISTOPHER PAUL  
MACKWORTH, 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 Lieutenant Arthur Christopher Paul Mackworth, late of Magdalen College, Oxford, Fellow of the said College, deceased (who died on the 25th day of November last, and whose will was proved in the Oxford District Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 19th day of January, 1918, by Captain Gilbert Edward Wakefield, the sole executor therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 25th day of March 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 19th day of January, 1918.

MORRELL, PEEL and GAMLEN, 1, St. Giles,  
028 Oxford, Solicitors for the said Executor.

Re MARION ROGERS, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and  
23rd Vict., c. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of Marion Rogers, late of "Glengarry," Grosvenor, Saint Sidwell's, in the county of the city of Exeter, deceased (who died on the 30th day of September, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Exeter District Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 15th day of January, 1918, by Albert Edward Gore and Florence Marion Smith, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executors, on or before

the sixteenth day of February, 1918, 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 debts, claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of January, 1918.

W. LENFORD BROWN, 16, Castle-street, Exeter,  
 030 Solicitor for the said Executors.

Re ELLEN HOWARTH, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vict., c. 35.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of Ellen Howarth, late of 76, Granville-road, Blackpool, in the county of Lancaster, Widow, deceased (who died on the 27th day of May, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 18th day of September, 1917, by William Edward Chadwick and Alexander Brown, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 26th day of February, 1918, 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 debts, claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 18th day of January, 1918.

S. SHARPE WATERHOUSE, 22, Birley-street,  
 031 Blackpool, Solicitor for the said Executors.

THOMAS ORRELL, Deceased.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Orrell, late of Holly House, Appley Bridge, in the county of Lancaster, Gentleman (who died on the 4th day of November, 1913, and whose will and nine codicils were proved by Harry Milligan, Solicitor, since deceased, and Esau Martlew, retired Machine Clerk, the executors named in the said will, and Samuel Orrell, retired Coal Hewer, since deceased, the executor named in the eighth codicil, in the District Probate Registry at Lancaster of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 17th day of July, 1914), are required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims or demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors to the said surviving executor, on or before the 31st day of January, 1918, after which day the surviving executor 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 had notice; and that he will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debt, claim and demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 18th day of January, 1918.

MILLIGAN and HOPWOOD SAYER, Solicitors  
 to the Surviving Executor, Hopwood Chambers,  
 032 King-street, Wigan.

Re FREDERICK TYRELL GODMAN, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vict., c. 35.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of Frederick Tyrell Godman, late of Little Ote Hall, Burgess Hill, in the county of Sussex, deceased, a Captain in His Majesty's Royal Sussex Regiment (who died on the 12th day of October, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 15th day of January, 1918, by two of the executors named therein), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their

debts, claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 23rd day of February, 1918, 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 debts, claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of January, 1918.

THOMPSON and MATTINGLY, 61, Carey-  
 street, Lincoln's Inn, W.C. 2, Solicitors for the  
 063 said Executors.

LAWRENCE JUSTINIAN PREBBLE, Deceased.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Lawrence Justinian Prebble, late of 67, Atlantic-road, Brixton, in the county of London, Undertaker, deceased (who died on the 25th September, 1917, and whose will was proved on the 3rd January, 1918, by the Public Trustee, the executor therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, on or before the 28th day of February, 1918, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which 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 18th day of January, 1918.

HENRY A. SCOTT, 7, Staple-inn, W.C. 1,  
 082 Solicitor.

JOHN HARRY JORGENSEN, Deceased.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Harry Jorgensen, late of 20, Courtland-avenue, Ilford, in the county of Essex, Bachelor and intestate (who died on the 21st day of December, 1917, and letters of administration to whose estate were granted out of the Principal Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 10th day of January, 1918, to Jorgen Jorgensen), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims and demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said administrator, on or before the 31st day of January, 1918; and notice is hereby given, that after that date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; 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 17th day of January, 1918.

ROBERT GREENING and CO., 49, Fenchurch-  
 street, London, E.C. 3, Solicitors for the said  
 083 Administrator.

Re ROBERT ELPHINSTONE, Deceased.

Notice to Creditors.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Robert Elphinstone, of 63, Mason's-hill, Bromley, in the county of Kent, formerly of Silverstone, in the county of Northampton, retired Surgeon, deceased (who died on the 20th day of September, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry, on the 19th day of December, 1917, by the Public Trustee, the executor appointed by deed dated the 15th day of November, 1917, under the hands and seals of Margaret Mann Elphinstone, Agnes Kidston Elphinstone, and Elizabeth Scott Elphinstone, the executrices named by the said will, they having renounced probate), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, Solicitor for the said executor, on or before the 4th day of February, 1918, at the undermentioned address, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Robert Elphinstone, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard

only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and the said executor will not be liable for the assets of the said Robert Elphinstone, 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 1st day of January, 1918.

W. E. WHITTON, Towcester, Solicitor for the said Executor.

**WILLIAM ANTHONY COOK, Deceased.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of William Anthony Cook, late of 25, Wadham-road, North End, Portsmouth, in the county of Hants, Gentleman of Independent Means (who died on the 26th day of September, 1917, and whose will was proved by Sarah Annie Cook and Herbert Reginald Dear, the executors therein named, in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 28th day of December, 1917), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims or demands to me, the undersigned, as Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 1st day of March, 1918, after which day 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 18th day of January, 1918.

FRED. G. ALLEN, 15, Landport-terrace, Portsmouth, Solicitor for the said Executors.

**Re JANE WADDLETON, Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vict., c. 35.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of Jane Waddleton, late of Hurworth Place, Croft Spa, in the county of Durham, Widow, deceased (who died on the 20th day of November, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Durham District Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 6th day of December, 1917, by Joseph Absalom Waddleton, of 257, Durham-road, Darlington, in the said county of Durham, Marine Engineer, and John George Ernest Storrow, of 261, Durham-road, Darlington aforesaid, Commercial Clerk, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 18th day of February, 1918, 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 debts, claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated 18th of January, 1918.

WILKES and WILKES, Market-place, Darlington, Solicitors for the said Executors.

**Re MARY ANN MARSHALLSAY, Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vict., c. 35.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of Mary Ann Marshallsay, late of Wareham, in the county of Dorset, Widow, and Grocer and Provision Merchant, deceased (who died on the 13th day of November, 1915, and whose will, with three codicils, was proved in the District Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, at Blandford, on the 20th day of March, 1916, by William George Lucas and Bruford Randall, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in particulars of their debts, claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 1st day of March, 1918, 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 debts, claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of January, 1918.

E. S. CLARK, Wareham, Dorset, Solicitor for the said Executors.

**ELIZABETH ANN HUNKIN, Deceased.**

**A**LL persons having claims against the estate of Elizabeth Ann Hunkin, late of Rightadown, Bradford, Devon (who died on the 17th day of November, 1917), are required to send written particulars to me by the 28th February, 1918, after which date the administrator will distribute the deceased's estate, having regard to claims then notified.—Dated this 19th January, 1918.

W. C. R. PETERSON, Holsworthy, Devon, Solicitor for the Administrator.

**ALFRED THOMAS.**

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of Alfred Thomas, late of Montagu House, Hawkestone-road, Pembroke Dock (who died on the 22nd day of March, 1917, and to whose personal estate letters of administration were granted by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, to Benjamin Charles Thomas, of Cresselly Village, in the county of Pembroke, on the 10th day of May, 1917), are hereby required to send particulars of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, as Solicitor to the said Benjamin Charles Thomas, on or before the 24th day of January, 1918, after which day the said Benjamin Charles Thomas 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; and the said Benjamin Charles Thomas 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 17th day of January, 1918.

