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#### PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS Her Majesty's Commissioners for building new churches have, in pursuance of the ninth section of an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the eighth and ninth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act for the further amendment of the Church Building Acts," or of any other power in such behalf contained in the Church Building Acts, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council, a representation, bearing date the thirteenth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, in the words following ; viz. :

"Your Majesty's Commissioners for building new churches beg leave humbly to represent that having taken into consideration all the circumstances of the parishes of Wolstanton, Keele, and Hanford, in the county of Stafford, and in the diocese of Lichfield, it appears to them to be expedient to unite and consolidate certain contiguous portions of the said parishes and to form the same into one consolidated chapelry for all ecclesiastical purposes for the consecrated church of Saint Luke, situate at or near Knutton Heath, or saint Euke, situate at or hear Khutton Heath, in the said parish of Wolstanton, under and by virtue of the power contained in the ninth section of an Act of Parliament, passed in the eighth and ninth years of your Majesty's reign, initialed 'An Act for the further amend-' ment of the Church Building Acts,' or of any other power in this behalf contained in the Church Building Acts, and that such proposed consolidated chapelry should be named or called 'The Con-solidated Chapelry of Silverdale and Knutton Heath,' and that the boundaries thereof should be those hereinafter mentioned; that is to say:

"The boundary line commences at the corner of Keele Hall Park Wall, at Rosemary-hill, at the point marked A on the map or plan hereto annexed, and proceeds north-westerly in a straight line to Heaps Cottages, and then turning westerly proceeds along the middle of the main road from Knutton Heath to Keele as far as the Haying Weighing Machine; then in a northerly direction along the middle of the occupation road leading to Bank Top Farm until it arrives at a small cottage near an old coal-pit; then turns abruptly to the north-west and proceeds in a straight line to an angle in the road from Lycett to Knutton I the Act and section hereinbefore mentioned, in

T the Court at Windsor, the 21st day of | Heath, opposite the Bud Hay Farm-house, and proceeds along the middle of the Lycett-road until it reaches the boundary line of the parish of Madeley, and then proceeds easterly and southeasterly along the boundary line which separates the said parish of Keele from the parishes of Madeley, Audley, and Wolstanton, as far as the line which forms the boundary of the new parish of Chesterton, and then proceeds north-easterly along the boundary of such new parish of Chesterton until it arrives at a small stream separating the Ormes School Estate from the White Barn Estate; then proceeds south-easterly along the middle of the same stream until it joins a larger one flowing from Grindle Well or Low Meadow Well; it then proceeds along the middle of the larger stream until it joins the boundary line between the parishes of Stoke-upon-Trent and Wolstanton, along which it proceeds westerly and southerly until it joins that between Newcastle-under-Lync and Wolstanton, near the Rotterdam Farm; then it continues along the said boundary southerly until it arrives at the road leading from Keele to Newcastle, and after crossing the said road follows the boundary of the parishes of Hanford and Stoke-upon-Trent until it reaches a fence at about one hundred yards from the east corner of 'Hands Wood ;' then proceeds along the said fence in a southerly direction, and along the south-eastern fence of Hands Wood, until it reaches the brook at the southern corner of the said wood; then proceeds northerly along the boundary separating the parish of Hanford from the said parish of Stoke-upon Trent, until it reaches the boundary line of the said parish of Keele, along which it then proceeds until it reaches the point at which the boundary line of the said consolidated chapelry of Silverdale and Knutton Heath commenced, at the corner of Keele Hall Park Wall, at Rosemary-hill aforesaid, as the same is more particularly delineated on the map or plan hereto annexed, and is thereon coloured green, pink, and yellow.

> "That the consents of the Right Reverend John, Bishop of the said diocese of Lichfield, of Ralph Sneyd, of Keele Hall, in the said county of Stafford, Esquire, patron of the parish churches of the said parishes of Wolstanton and Keele, and of the Most Noble George Granville, Duke and Earl of Sutherland, patron of the parish church of the said parish of Hanford, have been obtained to the formation of the said consolidated chapelry of Silverdale and Knutton Heath, as required by

testimony whereof they have signed and sealed this representation.

"Your Majesty's said Commissioners beg leave further to represent that it has been mutually agreed between the said Ralph Sneyd and George Granville, Duke and Earl of Sutherland, as such respective patrons as aforesaid, testified as aforesaid, and the said Ralph Sneyd (in whom, his heirs and assigns, the right of presentation and appointment of a minister to serve the said church of Saint Luke, at or near Knutton Heath aforesaid, is now vested under the powers contained in the twenty-third-section of the firstly hereinbefore mentioned Act of Parliament, as amended by the fourth section of an Act, passed in the eleventh and twelfth years of your Majesty's reign, intituled 'An Act to amend the law relative to the 'assignment of ecclesiastical districts,') testified as aforesaid, (with the approbation of your Majesty's said Commissioners, testified as hereinafter mentioned, and also of the said John, Bishop of Lichfield, testified as aforesaid), that the right of presentation and appointment of an incumbent or perpetual curate, to serve the said church of Saint Luke, at or near Knutton Heath aforesaid, should be vested in, belong to, and, whenever occasion may require, be exercised by, the said Ralph Sneyd, his heirs and assigns for ever. "Your Majesty's said Commissioners therefore

"Your Majesty's said Commissioners therefore humbly pray, that your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into your royal consideration, and to make such Order in respect thereto, as to your Majesty in your royal wisdom shall seem meet."

Her Majesty having taken the said representation, together with the map or plan thereunto annexed, into consideration, was pleased by and with the advice of Her Privy Council to approve thereof, and to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the consolidated chapelry therein mentioned, for the consecrated church of Saint Luke, situate at or near Knutton Heath, in the parish of Wolstanton, to be called the Consolidated Chapelry of Silverdale and Knutton Heath, be accordingly formed, and that the agreement mentioned in the said representation in respect of the right of presentation and appointment of an incumbent or perpetual curate, to serve the said church, be carried into effect agreeably to the provisions of the said Act ; and that the right of presentation and nomination to the said church shall belong to, and be exercised by, Ralph Sneyd, his heirs and assigns for ever, he being the person mentioned in such repre-sentation; and Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the diocese of Lichfield.

C. C. Greville.

#### Foreign-Office, December 1, 1855.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint William Miller, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul-General in the Sandwich Islands, and other islands in the Pacific Ocean, to be Her Majesty's Commissioner and Consul-General in the Sandwich Islands and their dependencies.

#### Foreign Office, December 14, 1855.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. J. E. Caraher as Vice-Consul at Dundalk for the Grand Duke of Mecklenburgh-Schwerin.

#### Downing-Street, December 12th, 1855.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint John Salmon, Esq., to be President of the Legislative Council of the Island of Jamaica; Henry Cloete, Esquire, to be a Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of the Colony of the Cape of Good Hope; and Captain Henry Charles Bird, to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Island of Ceylon, during the temporary absence of John Armitage, Esquire.

Crown-Office, December 14, 1855.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

#### Borough of Armagh.

Joshua Walter Mc Geough Bond, of the Argory, in the county of Armagh, Esq., in the room of Ross Stephenson Moore, Esq., deceased.

#### Whitehall, December 1, 1855.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto William Ireland Blackburne, Gentleman, eldest son and heir of Thomas Blackburne, Clerk, late Vicar of Prestwich, in the county palatine of Lancaster, deceased, and to Charlotte Emma Maze, only child of Peter Maze, of Portland-place, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, Her royal licence and authority that, from and immediately after the solemnization of their intended marriage, they may take and use the surname of Maze, in addition to and after that of Blackburne; that the said William Ireland Blackburne may bear the arms of Maze quarterly with those of Blackburne, and that such surname and arms may in like manner be taken, borne, and used by the issue of their marriage; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Herald's Office, otherwise the said royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect :

And also to command that the said royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

#### Board of Trade, Whitehall, December 14, 1855.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires in Morocco, stating that the exportation of Olive Oil will be permitted for another year, dating from the 19th October last.

#### Board of Trade, Whitehall December 14, 1855.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Plenipotentiary in China, enclosing copy of the Hong Kong Gazette, of the 6th October last, containing the following notification of a Decree respecting the exportation of rice and paddy from certain ports in the Philippine Islands:

It has been officially announced to His Excellency, Sir John Bowring, that by a decree, dated Manila, 29th August, 1855, the exportation of rice and paddy from the Philippines is permitted on the following conditions:—

Ist. That the exportation of rice and paddy be placed under no restrictions and formalities, other than those which apply to articles to which the trade is free.

2nd. That the exportation of rice and paddy be allowed in the ports of Manila, Sual, Currimao, Salomague, San Miguel, Iloilo, Capiz, and Antigue.

3rd. That no license be required from the Supreme Government, but that permissions be given by the administrators of the customs, where custom-houses are established, and by the Governors of provinces where there are no custom houses.

4th. That the exportation for foreign parts shall cease, if in any week the price shall continue during four consecutive days above eighteen reals, in the Manila, and above fourteen in the provincial markets; but it shall be free when for four consecutive days in a week, the price shall fall below these limits.

5th. It is ordered, that a return of prices be made by the respective authorities on every Saturday evening.

6th. That on the last day of every month, a return of the quantities of rice exported, and particulars of exportation be made to the supreme authorities.

7th. That an official return of the prices of all articles of export be made monthly to the Military and Finance Intendants.

8th. That the prices which are to regulate the exportation of paddy are 9 (nine) reals in the Manila, and 7 (seven) in the provincial markets.

#### Board of Trade, Whitehall, December 13, 1855.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul, at Rotterdam, enclosing a translation of a Notice to Mariners, issued by the Netherland Minister of Marine, relative to a vessel sunk in the Goeree Channel, of which the subjoined is a copy :

No. 6.

### (Copy.)

#### British Consulate, Rotterdam, 6th December, 1855.

SIR, 6th December, 1855. I BEG to hand you the translation of a Notice to Mariners issued by the Netherland Minister of Marine, and published in the Netherland Staats Courant, of 4th December, 1855, No. 287, relative to a vessel sunk in the Goeree Channel.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) JAS. H. TURING. To the Secretary of the Board of Trade, Marine Department, London.

#### (Copy.)

#### NOTICE TO MARINERS.

THE Minister of Marine hereby gives notice, that in the middle of the navigable channel of Goeree, at a cable's length distance to the south of the black buoy No. 6, a brig has sunk in a depth of  $3\frac{1}{2}$  fathoms at ordinary low water, the masts of which are still visible, and that the needful measures have been taken should the masts come out of the ship, to indicate the spot of danger by a wreck buoy, painted in black and white checks.

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Its bearings and soundings are three times the thickness of the steeple of Goereede to the east of the foot of the high sandhill, or exactly between the third and fourth dykes, the third dwellinghouse within the Dirkland Sas, in the Goeree Harbour.

In soundings, Goedereede, S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ W., by unadjusted compass.

The Hague, the 3rd of December, 1855.

For the Minister aforesaid. The Secretary-General, MULLER.

#### War-Office, 14th December, 1855.

Royal Regiment of Horse Guards, Cornet James William Baillie to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice G. P. C. A. Lord Stanhope, who retires. Dated 14th December, 1855.

7th Light Dragoons, Cornet Richard Newsham Pedder, from the 16th Light Dragoons, to be Cornet, without purchase, vice Hale, promoted. Dated 14th December, 1855.

9th Light Dragoons, Captain Anthony Molloy Fawcett, from the 50th Foot, to be Captain, vice Trower, who exchanges. Dated 14th December, 1855.

- 15th Light Dragoons, Lieutenant James Boyd Miller to be Captain, by purchase, vice Hinxman, who retires. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- Cornet Edwyn Walker to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Miller. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 16th Light Dragoons, Richard Newsham Pedder, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice James P. W. Gwynne Holford, who has retired. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 3rd Regiment of Foot, Ensign F. Morley to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Hyndman, deceased. Dated 8th October, 1855.
  Ensign L. E. Lewis to be Lieutenant, without pur-
- Ensign L. E. Lewis to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Morley, whose promotion without purchase, on the 9th November, 1855, has been cancelled. Dated 9th November, 1855.
- Ensign A. B. Letts to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Lewis, whose promotion without purchase on 16th November, 1855, has been cancelled. Dated 16th November, 1855.
- Albert Peachey, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Letts. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 4th Foot, Ensign W. A. Nash to be Lieutenant, without purchase. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- Richard Boyce, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Nash. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 10th Foot, Acting Assistant-Surgeon Thomas John Tucker to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 18th July, 1855.
- 17th Foot, Lieutenant S. H. Dyer to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brevet-Major W. A. Armstrong, whose Brevet Rank has been converted into Substantive Rank under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- Ensign G. D. Webber to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Dyer. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- Lieutenant Isaac Colhoun, from the Donegal Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Webber. Dated 14th December, 1855,

- 23rd Foot, Acting Assistant-Surgeon Charles Frederick Morris to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 2nd February, 1855.
- 25th Foot, Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class Jonas King Carr, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice M'Gregor, promoted on the Staff. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 28th Foot, Quartermaster Henry A. Berry to be Paymaster, vice Benson. Dated 14th Decem-· ber, 1855.
- Serjeant-Major Thomas Lumsden to be Quartermaster, vice Berry, appointed Paymaster. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 29th Foot, Ensign F. S. Eckersall to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Simmons, de-ceased. Dated 4th December, 1855.
- Ensign W. Winn, from the 76th Foot, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Eckersall, pro-moted. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 39th Foot, Ensign John Sharples to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice De Robeck, promoted. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 40th Foot, Lieutenant William O'Hara to be Captain, by purchase, vice Brodhurst, whose promotion, by purchase, on the 25th May, 1855, has been cancelled. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 42nd Foot, Ensign W. T. Fraser to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Sir P. A. Halkett, promoted. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 43rd Foot, Ensign Harry Gorton to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Dick, who retires. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 50th Foot, Captain F. C. Trower, from the 9th Light Dragoons, to be Captain, vice Fawcett, who exchanges. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 56th Foot, Hamilton Finlay, Esq., to be Paymaster, vice Lawson. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 60th Foot, Lieutenant C. D. C. Ellis to be Captain, by purchase, vice Salmon, who retires. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- Ensign Frank Sadlier Brereton, from the North Gloucester Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Parr, appointed to the Rifle Brigade. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 62nd Foot, Ensign A. G. Keen to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Templeman, who has retired. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 64th Foot, Ensign F. Du Bois Lukis, from the 26th Foot, to be Liestenant, by purchase, vice Twemlow, promoted in the 7th Foot. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 71st Foot, Captain William Hope to be Major, without purchase, vice Hunter, deceased. Dated 31st October, 1855.
- Lieutenant Otway Wemyss to be Captain, without purchase, vice Hope. Dated 31st October, 1855.
- Ensign Robert Lewis to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Wemyss. Dated 31st October, 1855.
- Ensign F. H. A. Hamilton to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Lewis, whose promotion without purchase, on 16th November, 1855, has been cancelled. Dated 16th November, 1855.
- Ensign Francis Fawkes, from the Stirlingshire Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Hamilton. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 72nd Foot, Matthew John Baillie, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 14th December, 1855.

- 76th Foot, Lieutenant Frederick Grant, from the Donegal Militia, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Winn, appointed to the 29th Foot. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 81st Foot, Acting Assistant-Surgeon Herman Bicknell to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 16th May, 1855.
- 83rd Foot, Assistant-Surgeon Charles Frederick Stephenson, M.D., from the 81st Foot, to be Surgeon, vice Clark, deceased. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 84th Foot, Ensign A. Gibaut to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Brackenbury, deceased. Dated 26th August, 1855.
- 88th Foot, Ensign Rowley Miller to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hamilton, promoted. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 91st Foot, Captain W. T. L. Patterson to be Major, by purchase, vice Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Scott, who retires. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- Lieutenant T. T. Lane to be Captain, by pur-chase, vice Patterson. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- Ensign J. E. Burton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lane. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 92nd Foot, Ensign John Crosland Hay to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Honourable A. Annesley, appointed to the Grenadier Guards. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 95th Foot, Lieutenant William Braybrooke to be Captain, without purchase, vice Dymock, killed in action. Dated 7th November, 1855.
- Ensign H. G. Paske to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Braybrooke. Dated 7th November, 1855.
- Ensign Joseph Gabbett to be Lieutenant, by purchase vice Paske, whose promotion, by purchase, on 9th November, 1855, has been cancelled. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 97th Foot, The Christian names of Quartermaster Woodruffe are William John, and not Robert as previously stated. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- Rifle Brigade, Ensign T. R. Parr, from the 60th Foot, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Johnson, promoted. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 1st West India Regiment, Augustus Sullivan, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Edmunds, promoted. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 2nd West India Regiment, George Hayter Macaulay, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, in succession to Lieutenant Carter, who retires. Dated 13th December, 1855.
- Martin Lynch, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Arbuckle, promoted in the 39th Foot. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 3rd West India Regiment, George O'Connell, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- Cape Mounted Riflemen, Lieutenant R. L. Thursby to be Captain, by purchase, vice Bramley, who retires. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- Royal Canadian Rifle Regiment, Captain George Seton to be Major, by purchase, vice Holmes, who retires. Dated 14th December, 1855. Lieuetnant A. P. Kerr to be Captain, by pur-
- chase, vice Seton. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- Ensign W. F. Marson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Kerr. Dated 14th December, 1855.

### LAND TRANSPORT CORPS.

The Commission of Serjeant Joseph Harris, appointed Quartermaster of Brigade, to be dated 19th August, 1855, instead of 7th September, 1855, as previously stated.

#### BRITISH SWISS LEGION.

The second Christian name of Surgeon Oschwald, of the 2nd Regiment, is *Martin*.

### BRITISH ITALIAN LEGION. STAFF.

- Lieutenant-Colonel W. L. Grant, King's Own Light Infantry Militia, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- Captain Thomas Berrington, King's Own Light Infantry Militia, to be Captain. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- 1st Regiment, Sir Coutts Lindsay, Bart., to be Major Commandant. Dated 14th December, 1855.

#### PROVISIONAL DEPOT BATTALION.

- Paymaster Stephen Lawson, from the 56th Foot, to be Paymaster. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- Quartermaster Thomas Moore, from the 88th Foot, to be Assistant-Quartermaster. Dated 14th December, 1855.

#### UNATTACHED.

Brevet-Major William A. Armstrong, of the 17th Foot, to have his Brevet Rank converted into Substantive Rank, under the Royal Warrant of 6th October, 1854. Dated 14th December, 1855.

#### HOSPITAL STAFF.

- Surgeon James M'Gregor, from the 25th Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon of the First Class. Dated 3rd November, 1855.
- Assistant-Surgeon John Andrew Woolfryes, from the 10th Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon of the Second Class. Dated 20th July, 1855.

#### To be Assistant-Surgeons.

- Assistant-Surgeon Michael Charles Tonnere, from the Depôt Battalion at Fermoy, vice Hales, appointed to the 7th Foot. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- Assistant-Surgeon David Woods, from the 23rd Foot, vice Jackson, appointed to the 13th Foot. Dated 14th December, 1855.
- The promotions of Surgeon John Charles Cameron, M.D., from the 37th Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon of the First Class, and of Assistant-Surgeon James William Fleming, to the Surgeoncy of the 37th Foot, as stated in the Gazette of 20th July, 1855, have been cancelled.

#### BREVET.

Colonel Sir John Gaspard Le Marchant, commanding the troops in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, to have the local rank of Major-General while so employed. Dated 1st July, 1855.

[Erratum in the Supplement, of the 27th November, to the London Gazette.]

For "I was also ably supported by Brevet-Major Best," read Brevet-Major Bent.

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

Worcestershire Regiment of Militia.

Neville Smith, Gent., to be Ensign. William Tibbs, Gent., to be Ensign.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

2nd Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia.

Astley Jephson, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 24th November, 1855.

3rd Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Ovon Militia.

- Ensign Peyton Sheals to be Lieutenant, vice Patten, appointed to the 1st Life Guards. Dated 8th December, 1855.
- Ensign Thomas Conry Knox to be Lieutenant, vice Walker, resigned. Dated 8th December, 1855.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Bristol.

Royal North Gloucester Regiment of Militia.

- Lieutenant William Brookes to be Captain, vice Hopton, deceased. Dated 11th December, 1855. Ensign Andrew Pepys Cockerell to be Lieutenant,
- vice Brookes, promoted. Dated 11th December, 1855.
- John Averley Lathbury to be Ensign, vice Cockerell, promoted. Dated 11th December, 1855.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Somerset.

2nd Somerset Regiment of Militia.

Richard Marker, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Clarke, resigned. Dated 8th December, 1855.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Norfolk.

1st or Western Regiment of Norfolk Militia.

Frederick Foster Tegart, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 5th December, 1855.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, and of the City and County of the City of York.

West York Rifle Regiment of Militia.

