N OTICE is hereby given, that JOHN ALLEN, of 7, The Hyde, Hendon, in the county of London, formerly a Master Baker, but now employed at a Munition Factory, a British born subject, and now or lately called John Alheid, by deed poll dated the 16th day of January, 1918, and enrolled in the Central Office of the Supreme Court of Judicature, on the 25th day of March, 1918, did, on behalf of himself and issue, absolutely renounce and abandon the use of his surname Alheid and in lieu thereof assume and adopt the surname of Allen.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1918.

ELLINGTON N. BENINGFIELD, Friars House, New Broad-street, E.C. 2, Solicitor for the said John Allen.

N OTICE is hereby given, that WILLIAM ALLEN, of 59, Kingsgate-road, West Hampstead, in the county of London, Manager to a Wine and Spirit Merchant, a British born subject, and now or lately called William Akheid, by deed poll dated the 16th day of January, 1918, and enrolled in the Central Office of the Supreme Court of Judicature, on the 25th day of March, 1918, did, on behalf of himself and issue, absolutely renounce and abandon the use of his surname Akheid and in lieu thereof assume the name of Allen.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1918.

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ELLINGTON N. BENINGFIELD, Friars House, New Broad-street, E.C., Solicitor for the said William Allen.

I, ARTHUR EDWARD EVANS, residing at present serving in His Majesty's Forces, heretofore called and known by the name of Arthur Edward Edwards, give public notice that, on the 25th day of March, 1918, I formally determined to assume and take from that date and henceforth to use the surname of Evans in place of the surname of Edwards; and I give further notice, that by a deed pold dated the 25th day of March, 1918, duly executed and attested, I formally and absolutely assumed and took the surname of Evans in place of the surname of Edwards, and I hereby expressly authorize and desire every person whomsoever to designate and describe me by such surname accordingly.—Dated this 5th day of April, 1918.

JOHN G. LAWRENCE, 1, Crosshall-street, Liverpool, Solicitor for the said Arthur Edward Evans.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, executed on the 23rd day of March, 1918, by WILLIAM SCHOLES, of 2A, Leach-lane, St. Anne's-on-the-Sea, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer.

THE creditors of the above named William Scholeswho have not already sent in the claims are required, on or before the 4th day of May, 1918, to send in their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to James Goodier Bradshaw, Chartered Accountant, of 34, St. Anne's-road West, St. Anne's-on-the-Sea, the Trustee under the said deed, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the first and final dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1918.

LAW and STEPHENSON, Solicitors, St. Anne's-on-the-Sea, Solicitors for the abovenamed Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, executed on the 3rd day of February, 1911, by URBAIN LOUIS GRATTE, then of 12, Stanley-place, Ebury Bridge, Pimlico, in the county of London, School Master.

of London, SChool Masser. C REDITORS of the above named Urbain Louis Gratte who have not already sent in their claims are requested, on or before the 29th day of April, 1918, to send in their names, addresses and particulars of their debts and claims to Walter Duval Goatly, of 61, Old Jewry-chambers, in the city of London, Incorporated Accountant, the Trustee under the said deed, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1918. W WOUNC SON and WARD 24 Elysplace.

W. W. YOUNG, SON and WARD, 24, Ely-place, 1004 London, E.C. 1, Solicitors for the Trustee.