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TUESDAY, MAY 16, 1854.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, April 18, 1854.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold a Drawing-Room at St. James's Palace, on Saturday, 20th May next, at two o'clock, to celebrate Her Majesty's Birth-day.

N.B. The Knights of the several Orders are to appear in their Collars.

REGULATIONS TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S DRAWING-ROOM, AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE.

The Ladies, who purpose to attend Her Majesty's Drawing-Room, at St. James's Palace, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with the Queen's Page in Attendance in the Ante-room, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to Her Majesty.

No presentations will take place at the Drawing-Room on the 20th of May next.

It is particularly requested that in every case the names be *very distinctly written* upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to The Queen.

The state apartments will not be open for the reception of Company coming to Court, until half-past one o'clock.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, April 18, 1854.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty will hold a Levee, at St. James's Palace, on Friday the 9th June next, at two o'clock.

REGULATIONS TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEVEE AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE.

The Noblemen and Gentlemen, who purpose to attend Her Majesty's Levee, at St. James's Palace, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with the Queen's Page in Attendance in the Ante-Room, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to Her Majesty.

Those Gentlemen who are to be presented at the Levee on the 9th of June next, are hereby informed, it is absolutely necessary that their names, with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to present them, should be delivered at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, before Wednesday, the 7th of June next, by twelve

o'clock, in order that they may be submitted for The Queen's approbation; it being Her Majesty's command, that no presentation shall be made at the Levee but in conformity with the above regulations.

It is particularly requested, that in every case the names be *very distinctly written* upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing them to The Queen.

The state apartments will not be open for the reception of Company coming to Court, until half-past one o'clock.

Notice is hereby given, that all persons having petitions or addresses to present to Her Majesty at the Levee on the 9th of June next, are to deliver a card (having on it their names, a statement of the object of such Petitions or Addresses, and the names of the persons from whom they come), to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, before twelve o'clock, on Wednesday the 7th of June next, and that two other cards, having on them precisely what is written upon that sent to the Lord Chamberlain's Office, are to be taken to the Levee; one to be delivered to the Page in the Ante-Room, and the other to the Lord Chamberlain, who will read its contents to The Queen; and, on these occasions, no other statement is to be addressed to Her Majesty.

A Deputation to present an Address is not to exceed four persons.

*Whitehall, May 13, 1854.*

The Queen has been pleased to nominate and appoint John Deas, Esq., one of the Lords of Session, to be one of the Lords of Justiciary in Scotland, in the room of Henry Cockburn, Esq., deceased.

*Whitehall, May 13, 1854.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant the place of one of the Lords of Session in Scotland to Charles Neaves, Esq., Advocate, in the room of Henry Cockburn, Esq., deceased.

*Whitehall, May 16, 1854.*

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend John Tolmie to the church at Strontian, in the presbytery of Mull, and shire of Argyll, vacant by the death of the Reverend Robert Stewart.

*Foreign-Office, May 15, 1854.*

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Augustus W. Scharit as Consul at Falmouth for the United States of America.

*Downing-Street, May 13, 1854.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Captain Thomas Vernon Watkins, R.N., to be Harbour Master and Marine Magistrate for the Colony of Hong Kong.

*Westminster, May 12, 1854.*

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them that *The Lords authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act for granting to Her Majesty additional duties on profits arising from property, professions, trades, and offices.

An Act for raising the sum of sixteen millions twenty-four thousand one hundred pounds by Exchequer Bills for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

An Act for extending the time limited for putting into execution the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her present Majesty for the better management and control of highways in South Wales.

An Act further to amend an Act relating to the valuation of rateable property in Ireland.

An Act to authorize the inclosure of certain lands in pursuance of a report of the Inclosure Commissioners for England and Wales.

An Act to amend the laws relating to ministers' money and the church temporalities (Ireland) Act.

An Act to continue Her Majesty's Commission for building new churches.

An Act to amend the Acts relating to the Militia of the United Kingdom.

An Act to enable the London Life Association to increase the amount authorized by their deed of settlement to be assured upon a single life in the said Society.

An Act for granting further powers to the Radcliffe and Pilkington Gas Company.

An Act for better supplying with gas the town of Middleton and the neighbourhood thereof, in the county palatine of Lancaster.

An Act to enable the Leeds New Gas Company to raise a further sum of money, to consolidate and amend the Acts relating to the Company, and for other purposes.

An Act for incorporating and extending the powers of the Hastings and Saint Leonards Gas Company.

An Act for enabling the Brighton, Hove, and Preston Constant Service Waterworks Company to purchase the undertaking of the Brighton, Hove, and Preston Waterworks Company, and for granting to the first named Company all necessary powers for supplying with water, the parishes of Brighton, Hove, and Preston, in the county of Sussex.

An Act for the improvement of the borough of Warrington, and for enabling the council thereof to erect a covered market, and for other purposes.

An Act to warp and improve certain lands in the level of Hatfield Chase.

An Act for enabling the Norwich Equitable Fire Assurance Company to sue and be sued in that name, and for other purposes.

An Act for enabling the Nottingham Waterworks Company to raise a further sum of money, and for amending some of the provisions of the Act relating to such Company.

An Act to consolidate the stock and powers of the Corporation of "The Royal Exchange Assurance of Houses and Goods from Fire" with the stock and powers of the Corporation of "The Royal Exchange Assurance," and to confer on the last-named Corporation the powers of "The Royal Exchange Assurance Annuity Company," and "The Royal Exchange Assurance Loan Company," and to give additional powers to "The Royal Exchange Assurance."

An Act to confer additional powers upon the Corporation of The Amicable Society for a perpetual Assurance Office, for the purposes of investment.

An Act to enable the Dock Company at Kingston-upon-Hull to raise a further sum of money, and to convert the mortgage and bond debt of the Company into debenture stock and perpetual annuities and for other purposes.

An Act for establishing a police superannuation fund in the borough of Liverpool.

An Act to make further provision for the sewerage sanitary regulation and improvement of the borough of Liverpool.

An Act for repealing "The Stafford Gas Act, 1846," and for reconstituting the Stafford Gas Company with additional powers, and for other purposes.

An Act for continuing the term and amending and extending the provisions of the Act relating to the Kingswood District of Turnpike-roads in the county of Gloucester.

An Act to enable the Rossendale Waterworks Company to raise a further sum of money.

An Act for supplying with gas, Ramsbottom and other places in the parish of Bury, in the county palatine of Lancaster.

An Act for enabling the Scarborough Public Market Company to raise a further sum of money, and for amending and consolidating the provisions of the Act relating to such Company.

An Act for lighting with gas the borough of Bolton and places near thereto, and for other purposes, and of which the short title is "The Bolton Gas Company's Act, 1854."

An Act for better supplying with water the town of Southport, in the county palatine of Lancaster, and the neighbourhood thereof.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,  
May 13, 1854.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Foreign Plantations have received, through the Commissioners of Northern Lighthouses, a Notice, issued by the American Lighthouse Board (copy of which is annexed), relative to the proposed changes in the lights at Cape Hatteras, Body's Island, and Ocracoke.

**NOTICE TO MARINERS.**

*Changes of Lights at Cape Hatteras, Body's Island, and Ocracoke (Coast of North Carolina).*

IN conformity to the Notice to Mariners, issued from the Office of the Lighthouse Board, at

Washington, under date of December 1st, 1853, notice is hereby given, that the proposed changes will take place simultaneously at the three above-named lighthouses on the night of the 1st of June next (1854).

#### CAPE HATTERAS.

The Cape Hatteras Light will be a First Order Fresnel Flashing Lens, exhibiting, in every 20 seconds of time, a brilliant white flash of 8 seconds' duration, followed by a total eclipse of 12 seconds' duration.

At the distance of 14 to 18 miles the duration of the flash will be somewhat less, and that of the eclipse proportionably greater.

The height of the tower from the ground to the top of the lantern is 140 feet.

The colour of the tower from the ground to the height of 20 feet is grey, and the remainder red.

The tower is placed about 2 miles from the point of the Cape, on the southward and eastward extremity of a long ridge of white and naked sand, backed by woods.

The space of about two miles, between the lighthouse and the pitch of the Cape, is a low flat and bare sand beach, very little above extreme high water.

The light will be 150 feet above the level of the sea, and should be seen, in good weather, from a position 15 feet above the water, at the distance of about 19 nautical or 22 statute miles.

The approximate position of the Cape Hatteras Lighthouse, as determined by the Coast Survey, is—latitude  $35^{\circ} 15' 11''$  north, longitude  $75^{\circ} 30' 33''$  west from Greenwich.

#### BODY'S ISLAND.

The Body's Island Light, about 32 nautical miles to the northward of Cape Hatteras, will be changed at the same time (June 1st, 1854) to a Fourth Order Fresnel Fixed White Light, varied by alternate red and white flashes.

This light will be 50 feet above the level of the sea, and the white flashes should be seen, in good weather, from a position 15 feet above the water, at the distance of about 13 nautical or 15 statute miles; the fixed light not quite so far as the white flashes, and the red flashes at a less distance than the fixed white light.

The approximate position of Body's Island Light, as determined by the Coast Survey, is—latitude  $35^{\circ} 47' 20''.5$  north, longitude  $75^{\circ} 31' 20''$  west from Greenwich.

#### OCRACOKE.

The Ocracoke Light, about  $23\frac{1}{2}$  nautical miles to the southward and westward of Cape Hatteras Lighthouse, will be changed at the same time (June 1st, 1854,) to a Fourth Order Fresnel Fixed White Light.

This light will be 75 feet above the level of the sea, illuminate the entire horizon, and should be seen, in good weather, from a position 15 feet above the water, at the distance of about  $14\frac{1}{2}$  nautical or  $16\frac{1}{2}$  statute miles.

The approximate position of Ocracoke Lighthouse, as determined by the Coast Survey, is—latitude  $35^{\circ} 06' 31''.6$  north, longitude  $75^{\circ} 58' 27''.4$  west from Greenwich.

By Order of the Lighthouse Board,

D. P. WOODBURY,  
Captain of Engineers.

April 15, 1854.

#### Commission signed by Her Majesty.

##### Queen's Own Light Infantry Regiment of Tower Hamlets Militia.

George Frederick Weller Poley, Esq., late a Captain in Her Majesty's 20th Regiment, to be Captain and Adjutant, vice Cowell, retired.

##### Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Warwick.

###### Warwickshire Militia.

###### 1st Regiment

William David Lloyd Sparrow, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st May, 1854.

###### 2nd Regiment.

Francis Warburton, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Howe, resigned. Dated 1st May, 1854.

##### Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent.

###### East Kent Regiment of Mounted Rifles.

Edward Cholmeley Dering, Gent., to be Cornet. Dated 8th May, 1854.

Edward Wheler Wheler, Gent., to be Cornet. Dated 9th May, 1854.

##### Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Brecknock.

###### Brecknock Royal Rifle Regiment of Militia.

Howell Gwynne Howell, Esq., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th May, 1854.

William Dowding, Esq., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 9th May, 1854.

##### Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Merioneth.

###### Merioneth Rifle Regiment of Militia.

Edward Abadam, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 8th May, 1854.

Thomas Ellis, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 8th May, 1854.

###### Royal Merioneth Militia.

John Henry Waterfall, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 13th May, 1854.

##### Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent.

###### East Kent Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant Frederick Warre to be Captain. Dated 8th May, 1854.

##### Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Buckingham.

###### 2nd Regiment of Royal Bucks Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet Henry Drummond to be Lieutenant, vice Blandy, resigned. Dated 6th May, 1854.

##### Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lanark.

###### Lanarkshire Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant Robert Lockhart to be Captain, vice Gray, resigned. Dated 11th May, 1854.

Cornet John George Chancellor to be Lieutenant, vice Lockhart, promoted. Dated 11th May, 1854.

James Thomson Rankine, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Chancellor, promoted. Dated 11th May, 1854.

*Whitehall, April 13, 1854.*

The Lord Chancellor has appointed John Mackeness Stevenson, of the town of Northampton, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

*Whitehall, May 10, 1854.*

The Lord Chancellor has appointed William Henry Macaulay, of Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

From the DUBLIN GAZETTE of Friday,  
May 12, 1854.

*Crown and Hanaper-Office, 9th May, 1854.*

**ELECTION OF A TEMPORAL PEER OF IRELAND.**

In pursuance of an Act, passed in the fortieth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to regulate the mode by which the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Commons, to serve in the Parliament of the United Kingdom, on the part of Ireland, shall be summoned and returned to the said Parliament," I do hereby give notice, that writs, bearing teste this day, have issued for electing a Temporal Peer of Ireland, to succeed to the vacancy made by the demise of Hayes St. Leger, Viscount Doneraile, in the House of Lords of the said United Kingdom; which said writs are severally directed to the following Peers, who sat and voted in the House of Lords in Ireland before the Union, or whose right to vote on the election of Temporal Peers of Ireland hath, upon claims made on their behalf, been admitted since the Union by the House of Lords of the said United Kingdom; and that the said writs are ready to be delivered at this Office:

Augustus Frederick, Duke of Leinster.  
Henry De La Poer, Marquess of Waterford.  
Arthur Wills Blundell Sandys Trumbull, Marquess of Downshire.  
George Hamilton, Marquess of Donegal.  
Henry Francis Seymour, Marquess of Drogheda.  
Thomas, Marquess of Headfort.  
George John, Marquess of Sligo.  
John Loftus, Marquess of Ely.  
Francis Nathaniel, Marquess Conyngham.  
George Thomas John, Marquess of Westmeath.  
John, Marquess of Ormonde.  
Ulick John, Marquess of Clanricarde.  
Edmond, Earl of Cork and Orrery.  
Arthur James, Earl of Fingall.  
Frederick John William, Earl of Cavan.  
Henry, Earl of Kerry and Shelbourne.  
John Stuart, Earl of Darnley.  
George, Earl of Egmont.  
John George, Earl of Bessborough.  
Richard, Earl of Shannon.  
John George Danvers Butler, Earl of Lanesborough.  
James, Earl of Fife.  
John Delaval, Earl of Tyrconnell.  
Philip York, Earl of Arran.  
James Thomas, Earl of Courtown.  
Joseph, Earl of Milltown.  
Francis William, Earl of Charlemont.  
John, Earl of Mexborough.  
Thomas, Earl of Howth.

Charles William, Earl of Sefton.  
Robert, Earl of Roden.  
Ernest, Earl of Lisburn.  
Richard Plantaganet, Earl Nugent.  
Stephen, Earl of Mount-Cashel.  
Edward Michael, Earl of Longford.  
Henry John Reuben Dawson, Earl of Portarlington.  
Robert, Earl of Mayo.  
William, Earl of Enniskillen.  
John, Earl of Erne.  
Otway O'Connor, Earl of Desart.  
William Forward, Earl of Wicklow.  
John Henry, Earl of Clonmel.  
Nathaniel, Earl of Leitrim.  
George Charles, Earl of Lucan.  
James, Earl of Bandon.  
Robert, Earl of Castlestuart.  
James Dupré, Earl of Caledon.  
William Henry Tennison, Earl of Limerick.  
William Thomas, Earl of Clancarty.  
William, Earl of Rosse.  
Welbore Ellis, Earl of Normanton.  
Charles, Earl of Charleville.  
Richard, Earl of Bantry.  
Richard, Earl of Glengall.  
George Augustus Frederick, Earl of Sheffield.  
Francis Jack, Earl of Kilmorey.  
Edwin Richard, Earl of Dunraven.  
William, Earl of Listowel.  
Hector, Earl of Norbury.  
Thomas, Earl of Ranfurly.  
Jenico, Viscount Gormanstown.  
George Child, Viscount Grandison.  
Henry Charles, Viscount Dillon.  
John Saville Lumley, Viscount Lumley.  
Percy Clinton Sydney, Viscount Strangford.  
Thomas Heron, Viscount Ranelagh.  
James, Viscount Strabane.  
Richard Pigot, Viscount Molesworth.  
Richard Walter, Viscount Chetwynd.  
Gustavus, Viscount Boyne.  
William Keppel, Viscount Barrington.  
George Edward Arundell Monckton, Viscount Galway.  
Henry Walker, Viscount Ashbrooke.  
Hervey, Viscount Mount-Morris.  
Arthur Trever, Viscount Dungannon.  
Thomas Anthony, Viscount Southwell.  
John, Viscount De Vesci.  
James, Viscount Lifford.  
Edward, Viscount Bangor.  
Frederick James, Viscount Melbourne.  
Henry, Viscount Clifden.  
Hayes, Viscount Doneraile.  
John James, Viscount Harberton.  
Cornwallis, Viscount Hawarden.  
John, Viscount O'Neill.  
Charles Stanley, Viscount Monck.  
Barry John, Viscount Avonmore.  
Cornelius, Viscount Lismore.  
Robert, Viscount Lorton.  
Lodge Redmond, Viscount Frankfort De Montmorency.  
Thomas, Baron Trimlestown.  
Cadwallader Davis, Baron Blayney.  
George Percy, Baron Carberry.  
Henry, Baron Farnham.  
Constantine Henry, Baron Mulgrave.  
Godfrey, Baron Macdonald.  
William, Baron Kensington.  
Henry, Baron Rokeby.  
Mathew Fitzmaurice, Baron Muskerry.  
John Cavendish, Baron Kilmaine.  
Robert, Baron Clonbrock.  
Henry Cavendish, Baron Waterpark.  
Samuel, Baron Bridport.

George Augustus Henry Anne, Baron Rancliffe.

Beaumont, Baron Hotham.

Richard, Baron Cremorne.

Charles John, Baron Teignmouth.

Edward, Baron Crofton.

Charles, Baron Ffrench.

Anthony, Baron Henley.