- Lieutenant Thomas Pollock to be Captain, vice Whitehead, resigned. Dated 9th December, 1855.
- Nathaniel Edward Bruce Kindersley, Gent., from the Madras Infantry, to be Lieutenant, vice Pollock, promoted. Dated 9th December, 1855.
- Fitzhugh Bathurst Henderson, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 9th December, 1855.

2nd Regiment (Light Infantry) of West York Militia.

- Lieutenant William Hall Wilkinson to be Captain, vice Holdsworth, resigned. Dated 5th December, 1855.
- Ensign John George Lloyd to be Lieutenant. Dated 5th December, 1855.

3rd Regiment (Light Infantry) of West York Militia.

John Cadman, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 30th November, 1855.

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4th Regiment of West York Militia.

Henry Williams Pemberton, Esq., to be Captain, vice Chamberlain, resigned. Dated 9th December, 1855.

5th Regiment of West York Militia.

Godfrey Edward Allister Radcliffe, Gent., to be Lieut-nant. Dated 30th November, 1855.

6th Regiment of West York Militia.

- Edward Tew, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 5th December, 1855.
- [The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of Friday the 30th of November last.]

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, and of the City and County of the City of York.

6th Regiment of West York Militia.

John Stansfeld, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 24th November, 1855.

METROPOLIS LOCAL MANAGEMENT ACT.

WHEREAS it is provided by the Metropolis Local Management Act. 18 and 19 Vict., c. 12), s. 49, that "The members first elected of the " Metropolitan Board of Works shall meet at such "time and place as one of Her Majesty's Prin-" cipal Secretaries of State shall, by notice in the " London Gazette, appoint in this behalf :" Now I, the Right Honourable Sir George Grey, Baronet, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, do, by this notice in the London Gazette, appoint that the said members first elected of the Metropolitan Board of Works shall meet on Wednesday, the nineteenth day of this present month of December, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at Burlington House, Piccadilly.

> Given under my hand, at Whitehall, the thirteenth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five.

> > G. GREY.

Edmonton Union.-Edmonton Parish.

To the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor of the parish of Edmonton, in the county of Middlesex ; -

To the Clerk or Clerks to the Justices of the Petty Sessions held for the division or divisions in which the said parish is situate ;---

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the population of the parish of Edmonton, in the county of Middlesex, according to the last census, exceeds two thousand persons :

And whereas at a meeting of the Vestry of the said parish, held in the Vestry Room, after public notice in that behalf, on Tuesday, the tenth day of April last, it was resolved,-

" That this Vestry resolves that so much of the " Act of Parliament 13th and 14th Victoria, "cap. 57, as relates to the appointment of "Vestry Clerks be adopted; and that the " Churchwardens do make an application to "the Poor Law Commissioners for their " Order that such part of the said Act shall " be applied to and be put in force in this " parish."

And whereas the Churchwardens of the said

parish have made their application in writing to the Poor Law Board, pursuant to the above resolution.

Now, therefore, we, the said Poor Law Board, under the authority of the several Statutes in that behalf made and provided, do hereby order and direct :

ARTICLE 1.-That so much of the said Act, passed in the fourteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty, as relates to the appointment of a Vestry Clerk shall forthwith be applied to, and be put in force within, the said parish of Edmonton.

ARTICLE 2.- That a copy of this Order shall be published in the London Gazette.

ARTICLE 3. - That a salary, at and after the rate of fifty pounds a-year, shall be paid to the Vestry Clerk for the time being, appointed under the authority of the Statutes in such behalf and this Order, by the Churchwardens and Overseers

of the Poor of the said parish. And we do order and direct, that the salary of such Vestry Clerk shall be payable up to the day on which he ceases to hold such office, and no longer, and shall be paid by quarterly payments at the several quarters ending at the usual feast days in the year, namely, Lady-day, Midsummerday, Michaelmas-day, and Christmas-day, with a proportionate sum to be paid to his executors or administrators, in case he shall die while holding such office.

Given under our hand and seal of office, this third day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five.

E. P. Bouverie, President. Courtenay, Secretary.

#### THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the British Possessions in AMERICA.

Computed from the RETURNS made in the Week ending the 11th day of December, 1855,

Is Thirty-seven Shillings and One Farthing per Hundred Weight;

Exclusive of the Duties of Customs paid or payable thereon on the IMPORTATION thereof into GREAT BRITAIN.

No Return has been made of the Sale of BROWN or MUSCOVADO SUGAR, the Produce of the MAURITIUS, in the Week ending as above.

THE AVERAGE PRICE OF BROWN OR MUSCOVADO SUGAR,

The Produce of the EAST INDIES, Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty;

Is Forty-two Shillings and Three Pence per Hundred Weight;

The AVERAGE PRICE of the two foregoing Descriptions of SUGAR, jointly,

> Computed as above, and Exclusive of Duty, Is Thirty-eight Shillings and Nine Pence per Hundred Weight.

By Authority of Parliament, HENRY BICKNELL, Clerk of the Grocers' Company. Grocers'-Hall, December 14, 1855.

London Diocesan Church Building Society.

(Incorporation and further powers, and merger in the Incorporated Society of the Metropolis Churches Fund).

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament, in the ensuing session, for leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate the London Diocesan Church Building

Society by that name, or by such other name as may be determined upon, and to confer upon them powers for promoting the building, enlargement, and endowment of churches and chapels, and the erection of parsonage houses, within the diocese of London; and also powers for acquiring and holding lands, and receiving and administering such funds as have been or may be contributed, devised, or bequeathed to the said Society for those purposes. And it is also intended, by the said Bill, to merge in and transfer to the Society so to be incorporated, the Metropolis Churches

Fund, and the monies, securities, property, and effects of the Metropolis Churches Fund; and also to confer upon the Society so to be incorporated, powers for the regulation and management thereof, and all other desirable or necessary powers.

And notice is hereby also given, that if the said Bill shall be introduced as a Private Bill, printed copies of the Bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office of the House of Commons, or or before the **31st** day of December instant.

Dated this 3rd day of December, 1855.

### SUPPLEMENT TO

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act seventh and eighth Victoria, cap. 32, cf the Average Amount of BANK NOTES, of the several Banks of Issue in ENGLAND and WALES, in Circulation during the Week ending Saturday the 1st day of December, 1855.

The under-mentioned Parties having omitted to transmit their Accounts in proper time to be inserted in the Gazette of Tuesday the 11th day of December, 1855.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.	Average Amount.
	£. 9,125 10,040

J. MICHAEL, Acting Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue, Somerset House, December 13, 1855.

### BANK OF ENGLAND.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act 7th and 8th Victoria, cap. 32, for the Week ending on Saturday the 8th day of December, 1855.

			ISSUE DEI	PARTMENT.		
			£.	1		£.
	•••	•••	24,439,525			11,015,100
					• •••	2,984,900
			•		• •••	10,439,525
•				Silver Bullion		
			£24,439,525		•	£24,439,525
	•••			£. 24,439,525	£. 24,439,525 Government Debt Other Securities Gold Coin and Bullion Silver Bullion	£. 24,439,525 Government Debt Other Securities Gold Coin and Bullion Silver Bullion

Dated the 13th day of December, 1855.

M. Marshall, Chief Cashier.

#### BANKING DEPARTMENT.

	<b>£</b> .		£.
Proprietors' Capital	14,553,000	Government Securities (including	
Rest	3,193,028	Dead Weight Annuity)	10,264,376
Public Deposits (including Ex-	· · ·	Other Securities	18,141,269
chequer, Savings' Banks, Com-		Notes	5,759,185
missioners of National Debt, and		Gold and Silver Coin	640,053
Dividend Accounts)	4,416,231		•
Other Deposits	11,719,180	· ·	
Seven Day and other Bills	923,444		
		-	
	£34,804,883	· · · ·	£34,804,883
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Dated the 13th day of December, 1855.

M. Marshall, Chief Cashier.

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#### ACCOUNT of the ASSETS and LIABILITIES of the PRESTON BANKING COMPANY, at Preston, on Saturday the 8th day of December, 1855.

	(Incorp	orat	ed b	y Royal Charter.)			
Assets.	· Am	ouņ	t.	Liabilities.	An	ioun	ıl.
	£.	s.	d.		£.	s.	d.
Bills of Exchange, Bank Pre-	•			Capital Stock	100,000	0	0
mises, Loans, &c. Cash in				Deposits and other Liabilities	350,544	18	10
Bank, and Deposits in other				Undivided Profits	21,136	10	7
Banking Establishments	471,681	9	5				
	£471,681	9	5		£471,681	9	5
				Henry Gr	aves, Mana	ger	

#### BUCKS AND OXON UNION BANK.

#### MONTHLY RETURN UNDER ACT 7 & 8 VIC., CAP. 113, SEC. 4.

ACCOUNT of ASSETS and LIABILITIES of the BUCKS and OXON UNION BANK, on Friday the 30th November, 1855.

Lia	bilities.		£	s.	d.	Assets.	£	s.	d.
Paid up Capital	•••	•••	55,000	0	0				
Current Accounts,	Deposits,	and				Banking Houses, Bills of Exchange, Loans and Notes			
other Liabilities		•••	393,667	6	1	of Hand, Balance of Bank Premises and Preliminary			
Undivided Profits	•••	•••	177	3	9	Expenses	448,844	9	10
			£448,844	9	10	· · · · ·	£448,844	9	10
Bucks and Oxo Aylesbury, 10						(Signed) A. Garr	ioch, Secr	etar	·y.

MONTHLY RETURN.

AN ACCOUNT shewing the Quantities of Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour, imported into the United Kingdom, and admitted to Home Consumption, in the month of November, 1855.

Species of Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour.		into the United Kingdo tion, in the month of Nov	
,	Imported from Foreign Countries.	Imported from British Possessions out of Europe.	TOTAL.
Wheat              Barley               Oats	Qrs. Bush. 158,103 6 7.881 0 105,774 4	Qrs. Bush. 5,825 4	Qrs. Bush. 163,929 2 7,881 0 105,774 4
RycPeaseBeansMaize or Indian CornBuck WheatBeer or Bigg	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$		$\begin{array}{cccccc} & - & - & - \\ & 25,426 & 2 \\ & 21,813 & 7 \\ & 73,378 & 7 \\ & 3 & 4 \\ & & 416 & 0 \end{array}$
Total of Corn and Grain	391,297 5	7,325 5	398,623 2
Wheat Meal and Flour Barley Meal	Cwt. qrs. fb. 195,942 3 18	Cwt. qrs. <del>1</del> b. 7,855 2 18	Cwt. qrs. <b>1b</b> . 203,798 2 8
Barley Meal           Oat Meal           Rye Meal           Pea Meal	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	6 3 0 	$\begin{array}{rrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrr$
Bean Meal Maize or Indian Corn Meal Buck Wheat Meal	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	150 0 0	$\begin{array}{c} \overline{308} & 1 & 0\\ 14 & 1 & 0 \end{array}$
Total of Meal and Flour	196,156 1 21	· 8,012 1 18	204,168 3 11

Custom House, London, 12th December, 1855. W. MACLEAN, Secretary.

AN ACCOUNT of the Total Quantities of each Kind of CORN, distinguishing Foreign and Colonial, imported into the principal Ports of GREAT BRITAIN (viz. London, Liverpool, Hull, Newcastle, Bristol, Gloucester, Plymouth, Leith, Glasgow, Dundee, and Perth), and the Rates and Amount of Duty thereon, in the Week ended 5th December, 1855.

Species	Quantities Impor enumerated ab is chiefly Impo	ted into the Ports o ove (being those i orted).	f Great Britain, into which Corn	Amoun	t of Duty received	thereon.	Rates o (Foreign an	of Duty d Colonial).
SPECIES.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.	Foreign.	Colonial.	Total.	Corn and Grain of all sorts, per quarter.	Meal and Flour of all sorts, per cwt.
Wheat & Wheat Flour	Qrs. Bus. 38082 0	Qrs. Bus. 2114 4	Qrs. Bus. 40196 4	£ s. d. 2025 17 11	£ s. d. 113 17 3	£ s. d. 2139 15 2	s. d.	s. d.
Barley & Barley Meal	867 3		867 3	43 7 6		43 7 6		· · · ·
Oats and Oat Meal	16550 2	56	16556 0	827 8 9	059	827 14 6		· -
Rye and Rye Meal					·			•
Pease and Pea Meal	3771 1	1066 7	4838 0	188 11 4	53 6 11	241 18 3	1.0	0 41/2
Beans and Bean Meal	8174 2	06	8175 0	409 14 6	0 0 9	408 15 3		
Indian Corn and Indian Meal	5245 3		5245 3	262 8 9		262 8 9		
Buck Wheat and Buck Wheat Meal	25 4		25 4	158	-	1 5 8		
Beer or Bigg					-			
	72715 7	3187 7	75903 · 6	3757 14 5	167 10 8	3925 5 1		

Nore.-The Quantities of Corn admitted to Home Consumption within the week, were identical with the quantities imported.

Office of the Inspector-General of Imports and Exports, Custom-house, London, 12th December, 1855.

JOHN A. MESSENGER, Inspector-General of Imports and Exports.

WEEKLY RETURNS, of the Quantities and Price of BRITISH CORN, IMPERIAL MEASURE, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise in the following Cities and Towns in ENGLAND and WALES, from which the Prices that govern Duty are calculated, conformably to the Act of the 5th Victoria, cap. 14.

Received in the Week ended December 8, 1855.	w	НЕАТ.	BA	RLEY.	6	ATS.	1	RYE.	· BI	EANS.	PP	EAS.
MARKETS.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.
London Uxioridge Chelmsford Colchester Romford Chipping Ongar Chipping Ongar Søffron Walden Braintree Hertford Royston Bishop Stortford St. Albans	Qrs.         Bs.           6279         0           945         1           *2530         3           1926         2           861         0           79         5           588         2           1144         4           142         1           618         6           758         4           78         6	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Qrs.         Bs.           2112         0           281         2           1413         5           2945         6           476         0           19         0           1655         5           1203         5           1521         4           1365         0           3460         2           133         6           309         0	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Qrs.         Bs.           1364         0           10         0           124         0           64         0           50         0           14         0           59         4           8         0           40         0           90         4           10         0           38         4	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Qrs. Bs. 22 0	£. s. d. 62 1 11 — — — — — — —	Qrs. Bs. 566 0 9 0 244 6 120 0 10 0 9 0 34 0 38 7 36 2	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Qrs. Bs. 346 0 78 3 37 4 35 0 2 4 13 4 13 4	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Hemel Hempstead Hitchin Aylesbury Buckingham High Wycombe Newport Pagnel Oxford Banbury Henley Witney Chipping Norton W urminster Swindon Devizes Salisbury Troubridge Chippenham Windsor Reading Abingdon Maidenhead	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$1112 4 \\ 154 0 \\ 79 4 \\ 360 4 \\ 1231 0 \\ 226 4 \\ 570 4 \\ 103 0 \\ 688 0 \\ 1565 4 \\ 4 96 4 \\ 632 4 \\ 630 0 \\ 88 0 \\ 94 0 \\ 1330 0 \\ $	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$			$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$ \begin{array}{c}         \\         \\         \\         $	

Qrs. Bs.       £ s. d.       Qrs. Bs. $x$ <	$\varepsilon$ s. d. Qrs 	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$		d.
Newbury       1296       0       5440       16       9       1523       6       3087       8       6       58       4       75       17       6          Wallingford       399       0       1685       0       1248       4       2674       4       9       136       0       173       13       0          Guildford       345       0       1523       4       0       101       7       213       0       12       0       16       16       0	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	0
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Received in the Week ended	W	НЕАТ.	BA	RLEY.	0	ATS.	I	RYE.	BE	EAN	P)	EAS
December 8, 1855. MARKETS.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.
Wareham         Poole         Exeter         Barnstaple         Plymouth         Totness         Tavistock         Kingsbridge         Oakhampton         Tiverton         Honiton         Truro         Bodmin         Launceston         Redruth         Helstone         St. Austell         Falmouth         Callington         Liskeard         St. Columb         Bristol         Taunton         Wells         Bridgewater         Frome         Chard         Somerton         Shepton Mallett         Wellington         Wiveliscomb         Monmouth         Abergavenny         Chepstow         Pontipool         Newport         Gloucester         Cirencester	$ \begin{array}{c} \mbox{Qrs. Bs.} & 115 & 0 \\ 20 & 0 \\ 371 & 3 \\ \hline 121 & 0 \\ 182 & 6 \\ 77 & 0 \\ None \\ 56 & 2 \\ 37 & 5 \\ 26 & 7 \\ 3 & 6 \\ 88 & 4 \\ 83 & 4 \\ 11 & 2 \\ 102 & 0 \\ 69 & 3 \\ None \\ 14 & 6 \\ 33 & 2 \\ 5 & 5 \\ 763 & 3 \\ 305 & 5 \\ 151 & 0 \\ 759 & 5 \\ 45 & 0 \\ 556 & 3 \\ 213 & 3 \\ 44 & 0 \\ 555 & 1 \\ None \\ 21 & 7 \\ 29 & 5 \\ 109 & 3 \\ 32 & 2 \\ None \\ 779 & 3 \\ \end{array} $	$\pounds$ . s. d. $468$ 0 $82$ 18       0 $1501$ 10       3 $495$ 6       3 $753$ 8       0 $309$ 6       0 $231$ 16       0 $147$ 19       0 $110$ 7       9 $15$ 10       0 $363$ 13       6 $322$ 19       0 $45$ 10       9 $45$ 10       9 $417$ 2       0 $299$ 10       0         Sold.       60       5 $60$ 5       0 $3193$ 11       9 $177$ 4       0 $2262$ 2       9 $886$ 0       1 $170$ 16       0 $222$ 15       0         Sold.       3245       6 $3245$ 6       0 $4419$ 10       0	$\begin{array}{c} \label{eq:rs.Bs.} \\ 173 & 0 \\ 57 & 0 \\ 149 & 5 \\ 120 & 0 \\ 25 & 0 \\ 160 & 0 \\ 25 & 0 \\ 160 & 0 \\ 43 & 0 \\ \hline \\ 38 & 6 \\ 37 & 4 \\ 28 & 1 \\ 68 & 4 \\ 29 & 0 \\ 15 & 0 \\ 5 & 2 \\ 26 & 2 \\ 6 & 6 \\ 7 & 4 \\ 280 & 15 \\ 0 \\ 5 & 2 \\ 26 & 2 \\ 6 & 6 \\ 7 & 4 \\ 250 & 1 \\ 131 & 4 \\ 62 & 4 \\ 2 & 0 \\ 630 & 4 \\ 47 & 0 \\ 25 & 0 \\ 11 & 2 \\ 99 & 3 \\ 106 & 2 \\ 44 & 0 \\ 286 & 4 \\ 1685 & 0 \\ \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} \pounds & s. & d. \\ 360 & 6 & 0 \\ 112 & 7 & 0 \\ 325 & 16 & 8 \\ 246 & 18 & 4 \\ 50 & 0 & 0 \\ 313 & 10 & 0 \\ 88 & 5 & 0 \\ \hline \\ 81 & 3 & 0 \\ 80 & 0 & 0 \\ 56 & 5 & 0 \\ 126 & 3 & 10 \\ 58 & 15 & 4 \\ 31 & 0 & 0 \\ 56 & 5 & 0 \\ 126 & 3 & 10 \\ 58 & 15 & 4 \\ 31 & 0 & 0 \\ 56 & 5 & 0 \\ 126 & 3 & 10 \\ 58 & 15 & 4 \\ 31 & 0 & 0 \\ 55 & 6 & 0 \\ 126 & 3 & 10 \\ 55 & 6 & 0 \\ 14 & 0 & 0 \\ 9154 & 0 & 10 \\ 750 & 1 & 2 \\ 267 & 7 & 6 \\ 131 & 5 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & 0 \\ 1317 & 3 & 2 \\ 101 & 9 & 0 \\ 53 & 15 & 0 \\ 23 & 2 & 6 \\ 201 & 8 & 10 \\ 225 & 10 & 0 \\ 90 & 18 & 8 \\ 602 & 3 & 0 \\ 3428 & 14 & 9 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{c} \pounds & s. & d. \\ 34 & 7 & 6 \\ & & \\ & $			Qrs. Bs. 	$\pounds$ . s. d.       		£. s. d. 

