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TUESDAY, APRIL 24, 1866.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
March 24, 1866.

NOTICE is hereby given; that Her Majesty's Birthday will be celebrated on Saturday, the 26th of May next.

SYDNEY, Lord Chamberlain.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
March 28, 1866.

NOTICE is hereby given, that The Queen will hold Courts at Buckingham Palace on the following days:—

Saturday, May 5th,	} At three o'clock.
Monday, May 14th,	
Tuesday, June 19th,	at four o'clock.

The Lists for all these Courts are now closed.

SYDNEY, Lord Chamberlain.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
March 31, 1866.

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold Levees at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Wednesday, the 2nd of May, on Saturday, the 12th of May, and on Wednesday, the 6th of June next, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to His Royal Highness at these Levees shall be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her Majesty.

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEVEES TO BE HELD BY HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES, ON BEHALF OF HER MAJESTY, AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE.

By Her Majesty's Command.

The Noblemen and Gentlemen, who propose to attend Her Majesty's Levees, at St. James's

Palace, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with The Queen's Page in Attendance in the Corridor, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to His Royal Highness.

PRESENTATIONS.

Any Nobleman or Gentleman who proposes to be presented must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, *before twelve o'clock*, two clear days before the Levees, a card with his name written thereon, and with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman by whom he is to be presented. In order to carry out the existing regulation that no presentation can be made at a Levee excepting by a person actually attending that Levee, it is also necessary that a letter from the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to make the presentation, stating it to be his intention to be present, should accompany the presentation card above referred to, which will be submitted to The Queen for Her Majesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's command that no presentations shall be made at Levees, except in accordance with the above regulations.

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

The State apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at one o'clock.

SYDNEY,
Lord Chamberlain

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
March 31, 1866.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Royal Highness The Princess of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold Drawing Rooms at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Wednesday, the 23rd of May, and on Saturday, the 9th of June next, at two o'clock.

It is the Queen's pleasure that Presentations to Her Royal Highness at these Drawing Rooms shall

be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her Majesty.

THE QUEEN'S DRAWING ROOMS.

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S DRAWING ROOMS TO BE HELD, ON BEHALF OF HER MAJESTY BY HER ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCESS OF WALES, AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE.

By Her Majesty's Command.

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

PRESENTATIONS.

Any Lady who proposes to be presented must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, *before twelve o'clock*, two clear days before the Drawing Room, a card with her name written thereon, and with the name of the Lady by whom she is to be presented. In order to carry out the existing regulation, that no presentation can be made at a Drawing Room excepting by a Lady actually attending that Court, it is also necessary that a letter from the Lady who is to make the presentation, stating it to be her intention to be present, should accompany the presentation card above referred to, which will be submitted to The Queen, for Her Majesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's Command, that no presentations shall be made at the Drawing Room, except in accordance with the above regulations.

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

It is not expected that Gentlemen will present themselves at the Drawing Room, except in attendance upon the Ladies of their families.

The State apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at one o'clock.

SYDNEY,
Lord Chamberlain.

Foreign Office, April 13, 1866.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Alexander Gollan, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul at Coquimbo.

Foreign Office, April 23, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. G. Lomer as Consul at Montreal for His Majesty the King of Prussia.

Westminster, April 23, 1866.

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

An Act for the abolition of the offices of Treasurer and of High Bailiff of County Courts as vacancies shall occur, and to provide for the payment of future Registrars of County Courts.

An Act to amend the Act of the eleventh and twelfth years of Her present Majesty, chapter one hundred and seven, to prevent the spreading of contagious or infectious disorders among sheep, cattle, and other animals.

An Act to enable the Proprietors of the Manchester Royal Exchange to pull down and rebuild the same; and for other purposes with respect to the said Exchange.

Whitehall, April 16, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto James Edward Boggis, of Harewood-square, in the parish of St. Marylebone, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, Captain, on half-pay, of the 55th Regiment of Foot, in the Commission of the Peace, and a Deputy Lieutenant for the county of Essex, and one of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms, Her Royal licence and authority that he may, in compliance with a proviso contained in a deed of settlement executed by Ann Rolfe, of Wormingford, in the said county of Essex, Spinster, take and henceforth use the surname of Rolfe, in addition to, and after that of, Boggis:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms, otherwise to be void and of none effect.

Whitehall, April 18, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto North Burton, of Thurland Castle, in the parish of Tunstall, in the county palatine of Lancaster, Esquire, great nephew and heir-at-law of Richard Toulmin North, late of Thurland Castle aforesaid, Esquire, deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may henceforth take and use the surname of North, in lieu of that of Burton, and bear the arms of North; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal license and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall,
April 23, 1866.*

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs copies of a Public Act and its *Annexes*, signed at Galatz by the European Commission of the Danube on the 2nd November last, and of which, together with the Protocol relating to it, the following is a translation:—

PROTOCOL.

Conference of 1866.—Sitting of 28th March.

PRESENT: The Plenipotentiaries of Austria, France, Great Britain, Italy, Prussia, Russia, and Turkey.
The Secretary of the Conference.

THE European Commission, constituted in accordance with Art. 16 of the Treaty signed at Paris on the 30th March, 1856, having effected the improvement of the navigation of the Lower Danube, by means of certain important works which they have caused to be executed, and having provided regulations for the different services attached thereto, the Plenipotentiaries have accorded to their Delegates in the said Commission full powers to determine, by an international Act, the duties and obligations arising under existing circumstances.

In consequence, a Public Act was signed by them at Galatz on the 2nd November, 1865, on eight originals, of which one has been deposited with the Archives of the European Commission, and the others despatched by the Commissioners to their respective Governments.

The French Plenipotentiary presented to the Conference one of the originals of the Public Act.

After consideration of this Act, and of the two *Annexes* A and B, which form an integral portion of it, and of the Arrangement relating to the sums advanced by the Sublime Porte to the European Commission, which also forms a portion, the Conference gives its consent and sanction to the provisions which the Act contains.

It is agreed at the same time, in order to amend an accidental omission, that Article 5 of the Regulation of the 21 November, 1864 (*Annexe A.*), shall be as follows:—

“Merchant Captains of whatever nationality, are required to observe the orders given to them in virtue of the present Regulations, whether by the Inspector-General or by the Captain of the Port of Soulina.

“They are equally bound to declare to them, if demanded, their names, nationality, and the names of their vessel, and to produce their ship's roll, without prejudice to the provisions of Articles 10, 17, and 65, which follow.”

A special instruction, issued by the European Commission, regulates in detail, the functions of these two agents.

It is, moreover, agreed that in the first sections of the Article 98 of the same Regulation, the word “Article 4” shall be replaced by the word “Article 5.”

Each of the contracting parties, in officially making known the Public Act and its *Annexes*, will have regard to the preceding modifications.

The present Protocol has been drawn up, and signed in original in duplicate: one copy, as in the case of the other Protocols, shall remain attached to the Acts of the Conference; the other has been officially presented to the Plenipoten-

tiary of His Majesty the Sultan, and shall be by the said Plenipotentiary forwarded to Constantinople to be used as, and to take the place of, the European Ratification provided for by Article 22 of the Public Act.

Done at Paris, the 28th March, 1866.

(Signed)

DROUYN DE L'HUYS.
COWLEY.
BUDBERG.
PRINCE DE METTERNICH.
NIGRA.
GOLTZ.
SAFVET.

PUBLIC ACT relating to the Navigation of the Mouths of the Danube.

Signed at Galatz, 2nd of November, 1865.

EUROPEAN COMMISSION OF THE DANUBE.

Protocol of the Sitting of the 26th October, 1865.

PRESENT,

For Austria	. M. LE CHEVALIER DE KREMER.
„ France	. M. ENGELHARDT.
„ Great Britain	MR. STOKES.
„ Italy	. M. LE CHEVALIER STRAMBIO.
„ Prussia	. M. SAINT-PIERRE.
„ Russia	. M. LE BARON D'OFFENBERG.
„ Turkey	. AHMET RASSIM PACHA.

The undersigned Commissioners, after referring to the Protocol closed on the 2nd December, 1861 (No. CXL), and to the Protocol of the sitting of the 17th October, 1862 (No. CXLIX), have definitively decided, on the basis of instructions which each of them had received from his Government, upon the text of the project of Convention with respect to the navigation of the mouths of the Danube, which has been the object of a common agreement in the preceding negotiations.

After which they read the Act in question, together with its two *Annexes*, that is to say:—

1st. The Public Act, or principal instrument of the Convention relative to the navigation of the mouths of the Danube.

2nd. *Annexe* A, with reference to the regulation of navigation and police applicable to the Lower Danube.