G. MEYRICK PRICE, of Market-street, North Berth, Solicitor for the Administrator.

**I**, ALEXANDER MURRAY, of 76, Garnett-avenue, Kirkdale, Liverpool, heretofore known by the name of Alexander Murray Looney, hereby give notice, that by a deed poll duly executed, attested, and enrolled in the Central Office of the Supreme Court of Judicature, on the eleventh day of January, 1918, I formally and absolutely renounced and abandoned the surname of Looney, and declared that I had assumed and adopted and intended thenceforth on all occasions whatsoever to use and subscribe the name of "Alexander Murray" instead of "Alexander Murray Looney," and to be at all times thereafter known and described by the name of Alexander Murray.—Dated this 17th day of January, 1918.

ALEXANDER MURRAY, late Alexander Murray Looney.

**I**, WILLIAM GERMANY, of the Post Office, North Stifford, in the county of Essex, Munition Worker, hereby give notice that I have assumed and intend henceforth upon all occasions and at all times to sign and use and be called and known by the surname of Nottridge only, in lieu of and substitution for my present surname of Germany, and that such intended change or assumption of name is formally declared and evidenced by a deed poll under my hand and seal, duly enrolled in the Central Office of the Supreme Court of Judicature. In testimony whereof I hereby sign and subscribe myself by such my intended future name.—Dated the 18th day of December, 1917.

WILLIAM NOTTRIDGE.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that **ROBERT HEWETSON LANDMAN**, heretofore called and known by the name of Robert Hewetson Landmann, of "Ferncliff," Downterry, St. Germans, Cornwall, Lieutenant, R.N., at present serving in H.M.S. "Skirmisher," and being a British subject, has by deed poll dated the 28th day of November, 1917, duly executed and attested and enrolled in the Central Office of the Supreme Court on the 9th day of January, 1918, on behalf of himself and his heirs and issue lawfully begotten, absolutely renounced and abandoned the use of his surname of Landmann, and in lieu thereof has assumed and intends henceforth at all times to sign and use and be called and known by the surname of Landman.—Dated this 12th day of January, 1918.

**BLAKE, REED and LAPHORN**, Victoria Chambers, Portsmouth, Solicitors for the said  
054 Robert Hewetson Landman.

**I**, **FRANCIS LEWIS FERDINAND COOK**, of 45A, Barnes-street, Ratchiff, London, E., formerly called Francis Lewis Ferdinand Koch, being a natural-born British subject, of British parents, hereby give public notice, that by deed poll enrolled in the Central Office of the Supreme Court of Judicature, on the 21st day of January, 1918, I renounced and abandoned the name of Koch, and assumed and adopted the name of Cook as my surname, and declared that I should thenceforth upon all occasions whatsoever use and subscribe the name Francis Lewis Ferdinand Cook as my full name.—Dated this 21st day of January, 1918.

015 FRANCIS L. F. COOK.

**I**, **PERICLES FREME**, of "Lytton," Hodford-road, Golders Green, in the county of Middlesex, a Member of the London Stock Exchange, and a natural-born British subject, having been born at 23, Pembroke-gardens, Kensington, in the county of London, of parents of British nationality, hereby give notice, that by a deed poll, dated the 9th day of January, 1918, duly executed and attested, and on the 14th day of January, 1918, enrolled in the Central Office of the Supreme Court of Judicature, I dropped and renounced the name of "Nassif" from my surname of "Freme-Nassif," and declared that I should at all times thereafter, upon all occasions, use and subscribe the said surname of "Freme" as my surname, in lieu of and substitution for the said surname of "Freme-Nassif," and so that I and my heirs lawfully begotten should not thereafter be called, known or distinguished by the surname of "Freme-Nassif," but by the surname of "Freme."—Dated the nineteenth day of January, 1918.

019 PERICLES FREME.

**I**, **FRITZ SALO ESCHWEGE**, of Rydal, Crawley Down, in the county of Sussex, a Physician and Surgeon, and a Captain in the Royal Army Medical Corps, do hereby give notice that I have assumed and intend henceforth upon all occasions and at all times to sign and use and be called and known by the Christian and surname of Thomas James Foot in lieu of and substitution for my present Christian and surname of Fritz Salo Eschwege, and to the intent that my heirs and issue shall bear the surname of Foot, and that such intended change or assumption of name has been formally declared and evidenced by deed poll under my hand and seal, dated the 5th day of January, 1918, enrolled in the Central Office of the Supreme Court of Judicature on the 18th day of January, 1918. In testimony whereof I do hereby sign myself by such my intended future name.—Dated this 19th day of January, 1918.

**THOMAS JAMES FOOT**, formerly Fritz Salo  
075 Eschwege.

**I**, **CHARLES JAMES HUPFIELD**, of 68, Honor Oak-road, Forest Hill, London, a Lieutenant in the Second Suffolk Regiment, attached to the Machine Gun Corps of His Majesty's Army, lately called Carl Jacob Heinrich Hupfeld, hereby give notice, that I have assumed and intend henceforth upon all occasions and at all times to sign and use and to be called and known by the name of Charles James Hupfield, in lieu of and substitution for my former names of Carl Jacob Heinrich Hupfeld, and that such intended

change of name is formally declared and evidenced by a deed poll under my hand and seal, dated the 17th day of January, 1918, duly executed and attested and enrolled in the Central Office of the Supreme Court of Judicature on the 21st day of January, 1918.—Dated this 21st day of January, 1918.

**CHAS. J. HUPFIELD**, formerly C. J. H.  
084 Hupfeld.

**I**, **NELLIE MARION STRALEY**, heretofore called and known by the name of Nellie Marion Ströhle, of No. 15, Alver-road, Gosport, in the county of Southampton, Widow, Manageress of Bellomo's Hotel, 102, Jermyn-street, St. James's, in the county of London, a naturalized British subject, hereby give public notice, that by a deed poll dated the twenty-third day of November, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, duly executed and attested and enrolled in the Central Office of the Supreme Court, on the seventeenth day of January, 1918, I formally and absolutely renounced and abandoned the said surname of Ströhle and declared that I had assumed and adopted and intended thenceforth upon all occasions whatsoever to use and subscribe the name of Straley instead of Ströhle, and so as to be at all times thereafter called, known and described by the name of Straley exclusively.—Dated this 18th day of January, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

**NELLIE MARION STRALEY**, formerly Nellie  
085 Marion Ströhle.

**T**O be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, in an action "GOODMAN v. WILDERS (1915. G. 648)" with the approbation of the Honourable Mr. Justice Eve, by Mr. William Henry Mason (of the firm of Reedman, Son and Mason) (the person appointed by the said Judge), at the Red Lion Inn, at Barnack, in the county of Northampton, on Tuesday, the 19th February, 1918, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, a desirable freehold country residence known as "Cedar Tor," and a walled-in garden and a grass paddock adjoining. Particulars and conditions of sale may be had gratis of Mr. Herbert Kelham, Stamford, Solicitor; of the following Solicitors in London: Messrs. Law and Worssam, of 65A, Holborn-viaduct, E.C. 1; Messrs. Worthington, Evans and Co., Suffolk House, Laurence Pountney-hill, E.C. 4; Mr. B. Wilkinson, 16, St. Helens-place, E.C. 3; and of Messrs. Gordon, Place and Plummer, Solicitors, Leicester; of the auctioneer at Stamford and at the place of sale.—Dated 17th day of January, 1918.

059 ARTHUR F. RIDSDALE, Master.

#### GEORGE THOMAS HEADLEY.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in an action in the Matter of the estate of Mary Ann Headley (Widow), deceased, Burroughs v. Headley, 1917, H. 1152, whereby an enquiry was directed whether there were or was any and what children or child of George Thomas Headley living at his death, or any and what issue then living of any child of the said George Thomas Headley, who had previously died, and if there were any such children or issue when they were respectively born, and if any of them have since died who are their respective legal personal representatives. Notice is hereby given, that any persons claiming to be interested under the said enquiry are personally, or by their Solicitors, on or before the 2nd July, 1918, to come in and enter their claims in the book kept for that purpose, and prove their claims at the chambers of the Judge, Room No. 706, at the Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Tuesday, the 9th July, 1918, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, at the said chambers, Room No. 710, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 15th January, 1918.