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MARKETS.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.
Tetbury         Stow-on-the-Wold         Tewkesbury         Cheltenham         Dursley         Northleach         Stroud         Hereford         Leominster         Kington         Worcester         Bromsgrove         Kidderminster         Stourbridge         Evesham         Shrewsbury         Ludlow         Newport         Oswestry         Wellington         Wenlock         Whitchurch         Market Drayton         Stafford         Burton-on-Trent         Lichfield         Newcastle-under-Lyne         Stone         Uttoxeter         Walsall         Wolverhampton         Cleaster         Nantwich         Middlewich         Four-Lane-ends         Congleton         Marclestield         Stockport	Qrs.       Bs.         86       0         70       0         247       6         193       4         186       2         None       193         193       4         186       2         None       626         236       2         116       7         36       2         169       7         370       6         118       7         370       6         118       7         370       6         118       7         370       6         118       7         370       6         118       7         370       6         118       7         376       131         4       306         198       4         167       2         572       0         142       0         39       3         40       6         None       None	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\pounds$ $\pounds$ $d$ $260$ 19       0 $4^{\circ}$ 0       0 $50$ 0       0 $291$ 16       6 $79$ 1       0 $144$ 6       0 $141$ 5       0 $42$ 13       0 $42$ 13       0 $443$ 0       9 $235$ 17       11 $200$ 7       0 $1411$ 6       0 $33$ 17       4 $73$ 9       0 $615$ 4       8 $845$ 13       2 $5$ 0       0 $96$ 4       2 $1075$ 4       10 $2744$ 14       9 $243$ 0       0 $59$ 10       0 $544$ 17       3 $97$ 8       143       18 $62$ 10       0 <td><math display="block">\begin{array}{c} \text{Qrs. Bs.} \\ \hline \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ </math></td> <td><math display="block"> \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc</math></td> <td>Qrs. Bs.</td> <td></td> <td>Qrs. Bs.        </td> <td><math display="block">\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc</math></td> <td>Qrs. Bs.        </td> <td><math display="block"> \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc</math></td>	$\begin{array}{c} \text{Qrs. Bs.} \\ \hline \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ $	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Qrs. Bs.		Qrs. Bs.	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Qrs. Bs.	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$

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Derby Chesterfield Coventry Birmingham Warwick Stratford-on-Avon Leicester Loughborough Hinckley Lutterworth Northampton Peterborough Daventry Wellingborcugh Rettering Oakham Bedford Leighton Buzzard Luton Huntingdon St. Ives Cambridge Ely Wisbeach Woodbridge Stowmarket Ipswich Woodbridge Stowmarket Bury St. Edmunds Beccies Bungay Lowestoft Norwich Yarmouth Lynn Thetford	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{c} \pounds, \ \epsilon, \ d, \\ 1162 \ 16 \ 6 \\ 292 \ 15 \ 0 \\ 2099 \ 7 \ 6 \\ 6821 \ 5 \\ 8 \\ 3885 \ 17 \ 10 \\ 3411 \ 1 \ 0 \\ 3620 \ 16 \ 0 \\ 279 \ 2 \ 0 \\ 3441 \ 5 \ 0 \\ 279 \ 2 \ 0 \\ 3441 \ 5 \ 0 \\ 89 \ 8 \ 0 \\ 7156 \ 0 \ 6 \\ 4549 \ 8 \ 6 \\ 80 \\ 1210 \ 5 \ 0 \\ 506 \ 6 \ 0 \\ 80 \\ 1210 \ 5 \ 0 \\ 506 \ 6 \ 0 \\ 80 \\ 1210 \ 5 \ 0 \\ 506 \ 6 \ 0 \\ 80 \\ 1210 \ 5 \ 0 \\ 506 \ 6 \ 0 \\ 886 \ 10 \ 6 \\ 572 \ 8 \ 6 \\ 2872 \ 1 \ 1 \\ 4538 \ 1 \ 0 \\ 8369 \ 14 \ 4 \\ 2832 \ 10 \ 9 \\ 8159 \ 0 \ 7 \\ 1520 \ 19 \ 10 \\ 6555 \ 10 \\ 62751 \ 5 \ 3 \\ 5248 \ 7 \ 9 \\ 3089 \ 5 \ 10 \\ 2270 \ 19 \ 7 \\ 9046 \ 8 \ 3 \\ 1784 \ 17 \ 9 \\ 1680 \ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 80 \\ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 10 \ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 10 \ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 10 \ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 10 \ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 10 \ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 10 \ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 10 \ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 10 \ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 10 \ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 10 \ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 10 \ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 10 \ 12 \ 3 \\ 80 \\ 10 \ 12 \ 3 \\ 10 \ 10 \ 10 \ 10 \ 10 \ 10 \ 10 \ 10$	Quantities.Qrs. Bs $282 0$ $5 0$ $303 0$ $15 0$ $685 0$ $457 4$ $949 4$ $84 0$ $22 0$ $2342 0$ $518 0$ $100 0$ $319 0$ $486 4$ $263 0$ $236 4$ $357 2$ $105 0$ $3092 7$ $220 0$ $73 0$ $1359 6$ $2507 1$ $2232 5$ $1182 7$ $1099 7$ $1536 0$ $2881 4$ $1316 0$ $1061 3$ $11073 4$ $2541 5$ $4029 2$	Price. $\pounds$ e. d. 600 12 3 10 0 0 629 14 6 32 12 6 1412 19 6 932 3 6 2015 6 3 172 8 0 45 6 0 4642 19 0 1077 16 6 191 5 0 618 6 0 1046 5 0 537 8 0 487 9 9 730 8 10 214 15 0 6606 16 10 451 4 6 137 11 10 2978 7 2 5536 11 8 4948 18 1 2570 11 4 2344 15 0 3388 18 0 6348 10 7 2848 19 6 2305 9 5 23445 14 11 5291 13 2 8608 18 3		Price. $f_{, s}$ $f_{, s}$ 28 2 9 149 12 0 495 16 6 92 15 0 40 13 0 272 4 0 607 3 6 25 2 6 21 0 0 121 10 0 65 0 0 61 15 6 366 11 1 488 9 3 924 6 6 1045 6 10 36 5 0 33 8 0 16 0 0 25 7 4 456 2 0 40 1 0 26 5 0 54 0 0 	Quantities. Qrs. Bs. 16 4 	Price. £. s. d. 40 8 6 	Quantities.         Qrs. Bs.         200         24         30         22         30         24         30         22         330         -         188         0         -         60         0         53         60         0         53         60         75         44         0         265         97         134         15         4         30         12         0         25         30         7         42         42	Price. $\pounds$ s.       d.         50       10       0         7       12       6         6       18       0         160       9       6         21       0       0         93       2       0         91       11       0             471       13       0         114       17       0           143         0        0         122       2       0         180       0       0         190       15       0         7       5       6         708       15       9         248       12       6         372       10       6         39       6       6           0         30       0       0         109       4       0         77       6       9         19       10       0         121       7       6	Quantities. $Qrs.$ lis. $22$ $4$ $54$ $42$ $43$ $0$ $40$ $43$ $0$ $40$ $43$ $0$ $12$ $40$ $12$ $40$ $27$ $39$ $0$ $25$ $178$ $32$ $4$ $37$ $0$ $25$ $178$ $32$ $4$ $37$ $0$ $26$ $7$ $                -$ <	Price $\pounds$ $s$ $d$ $$ $$ $61$ $10$ $0$ $137$ $15$ $4$ $60$ $14$ $0$ $105$ $3$ $0$ $105$ $3$ $0$ $105$ $3$ $0$ $108$ $0$ $0$ $108$ $0$ $0$ $90$ $6$ $18$ $0$ $95$ $15$ $66$ $50$ $0$ $95$ $15$ $66$ $50$ $0$ $95$ $15$ $66$ $24$ $0$ $93$ $6$ $66$ $24$ $0$ $93$ $6$ $66$ $24$ $0$ $18$ $7$ $66$ $$ $$ $$ $$ $$ $$ $$ $0$ $37$ $10$ $0$ $37$ $10$ $0$ $18$ $7$ $6$ $$ $$ $$ $$ <td>4724</td>	4724

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MARKETS.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.	Quantities.	Price.
Vatton	Qrs. Bs. 107 0	£. s. d. 442 14 6	Qrs. Bs. 257 4	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Qrs. Bs.	£. s. d.	Qrs. Bs.	£. s d.	Qrs. Bs.	£. s. d	Qrs. Bs.	£. s. a
Diss	418 0	1731 10 0	1076 0	2335 7 6	·				45 0	111 19 0	$1 \frac{1}{1} 4$	4 16
Sast Dereham	581 0	2363 2 0	1716 0	3559 11 0						111 15 0		4 10
Iarleston	415 2	1772 9 9	943 2	2052 10 0	44	7 4 0			54 0	136 13 0		
Iolt	153 6	613 9 0	949 4	1991 6 3	50	7 10 0		·	14	4 1 0		
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HENRY FENTON JADIS, Comptroller of Corn Returns.

N OTICE.—Pursuant to the provisions of an Act passed in the 6th and 7th years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled, "An Act for Marriages in England," I do hereby give notice that the Right Reverend Father in God, John, Lord Bishop of Lichfield, by and with the consent of the Most Reverend Father in God, John Bird, by Divine Providence, Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, by writing under his hand and episcopal seal, dated the 28th day of November last, did revoke a certain licence for marriages heretofore granted by the Right Reverend Samuel, Lord Bishop of Lichfield, for the solemnization of marriages in the chapel of Ripley, in the county of Derby, and diocese of Lichfield, and declared the same null and void.—Lichfield Close, 12th December, 1855.

> J. Mott, Deputy-Registrar of the Diocese of Lichfield.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Independent Chapel, situated at Adderbury West, in the parish of Adderbury, in the county of Oxford, in the district of Banbury Union, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 5th day of December, 1855, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 6th day of December, 1855. Wm. W. Heming, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building or chapel, named Capel Dinas, situate at Llangefni, in the parish of Llangefni, in the county of Anglesey, in the district of Anglesey, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 7th day of December, 1855, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th, Wm. IV., cap. 85.

### Witness my hand this 8th day of December, 1855. Davd. Williams, Deputy Superintendent Registrar.

OTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Collegiate School, situated at Camberwell-grove, in the parish of Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, in the district of Camberwell, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 10th day of December, 1855, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of the 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witnessmy hand this 11th day of December, 1855. Thos. Wm. Plum, Superintendent Registrar.

#### CIVIL SERVICE OF THE EAST INDIA COMPANY.

IN July, 1856, an examination will take place of candidates for appointments to the Civil Service of the East India Company. Notice will be hereafter given of the days and place of examination.

2. Any natural-born subject of Her Majesty, who shall be desirous of entering the Civil Service of the East India Company, will be entitled to be examined at such examination, provided he shall, before the 1st of May, 1856, have trans-

mitted to the India Board, Cannon-row, Westminster-

- (a) A certificate of his birth, showing that his age, on the 1st of May, 1856, will be above eighteen years and under twentythree years.
- (b) A certificate, signed by a physician or surgeon, of his having no disease, constitutional affection, or bodily infirmity, unfitting him for the Civil Service of the East India Company.
- (c) A certificate of good moral character, signed by the head of the school or college at which he has last received his education; or, if he has not received education at any school or college since the year 1853, then such proof of good moral character as may be satisfactory to the Board of Commissioners for the Affairs of India.
- (d) A statement of those of the branches of knowledge hereinafter enumerated in which he desires to be examined.

3. The examination will take place only in the following branches of knowledge :

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tricity and Magnetism, Natural Histor	
Geology, and Mineralogy	- 500
Moral Sciences, that is, Logic, and Ment	al,
Moral, and Political Philosophy -	- 500
Sanscrit Language and Literature -	- 375
Arabic Language and Literature -	- 375
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4. The merit of the persons examined will be estimated by marks, according to the ordinary system in use at several of the Universities, and the number set opposite to each branch in the preceding paragraph denote the greatest number of marks that can be obtained in respect of it.

5. No candidate will be allowed any marks in respect of any subject of examination unless he shall obtain, in respect of that subject, one-sixth of the number of marks set against that particular subject.

6. The examinations will be conducted by means of printed questions and written answers, and by  $viv\hat{a}$  voce examination.

7. After the examination shall have been completed, the marks obtained by each candidate in respect of each of the subjects in which he shall have been examined, shall be added up, and the names of the twenty candidates who shall have obtained a greater aggregate number of marks than any of the remaining candidates shall be set forth in order of merit; and such twenty candidates shall be deemed to be selected candidates for the Civil Service of the East India Company. Their choice, so far as it can be allowed, of the Presidency in India to which they shall be appointed, shall be determined by the order in which they stand on such list. S. In August, 1857, a further examination of the selected candidates will take place in the following subjects :

Law, including the ordinary rules of	
taking evidence and the mode of con-	
ducting eivil and criminal trials -	1,000
The History of India	400
Political Economy	400
Any Vernacular Language of India, to	

be previously fixed by the Board of

Commissioners for the Affairs of India 200 and such further examination will be conducted in the same manner as that above described. (The number set opposite to each subject denotes the greatest number of marks which can be obtained in respect of such subject.)

9. Any selected candidate who shall not, at such further examination in 1857, obtain in each of the subjects above mentioned, one-sixth of the number of marks set against such particular subject, shall be struck off the list of selected candidates.

10. The selected candidates who, at such further examination, shall be deemed by the examiners to have a competent knowledge (ascertained in the manner mentioned in the preceding paragraph) of Law, the History of India, Political Economy; and one Language of India, shall be entitled to be appointed to the Civil Service of the East India Company; and the names of such candidates shall be placed in a list in the order of their merit in such examination, estimated, as above, by the total number of marks which they shall have obtained in respect of all the subjects in which they shall have been examined at such examination.

11. The seniority in the Civil Service of the East India Company of such candidates shall be determined according to the order in which they stand on the list resulting from such further examination.

12. No person will, even after such examination, be allowed to proceed to India unless he shall comply with the regulations in force at the time for the Civil Service of the East India Company, and shall be of sound bodily health and good moral character.

13. The Commissioners for the Affairs of India will be ready to receive, at any time previous to the 1st of May, 1856, the testimonials of persons desirous of being appointed to the office of Examiners; but, with respect to the examinations above mentioned, no such appointment will be made until after the date above mentioned.

14. All papers relating to the above-mentioned examinations are to be sent, and all inquiries are to be addressed thus :---

" The Secretary,

"E. I. C. Civil Service "India Board, "Examination." "Westminster."

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852. Office of the Commissioners of Patents for 2747. Inventions.

Inventions. OTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Ebenezer Poulson, of 21, Judd-street, Brunswick-square, in the county of Middlesex, Marine Artist, praying for letters patent for the invention of "a new constructed engine to be worked either by steam or principally by manual labour," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 6th day of December, 1855, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

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#### Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for 2792. Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the petition of Jacques Elidat de Malbec, of Paris, France, and of 7, Duke-street, Adelphi, London, praying for letters patent for the invention of "certain improvements in water-closets," was deposited and recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 11th day of December, 1855, and a complete specification accompanying such petition was at the same time filed in the said office.

#### Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given, that provisional protection has been allowed

2342. To William Tatham, of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, Machine Maker, for the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for preparing, spinning, doubling, and winding cotton, wool, flax, silk, or other fibrous substances."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 19th day of October, 1855.

2359. To Alexander Parkes, of Burry Port, Llanelly, county of Carmarthen, South Wales, for the invention of "certain preparations of oils for, and solutions used when waterproofing, and for the manufacture of various articles by the use of such compounds."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 22nd day of October, 1855.

2369. To John Bellamy, of the Lower-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in graining and in producing imitative ornamental surfaces, and in certain instruments or apparatus to be employed for such purposes."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 23rd day of October, 1555.

2409. To Thomas Ato Temperton, of the city of Manchester, Factor, for the invention of certain improvements in shells and rockets, and other projectiles of a like nature."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 29th day of October, 1855.

2495. To Edward Jeffreys, of Shrewsbury, Engineer, for the invention of "an improvement in the construction of furnaces."

On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 6th day of November, 1855.

- 2512. To Henry John Betjemann, of New Oxford-: street, in the county of Middlesex, for the invention of "improvements in expanding or extending tables."—Partly a communication.
- On his petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 7th day of November, 1855.
- 2535. To William Crosley, of No. 16, Westbourne-park, in the county of Middlesex, and 103, Southwark Bridge-road, in the county of Surrey, Gas Meter Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in gas meters."
- 2537. To Louis Joseph Frédéric Margueritte, Chemist, of Paris, in the Empire of France, for the invention of "certain improvements in the manufacture of vitreous products."
- 2539. To William Kemble Hall, of 36, Cannonstreet, London, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in boilers for generating steam."
  A communication.

- 2540. To George Cooke, of Kersley, in the county of Lancaster, Spindle Maker, for the invention of "improvements in flyers used in roving and slubbing frames."
- 2541. To Thomas Hitt, of Tavistock-street, in the city of Westminster, Gentleman, for the invention of "a new method of obtaining power for propelling vessels and certain new propelling machinery."
- 2543. To William Henry Aston and Samuel Hopkinson, of Zetland Mill, Huddersfield, for the invention of "improvements in steam boiler furnaces and apparatus employed for supplying water to steam boilers."
- 2545. To Andrew Barclay, of Kilmarnock, in the county of Ayr, North Britain, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in indicating the pressure of steam and other fluids, which improvements are also applicable to governors and other regulating apparatus."
- 2547. To John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln'sinn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, and of Glasgow, North Britain, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in the manufacture or preparation of hard india rubber and in the application thereof to the construction of parts of textile and other machinery."—A communication from Henri Victor Wacrenier, of Paris, in the Empire of France.
- 2549. And to William Henson, of Bryan-street, Caledonian-road, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, and Henry Oscar Palmer, of Castlestreet, East-street, Marylebone, in the same county, Surveyor, for the invention of "improved apparatus for propelling vessels."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 12th day of November, 1855.

- 2551. To Fischer Alexander Wilson, of Adelphi Chambers, London, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in engines, machinery, and apparatus" for exhausting, forcing, and lifting for propelling on land and water."
- 2553. To John Wilkinson the elder, and John Wilkinson the younger, both of Leeds, in the county of York, Felted Cloth and Carpet Manufacturers, for the invention of "improvements in communicating a shape or configuration to felted cloths and other manufactured fabrics."
- 2555. To John Mawson, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, in the county of Northumberland, Chemist, for the invention of "improvements in cameras for taking photographic pictures."
- 2557. To Robert Murdoch, of Cran Hill, Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Surveyor, for the invention of "improvements in agricultural apparatus for sowing seeds and depositing manure."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 13th day of November, 1855.

- 2559. To Alexandre Tolhausen, of No. 7, Dukestreet, Adelphi, London, in the county of Middlesex, Sworn Interpreter at the Imperial Court of Paris, for the invention of "certain improvements in producing ice."—A communication from Louis Joseph Frédéric Margueritte, of Paris, in the Empire of France.
- 2561. To James Burrows, of the Haigh Foundry, near Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, for the invention of "improved apparatus for winding coals or other minerals from mines, which said apparatus is also applicable for other similar purposes, and for machinery required for forming or constructing such improved apparatus,"

- 2563. To William Barnes, of 2, Royal Exchangebuildings, in the city of London, for the invention of "an improvement in connecting and supporting the ends of the rails of railways."
- 2565. To Joseph Robinson, of Denton Mills, Carlisle, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for drying wheat and other grain."
- 2567. To Charles Goodyear, of 42, Avenue Gabrielle, Paris, for the invention of "improvements in shoes and boots when india rubber is used."
- 2569. To Frank Jacques, of Droylsden, in the county of Lancaster, Silk Dyer, for the invention of "the use and method of preparation of a new material to be used in the process of dyeing silk."
- 2571. To Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, for the invention of "an improved manufacture of electrotype printing surfaces."—A communication.
- 2573. And to Johannes Möller, of 3, Maynardplace, Hornsey, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, for the invention of "producing a transparent photographic picture on ivory, without injuring the nature of the ivory, so as to be able to finish the picture with colours like other minatures."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 14th day of November, 1855.

- 2575. To Franz Duncker, of Berlin, in the Kingdom of Prussia, but now of 4, King Williamstreet, Strand, for the invention of "a new instrument for electric telegraphs called 'Despatch Distributor,' which will permit despatches of various contents being communicated at the same time to one or more stations by means of one or two line wires only."—A communication from Mr. A. Bernstein, of Berlin.
- 2579. To John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln'sinn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, and of Glasgow, North Britain, Gentleman, for the invention of "improvements in carding engines for carding cotton and other fibrous materials." —A communication from George Wellman, of Lowell, in the United States of America.
- 2581. And to George Tomlinson Bousfield, of Sussex-place, Loughboro'-road, Brixton, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "improvements in breech-loading fire arms."— A communication.

On their several petitions recorded in the Office of the Commissioners, on the 15th day of November, 1855.

- 2583. To Benjamin Talbot Babbitt, of the city of New York, United States, for the invention of "manufacturing soao."
- 2585. To William Eassie, of the city of Gloucester, Railway Contractor, for the invention of "improvements in hammers."
- 2587. To James Yates, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturer, and Thomas Rawlins Birch, of Birmingham aforesaid, Manufacturer, for the invention of "an improvement or improvements in engines for raising beer and other liquids."
- 2589. To Edward Peyton and Duncan Morrison, of Bordesley Works, Birmingham, for the invention of "improvements in manufacturing parts of metal bedsteads."
- 2591. And to Louis Auguste Petard, Draughtsman, of Paris, in the French Empire, for the invention of "certain improvements in manufacturing velvet and other similar fabrics."