3. *Annexe* B, with reference to the tariff of navigation dues to be levied at the mouth of the river.

These Acts having been acknowledged to be in conformity with the bases agreed upon between the Governments interested, the undersigned Commissioners have initialled them, and fixed a future sitting for the appending of their signatures.

Done at Galatz, the twenty-sixth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

(Signed)

A. DE KREMER.
ED. ENGELHARDT.
J. STOKES.
STRAMBIO.
SAINT-PIERRE.
OFFENBERG.
AHMET RASSIM.

FINAL PROTOCOL.

Sitting of the 22nd November, 1865.

PRESENT.

For Austria . . . M. LE CHEVALIER DE KREMER.
 „ France . . . M. ENGELHARDT.
 „ Great Britain MR. STOKES.
 „ Italy . . . M. LE CHEVALIER STRAMBIO.
 „ Prussia . . . M. SAINT-PIERRE.
 „ Russia . . . M. LE BARON D'OFFENBERG.
 „ Turkey . . . AHMET RASSIM PACHA.

The undersigned Commissioners have collated upon the documents initialled at the sitting of the 26th October last:—

1st. The Public Act or principal instrument of the Convention relative to the navigation of the mouths of the Danube.

2nd. The regulation of Navigation and Police (*Annexe A*).

And 3rd, The tariff of Navigation Dues (*Annexe B*).

These different Acts have been found to be in good and due form.

With respect to the 9th Article of the Public Act, the Delegates of Austria, France, Great Britain, Italy, Prussia, and Russia, have collectively declared, in virtue of special instructions, that, that while they recognise in the agents charged with the riverain police of the Lower Danube, those Powers which are conferred upon them by the regulation of Navigation and Police, annexed to the said Public Act, they consider them, nevertheless, as acting under the direction of the European Commission, and as invested with an international character.

It has been decided that the insertion of this declaration should not imply any consecration in perpetuity of this principle on the part of the Sublime Porte, nor prejudice in the slightest degree, the right of the Riverain States, or affect the principles established by the Congress of Paris.

It has been moreover observed, with respect to Article 17 of the said Act, that, previously to the framing of the first project which was the object of the Governments interested, the European Commission had erected and maintained a lighthouse at the St. George's Mouth at its own expense; that, in consequence, the clause of the Article referred to, which provides that a portion representing the lighthouse dues out of the total of the taxes levied at Soulina, shall belong to the *Administration générale des Phares de l'Empire Ottomane*, should be subject to this reservation, that the payments to be made to the said Administration shall not include any sums other than those actually deducted in its favour; and that the European Commission shall continue, as formerly, to retain the amount of the special tax imposed on vessels for the maintenance and lighting of St. George's Light.

At the moment of proceeding to the signature of the Public Act, the Delegate of Turkey, in his capacity of President of the European Commission, observed that this Act, having for its object interests essentially commercial, should have the effect of facilitating the reciprocal relations of the different States, without prejudicing in any way, from a political point of view, the attitude of the respective Governments towards each other.

The Commissioners then affixed their signatures and the seal of their arms to the Public Act relative to the navigation of the Danube, with its two *Annexes*.

After which they proceeded to sign the arrangement with respect to the repayment of the advances made to the Commission by the Sublime

Porte for the improvement of the navigation at the Danube Mouths, the project of which is annexed to the Protocol No. CXL (No. III). This Act was signed in two originals, one of which is attached to the present Protocol.

It was thereupon observed that the arrangement in question includes only the advances and payments made by the Sublime Porte previously to the 2nd of December, 1861, and that since that date the Imperial Ottoman Government has paid to the European Commission, on the 31st December, 1863, a sum of eleven thousand eight hundred and twenty-seven ducats, which sum should be repaid by the Commission over and above the annuities stipulated for the liquidation of the principal debt to the Sublime Porte.

The present Protocol, drawn up in eight originals, one of which will remain in the Archives of the Commission, has been read, approved, and signed by the Commissioners.

Done at Galatz on the 2nd of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

(Signed)

A. DE KREMER.

ED. ENGELHARDT.

J. STOKES.

STRAMBIO.

SAINT-PIERRE.

OFFENBERG.

AHMET RASSIM.

PUBLIC ACT Relative to the Navigation of the Mouths of the Danube.

A European Commission having been appointed by Article 16 of the Treaty of Paris of the 30th of March, 1856, for the purpose of putting that portion of the Danube below Isaktcha, its mouths, and the parts adjacent to the sea, in the best conditions for navigation;

And the said Commission, acting in virtue of this order, having succeeded, after nine years activity, in effecting important improvements in the system of navigation, more especially by the construction of two dams at the mouth of the Soulina arm, which have had the effect of opening this mouth to vessels of considerable draught; by the execution of works of improvement and cleansing the same arm, by the removal of the wrecked vessels, and by the establishment of a system of buoys; by the construction of a lighthouse at the St. George's Mouth; by the institution of a regular salvage service, and the creation of a marine hospital at Soulina; and, finally, by the provisional regulation of the different services of navigation on the riverain section lying between Isaktcha and the sea;

The Powers who signed the said Treaty concluded at Paris on the 30th March, 1856, desiring to record that the European Commission, in thus completing a portion of its task, has acted in conformity with their intentions, and wishing also to establish by a Public Act the duties and obligations which the new arrangements have given rise to for those interested, and especially for all the shipping navigating the river, have named as their Plenipotentiaries, that is to say:

His Majesty the Emperor of Austria, King of Hungary and Bohemia, M. Alfred Chevalier de Kremer, His Consul for the shores of the Lower Danube, decorated with the Imperial Order of the Medjidie of the Fourth Class;

His Majesty the Emperor of the French, M. Edouard Engelhardt, His Consul of the First Class, Knight of the Imperial Order of the Legion of Honour;

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Major John Stokes,

of the Royal Engineers, decorated with the Imperial Order of the Medjidie of the Fourth Class, &c., &c.;

His Majesty the King of Italy, M. Annibal Chevalier Strambio, His Political Agent and Consul-General in the United Principalities, Commander of His Order of Saint Maurice and Lazarus;

His Majesty the King of Prussia, M. Jules Alexandre Aloyse Saint Pierre, Knight of His Order of Red Eagle, of the Third Class with the Knot, of the Order of the Danebrog of Denmark, Officer of the Royal Order of Leopold of Belgium, decorated with the Imperial Order of Saint Anne of Russia, of the Second Class, Commander of the Order of Albert de la Saxe Royale, of the Second Class, and of the Order of the Branch Ernestine de Saxe, His actual Councillor of Legation, His Political Agent and Consul-General in the United Principalities;

His Majesty the Emperor of all the Russias, M. Henri Baron d'Offenberg, His Councillor of State and Consul-General in the United Principalities, Knight of the Order of St. Vladimir of the Third Class, of Saint Anne and Saint Stanislas of the Second Class, Knight of Saint John of Jerusalem, and several foreign orders;

And His Majesty the Sultan, Ahmet Rassim Pacha, Functionary of the rank of Mirimiran, His Governor for the Province of Toultscha, decorated with the Imperial Order of the Medjidie of the Third Class;

Who, after having communicated to each other their full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon the following dispositions:—

TITLE I.

Regulations relative to the material conditions of Navigation.

Art 1.

All works and establishments created in execution of Article 16 of the Treaty of Paris, of the 30th March, 1856, with their accessories and dependencies, shall continue to be applied exclusively to the use of the Danube Navigation, and can never be diverted from this destination upon any pretence whatever; on this score they are placed under the security and safeguard of international law. The European Commission of the Danube, or the Authority succeeding to it in law, shall rest charged, to the exclusion of all interference whatever, with the administration of these works and establishments to the profit of navigation, with the care of their preservation and maintenance, and with the duty of giving them all the development that the necessities of navigation may require.

Art. 2.

Shall be specially reserved to the European Commission, or to the Authority which shall succeed it, the right of designating and causing to be executed all works which shall be judged necessary, in the event of its being considered desirable to render permanent the improvements, up to the present time provisional, of the arm and mouth of Soulina, and of prolonging the damming of that mouth, as the state of the channel may require.

Art. 3.

It shall remain reserved to the said European Commission to undertake the improvement of the mouth and arm of St. George, delayed by common consent, and, for the present, simply adjourned.

Art. 4.

The Sublime Porte engages, in the future, as formerly, to give to the Commission, or to the Authority which shall succeed to it, all the aid and assistance which one or the other may need, for the execution of the works of art, and generally for all that concerns the accomplishment of its task. It will take care that the banks of the Danube, from Isaktcha to the sea, remain free from all buildings, or other obstacles, and it will continue, under the limitation of the annual payments to which landed property is subjected in Turkey, to leave to the disposition of the Commission in the port of Soulina, the left bank, starting from the base of the Northern dike for a distance of seven hundred and sixty metres up the river, and for a breadth of one hundred and fifty metres from the bank.

