

room precisely, at the *Abbion Hotel*, in *Rochdale* aforesaid, to ratify and confirm or object to certain sales of part of the personal estate of the said Bankrupt by the said Assignees, and all and whatsoever they may have done in and about the said Bankrupt's estate and effects; and also in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing and prosecuting legal or equitable proceedings against a certain person or persons, who will be named at the said meeting, upon a bond given to the said Bankrupt, before he became Bankrupt; or to the said Assignees accepting any compromise that may be offered at any time hereafter in respect of the said bond, or submitting to arbitration, or otherwise settling the claim or debt upon such bond as they may think most beneficial to the said Bankrupt's estate; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees filing their answers or putting in their defence to a bill in Chancery lately filed by a certain person, to be named at the meeting; and authorising and empowering the said Assignees to take and pursue all such further and other steps and proceedings for defending or opposing such Chancery suit, or in any wise relating thereto, or to any other matters or proceedings which shall be connected therewith or arise therefrom, as they may deem best or consider most beneficial to the said Bankrupt's estate; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees not selling, nor offering to sale, nor in any manner disposing of, a certain contingent reversionary interest, or other estate or interest, of the said Bankrupt of and in certain real estates expectant and depending on the happening of an uncertain event, to be named at the meeting, but to defer and delay the sale of such real estates until it be ascertained whether such estates will or will not actually fall or come into the possession of the Assignees, without being in any manner answerable or responsible for such delay, in case the aforesaid event shall not happen, and the same real estates never come into the possession of the said Assignees; and also to assent to or dissent from the vesting in the said Assignees discretionary power in all matters relating to the estate of the said Bankrupt, and for the adjustment, settlement, or beneficial arrangement of the Bankrupt's affairs; and on other special matters.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against *James Smith*, late of *Cavendish*, in the County of *Suffolk*, Butcher, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet on the 2d day of September next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Office of *Mr. John Wayman*, Solicitor, in *Bury St. Edmunds*, in the County of *Suffolk*, to decide upon accepting an offer of composition then and there to be made to them by Messrs. *Richard Aldham*, *Samuel Viall*, *John Pratt*, and *John Chickall*, for and on the part of the said Bankrupt.

THE separate Creditors of *Samuel Fereday*, late of *Bilston*, in the Parish of *Wolverhampton*, in the County of *Stafford*, Banker, and who have proved their debts under a joint Commission of Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against him, and *Richard Smith* and *James Fisher*, by the names and description of *Samuel Fereday*, *Richard Smith*, and *James Fisher*, late of *Bilston*, in the Parish of *Wolverhampton*, in the County of *Stafford*, Bankers and Partners, are requested to meet the surviving Assignee of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupts, on Saturday the 31st day of August instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the *Swan Hotel*, in *Wolverhampton*, in the said County of *Stafford*, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignee accepting a proposal made to him by a person, to be named at the intended meeting, for rescinding a contract entered into by such person for the purchase of part of the leasehold estate of the said *Samuel Fereday*, or to the Assignees accepting back the property contracted to be sold, upon such terms as will be specified at the said meeting, or otherwise to authorise and direct the Assignee to institute, prosecute, and carry on, a suit in equity against the same person, for compelling a specific performance of the said contract; or to assent to or dissent from the Assignee compounding, compromising, and adjusting, the matter in difference, if he shall think proper; and on other special affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their debts under a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against *James Tucker* and *William Tucker*, of *Exwick*, in the Parish called the Parish of *St. Thomas the Apostle*, in the County of *Devon*, Millers, and of the City of *Exeter*, Cornfactors and Grocers, and Partners, are requested to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupts' estate and effects, on the 31st day of August instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at

the *Old London Inn*, in the County of the said City of *Exeter*, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees disposing of and selling all or any part of the household goods and furniture and other the joint and separate personal effects of the said Bankrupts, or any part thereof, either by public auction or by private contract, or at an appraisement and valuation thereof, and either for ready money or upon credit, to the said Bankrupts, or either of them, or to any other person or persons, and taking such security (if any) as the said Assignees shall think proper or deem expedient; and also to the said Assignees making and entering into any agreement relating thereto; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees disposing and selling by private contract, at such time, and in such lot or lots, and at such price or prices, and conveying, assigning, or otherwise assuring unto the purchasers thereof, the equity of redemption, and all other the estate and interests of the said Bankrupts of and in certain mills, dwelling-house, buildings, and appurtenances thereto belonging, situate at *Exwick* aforesaid, now in the occupation of the said *James Tucker*, and of and in a dwelling-house, shop, and bakehouse, with the appurtenances, situate in *Fore-Street-Hill*, in the said City of *Exeter*, now in the occupation of the said *William Tucker*, in case the said several premises shall not be sold at the public auctions advertised to be holden for sale of the same premises on the 20th and 21st days of August instant; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees selling and disposing of by private contract, or otherwise relinquishing and giving up the several leases and agreements under which the said Bankrupts hold certain lands in the said Parish of *Saint Thomas the Apostle*, for the residue of terms of years at rack rent; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees raising money on the security of the said mills, houses, and premises, or any part thereof, for the purpose of paying off the mortgage debt or debts, interest, and expences due thereon, and to the said Assignees taking, or causing to be made, a transfer of such mortgaged premises, or varying and altering the same as they may think proper, and making such arrangements and compositions as they shall think advisable with any person or persons having any lien or other securities upon the estate, property, and effects of the said Bankrupts; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees consenting and agreeing, allowing and confirming, that certain persons, who will be named at the said meeting, and who hold divers bills of exchange, drafts, and promissory notes, to which the said Bankrupts are parties, and which have been drawn, indorsed, or accepted, by other persons, also to be named at the said meeting, shall or may, without prejudice to their claims on the estate of the said Bankrupts, enter into an agreement or agreements with such last-mentioned persons for payment of sums of money for and in full of their several liabilities on the said several bills of exchange, drafts, and promissory notes; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees confirming and carrying into effect the sales, contracts, compositions, and agreements, made and entered into by the provisional Assignee of the said Bankrupts' estate and effects in carrying on the trades and businesses of the said Bankrupts, and confirming all his accounts relating thereto, and paying to him such sum of money for his time, trouble, and services thereon as they the said Assignees shall deem reasonable and fair; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees having carried on, and hereafter carrying on, the trades and businesses hitherto carried on by the Bankrupts in working up, manufacturing, selling, and disposing, of the stock in their several trades and businesses, and continuing so to do, and for the first named purpose their having purchased, and their continuing at their discretion to purchase, such goods, articles, and things, as the said Assignees have deemed or shall deem necessary and proper; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees employing, or having employed, any person or persons as accountant, clerk, assistant shopman, and servant in the carrying on of the said trades and businesses, and in collecting the debts due to the said Bankrupts' estate, or in the investigation of the said Bankrupts' books and accounts, and otherwise in winding up the affairs of the said Bankrupts, and allowing to such person or persons as aforesaid such sums of money and compensation for his or their services as to the said Assignees shall seem just; and also to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending, any action or suit at law, or in equity, for the recovery and protection of the estate and effects of the said Bankrupts, or any part thereof, or any thing relating thereto; and to the Assignees compounding with any debtor or debtors to the said Bankrupts' estate, or submitting to arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any question, dispute, difference, action, suit, or