On their several petitions recorded in the Office of

the Commissioners on the 16th day of November; 1855.

- 2593. To Joseph Denton, of Pendleton, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "improvements in looms."
- 2595. To Robert Walter Swinburne, of South Shields, in the county of Durham, Plate Glass Manufacturer, for the invention of "improvements in furnaces used in the manufacture of glass,"
- 2597. And to George Collier of Halifax, and, James William Crossley, of Brighouse; both in the county of York, for, the invention of "improvements in means or apparatus employed in hot pressing woven fabrics, and other surfaces." On their several petitions recorded in the Office. of the Commissioners on the 17th .day of Novem-
- ber, 1855. A supervised of the state of the
- 2692. To Arthur William Forde, of 45, Bernardstreet, Russell-Square, London, for the invention of "registering the number of revolutions of a wheel of a locomotive engine, or railway or other carriage, at any given period."
- other carriage, at any given period." 2694. And to William Trlam, of the Gibraltar Iron Works, Newton Heath, near the city of Manchester, Engineer, for the invention of "improvements in crossings for railways."

On both their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 29th day of November, 1855.

- 2702. To Edward Daniel Johnson, of Wilmington-square, in the county of Middlesex, Watch Manufacturer, for the invention of "an improvement in the construction of attachable seconds watches."
- 2704. To Richard Hancock, of Great Polgooth Mine, in the parish of St. Austell, Cornwall, for the invention of "cleaning and seperating ores of every description when brought into a state of low pulverization."
- 2706<sup>11</sup> And to Samuel Cunliffe Lister, of Bradford, in the county of York, for the invention of "Improvements" in treating so as to rework waste yarns of cotton, silk, flax, wool, or other fibre."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 30th day of November, 1855.

- 2708. To William Ward, of Warrington, in the county of Lancaster, Spinner and Manufacturer, for the invention of "certain improvements in looms for weaving."
- 2712. And to James Murdoch Napier, of the York-road, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, for the invention of "an improvement in drying small coal."

On both their petitions, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 1st day of December, 1855.

2714. To George Harrison, of Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, Overlooker, and William Mitchell the younger, of Hoarstone Lodge, near Burnley aforesaid, Wool Stapler, for the invention of "improvements in machinery for roving, spinning, and winding worsted, cotton, and other fibrous materials."

- 2716. To Christian Mayer, of the city and State of New York, United States of America, for the invention of "improvements in hair-triggerlocks for fire-arms."
- 2718. To Westley Richards, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturer, and Joseph Rock Cooper; of Birmingham aforesaid, Manufacturer, for the invention of "an improvement or improvements in breech loading fire arms."
- 2720. To Jules Roth, of Mulhouse, in the French Empire, but now residing at Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Chemist, for the invention of "an improvement in rollers employed in spinning, machinery, and in other parts of machinery used in the treatment of fibrous materials."
- 2722. And to James Leitch, Sugar Refiner, at No. 17 Ellenborough-street, in the town of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, for the invention of "certain improvements in melting and blowing up sugars."

On their several petitions, recorded in the Uffice of the Commissioners on the 3rd day of December, 1855.

2742. To Charles Hawker, of Fishbourne, in the parish of Binstead. in the Isle of Wight, in the county of Southampton, Salt Manufacturer, and Thomas Parry Hawker, Dispenser of Medicine, War Prison, Plymouth, for the invention of "an improved method of manufacturing cartridges."

On their petition, recorded in the Office of the Commissioners on the 6th day of December, 1855.

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

#### Peremptory.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all parties claiming to be creditors of this Company, are, on or before the 21st day of December, 1855, to come in and prove their debts before John Elijah Blunt, Esq., the Master of the High Court of Chancery, charged with the winding up of the said Company, at his chambers, in Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lanc.

John E. Blunt,

### , CONTRACT FOR FRESH BEEF.

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Royal William Victualling Yard, Plymouth, December 4, 1855.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on Thursday, the 20th instant, I shall be ready to receive sealed tenders from, and treat with, such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying all such quantities of

#### FRESH BEEF

as may be demanded far the use of Her Majesty's ships and vessels, &c., at this port, from the 1st January to the 31st December, 1856, both days included.

The contractor will be let the Admiralty Field at "Western King," adjoining the Victualling Yord, and consisting of about five acres of land, during the continuance of the contract, for such cattle only as are to be supplied for the service of the establishment, with permission to graze sheep also.

The contract is not to be sub-let, and all parties about to tender, are particularly desired to ascertain the conditions of the contract, and of renting the field, which may be known at my office.

Every tender must be on the proper printed form, to be obtained at my office, and specify the price in words at length, and no tender will be received after one o'cloch on the day of treaty, and the party, or an agent for him, duly authorised in writing, must attend at my office on Friday, the 21st instant, at one o'clock, to learn the result of his tender. Every tender must also be signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of £1,500, for the due performance of the contract.

Joseph Nias, Captain Superintendant.

#### CONTRACT FOR CANDLES.

Department of the Comptroller for Victualling, Somerset-Place, December 3, 1855.

THE Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland do hereby give notice, that, on Monday the 17th 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. the Royal Marine Barracks at Chatham, all such quantities of

#### TALLOW CANDLES,

as shall from time to time be demanded, for twelve months certain, and further until the expiration of three months' warning.

The conditions of the revised contract may be seen at the said office, and, together with samples of the candles, at the office of the Barrack Master.

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 Candles," and must also be delivered at Somerset-place.

#### CONTRACT FOR EAST INDIA RICE.

Office of the Director-General of the Medical Department of the Navy, Somerset-Place, December 13, 1855.

THE 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 3rd January, 1856, at one o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and delivering into the Medical Stores at Her Majesty's Victualling Yard, at Deptford, all such quantities of

#### EAST INDIA RICE,

as may from time to time be demanded for twelve calendar months certain, and further until the expiration of three months' warning.

Samples must be produced by the partics tendering.

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 will any be 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 East India Rice," 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 £100 for the due performance of the contract.

Bank of England, December 13, 1855. THE Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England give notice.

That a General Court will be held at the Bank on Thursday next, the 20th instant, at twelve o'clock precisely, being one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by the charter.

John Bentley, Secretary.

National Provincial Bank of England, No. 112, Bishopsgate-Street, London, December 11, 1855.

THE Directors of the National Provincial Bank of England hereby give notice, that a half-yearly dividend, at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum, will be payable on the Company's stock on and aft r the 11th of Jonuary next, when the dividend warrants will be obtained at the Company's Offices, No. 112, Bishopsgate-street, or at the different Branches.

The transfer books will be closed on and after Saturday, the 22nd instant, until the dividend become: payable.

By order of the Court of Directors, Dan. Robertson, Agent and Manager.

#### East and West India Dock Company.

East and West India Dock-House, 8, Billiter-Square, December 7, 1855. THE Court of Directors of the East and West India Dock Company hereby give notice, that the transfer books of the said Company will be shut on Thursday, the 13th December, 1855, and open again on Tuesday, the 8th January, 1856.

> By order of the Court, George Collin, Secretary.

#### London Docks.

London Dock-House, New Bank-Buildings, December 12, 1855.

THE Court of Directors of the London Dock Company hereby give notice, that a Half-Yearly General Meeting of the Proprietors will be held at this house, on Tuesday, the 1st January next, for the purpose of declaring a dividend on the Company's stock for the half-year ending the 31st December instant, and on other affairs.

The chair will be taken at one o'clock precisely. J. D. Powles, Secretary.

N OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned John Rannie and William Rannie, in the trades or usinesses of Millwrights, Engineers, and Iron Founders, at Portsea, in the county of Hants, under the firm of J. and W. Rannie, was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that the said William Rannie will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership in the regular course of trade.—Witness our hands this 10th day of December, 1855.

#### John Rannie. William Rannie.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, John Butler and Felix Weekes Richardson, of Woolwich, in the county of Kent, Surgeons and Apothecaries, heretofore carrying on business under the firm of Butler and Richardson, is this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to and received by the said John Butler, and all persons to whom the said partnership stands indebted are requested immediately to send in their respective accounts to the said John Butler, in order that the same may be examined and paid.—As witness our hands the 12th day of December, 1855.

John Butler. Felix W. Richardson. NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us, the undersigned John Waller, Charles Ede Waller, Edward Francis Ede, and Frederick Henry Ede, carrying on the business of Straw Hat Manufacturers and General Merchants, at 103, Woodstreet, London, and Luton. Bedfordshire, under the firm or style of Waller, Ede, and Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent; the straw business will be continued by John Waller and Charles Ede Waller, at 103, Wood-street, London only. All debts owing to and by the above-named firm of Waller, Ede, and Co., will be received and paid by Edward Francis Ede.—Witness our hands this 11th day of December, 1855.

John Waller. Robert Ede Waller. Edw. F. Ede. Fredk. H. Ede.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Groves and James Longley, of Leeds, Contractors, trading under the firm of Groves and Longley, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 6th day of December, 1855.

#### William Groves. James Longley.

N OTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership carried on for some time past at Chertsey and Kingstonupon. Thames, both in the county of Surrey, by us the undersigned, Nathan Abrahams and Henry Abrahams, under the firm of Abrahams and Son, as Auctioneers and Estate Agents, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Henry Abrahams is empowered to discharge and settle all debts due to and by the said copartnership concern.—Dated this 27th day of November, 1855.

#### Nathan Abrahams. Uenry Abrahams.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James McLintock and John Bufham, as Stay, Corset, and Ready Made Linen Manufacturers, at Barn ley, in the county of York, under the style or firm of James McLintock and Company, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due and owing to and from the said partnership will be received and paid by the said James McLintock, by whom the trade or business will be carried on in future on his own account alone.—Dated this 8th day of December, 1855. James McLintock.

#### John Bufham.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Parinership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Samuel Reddish, John Macann, and Mervyn Hardy Wrigley, carrying on business at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, as Fruit Merchants, under the firm of Reddish, Macann, and Company, was this day dissolved by mitual consent.— Dated this 11th day of December, 1855.

#### Samuel Reddish. John Macann. Mervyn Hardy Wrigley.

OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned, Joseph Hardcastle and John Hodgson, of No. 1, Church-bank, in Bradford, in the county of York, carrying on trade as Woolstaplers, under the firm of Joseph Hardcastle and Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent; and all debts due and owing to and from the said firm will be received and paid by the said John Hodgson or his Solicitor, Mr. Turner, No. 7, Brunswick-place, Bradford.—As witness our hands this 12th day of December, 1855.

#### Joseph Hardcastle. John Hodyson.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Benjamin Barron Wheatley and George Edward Barlow, of the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Silk Manufacturers, under the firm of Wheatley and Barlow, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that all debts due to and from the said concern will be received and paid by the said Benjamin Barron Wheatley.—As witness our hands this 12th day of December. 1855.

#### hands this 12th day of December, 1855. Benj. B. Wheatley, Geo. Edwd. Barlow.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, George Frederick Dinmack and David North, as Ironmasters, at the Monmore Iron Works, in the township of Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, is this day dissolved; and that all debts due to and from the said partnership will be received and paid by the said David North alone.—Dated this 12th day of December, 1855.

George Frederick Dimmack. David North.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, George John Henly and Thomas Peter Henly, as Farmers, carrying on business at Pond Close Farm, in the parish of Corsham. in the county of Wilts, was, on the 29th day of September last, dissolved by mutual consent; and that sums due to or from such partnership account are to be received and paid by the said George John Henly only.—As witness our hands this 24th day of August, 1855.

George John Henly. Thomas Peter Henly.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership subsisting between us the undersigned, William Clark and Vincent Smith, as Joiners and Builders, at Wakefield, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Clerk and Smith, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 26th day of November, 1855.

William Clark. Vincent Smith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Leopold Charles Martin and Robert Samuel Lundie, lately carrying on business together as Wood Engravers and Lithographers, at No. 101, Long-acre, in the county of Middlesex, was, by indenture made between us, and under our respective hands and seals, on the 1st day of November now last past, dissolved as from the 30th day of September now last past, dissolved as from the 30th day of September now last past; and that all debts and demands owing to and by the said copartnership will be received and paid by the undersigned Robert Samuel Lundie, who will continue to carry on the said business alone at the same place, and under the former style or firm of Martin and Lundie.—As witness our hands this 10th day of December, 1855.

#### Leopold Chas. Martin. Robt. S. Lundie.

OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edwin Howell and John Hill Morgan, of the city of Bristol, as Manufacturers of Photographical Plate Holders, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 12th day of December, 1855. E. Howell.

#### John H. Morgan.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us in the city of Bristol, in the trade or business of Grocers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 11th day of December, 1855.

#### William Coombs. Charles Coombs.

N OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, Benjamin Matthew Kelsey and Richard Kelsey, trading at Godstone, and at Shere, both in the county of Surrey, as Millers and Mealmen, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 24th day of June, 1855.—Witness our hands this 12th day of December, 1855. Benjamin Matthew Kelsey. Richard Kelsey.

N OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between William Banks and Henry Hampson, carrying on business as Bleachers, Inventors, and Proprietors of the Patent Apparatus for Bleaching Yarns in Thread, in Cop, or Hank, at Rumworth Bleach Works, Lostock Junction, near Bolton-le-Moors, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Banks, Hampson, and Company, is this day dissolved, so far as the said Henry Hampson is concerned; and that the said partnership will in future be carried on under the style or firm of William and John Banks and Jonas Grisdale, by whom all debts owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid, and by whom the said business will in future be carried on.— Dated this 10th day of Deccember, 1855.

### . Henry Hampson. William Banks.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Gillmore Bolton, Samuel Benjamin Merrinan, and Simon Dunning, carrying on the business or profession of Attorneys and Solicitors, at No. 25, Austin Friars, in the eity of London, is, as and from the 1st day of December, 1852, dissolved by mutual consent so far as concerns the said William Gillmore Bolton. All debts due and owing to or by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Samuel Benjamin Merriman and Simon Dunning.----Witness our hands this 11th day of December, 1855. W. G. Bolton. Scaml B Merriman

W. G. Bolton. Saml. B. Merriman. S. Dunning.

Liverpool, 15th November, 1855. W E hereby declare that the Partnership hitherto exist-V ing between the undersigned, under the firm of Eyssen and Müller, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Adolphus Eyssen.

#### Charles M. Müller.

OTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Mark Blowers. Josiah Thomas Blowers, and Charles Barber, carrying on business as Upholsterers and Cabinet Makers, in Minster-street, Reading, under the firm of Blowers, Son, and Barber, has been dissolved by mutual consent, as from the 20th day of November last; and that the business will be carried on as from the same day by the said Mark Blowers and Josiah Thomas Blowers alone, under the firm of Blowers and Sosan by whom all debts due to and owing by the late partnership will be received and paid.—Dated the 11th day of December, 1855.

# M. Blowers. J. T. Blowers.

## Charles Barber.

Captain Henry Ratcliffe Searle, deceased. NOTICE is hereby given, that the Administratrix of Captain Henry Ratcliffe Searle, late Assistant Police Magistrate, &c., at Sierra Leone, and formerly of the 1st West India Regiment, and of Louth, in the county of Lin-coln, deceased, being desirous of winding up his affairs, all coln, deceased, being desirous of winding up his affairs, all persons having claims upon his estate, are required to send the particulars thereof, to Mr. Frederick Carrit, of No. 24, Basinghall street, London, Solicitor, on or before the 31st instant; and all persons indebted to the estate are requested forth with to pay to him the amount due. By order of the Administratrix. FREDK. CARRITT, No. 24, Basinghall-street, Solicitor

Solicitor.

13th December, 1855.

[Extract from the Edinburgh Gazette of December 11, 1855.] Notice.

A LI. Parties having Accounts or Claims against the late Captain the Honourable Robert Drummond, of **Ch.** late Captain the Honourable Robert Drummond, of the Coidstream Guards, are requested to lodge the same with the Executor, Mr. Raglan G. H. Somerset, 50, South-street, Grosvenor-square, Londou, or with James Condie, Writer, Perth, his Agent, on or before 1st January, 1856, as the Executry affairs are then to be wound up and closed. November, 1855. JA. CONDIE.

In the Estate of Robert Fyfe, deceased.

THE creditors of Robert Fyfe, late of the city of Wel-lington, and of the Kai Koras, in the Middle Island of New Zealand, Master Whaler, who died at sea in or of New Zealand, Master Whaler, who died at sea in or about the month of May, 1854, are requested immediately to send the particulars of their claims to the acting executor, George Hunter, Esq., care of Messrs. Bethune and Hunter, Merchants, Wellington, or their Agents, Messrs. H. H. Willis and Co., No. 3, Crosby-square, London; and all per-sons indebted to the estate of the said Robert Fyfe are requested forthwith to pay the amount of such debts to the said George Hunter.—Dated this 4th day of January, 1855. ROBERT HART, Solicitor of the Executor, Lambton Quay, Wellington.

In the Estate of Robert Fyfe, deceased. THE heir-at-law and next of kin of Robert Fyfe or Fyffe, deceased, late of Wellington and the Kai Koras, in the colony of New Zealand, Master Whaler, who was drowned at sea, off the coast of New Zealand, in or about the month of May, 1854, are requested to send in-about the month of May, 1854, are requested to send information of their existence, and the requisite legal proof, formation of their existence, and the requisite legal proof, to George Hunter, Esq., acting executor of the deceased, caré of Messrs. Bethune and Hunter, Merchants, Welling-ton, New Zealand, or their Agents, Messrs. H. H. Willis and Co., No. 3, Crosby-square, London. The deceased is supposed to have been born in Perthshire, in North Britain, was a son of Elizabeth Stewart, otherwise Fyfe or Fyffe, deceased, and was a grandchild of Alexander Stewart, de-ceased, he had a sister (married) who left Britain for some deceased, and was a grandchild of Alexander Stewart, de-ceased; he had a sister (married) who left Britain for some part of North America several years ago, another sister who died in Scotland several years ago, leaving children, and a brother James, who appears to have enlisted in the army many years ago. The personal estate of deceased, which is considerable, is bequeathed to his next of kin the army and estate descende to his heirs. Dated this which is considerable, is bequeathed to his next of kin generally, the real estate descends to his heirs.—Dated this 4th day of January, 1855. ROBERT HART, Solicitor of the Executors, Lambton Quay, Wellington, New Zealand.

#### BRITISH GUIANA

County of Beruice .- Edicial Citation.

**DURSUANT** to authority granted by his Honour the First Puisne Judge of British Guiana, dated the 28th day of September, 1855, I, the undersigned Acting Provost-Marshal of British Guiana, in the name and behalf of Alexander Winter and William Woodley Bennett, inhabi-

tants of the county of Berbice, in the colony of British Guiana, in quality as the acting executors in this colony of the last will and testament of Peter Nicholson, late of the county of Berbice, decea ed, do hereby, by edict, cite all known and unknown creditors, both Colonial and European, of the said Peter Nicholson, late of Berbice, deceased, as also against his sugar plantation Adelphi, or Lot Nc. 7 (seven), situate on the east bank of the river Canje, within (seven), situate on the east bank of the river Canje, within this county, containing five hundred acres of land, more or less, with the cultivation, buildings, and further appurte-nances thereto belonging; also all that piece or parcel of land, being part of plantation Goed Bananna Land, situate on the east bank of Canje, within this county, that is to say, on the north-east or upper side of the public road towards the back. containing four hundred and fifty acres, more or less, to appear before the Honourable the Supreme Court of civil Jusice of British Guina, at the Bergistra's office for Civil Justice of British Guiana, at the Registrar's office for the county of Berbice, in the town of New Amsterdam, in the county of Berbice, in the town of New Amsterdam, in the colony aforesaid, and there file their claims, properly substantiated and in due form, within the period of one month after notice by me in the Official Gazette of the colony, of the publication of this edict in the London Gazette, on pain, in default thereof, as the law directs. Berbice, this 13th day of October, 1855.

R. S. TURTON, Acting Provost-Marshal.

#### Marshal's Office. BRITISH GUIANA.

BRITISH GUIANA. Counties of Demerary and Essequebo.—Edictal Citation. DURSUANT to authority granted by his Honour the Chief Justice of British Guiana, dated the 5th day of September, 1855, I, the undersigned Acting Provost-Marshal of British Guiana, in the name and behalf of Annie Donald, born Redmond, widow, an inhabitant of the city of Georgetown, in the county of Demerary, in the colony of British Guiana (by her duly constituted attorney in said colony, Thomas Henry Mackey), for herself, and de rato cavens Samuel Donald, at present residing in the county of Antrim, in Ireland, in quality as deliberating executrix and executor named in and by the last will and testament of James Donald, late an inhabitant of said colony, testament of James Donald, late an inhabitant of said colony, testament of James Donaid, face an innation of said coloury, deceased, do hereby, by edict, cite all known and un-known creditors, European as well as Colonial, of the said James Donaid, deceased, to appear before the Honourable the Supreme Court of Civil Justice of British Guiana, at the Registrar's office for the counties of Demerary and tessequebo, in the Public-buildings, in the city of George-town, in the colony aforesaid, and there file their claims, properly substantiated and in due form, within the period of one month after notice by me in the Official Gazette of the colony; of the publication of this edict in the London Gazette ; on pain, in default thereof, as the law directs.