It consents, moreover, to concede a convenient site, on the right bank, for the constructions which the said Commission, or the Authority succeeding to it, may judge it expedient to erect for the service of the port of Soulina, for the marine hospital, and for the other necessities of the Administration.

Art. 5.

In the case in which the European Commission shall make use of the reservation mentioned in Article 2 touching the amelioration of the mouth and arm of St. George, the Sublime Porte consents that the said Commission may dispose, as soon as the need shall arise, of the lands and sites belonging to the domain of the State which shall have been previously indicated and declared to be necessary both for the construction of works and for the formation of establishments which may be created in consequence of, or as complementary to, such improvements.

Art. 6.

It is understood that there shall not be constructed, on either bank of the river, in the ports of Soulina and St. George, whether by the territorial Authority, or by Companies and Societies of Commerce and Navigation, or by individuals, any wharves, quays, or other structures of a like nature, unless the plans have been communicated to the European Commission, and have been recognised to be in conformity with the general project for quays, and as in no way prejudicing the works of improvements.

TITLE II.

Regulations relative to the administration of Navigation.

§ 1.

OF REGULATIONS IN GENERAL.

Art. 7.

The navigation at the mouths of the Danube is regulated by the "*Regulation for Navigation and Police*," made by the European Commission on this day's date, and affixed to the present Act, under the letter A, in order that it may have the same force and value as if it formed an integral part of it.

It is understood that this regulation is law, not only as concerns the riverain police, but also in the judgment of civil disputes arising from questions of navigation.

Art. 8.

The exercise of navigation on the Lower Danube is placed under the control and superin-

tendance of the Inspector-General of the Lower Danube, and the Captains of the Port of Soulina.

These two Agents, appointed by the Sublime Porte, should act in conformity with the Regulation, the application of which is entrusted to them, and for the strict observation of which they will take oath. Sentences emanating from their authority are pronounced in the name of His Majesty the Sultan.

In cases where the European Commission, or the permanent Riverain Commission, shall have established an offence or contravention committed by either of the said Agents against the Regulation of Navigation and Police, it shall demand his dismissal by the Sublime Porte.

If the Sublime Porte judges it necessary to proceed to a fresh inquiry into the facts already established by the Commission, the Commission shall have the right of assisting at such enquiry by means of a delegate, and when the culpability of the accused shall have been duly proved, the Sublime Porte shall, without delay, take steps to replace him.

Excepting in the case foreseen, by the preceding paragraph, the Inspector-General and the Captain of the Port of Soulina can not be removed from their respective posts except at their own request, or by result of an agreement between the Sublime Porte and the European Commission.

These agents will, therefore, one and the other, act under the control of the European Commission.

The Inspector-General, the Captains of the Ports of Soulina and Toultscha, together with the Overseers (acting under the Inspector-General) shall be remunerated by the Sublime Porte.

They shall be chosen from qualified persons.

Art. 9.

In virtue of the principles of the Act of the Congress of Vienna, established by Article 15 of the Treaty of Paris, the authority of the Inspector-General, and of the Captain of the Port of Soulina is exercised with respect to all flags indiscriminately.

The Inspector-General is specially charged with the police of the river below Isaktcha, the Port of Soulina excluded; he is assisted by Overseers distributed over the riverain sections under his jurisdiction.

The Captain of the Port of Soulina is charged with the police of the port and of the external harbour of Soulina.

A special instruction, framed by common consent, regulates in detail, the duties of the Inspector-General, and of the Captain of the Port of Soulina.

Art. 10.

Captains of merchant vessels, of whatever nationality, are bound to observe the orders given to them, in virtue of the Regulation of Navigation and Police, by the Inspector-General, and by the Captain of the Port of Soulina.

Art. 11.

The execution of the Regulation of Navigation and Police, as well as the application of the tariff hereafter mentioned in Article 13, and the following Articles of the present Act, is moreover ensured by the action of the vessels of war stationed at the mouths of the Danube, conformably to the 19th Article of the Treaty of Paris.

Each naval station deals with the vessels of its nationality, or upon those carrying flags it may be required to protect, either in virtue of Treaty or custom, or in pursuance of general or special delegation.

In default of a vessel of war, having power to interfere, the International authorities on the river may have recourse to the war vessels of the territorial power.

Art. 12.

It is understood that the Regulation of Navigation and Police attached to the present Act, shall continue in effect up to the moment when the regulations foreseen by Article 17 of the Treaty of Paris shall have been established by common consent, and put into force.

It shall be the same with the provisions of the above Articles 8, 9, and 10, in so far as they concern the duties of the Inspector-General.

§ 2.

Of the Tariff of Navigation Dues.

Art. 13.

Article 16 of the Treaty of Paris having conferred upon the European Commission the power of imposing upon navigation a tax at a rate sufficient to cover the expenses of the above-mentioned works and establishments: and the Commission having exercised this power in fixing the Tariff of the 25th July, 1860 (revised the 7th March 1863), the amounts of which have produced the resources necessary for the completion of the Soulina works, it is expressly provided by the present Act, that the abovementioned Tariff, the provisions of which have been recently completed, shall for the future be obligatory.

With this view the Tariff in question has been added to the present Act under the letter B, in order to give it the same force and value as if it formed an integral part of it.

Art. 14.

The product of the tax shall be appropriated:—
1st. By priority and preference to the repayment of the loans contracted by the European Commission, and of those it may contract in future for the completion of the works for the improvement of the mouths of the Danube.

2ndly. To cover the expenses of the administration and the maintenance of the works and establishments.

3rdly. To the repayment of the advances made to the Commission by the Sublime Porte; this liquidation shall take place conformably to the specially concluded arrangements of this day's date, between the European Commission and the Delegates of His Imperial Majesty the Sultan.

The surplus, if any, shall be held in reserve to meet the expenses which may result from the prolongation of the Soulina Dykes, or the execution of such other works as the European Commission or the Authority succeeding it, may afterwards judge desirable.

It is expressly understood, moreover, that no part of the sums produced by the taxes levied on vessels, or of the loans realised by the appropriation of these taxes, can be employed to cover the expenses of works or administration applicable to a riverain section lying above Isaktcha.

Art. 15.

At the expiration of every delay of five years, and with the view of diminishing, as far as possible, the charges imposed on navigation, the delegates of the Powers who have established the above-named tariff shall proceed to a revision of its provisions, and the amount of the taxes shall be reduced as much as possible, care being taken to preserve the mean revenue judged necessary.

Art. 16.

The mode of collecting the tax, and the administration of the navigation Treasury at Soulina, shall continue to be regulated by the provisions at present in force.

The Accountant charged with the collection shall be named, unanimously, by the European Commission, or by the authority succeeding it, and shall act directly under its orders.

The general control of the operations of the Treasury shall be vested in an officer to be named by the Ottoman Government.

There shall be published annually, in the official journals of the different Powers interested, a detailed balance-sheet of the operations of the Navigation Treasury as well as a statement shewing the apportionment and employment of the produce of the tariff.

Art. 17.

The *Administration Générale* of the lighthouses of the Ottoman Empire having undertaken to provide the lighting, administration, and maintenance expenses for those lights forming the lighthouse system at the mouths of the Danube, the portion representing the lighthouse dues in the total of taxes levied at Soulina shall be paid into the hands of the said administration; but it is understood that these duties can only be applied as regards existing lights, and those which it may be judged necessary to establish later, to cover actual expenses.

§ 3.

Quarantine.

Art. 18.

The sanitary regulations applicable to the mouths of the Danube will continue to be controlled by the Superior Council of Health instituted at Constantinople, and in which the different foreign missions accredited to the Sublime Porte are represented by delegates.

These regulations shall be conceived in such a manner as to reconcile, within just limits, the necessary sanitary precautions with the interests of commerce, and they shall be based, as far as practicable, upon the principles determined in the Articles 19 and 20 hereafter following.

Art. 19.

Vessels descending the Danube shall be exempt from all sanitary control; the same shall apply to vessels coming from the sea, so long as no epidemic prevails in the east; these vessels shall simply be required to exhibit their bills of health to the authorities of the ports where they anchor.

Art. 20.

Should a plague-epidemic break out in the East and if it is judged necessary to apply sanitary measures to the lower Danube, the quarantine of Soulina may be re-established; in this case vessels coming from sea shall be subjected at Soulina to the quarantine arrangements, and if the epidemic has not invaded the provinces of Turkey in Europe they cannot be further subjected to sanitary measures in ascending the river.