**H. HUGHES-ONSLOW**, Master.

**NOTE**.—The said George Thomas Headley was a Journeyman Bricklayer, and was married to Emily

Headley on 16th November, 1903, describing himself then as a widower. He had resided at the following addresses:—Little Stonegate, Yorkshire; 26, Porten-road, Hammersmith, London; and 105, Regent-street and 1, Olive-grove, Convent-lane, both in Kingston-upon-Hull, and he died at 88A, Landseer-avenue, Manor Park, Essex, on 29th April, 1913.

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In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

Mr. Justice Sargant.

1917, T. No. 080.

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to HAROLD DENNIS TAYLOR, of Stancliffe Mount-villas, York, in the county of York, Optician, bearing date the 6th day of June, 1904, No. 12735, for an invention of "An Improved Short Base Range Finder."

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition having been presented to His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 15th day of January, 1918, by the above named Harold Dennis Taylor and T. Cooke and Sons Limited, the registered owners of the said Letters Patent, whose registered office is at 6, Lendel, in the city of York, praying that the said Letters Patent may be extended for a further term. Upon the application of the said petitioner to the Court, Mr. Justice Younger, for Mr. Justice Sargant, has fixed as the appointed day Tuesday, the 12th day of March, 1918, and before which day the said petition shall not be in the paper for hearing.—Dated this 18th day of January, 1918.

BOWKERS, 11, Queen Victoria-street, London, E.C., Agents for  
GEORGE H. THOMPSON, 6, Lord-street, Liverpool, Solicitor for the Petitioner.

W. P. THOMPSON and CO., Chartered Patent Agents, 6, Lord-street, Liverpool.

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In the Matter of the Trading with the Enemy Amendment Act, 1916, and in the Matter of KAYSER & CO.

WHEREAS by an Order of the Board of Trade, dated the 26th day of March, 1917, and made under section 1, sub-sections (1) and (2), of the Trading with the Enemy Amendment Act, 1916, it was ordered and required that the business carried on in the United Kingdom by the above named Kayser & Co., of 4, New London-street, London, E.C., Wine Merchants, should be wound up, and Mr. Ernest Norton, of 3, Crosby-square, London, E.C., was appointed Controller to control and supervise the carrying out of the order and to conduct the winding-up of the said business; and the said Mr. Ernest Norton has made application to the Board of Trade under section 1, sub-section (5), of the said Act to grant him a release:

Now, therefore, the Board of Trade hereby

give notice that, on or after the 29th day of January, 1918, they will proceed to consider such application and any objection which may be made by any person appearing to them to be interested, and accordingly further give notice, that any person who claims to be interested, and may desire to object to the aforesaid release being granted, is, before the said 29th day of January, 1918, to send to the Board of Trade, 1, Horse Guards-avenue, S.W. 1, a notice, in writing, of his objection, together with a short statement of the grounds on which he claims to be interested, and on which he bases his objection.

By the Board of Trade.

J. G. WILLIS.

THE estates of Mrs. JANET MARY ELIZABETH MACQUEEN (or KILPATRICK), Widow, 17, Brunswick-street, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on 18th January, 1918, by the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles, at Edinburgh.

The first deliverance is dated 26th September, 1917.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held on Wednesday, 30th January, 1918, at half-past two o'clock, afternoon, within Dowell's Rooms, No. 18, George-street, Edinburgh. A composition may be offered at this Meeting.

The Sheriff has ordered that the sequestration shall proceed as a summary sequestration in terms of the Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act, 1913.

The date on or before which creditors must lodge their claims to entitle them to a first dividend will be advertised in the next Gazette notice.

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

BALFOUR and MANSON, S.S.C., 24, Castle-street, Edinburgh, Agents.

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THE estates of the Right Honourable JAMES ARTHUR FITZHERBERT MONCREIFF, Baron Moncreiff of Tullibole, in the county of Kinross, recently residing at Stanley House, Bridge of Allan, and presently at Bramerton House, North Berwick, were sequestrated on 8th January, 1918, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the 8th day of January, 1918.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at half-past two o'clock, afternoon, on Monday, the 28th day of January, 1918, within Dowell's Rooms, No. 18, George-street, Edinburgh. A composition may be offered at this Meeting, and to entitle creditors to the first dividend their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 8th day of May, 1918.

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

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

GUILD and SHEPHERD, W.S., 16, Charlotte-square, Edinburgh.

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# THE BANKRUPTCY ACT, 1914.

## 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.
42	Emery, Robert ...	27 and 28, Duke-street, in the city of Birmingham	Haulier ... ..	Birmingham ...	Jan. 4, 1918.	1 of 1918	Jan. 18, 1918	1	Creditor's...	Sec. 1-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1914
43	Hutchinson, Richard Turner	Langs Hall, Leyland, near Preston ...	Veterinary Surgeon ...	Bolton ... ..	Oct. 11, 1917	13 of 1917	Jan. 16, 1918	3	Creditor's...	Sec. 1-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1914
44	Dolling, Rudolph Gottlob	33, Park-road, Bingley, Yorkshire, and carrying on business at 16, Lime-street, Bingley aforesaid	Commission Manufacturer	Bradford ...	Jan. 18, 1918	6 of 1918	Jan. 18, 1918	3	Debtor's	
45	Blood, Arthur ...	13, Dallow-street, lately residing and carrying on business at the Derby Turn Inn, 1, Derby-road, both in Burton-on-Trent, in the county of Stafford	Munition Worker, lately Licensed Victualler	Burton-on-Trent	Jan. 18, 1918	1 of 1918	Jan. 18, 1918	1	Debtor's	
46	Taylor, Samuel...	2, Teale-street, Scunthorpe, Lincolnshire	Tailor and Outfitter ...	Great Grimsby	Jan. 18, 1918	1 of 1918	Jan. 18, 1918	1	Debtor's	
47	Bainbridge, W. ...	6, Somerset-road, Norbiton, Surrey, lately residing at the George and Dragon Hotel, Kingston, Surrey	Retired Publican ...	Kingston, Surrey	Oct. 19, 1917	12 of 1917	Jan. 19, 1918	8	Creditor's..	Sec. 1-1 (G.) Bankruptcy Act, 1914
48	Hoey, John Colclough ...	Kenreg, Corporation-road, Newport, in the county of Monmouth	Physician and Surgeon	Newport, Mon.	Jan. 17, 1918	1 of 1918	Jan. 17, 1918	1	Debtor's	
49	Watkins, John ...	44, Queen-street, Pentre, lately residing at 10, Lewis-street and Carne-street, Pentre, Glamorgan	Collier ... ..	Pontypridd, Ystradyfodwg and Porth	Jan. 18, 1918	2 of 1918	Jan. 18, 1918	2	Debtor's	
50	Richmond, Edwin ...	62, Crescent-road, Sharrow, in the city of Sheffield, but formerly carrying on business at 1, St. James'-street, in the said city	Of no business occupation, formerly Incorporated Accountant	Sheffield ...	Sept. 17, 1917	27 of 1917	Nov. 14, 1917	33	Creditor's...	Sec. 1-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1914
51	Chapman, Stanley Ford	Bel Air, Irnham-road, Minehead, in the county of Somerset	Photographer ... ..	Taunton ...	Jan. 5, 1918	1 of 1918	Jan. 19, 1918	1	Creditor's...	Sec. 1-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1914



