

thereby; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignee commencing and prosecuting any action or actions at law, or suit or suits in equity, touching or in any manner relating to the said real or personal estate of the said bankrupt; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignee paying, out of the said bankrupt's estate, certain costs, charges, and expences, to be named at the said intended meeting, and which have been incurred subsequent to the choice of assignee; and to the said assignee compounding submitting to arbitration, or otherwise agreeing or settling any accounts, or any matter or thing in any manner relating to the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; and on other special affairs.

THE creditors who have proved their debts under a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Walter Carswell and Thomas Russell French, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Linen-Merchants, Copartners, Dealers and Chapman, are requested to meet the assignee of the estate and effects of the said bankrupts, on Saturday the 19th day of May next, at twelve of the clock at noon, at Mr. Thomas Tuffey Harding's office, in Princess-street, in Manchester aforesaid, in order to assent to or dissent from the said assignee commencing and prosecuting any action at law, or suit in equity, or in the Court of Bankruptcy, or taking any other proceedings which to him shall seem fit, for the recovery of a certain debt due to the said bankrupts from the Royal Bank of Scotland; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignee commencing and prosecuting any other action or actions, suit or suits, for the recovery of debts due to the said bankrupts; also to assent to or dissent from the said assignee filing and prosecuting, or answering or defending, any petition or suit in the Court of Review, for the purpose of enabling the said assignee to make a final dividend of the assets under the said Fiat; and on other special affairs.

THE creditors who have proved their debts under a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against Elisha Dickens, of Bugsworth, in the county of Derby, Cotton-Spinner, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, on Tuesday the 15th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon of the same day, at the Commissioners'-rooms, in Saint James's-square, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, in order to assent to or dissent from the said assignees commencing and prosecuting an action or actions, or such other proceeding at law or in equity as they may be advised, against certain parties, to be named at the said meeting, to recover divers articles of household furniture, farming stock, machinery, stock in trade, chattels, and effects which they claim to be entitled to as the purchasers thereof; and, in case the said creditors shall determine not to bring and prosecute any such proceedings as aforesaid, then to determine whether the said assignees shall or shall not proceed to a sale of the said household furniture, farming stock, machinery, stock in trade, chattels, and effects of the said bankrupt, or such portion of them as they shall think proper, leaving the said parties claiming the same to their remedy, if any, against the said assignees; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignees preferring a bill of indictment, or other criminal proceedings as counsel may advise, against certain persons, to be named at the said meeting; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignees paying and discharging, from and out of the said bankrupt's estate and effects, certain costs, charges, and expences incurred under the said Fiat, previous to, and in and about, the choice of assignees under the said bankrupt's estate, and also subsequent to their appointment as assignees, the particulars of all which costs and charges will be explained at the said meeting; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignees employing and paying, out of the estate, an accountant to examine and investigate, and adjust the said bankrupt's books and accounts, and manage and dispose of his estate; 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 the recovery or protection of all or any part of the said bankrupt's leasehold and other estate and effects; and compounding, submitting to arbitration, or agreeing or determining upon any question of doubt or difficulty, or otherwise arranging any other matter or thing relating to the leasehold and other estate and effects of the said bankrupt, and taking the opinion of counsel upon any point or points of difficulty that may arise touching the bankrupt's leasehold and other estate and effects; and generally to authorise and empower the said assignees to take such measures, or make such arrangements, touching the said bank-

rupt's leasehold and other estate and effects, as they shall deem most advantageous and beneficial for his general creditors; and on other special affairs.

WHEREAS at a meeting of the creditors of William Reynolds the younger, of Savage-gardens, in the city of London, Wine Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, against whom a Fiat in Bankruptcy is issued and now in prosecution, and under which the said bankrupt has passed his last examination, held at the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 23d day of April 1838, pursuant to notice in the London Gazette for that purpose duly given, it was agreed by nine-tenths, in number and value, of the creditors of the said bankrupt then and there present, who had proved their debts under the said Fiat, to accept an offer of security for a composition of 6s. 8d. in the pound for the debts of the said bankrupt, which the said bankrupt then and there made to his said creditors; and whereas another meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt will be holden, in the said Court of Commissioners, on the 17th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of deciding upon such offer, at which said time and place last mentioned, and for the purpose last aforesaid, the creditors of the said bankrupt are requested to meet.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against James Maskey, of Ivy-lane, in the city of London, Victualler, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to John Samuel Martin Fonblanque, Esq. a Commissioner of Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, on the 3d day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, and on the 5th of June following, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination, and the creditors are to assent to or dissent from the allowance of his certificate. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Belcher, Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. B. and J. Lawrence and Taylor, Solicitors, No. 25, Old Fish-street, Doctors'-commons.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against James William Bogie, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Underwriter, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Fiat named, or the major part of them, on the 11th day of May next, and on the 5th of June following, at one in the afternoon on each day, at the Clarendon-rooms, South John street, Liverpool, in the said county of Lancaster, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts, and at the first sitting to choose assignees, and at the last sitting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination, and the creditors are to assent to or dissent from the allowance of his certificate. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give notice to Messrs. Adlington, Gregory, Faulkner, and Follett, Solicitors, Bedford-row, London, or to Messrs. Radcliffe, Duncan, and Lowe, Solicitors, Liverpool.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against Mary Hatton and James Connor Hatton, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Wine and Spirit-Merchants, Dealers and Chapman, and they being declared bankrupts are hereby required to surrender themselves to the Commissioners in the said Fiat named, or the major part of them, on the 5th day of May next, and on the 5th day of June following, at one of the clock in the afternoon on each of the said days, at the Clarendon rooms, in Liverpool, in the said county of Lancaster, 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 first 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, are not to pay or deliver