But if, on the contrary, the epidemic invades one or more of the Riverain Provinces of the Danube, quarantine stations shall be established wherever the necessity may arise, on that part of the river which traverses the territory of Turkey.

TITLE III.

Neutrality.

Art. 21.

The works and establishments of every kind created by the European Commission, or by the authority succeeding to it, in execution of the 16th Article of the Treaty of Paris, notably the Navigation Treasury at Soulina, and those that it may create in the future, shall enjoy the neutrality stipulated in Article 11 of the said Treaty, and shall, in case of war, be equally respected by all belligerents.

The privilege of this neutrality shall extend, with the obligations resulting from it, to the *Inspection Générale de Navigation*, to the administration of the port of Soulina, to the staff of the Navigation Treasury, and the Marine Hospital, and finally to the professional staff charged with the superintendence of works.

Art. 22.

The present Act shall be ratified; each of the High Contracting Parties shall ratify on a single copy, and the ratifications shall be deposited within two months, or, if possible, sooner, at the Chancellerie of the Imperial Divan, at Constantinople.

In earnest of which the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed it, and affixed thereto the seal of their arms.

Done at Galatz, the 2nd day of the month of November, 1865.

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Art. 1.

PUBLIC ACT Relative to the Navigation of the mouths of the Danube.

ANNEXE A.

REGULATION OF NAVIGATION AND POLICE RELATIVE TO THE LOWER DANUBE.

General Provisions.

Art. 1.

The navigation of the Lower Danube below Isaktcha is placed under the control of the Inspector-General of the Navigation of the Lower Danube, and the Captain of the Port of Soulina.

Both of these agents act under the superintendence of the European Commission of the Danube, and their authority is exercised with regard to all vessels without exception.

Art. 2.

The execution of the regulations applicable to the Lower Danube is likewise insured by the action of the vessels of war stationed at the mouths in accordance with Article 19 of the Treaty of Paris.

Every naval station deals with the vessels of its nationality, and those whose flag it is bound to protect, whether by virtue of Treaty or custom, or by general or special delegation.

In default of a vessel of war having power to interfere, the authorities charged with the police of the river may have recourse to the vessels of the territorial power.

Art. 3.

The Inspector-General is specially charged with the police of the Lower Danube, exclusive of the Port of Soulina.

He is assisted by several Overseers, distributed over the riverain sections under his jurisdiction.

Art. 4.

The Captain of the Port of Soulina is charged with the police of the port and external roadstead of Soulina.

Art. 5.

Merchant Captains of whatever nationality are bound to comply with the orders given to them, in virtue of the present Regulation, by the Inspector-General, and by the Captain of the Port of Soulina.

A special instruction, emanating from the European Commission regulates in its details the action of these two agents.

They are equally bound to declare to them, if demanded, their names, nationality, and the names of their vessel, and to produce to them their ship's roll, without prejudice to the provisions of Arts. 10, 17, and 65, which follow.

Art. 6.

Independently of the judicial functions which they perform in the cases foreseen by Article 79 and 107 of the present Regulation, the Inspector-General and the Captain of the Port decide summarily in disputes between Captains and their crews, assisted in such cases by two Captains of the nationality of the litigants, or, in default of these, by two other Captains. This authority is not exercised, however, until one of the interested parties has demanded their intervention, and when a more competent authority is not at hand.

TITLE I.

OF THE POLICE OF THE ROADSTEAD PORT AND OF SOULINA.

CHAPTER I.

Of the Police of the Roadstead of Soulina.

Art. 7.

The Roadstead of Soulina comprehends the waters of the sea for a radius of two nautical miles around the head of the Northern dyke.

Art. 8.

Every vessel arriving from sea and entering the Soulina roadstead is required to hoist its national flag.

Art. 9.

If it remains in harbour to take in or discharge cargo, it is nevertheless subject to the orders of the Captain of the port and of his agents in all that concerns the police of the navigation.

It has especially to conform to the provisions of the present Regulation comprised under Title V, relating to the lighter service.

Art. 10.

It must anchor in the place indicated by the chief or sub-chief of the pilots of Soulina, after which the Captain or second officer should present himself within twenty-four hours at the office of the Captain of the port, for the purpose of depositing the vessel's papers.

Art. 11.

The boats of vessels anchored in the roadstead are not permitted to circulate in the channel and port without carrying a light.

CHAPTER II.

Of the Police of the Port of Soulina.

Art. 12.

The port of Soulina comprehends the Soulina arm for a distance of three nautical miles from the opening of the channel formed by the heads of the dykes at the mouth.

Art. 13.

No sailing or steam-vessel drawing more than 60 tons can clear the Soulina channel either when arriving from sea or when leaving the river, without having on board a pilot certificated by the local authorities.

This provision, however, does not apply to steam vessels making periodical voyages, which are at liberty to employ their own pilots.

The pilotage service is regulated by special provisions contained in Title IV of the present Regulation.

Art. 14.

No vessel can enter or clear the port of Soulina without hoisting its national flag.

The authorities of the port do not permit passage to vessels without flags.

Art. 15.

In cases when, by reason of stormy weather the Soulina channel is judged impassable by the Captain of the port, a blue flag is hoisted on the lighthouse tower to give notice that the local pilots are unable to come into the roadstead.

Art. 16.

Two guard-boats lie at the two entries of the port.

Captains drop anchor at the spots indicated by the masters of these boats.

Art. 17.

They afterwards present themselves, within the twenty-four hours, at the office of the Captain of the port to produce their ship's papers.

They are at the same time bound, (Captains of steam vessels engaged in the postal service and making periodical journeys excepted), to present their papers to the Accountant of the Navigation Treasury of Soulina, who places on the ship's roll of every vessel entering the Danube, of whatever capacity, a stamp bearing these words:—"*Commission Européenne du Danube. Caisse de navigation de Soulina,*" the date of the year, and a number. This stamp is cancelled before the clearance of the vessel by means of the impression of a stamped signature.

If the vessels do not remain more than twenty-four hours at Soulina, the ship's papers are immediately returned to the Captains after the completion of the prescribed formalities; in the contrary case they remain at the office of the Captain of the port, by whom they are transmitted, if necessary, to the competent Consular authority, after payment of the navigation dues and the discharge or consignment of fines levied in virtue of the present regulation; excepting under these circumstances the ship's papers should always remain on board.

Art. 18.

When once at anchor, vessels moor themselves by means of cables to the posts placed along the

banks for this purpose, or to vessels already anchored.

Art. 19.

They rig in their jib boom and fore booms, which cannot in any case be used for mooring small craft.

During all the period of anchorage the yards are braced fore and aft.

Art. 20.

Lighters and vessels coasting close in shore are not permitted to circulate in the port at night time.

The boats of the port or of merchant vessels cannot change their position at night time without carrying a lighted lantern.

Art. 21.

The heating of pitch or tar on board vessels within the port is not permitted.

Captains will take care that on board their vessels no other lights than lamps with glasses, or lanterns, are used.

CHAPTER III.

Provisions common to the Roadstead and the Port of Soulina.

Art. 22.

Art. 64 of the present regulation which forbids the throwing overboard of ballast except at the spots designated for the purpose, applies especially to the roadstead and to the port of Soulina properly so called.

Art. 23.

The removal of anchors, chains and other objects abandoned in the port and the external roadstead cannot take place without the permission of the Captain of the Port.

Art. 24.

In cases of stranding, shipwreck or casualty, the Captain of the Port makes every effort to insure the preservation of the cargo, vessel, and gear, and to protect the general interests of navigation.

This done, he divests himself of the administration of the salvage, and forwards the documents drawn up by him to the nearest competent authority.

TITLE II.

OF THE POLICE OF THE RIVER.

CHAPTER I.

General Rule.

Every captain or master of a steam or sailing vessel, moving or stationary, anchored, or moored to the shore, is bound to take care that his vessel causes no hindrance to navigation, nor any injury, either to other vessels, or to the landing places, buoys, signals, towing paths, or other arrangements for navigation placed on the river or shores, and he should at the same time take steps to preserve himself.

Vessels navigating or stationed in the Soulina arm are required to carry their anchors swung freely at the cat-heads without attaching them at the ship's side.

The conductors of floats and rafts are subjected to the same precautionary regulations as vessels. Rafts and floats when they descend the Soulina arm, must have a draught of water less by one English foot, at least, than the depth of the shallowest of the shoals of the said arm. In no case are they permitted to draw more than twelve English feet.

CHAPTER II.

Regulations for Vessels Crossing or Passing each other.

Art. 26.

As a general rule it is forbidden for one vessel to pass another going in the same direction, and for two vessels advancing towards each other to cross at any point where the river is not sufficiently broad.

Art. 27.

No vessel may cross the course of another in such a manner as to check its progress.

