

conveyance and assignment of the real and personal estate of the said bankrupt, for the benefit of his creditors; and in, about, or concurring an attempt to compound, settle, or arrange the affairs of the said bankrupt, without proceeding in the said bankruptcy, the bill for which will be produced at the said meeting; sixth, whether or not the said assignees shall pay and charge to the said estate the charges of an accountant employed in and about the accounts and affairs of the said bankrupt, the bill for which will be produced at the said meeting; seventh, to ratify or disallow the acts done by the assignees in the management of or relating to the estate or affairs of the said bankrupt; and generally to assent to or dissent from the said assignees taking all and every such measures on the winding up, arrangement, and settlement of the said bankrupt's affairs as to them shall seem expedient to the interest and benefit of the creditors; and on other special affairs.

THE creditors who have proved their debts under a Fiat in Bankruptcy awarded and issued forth against James Bown, of Melcombe Regis, in the county of Dorset, Builder, Dealer and Chapman, are requested to meet the assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, on Friday the 8th day of January next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the office of Mr. Phillips, Solicitor, in Saint Thomas's-street, in Melcombe Regis aforesaid, in order to assent to or dissent from the said assignees commencing and prosecuting any, and if any, what actions, or suits at law, or in equity, against certain persons to be named at the said meeting, for the recovery of certain debts due from them to the said bankrupt's estate, or any such part or parts of such debts, respectively, as the said assignees shall consider or be advised, are recoverable; and further to assent to or dissent from the said assignees compounding, compromising, submitting to arbitration or relinquishing and abandoning, the same debts, or any of them, or the claims and demands made by the said assignees in respect thereof, or otherwise, against the several persons above named, or any of them; 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 law relating to Bankrupts," it is enacted "That 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 14th day of December 1840, in the Office of the Lord Chancellor's Secretary of Bankrupts, signed and attested according to the said Act, by

EDWIN EDMONDS ROUSE, of the city of Worcester, Stationer and Printer, that he is in insolvent circumstances, and is unable to meet his engagements with his creditors.

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WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against Thomas Treherne, of Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, Upholsterer, 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 22d day of December instant; and on the 26th day of January next, at twelve at noon precisely on each day, 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. Abbott, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Pain and Hatherly, Solicitors, Great Marlborough-street.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against John Halliday, of No. 333, Wapping, in the county of Middlesex, Mast and Block-Maker, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Sir Charles Frederick Williams, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 28th day of December instant, and on the 26th day of January next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely on each of the said days, 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. George John Graham, No. 21, Basinghall-street, City, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Stevens and Co. Queen-street, Cheap-side.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against Charles Clutterbuck, of the Black Prince, No. 64, Clarendon-street, Covent-garden, in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to John Herman Merivale, Esq. a Commissioner of Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, on the 22d day of December instant, at twelve at noon precisely, and on the 26th day of January next, at eleven of the 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. G. Green, No. 18, Aldermanbury, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Isaac Ablett, Solicitor, No. 6, Newcastle-street, Strand.

WHEREAS a Fiat in Bankruptcy is awarded and issued forth against Charles Hawkins, of Tottenham-court-road, in the county of Middlesex, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Joshua Evans, Esq. one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 23d day of December instant, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, and on the 26th day of January next, at eleven of the 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