

rally to consult on the adopting of such measures in the said Bankrupt's affairs as to the said Assignee shall appear advisable; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Simpson, of Caistor, in the County of Lincoln, Victualler, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet Marmaduke Dixon, of Caistor aforesaid, Gentleman, the Assignee of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupt, on Thursday the 5th day of March 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 Assignee selling or disposing of, either by public auction or private contract, and at such time as he may think proper, the live and dead stock, tenant right, furniture, and effects late of the said Bankrupt, and being in and upon the premises lately occupied by him at Caistor aforesaid; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Marmaduke Dixon defending an action of trespass brought against him by a certain person, who will be named at the said meeting, in respect of certain furniture and effects late of the said Bankrupt, and alleged to have been sold by him to the said certain person, the plaintiff; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignee prosecuting an action which he has commenced against a certain other person, to be also named at the meeting, for recovering certain parts of the furniture and effects of the said Bankrupt; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignee commencing, prosecuting, or defending any actions or suits at law or in equity, or any petition or petitions to the Lord Chancellor, for the recovery or protection of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects as he may be advised and deem proper; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Frederick Oldfield, late of Pall-Mall, in the County of Middlesex, and now of Norton-Street, Tottenham-Court-Road, in the said County of Middlesex, Wine-Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet on Friday the 20th day of March next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon precisely, at the Court of Commissioners of Bankrupts, in Basinghall-Street, in the City of London, to assent to or dissent from the Assignees selling or disposing, by public auction or by private contract, the whole or any part of the Bankrupt's estate and effects; and also to the commencing, prosecuting, and carrying on or defending any suit or suits at law or in equity, or to the presenting or opposing any petition or petitions that may be necessary or expedient, for the recovery or protection of any part of the Bankrupt's estate; also to revive and prosecute any proceedings commenced by the Bankrupt, for the recovery of any part of his estate; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees taking the opinion of counsel in any case that may appear requisite; and submit any question to arbitration, and compromising any debt owing by the said Bankrupt, or debt or debts, or other claims, due and owing to his estate; and to employ and remunerate any person employed (if necessary) to effectuate such compromise; also to authorise and empower the said Assignees to employ an accountant, or other person, to collect the outstanding debts due and owing to his estate; and to make the Bankrupt such reasonable allowance, out of the estate, as they may deem requisite for the maintenance of himself and family; and generally to authorise and empower the said Assignees to adopt such measures, and take such proceedings, in and about the said Bankrupt's estate, as to them may appear expedient and proper.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Inman, of Tower-Street, in the City of London, Wine and Spirit-Broker, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects, on the 21st day of March next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon 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 accepting, or declining to accept, all or any of the lease or leases granted to the said Bankrupt in respect of the premises occupied by him at Brixton, in the County of Surrey, and by virtue of which he hath occupied the same premises, or hath or had any contingent or future interest therein; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees selling and disposing of all or any part of the leasehold estate and interest, stock in trade, household goods, furniture, fixtures, and effects, and all other property

late belonging to the said Bankrupt; either by public auction or private contract, to any person or persons whomsoever; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees transferring and making over to the said Bankrupt his household furniture, or any part thereof, upon such terms, or for such consideration, as shall be mentioned and proposed at the said meeting; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees concurring with any mortgagee or mortgagees of any of the leasehold messuages, buildings, land, or other property of the said Bankrupt, in any arrangement or agreement for effecting any sale or sales of the same; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees selling, by public auction or private contract, any policy or policies on a life or lives, or to continue the same, and pay the premium or premiums, or other incumbrance thereon, as they shall deem proper and advisable; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending any action or actions, suit or suits, at law or in equity, or other proceedings, for the recovery or protection of, or otherwise respecting any of the estate and effects late of the said Bankrupt, in which he had any interest, contingent or otherwise; also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees compromising, compounding, submitting to arbitration, or otherwise settling and adjusting any debt or debts, sum or sums of money, account, matter, or thing whatsoever due, owing, or belonging to the estate of the said Bankrupt, and to their giving time for the payment of any of the said debts, and accepting any security or securities for the payment of the same, or any part thereof; and to the said Assignees retaining or employing any person or persons, as accountants or clerks, in the investigation of the affairs of the said Bankrupt, or in collecting and receiving the debts and effects belonging to the estate of the said Bankrupt, making to such person or persons as they shall or may so employ for such purposes, such allowance and compensation for their services as the said Assignees shall consider just; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees carrying into effect any of the agreements or contracts entered into by the said Bankrupt, relating to his said estate and effects, or any part thereof; and also to confirm and allow or disapprove of the acts and proceedings which may have been adopted by the said Assignees; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Elliott, late of Goswell-Road, in the County of Middlesex, Wine-Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the Assignee of the said Bankrupt's estate and effects, on Saturday the 21st day of March next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon precisely, at the Court of Commissioners of Bankrupts, in Basinghall-Street, in the City of London, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignee commencing and prosecuting a suit in equity against certain persons to be named at the meeting, or some of them, to compel one of the said certain persons to execute a lease of certain premises in Hatton-Garden, in the County of Middlesex, to another of the said certain persons, to compel him to execute an assignment thereof to a purchaser from the said Assignees of the same, without the said Assignees entering into any covenant with, or giving any indemnity to the said other certain person.

WHEREAS 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