When a vessel going up the river encounters another descending it, at a point where the breadth is insufficient, it should stop below the passage until the other vessel has traversed it; if the vessel going up the river is already in occupation of the passage, the descending vessel is required to let go the anchor, which should always be carried astern, and to remain above until the road is free.

Art. 28.

Steam vessels in the narrower passages may not approach to within short distances of the vessel preceding them.

Art. 29.

When two steam vessels, or two sailing vessels with a fair wind, meet going in contrary directions, the one ascending the river should bear to the left, and the one descending to the right, which will bring them starboard of each other, as is the custom at sea. The same takes place when a steam vessel meets a sailing vessel with a fair wind.

The Captain or Master who transgresses these rules should prove in case of collisions that it was not possible to observe them; in default of this he is responsible before the competent tribunal for the accidents resulting therefrom.

He is, besides, bound to make the signals prescribed by Articles 31 and 32 which follow.

If two steam vessels make simultaneously the same signal, that of the descending vessel shall be held as rule.

Art. 30.

When two steam vessels going contrary ways arrive at a bend in the river they should show the signals prescribed by Articles 31 and 32, hereafter, and the one which is below stops until the other vessel has cleared the passage.

Art. 31.

When a steam vessel desires to precede another vessel going in the same direction, it gives notice of its intention before getting to a short distance from the other vessel, by striking a bell or whistling, five times, and waving a hand-flag from the fore-castle, or by hoisting a flag half-mast during the day, or a lighted lantern with a white glass during the night, upon these signals, the foremost vessel proceeds to the left, leaving the passage to the vessel following, which proceeds to the right; as soon as the latter arrives to within half a ship's length of the former or of the vessel towed by it, it should slacken speed until it has been passed.

Art. 32.

When a sailing vessel of superior speed catches up another vessel, and desires to pass it, it gives signal of its intention by hoisting its fore-runner, who is bound to permit it to go to windward.

If a steam vessel wishes to pass a sailing vessel going in the same direction as its own, it

gives the signals prescribed by Article 31 before arriving to within a short distance of the vessel in advance, and goes to windward of it.

Art. 33.

Steam-vessels descending the river should slacken speed at points where there are sharp bends, until from the vessel's stern the eye can command the passage. If vessels occupy the bend, the steamer gives notice of its approach by a whistle signal.

Art. 34.

All steamers are bound to avoid drifting vessels, whether they meet them in mounting or descending the river.

The drifting vessel should, on its side, when it meets other vessels, sailing or steaming, keep parallel to the banks, so as to present the least obstacle to the passage.

Art. 35.

Vessels tacking should take precautions so as not to cross the course of steam vessels.

Art. 36.

Captains and masters of heavy laden vessels, or of laden vessels under sixty tons, are bound to avoid as much as possible the route taken by steamers which meet or overtake them.

Captains of steam-vessels, on their side, when they pass vessels such as those designated above, should slacken speed, or stop completely in cases where the said vessels are endangered, provided always that they can do so without danger to themselves or to the vessels which they have in tow.

Art. 37.

In conforming to the Rules 26 to 36 which precede the present, vessels should have regard to the dangers of the navigation, and take into consideration those particular circumstances which may justify a departure from them in order to guard against a more immediate danger.

CHAPTER III.

Rules for the Towing Service.

Captains or masters of towing-boats, with or without convoys, are required to observe all the preceding provisions, and especially the rules prescribed by Articles 31, 32, and 33, when one convoy is desirous of passing another; except in this case, no convoys can ever be side by side, either when moored or when proceeding on their voyage.

In cases of meeting with sailing or steam vessels proceeding in a contrary direction, the tow-vessel, if it is mounting the river, has the power of disregarding the prescriptions of Article 29 in order to keep itself out of the current, if it can do so without danger to the vessels which it meets.

The tow-vessel is bound, if it avails itself of this power, to make the signals prescribed by the foregoing Articles 31 and 32.

Art. 39.

As a general rule all steam-vessels not towing convoys, as well as all sailing vessels under a fair wind, should give place to a convoy of towed vessels. In default of space sufficient to effect this, the captains and masters, as well of the tow as the vessels towed, are bound, even in cases where the prescribed signals have not been made, to deviate in accordance with the provisions of the said Articles, and to arrange in one line the vessels tugged.

Captains and masters of tow-boats and vessels towed should besides, wherever they meet other vessels, bring the vessels forming the convoy as near as possible to each other, so as to leave sufficient room for the other craft.

Paddle tugs may not moor alongside any vessels that they tug in the Soulina Channel.

It is forbidden, as a general rule, to navigate in this arm with more than two vessels moored side to side.

CHAPTER IV.

Rules for Towing.

Art. 40.

The path which runs along the bank of the river is specially destined for the towing of vessels either by men or animals of draught: pedestrians and carriages may also use it.

Art. 41.

The towing-path should be free from all obstacles which hinder its use, as bushes, trees, enclosures, houses, or other constructions.

Art. 42.

It is prohibited to establish in the river, and especially near the banks, mills, or boats, irrigation wheels, and other similar constructions without the formal sanction of the authority directing the River Police.

Art. 43.

It is expressly forbidden to dig ditches across the towing path, unless the river proprietor undertakes to establish to maintain the communication by means of a bridge.

Art. 44.

Mooring-posts having been established along the Soulina, Captains and Masters will avoid fixing stakes or fastening anchors on the towing paths for mooring their vessels.

Art. 45.

If two vessels whilst being towed in opposite directions meet on the same bank, the vessel going up-stream must give way to enable the other vessel to pass.

If a vessel towed by animals should overtake a train of vessels towed by men, the latter must allow the former to pass.

In the case where a vessel being towed meets another moored in the river, the Captain of the latter is bound to permit the sailors of the towed vessel to get on board his ship to pass the tow-rope.

Art. 46.

It is forbidden to pass tow-boats unless on the opposite bank to that on which the towing is performed.

Towed boats are required in conformity with the signals prescribed by the above Articles 31 and 32, to keep as close as possible to the bank which they skirt.

CHAPTER V.

Rules for Navigating the River during the night or in foggy weather.

Art. 47.

Every steam-boat navigating during the night (between the rising and setting of the sun) is required to show a white light, easily visible at the distance of at least two miles, hoisted at the top of the foremast, a green light on the star-board side, and a red light on the port side.

The side lights must be provided on board, with screens placed from back to front, in such a manner that the green light cannot be perceived on the port quarter, nor the red light on the star-board quarter.

Sailing vessels under sail, or being towed, must carry the same lights as steam-ships under weigh, except the white light at the foremast, which they must not use at any time.

Steam-boats towing one or several other vessels at the same time, must carry, independently of their side lights, two white lights placed one above the other at the mast-head, to distinguish them from other steam-boats.

For the application of the rules prescribed by the present Article, every steam-vessel proceeding under sail only, is considered as a sailing vessel, and every steam-ship, of which the machinery is in movement, is considered, whatever sails may be employed, as a steam-vessel.

Rafts navigating at night must carry a white light at each angle, and three white lights at the masthead, placed one underneath the other.

Art. 48.

Sailing vessels, vessels towed by steam-tugs, and rafts, must not proceed when it is not sufficiently clear to permit both banks of the river to be seen at the same time.

Art. 49.

In foggy weather, steam-boats must only proceed slowly, and sound the bell on board without ceasing, sounding the whistle also every five minutes; and they are required to drop anchor if the fog should become so dense that it is impossible for them to perceive the bank on the side they are keeping or to which their course is directed.

Art. 50.

Vessels are forbidden to leave their hawsers across the stream during the night or in foggy weather.

CHAPTER VI.

Rules for Vessels at Anchor.

Art. 51.

It is expressly forbidden to cast anchor or to moor vessels in the navigable channel.

With the exception provided for by Art. 66 hereafter, it is likewise forbidden to vessels to moor or to anchor in the bends of the river even along the banks, under penalty of liability for any damage that may arise therefrom.

Outside the ports, two or several vessels will not be permitted to be anchored or moored alongside of each other along the towing paths.

Art. 52.

When, on account of fogs, a vessel or a raft is obliged to stop elsewhere than at a regular place of anchorage, it will be requisite, in the case of steam-vessels, to sound the bell on board, and in contrary cases, to hail with the speaking trumpet. These signals must be repeated every five minutes.

Art. 53.

Every vessel stopped on the river during the night must be furnished with a lighted lantern, placed at the extremity either of one of the main yards, or in some other prominent part of the vessel, on the side of the channel, so that it may be clearly perceived by vessels descending or ascending the stream.

Rafts remaining at anchor during the night must carry the lights prescribed by the last paragraph of Art. 47 above, except those at the two angles on the side of the bank, which must be extinguished.