Demerary and Essequebo, this 6th day of October, 1855. R. S. TURTON, Acting Provost-Marshal.

### BRITISH GUIANA.

Counties of Demerary and Essequebo. DURSUANT to an Order of his Honour Robert Crosby Brete, First Puisne Ludge of Divisit C Beete, First Puisne Judge of British Guiana, bearing date 28th September, 1855, in the matter of Nathaniel Chapman, an inhabitant of the county of Demerary, in the colony of British Guiana, plaintiff, versus the proprietor or proprietors, representative or representatives, of planta-

or proprietors, representative or representatives, of planta-tion La Bonne Mère, cum annexis, situate in the county of Demerary aforesaid, defendant or de endants. I, the undersigned, Acting Provost-Marshal of British Guiana, do advertise, by these presents, for the first, second, and third time, that I, or my lawful deputy, will expose for sale, at public judicial auction, in the month of Nov-m-ber, 1856, Plantations La Bonne Mère, Alliance, Ceres, Joyce, Philip's Land, and Charles and Mary's Hope, now known forether as Plantation La Bonne Mère cum apnexis known together as Plantation La Bonne Mère, cum annexis, and situated on the west bank of Mahaica Creek, in the county of Demerary, in the colony of British Guiana, bounded on the north by Plantation Supply, and on the south by Plantation Strathaven, save and except such parts or portions thereof as have been transported to other parties,

as per inventory. All persons who may have any right, title, and interest in and to the net proceeds of the property above described, are hereby summoned to appear in person, or by attorney, at the Registrar's office for the counties of Demerary and Essequebo, within one calendar month after expiration of the Registrar's advertisement to that effect, which advertise ment will be issued twenty-one days after the sale of the said property, for the purpose of delivering into said Registrar's office their respective claims, with all documents and vouchers in support thereof, in order that the Honourable the Supreme Court of Civil Justice of British Guiana may proceed to a decision, præ et concurrentiæ, on the said net proceeds, on pain, in default thereof, as the law directs.

An inventory of said plantation may be seen at the counting-house of Messrs. John Kingston and Company, No 6, Crosby-square, London. Marshal's Office, Demerary and Essequebo, this 24th day

of October, 1855. R. S. TURTON, Acting Provost-Marshal.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Dewell v. Tufnell, with the approbation of Vice-Chancellor Sir William Page Wood (the Judge to whose Court the said cause is attached), by (the Judge to whose Court the said cause is attached), by Mr. William Panting (the Auctioneer appointed by the said Judge), at the George Inn, Malmesbury, in the county of Wilts, on Friday, the 21st day of December, 1855, at five o'clock, in the afternoon precisely: Certain freehold estates in the parishes of Malmesbury and Brockenbro', in the county of Wilts, consisting of three indecures of medare had containing the actual actual

inclosures of meadow land, containing ten acres, called Boakley Cliffe, and a close of arable land, called Upper Youngs, containing nine acres, three rouds, and seven perches.

Printed particulars and conditions of sale may be had at the offices of Messrs. Davies, Son, and Campbell, No. 17, Warwick-street, Regent-street, London; at the Angel Inn, Chippenham; the White Hart Inn, Cricklade; at the place of sale; and of the Auctioneer, at Malmesbury.

**T**O be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Blackburn v. Evans,  $a_f$ the Swan Ion, Stafford, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1856, at four o'clock in the afternoon, in one lot' by Mr. Samuel Henry Willder: Two pieces of freehold meadow and pasture land, called Picklestiches, or Swine's Gores, situate near Moss Pitt, in the parish of Castle Church, in the county of Stafford, con-taining 144 OR 90 or thereabouts

taining 14A. OR. 9P., or thereabouts.

Printed particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis), in London, of Messrs. Thomas White and Sons, Solicitors, No. 11, Bedford-row; of Mr. Edwin Smith, Solicitor, No. 2, Cloisters, Temple; and of Messrs. Nicholls and Doyle, Solicitors, No. 2, Verulam-buildings, Gray's-iun; and, in the country, of Mr. Hand, Solicitor, Stafford; of Mr. Bowen, Solicitor, Stafford; of Mr. Barber, Solicitor, Stafford; of the Auctioneer; and at the place of sale.

TO be sold by auction, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the causes McCulloch v. Gregory, and other causes supplemental thereto, with the approbation of the Judge to whose Court the said causes are attached, on Wednesday, the 20th day of February, 1856, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the Auction Mart, City. by Messrs. Chinnock and Galsworthy, the Auctioneers appointed to sell the same, in 15 lots, the following freehold estates, viz .:

Lot 1, the long-established public-house, Known as the Crown, situate in Oxford-street, directly opposite Totten-ham court-road. Lot 2, No. 37, High-street. Lot 3, No. 38, High-street. Lot. 4, Nos. 41 and 42. High-street. Lot No. 43, High-street. Lot 6, No. 44, High-street. Lot 38, High-street. I.ot. 4, Nos. 41 and 42. High-street. Lot 5, No. 43, High-street. Lot 6, No. 44, High-street. Lot 7, No. 46, High-street. Lot 8, No. 47, High-street. Lot 9, No. 48, High-street. Lot 10, Nos. 50 and 51, High-street. Lot 11. No. 24, Crown-street, and two tenements on the south side of Crown-place. Lot 12, a farrier's shop and stable, with tenement adjoining, with spacious shoeing-shed, and a coach-house and stable. Lot. 13, Nos. 25, 26, and 27, Crown-street. Lot 14, Nos. 28, 29, 30, and 31, Crown-street, Nos. 2, 3, 4. and 5, Regent's-place, and Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7, Burnet's-buildings. And Lot 15, Nos. 32 to 33, Crown-street, both inclusive, and Nos. 8, 9, 10, and 11, Burnet's-buildings. The aforesaid premises are let chiefly on lease, to respectable tenants, at rents amounting chiefly on lease, to respectable tenants, at rents amounting to  $\pounds 1,130$  per annum; and will be of the increased yearly value of  $\pounds 1,920$  (as estimated) on the expiration of a term of 19 years now unexpired, and to which the lots 1, 14, and 15 are subject.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be obtained (gratis) Particulars and conditions of sale may be obtained (gratis) of Messrs. Cooper and Hodgson, Solicitors, No. 3, Verulam-buildings, Gray's-inn; Mr. J. F. Elmslie. Solicitor, No. 47, Moorgate-street; Mr. Robert Fell, Solicitor, Old Jewry-chambers; Mr. W. D. Cooper, Solicitor, No. 81, Guildford-street; Mr. W. Ley, Solicitor, No. 44, Lincoln's-inn-fields; at the Crown; at the Auction Mart, City; and of Messrs. Chinnock and Galsworthy, Auctioneers and Land Surveyors, No. 20, Burgent etwart, Weitzlee Place. No. 20, Regent-street, Waterloo place.

In the Matter of George Charles Richard O'Gorman, late of Galvestone, in Texas, Esquire, deceased.

DURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the above matter, the persons claiming debts or liabilities affecting the estate of George Charles Richard O'Gorman, formerly of Dorset-street, Portman-square, in the county of Middlesex, but late of Galvestone, in Texas, in the United States of America, Esquire, who in Texas, in the United States of America, Esquire, who died in or about the month of September, 1853 (excepting creditors residing in Texas), are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 17th day of January, 1856, to come in and prove their debts or claims, 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. Thursday, the 24th day of January, 1856 at tradwe of deck at non- at the said day of January, 1856, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 11th day of December, 1855.

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DURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Mary Birds against George Askey and others, the heir at-law and next of kin of Thomas Hammond, late of Cheadle crescent, in the parish of Cheadle, in the county of Chester, Gentleman, who died in or about the month of April, 1852, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 22nd day of January, 1856, to come in and prove their claims, 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 Decree. Monday, the 28th day of January, 1856, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adju-dicating upon the claims.—Dated this 11th day of December, 1855.

**PURSUANT** to a Decree of the High Court of Chan-cery, made in a cause Mary Birds against George Askey and others, the creditors of Thomas Hammond, late of Cheadle-crescent, in the parish of Cheadle, in the county of Chester, Gentleman, who died in or about the month of of Chester, Gentleman, who died in or about the month of April, 1852, are by their Solicitors, on or before the 22nd day of January, 1856, to come in and prove their claims, 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 Decree. Monday, the 28th day of January, 1856, at three of the clock in the afternoon, at the said chambers; is ap-pointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.— Dated this 11th day of December, 1855.

**PURSUANT** to a Decree of the High Court of Chan-cery, made in a cause Mary Birds against George Askey and others, the creditors of Catherine Hammond. late of Cheadle-crescent, in the parish of Cheadle, in the county of Chester, widow of Thomas Hammond, late of the county of Chester, widow of Thomas Hammond, late of the same place, Gentleman, deceased, who died in or about the month of May, 1854, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 22nd day of January next, to come in and prove their claims, at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, Middleser, or in default thereof they will be preemptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Mondar the 98th day of Lunaer 1875 said Decree. Monday, the 28th day of January 1856, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims. --Dated this 11th day of December, 1855.

DURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chan-**D**URSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chan-cery, made in a cause Blagden against Sibery, the creditors of Francis Sibery, late of Long Clawson, in the county of Leicester, Surgeon, who died in or about the month of February, 1855, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 14th day of January, 1856, 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 Decree. Thursday, the 17th day of January, 1856, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the ciaims.—Dated this 5th day of December, 1855

JURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of Scott and others against ▲ cery, made in a cause of Scott and others against Robarts and others, all persons claiming to have any mort-gage or incumbrance affecting the life interest of John Hunter, late of Six Mile Bottom, near Newmarket, in the county of Cambridge, Esquire, but now residing at Bruges, in the Kingdom of Belgium, in the four houses Nos. 40, 41, 42 and 43, Gilbert-street, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, and in the sum of £2765 11s. 1d. new £3 per cents., late £3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> per cents., and affecting a policy of insur-ance in the Minerva Life Assurance Company for the sum of £3 000 on the life of the said John Hunter, being the of £3,000 on the life of the said John Hunter, being the hereditaments and premises comprised in the mortgage securities, dated the 14th day of November, 1845, and the securities, dated the 14th day of November, 1845, and the 4th day of March, 1848, in the pleadings of this cause men-tioned, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 14th day of January. 1856, to come in and prove their mortgages or incumbrances, 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. Monday, the 21st day of January, 1856, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 12th day of December, 1855.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chan-cery, made in the matter of the estate of Francis Tummons, late of Norbury Manor Farm, Streatham, in the county of Surrey, Farmer, deceased, and in a cause William Phillip Mellhuish and Mary Ann, his wife, plaintiff, against Elizabeth Tummons, widow, defendant, the creditors of the said Francis Tummons, who died in or about the the said Francis Tummons, who did in or about the month of November, 1855, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 10th day of January, 1856, to come in and prove their debts, at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Sir John Stuart, at No. 12, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middle-sex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Saturday, the 12th day of January, 1856, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and edjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 10th day of December, 1855.

URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chan Cery, made in the matter of the real and personal estate of Ann Gregory, of No. 7, Brunswick-terrace, Hackney-road, in the county of Middlesex, Widow, deceased, between John Keninmore Straker and others, plaintiffs, and William Hawkes and another, defendants, the creditors of the above-named Ann Gregory, the testathe creditors of the above-named Ann Gregory, the testa-trix in the proceedings named, who died in or about the month of May, 1855, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 17th day of January, 1856, to come in and prove their debts, 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. Thursday, the 24th day of January 1856, at tencho, or her be said January, 1856, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 10th day of December, 1855.

**PURSUANT** to a Decree of the High Court of Chan-cery, made in the causes John Wharton and others v. Thomas Richard Barker and others, Winifred Smith v. Christopher Cheshire and others, the next of kin of the testator, Peter Maddock, late of Witton, in the county of Chester, Gentleman, who died on the 14th day of May, 1825, at the time of the death of his surviving daughter, Manu (Semunit the mid of Late Utilar) who died the Mary (afterwards the wife of John Litler), who died on the 31st day of January, 1851, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 7th day of January, 1856, to come in and prove their kindred at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Siv William Page Wood, No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's inn, Middlener and the channel the and the parameterization Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Monday, the 14th day of January, 1856, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 10th day of December, 1855.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the Court of Chancery Consider the county palatine of Lancaster, made on the 28th day of November. 1855, in a cause James Mills, plaintiff, against Jesse Haworth, defendant, the persons claiming to be cousins, in the first degree, of John Clegg, late of Bury, in the county of Lancaster, Innkeeper, who died in or about the month of August, 1794, living at his death or born afterwards, and before the death of his widow. Martha Clegg, and the legal personal representatives of such of them as are since dead, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the as the since dead, are, by their solutions, on or before the lith day of January next, to come in and prove their claims, at the Office of the Registrar for the Liverpool District of the said Court of Chancery of the county palatine of Lancaster, situate at No. 4, Norfolk-street, Manchester, in the said county, or in default thereof they will be per-emptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree.— Dated this 11th day of December, 1855.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the Court of Chancery, of the county palatine of Lancaster, made on the 28th day of November, 1855, in a cause Thomas Jones, an infant, by Thomas Ashton his next friend, against Sarah Jones, the persons claiming to be next of kin of Thomas Jones, late of Salford, in the county palatine of Lancaster, Brassfounder, who died in or about the month of February. 1854, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 11th day of January, 1856, to come in and prove their claims at the office of the Registrar for the Liverpool District of the said Court of Chancery of the county palatine of Lancaster, situate at No. 4, Norfolk-street, Manchester, in the said county palatine; or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree.—Dated this 11th day of Daeember 1855 11th day of December, 1855.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the Court of Chancery of the county palatine of Lancaster, made on the 28th day of November, 1855, in a cause Thomas Jones, an infant, by Thomas Ashton, his next friend, against Sarah Jones, the creditors of Thomas Jones, late of Salford, in the county palatine of Lancaster, Brass Founder, who died in or about the month of February, 1854, are, by their Soli-citors, on or before the 11th day of January, 1856, to come in and prove their debts or claims, at the office of the Registrar for the Liverpool District of the said Court of Chancery of the county palatine of Lancaster, situate at No. 4, Nor-folk-street, Manchester, in the said county palatine, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree.—Dated this 11th day of December, 1825.

PURSUANT to a Decree or Order of the Court of Chan-Cerv, of the county palatine of Lancaster, made on the Ist day of December, 1855, in a cause, Samuel Knight, plaintiff, against Sarah Jackson and Mary Ellen Hanson, defendants, the creditors of Samuel Hanson, late of Winton, in the township of Barton-upon-Inwell, in the parish of Eccles, in the county palatine of Lancaster, Shoemaker, who died in or about the month of November, 1855, are by their

Solicitors, on or before the 11th day of January, 1856, to come in and prove their debts or claims, at the office of the Registrar for the Liverpool District, of the said Court of Chancery of the county palatine of Lancaster, situate at No. A, Norfolk-street, Manchester, in the said county palatine, or in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree or Order.—Dated this 11th day of December, 1855.

THIS is to give notice, that by indenture, bearing date the 16th day of November, 1855, James Keene, of No. 9, Clare-street, Clare-market, in the county of Middle-sex, Licensed Victualler, hath conveyed and assigned all his estate and effects whatsoever to John Murphy, of No. 20, Thrawl-street, Spitalfields, in the said county, Furniture Dealer, as trustee, upon trust, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said James Keene; and that the said inden-ture was duly executed by the said James Keene and John Murphy, on the said 16th day of November, in the presence of George Turner, of No. 30, Charles-street, City-road, in the said county of Middlesex, Solicitor; and the same lies for execution and inspection by such of the creditors who have not executed the same, at the office of the said George Turner, No. 30, Charles-street aforesaid.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture of assignment, hearing data the sub-N OTICE is bereby given, that by an indenture of assign-ment, bearing date the 8th day of December, 1855, James Thompson, of Leeds, in the county of York, Irou Founder, did grant, release, convey, and assign unto James Whitham, of Kirkstall-road, in the parish of Leeds, Iron Merchant, and Charles Auty, of Leeds aforesaid, Iron Master, their heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, all his real and personal estate and effects, upon trust, for the equal benefit of his creditors; the said indenture was executed by the said James Thompson, James Whitham, and Charles Auty, on the said 8th day of December instant, and attested by John Shackleton, of Leeds aforesaid, Soli-citor, and John Shackleton the younger, of the same place citor, and John Shackleton the younger, of the same place, his Clerk. And notice is bereby also given, that the said indenture now lies at the office of the undersigned, John Shackleton, Central Market-buildings, in Leeds aforesaid, for inspection and execution by such of the creditors of the said James Thompson as may choose to execute the same; and all such creditors as shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, or shall not consent threato in writing, within six calendar months from the date thereof, will be excluded from all benefit arising therefrom .- Dated this 11th day of December, 1855

JOHN SHACKLETON, Solicitor to the Trustees.

### William Young's Assignment

William Young's Assignment. NOTICE is hereby given, that by indenture, bearing date the 30th day of November, 1855, and made between William Young, of Broad Oak, in the parish of Brede, in the county of Sussex, Grocer and Draper, of the one part; and Edward Kenward, of Battle, in the said county, Draper, and John Bourne, of Salehurst, in the said county, Draper, and John Bourne, of Salehurst, in the said county, Farmer, of the other part; the said William Young has conveyed and assigned all his real and leasehold estate unto the said Edward Kenward and John Bourne, upon of assignment bearing even date therewith, and made hetween the said William Young, of the first part; the said Edward Kenward and John Bourne, of the second part; and the several other persons whose names and seals are therethe several other persons whose names and sears are incre-unto subscribed and set, being severally creditors of the said William Young, of the third part; the said William Young has assigned all his personal estate and the monies to arise from the sale of his said real and leasehold estate, unto the said Edward Kenward and John Bourne, upon trusts for the general benefit of his creditors; and the said several indentures were severally executed by the said William Young, and Edward Kenward, and John Bourne, on the said 30th day of November, the day of the date thereof; and the execution of the said several indentures by the said William Young, Edward Kenward, and John Bourne is duly attested by Nathaniel Polhill Kell, of Battle aforesaid, Solicitor; and the said indenture of assignment now lies for execution by the creditors of the said William Young, at the office of the said N. P. Kell, at Battle afore-said.— Dated the 30th day of November, 1855.

William Lowcock's Assignment. NOTICE is hereby given, that William Lowcock, of Skipton, in the county of York, Innkeeper, hath, by an indenture of assignment, bearing date the 29th day of No-vember, 1855, assigned all his personal estate and effects unto Thomas Mitchell, of Skipton aforesaid, Wine Merchant, and Forster Horner, of the same place, Lead Merchant, in trust, for the equal benefit of themselves, and such other of the creditors of the said William Lowcock, as shall execute the said indenture, or express their assent thereto in writing, within two calendar months from the date thereof; which said indenture was duly executed by the said William Low-cock, Thomas Mitchell, and Forster Horner respectively, on the day of the date thereof, in the presence of, and attested by, Thomas Heelis, of Skipton aforesaid, Solicitor, and Joseph Smith, his Clerk; and the same indenture is

now lying at the office of the said Thomas Heelis, in Skipton aforesaid, for the perusal and execution of the creditors of the said William Lowcock; and that such of them as shall not execute the same indenture, or assent thereto in writing, within the time limited for that purpose, will be excluded from all benefit arising therefrom. And notice is hereby further given, that all persons who stand indebted to the said William Lowcock, are forthwith to pay the amount of their several debts to the Assignces, or their Solicitor.— Skipton, 29th November, 1855.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by indenture, bearing date the 20th day of November, 1855, and expressed to be made between Jabez Curtis, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Woollen Draper, of the first part, Bartholomew Stretton and John Parry, both of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Merchants, and Samuel Marshall, of Sheffield aforesaid, Agent, of the second part; and the several other persons whose name and seals are thereunto subscribed and affixed (creditors of the said Jabez Curtis), of the third part; the said Jabez Curtis conveyed and assigned all his real and personal estate and effects to the said Bartbolomew Stretton, John Parry, and Samuel Marshall, in trust, for the equal benefit of the said creditors of the said Jabez Curtis; and that the said indenture was executed by the said Jabez Curtis, on the 20th day of November, 1855, in the presence of, and his execution is attested by, Henry Rodgers, of Sheffield aforesaid, Solicitor; and that the said indenture Shefiheld atoresaid, Solicitor; and that the said indenture was executed by the said Bartholomew Stretton and John Parry, on the 29th day of November, 1855, in the presence of, and their execution is attested by, William Lister Welsh, of Manchester aforesaid, Solicitor (residing at Chorley, in the county of Chester); and that the said indenture was executed by the said Samuel Marshall, on the 3rd day of December, 1855, in the presence of, and his execution is attested by, John Chambers, of Sheffield aforesaid, Solicitor; and the same indenture now lies at the office of Clave and the same indenture now lies at the office of Claye, Welsh, and Claye, Solicitors, No. 22, Princess-street, in Manchester, for inspection and execution by the said creditors.—Dated this 7th day of December, 1855.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by a deed, bearing date the 3rd day of December 1977 N 3rd day of December, 1855, Augustine Durrant, of Godalming, in the county of Surrey, Coach Builder, assigned all his personal estate and effects unto Richard Whitbourn the younger, of Godalming aforesaid, Banker's Clerk, his executors, administrators, and assigns, in trust, for the equal benefit of all the creditors of the said Augustine Jurrant, and which said deed was duly executed by the said Augustine Durrant and Richard Whitbourn the younger respectively, on the said 3rd day of December, 1855, in the presence of Rubert Edmund Mellersh, of Godalming aforesaid, Solicitor, who duly attested the same.—Dated this 3rd day of December, 1855.