Clotworthy Wellington William Robert, Baron Langford.

Frederick, Baron Dufferin and Clanebo.

John, Baron Henniker.

Thomas Townsend Meredith, Baron Ventry.

Henry, Baron Dunally.

Granville George, Baron Radstock.

Alan Legge, Baron Gardner.

George, Baron Nugent.

Byre, Baron Clarina.

Frederick Thomas, Baron Rendlesham.

Richard, Baron Castlemaine.

John Horsley, Baron Decies.

Charles, Baron Garvagh.

Ulysses, Baron Downes.

John Douglas, Baron Bloomfield.

Henry Vesey Fitz Gerald, Baron Fitz Gerald and Vesey.

James, Baron Talbot.

Robert Shapland, Baron Carew.

Dominick, Baron Oranmore and Browne.

Denis St. George, Baron Dunsandle and Clanconal.

Thomas, Baron Clermont.

*C. Fitz-Simon,*

Clerk of the Crown and Hanaper.

Leominster and Kington Railway.

Alteration of Line in Parishes of Kingsland, Eardisland, and Shobdon.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Promoters of the Leominster and Kington Railway Bill, now before the House of Commons, intend to apply to Parliament in the present session, for leave to introduce into the said Bill all necessary powers for enabling them to deviate in the parishes of Kingsland, Eardisland, and Shobdon, from the line of railway as shown upon the plans deposited in accordance with the Standing Orders of Parliament in November last.

The said deviation will commence in the parish of Kingsland, in a field numbered 98 on the said plans, pass through or into the parishes of Eardisland and Shobdon, in the county of Hereford, and terminate in the said parish of Eardisland, in a field numbered 9 on the said plans.

And it is intended to extend to the said deviation the same rights and privileges as are or will be conferred by the Bill with respect to the other portions of the intended railway.

And notice is hereby further given, that a plan and section of the deviation, with a book of reference thereto, containing the names of the owners, lessees, and occupiers of the property through which the deviation will pass, were deposited for public inspection on the twenty-ninth day of April last, at the office of the Clerk of the Peace for the said county of Hereford, at Hereford, and with the parish clerks of the said parishes of Kingsland, Eardisland, and Shobdon, at their respective places of abode.

Dated this first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

*Baxter, Rose, and Norton, 3, Park-street, Westminster;*

*Davies and Edwards, Leominster;*

*B. Bodenham and Arthur Cheese, Kington; Solicitors for the Bill.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named New College Chapel, situated on the north-east side of the Upper Avenue-road, and corner of the Adelaide-road, Saint John's Wood, in the parish of Saint John, Hampstead, in the county of Middlesex, in the district of Hampstead, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 10th day of May, 1854, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 12th day of May, 1854.

*Thos. Toller, Superintendent Registrar.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Independent Chapel, situated in the parish of Broadway, in the county of Worcester, in the district of the Evesham Union, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 27th day of April, 1854, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 3rd day of May, 1854.

*J. B. Saunders, Superintendent Registrar.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Bar Church, situated at Scarborough, in the parish of Scarborough, in the county of York, in the district of Scarborough, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 10th day of May, 1854, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 11th day of May, 1854.

*Edwd. S. Donner, Superintendent Registrar.*

In the Matter of Letters Patent granted to Charles Payne, of No. 10, Upper Kennington-lane, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman, and bearing date and sealed at Westminster, the 13th day of October, 1840, at Edinburgh, the 11th day of November, 1840, and at Dublin, the 25th day of March, 1811 respectively, in the 4th year of Her Majesty's reign, and granted for "certain improvements in salting animal matters."

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that Charles Payne, of Belmont-place, Vauxhall, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman, intends under and by virtue of the statutes 5 and 6 William the 4th, cap. 83; 7 and 8 Victoria, cap. 69; and the Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852, to apply by petition to Her Majesty in Council for a prolongation of the terms of the said several letters patent; and notice is hereby further given, that the said Charles Payne, intends to apply by Counsel to the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, on the twenty-second day of June now next, or if the said Judicial Committee shall not sit on that day, at the then next sitting of the said Judicial Committee for a time to be fixed for hearing the matter of his said petition, and that on or before the said twenty-second day of June next, notice must be given of any opposition intended to be made to the said petition, and any person intending to oppose the said application must lodge a caveat to that effect at the Council Office on or before that day.

Dated this 11th day of May, 1854.

*Gough and Son, 10, Craig's-court, Charing-cross, London, Solicitors for the above-named Charles Payne.*

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act seventh and eighth Victoria, cap. 32, of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES, of the several Banks of Issue in ENGLAND and WALES, in Circulation during the Week ending Saturday the 6th day of May, 1854.

## PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£.
Andover Bank .....	Andover .....	Heath and Co. ....	12280
Ashford Bank .....	Ashford .....	Jemmett, Pomfret, & Co. ....	12144
Aylsham Bank .....	Aylsham .....	G. and T. Copeman .....	4465
Aylesbury Old Bank .....	Aylesbury .....	Z. D. Hunt .....	28667
Baldock Bank and Baldock and Biggleswade Bank .....	Baldock .....	Wells, Hogge, and Co. ....	25473
Barnstaple Bank .....	Barnstaple .....	Marshall and Co. ....	12257
Basingstoke and Odiham Bank .....	Basingstoke .....	Seymour, Lamb, and Co. ....	19935
Bedford Bank .....	Bedford .....	T. Barnard and Sons .....	32676
Bewdley Bank .....	Bewdley .....	Nichols, Baker, and Co .....	14215
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank and Oxford Bank .....	Bicester .....	H. M. and G. Tubb .....	14490
Birmingham Bank .....	Birmingham .....	Attwoods, Spooner, and Co.....	22878
Birmingham and Warwickshire Bank .....	Birmingham .....	J. L. Moilliet and Sons.....	11062
Blandford Bank .....	Blandford.....	Oak and Co.....	9033
Boston Bank .....	Boston .....	Garfit and Co. ....	75777
Boston Bank .....	Boston .....	H. and T. Gee and Co.....	15091
Bridgwater Bank .....	Bridgwater .....	J. and J. L. Sealey .....	6974
Bristol Bank .....	Bristol .....	Miles, Miles, and Co.....	42655
Broseley and Bridgnorth and Bridgnorth and Broseley Bank .....	Broseley .....	Pritchards, Boycott, & Co.....	18515
Buckingham Bank .....	Buckingham .....	Bartlett, Parrott, and Co.....	22208
Bury and Suffolk Bank, Sudbury Bank, and Stowmarket Bank.....	Bury St. Edmunds	Oakes, Bevan, and Co.....	69706
Banbury Bank .....	Banbury .....	J. J. and C. Gillett .....	35811
Banbury Old Bank .....	Banbury .....	Cobb and Son.....	25814
Bath City Bank .....	Bath.....	G. Moger and Son.....	2837
Bedfordshire Leighton Buzzard Bank .....	Leighton Buzzard	Bassett, Son, and Co. ....	34057
Birmingham Bank .....	Birmingham .....	Lloyds and Co. ....	33729
Bradford Old Bank.....	Bradford, Yorkshire	H. A. & W. M. Harris & Co.....	12005
Brecon Old Bank .....	Brecon .....	Wilkins and Co. ....	66296
Brighton Union Bank.....	Brighton .....	Hall, West, and Borrer .....	27900
Burlington and Driffield Bank ..	Burlington .....	Harding, Smith, and Co. ....	12385
Bury Saint Edmunds Bank .....	Bury St. Edmunds	J. Worledge.....	2850
Cambridge Bank.....	Cambridge .....	Mortlock and Co. ....	16655
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank .....	Cambridge .....	Messrs. Fosters .....	44809
Canterbury Bank .....	Canterbury .....	Hammond and Co. ....	32382
Carmarthen Bank .....	Carmarthen .....	David Morris and Sons.....	22298
Chertsey Bank .....	Chertsey .....	La Coste and Son.....	3236
Colchester Bank .....	Colchester .....	Round and Green.....	18106
Colchester and Essex Bank, and Witham and Essex Bank, and Hadleigh, Suffolk, Bank .....	Colchester .....	Mills, Bawtree, and Co. ....	30440
Cornish Bank, Truro .....	Truro .....	Tweedy and Co. ....	47615
Coventry Bank .....	Coventry .....	Little and Woodcock .....	6670
City Bank, Exeter .....	Exeter .....	Milford and Co.....	21129
Craven Bank .....	Settle .....	Alcocks, Birkbecks, & Co. ....	75752
Cardiff Bank .....	Cardiff.....	Towgood and Co. ....	6627
Chepstow Old Bank, Chepstow Bank, Monmouth Old Bank, Monmouth Bank, Brecon Bank, and Ross and Herefordshire Bank .....	Chepstow .....	Bromage, Sneed, and Co. ....	8901
Derby Bank .....	Derby .....	W. and S. Evans and Co. ....	11877
Derby Bank .....	Derby ..	Samuel Smith and Co.....	38656
Derby Old Bank and Scarsdale and High Peak Bank.....	Derby ..	Crompton, Newton & Co.....	25953

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£
Devizes and Wiltshire Bank.....	Devizes .....	Locke and Co. ....	10278
Diss Bank .....	Diss .....	Oakes, Fincham, and Co. ....	10530
Doncaster Bank and Retford Bank..	Doncaster.....	Cooke and Co. ....	77089
Darlington Bank, Durham Bank, } and Stockton-on-Tees Bank..... }	Darlington .....	Backhouse and Co. ....	86504
Devonport Bank.....	Devonport .....	Hodge and Co. ....	10772
Dorchester Old Bank and Dorset- shire Bank .....	Dorchester .....	R. and H. Williams .....	46946
East Cornwall Bank.....	Liskeard .....	Robins, Foster, and Co. ....	106924
East Riding Bank.....	Beverley .....	Bower and Co. ....	50824
Essex Bank and Bishop's Stortford } Bank .....	Chelmsford .....	Sparrow, Round, and Co.....	46587
Exeter Bank .....	Exeter .....	Sanders and Co. ....	28018
Fakenham Bank .....	Fakenham .....	Gurneys, Birkbeck, & Co. ....	22693
Farringdon Bank and Bank of Wantage	Farringdon .....	Barnes, Medley, and Co .....	6621
Farnham Bank .....	Farnham .....	John and Jas. Knight .....	12072
Faversham Bank.....	Faversham .....	Hilton and Co. ....	6235
Godalming Bank.....	Godalming .....	Mellersh and Keen .....	6228
Guildford Bank .....	Guildford.....	Messrs. Haydon.....	8095
Grantham Bank .....	Grantham .....	Hardy and Co. ....	30948
Hastings Old Bank.....	Hastings .....	Smith, Hilder, and Co.....	33949
Hereford City and County Bank.....	Hereford .....	Matthews and Co.....	18803
Hertford and Ware Bank .....	Hertford .....	S. Adams and Co.....	19530
Hull Bank and Kingston-upon-Hull } Bank .....	Hull... ..	Smith, Brothers, and Co. ....	19165
Huntingdon Town and County Bank	Huntingdon.....	Veaseys, and Co. ....	47137
Harwich Bank .....	Harwich .....	Cox, Cobbold, and Co.....	5525
Hemel Hempstead Bank.....	Hemel Hempstead	Smith and Whittingstall .....	23162
Hertfordshire, Hitchin Bank.....	Hitchin .....	Sharples and Co. ....	37368
Hereford, Ross and Archenfield } Bank, and Ross and Archenfield } Bank .....	Hereford .....	Morgan and Co. ....	22138
Ipswich Bank .....	Ipswich .....	Bacon and Co. ....	20317
Ipswich and Needham Market Bank, } Suffolk, Hadleigh Bank, Man- } ningtree and Mistley Bank, and } Woodbridge Bank .....	Ipswich .....	Alexanders and Co. ....	63357
Kentish Bank .....	Maidstone .....	Mercer, Randall, and Co. ....	16110
Kington and Radnorshire Bank.....	Kington .....	Davies and Co. ....	26036
Knighton Bank .....	Knighton.. ..	Davies and Co. ....	9155
Knaresborough Old Bank and Ripon } Old Bank.....	Knaresborough ..	Harrisons and Co.....	22091
Kendal Bank .....	Kendal.....	Wakefield, Crewdson, and Co....	43701
Kettering Bank .....	Kettering.....	J. C. Gotch and Sons .....	8754
Lane End Staffordshire Bank .....	Lane End.....	C. Harvey and Son .....	5240
Leeds Bank.....	Leeds ..	Beckett and Co. ....	53269
Leeds Union Bank .....	Leeds .....	W. Williams, Brown and Co. ...	26785
Leicester Bank .....	Leicester ..	Pagets and Kirby .....	29034
Lewes Old Bank .....	Lewes .....	Molineux and Co. ....	29759
Lichfield Bank.....	Lichfield .....	Palmer and Greene .....	12207
Lincoln Bank .....	Lincoln .....	Smith, Ellison, and Co.....	97605
Llandoverly Bank, Lampeter Bank, } and Llandilo Bank .....	Llandoverly .....	D. Jones and Co. ....	20753
Loughborough Bank .....	Loughborough.....	Middleton and Cradock .....	7355
Lymington Bank.....	Lymington .....	St. Barbe and Co. ....	4024
Lynn Regis and Lincolnshire Bank ..	Lynn Regis .....	Gurneys and Co. ....	35680
Lynn Regis and Norfolk Bank .....	Lynn Regis .....	Jarvis and Co. ..	12427

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£.
Macclesfield Bank .....	Macclesfield .....	Broeklehurst and Co. ....	15670
Manningtree Bank .....	Manningtree .....	Nunn and Co. ....	2942
Merionethshire Bank .....	Dolgelly .....	Williams and Son .....	7562
Miners' Bank .....	Truro .....	Willyams and Co. ....	15393
Monmouthshire Agricultural and Commercial Bank ..	Abergavenny .....	Bailey and Co. .. .	29470
Monmouth Old Bank, Monmouth Bank, Brecon Bank, Chepstow Bank, Chepstow Old Bank, and Ross and Herefordshire Bank.....	Monmouth .....	Bromage, Sneed, and Co. ....	15733
Newark Bank .....	Newark .....	Godfrey and Riddell. ....	26530
Newark and Sleaford Bank, and Sleaford and Newark Bank .....	Sleaford .....	Handley, Peacock, and Co. ....	52903
Newbury Bank .....	Newbury .....	Bunny and Slocock ....	21585
Newmarket Bank .....	Newmarket .....	Eaton, Hammond, and Co. ....	20117
Norwich Crown Bank and Norfolk and Suffolk Bank .....	Norwich .....	Harveys and Hudsons .....	48245
Norwich and Norfolk Bank .....	Norwich .....	Gurneys and Birkbeck .....	69745
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Bank .....	Nottingham .....	Hart, Fellows, and Co. ....	10292
Nuneaton Bank .....	Nuneaton .....	Craddock and Co. ....	2974
Naval Bank, Plymouth ..	Plymouth.....	Harris and Co. ....	27282
New Sarum Bank .....	Sarum .....	Everett and Co. ....	12204
Nottingham Bank .....	Nottingham .....	Samuel Smith and Co. ....	31121
Oswestry Bank and Oswestry Old Bank .....	Oswestry .....	Croxon and Co. ....	11113
Oxford Old Bank .....	Oxford .....	Robinson, Parsons, & Co. ....	33939
Old Bank, Tonbridge, Tonbridge and Tonbridge Wells Old Bank, Tonbridge and Tonbridge Wells and Sevenoaks Bank.....	Tonbridge .....	T. H. and S. Beaching.....	8965
Oxfordshire Witney Bank .....	Witney .....	J. W. Clinch and Co. ....	10321
Pease's Old Bank, Hull, the Hull Old Bank and Beverley Bank.....	Hull.....	Pease and Co. ....	46588
Penzance Bank .....	Penzance .....	Batten and Co. ....	11093
Peterborough Bank and Oundle Bank .....	Peterborough .....	D. Yorke and Co. ....	10669
Pembrokeshire Bank .....	Haverfordwest.....	J. and W. Walters .....	10181
Reading Bank .. .	Reading .....	Simonds and Co. ....	31355
Reading Bank .....	Reading .....	Stephens, Blandy, and Co. ....	31155
Richmond Bank .....	Richmond .....	Roper and Co. ....	7077
Rochdale Bank .....	Rochdale .....	Clement, Royds, and Co. ....	4900
Rochester, Chatham, and Strood Bank .....	Rochester.....	Day and Nicholson ..	7788
Royston Bank .....	Royston .....	Fordham and Sons .....	13810
Rugby Bank .....	Rugby .....	A. Butlin and Son.....	11946
Rye Bank.....	Rye .....	R. C. Pomfret and Co. ....	14701
Ross Old Bank, Herefordshire .....	Ross .....	Allaway and MacDougal .....	3974
Saffron Walden and North Essex Bank .....	Saffron Walden ...	Gibsons and Co. ....	28137
Salop Bank .....	Shrewsbury .....	Burton, Lloyd, and Co. ....	16915
Scarborough Old Bank .....	Scarborough ..	Woodall and Co. ....	24450
Shrewsbury Old Bank and Shrewsbury and Ludlow Bank ..	Shrewsbury.....	Rocke, Eytons, and Co. ....	42224
Sittingbourne and Milton Bank.....	Sittingbourne .....	Vallance and Co. ....	2304
Southampton Town and County Bank .....	Southampton ..	Maddison and Pearce .....	15467
Southwell Bank .....	Southwell.....	Wylde and Co. ....	12514
Southampton and Hampshire Bank ..	Southampton .....	Atherley, Fall, and Co. ....	3840
Stone Bank . . . . .	Stone .....	W. Moore .....	371
Stafford Old Bank .....	Stafford .....	Stevenson and Co. . . . .	13075

