

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cause Grenfell against Hood, the Creditors of William Hood, late of Earl-Street, Blackfriars, in the City of London, Iron-Merchant, deceased (who died on or about the 23d day of February 1817), are forthwith to come in and prove their debts before Charles Thomson, Esq. one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers, in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, or in default thereof they will be excluded the benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cause Ward against Lee, the Creditors of James Ward, late of Westlands, in the Parish of West Grinstead, in the County of Sussex, Yeoman, deceased, (who died on or about the 31st of August 1816), are forthwith to come in and prove their debts before James Stephen, Esq. one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers, in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, or in default thereof they will be excluded the benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cause Robinson against Tattersall, the Creditors of George Ward Essington, heretofore of North-Biddick, in the County of Durham, and of Nether Stowey, near Bridgewater, in the County of Somerset, but late of the Parish of Saint Bride, Ludgate, in the City of London, Esq. deceased (who died on or about the 22d of March 1813), are to come in and prove their debts before James Stephen, Esq. one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers, in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, on or before the 28th day of November 1817, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cause Claridge against Goodeve, the Creditors of John Claridge, late of Portland-Road, in the County of Middlesex, Esq. deceased (who died in the month of March 1813), are to come in and prove their debts before Charles Thomson, Esq. one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers, in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, on or before the 30th day of July 1817, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cause Reynolds against Coleby, whereby it is ordered, that Francis Paul Stratford, Esq. the Master to whom the said Cause is referred, do inquire and state to the Court, whether any fund for cloathing and assisting poor girls, and procuring them suitable services after completing their education, at Ackworth School (as mentioned in the will of Francis Freshfield, the testator), has ever and when been raised, and whether the same now exists; and in case he shall find that it does, then he is to inquire and state who are the parties that, in right of such last mentioned charity, are now entitled to the legacy of 200l. in the said testator's will mentioned in respect thereof.—If, therefore, any such fund has ever been raised, or if any such charity as aforesaid does exist, the Trustee or Trustees, or other proper person or persons, are to come in before the said Master, at his Chambers, in Southampton-Buildings, Chancery-Lane, London, on or before the 1st day of August 1817, and establish their right to the said legacy of 200l. or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Order.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Joseph William Sharpe, of Old Bond-Street, in the County of Middlesex, Paper-Hanger, (surviving partner of James Davenport, of the same place), are requested to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's estate, on Thursday next, the 10th day of July instant, at Six o'Clock in the Evening precisely, upon the late premises of the said Bankrupt, situate No. 29, Old Bond-Street aforesaid, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees accepting a certain proposal, to be then and there stated, for the purchase of the stock in trade, fixtures and other effects belonging to the said Bankrupt, by private contract, and if necessary to authorise the said Assignees to give such time and accept such security for the payment of the purchase money as they may think fit; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any suit or suits at law or in equity, for the recovery of any part of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects; or to the compounding, submitting to arbitration, or other-

wise agreeing any matter or thing relating thereto; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Job Roberts, late of Stoney Stratford, in the County of Buckingham, Tanner, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet on Thursday the 17th day of July instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon precisely, at the house known by the sign of the Cock, in Stoney Stratford aforesaid, to consider the conduct that has been pursued by one of the Assignees, (the father-in-law of the Bankrupt,) relative to a rick of bark, of the value of 1000l. and upwards, originally purchased and stacked by the Bankrupt, but claimed by such Assignee, and to direct the other Assignees as to the measures they should adopt with reference thereto; also to direct the Assignees whether the stock of leather, as it comes forward, shall be sold in the country, or by a factor, at the usual commission, in London; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Mercer, of Billingshurst, in the County of Sussex, Brewer, Miller, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, on Wednesday the 16th day of July instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon precisely, at the Office of Messrs. Sweet and Stokes, Solicitors, Basinghall-Street, London, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees accepting a sum of money in satisfaction and discharge of, or otherwise compromising all claim, which they now have or hereafter may have against the estate of Messrs. Jeffery's, the surviving Partners of John Jeffery, with whom the said Bankrupt was formerly in Partnership, and to their executing to the said Messrs. Jeffery's and the Trustees of their estate, and to the representatives of the said John Jeffery, a release of such claims and demands, and paying the costs, charges and expences incurred and to be incurred by the said Assignees in relation to the said claim; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Reup Dixon and George Jacob Heckmann, of George-Street, Spital-Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Sugar-Refiners, Partners, Dealers and Chapman, are requested to meet the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupts, on the 11th day of July instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Office of Messrs. Gatty and Haddan, No. 3, Angel-Court, Throgmorton-Street, London, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees selling and disposing, or concurring and joining in the sale and disposition of, by public auction or private contract, and conveying or otherwise assuring all the estate and interest of the Bankrupt, Thomas Reup Dixon, of and in the sum of 4000l. 3 Per Cent. Reduced Bank Annuities, to which the said Thomas Reup Dixon is intitled under the will of Harriett Smith, late wife of Benjamin Smith, of Harper-Street, Red-Lion Square, in the County of Middlesex, Gent. subject to the life interest of the said Benjamin Smith therein; and also the estate and interest of the said Bankrupts, or of either of them, of and in the sugarhouse and premisses, situate in George-Street, Spital-Fields aforesaid, late in their occupation; or abandoning the said premisses, or releasing the equity of redemption therein to the mortgagee or mortgagees; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing any action or actions, or taking such proceedings as they shall be advised against the Sheriff of Middlesex, or the plaintiffs, in an execution levied upon the goods and effects of the said Bankrupts, and indemnifying the said Sheriff at the expence of the Bankrupts estate; or to the said Assignees entering into such arrangement as they shall think fit, with the said Sheriff or the plaintiff in the execution, on paying off and discharging the same out of the Bankrupts estate, or compounding or submitting the same to arbitration; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees selling or disposing of, by public auction or by private contract, or partly by public and partly by private contract, all or any part of the stock in trade, fixtures, household goods, and furniture of the said Bankrupts, or either of them, to such person or persons, at such places, and upon such credit, with or without security as to the said Assignees may seem best; and also to empower the said Assignees to employ or appoint the said Bankrupts, or either of them, or such person or persons as they shall think fit, to collect and receive the debts owing to the said