

or charges of any part of the said bankrupt's real or personal estate until sold; and to the assignees paying off and discharging, out of the bankrupt's estate, all or any mortgages, liens, charges, or other incumbrances affecting the same, and taking reconveyances and re-assignments of the property mortgaged; and to the assignees procuring transfers of all or any of such mortgages to be made at the expence of the said bankrupt's estate, to any person who may be willing to advance the money, and take such transfers, so as to prevent sales of such property taking place, until advantageous opportunities may offer for effecting sales thereof; also to sanction and allow, or dissent from, the employment by the assignees of an accountant, and to assent to or dissent from their continuing to employ an accountant to manage, investigate, collect, dispose of, arrange, and settle the business, receipts, debts, property, effects, affairs, books, and accounts of and relating to the said bankrupt's estate, and to pay him such remuneration for his time and services, both past and future, as the assignees shall think proper and reasonable; and also to assent to or dissent from the said assignees compounding for, and taking less than the whole, in full satisfaction and discharge of any dubious, doubtful, or bad debt owing to the estate; and to their allowing time to any debtors for payment by instalments, with or without taking any security for the payment, and to their executing any composition, deed, letter of licence, deed of inspection, release or assignment, for the benefit of creditors, or other deed of arrangement or release which may be proposed by any debtor to the estate; also to assent to or dissent from the assignees abandoning and relinquishing, with or without compensation, and upon such terms as they may think proper, any contract or contracts made by the bankrupt, for the purchase of any property either upon chief rent or for money down; or in case the assignees shall think it advisable to their completing, at the expence of the estate, any such contract or contracts, and paying the consideration money out of the estate, and afterwards selling and disposing of such properties by auction or private contract, in the like manner, and with the like powers and authorities of buying in, reselling, selling up on credit without security, and exemption from loss as are before mentioned, and upon such terms and conditions as the assignees may think most advantageous to the bankrupt's estate; also to assent to or dissent from the said assignees selling, settling, arranging, and agreeing, upon such terms and conditions as they shall think proper, with any creditors claiming to be equitable mortgagees of, or to have any lien or charge upon any part of, the said bankrupt's property or estate, in respect of such equitable mortgage, lien, or charge, by allowing and confirming the same, or disputing and opposing the same, in case they shall be so advised; and to the assignees consenting to any creditor settling, arranging, and agreeing with any other person liable upon bills, notes, or other securities, held by such creditor in respect of the same, upon such terms and conditions as the assignees may think proper; and to any such creditor executing deeds of inspection, releases, assignments, letters of licence, inspection deeds, or any other deed of arrangement proposed by any parties so liable, and without prejudice to such creditors right of proof against the said bankrupt's estate; and also to assent to or dissent from the assignees commencing, taking, filing, bringing, prosecuting, defending, or opposing all such petitions, bills in equity, actions at law, and other proceedings at law, in equity, or bankruptcy, in respect of the said bankrupt's estate, or which shall be necessary for the protection, getting in, recovering, or defending the property, debts, estate and effects of the said bankrupt, or any part thereof, in anywise howsoever; and to the assignees compromising, arranging, settling, and agreeing the same, or any of them, and any other dispute or difference which may arise or exist respecting the said bankrupt's estate or affairs, upon such terms and conditions, and either by submitting the same to arbitration, or otherwise adjusting, settling, and agreeing the same, as the said assignees shall think most advantageous to the said bankrupt's estate; and on other special affairs.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the sixth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Fourth, 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 a Declaration was filed on the 23d day of October 1838, in the Office of the Lord Chancellor's Secretary of Bankrupts, signed and attested according to the said Act, by

JOHN PORTER, late of Para, in the empire of Brazil, and now of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Merchant, that he is in insolvent circumstances, and is unable to meet his engagements with his creditors.

And on the 26th day of October 1838, by

GEORGE FOLEY HODGKINSON, late of Calcutta, in the East Indies, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman (carrying on business there in copartnership with Michael Schlatter, and with Henry Fuller King, now deceased, under the firm of Hodgkinson, Schlatter, and Company), but now of Fenchurch-street, in the city of London, that he is in insolvent circumstances, and is unable to meet his engagements with his creditors.

THOMAS DORRELL, of Bermondsey-street, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, Grocer, Tea-Dealer, Dealer and Chapman, that he is in insolvent circumstances, and is unable to meet his engagements with his creditors.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date on or about the 10th of September 1838, was awarded and issued forth against Charles Price, of Clerkenwell-green, in the county of Middlesex, Lanip-Manufacturer and Glass-Bender, Dealer and Chapman; this is to give notice, that the said Fiat is, by order of the Court of Review in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 26th day of October 1838, rescinded and annulled.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against William Scoons, of Maidstone, in the county of Kent, Innkeeper, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Joshua Evans, Esq. a Commissioner of Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, on the 3d day of November next, at one of the clock in the afternoon, and on the 7th day of December following, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon 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. Lackington, Ironmonger-lane, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Fry and Loxley, Solicitors, 80, Cheapside, London.