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£.
Stamford and Rutland Bank .....	Stamford .....	Eaton, Cayley, and Co.....	32110
Shrewsbury and Welsh Pool Bank.....	Shrewsbury .....	Beck, Downward, and Co. ....	24277
Taunton Bank.....	Taunton .....	H. and R. Badcock .....	25929
Tavistock Bank .....	Tavistock.....	Gill and Rundle .....	11611
Thornbury Bank.....	Thornbury .....	Rolph and Co. ... ..	6275
Tiverton and Devonshire Bank .....	Tiverton .....	Dunsford and Co. ....	10582
Thrapston and Kettering Bank, } Northamptonshire .....	Thrapston .....	Yorke and Eland .....	11028
Tring Bank and Chesham Bank .....	Tring .....	Butcher and Son .....	13120
Towcester Old Bank .....	Towcester .....	Percival and Co. ... ..	8476
Town and County of Poole Bank and } Ringwood and Poole Bank .....	Poole .....	G. W. Ledgard and Sons.....	11722
Union Bank, Cornwall .....	Helston .....	Vivian and Co. ....	12442
Uxbridge Old Bank .....	Uxbridge.....	Hull, Smith, and Co. ....	16818
Wallingford Bank .....	Wallingford.....	Hedges, Wells, and Co.....	7867
Warwick and Warwickshire Bank.....	Warwick .....	K. Greenway and Co. ....	23302
Wellington Somerset Bank.....	Wellington .....	Fox, Brothers, and Co.....	3268
West Riding Bank, Wakefield, and } Pontefract Bank .....	Wakefield .....	Leatham, Tew, and Co. ....	45454
Whitby Old Bank .....	Whitby .....	Simpson, Chapman, and Co.....	14286
Winchester, Alresford, and Alton Bank	Winchester .....	Bulpett and Co. ....	20156
Winchester and Hampshire Bank .....	Winchester .....	Wickham and Co.....	Not received.
Weymouth Old Bank and Dorchester } Bank .....	Weymouth .....	Eliot and Pearce .....	15407
Wirksworth and Ashbourne Derby- } shire Bank .....	Wirksworth.....	Arkwright and Co. ....	36304
Wisbech and Lincolnshire Bank .....	Wisbech .....	Gurneys and Co. ....	54066
Wiveliscombe Bank .....	Wiveliscombe .....	P. and W. Hancock .....	7307
Wolverhampton Bank .....	Wolverhampton ..	Goodricke and Holyoake .....	12482
Worcester Bank .....	Worcester .....	Farley, Lavender, and Co. ....	8396
Worcester Old Bank and Tewkes- } bury Old Bank .....	Worcester .....	Berwick, Lechmere, and Co. ...	67313
Worcestershire Bank .....	Kidderminster .....	Farley, Turner, and Co. ....	8935
Wolverhampton Bank .....	Wolverhampton ..	R. and W. F. Fryer .....	11526
Yarmouth and Suffolk Bank, and } Halesworth and Suffolk Bank... }	Yarmouth .....	Gurneys, Birkbeck, and Co.....	40177
Yarmouth, Norfolk and Suffolk Bank	Great Yarmouth...	Sir E. H. K. Lacon, Bart. & Co.	11722
York Bank .....	York .....	Swann, Clough, and Co. ....	46673

## JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£.
Bank of Westmorland .....	Kendal.....		11788
Barnsley Banking Company .....	Barnsley .....		9236
Bradford Banking Company.....	Bradford .....		47890
Bilston District Banking Company .....	Wolverhampton .....		7375
Bank of Whitehaven.....	Whitehaven.....		31559
Bradford Commercial Banking Company .....	Bradford .....		Not received.
Burton, Uttoxeter, and Staffordshire Union Banking } Company .....	Burton-upon-Trent.....		59583
Chesterfield and North Derbyshire Banking Company.....	Chesterfield.....		10011
Cumberland Union Banking Company .....	Workington .....		34360
Cheltenham and Gloucestershire Banking Company.....	Cheltenham .....		10242
Coventry and Warwickshire Banking Company .....	Coventry .....		25078

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.		Average Amount.
		£.
Coventry Union Banking Company .....	Coventry .....	16274
County of Gloucester Banking Company .....	Cheltenham .....	116372
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company .....	Carlisle.....	24554
Carlisle City and District Bank .....	Carlisle .....	19977
Dudley and West Bromwich Banking Company .....	Dudley .....	34792
Derby and Derbyshire Banking Company .....	Derby .....	19380
Darlington District Joint Stock Banking Company .....	Darlington .....	27678
East of England Bank.....	Norwich .....	24810
Gloucestershire Banking Company .....	Gloucester .....	151940
Halifax Joint Stock Bank .....	Halifax .....	18430
Huddersfield Banking Company .....	Huddersfield .....	34950
Hull Banking Company .....	Hull .....	27143
Halifax Commercial Banking Company .....	Halifax .....	Not received.
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company .....	Halifax .....	40770
Helston Banking Company .....	Helston .....	1465
Herefordshire Banking Company .....	Hereford .....	19898
Knarborough and Claro Banking Company.....	Knarborough .....	27420
Kingsbridge Joint Stock Bank .....	Kingsbridge .....	3841
Lancaster Banking Company... ..	Lancaster .....	61338
Leeds Banking Company.....	Leeds .....	23855
Leicestershire Banking Company ..	Leicester .....	86175
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company.....	Lincoln .....	49964
Leamington Priors and Warwickshire Banking Company.....	Leamington Priors .....	12592
Ludlow and Tenbury Bank .....	Ludlow .....	9618
Moore and Robinson's Nottinghamshire Banking Company ...	Nottingham .....	36455
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company .....	Nottingham.....	29152
National Provincial Bank of England.....	Birmingham.....	408860
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North Wilts Banking Company .....	Melksham .....	44830
Northamptonshire Union Bank .....	Northampton .....	79028
Northamptonshire Banking Company.....	Northampton .....	25657
North and South Wales Bank.....	Liverpool .....	45325
Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company .....	Leicester .....	54791
Saddleworth Banking Company .....	Saddleworth .....	2459
Sheffield Banking Company.....	Sheffield .....	35965
Stamford, Spalding and Boston Banking Company .....	Stamford .....	53677
Stuckey's Banking Company, Bristol Somersetshire } Bank, and Somersetshire Bank .....	Langport .....	351097
Shropshire Banking Company.....	Shiffnall .....	46532
Stourbridge and Kidderminster Banking Company .....	Stourbridge.....	56210
Sheffield and Hallamshire Banking Company.....	Sheffield .....	24557
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company.....	Sheffield .....	53461
Swaledale and Wensleydale Banking Company .....	Richmond .....	53057
Storey and Thomas' Banking Company .....	Shaftesbury .....	9058
Wolverhampton and Staffordshire Banking Company .....	Wolverhampton .....	32249
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank .....	Wakefield .....	12921
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company .....	Whitehaven .....	31272
Warwick and Leamington Banking Company.....	Warwick .....	32681
West of England and South Wales District Bank.....	Bristol .....	77558
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company .....	Salisbury.....	72155
West Riding Union Banking Company .....	Huddersfield .....	31742
Whitchurch and Ellesmere Banking Company .....	Whitchurch.....	5353
Worcester City and County Banking Company.....	Worcester .....	6415
York Union Banking Company .....	York .....	70892
York City and County Banking Company.....	York .....	90847
Yorkshire Banking Company .....	Leeds .....	120361

## Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that—

2870. Gideon Morley, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, has given notice at the Office of the Commissioners of his intention to proceed with his application for letters patent for the invention of "ornamenting or producing pictures or japanned goods, pannels, canvas, or other material, whereby a vast amount of artistic skill and labour is superseded."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 9th day of December, 1853.

2911. And Aignan Bernard Callier, of Paris, in the Empire of France, and of 16, Castle-street, Holborn (City), London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in the manufacture of umbrellas and parasols."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 15th day of December, 1853.

2924. And Thomas Williams, of South Castle-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Gun Maker, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved revolving pistol."

2935. And Henry Thomson, of Clitheroe, in the county of Lancaster, Calico Printer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for stretching textile fabrics as they are wound into laps or rolls after the processes of bleaching and dyeing or operations connected therewith."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 16th day of December, 1853.

2971. And John Jones, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in propelling vessels."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 21st day of December, 1853.

2979. And Thomas Berry, of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, Machinist, James Mangnall, of Heywood, in the said county, Manager, and John Chadwick, of Heywood aforesaid, Manufacturer, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in winding and twisting wool, cotton, and other fibrous materials."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of December, 1853.

2990. And Joshua Margerison, of Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in railway brakes."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 24th day of December, 1853.

3031. And Henry Vernon Physick, of No. 38, North Bank, Regent's Park, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in electric telegraphs, and apparatus connected therewith."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 31st day of December, 1853.

15. And John Isaiah Grylls, 3, Murton-street, Sunderland, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in whelps for the barrels of capstans, windlasses, and other machinery."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 3rd day of January, 1854.

32. And John Radcliffe, of Stockport, in the county of Chester, Machinist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in power looms for weaving."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 6th day of January, 1854.

43. And John George Taylor, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Merchant, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in writing apparatus."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 7th day of January, 1854.

90. And Thomas Bennett Foulkes, of the firm of Abel and Thomas Bennett Foulkes, of the city of Chester, in the county of Chester, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of self-adjusting gloves."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 13th day of January, 1854.

104. And Joseph Spires, of Lower Drummond-street, Euston-square, in the county of Middlesex, Gun Maker, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements applicable to boots and shoes."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 16th day of January, 1854.

121. And Edmund Sharpe, of Swadlincote Potteries, near Burton-on-Trent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the apparatus used for sifting clay."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 18th day of January, 1854.

129. And John Norton, of Cork, in the county of Cork, Ireland, Esquire, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in effecting communications between the different parts of railway trains."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 19th day of January, 1854.

137. And Henry Bollmann Condy, of Battersea, in the county of Surrey, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of sulphate of soda, sulphate of potash, and other sulphates, and in the manufacture and employment of muriatic acid."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 20th day of January, 1854.

149. And John Westerton, of Earl's Court-road, Brompton, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in the manufacture of night-light boxes or cases."

151. And Herman Eugene Falk, of Gateacre House, Liverpool, Merchant, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in preparing or manufacturing salt."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 21st day of January, 1854.

156. And Andrew Shanks, Engineer, 6, Robert-street, Adelphi, Westminster, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in machinery for punching and sheering metals."

170. And Peter Armand Le Comte de Fontaine Moreau, of 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, and 39, Rue de l'Echiquier, Paris, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the preparation and combination of fatty and resinous bodies and vegetable and other wax for the manufacture of candles, also in the preparation of a wick to be used for the same."—A communication.

As set forth in their respective petitions, both

recorded in the said office on the 23rd day of January, 1854.

176. And Jean Baptiste Moinier, of la Villette, Paris, in the Empire of France, and of 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new chemical process for the production of sulphates of soda, potassa, and alumina of nitrates of soda and potassa of soap, and of hydrochloric sulphuric, stearic margaric and elaidic acids."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 24th day of January, 1854.

246. And Claude Bernard Adrien Chenot, of Paris, 29, Boulevard St. Martin, France, and of 16, Castle-street, Holborn (City), London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in accumulating, conducting and treating gases of combustion, and also in generating and applying the same to metallurgic and other purposes."

259. And Joseph Beattie, of Lawn-place, South Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in furnaces, and in the treatment of steam."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 1st day of February, 1854.

461. And George Collier, of Halifax, in the county of York, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in twisting fringes of shawl and other fabrics."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 25th day of February, 1854.

594. And James Jones Aston, of the Middle Temple, London, and of Preston, in the county of Lancaster, Barrister-at-Law, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of envelopes."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 11th day of March, 1854.

672. And John Sheringham, of Edwardes-square, Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of kettles and other like domestic utensils, and in the means of supporting or retaining the same in proper position when in use."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of March, 1854.

786. And George Francis Wilson and James Monroe Whiting, of the State of Rhode Island, in the United States of America, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of wood screws."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 5th day of April, 1854.

804. And Thomas Williams, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Store-keeper, Samuel Ainley, of Oldham, in the said county, Mechanic, and Moses Mills, of the same place, Agent, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for spinning cotton, wool, flax, or other fibrous materials."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 7th day of April, 1854.

826. And Thomas Bromley, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of soap."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 8th day of April, 1854.

849. And John Johnson Peile, of Whitehaven, in the county of Cumberland, Iron Merchant, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved construction of lifting jack." As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 11th day of April, 1854.

858. And Robert Whiteside, of Egremont, near Birkenhead, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in treating or purifying wheat and other grain."

859. And William Coltman, of High-street, Leicester, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improvement in knitting frames."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 12th day of April, 1854.

894. And Henry Hucks Gibbs, of 15, Bishops-gate-street, in the city of London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of nitrate of soda."—A communication from Pedro Gamboni. As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 18th day of April, 1854.

905. And Richard Archibald Brooman, of 166, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in separating substances of different specific gravities, and in machinery employed therein."—A communication.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 19th day of April, 1854.

907. And Edmund Hunt, of No. 40, Walcot-square, Kennington-road, in the county of Surrey, Chemist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in treating minerals for the extraction of their valuable metals."

910. And Henry Brown of Halifax, in the county of York, Top Maker, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in combing wool, hair, cotton, and other fibrous materials."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 20th day of April, 1854.

923. And Aimé Blavier, of the Chemin-de-fer de l'Ouest, Boulevard Mont Parnasse, 44, Paris, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in locomotive engines." As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 21st day of April, 1854.

927. And Thomas Freman Finch, of Lidbury-street, in the city of Worcester, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of buttons."

931. And James Warren, of 75, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of railways."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of April, 1854.

935. And Moses Poole, of the Avenue-road, Regent's Park, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in washing garments and fabrics."—A communication.

937. And William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved machinery for casting type."—A communication.

938. And James Combe, of Belfast, in the county of Antrim, Ireland, Machine Maker, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for hackling flax and other fibrous substances."

940. And Thomas Weatherburn Dodds, of the Holmes Engine and Railway Works, Rotherham, in the county of York, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in furnaces and fire-places for effecting a more perfect combustion of fuel and prevention of smoke."

941. And Jonathan Davidson, of Edinburgh, in the county of Mid-Lothian, North Britain, Machine Maker, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in breakwaters."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 24th day of April, 1854.

961. And Frederick Woodbridge, of 3, Green's-terrace, Lower-road, Rotherhithe, in the county of Surrey, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in furnaces."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 27th day of April, 1854.

962. And Andrew White Gibson, of Edinburgh, Scotland, Miller, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in mills for the manufacture of barley and rice."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 28th day of April, 1854.

And notice is hereby further given, that all persons having an interest in opposing any one of such applications are at liberty to leave particulars in writing of their objections to such application, at the said Office of the Commissioners within twenty-one days after the date of the Gazette in which this notice is issued.

Erratum in Gazette of 12th May.

947. For "dissicating," read "desiccating."

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849, and of the Bituminous Shale Company.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that all parties claiming to be creditors of this Company are to come in and prove their debts at the Chambers of Sir John Stuart, Knight, the Vice-Chancellor of the High Court of Chancery, to whose Court the matter of the winding up of this Company is attached, at No. 12, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, and until they shall so come in, they will be precluded from commencing or prosecuting any proceeding for recovery of their debts.

Saturday, the 3rd day of June, 1854, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1854.

In the Matter of the Joint Stock Companies' Winding-up Acts, 1848 and 1849, and of the Tring and Reigate Railway Company.

**B**y direction of Joseph Humphry, Esquire, the Master of the High Court of Chancery charged with the winding up of this Company, notice is hereby given, that the said Master did, at the call meeting, which was held before him on the 2nd day of May instant, adjourn the same to Friday the 2nd day of June next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at his

chambers, in Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, London, when and where it will be proposed by the said Master to increase the firstly-proposed call of £329 10s. 10d. to £426 10s. 0d., or to some other sum larger than the first-mentioned sum of £329 10s. 10d., on each of the contributors of the said Company. All persons interested are entitled to attend at such day, hour, and place, to offer objections to such call.—2nd May, 1854.  
J. Humphry.

CONTRACT for the Supply of PAPER (England), for one year from the 1st July, 1854, to the 30th June, 1855.

Her Majesty's Stationery Office,  
May 8, 1854.

**T**HE Comptroller of Her Majesty's Stationery Office is ready to receive Tenders for different descriptions of

PAPER,

required for the Public Service.

Particulars of contract and samples of the papers may be obtained at the Stationery Office, between the hours of ten and four.

Tenders to be addressed to the Comptroller of the Stationery Office, James-street, Buckingham-gate, to be marked on the cover "Tender for Paper," and to be delivered by twelve o'clock on Monday, the 22nd May, 1854; after which day and hour no tender can or will be received.

CONTRACT FOR PEAS.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling and Transport Services, Somerset-Place, May 5, 1854.

**T**HE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that, on Thursday the 18th instant, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and delivering into Her Majesty's Victualling Stores, at Deptford,

Peas, 300 quarters; half to be delivered in three weeks, and the remainder in three weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party tendering.

No tender will be received, for a less quantity than 100 quarters.

Samples (not less than 2 quarts) must be produced by the parties tendering.

The samples produced by persons whose tenders are not accepted, are requested to be taken away by them immediately after the contracts have been decided.

No tender will be received unless made on the printed form provided for the purpose, and which may be obtained on application at the said office, or to Commander Bevis, conducting the Packet Service at Liverpool, or to the Collector of Customs, at Bristol.

The conditions of the revised contracts, to which particular attention is called, may be seen at the said office, and at Liverpool and Bristol.