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.
Rogers, Jonathan and Rogers, Samuel Albert (trading as J. and S. Rogers) ..	The Bee Hive, Bodedern, in the county of Anglesey, the said Samuel Albert Rogers being now in H.M. Army	Grocers and Flour Dealers	Bangor	1 of 1918	Jan. 31, 1918	12 noon	Crypt - chambers, Chester	Feb. 7, 1918	12.30 P.M.	Court House, Bangor	Jan. 9, 1918
Clark, Frank ...	117, Arncliffe-terrace, in the city of Bradford, and lately carrying on business at 115, Arncliffe-terrace aforesaid	Commission Butler and Mender	Bradford	4 of 1918	Jan. 29, 1918	11 A.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 12, Duke-street, Bradford	Jan. 30, 1918	10 A.M.	County Court House, Manor-row, Bradford	Jan. 17, 1918
Dolling, Rudolph Gottlob	33, Park-road, Bingley, Yorkshire, and carrying on business at 16, Lime-street, Bingley aforesaid	Commission Manufacturer	Bradford	6 of 1918	Jan. 29, 1918	12 noon	Official Receiver's Office, 12, Duke-street, Bradford	Jan. 30, 1918	10 A.M.	County Court House, Manor-row, Bradford	Jan. 18, 1918
Bainbridge, W. ...	6, Somerset - road, Norbiton, Surrey, and lately residing at the George and Dragon Hotel, Kingston, Surrey	Retired Publican	Kingston, Surrey	12 of 1917	Jan. 30, 1918	11 A.M.	132, York - road, Westminster Bridge-road, S.E. 1	Feb. 12, 1918	2.30 P.M.	County Court, Kingston, Surrey	
Wriglesworth, John Henry	Cross Keys Inn, Muston, in the county of York	Licensed Victualler	Scarborough	11 of 1917	Jan. 31, 1918	4 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 48, West-berough, Scar-berorough	Jan. 29, 1918	12 noon	Court House, Castle - road, Scarborough	Jan. 14, 1918
Richmond, Edwin ...	62, Crescent-road, Shar- row, in the city of Shef- field, but formerly carry- ing on business at 1, St. James-street, Sheffield aforesaid	Of no business occupation, formerly Incorporated Accountant	Sheffield	27 of 1917	Jan. 29, 1918	12 noon	Official Receiver's Offices, Figtree-lane, Sheffield	Feb. 14, 1918	2 P.M.	County Court Hall, Bank-street, Shef- field	Jan. 18, 1918

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.
Samuels, John, trading as J. Samuels and Co., and as J. Saunders (and described in the Receiving Order as J. Samuels and Co.)	36, Middlesex-street and 196, Old Kent-road, London	Clothier ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1225 of 1906	Feb. 26, 1918 ..	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.

ADJUDICATIONS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Filing Petition.
Dolling, Rudolph Gottlob ... ..	33, Park-road, Bingley, Yorkshire, and carrying on business at 16, Lime-street, Bingley aforesaid	Commission Manufacturer ... ..	Bradford ... ..	6 of 1918	Jan. 18, 1918 ...	Jan. 18, 1918
Blood, Arthur ... ..	13, Dallow-street, lately residing and carrying on business at the Derby Turn Inn, 1, Derby-road, both in Burton-on-Trent, in the county of Stafford	Munition Worker, lately Licensed Victualler	Burton-on-Trent ... ..	1 of 1918	Jan. 18, 1918 ...	Jan. 18, 1918
Taylor, Samuel ... ..	2, Teale-street, Scunthorpe, Lincolnshire ... ..	Tailor and Outfitter ... ..	Great Grimsby ... ..	1 of 1918	Jan. 18, 1918 ...	Jan. 18, 1918
Hoey, John Colclough ... ..	Kenreg, Corporation-road, Newport, in the county of Monmouth	Physician and Surgeon ... ..	Newport, Mon. ..	1 of 1918	Jan. 17, 1918 ...	Jan. 17, 1918
Watkins, John ... ..	44, Queen-street, Pentre, lately residing at 10, Lewis-street and Carne-street, Pentre, Glamorgan	Collier ... ..	Pontypridd, Ystradyfodwg and Porth	2 of 1918	Jan. 18, 1918 ...	Jan. 18, 1918
Nelson, Arthur Hector ... ..	42, Priory-road, Kew ... ..	... ..	Wandsworth ... ..	13 of 1917	Jan. 17, 1918 ...	July 3, 1917
<i>The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of 7th September, 1915:—</i>						
Frank, Dora (otherwise known as Florence Dora Walker, Florence Dora Desmond, Eleanor Betty Maddison, Floy Vita, and May Webster, and described in the Receiving Order as F. D. Walker)	Lately carrying on business at 302A, Regent-street, London, but whose present residence or place of business the Petitioning Creditors are unable to ascertain	Milliner (Widow) ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	554 of 1915	Sept. 2, 1915 ..	July 20, 1915

ADJUDICATION ANNULLED.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Adjudication.	Date of Annulment.	Grounds of Annulment.
Davies, William ... ..	Penybank Shop, 103, Bute-street, Treherbert, Glamorgan	Grocer ... ..	Pontypridd, Ystradyfod w g, and Porth	16 of 1916	Oct. 23, 1916 ...	Jan. 9, 1918 ...	That all the debts have been paid in full with 4 per cent. interest

APPLICATIONS FOR DEBTORS' DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Day Fixed for Hearing.
Lapraik, Charles Edmund (described in the Receiving Order and trading as Lapraik Stuart and Co.)	9, Mincing-lane, in the city of London ... ..	Colonial Broker ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	197 of 1911	Feb. 15, 1918, 11 a.m., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Rice, Henry John ... ..	Carrying on business at 92 and 93, Fore-street, in the city of London	Tailor, trading in co-partnership with John Blamire Mein, under the name or style of T. and M. Mein, and described in the Receiving Order as T. and M. Mein	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	402 of 1917	Feb. 15, 1918, 11 a.m., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
White, Sidney John ... ..	130, Upton-lane, Forest Gate, Essex ... ..	Draper ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	843 of 1910	Feb. 12, 1918, 11 a.m., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Wilkinson, George William ... ..	5, Billiter-street, in the city of London ... ..	Ship Broker, carrying on business in co-partnership with William Henry Jones, trading and described in the Receiving Order as John Sunley and Co.	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	346 of 1907	Feb. 12, 1918, 11 a.m., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Humphreys, John Pitcairn ... ..	Scholar Green, in the county of Chester, lately carrying on business at the Park Pottery, Tunstall, in the county of Stafford, and Russell-street Works, Longton, in the said county of Stafford	Manufacturer of Pottery ... ..	Hanley ... ..	8 of 1909	Feb. 20, 1918, 10 a.m., Town Hall, Hanley
Hawkins, Mark ... ..	Supply Stores, Hafod, Rhondda Valley, Glamorganshire, and 4, Magdala-buildings, Weston-super-Mare, Somersetshire	Grocer and Baker ... ..	Pontypridd, Ystrad-y-fodwg and Porth	35 of 1897	Feb. 7, 1918, 10 a.m., Court House, Court House-street, Pontypridd
Barnes, Ellen Elizabeth ... ..	Hope Lodge School, 70, Crook Log, Bexley Heath, Kent	Schoolmistress (Spinster) ... ..	Rochester ... ..	3 of 1917	Feb. 13, 1918, 10.30 a.m., Court House, Eastgate, Rochester

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge.
Mitchell, James ...	Residing and carrying on business as a Licensed Victualler at the Farmers' Arms, Stainton, in the parish of Urswick, in the county of Lancaster, having resided for the greater part of the last six months at 31, Ocean-road, Neckers-town, in the borough of Barrow-in-Furness, in the county of Lancaster, and at the Farmers' Arms, Stainton aforesaid	Engine Fitter and Licensed Victualler	Barrow-in-Furness and Ulverston	4B of 1912	Dec. 12, 1917	Discharge suspended for one month. Bankrupt discharged as from the 12th day of January, 1918	That the bankrupt's assets were not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities
Spencer, Thomas (trading as Spencer and Spencer)	Residing at 84, Hollingreave-road, and carrying on business at 74, St. James - street, 5, Hollingreave-road, and 7, Elm-street, all in Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, 45, Burnley-road, Padiham, 67, Manchester-road, Nelson, and 88, Yorkshire-street, Rochdale, all in the said county, and at 4, Rainhall-road, Barnoldswick, and 9, Colne - road, Earby, both in the county of York	Boot Dealer	Burnley	18 of 1909	Dec. 7, 1917	Discharge granted, suspended for three years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from the 7th December, 1920. (Order made on renewed application)	Proof of facts mentioned in sec. 26, sub-sec. 3 (A.) and (C.), of Bankruptcy Act, 1914
Whittaker, Thomas	Now Stathern, Leicestershire, lately residing at 15, Trent-boulevard, West Bridgford, Nottinghamshire, and trading at Waterway-street, Nottingham	Builder and Contractor	Nottingham	15 of 1912	... ..	Application struck out 17th January, 1918, for want of appearance, owing to death of debtor	

APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEE.

