

defending any suit or suits at law or in equity, concerning the said Bankrupt's estate and effects; or to the compounding, submitting to arbitration, or otherwise agreeing any matter or thing relating thereto; and on other special affairs.

**T**HE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against George Croft, of Oxford-Street, in the County of Middlesex, Mercer and Haberdasher, are requested to meet the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, on Thursday the 4th of October next, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon precisely, at the Court of Commissioners of Bankrupts, in Basinghall Street, in the City of London, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees selling and disposing of all or any part of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, by public auction or private contract, either together or in parcels, for such sum or sums of money, and payable at such period or periods, and upon personal or such other security as the said Assignees may think proper to accept, and if by public auction, buying in and reselling the same, if the Assignees shall think fit; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees allowing and paying the servants of the said Bankrupt their, his, or her salaries or wages, in full or in part only as the said Assignees shall think fit; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees employing an accountant, assistant, or other person in the affairs of the said Bankrupt, and to the said Assignees paying the said accountant, assistant, or other person such compensation for his trouble as the said Assignees shall think proper; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees paying off, out of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, any mortgage or mortgages, or making such compromise or arrangement relative to any mortgage granted by the Bankrupt as the said Assignees may think expedient, or to the said Assignees concurring with the mortgagee or mortgagees in a sale of the mortgaged property, either by public auction or private contract; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any actions, suits, or proceedings at law or in equity, concerning the said Bankrupt's estate and effects; or to the submitting to arbitration, compromising, or settling any accounts, differences, disputes, or other matters relating thereto; and generally to empower the said Assignees to act in relation to the said Bankrupt's estate and effects as they shall think advisable and most expedient for the interest of the Creditors; and on other special affairs.

**T**HE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Paine, formerly of West-Street, in the Parish of Saint John, Hackney, in the County of Middlesex, and late of London-Lane, in the said Parish of Saint John, Hackney, Carpenter and Builder, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, on Tuesday the 2d day of October next, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon precisely, at the Court of Commissioners of Bankrupts, in Basinghall-Street, in the City of London, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees selling and disposing of the stock in trade, household furniture and other effects in the dwelling-house of the said Bankrupt, in London-Lane aforesaid, either by public auction or private contract, and for such sum of money, and upon such terms and conditions, and either to the said Bankrupt, or to any other person or persons, and to give such time for payment, and accept such security for the same as the said Assignees may think expedient; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting or defending any action or actions at law, or suit or suits in equity, for or relating to the recovery of any part of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects, or taking any necessary proceeding relating thereto; or to the compounding, submitting to arbitration, or giving time, or taking security for the payment of any debt or debts due to the said Bankrupt's estate; and generally to give the Assignees full power and authority to act in and about the management and settlement of the affairs of the said Bankrupt, or in any wise relating thereto in such manner as the said Assignees shall from time to time consider reasonable, just and beneficial for the Creditors of the said Bankrupt; and on other special affairs.

**W**HEREAS by an Act, passed in the sixth year of the reign of His present Majesty, intituled "An Act to amend the laws relating to Bankrupts," it is enacted "That if any

Trader shall file in the Office of the Lord Chancellor's Secretary of Bankrupts a Declaration, in writing, signed by such Trader, and attested by an Attorney or Solicitor, that he is insolvent or unable to meet his engagements, the said Secretary of Bankrupts shall sign an authority for inserting the said Declaration in the Gazette, and that every such Declaration shall, after such advertisement inserted as aforesaid, be an Act of Bankruptcy committed by such Trader at the time when such Declaration was filed, but that no Commission shall issue thereupon unless it be sued out within two calendar months next after the insertion of such advertisement, unless such advertisement shall have been inserted within eight days after such act of Bankruptcy after such Declaration filed; and no Docket shall be struck upon such act of Bankruptcy before the expiration of four days next after such insertion in case such Commission is to be executed in London, or before the expiration of eight days next after such insertion in case such Commission is to be executed in the Country."—Notice is hereby given, that Declarations were filed on the 7th day of September 1827, in the Office of the Lord Chancellor's Secretary of Bankrupts; signed and attested according to the said Act by

JOHN THOMAS HUMPLEBY, of Abchurch-Lane, in the City of London, Drysaltering-Broker, that he is in insolvent circumstances and is unable to meet his engagements with his creditors.

SAMUEL TODD, of the Town and County of Southampton, Linen and Woollen-Draper, Dealer and Chapman, that he is in insolvent circumstances and is unable to meet his engagements with his creditors.

**P**URSUANT to an Order made by the Right Honourable John Singleton Lord Lyndhurst, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain for Enlarging the time for Thomas Barnes, of Wittersham, in the Isle of Oxney, in the County of Kent, Linen-Draper (a Bankrupt), to surrender himself and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, for seven days, to be computed from the 11th day of September instant; this is to give notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission named and authorised, or the major part of them, intend to meet on the 18th day of September instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Court of Commissioners of Bankrupts, in Basinghall-Street, in the City of London; where the said Bankrupt is required to surrender himself, between the hours of Eleven and One o'Clock of the same day, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, and finish his examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their debts, may then and there come and prove the same, and assent to or dissent from the allowance of his certificate.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Henry James Ebsworth and William Badham, of Nun's-Court, Coleman-Street, in the City of London, Wool-Brokers, Dealers and Chapmen, and they being declared Bankrupts are hereby required to surrender themselves to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major part of them, on the 25th of September instant, at Nine o'Clock in the Forenoon, on the 26th of the same month, at Ten in the Forenoon, and on the 19th of October next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at the Court of Commissioners of Bankrupts, in Basinghall-Street, in the City of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of their estate and effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the second sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last sitting the said Bankrupts are required to finish their examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the allowance of their certificate. All persons indebted to the said Bankrupts, or that have any of their effects,