No tender will be received after one o'clock on the day of treaty, and it will not be required that the party tendering, or an agent on his behalf should attend at the Office on the day of contract, as the result of the offer received from each person will be communicated to him and his proposed sureties in writing.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words "Tender for Peas;" and must also be delivered at Somerset-place.

## CONTRACT FOR RUM.

Department of the Comptroller for  
Victualling and Transport Services,  
Somerset-Place, May 5, 1854.

**T**HE Commissioners for executing the office of  
Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom  
of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice,  
that, on Thursday the 18th instant, at one o'clock,  
they will be ready to treat with such persons as  
may be willing to contract for supplying and deliv-  
ering into Her Majesty's Victualling Stores at  
Deptford.

Rum, 20,000 gallons; half to be delivered in  
three weeks, and the remainder in three  
weeks afterwards, or earlier if preferred by  
the party tendering.

The rum to be exempted from the Customs'  
duties, and parties tendering are to state where it  
is respectively lying.

Tenders will be received from any firm for any  
portion of the total quantity not less than 2,000  
gallons.

Samples of the rum to be sent in pints for each  
Import Mark, and the average strength of each  
Mark *Ex* to be stated, and not an average  
of different marks or strengths of several imports;  
and any parcel of rum that is found not to be of  
the same quality, mark, or average strength of the  
sample tendered and accepted, will be rejected by  
the Officers.

The samples produced by persons whose tenders  
are not accepted, are requested to be taken away  
by them immediately after the contracts have been  
decided.

No tender will be received unless made on the  
printed form provided for the purpose, and which  
may be obtained on application at the said Office,  
or to Commander Bevis, conducting the Packet  
Service at Liverpool, or to the Collector of Customs  
at Bristol.

The conditions of the revised contracts, to which  
particular attention is called, may be seen at the  
said Office, and at Liverpool and Bristol.

No tender will be received after one o'clock on  
the day of treaty, and it will not be required that  
the party tendering, or an Agent on his behalf,  
should attend at the Office on the day of contract,  
as the result of the offer received from each person  
will be communicated to him and his proposed  
sureties in writing.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary  
of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner  
the words "Tender for Rum," and must also be  
delivered at Somerset-place.

## CONTRACT FOR SPERM OIL.

Department of the Comptroller for  
Victualling and Transport Services,  
Somerset-Place, May 10, 1854.

**T**HE Commissioners for executing the office of  
Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom  
of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give  
notice, that, on Thursday the 25th instant, at  
one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such  
persons as may be willing to contract for supplying  
for twelve months' certain, and further until the  
expiration of three months' warning, Her Majesty's  
Victualling Yards, at Deptford, Gosport, and  
Plymouth, with

## SPERMACETI OIL.

The conditions of the revised contracts may be  
seen at the said office.

No tender will be received after one o'clock on  
the day of treaty, nor any noticed unless made on  
the printed form provided for the purpose, and

which may be obtained on application at the said  
office.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary  
of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner  
the words "Tender for Oil," and must also be  
delivered at Somerset-place.

## CONTRACT FOR PIG LEAD.

Department of the Storekeeper-  
General of the Navy, Somerset-  
Place, May 10, 1854.

**T**HE Commissioners for executing the office of  
Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom  
of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give  
notice that, on Tuesday the 30th instant, at one  
o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons  
as may be willing to contract for supplying Her  
Majesty's Dock Yard at Chatham, with

## PIG LEAD.

A form of the tender may be seen at the said  
Office.

No tender will be received after one o'clock on  
the day of treaty, nor any noticed unless the  
party attends, or an agent for him duly authorised  
in writing.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secre-  
tary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand  
corner the words "Tender for Pig Lead," and  
must also be delivered at Somerset-place, ac-  
companied by a letter, signed by two responsible  
persons, engaging to become bound with the person  
tendering, in the sum of £800 for the due per-  
formance of the contract.

CONTRACTS FOR SUGAR, TEA, PEPPER  
AND TOBACCO.

Department of the Comptroller for  
Victualling and Transport Services,  
Somerset-Place, May 12, 1854.

**T**HE Commissioners for executing the office of  
Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom  
of Great Britain and Ireland, do hereby give notice,  
that on Thursday the 25th instant, at one  
o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons  
as may be willing to contract for supplying and deliv-  
ering into Her Majesty's Victualling Stores at  
Deptford,

Sugar, 100 tons; half to be delivered in three  
weeks, and the remainder in three weeks  
afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the  
party tendering.

Tea (Congou), 50,000 lbs.; half to be de-  
livered in three weeks, and the remainder  
in three weeks afterwards, or earlier if pre-  
ferred by the party tendering.

Pepper, 5 tons; half to be delivered in three  
weeks, and the remainder in three weeks  
afterwards, or earlier if preferred by the party  
tendering.

Tobacco, 20 tons; half to be delivered in three  
weeks, and the remainder in three weeks  
afterwards, or earlier, if preferred by the  
party tendering.

The articles to be exempted from the Customs'  
duties, and parties tendering for them are to state  
where they are respectively lying.

No tender will be received for a less quantity  
of sugar than 20 tons, of tea than 10,000 lbs., of  
pepper than 1 ton, and of tobacco than 5 tons.

Samples of the sugar (not less than 2 lbs.), of  
the tea (not less than 1 lb. from the bonded ware-  
house), of the pepper (not less than 2 lb.), and of  
the tobacco (not less than 1 lb.), must be produced  
by the parties tendering.

The samples produced by persons whose tenders

are not accepted, are requested to be taken away by them immediately after the contracts have been decided.

No tender will be received unless made on the printed form provided for the purpose, and which may be obtained on application at the said Office, or to Commander Bevis, conducting the Packet Service at Liverpool, or to the Collector of Customs at Bristol.

The conditions of the revised contracts, to which particular attention is called, may be seen at the said Office, and at Liverpool and Bristol.

No tender will be received after one o'clock on the day of treaty, and it will not be required that the party tendering or an agent on his behalf should attend at the Office on the day of contract, as the result of the offer received from each person will be communicated to him and his proposed sureties in writing.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words "Tender for \_\_\_\_\_," and must also be delivered at Somerset-place.

#### CONTRACT FOR BEES' WAX.

Department of the Storekeeper-General of the Navy, Somerset-Place, May 10, 1854.

**T**HE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that on Tuesday the 30th May instant, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying Her Majesty's several Dock Yards with

#### ENGLISH OR RUSSIAN BEES' WAX.

Samples of the wax and a form of the tender may be seen at the said Office.

No tender will be received after one o'clock on the day of treaty, nor any noticed unless the party attends, or an agent for him duly authorized in writing.

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left-hand corner the words "Tender for Bees' Wax," and must also be delivered at Somerset-place, accompanied by a letter signed by a responsible person, engaging to become bound with the person tendering in the sum of £400 for the due performance of the contract.

Equitable Fire Insurance Company.

450, West Strand, London.

May 15, 1854.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the next Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Equitable Fire Insurance Company, will be held at the London Tavern, Bishopsgate-street, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 7th day of June, 1854, at one o'clock precisely, when the Directors will submit a Report of the affairs of the Company, during the preceding year, to the 31st day of December last. Interest payable to the Shareholders will be declared, and the general business of the Company transacted.

And notice is hereby further given, that an election of Directors will take place, and that there are five vacancies in the Direction, occasioned by Charles Bennett, Esq., Frederick Morris, Esq., Edmond Sheppard Symes, Esq., M.D., Thomas West, Esq., and Francis Valentine Woodhouse, Esq., going out of office by rotation, their term of office having expired, and that they are eligible for re-election, and offer themselves accordingly.

And notice is hereby further given, that Miles Charles Seton, Esq., being duly qualified, has

since the last Annual General Meeting been elected a Director by resolution of a Special Court (according to the provisions of the Deed of Settlement), in room of Charles Seward, Esq., deceased, and has declared his intention to become a candidate for election and confirmation by the Shareholders, at the Annual General Meeting.

And notice is hereby further given, that Charles Wheatstone, Esq., and John Symes, Esq., have since the last Annual General Meeting, been severally provisionally elected Auditors of the Company by resolution of a Special Court of Directors, in room of Thomas Williams, Esq., and Henry Eve, Esq., who are disqualified by being Officers of the Company; and the said Charles Wheatstone and John Symes have severally declared their intention to become candidates for election, and confirmation by the Shareholders at the Annual General Meeting.

By order of the Court of Directors,  
William Howell Preston, Secretary.

Equitable Fire Insurance Company.

450, West Strand, London,

May 16, 1854.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to an order of a Special Court of Directors, a General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Equitable Fire Insurance Company is specially called and appointed to be held at the London Tavern, Bishopsgate-street, in the city of London, on Wednesday the 7th day of June, 1854, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely (being a second Special General Meeting called for the same purpose), to consider the propriety of repealing, and if so determined on, to repeal such of the provisions of the deed of settlement of the Company as provide that the Directors shall not draw, accept, indorse, or issue any bill of exchange, nor (except for certain purposes in the deed of settlement mentioned) any promissory note in the name of the Company; and to consider the propriety of resolving, and, if so determined on, to resolve, that the deed of settlement be amended by providing that the Directors shall be at liberty, for any of the purposes and objects of the Company, to draw, accept, indorse, and issue any bills of exchange and promissory notes in the name of the Company; and also to consider the propriety of empowering the Directors to apply for and obtain an Act of the Legislature of the province of Canada for the establishment and regulation of an agency in that province for the Company, or for constituting a branch in that province of the Company; and such agency or branch to be established or constituted by way of an independent or auxiliary or subordinate Company, or otherwise, as may appear expedient, and upon such terms, and subject to such restrictions, as the Directors shall think fit; and to pass all such resolutions and to make all such rules and regulations, and to adopt all such proceedings, and to confer on the Directors all such powers and discretions in relation thereto as the Meeting shall think fit, and, if thought necessary, to make such alterations in the deed of settlement for effecting such purposes as to the Meeting may appear desirable.

Archibald Campbell Barclay, Chairman of the Board of Directors.

William Howell Preston, Secretary.

New Zealand Company.

New Zealand-House, 9, Broad-Street-Buildings,  
London, May 11, 1854.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Annual General Court of Proprietors of the New Zealand Company will be holden at this House,

on Tuesday the 30th day of May instant, at one o'clock precisely, for the election of Directors of the said Company, and for the transaction of other business.

At the said Meeting the following Directors will go out of office, namely:

Henry Aglionby Aglionby, Esq., M.P.,  
John Ellaker Boulcott, Esq.,  
William Hutt, Esq., M.P., and  
George Lyall, Esq.,

but being eligible for re-election, they hereby offer themselves to be re-elected accordingly.

By order of the Court of Directors,  
Thomas Cudbert Harington, Secretary.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, William Williams, Alfred Filmer, and John Mason, carrying on business as Ironmongers, at Guildford, in the county of Surrey, under the style or firm of Williams, Filmer, and Mason, was dissolved by mutual consent so far as regards the said William Williams, on and from the 31st day of December, 1853.—As witness our hands.

William Williams.  
Alfred Filmer.  
John Mason.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Richard Newman and Richard Chase, carrying on business under the firm or style of Newman and Company, as Fruiterers, at Little King-street, in the city of Bristol, was dissolved on and from the 1st day of May instant; and all debts due to and from the said firm will be received and paid by the said Richard Chase.—Dated 5th May, 1854.

Richard Newman.  
Richard Chase.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which subsisted between us the undersigned, Benjamin Waite and Thomas Higgins, carrying on business at Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, as Woollen Drapers and Tailors, under the style or firm of Waite and Higgins, is this day dissolved.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1854.

Benjamin Waite.  
Thomas Higgins.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us, as Ginger Beer and Soda Water Manufacturers, at the city of Lincoln, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 6th day of May, 1854.

Wm. Ford.  
Kenneth Bayne.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us, in the town of Ludlow, in the county of Salop, in the trade or business of Grocers and Provision Merchants, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 9th day of May, 1854.

Henry Wittall Harding.  
William Harding.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, Benjamin Trenchard and Ebenezer Whitby, in the trade or business or trades or businesses of Stationers, Booksellers, and Printers, at Yeovil, in the county of Somerset, under the firm of Trenchard and Whitby, was, on the 31st day of December last, dissolved by mutual consent; and from that time the business has been, and in future will be, carried on by the said Ebenezer Whitby on his separate account, and who will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership in the regular course of trade.—Dated the 11th day of May, 1854.

Benjamin Trenchard.  
Ebenezer Whitby.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned, James Burt, William Holiday Pott, and Francis Swaine Pott, of York-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Ironmongers, Smiths, Locksmiths, and Beahangers, under the style or firm of Messrs. Burt and Potts, was this day dissolved by mutual consent, so far as respects the said James Burt, who has retired therefrom; and that in future the said business will be carried on at the same place by the said William Holiday Pott and Francis Swaine Pott.—Dated this 13th day of May, 1854.

James Burt.  
W. H. Pott.  
F. S. Pott.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Jones and William James, of the town of Hay, in the county of Brecon, lately carrying on business there, in copartnership as Mercers and Drapers, under the style or firm of James Pritchard and Company, was on the 13th day of April instant, dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 13th day of April, 1854.

John Jones.  
William James.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership carried on for some time past at Llangollen, in the county of Denbigh, by John Hughes, senior, John Hughes, junior, and Edward Roberts, under the firm of Hughes, Hughes, and Roberts, as Flannel Manufacturers, has been dissolved by consent on the 1st day of May, 1854; and that the Manufactory will be carried on by the said John Hughes, junior, and Edward Roberts, under the firm of Hughes and Roberts, by whom the debts of the Company will be discharged; and all parties indebted to the late firm are requested immediately to pay the amount thereof to the present firm of Hughes and Roberts.—Dated this 13th day of May, 1854.

John Hughes, senior.  
John Hughes, junior.  
Edward Roberts.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Smith and Howorth Smith, in the business of Painters, Paper Hangers, and Gilders, carried on by us in that part of Todmorden which is situated in the county of York, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to or due from the said partnership, will be received and paid by the said John Smith.—Dated this 11th day of May, 1854.

John Smith.  
Howorth Smith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert Fitton and Richard Fitton, as Cotton Spinners, carrying on business at Turf-lane, in the township of Royton, in the county of Lancaster, was dissolved by mutual consent, on and from the 6th day of April last; the business will in future be carried on by the said Robert Fitton.—As witness our hands this 12th day of May, 1854.

Robert Fitton.  
Richard Fitton.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Robert Prior and William Pound, of Bideford, in the county of Devon, heretofore carrying on the trade or business of Painters, Glaziers, Paper Hangers and Gilders, under the firm of Prior and Pound, was on the 24th day of December, 1853, dissolved by mutual consent, and that in future the said trade will be carried on by the said Robert Prior and William Pound separately.—Dated the 11th day of May, 1854.

Robt. Prior.  
William Pound.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting and carried on between us the undersigned Benjamin Davison and George Dougill, under the firm of Davison and Dougill, as Joiners and Builders, at Hulme, in the county of Lancaster, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 11th day of May, 1854.

Benjamin Davison.  
George Dougill.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, as Braid and Smallware Manufacturers, and carried on at Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of James Rogerson and Sons, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on, at the same premises, by the undersigned Samuel Rogerson and James Rogerson the younger.—Dated this 13th day of May, 1854.

James Rogerson.  
Samuel Rogerson.  
James Rogerson, junr.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Nathan Buckle and George Watson, who have carried on business together as Wine and Spirit Merchants, at Todmorden, in the parish of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Buckle and Watson, hath been this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due to and owing by the concern will be received and paid by the said George Watson.—As witness our hands this 6th day of May, 1854.

Nathan Buckle.  
George Watson.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Corry and John Corry, carrying on business at Preston, in the county of Lancaster, as Joiners and Builders, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated the 12th day of May, 1854.

*William Corry.  
John Corry.*

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between the undersigned, James West and Frederick Parks, as Linen Drapers and Mercers, at Nos. 76 and 77, High-street, Shoreditch, Middlesex, under the firm of West and Parks, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated the 15th day of May, 1854.

*James West.  
Fredk. Parks.*

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Law and Joseph Bell, of Leicester, in the county of Leicester, as Engineers, Iron and Brass Founders, and Millwrights, under the firm of Law and Bell, was on the 2nd day of March last, dissolved by mutual consent, the said trade and business will be in future carried on by the said John Law, on his separate account, and who will pay and receive all debts due and owing by and to the said partnership in the regular course of trade.—As witness our hands this 13th day of May, 1854.

*John Law.  
Joseph Bell.*

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership (if any) which subsisted between us the undersigned, Edward Taylor and John Phillips, of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, carrying on business there as Letter Press Printers and Publishers, in the name of John Phillips alone, is dissolved from the day of the date hereof by mutual consent. All debts owing to and by the firm will be received and paid by the said John Phillips, who will carry on the business on his own account.—Dated this 13th day of May, 1854.

*John Phillips.  
Edward Taylor.*

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between us the undersigned, in the Manufacture and Purification of the Products of Tar, and carried on by us under the name or style of Johnstone, Willson, and Company, at Stratford, in the county of Essex, has been this day by consent mutually dissolved, so far as relates to the undersigned Robert Johnstone; and that the said business will be carried on by us the undersigned Thomas William Willson and Peter Wales, by whom all debts due to or owing from the said partnership will be received and paid.—Dated this 8th day of May, 1854.

*Robert Johnstone.  
Thos. Wm. Willson.  
Peter Wales.*

In Chancery.—Between Arthur MacNamara, John Howes, Edward Proom, William Fox, George Westrip, William Seal, and William Martin, Plaintiffs; and Charles Powell, Defendant.