Art. 54.

When a vessel, for the purpose of mooring, or in case of grounding referred to in the following chapter, is obliged to place a cable or a chain across the channel, these moorings must be promptly loosened as soon as another vessel presents itself for passage.

CHAPTER VII.

Rules in case of Grounding or Shipwreck.

Art. 55.

Every Captain or Master of a vessel or of a raft grounded in the stream of the Souliua is required to station, at a suitable point, and at least one kilometre up-stream above his vessel, a look-out, charged to hail vessels and rafts descending the stream to warn them of the nature and of the locality of the accident.

Art. 56.

Steam-vessels are only permitted to use half steam in passing places where a vessel or a raft has grounded or sunk.

Art. 57.

Every shipwreck in the stream of the Souliua is regarded, unless in exceptional cases, and until there is proof to the contrary, as arising from negligence or ill-will on the part of the Master or the crew.

The Pilot of the vessel is personally responsible for the shipwreck if there is reason to believe it to have been occasioned by unskilful seamanship.

Art. 58.

If, contrary to all probability, a vessel should be wrecked in the Souliua, the Master should endeavour by every means to haul at once to one of the banks, so as not to rest fixed in the channel.

The Captain of the wrecked vessel, and his crew must remain on board or on the bank in proximity to the scene of disaster until the official report mentioned in Art. 59 following, has been drawn up.

They are forbidden to remove on any pretext whatever, any of the cargo, materials, anchors, chains, cables, &c.

Art. 59.

Directly after the shipwreck the Pilot of the vessel must apprise, as promptly as possible, the Inspector-General of Navigation, through the agents for watching the river.

The Inspector-General will at once proceed to the spot and prepare a detailed official report of the disaster, which he must communicate to the proper authority.

Art. 60.

If the Inspector-General should consider it necessary in the interests of navigation, to take immediate measures, he will summon the Captain of the vessel for this purpose, who will be compelled to declare at once whether it is his intention to abandon his vessel, or to act with his crew under the orders of the Inspector-General who will direct the salvage until the operation, having become a matter of private interest, ceases to be a measure of public utility.

A vessel of which salvage has been effected by the care of the authority charged with the police of the river can be held to cover the cost of salvage, and of the custody of the materials.

Art. 61.

Every work undertaken by the owners, assurers, and other persons interested, with the view to effect the salvage of wrecked vessels or of their cargoes, must be performed under the inspection of the Inspector-General or of his agents, and can be at any moment forbidden if of a nature to impede the navigation of the river.

Art. 62.

If, unless in the case of emergency provided for by Art. 60 above, the removal of the hull or of portions of the wreck should be considered requisite, the proprietors, assurers, or others interested must effect it within a month of the notification made to them to this effect, in default of which the work can be performed by the staff of the Inspector-General under the conditions prescribed by Art. 60 above; the shipwrecked vessel, together with its rigging or the fragments is specially liable, in such case, for the payment of the cost of removal.

Art. 63.

In case of damage, and particularly if such damage be caused by collision, the Inspector-General, if he is able to prove the facts, and in case of being required by one of the parties interested, must likewise prepare a report and forward it to the proper authority.

CHAPTER VIII.

Rules for Throwing Ballast Overboard.

Art. 64.

Vessels are absolutely forbidden to throw ballast into the bed of the stream or into the road of Soulina, and it is equally forbidden for them to discharge it at sea in the neighbourhood of the roads, at a bottom of less than 60 feet English.

The discharge of ballast on land outside the Port of Soulina, can only be effected at such points of the bank as may be determined by the Inspector-General of Navigation, and indicated by public notice.

The Captain of the Port of Soulina will indicate the places at which ballast can be discharged in the port.

The ballast discharged should be in all cases carried to such a distance, that the foot of the heap should be at least 20 feet from the natural bank of the stream.

The provisions of this Article apply equally to cinders and ashes thrown from steamers.

Art. 65.

To ensure as far as possible the execution of the preceding article, every vessel in ballast quitting the Port of Soulina, for one of the ports situated above, must be furnished with a certificate of the Captain of the Port, stating the draught of water produced by the ballast.

This certificate must be preserved on board throughout the duration of the voyage up the river, to be produced whenever required by the Inspector-General or his agents.

TITLE III.

Administration of the Port of Toultscha.

Art. 66.

Every vessel desiring to stop at Toultscha must be moored to the right bank. More than three vessels will not however, at any time, be allowed to moor alongside each other.

Art. 67.

No vessel will be allowed to anchor in the navigable channel before Toultscha on the right of the warpings and the red buoys fixed along the left bank of the river, nor between the posts on the right bank, bearing reversed anchors.

Art. 68.

Vessels will be allowed to haul on the buoys and warpings to double the bend of the river at Toultscha, but will not in any case be permitted to moor to any fixed posts.

It is understood that this provision does not apply to steam-vessels making periodical voyages, and which may stop temporarily before Toultscha.

It is equally forbidden for two or several vessels to haul at the same time on the same buoy.

TITLE IV.

PILOTAGE SERVICE AT THE MOUTH AND IN THE STREAM OF THE RIVER.

CHAPTER I.

Pilotage at the Mouth.

Art. 69.

Pilotage at the mouth being compulsory, as stated in Art. 13 of the present regulations, a special staff of certificated and responsible pilots do duty at Soulina under the direction of the Chief Pilot and of the Captain of the Port.

These Pilots will be entitled Pilots of the first class.

Art. 70.

A boat will be ready to convey the pilots on board vessels coming towards port from seawards so soon as the look-out on the lighthouse tower signals their approach.

Pilots are required to go to meet vessels as far as one mile from the angle of the northern dyke.

Art. 71.

When on board they will inform the Captains of the depth of water on the bar, and the Captains will declare to the Pilots the draught of water, and the tonnage of the lading of their vessels.

The tonnage of lading must be declared by the Pilots without delay to the Captain of the Port of Soulina.

Art. 72.

Every Pilot not belonging to the Soulina Pilot Staff who may be on board a vessel about to pass the bar is required as soon as possible after the arrival of the local Pilot to yield to him the conduct of the vessel.

Art. 73.

On leaving the river the local Pilot is required to conduct the vessel to the distance of a quarter of a mile at least to the east of the angle of the northern dyke,

Art. 74.

The pilotage duty both for entry at, and clearance from the river being comprised in the navigation dues charged at Soulina, it is forbidden for Pilots ranked as first class, to receive any remuneration on the part of the Captain whose vessel they may pilot.

CHAPTER II.

Pilotage in the River.

Art. 75.

Independently of the staff of Pilots of the first class charged with the conduct of vessels in the channel of the mouth of the Soulina and directed by the Captain of the Port, there is a special service of Pilots equally certificated and responsible, designated Pilots of the second class, for vessels which navigate the river between Soulina and Ibraïla.

The service of river pilotage properly so called is placed under the inspection of the Inspector-General of the navigation and is directed by a Chief Pilot who has three offices, at Galatz, at Ibraïla, and at Toultocha, and by a deputy residing at Soulina.

Art. 76.

Masters of merchant vessels will not be required to take a certificated Pilot in remounting the river when they themselves effect the voyage on board of their vessel; the Deputy-Pilot of Soulina, charged with the river pilotage, is required, nevertheless, in the same case to procure a Pilot if the Master of a vessel should require it.

In navigating down the river, every vessel of above 60 tons, as well as every raft or train of wood, must take a certificated Pilot of the second class. The same is required for vessels above sixty tons remounting the river without having the Master of the vessel on board.

Art. 77.

In going up the river, the voyage commences the moment the vessel quits the Port of Soulina to ascend the river, and it terminates on the arrival of the vessel either at its port of destination or at Ibraïla, when destined for a port situated above Ibraïla or at Matchin.

The down voyage commences at Ibraïla, or on quitting the port at which the vessel has taken its cargo, or its expedition if descending empty, in case the port should be situated below Ibraïla, the voyage terminating at the moment the vessel is anchored in the Port of Soulina.

Vessels leaving Matchin, Guelchid, or a port situated above Ibraïla, must take their Pilot for the down voyage in passing Ibraïla, those which leave the ports of Réni or Ismaïl have the option of taking the Pilot in passing Toultocha.

Art. 78.

Masters of vessels will arrange with the Pilots the pay which is to be paid to the latter for their services for piloting of vessels ascending the river.

In case however of disputes in this respect, the authorities of the ports will not admit on the part of the Pilots any demand, of which the object is to obtain payment of more than half a Dutch ducat per diem beyond what they receive on board. The pilotage due for vessels going down the river is comprised in the navigation dues charged at Soulina.

The Chief Pilot of the river service deducts the sum of four francs from the amount of the due

paid by each vessel for pilotage on descending the river; the surplus of the due is paid to the Pilot.