N OTICE is hereby given, that Edward Gisborn, of the borough of Leicester, Plumber and Glazier, hath, by an indenture of grant and assignment, bearing date the 19th day of November, 1855, conveyed and assigned all his real and personal estate and effects to Henry Marris, of Leicester aforesaid, Accountant (but of abode at Kirby Muxloe, in the county of Leicester), the trustee thereunder, in trust, for the equal benefit of the creditors of the said Edward Gisborn, excepting those who refuse or neglect to execute or accede to the said indenture, within one calendar month after written notice, by or on behalf of the said trustee; the said indenture was duly executed by the said Edward Gisborn and Henry Marris respectively, on the said 19th day born and Henry Marris respectively, on the said 15th day of November, in the presence of, and attested by, Thomas Cape, of Leicester aforesaid, Attorney-at-Law and Solicitor, and James Goddard his Clerk, of Leicester aforesaid. And notice is hereby further given, that the said indenture is now at the office of the said Thomas Cape, No. 1, Hollier's-yard, Silver'street, in Leicester aforesaid, for inspection and exe-cution by the creditors of the said Edward Gisborn. All persons indebted to the said Edward Gisborn, are requested forthwith, to pay the amount of their respective debts, to the said Henry Marris, at his office, Loseby-lane, in Leices-ter aforesaid.—December 13, 1855.

ter aforesaid.—December 13, 1855. NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, bearing date the 16th day of November, 1855, and made between Joseph Clayton, of the Ship Taveru Vauxhall-bridge-road, in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler, of the first part; and John Lettsom Elliot and James Wat-ney, of the Stag Brewery, Pimlico, in the said county of Middlesex, Brewers and Copartners, of the second part; the several persons whose hands and seals were thereunto annexed and subscribed, creditors of the said Joseph Clay-ton, of the third part; and John Barton, of Cheltenham-place, Westminster-road, in the county of Surrey, Gentle-man, of the fourth part; whereby the said Joseph Clayton conveyed and assigned unto the said parties, of the second and fourth part, as trustees, all and every his stock in trade and fourth part, as trustees, all and every his stock in trade and all other his personal estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, upon the trusts in the said indenture men-tioned, for the benefit of the creditors of the said Joseph Clayton; and that the said indenture was duly executed by 2 D

the said Joseph Clayton and John Barton respectively, on the 16th day of November, 1855; by the said John Lettsom Elliott and James Watney respectively, on the 17th day of November, 1855; and the execution of the said indenture, by the said Joseph Clayton and John Barton respectively, is attested by Leopold David Lewis, of No. 4, Skinners-place, Sise-lane, in the city of London, Solicitor; and the execution thereof, by the said John Lettsom Elliot and James Watney respectively, is attested by Henry Smith Pownall, of Staple Inn, Holborn, in the said county of Mid-dlesex, Solicitor; and the said indenture now lies at my office, No. 4, Skinners-place, Sise-lane, London aforesaid, for execution by the creditors of the said Joseph Clayton. —Dated this 11th day of December, 1855. LEOPOLD DAVID LEWIS, Solicitor. the said Joseph Clayton and John Barton respectively, on

NOTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture, dated the 16th day of November, 1855, William Harmer, of Hawkhurst, in the county of Kent, assigned all his estate and effects to Thomas Simmons, of Crutch's Farm, Ickles-ham, near Winchelsea, in the county of Sussex, Farmer, and George Scott, of No. 56, Trinity-square, Southwark, in the county of Sussey Accountant work that for the horafic and George Scott, of No. 56, Trinity-square. Southwark, in the county o. Surrey, Accountant, upon trust, for the benefit of all his creditors; and that the said indenture was duly. executed by the said William Harmer and George Scott on the day of the date thereof, in the presence of, and such exe-cutions are attested by, William James Scott, of No. 36, Ludgate-street, in the city of London, Solicitor; and that such deed was duly executed by the said Thomas Simmons on the 22nd day of November, 1855, in the presence of, and such execution is attested by, Robert Young, of Battle, in the county of Sussex, Solicitor, and Joseph Maclean, Clerk to the said William James Scott; and that the said inden-ture is lying at the offices of the said William James Scott, situate as aforesaid, for execution by the creditors of the situate as aforesaid, for execution by the creditors of the said William Harmer.

OTICE is hereby given, that by an indenture bearing date the 17th day of November, 1855, John Bell Wright, of Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, Tailor and Draper, hath conveyed and assigned all his estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, unto Henry Lamb, of Wigan, aforesaid, Schoolmaster, as trustee, upon trust, for the benefit of all the creditors of him the said John Bell Wright, who shall execute the said indenture, rateably in proportion to the amount of their respective debts. And notice is hereby further given, that the said indenture was duly executed by the said John Bell Wright and Henry Lamb respectively, on the 19th day of November, 1855, in the presence of, and such executions are attested by, William Alexander Barrow, of Wigan aforesaid, Attorney and Soli-citor, at whose office in Wigan aforesaid, the said indenture now lies, for the execution of such of the creditors of the said John Bell Wright, as may choose to avail themselves of its provisions.

No DTICE is hereby given, that Daniel Carmichael, of No. 116, High-street, Marylebone, in the county of Middlesex, Grocer, by indenture, dated the 16th day of November, 1855, assigned unto Joseph Roberts, Charles Lees, and Robert William Tebbitt, of Leicester, Wholesale Grocers, as trustees for themselves and the rest of the orditors of the soid Durible Commissed all and simpler creditors of the said Daniel Carmichael, all and singular the stock in trade furniture, and all other effects of and belonging to the said Daniel Carmichael; and that the said indenture was executed by the said Daniel Carmichael, in the presence of, and attested by, me the undersigned ; and was also executed by the said Charles Levs, one of the said trustees, in the presence of, and attested by, Joseph Harvey, of Leicester aforesaid, Solicitor. And notice is hereby further given, that the said indenture now lies for signature by the creditors of the said Indentitie now nes for signal ture by the creditors of the said Daniel Carmichael, at the office of Mr. J. W. Melville, No. 24, Lawrence Pountney-lane, Connon-street, in the city of London.—Dated this 8th day of December, 1855. W. R. BUCHANAN, Solicitor, No. 1, Guildhall-chembers, Dation hell street, London ...

chambers, Basinghall-street, London.

OTICE is hereby given, that William Burcher, of Longhope, in the county of Gloucester, Shopkeeper, hath by indenture, bearing date the 14th day of November, 1855, assigned all his personal estate and effects, whatsoever and wheresoever, unto William Curtis, of the city of Glou-cester, Wholesale Grocer and Provision Merchant, upon trust, for the benefit of the creditors of the said William Burcher, who should execute the said indenture within two-months from the date thereof; which said indenture was duly executed by the said William Burcher and William Curtis, on the day of the date thereof, in the presence of, and attested by, William Bradley George, of the city of Gloucester aforesaid, Solicitor. And notice is hereby given, that the said indenture now lies for signature by the credi-tors of the said William Burcher, at the office of the undersigned, in Gloucester .- College-street, Gloucester, 6th December, 1855.

W. B.\_GEORGE, Solicitor,

Clapham-park Brewery, Acre-lane, Clapham. ESSRS. G. W. W. Mason and Sons will sell by auc-

MESSRS. G. W. W. Mason and Sons will sell by auc-tion, at the Mart, on Thursday, December 20. at twelve, in one lot, by order of the Court of Bankruptcy, on application of the Mortgagees: The eligible lease of the spacious premises of the Clapham-park Brewer, the whole occupying upwards of an acre in extent, together with the valuable plant, including 15-quarter mash tun, 33-barrel dome copper, 6-horse engine, two boilers, machinery, and all requisite utensils. The property may be viewed six days prior to the sale, and particulars had of Henry de Jersey, Esq., Solicitor, No. 2, St. Ann's-lane. St. Martin's-le-Grand; Messrs. Fresh-field, Solicitors, No. 5. New Bank-buildings, Lothbury; of George John Graham, Esq., Official Assignee, No. 25, Coleman-street; at the Mart; and of Messrs. G. W. W. Mason and Sons, No. 61, King William-street, London Bridge. Bridge,

In the Matter of David Halket, late of Saint Helen's-place' in the city of London, and now of Herne Bay, in the county of Kent, Ship Owner Merchant, and Insurance Broker

Broker. I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 2s. in the pound upon application at my office, as under, on Thursday the 13th instant, and the three following Thursdays, between the hours of eleven and twelve o'clock. No Dividend will be paid without the proving of the scattering archive archived at the time of proving 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.—December 8, 1855. H. H. STANSFELD, Official Assignee,

76A. Basinghall-street, London.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 2nd May, 1855, against Henry Oppenheim, of Ramsgate, Ship Chandler.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 1s. 8d. in the pound, is now payable, and A the rate of 1s. 8d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 20, Aldermanbury, City, on Wednesday next, between the hours of eleven and two. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities ex-hibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special direction of a Commissioner. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will and letters of administration under which they claim.—December 12, 1855. CHAS. LEE, Official Assignee.

Re John Dawson, of No. 143, High-street, Shadwell, in the county of Middlesex, Tobacconist. I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a First Dividend of 4s. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 3, Guildhall chambers, 31, Basinghall-street, on Tuesday the 11th of December, 1855, or any succeeding Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and two. No Divi-dend 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. WM, PENNELL, Official Assignee.

Re Thomas George Shaw and Joseph Lane, both of No. 55, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, and of Town Hall-buildings, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Wine Merchants and Copartners in Trade, under the style of T. G. Shaw and Co.

of T. G. Shaw and Co. I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 2s. 6d. in the pound, upon ap-plication at my office, No. 3, Guildhall-chambers. 31, Basinghall-street, on Tuesday, the 11th December, or any succeeding 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 debt Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim. WM. PENNELL, Official Assignce

Re Harriet Townsend, of No. 16, Charles-street, St. James's, Poulterer. HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a First Dividend of 1s. 4d. in the pound, upon application at a First Dividend of is. 4d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 3, Guildball-chambers, 31, Basingball street, on Tuesday the 11th of December or any succeeding Tues-day, between the hours of eleven and two. No Divi-dend 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 or the will or the letters of administration under which they claim claim.

WM, PENNELL, Official Assignee.

Re John Barrington Elworthy, of Bridgewater, Draper. HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a First Dividend of 7s. 1d. in the pound. upon application at my office, No. 3. Guildhall-chambers, 31, Basingha'l-street, ar Turning the libbe David David. on Tuesday the 11th of December, or any succeeding 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 debt. Executors and administrators will be require: to produce the pro-bate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim. WM. PENNELL, Official Assignce.

Re James Sivyer, of Stratford. Essex, Grocer. HEICEBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a Second Dividend of 1s. 10d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 3, Guildball-chambers, 31. Basingball-street, on Tuesday the 11th of December, 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. Execu-tors and administrators will be required to produce the produce the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

#### WM. PENNELL, Official Assignee.

Re Thomas and Edward Scully, of Nos. 103 and 104, Curtain-road, Shoreditch, in the county of Middlesex, Wholesale Cheesemongers.

HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive ▲ proved their debts under the above estate may receive a First Dividend of 3s. 8d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 3, Guildhall chambers, 31, Basinghall-street, on Tuesday the 11th day of December, 1855, or any succeeding Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and two of the clock. No Dividend will be paid with-out the production of the securities exhibited at the time of energies the debt. For extent and educitation will be 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. WM. PENNELL, Official Assignee.

Re Francis Blackwell, of Peterborough, in the county of Northampton, Currier and Leather Seller.

Northampton, Currier and Leather Seller. I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a First Dividend of 3s. 4d. in the pound, upon ap-plication at my office, No. 3, Guildhall-chambers, 31, Basing-hall-street, on Tuesday the 11th December instant, or any subsequent Tuesday, 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 the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administra-tion under which they claim.

#### WM. PENNELL, Official Assignee.

#### Re Turnbull, Forbes, and Co. of Broad-street, London, Merchants.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a Final Dividend of  $0_{1_0}^1$ d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 3, Guildhall-chambers, 31, Basinghall street, my office, No. 3, Guildail-chambers, 31, Basinghall street, on Tuesday the 11th December, or any succeeding Tuesday, 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. Exe-cutors and administrators will be required to produce the product of the will or the letters of administration under which they alaim which they claim.

#### WM. PENNELL, Official Assignee.

Re Joseph Brooks, of Bocking, in the county of Essex,

Wheelwright.

HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a First Dividend of Is. 3d. in the pound, upon a plication at my office, No. 3, Guildhall-chambers, 31, Basughall-street, on Tuesday, the 11th December, or on any sub-sequent 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 debt. Execu-tors and admunistrators will be required to produce the tors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

#### WM. PENNELL, Official Assignee.

Re James Willson Pearl, of Milton-street, Dorset-square, Middlesex, Horse Dealer. HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a First Dividend of 31. in the pound, upon application at my office, No.3, Guildhall-chambers. 31. Basinghall street, on Tnesday the 11th of December, or any subsequent Tues-day, 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.

#### WM. PENNELL, Official Assignee.

Re Charles Frederick Tibbs, America-square, Lonlon,

Ship Owner. HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive • proven their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 20s, and interest in the pound, upon ap-plication at my office, No. 3, Guildhall-chambers, 31, Ba-singhall-street, on Tuesday the 11th December, or any succeeding Tuesday, 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 required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim. WM. PENNELL Official Assignce.

Estate of William Piggotr, of Great Eversden, in the county

Estate of William Piggott, of Great Eversden, in the county of Cambridge, Geueral-shop Keeper and Corn Factor. THE creditors who have proved ther debts under the above Petition of Bankruptcy may receive their warrants for the First Dividend of  $4\frac{3}{2}d$ . 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 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 Assiguee.

Estate of James Martyr, of Union-street, Borough, of Southwark, Ironmonger. THE creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition of Bankruptcy, may receive their warrants for the First Dividend of 5s. 1d. in the pound, on Thursday next, and three following Thursday, between the Thursday next, and three following Thursday, between the hours of eleven and two o'clock, 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.

Estate of Peter Claussen, late of No. 7, and now of No. 9. Newman-street, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex. Manufacturer.

THE creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition of Bankruptcy may receive their warrants for the First Dividend of 2s. 2<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>d. in the pound, on Thursday next, and three following Thursdays, between on Intracay next, and three following Intracays, 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 se-curities 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.

In the Matter of Pemble Browne, of No. 75, Grosvenorstreet, Bond-street, in the county of Middlesex, and of No. 3, Park-place, Charlton, in the county of Kent, Wine Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, formerly trading in partnership at Melbourne, Victoria, Australia, with John Edwards Browne, as a General Merchant, and latery trading in partnership with Charles Serrant Walsh, of No. 75, Grosvenor-street aforesaid, Wine Merchant, deceased, against whom a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 25th day of July, 1855, is filed.

THOSE creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition, may receive their warrants for the First Dividend of 3s. 7d. in the pound, any Wednesday, between eleven and three o'clock, on application at my office No. 2, Basinghall-street. No warrant can be delivered without t e 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.

In Re Peter Ward, of Harrington, in the county of Cum-berland, Alkali Manufacturer, against whom a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 9th of February, 1855, was duly filed. HEREBY give notice, that a First Dividend, at the rate of 1s. 6d. in the pound, may be received by all the creditors who have proved their debts under the bars water at mu office Rourd Arade. Naw usuals

above estate, at my office, Royal Arcade, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on Saturday, the 15th instant, or on any sub-sequent Saturday, between ten and three. 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 letters of administration under which they claim.—December 7, 1855. THOMAS BAKER, Official Assignee, Neuroscile upon Trug

### Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

In Re James Ogle Holmes and Young Lowson Marshall, of

In Re James Offer Former and Found Lowson Marsual, of Studerland, Timber Merchants, against whom a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 17th February, 1852, was duly filed.
HEREBY give notice, that a First and Final Dividend, at the rate of 20s, in the pound, may be received by all the creditors who have proved their debts under the separate estate of Young Lowson Marshall, one of the above-parate barbarrate. named bankrupts, at my office, Royal-arcade, Newcastle-apon-Tyne, on Saturday, the 15th instant, or any subsequent Saturday, between the hours of ten and three o'clock. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Execu-tors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.—December 7, 1855. THOMAS BAKER, Official Assignee, Neuroscito upon Tuno

## Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

W HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, was, on the 6 h day of July, 1852, filed and entered of record in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District against Robert Peare Stephens, of Liver-pool, in the county of Lancaster, Ship Owner, Dealer and Chapman; this is to give notice, that by au order of Henry James Perry, E-q., one of the Commissioners of the said Court, bearing date the 12th day of December, 1855, such Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was dismissed, and Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was dismissed, and the adjudication thereunder annulled.

W HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptey, filed the 12th day of December, 1855, har: been pre-sented against Robert Blore, of No. 13, Great Russell-street, Bloonsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Picture Dealer, Carver and Gilder, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to Joshua Evans, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Com-missioners of the Court of Bankruptey, on the 27th of De-cember instant, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, and on the 31st of January uext, at twelve at noon precisely, at the the 31st of January uext, at twelve at noon precisely, and on the 31st of January uext, at twelve 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 debis, and at the first sitting to choose assig iees, 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. Bell, No. 3, Coleman-street-buildings, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed and give notice to Mr. E. Blyth, Solicitor, No. 10, St. Swithin's-lane.

W HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptey was, on the 11th day of December, 1855, filed against Samuel Proby Ekia, now of Godmanchester, in the county of Huntingdon, out of business, formerly of Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge, Soda Water Manufac-bridge, in the county of Cambridge, Soda Water Manufac-turer and Tohacconist, Dealer and Chapman, and he having been declared bankrupt, is hereby required to sur-render himself to Edward Holroyd. Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptey, on the 21st day of December instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoun precisely, and on the 29m day of Lanuary next on the 21st day of December instant, at eleven o clock in the forenoon precisely, and on the 22nd day of January next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Ba-singhall-street, in the city of London, and make a full dis-covery 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. 20, Aldermanbury, London, the Official Assignee in the matter of this bankruptcy, and give notice to Messrs. Sewell, Fox, and Sewell, Solicitors, Gresham house, Old Broad-street, Lon-don, or to Mr. Martin Hunnybun, Solicitor, Huntingdon.

W HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bank-rupicy, hearing date the 13th day of December, 1855, hath been made against Edwin Verdon Blyth and William Henry Goddard, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, carrying on basiness as Merchants under the firm of E. V. Blyth and Goddard, Brothers, and they being declared bankrupts are hereby required to surrender being declared bankrupts are hereby required to surrender themselves to John Baiguy, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Com-missioners of the Birmingham District Court of Bank-ruptcy, at Birmingham, on the 7th and 28th days of January next, at halt past ten in the forenoon, on each day, 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 as-

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signees, 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. James Christie, No. 7, Waterloo-street. Birmingham, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. William Henry Rece, Solicitor, Birmingham.

W HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptey, bearing date the 23th day of November, 1855, hath been filed against William Wathen, of the parish of Saint Nicholas. in the city of Hereford, Upholsterer, and he being declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to John Balguy, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptey, at Birmingham, on the 29th of December instant, and on the 19th day of January next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, on each day, 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. Thomas Bittleston, No. 29, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, the Official Assignee, whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Messrs. Bodenham and James, Solicitors, Hereford, or Messrs. Motteram and Knight, Solicitors, Birmingham.

W HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptey, bearing date the 11th day of December, 1855, hath been filed by William Insull, of Stone-street, Dudley, in the county of Wore-ster, Stationer, Bookseller, News Agent, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to John Balguy, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptey, at Birmingham, on the 26th day of December instant, and on the 16th day of January next, at half past 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 ereditors 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 nor to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Frederick Whitmore, No. 7, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed, and give notice to Mr. George Burn Lowe, Solicitor, Dudley, or to Messrs. E. and H. Wright, Solicitors, Birmingham.

W HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was filed on the 10th day of December, 1855, in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Manchest.r, against James Whittaker and John Ellison, of Church, near Accrington, in the county of Lancaster, Ironfounders and Millwrights, Dealers and Chapmen, now or lately carrying on business in copartnership with Samuel Priestley, 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 8th and 28th day of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon on each day, 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. James Stansall Pott, Charlottestreet, Manchester, the Official Assignee whom the Commissioner has appointed to receive the same, and give notice to Messrs. Higson and Robinson, Solicitors, No. 44, Cross-street, Manchester.

JOSHUA EVANS, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 24th of May, 1855, against Henry Cox, of London-street, Reading, in the county of Berks, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 3rd day of January next, at half past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, to take the Last Examination of the said bankrupt; when and where he is required to surrender himself, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, and finish his examination; and the creditors who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same.

**E** DWARD GOULBURN, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 19th day of December, 1855, against John Overbury, of Frederickplace, Old Jewry, in the city of London, Woollen Warehouseman, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 29th of

December instant, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, 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.

HENRY JAMES PERRY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 18th day of May, 1855, against William Williams, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Tailor and Draper, will sit on the 26th of December instant, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, in Liverpool, 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.

HENRY JAMES PERRY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 31st day of August, 1854, against Thomas Parker, of Southport, in the county of Lancaster, Hotel Keeper, will sit on the 24th day of December instant, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, at Liverpool, Lancashire, 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.

HENRY JAMES PERRY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankrupicy, filed the 13th day of October, 1855, against Jonathan Ogden, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Tailor and Draper, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 24th day of December instant, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, Liverpool, in order to Audit the Accounts of the Assignees of the estates and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said Petition, pursuant to the Acts of Parliament made and now in force relating to bankrupts

HENRY JAMES PERRY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 9th day of August, 1855, by Louis Ahlborn, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Toy Dealer, will sit on the 24th day of December instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the District Court of Bankruptcy, Liverpool, 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.

E DWARD HOLROYD. Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 14th day of July, 1855, against Auguste Silvestre, of No. 24, Argyllstreet, Regent-street, in the county of Middlesex, Importer of, and Dealer in Fancy Goods, trading under the name of A. Silvestre and Co., will sit on the 8th day of January next, at one in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, London, 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.

E DWARD HOLROYD, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 18th day of November, 1850, against Ann Elizabeth Hickman, of No. 1, Cannon-street-road, Saint George's-in the-East, in the county of Middlesex, and Moses John Hickman, of No. 1, Princes place, Saint George's-in-the-East, atoresaid, Undertakers, carrying on business at those places under the firm of A. E. Hickman and Son, will sit on the 8th day of January next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to make a Dividend of the separate estate and effects of Moses John Hickman, one of the said bankrupts; 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.

**R** OBERT GEORGE CECIL FANE, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 30th day of June, 1854, against William Paton, of Bread-street, in the city of London, Warehouseman, Dealer and Chapman, will sit on the 4th day of Januury next, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, 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.

W HEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 4th day of October, 1855, and now in prosecution against Gustave Louis Longfils, of No. 5, Pilgrim-street, Ludgate-hill, in the city of London, Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Joshua Evans, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 4th day of January next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of 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, initialed "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.

W HEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptey, filed on the 8th day of May, 1855, and now in prosecution against John Vatas Simpson, of Nos. 14 and 15, St. Swithin's-lane, in the city of London, and of Herne Bay, in the county of Kent, Bill Broker and Commission Agent, has on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Joshua Evans, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankrupty, on the 4th day of January next, at half past eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankrupty, Basinghall-street, in the city of 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 thriteenth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, initialed "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 gurpose 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 courtary, or such other order will be made therein as the justice of the case may require.

W HEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptey, filed on the 10th day of August, 1855, and now in prosecution against Charles Merit Rigg, late of No. 1, Crane-court, Albion-road, Holloway, in the county of Middlesex, but now of No. 71, Upper Stamford-street, Blackfriars, in the county of Surrey, Apothecary and Vendor of Medicines, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Robert George Cecil Fane, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptey, on the 4th day of January next, at two of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptey, in Basinghallstreet, in the city of 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, inituled "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849;" this is to give notice, that such Commissioner 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 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.

W HEREAS the Court, authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition on which adjudication of Bankruptcy was made on the 26th day of October, 1855, and now in prosecution against Joseph Thomas, of No. 2, Catherine-street, Strand, and of Wnite Hart-street, Drurylane, both in the county of Middlesex, Newspaper Proprietor, Printer and Publisher; Trader, Dealer and Chapman, and residing at No. 33, Finsbury-square, in the said county of Middlesex, has, on the application of the said bankrupt, appointed a public sitting under such Petition, to be held before Robert George Cecil Fane, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of the Court of Bankruptcy, on the 4th day of January next, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city o' London, for the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupts' 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 Maiesty, intituled "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.

NOTICE is hereby given that Richard Stevenson, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptey, filed on the 31st day of August, 1855, against William Roxburgh, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Insurance Broker, Commission Agent, Dealer and Chapman, will, pursuant to "The Bankrupt Law Consolidation Act, 1849," sit on the 4th day of January next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the Liverpool District Court of Bankruptey, in Liverpool, for the allowance of a Certificate of conformity to the said bankrupt, under the said Petition. Any of the creditors of the said bankrupt, who shall have given due notice of his or their intention to oppose, may at such sitting be heard against the allowance of such Certificate, pursuant to the Statute in such case made and provided.

OHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptey, bearing date the 3rd day of September, 1855, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptey, at Birmingham, by John Graoville Hopkinson, of the town of Nottingham, Beerhouse Keeper, Dealer and Chapman, appointed a public sitting for the allowance of the Certificate under such Petition for adjudication of Bankruptey, to be holden on the 8th day of January next, at half past twelve of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptey, at Nottingham; 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 6th day of February, 1855, against David Halket, late of Saint Helen's-place, in the city of London, and now of Herne Bay, in the county of Kent, Ship Owner, Merchant, and Insurance Broker, did. on the 28th day of November, 1855, allow the said David Halket a Certificate of the second class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be daily 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, filed on the 11th day of December, 1854, against William Joyce, of Greenwich, in the county of Kent, Engineer, Ship Builder and Ironfounder, Dealer and Chapman, trading under the style or firm of William Joyce and Company, did, on the 12th day of June last, suspend the allowance of the Certificate of the said bankrupt for six months which period of suspension having now elapsed, the said Court did, on the 13th day of December instant, allow the said William Joyce 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 Bankruptey, filed on the 10th day of February, 1855, against Samuel King, of Backland, in the county of Berks, Wheelwright, and Charles King, of Draycott-moor, in the same county, Wheelwright, and both of Cowley, in the county of Oxford, Builders and Copartners, did, on the 30th day of May last allow the said Samuel King 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 Bankruptey, filed on the 10th day of February, 1855, against Samuel King, of Bucklands, in the county of Berks, Wheel-wright, and Charles King, of Draycott Moor. in the same county. Wheelwright, and both of Cowley. in the county of county. Wheelwright, and both of Cowley, in the county of Oxford, Builders and Copartners, did on the 30th day of May, 1855, suspend the allowance of the Certificate of Charles King, one of the said bankrupts, for six months from the 25th day of April last, which period of suspension. having now elapsed, the said Court did, on the 26th day of Octoher, 1855, allow the said Charles King a Certificate of the third class; and that such Certificate will be delivered `.;

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to the said bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judament 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 Bank-ruptcy, filed on the 7th day of June 1855, against Henry Andrews Simon, of No. 1, Albion-road, Wandsworth-road, in the county of Surrey, Boarding house Keeper, Dealer and Chapman, did on the 12th day of December, 1855, allow the said Henry Andrews Simon a Certificate of the third cluster and that such Carrifecte will be delivered to the said 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 pro-secution of a Petition for adjadication of Bankruptcy, Filed on the 12th day of September, 1855, against Frederick William Fawcett (otherwise Francis William Fawcett), and William Parrott, of No. 14, Lisle street, Leicester-square, London, Wholesale Boot and Shoe Manufacturers, did on the 6th day of December instant, allow the said bankrupts a Certificate of the third class; and that such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupts, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

HIS is to give notice, that Nathaniel Ellison, Esquire, the Commissioner acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed on the 1st day of August, 1855, against Solomon Clegg and James day of August, 1855, against Solomon Clegg and James Fox, of the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, carrying on business in Copartnership as Woollen Manu facturers, Bag Merchants, Dealers and Chapmen, did, on the 11th day of December, 1855, adjudge that a Certificate of conformity as of the second class be allowed to the said James Fox, one of the said bankrupts, subject to suspension until the 11th day of February, 1856, when such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt unless an appeal be duby entered against the indugment of such Caury and notice duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

THIS is to give notice, that Nathaniel Ellison, Esquire, the Commissioner acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptey, filed on the 1st day of A gust, 1855, against Solomon Clegg and James Fox, of the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, carrying on business in copartnership as Woollen Manu-facturers, Rag Merchants, Dealers and Chapmen, did on the ٩. 11th day of December instant, adjudge that a Certificate of Solomon Clegge, one of the said class be allowed to the said solomon Clegge, one of the said bankrupts, subject to a sus-pension until the 11th day of February next, when 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.

OTICE is hereby given, that the Court authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 27th day of August, 1855, against Audrew Dempster, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Stone Mason and Builder, did, on the 6th day of December, 1855, allow the said Andrew Dempster a Certificate of the first 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 other such the such the such thereof be given to the said Court.

N OTICE is hereby given, that the Court authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptey, filed on the 2nd day of July, 1855, against John Crippin and William Robinson Forster, of Rock Ferry, in the county of Chester, and of Liverpool, in the county of Lan-caster, Ferry Proprietors, Coal Merchauts and Copartners, Dealers and Chapmen, did on the 26th day of November 1855, allow the said William Robinson Forster, one of the above-named bankrupts, a Certificate of the second ccass; and such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt. and such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrup, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of such Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

M ARTIN JOHN WEST, Esq., one of the Commis-sioners of Her Maje-ty's Cou t of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed against Thomas Potter, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Hosier, hath allowed to the said bankrupt, a Certificate of con-formity of the third class, hearing date the Sth day of Dreember, 1855; and such Certificate will be delivered to the said bankrupt at the expiration of twenty-one days from the date hereof, unless an appeal be duly entered against the same.

against the same. OHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Com-missioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Rankruptcy, bearing date the 28th day of September, 1855, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, by George Poyser, of Derby, in the county of Derby. Boot and Shoe Manufac-turer, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 11th day of December allow the said George Poyser 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. be given to the Court.

**J**OHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Com-missioners authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 8th day of October, 1855, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy at Birmingham, by Edward Ashwell, of Gosberton, in the county of Lincoln, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, did, on the 11th day of December, allow the said Edward Ashwell 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.

**J**OHN BALGUY, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Com-missioners authorized to act under a Perition for adjudication in Bankruptcy, bearing date the 16th day of May, 1855, and filed in Her Majesty's District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, by James Tomlinson, of the town and county of the town of Nottingham, Timber Merchant, did, on the 11th day of December, allow the said James Tomlinson a Certificate of the third 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.

THE creditors of William Thomas Sadler, formerly of Houghton Down, near Stockbridge, in the county of Southampton, Trainer of Horses, and late of Stockbridge, in the same county, out of business, and rate of Stockbridge, in the same county, out of business, an Insolvent Debtor, are desired to meet on Thursday, the 3rd day of January next, at three of the clock in the afternoon of that day, at the Grosvenor Arms Hotel, Stockbridge aforesaid, in order to assent to or dissent from the assignce of the said insolvent proceeding to a sale of the reversionary estate and interest of the said insolvent in and to freehold estates, situate within the counties of Berks and Oxford.—Dated this 13th day of December, 1855.

## In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Kingston-upon-Hull. THE creditors of Thomas Addison, late and now of No. 97, Porter-street. in the town or borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Chemist and Druggist, and Dealer in Confectionary and Cigars, who are legally entitled, may receive a Dividend of 2s. 64d. in the pound, by applying at my office, No. 36, Salthouse-lane, in Kingston-upon-Hull, on any day (Sunday excepted), between the hours of ten and four o'clock.—Hull, December 8, 1855. CHAS. H. PHILLIPS, Official Assignce.

In the County Court of Lancashire, at Liverpool. DIVIDEND of 1s. in the pound is payable to the creditors of John Povah, of No. 248, Mill-street, Toxteth Park, in the county of Lancaster, Edge Tool Toxteth Park, in the county of Lancaster, Edge Tool Manufacturer, an insolvent debtor, upon application at my office, No. 3, Lime-street, Liverpool, on any Mouday, between the hours of eleven and one of the clock. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the se-curities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Ex-ecutors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.—December 11, 1855. WILLIAM STATHAM. Official Assignce.

### WILLIAM STATHAM, Official Assignee.

In the County Court of Lancashire, at Liverpool.

In the County Court of Lancashire, at Liverpool. **A** DIVIDEND of 4s.  $9\frac{3}{4}d$ . in the pound is payable to the creditors of John Cross, late of No. 5, Beving-ton-hill, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Bricklayer and Licensed Victualler, an insolvent debtor, upon appli-cation at my office, No. 3, Lime-street, Liverpool, on any Monday, 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 are required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.— December 11, 1855. WILLIAM STATHAM, Official Assignee.

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In the County Court of Lancashire, at Liverpool. DIVIDEND of 1s. 4<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>d. in the pound is payable to the creditors of James Edward Stevens, late of No. 1, Everton Brow, in the township of Everton, near Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer and Provision Dealer. in the county of Lancaster, Grocer and Provision Dealer, an insolvent debtor, upon application at my office, No. 3, Lime-street, Liverpool, on any Monday, 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.—December 11,1855. WILLIAM STATHAM, Official Assignee.

In the County Court of Lancashire, at Liverpool.

A DIVIDEND of 11d. in the pound is payable to the creditors of Ambrose Veevers, late of Walton-road, Kirkdale, in the county of Lancaster, Beer-house Keeper, Cart Owner, and Contractor, an insolvent debtor, upon application at my office, No. 3, Lime-street, Liverpool, on any Monday, between the hours of eleven and one 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 are required to produce the which they claim.—December 11, 1855. WILLIAM STATHAM, Official Assignee.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Newport. In the Matter of George Hyde, an Insolvent Debtor. A DIVIDEND of 14d. in the pound is now payable to the creditors of the above insolvent, and may be re-ceived at the County Court Office, in Newport, any day after the 12th of December, 1855, between the hours of ten and four of the clock.

#### FREDK. BLAKE, Clerk,

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Newport, In the Matter of John Atkins Tayler, an Insolvent Debtor.

A DIVIDEND of 4s.  $5\frac{1}{4}d$ . in the pound is now payable to the creditors of the above insolvent, and may be received at the County Court Office, in Newport, and day day after the 12th of December, 1855, between the hours of ten and four of the clock.

#### FREDK. BLAKE, Clerk.

WHEREAS a Petition of Alfred Watts, of Feltwell, in the county of Norfolk, Shoemaker, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Norfolk, at Thetford, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Alfred Watts, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Alfred Watts is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 27th day of December instant, at eleven of the clock in the fore-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' assignment is to take place at the choice of the creditors' assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Alfred Watts, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Thomas Collins, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Thetford, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

W HEREAS a Petition of John Brown, now and for the last eleven years residing at Kingmead, in the parish of Somerford Parva, in the county of Wilts, Millwright, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Wiltshire, at Malmesbury, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said John Brown under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said John Brown In that case made and provided, the said John Brown is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 14th day of January 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' assignces is to take place of the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said and the choice of the creators assignees is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said John Brown, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Thomas Chubb, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Malmesbury, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said incolumnt. insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Charles Roberts, of Tumby W Woodside in the parish of Tumby, in the county of Lincoln, Jobber and Buyer and Seller of Stock on Commis-sion, in lodgings there with Mr. Thomas Roberts, an insol-vent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Lincolnshire, at the Court-house, Horncastle, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said Charles Roberts, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Charles Roberts is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the No. 21828.

9th of January next, at twelve 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 inducted to the scill Charles Robert on that have any of his indebted to the said Charles Roberts, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Richard Clitherce, Clerk-of the said Court, at his office, at Horncastle, the Official Assignce of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of Christopher Edmondson, of Addingham, near Skipton, Yorkshire, Factory Labourer, and previously of the same place, Commission Weaver, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Yorkshire, at Skipton, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the seid Christopher Edmonder, under the previsione of the order for protection from process having been given to the said Christopher Edmondson, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said Christo-pher Edmondson is hereby required to appear, before the said Court, on the 21st day of December instant, at ten 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' assignces is to take place at the time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said time so appointed. All persons indebted to the said Christopher Edmondson, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Charles Carr, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Skipton, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent.

WHEREAS a Petition of James Vanghan, at present W and for seven years and upwards now last past, residing at North Malvern, in the parish of Great Malvern, in the county of Worcester, and being a Horse Fly Pro-prietor, an insolvent debtor, having been filed in the County Court of Worcestershire, at Upton-upon-Severn, and an interim order for protection from process having been given to the said James Vaughan, under the provisions of the Statutes in that case made and provided, the said James Vaughan is hereby required to appear before the said Court, on the 7th day of January next, 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 James Vaughan, or that have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to Mr. Thomas Tyndale Gough, Clerk of the said Court, at his office, at Upton-upon-Severn, the Official Assignee of the estate and effects of the said insolvent of the said insolvent.

In the Matter of the Petition of Jane Haigh, from June, 1849, to February, 1850, residing at Paddock, in the parish of Huddersfield, in the county of York, and from the latter time to the present residing at Bridgegate, Milnsbridge, in the parish of Almondbury, in the county of York, and during both of the periods aforesaid, carry-ing on the business of a Retail Grocer and Provision Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Vorkshire, at Huddersfield, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 27th day of December 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 John Butcher, for four days last past residing in Heaton's-yard, Masbro, in the parish of Rotherham, in the county of York, and for twenty-one days immediately preceding at New York, in the town-ship of Brinsworth, in the said parish of Rotherham, and being a Stone Mason, and previously and for ten years and upwards of the Black Bull Inn, in Masbro-street, in the said ensuith ensuith ensuits of Botherham. the said parish of Rotherham, Inn Keeper and Stone Mason

Mason. N OTICE is hereby given, that William Walker, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Yorkshire, at Rotherham, acting in the matter of this Petition, will pro-ceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 28th day of December instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the content of the said there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of John Peters, of Broadway, in the county of Dorset, formerly carrying on there the business of a Beer Retailer and Tailor, and for six months last past there carrying on the business of a Tailor, Cattle Dealer, and Cider Merchant. NOTICE is hereby given, that Edward Everett, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Dorset, at Weymouth, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 10th day of January next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoom precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the precisely, unless cause be then and there shewn to the contrary.

In the Matter of the Petition of Edward Booth, at present and for six years and eleven months last past, residing at the Mersey Tayen, situate and being in Green lane, in the township of Tranmere, in the parish of Bebington, in the county of Chester, and during six years and nine months of such period, carrying on business there as a Beerseller, and also during five years of the same period, working as a Journeyman Slater and Plasterer, and for the remainder of the said period, working on his own account,

remainder of the said period, working on his own account, as a Slater and Plasterer, an Insolvent Debtor. NOTICE is hereby given, that the County Court of Cheshire, at Birkenhead, acting in the matter of this Petition, will proceed to make a Final Order thereon, at the said Court, on the 4th day of January next, at ten of the clock in the forehoon precisely, unless cause be there and there there to the continue of the set of then and there shewn to the contrary.

WILLIAM FURNER, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Sussex, at Arundel, authorized to act under a Petition of Insolvency presented by William Marshall, of Ferry-road, Littlehampton, in the county of Sussex, Baker, will sit on the 22nd day of December instant, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Townball, Arandel, to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said insolvent; 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.

WILLIAM FURNER, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Sussex, at Arundel, authorized to act under a Petition of Insolvency presented by Edward Mitchell, of High-street, Littlehampton, in the county of Sussex, Boot and Shoe Maker, will sit on the 22nd day of December instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Townhall, Arundel, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said insolvent; 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.

WILLIAM FURNER, Esq., Judge of the County W ILLIAM FURNER, Esq., Judge of the County Court of Sussex, at Arundel, authorized to act under a Petition of Insolvency presented by Edward Pepper, formerly of Littlehampton, in the county of Sussex, Grocer, Clothier, and General-shop Keeper, then of Littlehampton aforesaid, Tailor, but now and for four months and three weeks last past, of Catsfield, in the county of Sussex, Grocer and Tailor, will sit on the 22nd day of December instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Townhall, Arundel, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said insolvent; 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.