**TAKE** notice, that this Honourable Court will be moved before his Honour the Vice-Chancellor Sir William Page Wood, on the 8th day of June next, or so soon as Counsel can be heard, by Mr. Doria of Counsel for the Plaintiffs, that the Bill filed by the Plaintiffs in this suit may be taken pro-confesso against the above named defendant.—Dated this 3rd day of May, 1854.

Yours, &c.

HENRY BRADDON, Plaintiff's Solicitor, 12, South-square, Gray's Inn, Middlesex.

To Mr. Charles Powell, the above-named Defendant.

In Chancery.—Between Cecil Parsons and Guy Parsons, Plaintiffs; Thomas Legge Beebee and Caroline his wife, Defendants.

**TAKE** notice, that this Honourable Court will be moved before the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls, on Thursday the 15th day of June next, or so soon after as Counsel can be heard on the part of the above-named Plaintiffs, that the Clerk of Records and Writs, in whose division this cause is, may attend at the hearing thereof, with the record of the Plaintiff's Bill, in order that the same may be taken pro confesso against the said Thomas Legge Beebee and Caroline his wife.—Dated this 15th day of May, 1854.

Yours, &c.,

GEO. TAMPLIN, Plaintiffs' Solicitor, 159, Fenchurch-street, London.

To the above-named defendants, Thomas Legge Beebee and Caroline his wife.

**PURSUANT** to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of John Alanson, deceased, Alanson v. Alanson, a desirable, substantially built, freehold family residence, situate at Walton-on-the-Hill, near the town of Liverpool, will be sold by auction, by Messrs. Winstanley and Sons, at the Clarendon-

rooms, in South John-street, Liverpool, on Tuesday the 13th day of June, 1854, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

There are, a large garden, a paddock adjoining the residence, and commodious outbuildings; it contains in the attics, three bed-chambers; on the first floor, seven bed-chambers; on the ground floor, dining-room, drawing-room, sitting-room, butler's pantry, kitchen, sculleries, pantries, large wash-house, &c., and in the basement are good cellars. The outbuildings, which are suitably arranged, consist of a three-stalled stable, coach-house, harness-room, shippin, granary, and there is a good spring of water on the premises. The above residence was lately in the occupation of Mrs. Alanson, deceased, and is situate within three miles from the Liverpool Exchange; has good entrance gates; stands a little from the road leading from Walton through Everton and Kirkdale, and contains every comfort and accommodation for a respectable family. May be viewed, on application to the Auctioneers, at any time previous to the sale.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had at the principal Inns in Liverpool; of Mr. Dodd, the Plaintiff's Solicitor, No. 26, New Broad-street, London; and of Messrs. Norris and Allen, Solicitors, No. 20, Bedford-row, London; Messrs. Martineau and Reid, No. 2, Raymond-buildings, Gray's-inn, London; and Messrs. Norris and Son, Solicitors, Liverpool; and at the Auctioneer's Offices, where a plan may be seen.

The Lakes.—Valuable Freehold Estate for Sale.

In Chancery.—Cowling v. Bowstead.

**TO** be sold by auction, on Friday, the 9th of June, 1854, between the hours of four and six o'clock in the afternoon, at the house of Mr. William Walker, the Crown Inn, Bampton Grange, Westmorland, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery made in the said cause, and with the approbation of the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls;

A valuable freehold estate, consisting of a dwelling-house, barn, orchard, garden, and 42 A. 2R. 30P., or thereabouts, of valuable arable, meadow, and pasture land, situate at Bampton Grange aforesaid, together with a valuable unlimited right of common on the heaths and wastes within the said parish of Bampton, and now in the respective occupations of Miss Holmes, Mr. William Walker, and Mr. Matthew Birkett, as tenants.

The above estate is only two miles and a half from the Lake of Hawes Water, and five miles from the Lake of Ulleswater. The river Lowther is closely adjacent to the estate, and affords excellent sport to the angler, and the neighbourhood abounds with game.

The Shap Station, on the Lancashire and Carlisle Railway, is distant three miles; and the first class station and market town of Penrith, in Cumberland, is distant nine miles only.

Printed particulars and conditions of sale, and plans of the estate, are in preparation, and may shortly be had (gratis) of Messrs. Gregory, Faulkner, and Co., Solicitors, No. 1, Bedford-row, London; of Messrs. W. and E. Bleaymire, Solicitors, Penrith; the New Crown and George Hotels, in Penrith; the Feathers Hotel, Keswick; and of Mr. Isaac Todd, Auctioneer and Estate Agent, Penrith; and at the place of sale.

The tenants will show the premises.

**TO** be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of Holburn v. Emmerson, with the approbation of his Honour the Vice-Chancellor Sir John Stuart, at the Three Tuns Hotel, New Elvet, in the city of Durham, on Tuesday the 30th day of May, 1854, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

A commodious freehold dwelling-house, situate in the North Bailey, in the said city of Durham, containing eight rooms with suitable out-offices attached, now in the occupation of Mr. John Newby, Tailor.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had at the chambers of Vice-Chancellor Sir John Stuart, 12, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn; of Mr. R. Compton, Solicitor, 7, Ironmonger-lane, in the city of London; of Mr. Thomas Ramshaw, Auctioneer, of Rusheyford, near Durham; at the place of sale; and of Mr. Richard Thompson, Solicitor, Durham.

**PURSUANT** to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Thomas Williams and another, infants, by their next friend, against Jane Williams, Widow, all persons having incumbrances on the real estate of Thomas Williams the younger, late of Llanfau, in the county of Anglesea, Farmer, deceased, who died in or about the month of February, 1840, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 24th day of May, 1854, to come in and prove their claims, at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree.

Friday, the 26th day of May, 1854, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 13th day of May, 1854.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Wheeler against Wheeler and others, the creditors of George Wheeler, late of Southampton, in the county of Hants, Esquire, who died in or about the month of November, 1853, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 19th day of June, 1854, to come in and prove their debts, at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, in Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.

Wednesday, the 28th day of June, 1854, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 13th day of May, 1854.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Anderson against Ringrose, the creditors of Jonathan Ringrose, late of Weaverthorpe, in the county of York, Farmer, who died in or about the month of June, 1853, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 30th day of June, 1854, to come in and prove their debts, at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.

Monday, the 3rd day of July, 1854, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 13th day of May, 1854.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of Benjamin Cole, late of Hampstead, in the county of Middlesex, and of the Stock Exchange, London, Esquire, deceased; all persons claiming in respect of any debts or liabilities affecting the personal estate of the said Benjamin Cole, who died in or about the month of February, 1843, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 10th day of June, 1854, to come in and prove their debts and liabilities at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.

Tuesday, the 13th day of June, 1854, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 13th day of May, 1854.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of Richard Barlow, late of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Timber Merchant, deceased, the creditors of the said Richard Barlow, who died in or about the month of April, 1847, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 16th day of June, 1854, to come in and prove their debts and liabilities, at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.

Monday, the 19th day of June, 1854, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 13th day of May, 1854.

**P**URSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of William Oxley, deceased, and in a cause of John Young, plaintiff, against Anne Oxley, defendant, the creditors of William Oxley, late of Warrington, in the county of Lancaster, Brewer, who died in or about the month of April, 1853, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 19th day of June, 1854, to come in and prove their claims, at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, in Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree.

Friday, the 23rd day of June, 1854, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 13th day of May, 1854.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Thomas Ryder Rawlings against Catherine Nash and others, the creditors of Michael Nash, late of Rose and Crown-court, Broad-street-buildings, in the city of London, and of Goulstone-street, Whitechapel, in the county of Middlesex, Smith, who died in or about the month of December, 1853, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 27th day of May, 1854, to come in and prove their debts at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Wood, No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.

Saturday, the 3rd day of June, 1854, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 13th day of May, 1854.

**P**URSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Joseph Cope and others against Henry Harper and others, the creditors of Thomas Massey, late of Hatherton, in the county of Chester, Farmer, who

died in or about the month of November, 1850, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 9th day of June, 1854, to come in and prove their debts, at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir William Page Wood, at No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree.

Friday, the 16th day of June, 1854, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 12th day of May, 1854.

**P**URSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Frederic Bird and another, plaintiffs, against Richard Willis Powell and others, defendants, the creditors of Richard Powell, late of No. 19, Abbey-place, Saint John's Wood, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, who died on or about the 16th day of November, 1853, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 17th day of June, 1854, to come in and prove their debts, at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir William Page Wood, No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree.

Tuesday, the 27th day of June, 1854, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 11th day of May, 1854.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of John Francis, late of Westfild, in the county of Sussex, Gentleman, deceased, and in a cause John Francis Godding against John Baxter and others, all persons claiming to be creditors of the above-named John Francis, the person in the proceedings in this matter and cause named, who died in or about the month of April, 1841, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 10th day of June, 1854, to come in and prove their debts at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir William Page Wood, No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.

Tuesday, the 20th day of June, 1854, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 13th day of May, 1854.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Mason, late of Brandling-place, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Widow, deceased, and in a cause Mary Dorothy Race, an Infant, by Ann Newton, Widow, her next friend, against Thomas Jacques and Ann Irons, all persons claiming to be creditors or incumbrancers upon the real estate of the said Elizabeth Mason, who died on or about the 3rd day of May, 1852, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 14th day of June, 1854, to come in and prove their claims at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir John Stuart, No. 12, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.

Wednesday, the 21st day of June, 1854, at twelve at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 12th day of May, 1854.

**P**URSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of Foy v. Stokes, the creditors of Joseph Southwell Stokes, late of Chesterfield, in the county of Derby, Esquire, deceased, who died on or about the 12th day of April, 1848, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 13th day of June, 1854, to come in and prove their debts or claims before William Henry Tinney, Esq., one of the Masters of the said Court, at his chambers, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the said Decree.

Monday the 19th day of June, 1854, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 12th day of May, 1854.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause George Henry Taylor against Caroline Charlotte Duffield, and bearing date the 25th day of July, 1851, the creditors of Francis Duffield, formerly of Bradford, in the county of York, then of Boulogne, in the Kingdom of France, and lately of Adelaide-square, Windsor, in the county of Berks, Gentleman, deceased, who died in or about the month of May, 1851, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 25th day of May, 1854, to come in and prove their claims against the estate of the said Francis Duffield, at the chambers of Joseph Humpfrey, Esquire, in Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, London, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order.

Tuesday, the 30th day of May, 1854, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 28th day of April, 1854.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that John Mills Carkeet, of the borough of Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Merchant, hath by indenture, dated the 20th day of April, 1854, conveyed, assigned, and assured all his real and personal estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, unto Edward James, of Plymouth aforesaid, Merchant, and Richard Jennings Bryant, of Plymouth aforesaid, Merchant, their heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, upon certain trusts therein mentioned, being for the equal benefit of the creditors of the said John Mills Carkeet who should execute the said indenture within six months from the day of the date thereof; and that the said indenture was duly executed by the said John Mills Carkeet and Edward James, on the said 20th day of April last, and by the said Richard Jennings Bryant, on the 24th day of the same month; and that the execution thereof by the said John Mills Carkeet, Edward James, and Richard Jennings Bryant is attested by Alfred Rooker, of Plymouth aforesaid, Solicitor.—Plymouth, May 10, 1854.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that by an indenture, bearing date the 2nd day of May, in the year of our Lord 1854, and made between Thomas Tamlyn, of the town and county of Haverfordwest, Auctioneer, thereafter called the assignor, of the first part; Thomas Philpott, of the same place, Innkeeper, George Morgan Green, of the same place, Malster, William Thomas Canton, of Rosehill, in the county of Pembroke, Gentleman, and James Phillips, of Trenwydd, in the same county, Farmer, therein called the trustees, and being creditors of the said assignor, of the second part; and the several other persons or firms whose names and seals were thereunto subscribed being also creditors of the said assignor, of the third part; all the one-fourth part or share, and other the parts or shares, of him the said assignor, of and in the sum of one thousand four hundred and fifty pounds, payable to him on the death of his father, John Tamlyn, Gentleman; and also all and every the stock, crop, implements of husbandry, dairy and brewery utensils, household goods and furniture, and all other the personal estate and effects of him the said assignor, wheresoever the same then were or should thereafter be; and also all and every the book and other debts, bonds, bills, notes, and other securities of him the said assignor, with all the books, letters, vouchers, writings, and evidences in relation thereto, or any of them; and also the message, tenement, and lands called Slade, in the hamlet of the parish of Saint Martin, in the county of Pembroke, were conveyed and assigned as to all the said premises (save the said message, tenement, and lands) unto the said trustees, their executors, administrators, and assigns, subject as to the said fourth part of the said sum of one thousand four hundred and fifty pounds, to the life interest of the said John Tamlyn therein; and as to the said message, tenement, and lands, unto the said trustees, their executors, administrators, and assigns, until the 28th day of September then and now next, upon the trusts therein mentioned, for the benefit of the several persons parties thereto of the second and third parts, being all the creditors of the said assignor; and that the said deed was, on the said 2nd day of May, duly signed, sealed, and delivered by the said Thomas Tamlyn, Thomas Philpott, George Morgan Green, William Thomas Canton, and James Phillips, respectively, in the presence of, and such execution thereof was attested by, William Davies, of the said town and county of Haverfordwest, Solicitor, and Thomas Roberts, Clerk to Messrs. Rees and Davies, Solicitors, Haverfordwest.—Dated this 13th day of May, in the year of our Lord 1854.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that Henry Claridge, late of Banbury, in the county of Oxford, but now of Soul-dern, in the same county, Tea Dealer, hath by indenture of assignment, bearing date the 6th day of May, 1854, assigned all his personal estate and effects to James Danby, of Banbury, in the county of Oxford, Auctioneer, and Thomas Garrett, of the same place, Builder, their executors, administrators, and assigns, in trust, for the equal benefit of all and singular the creditors of the said Henry Claridge, in rateable portions according to the amount of their several and respective debts. The said indenture of assignment was duly executed by the said Henry Claridge on the 6th day of May, 1854, in the presence, of and attested by, Thomas Pain, of Banbury, in the county of Oxford, Attorney-at-Law, and Daniel Parker Pellett, Clerk to Messrs. Rolls and Pain, of Banbury aforesaid, Solicitors; and the same indenture was duly executed by the said James Danby on the 6th day of May, 1854, and by the said Thomas Garrett, on the 8th day of the said month, in the presence of, and attested by, the said Thomas Pain and Daniel Parker Pellett. The said indenture now lies at the office of the said Messrs. Rolls and Pain, for execution by the creditors of the said Henry Claridge.—Banbury, 10th May, 1854.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that by indenture, bearing date the 29th day of April, 1854, and made between Joseph Wilkinson, of Bradford, in the county of York, Manufacturer, of the first part; Enoch Haley, of the same place, Machine Maker, and Jonathan Bottomley, of the

same place, Spinner, of the second part; and the several other persons whose names and seals are thereunto subscribed and set, being respectively creditors of the said Joseph Wilkinson, of the third part; he the said Joseph Wilkinson hath assigned his personal estate and effects, as therein mentioned, unto the said Enoch Haley and Jonathan Bottomley, their executors, administrators, and assigns, upon trust, for the equal benefit of such of the creditors of him the said Joseph Wilkinson as shall execute the said assignment, or consent thereto in writing within three calendar months from the date thereof; and notice is hereby also given, that the said indenture was executed by the said Joseph Wilkinson and Enoch Haley on the said 29th day of April last, and by the said Jonathan Bottomley on the 10th day of May instant, and that the execution of the same by each of them is attested by John Watson, of Bradford aforesaid, Solicitor; and the said indenture now lies at the offices of Messrs. Terry and Watson, in Market-street, in Bradford, for inspection and execution by the creditors of the said Joseph Wilkinson; and all persons who stand indebted to the said Joseph Wilkinson are requested to pay the amounts of their respective debts to Messrs. H. W. and J. Blackburn, Accountants, Darley-street, Bradford, forthwith.—Bradford, 11th May, 1854.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that Isaac Osman, of the town and county of the town of Southampton, Fly Proprietor, hath by indenture of assignment, dated the 10th day of May, 1854, and made between the said Isaac Osman of the first part; John Thomas Glasspool, of the town and county of Southampton, Corn Merchant, Robert Grant, of the same place, Coach Maker, and George Gould, also of the same place, Farrier (trustees for themselves and the rest of the creditors of the said Isaac Osman, parties thereto) of the second part; and the several other persons whose names and seals were thereunto subscribed and set, being respectively creditors of the said Isaac Osman, of the third part; conveyed and assigned all his real and personal estate and effects whatsoever, unto the said John Thomas Glasspool, Robert Grant, and George Gould, their heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, in trust, for the benefit of themselves and all other the creditors of the said Isaac Osman as shall execute the same indenture; and that such indenture was executed by the said Isaac Osman on the day of the date thereof, in the presence of, and attested by, Robert Goodenough Bassett, of the said town and county of the town of Southampton, Solicitor, and was also executed by the said John Thomas Glasspool, Robert Grant, and George Gould, on the day of the date of the said indenture, in the presence of Charles Davies, of the said town and county of the town of Southampton, Solicitor; and that the same indenture now lies at the office of Messrs. Davies and Son, Solicitors, No. 7, Albion-place, Southampton aforesaid, for execution thereof by the creditors of the said Isaac Osman.—Dated the 10th day of May, 1854.

#### Notice to Creditors.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that by an indenture, dated the 9th day of May, 1854, William Haver, of Clayton-street, in the town and county of the town of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Hosier and Draper, conveyed and assigned all his personal estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever as therein mentioned, unto John Wilkie, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, Hosier, and Henry Simpson, of the same place, Stationer, in trust, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said William Haver who should execute the same within three calendar months from the date thereof; and that the said indenture of assignment was duly executed by the said William Haver, and the said John Wilkie and Henry Simpson, on the day of the date thereof, in the presence of, and attested by, Henry Story, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor, and Thomas Nield Cathrall, of No. 40, Grainger-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Accountant; and which said indenture now lies at the offices of the said Thomas Nield Cathrall, situate as above, for execution by the creditors.—Dated this 9th day of May, 1854.