This due can only be validly paid to the Accountant of the Navigation Treasury at Soulina.

CHAPTER III.

Rules common to the Mouth and the Course of the River.

Art. 79.

The Inspector-General and the Captain of the Port of Soulina, each within his jurisdiction, will decide disputes between certificated Pilots and Captains of merchant vessels in case the latter require their intervention.

Art. 80.

Certificated Pilots are required to inform the Inspector-General or the Captain of the Port of Soulina of any infractions committed in their presence.

They are forbidden to have any interest direct or indirect, in any lighterage operation or undertaking.

Art. 81.

Pilots who through incapacity or carelessness have occasioned a collision, grounding, or wreck, are dismissed, without prejudice however to any civil action which claimants may bring against them before any competent tribunal.

If the events which have occasioned the disaster are of a nature to entail criminal punishment, the pilots will be handed over to the proper authorities, to be tried conformably with the law.

TITLE V.

Lighterage Services.

CHAPTER I.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

Art. 82.

The lighters on the Lower Danube are divided into two classes, namely, those which are exclusively employed in the local service at the Soulina mouth, or of any passage in the course of the stream; and those which are employed in the coasting trade in lading at an interior port to discharge at Soulina or in the outer road.

Art. 83.

No person will be allowed to undertake any operation of local lighterage without having caused to be registered by the Captain of the Port of Soulina, the vessels intended to be used as lighters, and before being furnished with a licence from the Captain of the Port.

Before granting the licence, the Captain must cause the vessel intended for lighterage services to be visited by a Commission, in order to determine if such vessel is in good condition, and who will certify her capacity in tons register and her burden in kilos of Constantinople. This examination will be renewed every year. The licence granted by the Captain of the Port should always be kept on board the lighter.

Vessels furnished with regular ships' papers may be employed occasionally to lighter other vessels, the Captains being required to make for each operation a special declaration, and to deposit their papers, including the roll of the crew, either at the office of the Captain of the Port of

Soulina, if it be a case of lightering a vessel at the mouth, or at the office of the Inspector-General, in case of operations to be effected in the stream.

CHAPTER II.

Of Local Lighters.

Art. 84.

The lighters, whether sailers or steamers, are not permitted to have any vacant space in the hold except such as may be duly recognized by the Captain of the Port at the time the licence is accorded.

Art. 85.

It is forbidden to lighters from the moment they have come alongside of vessels of which they are to receive the cargo, to leave such vessels until the said vessels have weighed anchor.

The Master of the vessel being lightered has the right to place at his own cost, such guard as he may choose, on board the lighter he employs.

It is forbidden to lighters which go into the roads to load on the deck.

Art. 86.

No lighter can leave the Port of Soulina to go to the road without the written permission of the Captain of the Port; such permission is presented at the guard-ship stationed, conformably to Art. 16 of the present regulations, at the entry of the port, on the side towards the sea.

Art. 87.

As a general rule lighters must leave the Port of Soulina at the same time as the vessels they have lightered.

Whenever a vessel has been served by several lighters the Captain of the Port will arrange the departure in such a manner that they will not have to remain too long in the road without being able to reload.

Art. 88.

Any lighter which may rejoin in the road the vessel she has lightered, must not quit such vessel on any pretext, except in case of bad weather, before having returned the cargo to the said vessel.

As regards local lighterage operations performed in the inner course of the river, the lighters sail in consort with the lightered vessels.

So soon as the relading of goods has been effected on board the lightered vessel the Master is required to give a written acquittance.

Art. 89.

Lighters entering the Port of Soulina, after having lightered a boat, must present their written permission to leave to the guard-boat, which has the right to visit them.

Lighters which quit the roads during the evening or during the night, after having lightered a vessel which has left the river, must cast anchor in a place specially designated for their anchorage, and are not allowed to ascend further until the next day.

Art. 90.

The surveillance of local lighterage operations, which may be effected at the mouth, is performed by the Captain of the Port of Soulina; the surveillance of such operations as may be performed in the river being exercised by the Inspector-General, or by his agents.

CHAPTER III.

Coasting Lighters.

Art. 91.

Operations of coasting lighterage may be effected by all steam transports, towing lighters, sailing vessels or lighters furnished with regular papers, on condition that the Captains or Conductors have delivered to them for each voyage, to the Consular authorities or proper local officers in the ports in which they load their cargo, a Certificate stating the object and conditions of the operation.

Art. 92.

So soon as a coasting lighter arrives in the Port of Soulina, the Conductor must proceed to the office of the Captain of the Port, and present the Certificate above mentioned.

If the lighter discharges the whole of her cargo in the interior of the port of Soulina, she must moor alongside the vessel which is to receive the merchandize, and must not leave until the entire discharge of the cargo has been effected.

If the cargo of the lighter is to be discharged either wholly or partly in the road of Soulina, the master of the lighter returns the certificate prescribed by Art. 91 to the Captain of the Port who delivers to the master his authority to leave.

Art. 93.

The provisions of the present regulations as to local lighters are equally applicable to coasting lighters during their stay in the port or in the road of Soulina.

Nevertheless the steam transports and tow-boats are not subjected in re-entering to the visit prescribed by Art. 89 above, unless one of the parties interested should demand it, and in cases of suspected fraud.

CHAPTER IV.

Special Regulations in case of Bad Weather.

Art. 94.

When a vessel, obliged by stress of weather to quit the roadstead of Soulina, leaves on board the lighter the whole or part of her cargo, the master of the lighter must return to port and retain provisionally his lading.

Art. 95.

If, in the case provided for by the preceding article, the lightered vessel should not re-appear within twelve days, the masters of the lighters have the right to demand of the Captain of the Port the authority to discharge the cargo and to consign it into the hands of duly authorized persons, and they may demand the payment of the freight agreed on, as if they had replaced the cargo on board the vessel lightered, but without any additional charge.

If previously to the expiration of the time above specified the vessel returns to the roadstead to leave again, the days lapsed will not be reckoned, and a new interval will commence from the day of her appearance.

CHAPTER V.

Special Regulations in case of Fraud.

Art. 96.

In case of presumed inexactitude, or of false statement of the capacity of the lighter, the

merchant captain has the right to have the tonnage verified by a commission specially designated, according to circumstances either by the Captain of the Port of Soulina or by the Inspector-General of Navigation.

The costs of examination are to be paid by the captain who may have required it, unless the inexactitude or false declaration should be proved, in which case they will have to be paid by the lighter.

Art. 97.

If the captain of a vessel lightered has reason to believe that a part of her cargo has been fraudulently appropriated on board the lighter he may have chartered, he must report it either to the Captain of the Port of Soulina or to the Inspector-General, who will take the measures prescribed by their special instructions.

If it is discovered that the suspicion is unfounded, the cost of inquiry must be paid by the captain of the lightered vessel.

TITLE VI.

INFRACTIONS.

CHAPTER I.

PENALTIES ATTACHED.

§ 1.

Infractions of Regulations of Title I, respecting the Police of the Roads and Port of Soulina.

Art. 98.

Every infraction of the regulations of the second paragraph of Art. 4,* and of the provisions of Arts. 8, 10, 11, 14, 16, 19, 20, 21 and 23 of the present regulations, will be punished by a fine of not less than one Dutch ducat nor exceeding 5 Dutch ducats.

The Master of every sea-going ship other than packet-boats employed on the packet service, found in the Danube, and of which the roll of the crew does not bear the stamp referred to in Art. 17 of the present regulations, or bears one or several cancelled stamps, is subject to a fine of not less than 10 ducats nor exceeding 50 ducats.

§ 2.

Infractions of Provisions of Title II respecting the Police of the River.

Art. 99.

All infractions of the provisions of the second paragraph of Art. 25, and of the provisions of Arts. 27, 29, 31, 32, 33, 34, 36, 38, 39, 41, to 54 inclusive, 56, 60, and 65, will be punished by a penalty of not less than 3, nor exceeding 10 ducats.

Any conductor of a raft or float found navigating in the arm of the Soulina, and having a draught of water superior to that prescribed by the third paragraph of Art. 25 above, is amenable to a fine of not less than 10 ducats and not exceeding 50 ducats.

Every infraction of the provisions of Art. 64 is equally amenable to a fine of not less than 10 ducats and not exceeding 50 ducats, if any ballast has been unlawfully loaded or thrown overboard. The fine for throwing overboard cinders or ashes in the bed of the arm of the Soulina, in the road, or in the adjacent parts of the sea, where the depth is less than 60 feet English, is 5 ducats.

* Art. 5 is to be substituted for Art. 4.

§ 3.

Infractions of Regulations of Title III respecting the Police of the Port of Toultscha.

