

would have had if inserted in the said Act passed in the fourth year of the reign of Her present Majesty.

Provided lastly, and we hereby declare and direct, that it shall be lawful for the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, or any two of them, by warrant under their hands, at any time hereafter to alter or repeal any of the rates hereby fixed or the regulations hereby made, and to make and establish any new or other rates or regulations in lieu thereof.

Whitehall, Treasury Chambers, the 21st day of February 1851.

*H. Rich.  
R. M. Bellew.*

*Whitehall, February 21, 1851.*

The Right Honourable Sir John Jervis, Knt. Lord Chief Justice of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, at Westminster, has appointed Thomas Wight the younger, of Kingswinford, in the county of Stafford, Gentleman, to be one of the Perpetual Commissioners for taking the acknowledgments of deeds to be executed by married women, under the Act passed for the abolition of fines and recoveries, and for the substitution of more simple modes of assurance, in and for the county of Stafford.

In the Matter of certain Letters Patent granted to Richard Tappin Claridge, of Salisbury-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, bearing date and sealed at Westminster the 25th day of November 1837, for "An invention of a Mastic Cement or Composition applicable to Paving and Road-making, covering buildings, and various purposes to which Cement, Mastic, Lead, Zinc, or Composition are employed;" and also of certain other Letters Patent granted to the said Richard Tappin Claridge, bearing date and sealed at Edinburgh the 27th day of March 1838, for the said invention; and also of certain other Letters Patent granted to the said Richard Tappin Claridge, bearing date and sealed at Dublin the 23rd day of April 1838, for the said invention.

NOTICE is hereby given that, upon a motion made by Counsel this day before the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council that a day might be appointed for hearing the matter of the petition of John Shewell and George Barrett Lennard, trustees of Claridge's Patent Asphalt Company, for a prolongation of the term of the above-mentioned letters patent, their Lordships did order that the matter of the said petition be

heard before the said Committee on Thursday the 15th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.—Dated the 21st day of February 1851.

*Hodgson and Burton, 10, Salisbury-street, Strand, Solicitors for the Petitioners.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that an application has been made to Her Majesty by the Submarine Telegraph Company between England and France (provisionally registered), formed for the purpose of establishing a system of telegraphic agency by means of submarine communication between the kingdoms of England and France, to grant to such Company a Charter of Incorporation under the provisions of the Act of the 1st Vict. cap. 73, intituled "An Act for enabling Her Majesty to confer certain powers and immunities on Trading and other Companies."—Dated this 18th day of February 1851.

*Davies, Son, and Campbell, Warwick-street, Regent-street, Solicitors to the Company.*

*Masters' Office, Southampton-Buildings, 20th day of February 1851.*

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849, and of the Tontine Life Assurance Company.

I APPOINT Saturday the 8th day of March 1851, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at my chambers, in Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, London, to proceed to make a call on all the contributories of this Company on the list of contributories of this Company, as settled by me, who have not paid up the sum of 20s. per share. All persons interested are entitled to attend at such day, hour, and place, to offer objection to such call.

*W. Horne.*

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Act, 1848, and of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Amendment Act, 1849, and of the Cheltenham, Oxford, and Brighton Junction Railway Company.

BY direction of the Honourable Sir George Rose, the Master of the High Court of Chancery charged with the winding up of this Company, notice is hereby given, that the said Master will proceed, on Thursday the 13th day of March next, at twelve o'clock at noon, at his chambers, in Southampton-buildings, London, to settle the list of contributories of this Company; and that after such list shall have been so settled, no party affected thereby will be allowed to dispute the same without leave of the High Court of Chancery first obtained.—Dated this 20th day of February 1851.

*G. Rose.*

LIABILITIES AND ASSETS OF THE ORIENTAL BANK;

February 1, 1851.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Deposits and other Liabilities...	1,660,362	12	9	Cash and Government Securities	405,796	13	4
Capital paid up and Reserved Fund ... ..	754,725	0	0	Bills Outstanding, Cash Credits, and Loans ... ..	1,718,829	1	7
				Dead Stock ... ..	44,278	3	11
				Balances due by other Banks and Branches ... ..	246,183	13	11
	<u>£2,415,087</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>9</u>		<u>£2,415,087</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>9</u>

John Skinner, Deputy Accountant.

H. G. Gordon, Chairman.