Debtor's Name	Address.	Description.	Court.	No	Trustee's Name.	Address.	Date of Certificate of Appointment.
Mountain, Montague Brown (trading and in the Receiving Order described as The Economy Appliances and Engineering Company)	Of and lately carrying on business at 66, Victoria-street, Westminster, London	Engineer ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	306 of 1917	Davis, Frederic William	95 and 97, Finsbury-pavement, London, E.C. 2, Chartered Accountant	Jan. 17, 1918

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.
Lennard, John Milner ...	138, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1057 of 1912	Frederick Seymour Salaman	1/2, Bucklersbury, London, E.C.	Chartered Accountant	Oct. 19, 1917
Hill, George Henry ...	4, Miskin-road, Mountain Ash, Glamorgan	Fruiterer .. ..	Aberdare and Mountain Ash	6 of 1916	Ellis Owen ... ..	St. Catherine's-chambers, St. Catherine-street, Pontypridd	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918
O'hea, Timothy John ...	The Castle Inn, Aberaman, Aberdare, Glamorgan	Innkeeper ... ..	Aberdare and Mountain Ash	3 of 1917	Ellis Owen ... ..	St. Catherine's-chambers, St. Catherine-street, Pontypridd	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918
Samuel, Charles ... ..	Colliers' Arms, Cwmdare, Aberdare, Glamorgan	Licensed Victualler and Collier	Aberdare and Mountain Ash	1 of 1917	Ellis Owen ... ..	St. Catherine's-chambers, St. Catherine-street, Pontypridd	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918
Thomas, John ... ..	1, Station - place, Trecynon, Aberdare, Glamorgan, lately residing at New-road, Groves' End, Pontardulais, Glamorgan aforesaid	Roadman, formerly Insurance Agent	Aberdare and Mountain Ash	4 of 1917	Ellis Owen ... ..	St. Catherine's-chambers, St. Catherine-street, Pontypridd	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918
Williams, Lewis ... ..	23, Commercial-street, Aberdare, Glamorgan	Refreshment House Keeper	Aberdare and Mountain Ash	2 of 1917	Ellis Owen ... ..	St. Catherine's-chambers, St. Catherine-street, Pontypridd	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918
Lane, Thomas Hampton	North End House, North End, Bucks	Pheasant Breeder ...	Aylesbury ... ..	1 of 1916	George Mallam ...	1, St. Aldate street, Oxford	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Pyne, William Frank ...	The Orange Tree Inn, Totteridge, in the county of Hertford	Licensed Victualler ...	Barnet ... ..	2 of 1917	E. W. J. Savill ...	14, Bedford-row, London, W.C. 1	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 10, 1918
Lowe, Albert Henry ...	Late 340, Soho-road, Handsworth, and now residing in apartments at 5, Wilton-road, Handsworth, both in the city of Birmingham	Tailor, now Munition Worker	Birmingham ...	22 of 1917	A. S. Cully... ..	Ruskin-chambers, 191, Corporation - street, Birmingham	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918
Deighton, Louis Walsh ...	72, Little Horton - lane, and carrying on business at 57, Darley-street, both in the city of Bradford	Hosier ... ..	Bradford ... ..	16 of 1916	Charles Edward Claridge	47, Market-street, Bradford	Chartered Accountant	Dec. 14, 1917



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Debtor's Name.	Debtor's Address.	Debtor's Description.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Trustee's Name.	Trustee's Address.	Trustee's Description.	Date of Release.
Chatten, William Henry	11, Market-square, Horsham, Sussex	Baker ... ..	Brighton ... ..	23 of 1917	Thomas Gourlay ...	12A, Marlborough-place, Brighton	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918
Sharpley, Arthur Henry	Mangotsfield Vicarage, Mangotsfield, Glos.	Clerk in Holy Orders	Bristol ... ..	3 of 1917	Charles Henry King	26, Baldwin-street, Bristol	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918
Gott, Albert ... ..	6, John-street, Brierfield, in the county of Lancaster, lately carrying on business at the Brierfield Gas Boiler and Incandescent Works, John-street, Brierfield aforesaid	Iron and Tinplate Worker	Burnley ... ..	6 of 1916	Charles Harvey Plant	13, Winckley-street, Preston	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Clarke, Arthur William	8, Belvoir-road, Coalville, in the county of Leicester	Fruiterer ... ..	Burton-on-Trent ...	1 of 1917	E. Wynne Humphreys	12, St. Peter's-church-yard, Derby	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918
Bantick, Henry William	Residing and carrying on business at 1, Risbygale-street, and carrying on business at 12, The Traverse, Bury Saint Edmunds, Suffolk	Butcher ... ..	Bury Saint Edmunds	1 of 1917	Frederick Messent	36, Princes-street, Ipswich	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918
Palmer, Tom (trading as Tom Palmer and Co.)	136, Newmarket-road, Cambridge	Grocer and Manufacturer's Department Foreman	Cambridge ... ..	7 of 1916	Howard & William Cox	5, Petty Cury, Cambridge	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918
Venning, James Holmes	59, Mackintosh-place, Roath, in the city of Cardiff, and carrying on business at 1, Moy-road, Cardiff	Builder and Contractor	Cardiff ... ..	13 of 1913	Charles Edwin Dovey	31, Queen-street, Cardiff	Chartered Accountant	Dec. 14, 1917
Francis, Thomas William	The Three Salmon's Inn, Water-street, Carmarthen	Licensed Victualler ...	Carmarthen ... ..	2 of 1914	H. Watkins Thomas	4, Queen-street, Carmarthen	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918
Shepherd, Harry Lake ...	34, Colinton-road, Goodmayes, Essex	Overseer in the Cable Department of the General Post Office	Chelmsford ... ..	36 of 1913	E. W. J. Savill ...	14, Bedford-row, London, W.C. 1	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 10, 1918
Wood, Reuben ... ..	Nounsley, Hatfield Peverel, in the county of Essex	Market Gardener ...	Chelmsford ... ..	5 of 1917	E. W. J. Savill ...	14, Bedford-row, London, W.C. 1	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 10, 1918

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Yates, Edwin ...	The Star Inn, Taddington, in the county of Derby	Licensed Victualler ...	Derby and Long Eaton	13 of 1916	Edward Wynne Humphreys	12, St. Peter's-church-yard, Derby	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918
Parker, Samuel Richard (described in the Receiving Order as Samuel Parker)	4, Halesowen-road, Netherton, in the county of Worcester	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Dudley ...	3 of 1916	Andrew Martin Fairbairn	1, Priory-street, Dudley	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Young, Thomas Durrant	81, Ringwood-road, 75, Terminus-road, and the Roselands Nursery, all in Eastbourne, Sussex	Nurseryman, Seedsman and Florist	Eastbourne and Lewes	1 of 1917	Frederic William Davis	95-97, Finsbury-pavement, London, E.C. 2	Chartered Accountant	Nov. 9, 1917
Wolfinger, Myer Cohen...	325, Fore-street, Edmonton, Middlesex	Cabinet Maker ...	Edmonton ...	16 of 1916	E. W. J. Savill ...	14, Bedford-row, London, W.C. 1	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 10, 1918
Templer, George William (deceased)	Late 3, Summerland-terrace, Saint Mary Church, Torquay, Devonshire	Gentleman (Widower)	Exeter ...	8 of 1916	Arthur Edward Ward	9, Bedford-circus, Exeter	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Drury, Joseph Henry ..	17, Allenby-street, formerly 74, Frodingham-road, Scunthorpe	Munition Worker, formerly Plumber	Great Grimsby ...	10 of 1917	John Fildes Wintringham	Saint Mary's-chambers, Great Grimsby	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Taylor, Luther ...	128, Convamore-road, Great Grimsby	Grocer and Provision Dealer	Great Grimsby ...	9 of 1917	John Fildes Wintringham	Saint Mary's-chambers, Great Grimsby	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Welsh, William Herbert (trading as H. Clark and Co.)	Southgarth, Whitecross-street, Barton-on-Humber, and trading at the River Head, Great Grimsby	Clerk and Builders' Merchant	Great Grimsby ...	5 of 1917	John Fildes Wintringham	Saint Mary's-chambers, Great Grimsby	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Johnson, Ashton Ernest	Silverlace-green, Cratfield, Suffolk	Grocer ...	Great Yarmouth ...	11 of 1916	H. P. Gould ...	8, Upper King-street, Norwich	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Olison, Donald Henry (trading as A. Locke and Co.)	184, 5 High-street, Gorleston, Suffolk	Wine and Spirit Merchant	Great Yarmouth ...	12 of 1916	H. P. Gould ...	8, King-street, Norwich	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918