THE estates of Alexander Turner, Builder, in Glasgow, and sometime Superintendent of Fire Engines there, were sequestrated on the 11th December, 1855. The first deliverance is dated the 11th December, 1855.

The Lord Ordinary has nominated and appointed David Edmund Outram, Accountant in Glasgow, Interim Factor on the estate, and has granted Warrant of Protection to the said Alexander Turner against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of the creditors for the election of a Trustee.

The meeting to elect a Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, on Tuesday the 25th day of December, 1855, within the Globe 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 debt must be lodged on or before the 11th day of April, 1856.

of April, 1850. All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone. JOHN WALLS, S.S.C., Agent, 9, London-street, Edinburgh,

THE estates of John Davie Martin, of Brotherton, Wood Merchant. Cattle Dealer. Dairyman and Dealer in Merchant, Cattle Dealer, Dairyman, and Dealer in Farm Produce, formerly residing at Gavieside, and now at Brotherton House, in the parish of West Calder, and county of Edinburgh, were sequestrated on the 11th day of December, 1855.

The first deliverance is dated 11th December, 1855. The Lord Ordinary on the Bills has nominated and appointed James Maclean Macandrew, Accountant, Edinappointed James Maclean Macandrew, Accountant, Edin-burgh, Interim Factor on the said estates, and has granted Warrant of Protection to the said John Davie Martin 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 at one o'clock afternoon, on Thursday the 27th day of December, 1855, within Stevenson's Rooms, No. 4, St. Andrew square, Edinburgh.

St. Andrew-square, 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 11th day of April, 1856. All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone. JAMES SOUTER, W.S., Agent, 80 Great King-street Edinburgh

80, Great King-street, Edinburgh.

THE estates of Alexander Diey, Coach Proprietor, Regent-terrace, Meuse, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on the 7th day of December, 1855.

The first deliverance is dated the 7th day of December,

1855. The Lord Ordinary, on the same day, nominated and appointed George Murray, Accountant, in Edinburgh, Interim Factor on the estate, and also granted Warrant of Protection to the said Alexander Diey 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, within Dowells and Lyon's Rooms, 18, George-street, Edinburgh, on Monday, the 24th day of December current, at one o'clock afternoon. To entile creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and

current, at one o'clock afternoon. To entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 7th day of April, 1856. All future Advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone. J. B. DOUGLAS, W.S. Agent, 6 Fettes-row Edinburgh.

6, Fettes-row, Edinburgh.

THE estates of Duncan M'Nab, Sheep and Cattle Dealer residing at Shirrabeg, in the parish of Laggan, and county of Inverness, were sequestrated on the 8th day of December, 1855.

The first deliverance is dated the 8th day of December, 1855.

The Lord Ordinary has appointed Charles Stewart, Soli-citor, Inverness, Interim Factor on the estate, and has granted Warrant of Protection to the said Duncan M'Nab 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 within the Union Hotel, Inverness, on Friday, the 21st day of December, 1855, at one o'clock afternoon.

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 8th day of April, 1856.

All future advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone. HOPE, OLIPHANT and MACKAY, W.S., Agents. Edinburgh, 119, Princes-street,

December 10, 1855.

THE estates of John Allan and Company, Merchants. The estates of John Alian and Company, Merchants, Commission Agents, and Dealers in Shares, in Glas-gow, and of John Allan, the sole Partner thereof, as a Partner thereof, and as an Individual, were sequestrated on the 11th day of December, 1855. The first deliverance is dated 11th December, 1855. The Lord Ordinary has nominated and appointed John C. Reed, Accountant, in Glasgow, Interim Factor on

the estates.

The meeting to elect the Trustee or Trustees in sud-

The meeting to elect the Trustee or Trustees in sud-cession and Commissioners is to be held within the Buck's Head Hotel, Argyle-street, Glasgow, on Tuesday, the 25th day of December current, at one o'clock afternoon. 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 day of April next, 1856.

All future Advertisements relating to this sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone. J. R. STODART, W.S., Agent.

Edinburgh, 2, Drummond-place,

December 11, 1855.

COURT FOR RELIEF OF INSOLVENT DEBTORS.

#### See Notice at the end.

The following PERSONS, who, on their several Petitions filed in the Court, have obtained Interim Orders for protection from process, are required to appear in Court as hereinafter mentioned, at the Court-House, in Portugal-

- street, Lincoln's-Inn, as follows, to be examined ; and dealt with according to the Statute:
- On Friday the 28th December, 1855, at Eleven o'Clock precisely, before Mr. Commissioner Phillips.
- Joseph Staddon, now of No. 58, Charlotte-terrace, New Cut, Lambeth, Surrey, out of business, previously of same place, and also of No. 101, Leather-lane, Holborn, Mid-dlesex, and formerly of No. 101, Leather-lane aforesaid only, at both places Boot and Shoe Manufacturer.
- Biljah Bryant (sued as Elijah Briant), formerly of No. 60, White Horse-street, Stepney, Carpenter and Undertaker, then of the Sultan of Turkey Beer-shop, No. 4, Spring Garden place, Stepney aforesaid, Middlesex, Beer Retailer, Carpenter, and Undertaker, now lodging at No.
- 4, Spring Garden-place aforesaid, Carpenter and Under-
- taker.
- Alexander Michaels (sometimes Known as Alexander Meikels, also as Sander Michael), formerly of No. 5,
   Tenter-street, North Goodman's-fields, Tailor, then and now of No. 57, Saint George-street in the East, Tailor
- a and Outfitter, and occasionally Letting Lodgings and . Boarding Seamen, all in Middlesex.

On Monday the 31st December, 1855, at Eleven o'Clock, before Chief Commissioner Law.

- Charles Hawley, formerly of No. 42, Botolph-street, Col-chester, Essex, Grocer and Cheesemunger, then of No. 15, Wakefield-terrace, Caledonian-road, Islington, Middle-
- wakeneid-terrace, Caledonian-road, Islington, Middlesex, out of business and employ, then and now of No. 2, Wakefield-terrace aforesaid, Grocer.
  Michael Cole, formerly of No. 24, King-street, Regent-street, then of same place, and of No. 11, Queen Annestreet, Marylebone, then and late of No. 11, Brompton-road, Knightsbridge, and also carrying on business at No. 24, King-street aforesaid, all in Middlesex, Painter and Paper Hanger.
  John Clark, formerly of the Woolwich Steam Floure Mill
- John Clark, formerly of the Woolwich Steam Flour Mill,

- John Clark, formerly of the Woolwich Steam Flour Mill, No. 4, Russell-place, New-road, Woolwich, Kent, then of No. 49, Bridgehouse-place, Newington-causeway, Surrey, Foreman to a Miller, Baker, and Corn Chandler, and now of No. 18, Trinity-square, Southwark, letting lodgings, and No. 9, Stangate, Westminster-road, Lam-beth, both in Surrey, not in any business or occupation. Charles James Blake, formerly of High-street, afterwards and next of No. 4, Anns-place, both in Sydenham, Kent, Printer, Stationer, News Vender, Dealer in Berlin Wool and Fancy Articles, Portrait Painter, Private Tutor, Pianoforte Tuner, part of the time Proprietor of the Crystal Palace Gazette and afterwards Joint Proprietor Crystal Palace Gazette and afterwards Joint Proprietor thereof, first in conjunction with George P. Nicholls, and subsequently with Samuel Cockshaw, and now of Upper Sydenham, Kent aforesaid, out of business and employ.
- Michael Ward Smyth, now of No. 117, Drummond-street, Euston-square, Saint Pancras, Middlesex, Tobacconist and Lodging-house Keeper.
- •On Monday the 31st December, 1855, at Eleven o'Clock, before Mr. Commissioner Phillips.
- John Henry Wood (known as Henry Wood, using some-times only one Christian name Henry), formerly of No. 22, Waterloo-road, Dealer in Black Lead and other Pen*a*. cils and Steel Pens, afterwards of No. 18, Surrey-row, Blackfriars-road, then of No. 16, John-street, Waterloo-road, then of No. 1, Sussex-place, York-road, Lambeth, all in Surrey, afterwards of No. 56, Park-street, then of
- all in Surrey, afterwards of No. 56, Park-street, hen of No. 34, Queen-street, and now of No. 15, Grove-street, all in Camden Town, Middlesex, Carrier's Clerk, letting lodgings at No. 18, Surrey-row, No. 16, John-street, and No. 1, Sussex-place aforesaid.
  John Champion, formerly of No. 15, Moneyers-street, East-road, Hoxton, having a workshop at Towill-street, Beth-nal-green, Journeyman Paper Hanger, next of No. 40, Nicholas-street, New North-road, Journeyman Paper Hanger, and afterwards of same place, Paper Hanger, Builder, and Painter, next of No. 15, Bridport-place, New North-road, Hoxton, Paper Hanger and Builder, next and now of No. 7, Wargate-street, New North-road, Hoxton, all in Middlesex, Paper Hanger, Painter, and occasionally acting as a Journeyman in same trades.
  William Prust, of No. 2, Douro-cottages, Saint John's Wood, St. Marylebone, Middlesex, Builder and House Decarator. Ľ:

N.B.-1. Any creditor may attend and give evidence and produce witnesses. Opposition can only be made by the Creditor in person, or by Counsel appearing for him.

2. The petition and schedule, and all books, - papers, and writings filed, will be produced by the E 2

proper Officer for inspection and examination until two clear days before the hearing.

3. Creditors' assignee may be chosen according to the Statute.

4. Persons indebted to the said Insolvent Debtors respectively, or having any of their effects, are to pay and deliver the same to the Official Assignee, being the Provisional Assignee of the Court, at the said Court and to no other person.

#### 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 Friday the 28th December, 1855, at Eleven o'Clock precisely, before Chief Commissioner Law.
- George Adolphus Seal, formerly of No. 57, George-street, Blackfriars-road, then of Liverpool-street, Walworth-road, and afterwards of No. 9, Church-street, Waterloo-road, all in Surrey, Assistant Sheriff's Officer, late lodg-ing at No. 204, Blackfriars-road, Surrey, out of employment.
- ment.
  William Henry Burbidge, late of No. 43, Union-street, Somers Town, Bread Baker, previously of No. 24, Upper Seymour-street, Euston-square, Bread Baker, and for-merly of No. 24, Upper Seymour-street, aforesaid, all in Middlesex, Bread Baker (sued as William Henry Bur-bridge, and committed as Henry Burbridge).
  Charles Virgo, late of No. 247, High-street, Chatham, Kent, Baker and Confectioner.
  William Roberts, late of No. 44, Three Colt-street, Lime-house, Middlesex, Potato Dealer and Commission Potato Agent.

- Agent. William Titford, formerly of No. 13, Constitution-row, Gray's-inn-road, Middlesex, Coffee-house and Lodging-house Keeper, then of same place, and also part of the time a Prisoner in the Debtors' Prison for London and Middleser London following same business, then of No. Middlesex, London, following same business, then of No. 13, Constitution-row aforesaid, then of same place, and also of No. 45, Acton-street, Gray's-inn-road, Middlesex, (also letting lodgings).
- On Friday the 28th December, 1855, at Eleven o'Clock precisely, before Mr. Commissioner Phillips.
- Richard Reeder, (sued with Richard William Reeder) for-merly of No. 2, Suffolk-street, Three Colt-lane, then and now of No. 20, Three Colt-lane, Bethnal-green, Middlesex, all the time carrying on business at No. 3, Essex-street, Three Colt-lane aforesaid, in copartnership with Richard William Reeder, as Reeder and Son, Spring and Axle-tree Makers and Tyre Smiths. Henry Pearson, late of No. 8, George-street, and also of the
- leary Pearson, late of 100.5, treorge-street, and also of the Camberwell Arms, Kimpton-road, both in Camberwell, Surrey, Carpenter, Builder, and Beer-house Keeper, pre-viously of No. 40, Pickering place, Paddington, Middle-sex, Carpenter and Builder, before then of Berwick-street, Pimlico, Middlesex, Carpenter and Builder, and formerly of the Old Dover-road, Blackheath, Kent, Carpenter and Duridan Builder.
- John Owen Clarke, formerly of Canonbury-villas, Canonbury-square, Islington, then of No. 2, Albion-grove, Barnsbury-park, Barnsbury, and late of No. 6, Lans-downe-cottages, Lower-road, Islington, all in Middlesex, downe-cottages, Lower-road, Isington, all in Audalesex, Printer, Publisher, and Stationer, carrying on said busi-ness, first at No. 121, Fleet-street, and No. 3, Raquet-court, Fleet-street, and afterwards at No. 38A, New Bridge-street, Blackfriars, all in London, and while at No. 121, Fleet-street, No. 3, Raquet-court, and No. 38A, New Bridge-street aforesaid, letting one room at each of said places as an office.

- On Friday the 28th December, 1855, at Ten o'Clock precisely, before Mr. Commissioner Murphy.
- Samuel Aaron (known as Samuel Aaron Allen, sued as Samuel Allen), late of No. 20, Manor-place, Walworth, Surrey, out of business, previously of No. 7, Maiden-lane, Covent-garden, out of business, previously of No. 35, Bow-street, Covent-garden aforesaid, Coffee-bouse Keeper, previously of No. 226, Oxford-street, Dentist, before then of No. 20. Park-terrace, Regent's-park, Dentist, before then of No. 6, Finsbury-place South, all in Middlesex, Dentist, before then of No. 12, York-terrace, Queen'sroad. P-ckham, Surrey, Dentist, before then of Surrey House. Old Kent-road, Surrey, Furniture Dealer, formerly of No. 4, Euston-grove, Euston-square, Middlesex, Hotel Keeper, at same time carrying on the business of a Furniture Dealer and Dentist, at No. 7, Everett-street, I runswick-square, Middlesex.
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  Isnac Levy, formerly of Mount-street, Whitechapel, General Dealer, then of Cotton-street, Whitechapel, General Dealer, then of Leslie-street, Mile End-road, General Dealer, all in Middlesex, and during the time whilst residing at and renting the before-mentioned places, trading and occasionally travelling to Bermuda, then of No. 9, Millpond-row, Bermondsey, Surrey, General Dealer and Dealer in Marine Stores, then of Old-street, Saint Luke's, Middlesex, General Dealer and Dealer in Marine Stores, and during the time whilst residing at the three last-mentioned places his wife assisting in the business of a Gen-ral Dealer, and receiving a share of the profits for her services.
- charles Edward Bryson, formerly of No. 18, Hanway-street, then of No. 71, Newman-street, Oxford-street, then of No. 14, Church-street, Soho, Middlesex, then a Prisoner for Debt in the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex, and late of No. 14, Church-street aforesaid, having had an office first at No. 2, Bell-yard, Gracechurch-street (known there and using the designation of Crosby and Bryson, but having no partner), and latterly at No. 28, Great Winchester-street, both in London, Dealer in Railway Shares, and having been known as an Accountant.
- On Saturday the 29th December, 1855, at Eleven o'Clock, before Chief Commissioner Law.
- David McFarlane, formerly of No. 10, Jewry-street, Aldgate, London, Bread and Biscuit Baker, then and late of No. 48, Duke-street, Aldgate aforesaid, out of business or employ.
- On Saturday the 29th December, 1855, at Eleven o'Clock, before Mr. Commissioner Phillips.
- Abraham Aaron Harris (also sued as A. A. Harris), formerly of Jewry-street, Aldgate, London, then of Fountainplace, City-road, then of City-terrace, City-road, then of No. 42, Wilmington-square, Clerkenwell, then of Hallstreet, City-road, and next and late of No. 36, Windsorterrace, City-road, all in Middlesex, Licensed Cigar and General Dealer, having an office up to September, 1854, at No. 73, Mark-lane, City, and for three months last past, while at No. 36, Windsor-terrace aforesaid, letting lodgings.
- On Monday the 31st December, 1855, at Eleven o'Clock, before Chief Commissioner Law.
- Samuel Samuel, formerly of No. 5. Church-street, Minories, London, Wholesale and Retail Window Glass Dealer, trading as S. Samuel and Co., having a Branch Establishment for Orders at No. 122, Broad-street, Reading, Berks, afterwards of Nos. 22 and 60, Mausell-street, Goodman's Fields, Middlesex, having a Branch Establishment for Orders at No. 122, Brond-street, Reading aforesaid, then of No. 49, Mansell-street aforesaid, Wholesale and Retail Window Glass Dealer, trading as aforesaid, and late of same place. Glass Cutter and Glazier.
- or No. 49, Mansen-street aforesaid, wholesaie and Retain Window Glass Dealer, trading as aforesaid, and late of same place, Glass Cutter and Glazier. James Friederick Winks (sued and committed as James Winks), formerly and late of No. 42, Queen-street, Pimlico, Middlesex, Baker. Edward Nelson, of No. 12, Johnson's-place, Thames Bank, aforeaid Middleser approxime on business of a Storeb Moleon
- Edward Nelson, of No. 12, Johnson's-place, Thames Bank, Pimlico, and of the Ranelagh-road, Thames Bank aforesaid, Middlesex, carrying on business as a Starch Maker, under the style or firm of Edward Nelson and Co., previously of Croydon, Surrey, and of No. 12, Johnson'splace aforesaid, and also of No. 35, Moreton-terrace, Pimlico, Starch Maker as aforesaid, and formerly of No. 196, Piccadilly, Middlesex, Importer of and Dealer in Russian Adamatine Candles and Manufacturer of Satin Face Glass Powder.
- On Monday the 31st December, 1855, at Eleven o'Clock, before Mr. Commissioner Phillips.
- Thomas Waller, of No. 20, Lower Kennington-green, Surrey, Labourer, previously of Cambridge-place, Pad-

dington, Middlesex, out of business, previously thereto of High-street, Shefford, Bedfordshire, Baker and Mail Contractor.

- Philipp Goufried, formerly of No. 21, Hall-street, Goswellroad, Bread and Biscuit Baker, then of No. 16, Saint Matthias-place, Stoke Newington, and late of No. 3, Mildmay-street, Ball's-pond-road, Islington, all in Middlesex, out of husiness.
- William Elijah Burland (sued as William Elizah Burland), late of No. 9, Crown-street, Finsbury-square, Middlesex, Bonnet Shape Maker.

### 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 purpuse 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.

#### 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 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 Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff, on Thursday the 27th day of December, 1855.
- Peter Carrick, late of Bute-terrace, in the town of Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, out of business, and previously of No. 33, Bute-street, in the said towu, Ironmonger, Dealer in Hardware, and Auctioneer.
- Thomas Pride, formerly of Limekiln-lane, in the city of Bristol, out of business, then of Woolaston, in the county of Gloucester, Farm Bailiff, then of Cincinatti, in. the state of Ohio, North America, Farm Bailiff, afterwards of Crick, in the county of Monmouth, out of business, then of Woolaston aforesaid, Farm Bailiff, afterwards of Caldicott, in the county of Monmouth, out of business, and late of St. Mary-street, in the town of Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Beer and Eating-house Keeper.

- Joseph Gregory, late of the town of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, out of business, previously of the Shades Tavern, Salubrious-passage, Wind-street, in the said town of Swansea, Licensed Victualler, before then of Windstreet; Swansea aforesaid, Billiard Table Keeper, and formerly of the town of Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, out of business.
- formerly of the town of Cheltennam, in the county of Gloucester, out of bisiness. Morgan Evans, late of Pengarn, in the parish of Llantrissant, in the county of Glamorgan, Mason, previously of the New York Public-house, in Cwm Rhondda, in the parish of Lanwonno, in the said county, Licensed Victualler, Masou, and Contractor, and formerly of Trebanog, in the parish of Llantrissant aforesaid, Mason and Contractor.
- Before the Judge of the County Court of Sussex, holden at Lewes, on Monday the 31st day of December, 1855.
- William Antram, formerly of Nos. 1 and 2, Claremontplace, Plumber, Glazier, and Retailer of Beer, and late of the Plumbers' Arms, No. 26, Sussex-street, Plumber, Glazier, and Licensed Victualler, all in Brighton, in the county of Sussex.
- County of Sussex. Thomas Atkins, formerly of No. 77, and then of No. 118, Lower Thames-street, in the city of Loudon, Fish Salesman, then of No. 14, Freeman's-lane, Horslydown, Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, and late of No, 1, Prior-cottages, Hastings, in the county of Sussex, Dealer in Fish, and occasionally residing at Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, and Scarborough, in the county of York, for the purpose of purchasing Fish.
- York, for the purpose of purchasing Fish. Robert Springett, of No. 5, Castle-street, Hastings, in the county of Sussex, Saddler and Harness Maker, occasionally letting Furnished Apartments.

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.

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