#### Joseph Hardmeat's Assignment.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that Joseph Hardmeat, of King's Lynn, in the county of Norfolk, Ironmonger and Hardwareman, hath by an indenture, dated the 8th day of May, 1854, assigned over all his real and personal estate and effects, of every kind, unto William Cooper, of King's Lynn aforesaid, Ironmonger, upon trust, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said Joseph Hardmeat; and that such indenture was executed by the said Joseph Hardmeat and William Cooper on the said 8th day of May, 1854, and was attested by Edward Milligen Beloe, of King's Lynn aforesaid, Attorney and Solicitor, and David Ward, his Clerk; and the said indenture is now lying at the office of Messrs. Coulton and Beloe, Solicitors, in King's Lynn aforesaid, for execution by such of the creditors of the said Joseph Hardmeat as shall sign the same on or before the 8th day of August next, and such of them as shall neglect or refuse to sign the same on or before that day will be excluded from all benefit arising therefrom.—Dated the 11th day of May, 1854.

## Mr. Richard Adams's Assignment.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that by indenture of assignment, bearing date the 27th day of April instant, Richard Adams, late of Wisbech, in the Isle of Ely, in the county of Cambridge, Innkeeper, but now of West Walton, in the county of Norfolk, Farmer, duly assigned all his estate and effects whatsoever, unto John Harrison, of Wisbech aforesaid, Butcher, and John Limer, of the same place, Coachmaker, upon trust, for the equal benefit of themselves and such other of the creditors of the said Richard Adams as should execute the said indenture of assignment within two calendar months from the date thereof; and which indenture was duly executed by the said Richard Adams, and also by the said John Harrison and John Limer, on the day of the date thereof, and attested by George Duppa Collins, Solicitor, Wisbech, and Edward Osborn Dyson, his Clerk; and such assignment is now lying at our office in Wisbech aforesaid, for the signature of the creditors of the said Richard Adams desirous of executing the same; and all debtors to the said Richard Adams are hereby requested forthwith to pay us the amount of their respective debts, and all creditors are requested to deliver their accounts to us without delay.—Dated this 27th day of April, 1854.

JACKSON and COLLINS, Wisbech, Attorneys for the Assignees.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that Timothy Forshaw, of Prescott, in the county of Lancaster, Innkeeper, hath by an indenture of assignment, bearing date the 27th day of April, 1854, and made between the said Timothy Forshaw of the first part; William Webster, of Saint Helens, in the said county, Spirit Merchant, and Edward Twist, of Prescott aforesaid, Builder, of the second part; and the several other persons whose names and seals are thereunto subscribed and set, being severally creditors in their own right or in copartnership, or being agents or attorneys of creditors of the said Timothy Forshaw, of the third part; assigned all his stock in trade and other personal estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, unto the said William Webster and Edward Twist, their executors, administrators, and assigns, upon trust, for the equal benefit of such of the creditors of the said Timothy Forshaw as shall assent to and execute the said indenture within two months from the date thereof; and that such indenture of assignment was duly executed by the said Timothy Forshaw on the 28th day of April aforesaid, and by the said William Webster and Edward Twist respectively, on the 11th day of May instant, and the execution of the same by the said Timothy Forshaw, William Webster, and Edward Twist respectively, is attested by William Cross, of Prescott aforesaid, Attorney-at-Law, and Robert Henry Menzies, Clerk to Messrs. Rowson and Cross, Solicitors, Prescott; and notice is hereby further given, that the said indenture now lies at the offices of the said Messrs. Rowson and Cross, in Prescott aforesaid, for inspection and execution by the creditors of the said Timothy Forshaw.—Dated this 11th day of May, 1854.

In the Matter of William Benning, of Fleet-street, in the city of London, Law Bookseller and Publisher, Dealer and Chapman, carrying on business in copartnership with John Girton Gilliat, and trading under the firm of William Benning and Company, against whom a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 20th day of August, 1851, has been filed.

**T**HOSE creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition, may receive their warrants for the Third Dividend of 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound, any Wednesday, between the hours of eleven and three of the clock, on application at my office, No. 2, Basinghall-street. No warrant can be delivered without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proof; and executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration.

W. WHITMORE, Official Assignee.

Estate of James Harper Gibbons, of No. 66, Wood-street, Cheapside, in the city of London, Straw Hat Warehouseman.

**T**HE creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition of Bankruptcy may receive their warrants for the Second Dividend of 1s. 2d. in the pound, on Thursday next, and three following Thursdays, between the hours of eleven and two, upon application at my office, No. 25, Coleman-street, London. No warrants will be delivered without the production of the bills and other securities exhibited at the time of proof. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.

GEO. J. GRAHAM, Official Assignee.

Estate of Edward Cox, of No. 15, Great Queen-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields, Plane and Lathe Manufacturer.

**T**HE creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition of Bankruptcy, may receive their warrants for the First Dividend of 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound, on

Thursday next, and three following Thursdays, between the hours of eleven and two, on application at my office, No. 25, Coleman-street, London. No warrants will be delivered without the production of the bills and other securities exhibited at the time of proof. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.

GEO. J. GRAHAM, Official Assignee.

Re Henry Biggs, late of No. 170, Bermondsey-street, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, Gelatine Manufacturer, trading under the style or firm of Bridgman and Co., now residing at No. 2, Brunswick-place, Loompit-hill, Lewisham-road, Deptford, in the county of Kent.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 3s. 11d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 24, Basinghall-street, on Tuesday the 23rd day of May, 1854, or any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and two o'clock. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

ISAAC NICHOLSON, Official Assignee.

Re Henry Burgess Roff, of Woolwich, in the county of Kent, Wharfinger, Cab Proprietor, Dealer and Chapman.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a Second Dividend of 5d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 24, Basinghall-street, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of May instant, or any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and two. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debts. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

ISAAC NICHOLSON, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of John Kay, of Prestwich, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Calico Manufacturer, against whom a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was issued on the 12th day of January, 1854.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a First Dividend of 5s. 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 45, George-street, Manchester, on Tuesday the 30th of May instant, and the 13th of June next, 1854, or on any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and one. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.—May 12, 1854.

JOHN FRASER, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of Robert Rimmer, of Southport and Seaforth, both in the county of Lancaster, Builder and Brick Maker, Dealer and Chapman.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a Final Dividend of 5s. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Thursday, the 18th day of May, 1854, or any subsequent Thursday, between the hours of eleven and two of the clock. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.—May 13, 1854.

JAS. CAZENOVE, Official Assignee,  
11, Eldon-chambers, South John-street, Liverpool.

In the Matter of Robert Bamford, of Pontefract.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a Final Dividend of 9d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Tuesday the 16th day of May, 1854, or any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and two of the clock. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt be produced, without the special directions of a commissioner. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

H. P. HOPE, Official Assignee,  
8, Commercial-buildings, Leeds.

In the Matter of John McGibbon and Archibald Galbreath, of the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Merchants and Commission Agents, Bankrupts.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a Third and Final Dividend of 0 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Tuesday, the 16th of May instant, or any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and two. No Dividend can be paid without the

production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.—12th May, 1854.

**THEOPS. CARRICK**, Official Assignee,  
Quay-street Chambers, Hull.

In the Matter of Thomas Proctor, of the city of Lincoln, Engineer and Millwright, a bankrupt.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a First Dividend of 1s. 2d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Tuesday the 16th day of May instant, or any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and two. No Dividend can be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators are required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.—12th May, 1854.

**THEOPS. CARRICK**, Official Assignee,  
Quay-street Chambers, Hull.

**W**HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 23rd day of February, 1854, filed and entered of record in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, against William Straford Vaile, of the Three Crowns, East Greenwich, in the county of Kent, Licensed Victualler; this is to give notice, that by an order of Edward Holroyd, Esquire, one of the Commissioners of the said Court, bearing date the 5th day of May, 1854, such Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was dismissed, and the adjudication thereunder annulled.

**W**HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 4th day of April, 1854, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, against Daniel Frederick Ford, by the name and description of Daniel Frederick Ford, of No. 8, Grosvenor-place, Commercial-road East, in the county of Middlesex, Draper, Dealer and Chapman; this is to give notice, that by an order of the said Court, bearing date the 15th day of May, 1854, the said adjudication of Bankruptcy hath been annulled, and the said Petition for adjudication dismissed.

**W**HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, was, on the 5th day of May, 1854, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, against James Merchant, of Foulmire, in the county of Cambridge, Grocer and Draper, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Robert George Cecil Fane, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 26th of May instant, and on the 30th of June next, at half past one in the afternoon 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. 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. Wm. Whitmore, of No. 2, Basinghall-street, London, Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Sharpe and Co., Solicitors, of No. 41, Bedford-row, or to Messrs. W. and R. D. Thurgood, of Saffron Walden, Essex.

**W**HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, was on the 16th day of May, 1854, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy in London, against Charles Henry May, of No. 10, Edgware-road, Marylebone, in the county of Middlesex, Jeweller, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Robert George Cecil Fane, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 27th day of May instant, and on the 30th day of June next, at two of the clock in the afternoon 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. 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. Wm. Whitmore, No. 2, Basinghall-street, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. Cattlin, Solicitor, No. 22, Ely-place, Holborn.

**W**HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 13th day of May, 1854, filed against John Baker, of No. 86, Edgware-road, and 19a, Jonson-place, Westbourne-green, in the county of Middlesex, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Edward Holroyd, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 29th day of

May instant, at two of the clock in the afternoon precisely and on the 27th day of June next, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, 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. 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. Edward Watkin Edwards, No. 1, Sambrook-court, Basinghall-street, London, the Official Assignee in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Messrs. Mardon and Prichard, Solicitors, No. 99, Newgate-street, London.

**W**HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 16th day of May, 1854, filed against John Sharpe, of Barn Elms, Barnes, in the county of Surrey, Cowkeeper and Dairyman, Dealer and Chapman, and he having been declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Edward Holroyd, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 29th day of May instant, at two of the clock in the afternoon precisely, and on the 27th day of June next, at twelve of the 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. 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. Charles Lee, No. 35, Moorgate-street, London, the Official Assignee in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Messrs. King and Attwaters, Solicitors, No. 3, Lyon's-inn, Strand, London.

**W**HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 5th day of May, 1854, hath been filed against William Dolton, of Sutton Saint Mary, in the county of Lincoln, Common Brewer, Liquor Merchant and Farmer, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to John Baiguy, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Nottingham, on the 26th of May instant, and on the 16th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon on each of the said days, 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. 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. John Harris, Middle Pavement, Nottingham, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Caparn and Ayliff, Solicitors, Holbeach, or to Mr. John Powell, Solicitor, Moor-street, Birmingham.

**W**HEREAS, on the 10th day of May, 1854, a Petition for an adjudication of Bankruptcy was filed against Thomas Manning, of Combe Lake, near Fair Mile, Ottery St. Mary, Devon, Smith and Machine Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Exeter District, and he being adjudged a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to Montague Baker Bere, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Exeter District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 25th day of May instant, and on the 22nd day of June next, at one in the afternoon precisely, on each day, at the Court of Bankruptcy for the Exeter District, in Queen-street, in the city of Exeter, 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. 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. H. L. Hirtzel, Queen-street, Exeter, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Head and Venn, Solicitors, Exeter.

**W**HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 10th day of May, 1854, hath been duly filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, against Maurice Jarvis, of Leeds, in the county of York, Woolstapler, and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to William Scrope Ayrton, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 6th day of June next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, and on the 27th day of the same month at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, in the Commercial-buildings, in Leeds, 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. 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. Henry Philip Hope, of Leeds, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Bridger and Collins, Solicitors, No. 37, King William-street, London, or to Mr. T. M. Lee, Solicitor, Leeds.

**WHEREAS** a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was filed on the 12th day of May, 1854, in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy at Manchester, against Edward Coultate and Thomas Swindells, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Brokers, trading under the style of Brown, Coultate and Company, and they being declared bankrupts are hereby required to surrender themselves to one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 31st day of May instant, and on the 21st day of June next, at twelve of the clock at noon, on each of the said days, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, 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. All persons indebted to the said bankrupts, or that have any of their effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Fraser, No. 48, George-street, Manchester, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Hyson and Robinson, Solicitors, No. 44, Cross-street, Manchester.

**ROBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE**, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 9th day of August, 1854, against George Nock and John Williams, of No. 18, Frith-street, Soho, in the county of Middlesex, Goldsmiths and Jewellers, Dealers and Chapman, will sit on the 26th day of May instant, at half past one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the joint estate and effects of the said bankrupts, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

**JOSHUA EVANS**, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 25th day of March, 1854, against William Wallen the younger, of Lawrence Pountney-lane, in the city of London, Architect, Surveyor, Builder, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 1st of June next, at half past twelve of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

**EDWARD GOULBURN**, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 1st day of March, 1854, against Robert Mulock Wright and Joseph Smith Anstie, of Broken-wharf, Nos. 41 and 42, Upper Thames-street, in the city of London, Drysalers, Dealers and Chapman, will sit on the 27th day of May instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupts, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

**EDWARD GOULBURN**, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 1st day of March, 1854, against Robert Mulock Wright and Joseph Smith Anstie, of Broken Wharf, Nos. 41 and 42, Upper Thames-street, in the city of London, Drysalers, Dealers and Chapman, will sit on the 27th day of May instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the separate estate and effects of the said bankrupts under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

**EDWARD GOULBURN** Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 24th day of February, 1854, against Henry Groom, of Bray Mills, in the parish of Bray, in the county of Berks, Miller, will sit on the 27th day of May instant, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to Audit

the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

**EDWARD HOLROYD**, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 24th day of March, 1854, against James Young Hulbert, of No. 2, New-Court, Bow-lane, in the city of London, and of No. 3, Upper Grange-walk, Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, Account Book Manufacturer, and Dealer in Parchment, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 30th day of May instant, at two of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

**WALKER SKIRROW**, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 19th day of April, 1820, awarded and issued forth against James Kinder, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 2nd day of June next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, at Manchester, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Commission pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

**WALKER SKIRROW**, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Fiat in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 19th day of October, 1847, awarded and issued forth against Thomas Dawber, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Calico Printer, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 26th day of May instant, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, in Manchester, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

**JOHN BALGUY**, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing date the 4th of October, 1827, awarded and issued forth against Charles Cox, of Newcastle-under-Lyme, in the county of Stafford, Common Brewer, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 14th day of June next, at half past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Commission, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts.

**JOSHUA EVANS**, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 17th day of October, 1851, against Charles Walker, of Basinghall-street, in the city of London, and of Leeds, in the county of York, Woollen Cloth Manufacturer and Warehouseman, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 8th of June next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

**WHEREAS** Joseph Peverelle, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Hardware Dealer, Cutler, and General Dealer, being a trader within the meaning of the Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849, and being unable to meet his engagements, did, on the 23rd day of August, 1853, file in the Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District a Petition for arrangement with his creditors, under the provisions of the said Act, and a private sitting having been appointed to be held on the 20th day of September following, and a special meeting having subsequently been appointed to be held on the 3rd day of October instant, for cause then proved to its satisfaction duly adjudged him a bankrupt, Henry James Perry, Esq., will sit on the 7th day of June next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in Liverpool, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend.

**JOHN BALGUY**, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 8th day of November, 1853, and filed against William Lynall, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Plumber and Glazier,

Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 7th day of June next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

**JOHN BALGUY, Esq.**, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 17th day of February, 1854, and filed against James Bough, of Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, Carpet Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 14th of June next, at half past ten in the forenoon precisely, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

**JOHN BALGUY, Esq.**, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Commission of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 4th day of October, 1827, awarded and issued forth against Charles Cox, of Newcastle-under-Lyme, in the county of Stafford, Common Brewer, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 21st day of June next, at half past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

**WHEREAS** the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 10th day of March, 1854, against William Cluff Hulme, of High-street, Putney, in the county of Surrey, Grocer, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Edward Holroyd, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 13th day of June next, at half past twelve of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, London, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute, passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intitled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

**WHEREAS** the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 30th day of March, 1854, against Edmund Whittenbury Robinson, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Broker, carrying on business under the firm of Joseph Robinson and Son, has appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Richard Stevenson, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Liverpool District Court of Bankruptcy, at Liverpool, on the 8th day of June next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy in Liverpool, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the form and subject to the provisions of the Statute passed in the Parliament holden in the twelfth and thirteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intitled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Court will sit, at the time and place above mentioned, for the purpose aforesaid; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

**THIS** is to give notice, that Montague Baker Bere, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 14th day of March, 1854, against William

Turner, of Crewkerne, in the county of Somerset, Currier, has appointed a public sitting to be held on the 8th day of June next, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy for the Exeter District, in Queen-street, in the city of Exeter, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the provisions of "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" when and where the assignees, or any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his or their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate.

**THIS** is to give notice, that Montague Baker Bere, Esq., Her Majesty's Commissioner authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 22nd day of March, 1854, against John Frederick Thynne, of Tavistock, in the county of Devon, Dealer in Musical Instruments, has appointed a public sitting to be held on the 8th day of June next, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy for the Exeter District, in Queen-street, in the city of Exeter, Devonshire, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt's conformity to the laws now in force concerning bankrupts, according to the provisions of "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" when and where the assignees or any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his or their intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate.