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Pope, Thomas Henry Granville and Tanner, William Douglas (trading in co-partnership as Thomas Pope and Co.) ...	Trading at Oban House Boat Yard, Oulton Broad, Suffolk	Yacht and Boat Builders	Great Yarmouth ...	9 of 1916	H. P. Gould ...	8, Upper King-street, Norwich	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Walter, Ernest Herbert...	179, London-road, South Lowestoft, Suffolk	Baker and Confectioner	Great Yarmouth ...	6 of 1916	H. P. Gould ...	8, King-street, Norwich	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
[F] Bartlett, Frederick James	Chiddenfold, Surrey ... ..	Blacksmith ... ..	Guildford and Godalming	1 of 1917	The Hon. Walter John Harry Boyle	132, York-road, Westminster Bridge-road, S.E. 1.	Official Receiver in Bankruptcy	Jan. 10, 1918
Higginson, Frank ...	Camp-road Laundry, Camp-road, Farnborough, Southampton	Laundry Proprietor ...	Guildford and Godalming	2 of 1917	The Hon. Walter John Harry Boyle	132, York-road, Westminster Bridge-road, S.E. 1.	Official Receiver in Bankruptcy	Jan. 10, 1918.
Hurdley, Henry Thomas	Residing at 97, Brownlow-road, New Southgate, in the county of Middlesex, lately residing and carrying on business at The Bungalow, Harlow, in the county of Essex	Warehouseman, late Poultry Farmer	Hertford ... ..	1 of 1917	E. W. J. Savill ...	14, Bedford-row, London, W.C. 1.	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 10, 1918.
Cocksedge, Edmund (trading as Cocksedge Brothers, or a partner in the said firm of Cocksedge Brothers) ...	Hadleigh, county of Suffolk ...	Miller ... ..	Ipswich ... ..	11 of 1916	William Messent ...	8, Willoughby-road, Ipswich	—	Dec. 21, 1917
Rice, Frederick Albert ...	Army and Navy Stores, Northgate-street, Ipswich, Suffolk	Tailor ... ..	Ipswich ... ..	13 of 1916	Frederick Messent,	36, Princes-street, Ipswich	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918
Shrimpton, Thomas Andrew	42, Load-street, Bewdley, in the county of Worcester	Grocer ... ..	Kidderminster ...	2 of 1917	Andrew Martin Fairbairn	1, Priory-street, Dudley	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Brown, Henry ... ..	Residing at 18, Arlington-street, and carrying on business at 22, Charles-street, both in the city and county of Kingston-upon-Hull	Feather Manufacturer and Draper	Kingston-upon-Hull	6 of 1917	Guy Hamilton Acheson	York City Bank Chambers, Lowgate, Hull	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918

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Toone, Shirley ... ..	Valetta House, Saint Barnabas-road, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, late 122, Woodland-road, Leicester aforesaid	Electrical Mechanic, late Grocer	Leicester ... ..	7 of 1917	Evan Barlow ... ..	1, Berridge-street, Leicester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Birch, Bonsor ... .. and Wilson, Frank ... .. (trading in co-partnership as Birch, Wilson and Co.) ...	Residing at 9, Alma-road, East Retford Residing at Victoria-terrace, Moorgate Hill, East Retford Carrying on business at 31, Market-place, East Retford, all in the county of Nottingham	Grocers and Wine and Spirit Merchants	Lincoln ... ..	12 of 1916	Frederick Charles Brogden	10, Bank-street, Lincoln	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Garnett, Charles... ..	9, Union-court, Cook-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster	Solicitor ... ..	Liverpool ... ..	19 of 1916	Elwy Davies Symond	11, Dale-street, Liverpool	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918
Phillips, Henry Maurice (known as H. M. Phillips and H. M. Blustin, formerly carrying on business under the style of H. M. Blustin ... .. under the style of the Kingsland Cabinet Manufacturing Company, under the style of the Finsbury Park Furnishing Company, under the style of Henry Maurice and Co. and under the style of the Northern Marble Supply Company)	Residing at 75, Farleigh-road, Stoke Newington, London, N., lately residing at 112, Brook-road, Stoke Newington, formerly residing at 224, Gooch-street, Birmingham, and 41, Falkland-road, Egremont, Cheshire At 107, Kingsland-road, London, N. At 91 and 83, Kingsland-road, London At 9, Stroud Green-road, Finsbury Park, London At 115, Gibraltar-street, Sheffield At 100, Kempston-street, and 38, Chapel Walks, both in Liverpool	Cabinet Maker and Marble Merchant	Liverpool ... ..	51 of 1914	Elwy Davies Symond	11, Dale-street, Liverpool	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918
Wells, William ... ..	Gatefield House, Marden, Kent	Farmer and Timber Feller	Maidstone ... ..	1 of 1917	J. Osborne Morris...	280 A, High-street, Rochester	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918

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Roberts, Edward Hughes	City House, Llandysilio, and Fairleigh, Llandrinio, both in the county of Montgomery	Grocer ... ..	Newtown ... ..	3 of 1913	Charles Edmondson Williams	Salop House, Oswestry	Chartered Accountant	Nov. 27, 1917
Jackson, George ... ..	Orford-place and Queen's-road, in the city of Norwich, and lately carrying on business at 35, Regent-street, Great Yarmouth, in partnership with Edward Lunn, under the style or firm of Jackson and Lunn	Tailor ... ..	Norwich ... ..	10 of 1916	H. P. Gould ... ..	8, King-street, Norwich	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Jackson, Hugh ... ..	Cromer, Norfolk ... ..	Of no occupation ...	Norwich ... ..	1 of 1917	H. P. Gould ... ..	8, King-street, Norwich	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Bowmar, William ... ..	Residing and trading at Portland House, Kirkby-in-Ashfield, lately residing and trading at Radford-street, Mansfield, both in Nottinghamshire	Engine Driver and Beer Off-Licence Holder	Nottingham ... ..	6 of 1917	Edward Wynne Humphreys	4, Castle-place, Nottingham	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918
Gartside, Henry ... ..	Residing and carrying on business at 53, Union-street, Oldham, in the county of Lancaster	Tailor ... ..	Oldham ... ..	2 of 1917	Herbert Booth ... ..	Greaves-street, Oldham	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Evans, Edward William	22, Thompson-villas, Ynysybwll, Glamorgan	Colliery Mason ... ..	Pontypridd, Ystradyfodwg and Porth	15 of 1917	Ellis Owen ... ..	St. Catherine's Chambers, St. Catherine-street, Pontypridd	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918
Williams, Thomas ... ..	54, Oak-street, Clydach Vale, Glamorgan	Roadman in Colliery	Pontypridd, Ystradyfodwg and Porth	11 of 1917	Ellis Owen ... ..	St. Catherine's Chambers, St. Catherine-street, Pontypridd	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918
Brown, Sidney ... ..	Swanage, in the county of Dorset	Formerly Fishmonger and Dealer in Vegetables, but now working at the Camp, Wareham	Poole ... ..	1 of 1917	Thomas Easton ... ..	Midland Bank Chambers, High-street, Southampton	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918
Franklin, Cyril Prescott	H.M.S. Velox, Portsmouth, Hants	Lieutenant, Royal Navy	Portsmouth ... ..	46 of 1911	William Frederick James Hunt	Cambridge Junction, High-street, Portsmouth	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Roberts, Frederick ... ..	68, Elm-grove, Southsea, Hants	Tobacconist ... ..	Portsmouth ... ..	5 of 1 17	William Frederick James Hunt	Cambridge Junction, High-street, Portsmouth	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918

