No. 735. SPRAKE, Alice Mary (Widow), residing at Hawarden, Cawdor, Ross-on-Wye, in the county of Hereford, and carrying on business at 24 and 25, High Street, Ross-on-Wye aforesaid, as a DRAPER.

'Court—HEREFORD.

Date of Filing Petition—May 17, 1940.

No. of Matter—3 of 1940.

Date of Receiving Order—May 17, 1940.

No. of Receiving Order—4.

Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition—Debtor's.

No. 736. BROWN, Frederick Ernest, Stepney Cycle Works, 203, Beverley Road, in the city and county of Kingston-upon-Hull. CYCLE AGENT. Court—KINGSTON-UPON-HULL.

Date of Filing Petition—May 15, 1940.

No. of Matter—22 of 1940.

Date of Receiving Order—May 15, 1940.

No. of Receiving Order—22.

Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition—Debtor's.

No. 737. CHARITY, Herbert William, residing and carrying on business at 70, Cumberland Street, in the city and county of Kingston-upon-Hull. MASTER BUTCHER.

Court—KINGSTON-UPON-HULL.

Date of Filing Petition—May 14, 1940.

No. of Matter—21 of 1940.

Date of Receiving Order—May 14, 1940.

No. of Receiving Order—21.

Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition—Debtor's.

No. 738. BROOKS, John, 57, Outwoods Drive, Loughborough, in the county of Leicester, also carrying on business at the Rushes, Loughborough aforesaid. JOINER.
Court—LEICESTER.
Date of Filing Petition—May 16, 1940.
No. of Matter—7 of 1940.
Date of Receiving Order—May 16, 1940.
No. of Receiving Order—6.
Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition—Debtor's.

No. 739. JARRETT, Emily Margaret (Married Woman), The Corner House, Niton Undercliff, Niton, in the Isle of Wight, and carrying on business at Niton Undercliff Garage, Niton aforesaid. GARAGE PROPRIETOR, TOBACCONIST and CONFECTIONER.

Court—NEWPORT and RYDE.

Date of Filing Petition—May 15, 1940.

No. of Matter—3 of 1940.

Date of Receiving Order—May 15, 1940.

No. of Receiving Order—3.

Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition—Debtor's.

No. 740. WEBBER, Horace, residing at 50, Hall Drive, Chilwell, and carrying on business at 91-93, High Road, Beeston, both in the county of Nottingham. GOWN and MANTLE RETAILER.

Court—NOTTINGHAM.

Date of Filing Petition—May 15, 1940.

No. of Matter—14 of 1940.

Date of Receiving Order—May 15, 1940.

No. of. Receiving Order—13.

Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition—Debtor's.

No. 741 THORNTON, Walter Eric, residing and lately carrying on business at Bank Side Lane, Bacup, in the county of Lancaster, as a FISH HAWKER now Labourer.

Court—ROCHDALE.

Date of Filing Petition—May 16, 1940.

No. of Matter—5 of 1940.

Date of Receiving Order—May 16, 1940.

No. of Receiving Order—5.

Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition—, Debtor's.

No. 742. DOSSOR, Hannah Jane (Widow), residing and carrying on business at 1, The Parade, Whitby, in the county of York. GROCER and PROVISION MERCHANT.

Court—SCARBOROUGH.

Date of Filing Petition—May 14, 1940.

No. of Matter—9 of 1940.

Date of Receiving Order—May 14, 1940.

No. of Receiving Order—8.

Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition—Debtor's.

No. 743. WOOLDRIDGE, Edward (the elder), The Cot, High Street, Lye, Stourbridge, in the county of Worcester. METAL MERCHANT and COMMISSION AGENT.

Court—STOURBRIDGE.
Date of Filing Petition—April 26, 1940.
No. of Matter—1 of 1940.
No. of Receiving Order—May 16, 1940.
No. of Receiving Order—I.
Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition—Creditor's.
Act of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition—Section 1-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1914.

No. 744. WILKINS, Richard Henry, 54, Draycott Road, Chiseldon, Wilts, carrying on business at 3, Draycott Road, Chiseldon aforesaid. FISH-MONGER, lately residing at and carrying on business at the Plough Inn, Chiseldon aforesaid as a DAIRYMAN and LICENSED VICTUAL-LER.

Court—SWINDON.

Court—SWINDON.

Date of Filing Petition—May 16, 1940.

No. of Matter—4 of 1940.

Date of Receiving Order—May 16, 1940.

No. of Receiving Order—4.

Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition—Debtor's.

No. 745. CONBOY, John, residing at 8, Westville, Abertysswg, in the county of Monmouth, and carrying on business at 1, Charles Street, Abertysswg aforesaid. GROCER and CONFECTIONER.

Court—TREDEGAR, ABERTILLERY and BARGOED.
Date of Filing Petition—May 14, 1940.
No. of Matter—2 of 1940.
Date of Receiving Order—May 14, 1940.
No. of Receiving Order—2.
Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition—Debtor's.

No. 746. JACKSON, Charles Lindley, residing at Norwood House, Northgate, Pontefract, in the county of York, and carrying on business at Northgate, Pontefract aforesaid. JOINER.
Court—WAKEFIELD.
Date of Filing Petition—May 17, 1940.
No. of Matter—9 of 1940.
Date of Receiving Order—May 17, 1940.
No. of Receiving Order—8.
Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition—Debtor's.

FIRST MEETINGS AND PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS.

BIRD, Augustus Gordon, 35, Albion Street, Hyde Park, W., and lately carrying on business at 10, Lincoln's Inn Fields, W.C.2. SURVEYOR. Court—HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.

No. of Matter—176 of 1940.
Date of First Meeting—May 28, 1940. II a.m.
Place—Bankruptcy Buildings, Carey Street, London, W.C.2.
Date of Public Examination—June 12, 1940. 11 a.m.
Place—Bankruptcy Buildings, Carey Street, London, W.C.2.