**JOHN BALGUY, Esq.**, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act in the prosecution of Petitions for adjudication of Bankruptcy, in the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, has appointed a public sitting for the allowance of a Certificate to James Gummery, of Kidderminster, in the county of Worcester, Druggist and Grocer, against whom a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 5th day of April, 1854, has been duly filed, and is now in prosecution; the said public sitting to be holden at Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, on the 12th day of June, 1854, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely; at which sitting any of the creditors of the said bankrupt may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate.

**JOHN BALGUY, Esq.**, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act in the prosecution of Petitions for adjudication of Bankruptcy, in the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, has appointed a public sitting for the allowance of a Certificate to Rowland Hill, of the town and county of the town of Nottingham, Lace Merchant, against whom a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 10th day of February, 1854, has been duly filed, and is now in prosecution; the said public sitting to be holden at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at Nottingham, on the 16th day of June, 1854, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely; at which sitting any of the creditors of the said bankrupt may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate.

**JOHN BALGUY, Esq.**, one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 3rd day of April, 1854, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, against Stephen Meredith, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting for the allowance of the Certificate under such Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, to be holden on the 8th of June next, at ten in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham; when and where any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his intention to oppose, may be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, and the same will be allowed, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary, or such other order will be made therein, as the justice of the case may require.

**THIS** is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 22nd day of February, 1854, against William Miles, of King's Lynn, in the county of Norfolk, Ship Owner, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 12th day of May instant, allow the said William Miles a Certificate of the second class, and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

**THIS** is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, which was duly filed against Alexander Bain, of No. 43, Old Bond-street, in the county of Middlesex, Electric Clock Maker, Dealer and Chapman, bearing date the 3rd day of December, 1852, did, on the 11th day of May, 1854, allow the said Alexander Bain his Certificate of the second

class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

**J**OHAN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1854, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy at Birmingham, against Frederick Chater, of Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Chemist and Druggist, did, on the 25th day of April, 1854, allow the said Frederick Chater a Certificate of the second class, and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

Re William Thomas Curtis, late of the city of Worcester, Saddler, an Insolvent.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named insolvent, William Thomas Curtis, will be held at my offices, No. 37, Upper Temple-street, Birmingham, on Wednesday, the 31st day of May instant, at twelve o'clock at noon, to determine upon the sale of the reversionary interest of the said insolvent in freehold premises, situate in Saint Paul's-street, in the said city of Worcester.

JAS. HAYWOOD, Solicitor to the Assignees.

**W**HEREAS a Petition of William Carden Jones, late of Newport, and now of Shide, in the Isle of Wight, in the county of Southampton, Horse Dealer and Horse Commission Agent, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Hampshire, at Newport, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Carden Jones, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Carden Jones is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 31st day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said William Carden Jones, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Frederick Blake, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Newport, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**W**HEREAS a Petition of Thomas Nason the younger, late of High-street, in the borough of New Windsor, in the county of Berks, Fishmonger and Pontiler, and now of Russell-street, in the said borough of New Windsor, and county of Berks, out of business, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Berkshire, at Windsor, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Thomas Nason the younger, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Thomas Nason the younger is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 7th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Thomas Nason the younger, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Henry Darvill, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, in William-street, Windsor, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**W**HEREAS a Petition of William Quarmby, at present and for eighteen months last past residing at Osborne Cottage, Button-hill, in the township of Ecclesall Bierlow, in the parish of Sheffield, in the county of York, Journeyman Mason, previously thereto of Wakefield-road, Staley Bridge, in the county palatine of Lancaster, Mason and Builder, previously thereto of Saddleworth, in the said county of York, Mason and Builder, previously thereto of Glossop, in the county of Derby, Mason and Builder, previously thereto of Nursery-street, in the said parish of Sheffield, Mason and Sub-Contractor, and previously thereto of Ridghill Lawn, in Staley Bridge aforesaid, Mason and Sub-Contractor, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Yorkshire, at Sheffield, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Quarmby, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Quarmby is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 1st day of June next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to

take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said William Quarmby, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Messrs. Wm. Wake and Thos. Wm. Rodgers, Clerks of the said Court, at the office of the said County Court, Bank-street, Sheffield, the Official Assignees of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**W**HEREAS a Petition of James Bowley the elder, in lodgings at the house of James Bowley the younger, in that part of Appleby, in the counties of Leicestershire and Derby which is situate in Derbyshire, Yeoman, having no business or employ, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Leicestershire, at Ashby-de-la-Zouch, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said James Bowley the elder, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said James Bowley the elder is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 27th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said James Bowley the elder, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. William Dewes, Assistant Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Ashby-de-la-Zouch, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**W**HEREAS a Petition of John Wilcockson, from November, in the year 1846, until May, in the year 1850, of the Joiners' Arms, in Chesterfield, in the county of Derby, Licensed Victualler and Joiner, and from the last-mentioned date until the present time of the Furnace Inn, Derby-road, Hasland, in the county of Derby, Beer-shop Keeper, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Derbyshire, at Chesterfield, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Wilcockson, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Wilcockson is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 14th of June next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said John Wilcockson, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. William Waller, one of the Clerks of the said Court, at his office, at Chesterfield, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**W**HEREAS a Petition of Thomas Stapleton Mallam, late of Easebourne, near Midhurst, in the county of Sussex, Land Surveyor, Grocer, Provision Merchant, and General-shop Keeper, and now of Eastbourne aforesaid, Land Surveyor, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Sussex, at Midhurst, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Thomas Stapleton Mallam, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Thomas Stapleton Mallam is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 8th day of June next, at twelve o'clock at noon, precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Thomas Stapleton Mallam, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Thomas Johnson, Assistant Clerk of the said Court, at his office at Midhurst, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**W**HEREAS a Petition of James Doogan, of Hilsea, in the parish of Wymering, in the county of Southampton, Army Pensioner, Grocer, Chandler, Beerseller and General-shop Keeper, Dealer in Coals and Wood, Gardener Greengrocer, and Cow Keeper, Selling Milk, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Hampshire at the Guildhall, at Portsmouth, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said James Doogan, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said James Doogan is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 6th day of June next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said James Doogan, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Howard, Clerk of the said Court, at Portsmouth, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of James Richards, of Havant-street, Portsea, in the county of Southampton, Builder, Carpenter, Joiner, and Undertaker, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Hampshire, at the Guildhall, at Portsmouth, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said James Richards, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said James Richards is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 6th of June next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estates, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said James Richards, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Howard, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Portsmouth, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of John Price, at present and for twenty-two days last past of the Heath, in the parish of Old Swinford, in the county of Worcester (residing with one William Baylie, Chain Maker and Provision Dealer), of no business or employment, previously thereto for six months or thereabouts carrying on business at the White Hart, at Wordsley, in the parish of Kingswinford, in the county of Stafford, as a Beer Retailer, and previously thereto at the same place, for nine years or thereabouts, as a Licensed Victualler, and also for the first seven years and a half of the last-named period, a Glass Maker, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Worcestershire, at Stourbridge, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Price, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Price is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 22nd day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said John Price, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. John Harward, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

**WHEREAS** a Petition of William Frederick Wallett, formerly of Bradford, afterwards of Leeds, then Huddersfield, all in the county of York, then of Burnley, Wigan, and Manchester, all in the county of Lancaster, Proprietor and Equestrian Manager, then of Sheffield, in the said county of York, Equestrian Clown, then travelling Equestrian Clown in the United States of America, then of Whitehaven, in the county of Cumberland, then of Ulverstone, Lancaster, Bolton, Rochdale, and Oldham, all in the county of Lancaster, then of Wakefield, Sheffield, and Rotherham, all in the said county of York, then of Nottingham, in the county of Nottingham, then of Hull, in the said county of York, then of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, then of Manchester aforesaid, then of Leeds, in the said county of York, and now of the Theatre Royal Hotel, Windmill-street, Manchester aforesaid, and at all these several places lodging in Hotels, an Equestrian Clown, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Yorkshire, at Leeds, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said William Frederick Wallett, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said William Frederick Wallett is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 14th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for his first examination touching his debts, estate, and effects, and to be further dealt with according to the provisions of the said Statutes; and the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said William Frederick Wallett, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. G. Brooke Nelson, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, Park-row, Leeds, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

In the Matter of the Petition of Enoch Leighton, formerly of Swan Village, Westbromwich, in the county of Stafford, occasionally working as a Steerer, and his wife carrying on the business of a Shopkeeper, and now of Hill Top, Westbromwich, in the said county of Stafford, Licensed to Brew and Sell Ale and Beer by retail, and Steerer, his wife at the same time carrying on the said business of a Shopkeeper.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the County Court of Staffordshire, at Oldbury, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 27th day of May instant, at nine of the clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

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In the Matter of the Petition of Richard Fletcher, at present and for four days now last past, residing and carrying on business at No. 2, Smithfield-street, Lamp Manufacturer and Tin Plate Worker, for three weeks immediately previous thereto residing in Mellor-street, Everton, out of business, for eighteen months immediately previous thereto residing and carrying on business at No. 105, Tithebarn-street, for seven years immediately previous thereto residing and carrying on business at No. 4, Smithfield-street, all the aforesaid places being in the borough of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Lamp Manufacturer and Tin Plate Worker.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the County Court of Lancashire, at Liverpool, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 20th day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shown to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Mary Travis, at present and for eight months last past residing in lodgings, at No. 2, Adelaide-terrace, Waterloo, in the parish of Sephton, in the county of Lancaster, Teacher, for seven months immediately previous thereto residing in lodgings at Fowler's Cottage, Rodney-terrace, in the town of Cheltenham, in the parish of Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, Governess, for seven months immediately previous thereto residing at No. 3, Harewood-hill, in the town of Darlington, in the parish of Darlington, in the county of Durham, Teacher, for three months immediately previous thereto residing in lodgings in Westgate, in the borough of Thirsk, in the parish of Thirsk, in the county of York, then of no profession, for two years immediately previous thereto residing at Gilling Lodge, near the town of Richmond, in the parish of Richmond, in the county of York aforesaid, Governess, for four months immediately previous thereto residing at Milton-terrace, Stretford-road, in the township of Hulme, in the parish of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, then of no profession, for six weeks immediately previous thereto residing in lodgings at No. 7, Parson's-lane, in the borough of Bury, in the parish of Bury, in the county of Lancaster aforesaid, Governess, for five weeks immediately previous thereto residing in lodgings in William-street, in the borough of Bury, in the parish of Bury, in the county of Lancaster aforesaid, Governess, for one week immediately previous thereto residing in lodgings at No. 52, Bolton-street, in the borough of Bury, in the parish of Bury, in the county of Lancaster aforesaid, Governess, and for two years immediately previous thereto residing at Mablefield House, in the township of Withington, in the parish of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster aforesaid, Governess.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the County Court of Lancashire, at Liverpool, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 29th day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Thomas Ladkin, of Shearsby, in the county of Leicester, Victualler and Dealer in Tobacco, an Insolvent Debtor.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the County Court of Leicestershire, at Lutterworth, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 16th day of June next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of John Harris, formerly of Frogmore-street, in the town of Abergavenny, in the county of Monmouth, Horse Breaker, Grocer, and General-shop Keeper, afterwards of Mill-street, in the said town of Abergavenny, Horse Breaker, Grocer, and General-shop Keeper, then of High-street, in the said town of Abergavenny, out of business, afterwards, and at present, and for seven months last past, residing at the Reverend William Richard Payne Davies, at Court-y-Gollen, in the county of Brecon, Coachman.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that Thomas Falconer, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Brecknockshire, at Crickhowel, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 1st day of June next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Thomas Gittins, at present and for two years last past residing at Talwrn-lodge, near Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh, carrying on the business of a Blacksmith, Miner, Miller and Farmer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the County Court of Denbighshire, at Wrexham, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 30th day of May instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of John Roberts, formerly of Gresford, in the county of Denbigh, Seedsman and Market Gardener, at the same time having a Stall or Standing in Wrexham, in the said county of Denbigh, for the sale of Seeds and Garden Stuffs, afterwards and for the last six months residing in Hope-street, Wrexham aforesaid, Grocer and Provision Dealer, Fruiterer, and Seedsman, at the same time occupying a Shop in the Market Hall, Wrexham aforesaid, Fruiterer, Seedsman, and Dealer in Game.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the County Court of Denbighshire, at Wrexham, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 30th day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Richard Balshaw, of Farnworth, in the county of Lancaster, Beerseller and Journeyman Joiner, formerly carrying on business as Joiner and Builder, at Farnworth aforesaid, and at Ormskirk, in the said county, and during that time residing alternately at Farnworth and Ormskirk aforesaid, and for the period of nine months now last past or thereabouts, wholly residing at Farnworth aforesaid, an insolvent debtor.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the County Court of Lancashire, at St. Helen's, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 24th day of May instant, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Charles Powell, at present and for four months last past residing at No. 169, Arundel-street, in the parish of Sheffield, in the county of York, Journeyman Brush Maker, and for part of that time carrying on business in West-lane, in the said parish of Sheffield as a Brush Manufacturer, for one year and six months previously thereto residing at No. 18, Cumberland-street, in the said parish of Sheffield, Journeyman Brush Maker, for nine months previously thereto of Chester-gate, in Macclesfield, in the county of Chester, Brush Manufacturer, for nine months previously thereto of No. 22, Milton-street, in the town and county of the town of Nottingham, carrying on business in copartnership with Oliver David Marshall, under the firm of Powell and Company, Brush Manufacturers, and previously thereto of No. 14, Cumberland-street, in the said town of Nottingham, Brush Manufacturer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the County Court of Yorkshire, at Sheffield, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 1st day of June next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

**THE** estates of John Weir, Grocer and Provision Merchant, in Glasgow, were sequestrated on the 9th day of May, 1854.

The first deliverance is dated 9th May, 1854.

The Lord Ordinary has appointed Donald Cuthbertson, Accountant in Glasgow, Interim Factor on the estate, and has granted Warrant of Protection to the said John Weir, against arrest or imprisonment for civil debt, until the meeting of the creditors for the election of a Trustee.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held on Thursday the 25th day of May, 1854, at one o'clock afternoon, within the Crow Hotel, George's-square, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 9th day of September, 1854.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

W. LORIMER, S.S.C., Agents,  
18, Annandale-street, Edinburgh.

**THE** estates of Daniel Hamilton, Esquire, formerly residing in Queen-street, Edinburgh, now deceased, were sequestrated on 11th May, 1854.

The first deliverance is dated 20th March, 1854.

Alexander W. Robertson, Accountant, Edinburgh, has been appointed Interim Factor.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Thursday the 25th day of May, 1854, within the Rooms of Dowells and Lyon, George-street, Edinburgh.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 12th November, 1854.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

ALEX. HAMILTON, W.S.,  
29, Frederick-street, Edinburgh, Agent.

**THE** estates of Alexander Dobbie and Company, Tea Merchants, in Glasgow, and of Alexander Dobbie, Tea Merchant there, the only Individual Partner of that Company, as a Partner thereof, and as an Individual, were sequestrated on the 11th day of May, 1854.

The first deliverance is dated 11th May, 1854.

Donald Cuthbertson, Accountant, in Glasgow, was at same time appointed Interim Factor on the estate, and Warrant of Protection granted to the Bankrupt, Alexander Dobbie, against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the Creditors for the election of a Trustee.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners, is to be held, on Thursday, the 25th day of May, 1854, at twelve o'clock noon, within the Waverly Hotel, George-square, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debts must be lodged on or before the 11th day of September, 1854.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

JOHN COSENS, W.S., Agent,  
15, Broughton-place, Edinburgh.

**THE** estates of James Howden and Son, Jewellers and Watchmakers in Edinburgh, as a Company, and of James Howden and Andrew Howden, the Individual Partners of that Company, as Partners thereof, and as Individuals, were sequestrated upon the 11th day of May, 1854.

The first deliverance is dated 11th May, 1854.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock afternoon, on Thursday, the 25th day of May, 1854, within Dowells and Lyon's Rooms, No. 18, George-street, in Edinburgh.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 13th day of September, 1854.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

W. ALEXANDER, W.S., Agent.

Chambers, 10, North St. David-street,  
Edinburgh, May 11, 1854.

### COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

Saturday the 13th day of May, 1854.

**ASSIGNEES** have been appointed in the following Cases. Further particulars may be learned at the Office, in Portugal-Street, Lincoln's-Inn-Fields, on giving the number of the Case.

John Kirkpatrick, late of No. 3, Sussex-place, Rotherfield-street, Islington, Middlesex, Solicitor's Clerk, Insolvent, No. 64,207 T.; Thomas Nias, Assignee.

Thomas Allen Stubbing, late of Radwinter, Essex, Farmer, Insolvent, No. 76,178 C.; Thomas Saunders, Assignee.

William Couton, late of Morley, King's Norton, Worcestershire, Timber Merchant, Insolvent, No. 77,463 C.; Isaac Chilee, Assignee.

George Thomas Condy, late of Ipswich, Suffolk, Attorney-at-Law, Insolvent, No. 77,650, C; Rycroft Reeve, Assignee.

Charles Sallings, late of Chelmsford, Essex, Turner, and Dealer in Toys, Insolvent, No. 77,810 C; Julius Gaborian Shepherd, Assignee.

Henry Faulkner, late of Saint John's-street, Bridgwater, Somersetshire, Coach Builder, Insolvent, No. 77,884, C; Richard Smith the younger, Assignee.

Thomas Smith, late of No. 41, Waterloo-street, Hove, Sussex, Dairyman and Greengrocer, Insolvent, No. 77,664 C.; James Duly, Assignee.

James Raistrick, late of Horton, near Bradford, Yorkshire, Tailor and Draper, Insolvent, No. 77,737 C; Benjamin Atkinson, Assignee.