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Bonney, Edward Dixon ...	9, Sinderland-road, Broad Heath, Altrincham, in the county of Cheshire, lately residing at 23, Norfolk-street, Skerton, in the county of Lancaster, and formerly residing at 14, Biscay-terrace, and carrying on business at Branfell-road, both in Windermere, in the county of Westmoreland	Journeyman Plumber and Painter, formerly Master Plumber and Painter	Preston ... ..	8 of 1916	Charles Harvey Plant	13, Winckley - street, Preston	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Eccles, William ... ..	Residing at Alston Hall, near Preston, in the county of Lancaster, lately residing in apartments at The Coppice, Windermere, in the said county, and carrying on business at Steam Mill, Fylde-road, Preston aforesaid, and at Winewall Mills, Colne, in the said county	Cotton Manufacturer, carrying on business in co-partnership with Joseph Eccles as Joseph Eccles and Co.	Preston ... ..	8 of 1915	James Todd ...	7, Winckley - square, Preston	Chartered Accountant	Nov. 9, 1917
Greenoff, John Joseph ... and Merrill, Harry White-head	10, Rigby - road, Blackpool, formerly 1, Springfield - road, Rawtenstall, both in the county of Lancaster 54, Claremont-terrace, North Church - street, Fleetwood, formerly Abbotsford, Morecambe, both in the county of Lancaster	Dentist... .. Dentist	Preston ... ..	34 of 1909	John Potter ...	25, Birley-street, Blackpool	Incorporated Accountant	Oct. 30, 1917
Dex, Mary Jane Morroll	214, Yorkshire-street, Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster	Draper (Widow) ...	Rochdale ... ..	12 of 1916	Herbert Booth ...	Greaves-street, Oldham	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Elliott, Frederick ...	20, William-street, Eckington, in the county of Derby, lately residing and carrying on business at 96 and 119, Effingham-street, Rotherham, in the county of York	Motor Car Driver, lately Fruiterer and Haulage Contractor	Sheffield ... ..	30 of 1916	John Charles Clegg	Figtree-lane, Sheffield	Official Receiver ..	Jan. 14, 1918

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Elliott, Robert ... ..	Residing at 107, High-street, Goldthorpe, near Rotherham, in the county of York, and lately carrying on business there	Colliery Horse-keeper, lately Butcher	Sheffield ... ..	20 of 1917	John Charles Clegg	Figtree-lane, Sheffield ...	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Randerson, George Henry (the Younger)	3, Rosebery-street, Rotherham, in the county of York, and lately carrying on business at the Imperial Buildings, Rotherham aforesaid	Steel Works Labourer, late Butcher	Sheffield ... ..	6 of 1917	John Charles Clegg	Figtree-lane, Sheffield ...	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Ward, Edmund ... ..	Residing at Whitethorns, Coal Aston, in the county of Derby, and carrying on business at 38, Bank-street, in the city of Sheffield	Estate Agent ... ..	Sheffield ... ..	35 of 1916	Charles Turner ...	155, Norfolk - street, Sheffield	Chartered Accountant	Dec. 14, 1917
Warner, William ... ..	93 and 95, Main-road, Darnall, in the city of Sheffield	Furniture Broker and French Polisher	Sheffield ... ..	14 of 1917	John Charles Clegg	Figtree-lane, Sheffield ...	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Whatley, Benjamin ... ..	639, Abbeydale-road, in the city of Sheffield	Painter and Paper-hanger	Sheffield ... ..	41 of 1916	John Charles Clegg	Figtree-lane, Sheffield ...	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Luxton, Herbert Charles	Pontsmill, Par Station, in the county of Cornwall, lately residing at Prideaux, Par Station aforesaid	Timber Merchant ...	Truro ... ..	4 of 1917	George Coulter Hancock	12, Princes-street, Truro	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Thomas, Mary Elizabeth (formerly Mary Elizabeth Best)	Alma Villa, Beacon-terrace, Camborne, Cornwall, and carrying on business at the Market-square, Camborne aforesaid	Fruiterer (Married Woman)	Truro ... ..	7 of 1916	George Coulter Hancock	12, Princes-street, Truro	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Sawyer, James and Sawyer, Harriett Florence (trading as Sawyer) ... ..	75, Camden-road, Tunbridge Wells, Kent	Greengrocers ... ..	Tunbridge Wells ...	1 of 1917	Thomas Gourlay ...	12A, Marlborough-place, Brighton]	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 11, 1918

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.
Shutt, Arthur Richard ...	174, Birmingham-road, Walsall, in the county of Stafford	Brass Founder's Costings Clerk, formerly Fancy Leather Goods Factor	Walsall ...	2 of 1917	Samuel Wells Page	30, Lichfield-street, Wolverhampton	Official Receiver ...	Jan. 14, 1918
Dix, Frank John Wingate	44, Piccadilly-circus, London, lately residing at 4, Manor-gardens, Larkhall-rise, Clapham, Surrey	Author and Theatrical Manager	Wandsworth ...	6 of 1917	The Hon. Walter John Harry Boyle	132, York-road, Westminster Bridge-road, S. E. 1	Official Receiver in Bankruptcy	Jan. 10, 1918



NOTICES OF INTENDED DIVIDENDS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Fairweather, Hugh Forsyth (trading under the style or firm of B. A. Campbell)	Hare Hill Camp, Gidea Park, Romford, Essex, formerly carrying on business at 205, Offord-street, London	Button Specialist ... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	207 of 1917	Feb. 8, 1918 ...	E. L. Hough, Official Receiver	Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Thompson, Henry Percy (Separate Estate)	2, Norfolk-street, Strand, in the county of London, trading with Thomas Harry Ratcliffe as Pring and Thompson	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	402 of 1915	Feb. 8, 1918 ...	George Edgar Corfield	Corfield and Cripwell, Balfour House, Finsbury-pavement, London, E.C.
Quick, Sarah Jane (trading and known as S. J. Porter)	The Strand, Barnstaple, Devonshire ... ..	Fishmonger and Fruiterer (Married Woman)	Barnstaple ... ..	1 of 1917	Feb. 6, 1918 ...	Arthur Edward Ward, Official Receiver	9, Bedford-circus, Exeter
Morgan, James (in Receiving Order described as J. Morgan)	Wynnstay, Burgess Hill, in the county of Sussex	Boarding-house Keeper ... ..	Brighton ... ..	16 of 1917	Feb. 9, 1918 ...	George Edgar Corfield	Balfour House, Finsbury-pavement, London, E.C.
Brunt, Thomas ... ..	Residing and carrying on business at Rothley, in the county of Leicester	Market Gardener ... ..	Leicester ... ..	12 of 1917	Feb. 6, 1918 ...	Evan Barlow, Official Receiver	1, Berridge-street, Leicester
Holloway, George Frederick	Little Dalby, in the county of Leicester ... ..	Dealer ... ..	Leicester ... ..	57 of 1911	Feb. 6, 1918 ...	Evan Barlow, Official Receiver	1, Berridge-street, Leicester
Brown, George Edwin ... ..	Residing at 216, Walton Breck-road, Liverpool, and carrying on business at 214 and 216, Walton Breck-road, Liverpool, and previously carrying on business at 21, Prescott-road, Liverpool, and 62, Priory-road, Anfield, Liverpool	Chandler ... ..	Liverpool ... ..	31 of 1917	Feb. 6, 1918 ...	Elwy Davies Symond, Official Receiver	11, Dale-street, Liverpool
Morley, Alfred ... ..	548, Stockport-road, Longsight, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster	Grocer and Beer Retailer ... ..	Manchester ... ..	29 of 1916	Feb. 6, 1918 ...	John Grant Gibson, Official Receiver	Byrom-street, Manchester
Chisholm, Robert William (trading as R. S. Chisholm)	Handside-buildings, Percy-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and lately residing at Gosforth, but now residing at Clovelly-gardens, Monkseaton, both in Northumberland	Cork Merchant ... ..	Newcastle upon Tyne	36 of 1913	Feb. 6, 1918 ...	Charles Woollètt, Official Receiver	21, Mosley-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne

NOTICES OF INTENDED DIVIDENDS—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Calver, Alice (deceased)	31, S. Benedict's-street, in the city of Norwich	Baker (Widow) ... ..	Norwich ... ..	6 of 1917	Feb. 6, 1918 ...	H. P. Gould, Official Receiver	8, Upper King - street, Norwich
Perkins, Thomas Horn ...	60, Howard-road, Southamp'on, in the county of Hants	Director of a Company ...	Southampton ...	4 of 1916	Feb. 9, 1918 ...	Thomas Easton, Official Receiver ,	Midland Bank - chambers, High-street, Southampton

NOTICES OF DIVIDENDS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Rowlands, John ...	Machynlleth, Montgomeryshire ...	Solicitor ...	Aberystwyth ...	7 of 1908	3d.	Supplemental	Feb. 2, 1918	Official Receiver's Office, 4, Queen-street, Carmarthen
Dugmore, Thomas Edward (carrying on business under the style of the Exclusive Film Service)	Residing at 5, Homeleigh-villas, Coventry-road, Yardley, and carrying on business at Cannon-chambers, Cannon-passage, both in the city of Birmingham	Cinematograph Film Renter	Birmingham ...	31 of 1917	1s. 3d.	First	Jan. 30, 1918	Official Receiver's Offices, Ruskin-chambers, 191, Corporation-street, Birmingham
Hickon, Charles ...	135, Church-lane, Aston, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick	Baker ...	Birmingham ...	63 of 1897	12s. 4d.	First and Final	Jan. 30, 1918	Official Receiver's Offices, Ruskin-chambers, 191, Corporation-street, Birmingham
Shelton, William Henry	Residing and carrying on business at 49, Smithy-lane, Wilnecote, near Tamworth, in the county of Warwick	Baker and Grocer ...	Birmingham ...	20 of 1917	4s. 6d.	First and Final	Jan. 30, 1918	47, Temple-row, Birmingham
Page, Thomas ...	218, Stapleton-road, Bristol ...	Draper ...	Bristol ...	11 of 1917	8s. 8d.	First and Final	Jan. 28, 1918	Official Receiver's Office, 26, Baldwin-street, Bristol
Thornton, Peter ...	Mirfield, Yorkshire ...	Boat Builder ...	Dewsbury ...	48 of 1886	1s. 10d.	Supplemental	Jan. 28, 1918	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Corporation-street, Dewsbury
Johnson, William Henry (carrying on business under the style or firm of Taylor and Co.)	Residing at 43, Granville-street, and carrying on business at 43, Jameson-street, both in the city and county of Kingston-upon-Hull	Tobacconist ...	Kingston-upon-Hull	11 of 1917	7s. 9d.	First and Final	Feb. 2, 1918	Official Receiver's Offices, York City Bank-chambers, Lowgate, Hull
Poecher, Frederick Charles	Residing at 13, Allandale-road, in the county borough of Leicester, and carrying on business at 20, Granby-street, Leicester aforesaid, lately residing and carrying on business at 109, London-road, Leicester aforesaid	Dental Practitioner ...	Leicester ...	11 of 1917	17s. 4d.	First and Final	Feb. 2, 1918	Official Receiver's Office, 1, Berridge-street, Leicester
Pennells, George ...	2, Mary-street, Porth, Glamorgan ...	General Dealer ...	Pontypridd, Ystrad-yfodwg and Porth	17 of 1917	4s. 7d.	First and Final	Jan. 30, 1918	Official Receiver's Offices, St. Catherine's-chambers, St. Catherine-street, Pontypridd

NOTICES OF DIVIDENDS—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or otherwise.	When Payable	Where Payable.
Kemp, William Henry ...	62, Collins-road, East Southsea, Hants ...	Of no occupation ...	Portsmouth ...	44 of 1912	1s. 7d.	Tenth and Final	Jan. 28, 1918	Official Receiver's Offices, Cambridge-junction, High-street, Portsmouth
Cable, Leonard ...	Chippendale Lodge, Tokers Green, in the county of Oxford	Late Stockbroker's Manager	Reading ...	71 of 1914	1½d.	Second and Final	Jan. 25, 1918	Official Receiver's Offices, 14, Bedford-row, London, W.C. 1
Morris, James Robert ...	Residing at 28, Claremont-hill, Shrewsbury, in the county of Salop, and formerly carrying on business at the Circular Printing Works, Bellstone, Shrewsbury aforesaid.	Formerly Printer and Journalist, now Managing Director of a Limited Company	Shrewsbury ...	6 of 1915	2s. 10d.	First	Jan. 28, 1918	Official Receiver's Office, 22, Swan-hill, Shrewsbury
Hewson, Thomas Alfred Watt	The Railway Hotel, Borough Green, Kent	Licensed Victualler ...	Tunbridge Wells ...	15 of 1916	9½d.	Second and Final	Jan. 29, 1918	Official Receiver's Office, 12A, Marlborough-place, Brighton
Woodbourne, George Edward	Now serving in the 3rd Battalion, West Kent Regiment, stationed at Chatham, in the county of Kent, but until lately residing and carrying on business at Clement's Farm, in the parish of Binsted, in the county of Hants	Farmer ...	Winchester ...	1 of 1915	1s. 0½d.	Supplemental	Jan. 29, 1918	Official Receiver's Office, Midland Bank-chambers, High-street, Southampton
Gwinnett, William (trading as the Screw Bolt and Engineering Company)	Residing at Beckminster Cottage, Penn Fields, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, and trading at Penn-street, Wolverhampton aforesaid	Engineer ...	Wolverhampton ...	6 of 1901	20s. and 4 per cent. interest	First and Final	Jan. 31, 1918	Official Receiver's Office, 30, Lichfield-street, Wolverhampton
Thompson, John Robinson	Residing at 115, East-parade, and carrying on business at Princes-colonnade, both in Harrogate, in the county of York	Ladies' and Gentlemen's Tailor	York ...	12 of 1917	9s.	First and Final	Jan. 24, 1918	Bankruptcy Office, Duncombe-place, York

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

J. G. WILLIS, Inspector General in Bankruptcy.

THE COMPANIES (WINDING-UP) ACT, 1890, AND THE COMPANIES (CONSOLIDATION) ACT, 1908.

FIRST MEETINGS.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.
The National Drug Company Limited	65, Judd-street, King's Cross, in the county of London	High Court of Justice	00149 of 1917	Creditors, Jan. 30, 1918 Contributories, Jan. 30, 1918	11.30 A.M. 12 noon	33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C. 2 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's-inn, London, W.C. 2

**NOTICE OF RELEASE OF LIQUIDATOR.**

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Liquidator's Name.	Liquidator's Address.	Date of Release.
The M.F.H. Syndicate Limited ... ..	Norfolk House, Laurence Pountney-hill, in the city of London	High Court of Justice	003 of 1916	Harry Colton Haines ... ..	23, King-street, Cheapside, London, E.C. 2	Dec. 31, 1917

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H. A. PAYNE, Comptroller of the Companies Department.

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