Joseph Dyson, late of White Abbey, Wanningham, near Bradford, Yorkshire, Stonemason, and Builder, Insolvent, No. 77,794 C.; John Binns, Assignee.

James Crisford, late of Westfield, Sussex, out of business, Insolvent, No. 77,859 C.; Frederick Wrenn, Assignee.

James William Holland, late of Longsight, near Manchester, Lancashire, out of business, Insolvent, No. 77,967 C; George Anderton, Assignee.

Radcliffe Royston, late of Lindley Fields, Lindley, near Huddersfield, Yorkshire, Joiner, and Cabinet Maker, Insolvent, No. 77,920 C.; Rowland Broadbent, Assignee.

Henry Youell, late of No. 11, Smallbrook-street, Birmingham, Warwickshire, out of business, Insolvent, No. 77,936 C; Peter Bates, Assignee.

Henry Parratt, late of Chepstow, Monmouthshire Coach Builder, Insolvent, No. 77,799 C.; Thomas Burbidge, Assignee.  
 Edward Dalton, late of No. 22, Briggs-street, Salford Lancashire, Joiner, and Builder, Insolvent, No. 77,574 C.; Peter Wood, Assignee.  
 Isaac Calam, late of Belby, near Howden, Yorkshire, out of business, Insolvent, No. 77,848 C.; William Calam, Assignee.  
 James Heywood, late of Spring Hill, near Waterhead Mill, Lancashire, Provision-shop Keeper, Insolvent, No. 32,286 C.; John Taylor, New Assignee, Peter Roylance, late Assignee removed.

### COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

Saturday the 13th day of May, 1854.

ORDERS have been made, vesting in the Provisional Assignee the Estates and Effects of the following Persons:

#### On their own Petitions.

John Thomas Gain, late of No. 2, Waltham-cottages, Warner-road, Camberwell, Surrey, out of business.—In the Queen's Prison.  
 John Trevers the elder, late of No. 1, Gloucester-place, Old Kent-road, Surrey, Builder.—In the Queen's Prison.  
 Frank Baron Billam, late of No. 13, Hall-place, Lower Kennington-lane, Surrey, out of business.—In the Gaol of Surrey.  
 George Jones, late of No. 4, Queen's-place, New North-road, Islington, Middlesex, Surgeon.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.  
 Joseph Parry, late of No. 24, Liquorpond-street, Gray's-inn-lane, Middlesex, Cheesemonger.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.  
 Thomas Augustus Grimes, late of No. 108, High-street, Poplar, Middlesex, Grocer.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.  
 William Alexander Holmes, late of No. 3, Ellen-place, Battersea, Surrey, Clerk, Ordnance Office, Tower.—In the Gaol of Surrey.  
 James Izod, late of No. 9, Penton-place, Walworth, Surrey, out of business.—In the Queen's Prison.  
 George Newby Wardell, late of No. 11, Lloyd-square, Pentonville, Middlesex, Attorney, not practising.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.  
 Joseph Eldridge, late of No. 6, Queen-street, Danston-road, Middlesex, out of business.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.  
 George Bristow, late of No. 13, Bedfordbury, Covent-garden, Middlesex, Builder and Dealer in Bread.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.  
 Henry Gompertz, late of No. 22, Lower Phillimore-place, Kensington, Middlesex, Gentleman.—In the Queen's Prison.  
 George William Collins, late of No. 21, Sherborne-street, Blandford-square, Middlesex, Clerk and Bookkeeper.—In the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex.  
 Lambert Philip Mølleddon, late of No. 52, Culford-road, Kingsland, Middlesex, Merchant's Clerk.—In the Queen's Prison.  
 Richard Walton, late of Holt Hill, Haggate, Briercliffe with Entwistle, near Burnley, Lancashire, Labourer.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.  
 William Lamb Clavering, late of Renshaw-street, Hulme, Manchester, Lancashire, Drapers' Assistant.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.  
 Robert Parkinson, late of Edgar-street, Preston, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.  
 Robert Gardner, late of Damside-street, Lancashire, Beer-seller.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.  
 Roger Wilkinson, late of Whalley Banks, Blackburn, Lancashire, Grocer, Provision Dealer, and Baker.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.  
 William Taylor White, late of Camden-terrace, Leeds, Yorkshire, Commercial Traveller.—In the Gaol of York.  
 Thomas Walker, late of Hanover-street, Sheffield, Yorkshire, Cutler.—In the Gaol of York.  
 Henry Lovelock, late of Banbury, Oxfordshire, Upholsterer.—In the Gaol of Oxford.  
 George Raven, late of South Town, near Great Yarmouth, Suffolk, Gardener.—In the Gaol of Ipswich.  
 John Parkinson, late of Trawden, near Colne, Lancashire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.  
 Thomas Sharples, late of the Bee Hive, Mary Ann-street, Blackburn, Lancashire, Licensed Victualler.—In the Gaol of Lancaster.  
 David Galloway, late of No. 24, East-street, South Shields, Durham, Mariner and Poulterer.—In the Gaol of Durham.

Colin Walker, late of Town End, Chapel-en-le-Frith, Derbyshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Derby.  
 George Barbor Dene, late of Freeland-place, Fishpond-road, Gloucestershire, Attorney and Solicitor.—In the Gaol of Bristol.  
 Charles Barnes, late of the Grosvenor Mews, Bedford-place, Southampton, Livery-stable Keeper.—In the Gaol of Southampton.  
 William Bradshaw Gilson, late of the King's Head Hotel, Derby, Derbyshire, out of business.—In the Gaol of Derby.  
 Samuel Goodlad, late of Ashover, Derbyshire, Farmer and Miller.—In the Gaol of Derby.  
 William Nash the younger, late of the Bell Hotel, Bury Saint Edmunds, Suffolk, in no business.—In the Gaol of Bury Saint Edmunds.  
 Edward Burley, late of Grazely-street, Wolverhampton, Staffordshire, Glazier, Painter, and Plumber.—In the Gaol of Coventry.  
 William Robert Bemman, late of No. 20, Winsford-street, Bristol, Journeyman Gold Beater.—In the Gaol of Bristol.  
 Edward Powell, late of the Britannia Beer-house, Wilder-street-road, Bristol, Retailer of Beer.—In the Gaol of Bristol.  
 Charles Rowland, late of Church-street, Ruabon, Denbighshire, Farm Bailiff.—In the Gaol of Ruthin.  
 Richard William Cousens, late of No. 20, Wind-street, Swansea, Glamorganshire, Watch Maker.—In the Gaol of Cardiff.  
 Charles White, late of Stoke Poges, Buckinghamshire, Hostler.—In the Gaol of Aylesbury.

### COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

See Notice at the end.

The following PRISONERS, whose Estates and Effects have been vested in the Provisional Assignee by Order of the Court, having filed their Schedules, are ordered to be brought up before the Court, as hereinafter mentioned, at the Court-House, in Portugal-Street, Lincoln's-Inn, as follows, to be dealt with according to the Statute:

On Tuesday the 30th May, 1854, at Ten o'Clock precisely, before Chief Commissioner Law.

William Smith, late of No. 43, George-street, Regent-street (called Albion-cottage), Lambeth, Whiting, Pipe Clay, and Hearth Stone Manufacturer, and renting a stable in John-street, Lambeth, for about twelve months, and also renting a stable in Caroline-street, Princes-road, Lambeth, for about twelve months, all in Surrey.

On Tuesday the 30th May, 1854, at Eleven o'Clock, before Mr. Commissioner Phillips.

Thomas Lloyd, formerly of the Feathers, Saint Martin's-street, Leicester-square, Middlesex, Licensed Victualler, then of Putney, Surrey, and late of No. 19, Fleet-street, London, out of business or employ.

Charles Bradford Baird, formerly of No. 195, High-street, Chatham, Kent, Boot Maker, then of No. 92, High-street, aforesaid, Boot Maker, during a portion of said time of the Old White Hart Public House, Brook, Chatham, Kent, Licensed Victualler, and late of No. 9, Clifton-street, Finsbury, Middlesex, out of business.

On Tuesday the 30th May, 1854, at Ten o'Clock, before Mr. Commissioner Murphy.

Frederick Errington, formerly of No. 3, Clarence-place, place, Stockwell, then of No. 19, Saint George's-place High-street, Camberwell aforesaid, all in Surrey, Jeweller.

On Tuesday the 30th May, 1854, at Ten o'Clock precisely, before Mr. Commissioner Murphy.

#### Adjourned Hearing.

Richard Deacon Dodge (detained by the name of Richard D. Dodge), formerly of No. 7, Bird-in-Hand-court, then of No. 7, Queen Ann's-court, Cheapside, London, then of No. 9, Winchester-place, Pentonville, Middlesex, then of Albion-place, Heavitree, near Exeter, Devonshire, afterwards of No. 4, Premier-place, Mount Radford, Exeter, Commercial Traveller, Commission Agent, and General

Dealer, then of No. 43, Deansgate, Manchester, Lancashire, British Wine Merchant, then still of No. 43, Deansgate, of No. 234, Deansgate aforesaid, and No. 97, Saint James-street, Park-lane, Liverpool, Lancashire, also of Bridge-street, Manchester, afterwards of No. 97, Saint James-street aforesaid, British Wine Merchant, Commercial Traveller and Commission Agent, occasionally residing at the Commercial Hotel, Market-street, Manchester, and at the Bee Hotel, Queen-street, Liverpool, at No. 13, Orchard-street, Portman-square, and No. 9, Winchester-place, Pentonville, both in Middlesex, Commercial Traveller, Commission Agent, and General Dealer, late of Gregory's Hotel, No. 29, Cheapside, London, out of business or employ, ordering goods in the name of John Brooks, and in the name of Sarah Brooks, at No. 75, Dale-street, Liverpool, and ordering goods in the name of Thomas Nabb, Wine and Spirit Merchant, at No. 43, Deansgate, Manchester, Lancashire.

#### TAKE NOTICE.

1. If any Creditor intends to oppose a Prisoner's discharge, notice of such intention must be given, by entry thereof in the proper page and columns of the book kept for that purpose at the Office of the Court, between the hours of Eleven in the Forenoon and Three in the Afternoon, two clear days before the day of hearing above mentioned, exclusive of Sunday, and exclusive both of the day of entering such notice and of the said day of hearing; but in the case of a Prisoner, for the removal of whom for hearing in the country an order has been obtained, but not carried into effect by the Creditors, notice of opposition will be sufficient if given one clear day before the day of hearing.

N.B. Entrance to the Office in Portugal-street.

2. The petition and schedule, and all books, papers, and writings filed therewith, will be produced by the proper Officer for inspection and examination until the last day for entering opposition inclusive; and copies of the petition and schedule, or such part thereof as shall be required, will be provided by the proper Officer, according to the Act 1 and 2 Vict. c. 110, sec. 105.

3. Notice to produce at the hearing any books or papers filed with the schedule must be given to the Officer having the custody thereof, within the hours above mentioned, on any day previous to the day of hearing.

4. Opposition at the hearing can only be made by the Creditor in person, or by Counsel appearing for him.

Pursuant to the Acts for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors in England.

See Notice at the End.

The following PRISONERS, whose Estates and Effects have been vested in the Provisional Assignee by Order of the Court for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, and whose Petitions and Schedules, duly filed, have been severally referred and transmitted to the County Courts hereinafter mentioned, pursuant to the Statute in that behalf, are ordered to be brought up before the Judges of the said Courts respectively, as herein set forth, to be dealt with according to Law:

Before the Judge of the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter, on Tuesday the 30th day of May, 1854, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon.

John Sloman West Herring, lately lodging at Hex's White Hart Inn, Alington-street, St. Thomas the Apostle,

Devonshire, and previously of Stafford-chambers, No. 17, Stafford-street, Lisson-grove, in the county of Middlesex, Attorney-at-Law, and formerly of Clowance-street, Devonport, Devon, Attorney-at-Law.  
Elizabeth Lake, late of Torr Down Farm, Swimbridge, Devonshire, Singlewoman, following no business.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Chester Castle, Chester, on Wednesday the 31st day of May, 1854, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon precisely.

William Clayton, late of No. 16, Wellcroft-street, Hillgate, Stockport, in the county of Chester, Journeyman Joiner, previously of Wellcroft-street aforesaid, Joiner and Builder.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at the Guildhall, in the City and County of Bristol, on the 1st day of June, 1854, at half past Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon precisely.

George Barbor Dene, late of Freeland-place, Fishpond-road, in the county of Gloucester, and formerly of the city and county of Bristol, practising as an Attorney and Solicitor.

Before the Judge of the County Court of Oxfordshire, holden at Oxford, on Friday the 2nd day of June, 1854.

George Rackstrow, formerly of No. 68, Saint Giles's-street, in the city of Oxford, in the county of Oxford, since of No. 96, Holywell-street, in the same city, and late of No. 97, Holywell-street aforesaid, Attorney-at-Law and Solicitor, and Clerk to the Oxford Gas Light and Coke Company, and during the greater portion of the same times Agent to the West of England Fire and Life Insurance Company.

N.B.—1. If any Creditor intends to oppose a Prisoner's discharge, notice of such intention must be given to the said Prisoner, in writing, which may be left at the Gaol two clear days before the day of hearing above mentioned, exclusive of Sunday, and exclusive both of the day of giving such notice and of the said day of hearing.

2. The petition and schedule will be produced by the proper Officer for inspection and examination at the Office of the Court in London, between the hours of Ten and Four, on this notice being exhibited; and copies of the petition and schedule, or such part thereof as shall be required, will be provided by the proper Officer, according to the Act of 1st and 2nd Victoria, cap. 110, sec. 105.

N.B. Entrance to the Office in Portugal-street, Lincoln's-inn-fields.

3. The duplicates of the petitions and schedules, and all books, papers, and writings filed therewith, will be produced by the Clerks or Assistant Clerks of the said County Courts, for inspection and examination, at the Offices of the said County Courts respectively, at the Towns aforesaid, and copies of the petition and schedule, or such part thereof as shall be required, will be provided according to sec. 106 of the Act.

#### INSOLVENT DEBTORS' COURT.

##### DIVIDENDS.

A Dividend of eleven pence farthing, making two shillings and seven pence farthing in the pound, is now payable to the creditors of John George Fordham Blow, of No. 139, Long-lane, Bermondsey, Surrey, Clerk, No. 2,339 P.

Of one shilling, making seven shillings in the pound, to the creditors of Thomas Henry Bennet, of No. 6, St. James's-place, Hampstead-road, Middlesex, Assistant Clerk in the General Registry Office, Somerset House, No. 2,305 P.

Of nine pence, making thirteen shillings and four pence in the pound, to the creditors of John Tipper Stratford, of Belgrave Cottage, Laun-place, Shepherd's Bush, Middlesex, Clerk in the Money Order Office, General Post Office, No. 1,161 P.

Of one shilling and three pence in the pound to the creditors of Benjamin Lamplough, late of Scott-lane, Doncaster, Yorkshire, Woollen Draper, No. 74,718 C.

Of two pence in the pound to the creditors of John Shaw, late of No. 2, Rosamond-street, Chorlton-upon-Medlock, Manchester, Lancashire, Painter and Gilder, No. 76,706 C.

A Dividend of one shilling and sixpence in the pound is now payable to the creditors of Edward Amos the elder, of No. 5, Griffin's Manor-way, Plumstead, Kent, Painter, Royal Arsenal, Woolwich, No. 4,296 P.

Of three shillings and seven pence farthing in the pound to the creditors of Evan George Evans, late of Higley, Shropshire, Carpenter, No. 74,497 C.

Of four shillings and nine pence in the pound to the creditors of Robert John Hibbs, late of Blisset-street, Greenwich, Kent, Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Royal Navy, No. 29,230 T.

Of twenty shillings in the pound to the creditors of John Lancaster, late of Woodside, near Lymington, Southampton, of no trade or profession, No. 51,043 C.

Of sixpence in the pound to the creditors of Henry Pook, of No. 3, George-terrace, Park-road, Peckham, Surrey, Clerk to an Attorney, No. 4,275 P.

Of three shillings in the pound to the creditors of James Cook, of No. 1, Acre-place, Coburg-road, Kent-road, Surrey, Plumber, No. 4,481 P.

Apply at the Provisional Assignee's Office, No. 5, Portugal-Street, Lincoln's-Inn, London, between the hours of Eleven and Three.

## COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS IN IRELAND.

*Pursuant to the Act for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors in Ireland, and an Act of the 14th and 15th Vic., ch. 57.*

The following PRISONERS, whose Estates and Effects have been vested in the Provisional Assignee by order of the Court, having filed their Schedules, are ordered to be brought up before the Assistant Barrister for the County of Antrim, to be holden at the Court-House, in Belfast, in the said county, on Tuesday the 27th day of June, 1854, at Nine o'Clock in the Forenoon, to be dealt with according to the Statute:

Cornelius Michael Hughes, late of Belfast, in the county of Antrim, Shopman, previously of Belfast aforesaid, trading in partnership with Thomas McKenna, David Reid, and Ellen Reid, otherwise McKenna, his wife, under the name, style, and firm of Thomas McKenna and Company, Linen and Woollen Drapers.

William Armstrong, late of Belfast, in the county of Antrim, Chief Constable of Police.

### TAKE NOTICE.

1. If any Creditor intends to oppose a Prisoner's Discharge, Notice in Writing of such intention must be given to such Prisoner, *Two clear Days*, exclusive of *Sunday*, prior to the day of Hearing.

2. The Petitions and Schedules will be produced by the proper Officer for Inspection and Examination at the Office in Dublin, on every *Monday, Wednesday, and Friday*, between the Hours of Ten and Four, until despatched for the Hearings on Circuit.

*All Letters must be Post-paid.*

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