Art. 100.

Infractions of the provisions of Arts. 66, 67, and 68 will be punished by a fine of 5 ducats.

§ 4.

Infractions of Provisions of Title IV respecting Pilot Service.

Art. 101.

Any infraction of the provisions of the first paragraph of Art. 13 or of the second paragraph of Art. 76 is punishable by a fine of not more than 30 nor less than 15 ducats.

Any refusal of the declarations prescribed by Art. 71 or intentional inexactitude in these declarations, either on the part of the Captains or on the part of the pilots, and any infraction of Art. 72 will be punishable by a fine of not less than 5 ducats nor exceeding 10 ducats.

Every infraction committed by the certificated pilots of the 1st or 2nd class, or by the chief or sub-chief pilots, of the provisions of the present regulations, or of the instructions which are given to them, and to which there is no special penalty attached, is punishable by a fine of not more than 30 ducats.

§ 5.

Infractions of the Provisions of Title V respecting the Lighter Service.

Art. 102.

All infractions of the provisions of Articles 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, and 94, are punishable by a fine of not less than 5, nor more than 10 ducats.

§ 6.

Injuries and Acts of Violence.

Art. 103.

Every injury to, or offence committed against the Agents charged to maintain the control of the navigation, engaged in the performance of their duties, as well as any injury to, or offence committed against the Authority under whom such Agents act, is punishable by a fine of not less than 1 ducat nor more than 5 ducats.

Should any act of violence be perpetrated against the Police Agents in the execution of their duty, the maximum penalty may be fixed as high as 30 ducats.

CHAPTER II.

Rules for the application of Penalties.

Art. 104.

The maximum penalty can be doubled in case of repetition of the offence.

As regards Captains of sea-going vessels, repetition of an offence will be held to have been committed in case of two infractions occurring during the time that the vessel has not quitted the Danube.

As regards Masters of lighters and pilots, the same offence is considered as repeated when it occurs twice within the space of one year,

Art. 105.

Penalties are not applicable in case of infractions arising from stress of weather.

Art. 106.

Independently of the penalties to which they are condemned, persons contravening the regulations may be sued before the proper tribunals to make good any damages they may have occasioned.

Art. 107.

Masters of vessels are personally responsible for infractions committed by their crews.

Art. 108.

The Inspector-General of Navigation and the Captain of the Port of Soulina take cognizance of infractions committed within their jurisdiction, against the provisions of the present regulations, and can, in the first instance, pronounce the application of the penalties incurred on account of such infractions.

The notification of their judgments is made at Soulina, in the Court of the Consular or Local Authority to whom the person convicted is amenable, if the offence has been committed in descending the river, and is made to the same authority at the port of entry of the vessel where the infraction has been committed going up the river, it may also be legally given to the person committing the offence.

Art. 109.

The penalties are applied, until they reach the amount of 100 ducats a year, to the augmentation of the fund created for the benefit of necessitous pilots; the surplus is paid to the account of the navigation dues to be applied to the support of the marine hospital established at Soulina.

Art. 110.

Judgments may be appealed against within three months of notification, either before the European Commission or before the Mixed Tribunal, which may eventually be instituted at Soulina.

In case of appeal the amount of the penalty is paid to the navigation treasury, and will be held there until the termination of the suit.

Judgment on appeal is definitive, and cannot be made the subject of any further appeal.

An appeal can only be made within the expiration of three months from the time of notification, afterwards the amount of the penalty will belong to the Navigation Treasury.

Art. 111.

The present regulations will take effect after the ratification of the public Act to which it is annexed, and on the day fixed by special publication made by the European Commission for the purpose.

The provisional navigation regulations of the 24th November, 1864, cease to have effect from the same date.

CONCLUDING PROVISION.

Art. 112.

The present regulation annexed to the public Act, dated this day, can be modified according to necessity by the European Commission, or by the International Authority, which may be sub-

stituted in its place in virtue of Article 17 of the Treaty of Paris.

Done at Galatz, this 2nd November, 1865.

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Act relating to the Navigation of the Mouths of the River Danube.

ANNEXE B.

TARIFF of NAVIGATION DUES to be levied at the Mouth of the Danube.

PREAMBLE.

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION OF THE DANUBE.

WHEREAS by Art. 16 of the Treaty of Paris of the 30th March, 1856, declaring that the cost of the works to be executed in freeing the mouths of the Danube and of the adjacent portions of sea from the obstacles which obstruct them, as well as the cost of the establishments intended to secure and to facilitate the navigation should be paid by means of charges fixed by the Commission;

Whereas the provisional tariff was framed in consequence on the 25th January, 1860, and a revised tariff on the 7th March, 1863;

Whereas the works undertaken at the mouth of the Soulina are now finished, and that by means of the increased depth which has been obtained, the obstacles to navigation at this point have been removed;

Whereas the works of improvement and cleansing executed in the stream of the river, the construction of a lighthouse at the Saint George's mouth, the improvements introduced with regard to the establishments to which the Treaty refers, the creation of a marine hospital at Soulina, to which sick or shipwrecked seamen are gratuitously admitted, ensure to the navigation of the river considerable advantages;

Whereas under these circumstances, and to provide as much for the paying off of the amount spent on the works, as also the cost of their preservation as well as of their eventual development, and of the maintenance of the above said establishments, it is necessary to adopt definitive regulations in the place of the provisional arrangements of the tariff actually in force;

And whereas experience has shown that it will be to the advantage of the navigation that all the dues charged for the improvement works should be incorporated into a single fixed due with the charges made on account of lighting and pilotage,

Have decreed the following tariff:

Art. 1.

Every sailing vessel measuring more than 30 tons, quitting the port of Soulina to go to sea, and which may have completed according to her manifest more than one third of her full lading, will pay per ton measurement a fixed navigation due, of which the amount will be determined hereafter according to the total tonnage of the vessel, and to the depth of the channel at the mouth of the arm of the Soulina.

VESSELS ascending stream to take cargo at an inland port, will pay the duties specified in the following Table :—

Vessels.	Amount of Duty per Ton according to Depth of Water at Mouth.						
	less than 10 feet.	of 10 feet and not more than 11 feet.	of more than 11 feet to 12 feet.	of more than 12 feet to 13 feet.	of more than 13 feet to 14 feet.	of more than 14 feet to 15 feet.	of more than 15 feet.
	f. c.	f. c.	f. c.	f. c.	f. c.	f. c.	f. c.
Of more than 30 and less than 100 tons...	0 80	0 80	0 80	0 80	0 80	0 90	0 80
100 to 150 tons ...	1 05	1 55	2 05	2 05	2 05	2 05	2 05
More than 150 and not exceeding 200 tons	1 05	1 55	2 05	2 55	2 55	2 55	2 55
More than 200 and not exceeding 250 tons	1 05	1 55	2 05	2 55	2 80	2 80	2 80
More than 250 and not exceeding 300 tons	1 05	1 55	2 05	2 55	2 80	3 05	3 05
More than 300 tons ...	1 05	1 55	2 05	2 55	2 80	3 05	3 30

VESSELS which load their cargo in the Port of Souina without mounting the river beyond the said port, will pay only the following dues :—

Vessels.	Amount of Duty per Ton according to Depth of Water at Mouth.						
	less than 10 feet.	of 10 feet and more than 11 feet.	of more than 11 feet to 12 feet.	of more than 12 feet to 13 feet.	of more than 13 feet to 14 feet.	of more than 14 feet to 15 feet.	of more than 15 feet.
	f. c.	f. c.	f. c.	f. c.	f. c.	f. c.	f. c.
Of more than 30 and less than 100 tons...	0 50	0 50	0 50	0 50	0 50	0 50	0 50
100 to 150 tons ...	0 90	1 30	1 80	1 80	1 80	1 80	1 80
More than 150 and not exceeding 200 tons	0 90	1 30	1 80	2 15	2 15	2 15	2 15
More than 200 and not exceeding 250 tons	0 90	1 30	1 80	2 15	2 35	2 35	2 35
More than 250 and not exceeding 300 tons	0 90	1 30	1 80	2 15	2 35	2 55	2 55
More than 300 tons ...	0 90	1 30	1 80	2 15	2 35	2 55	2 80
Vessels of 300 tons or more, which, in consequence of want of sufficient depth of water, cannot receive their entire cargo in port ...	0 90	1 30	1 50	1 70	1 80	1 90	2 00

Art. 2.

Steamboats belonging to a public company specially engaged in the conveyance of passengers and making periodical voyages according to previous announcement, will pay on leaving the river a fixed duty of 60 centimes per ton measurement whether wholly or partly laden.

This duty will be calculated on the net tonnage of the boat as may be indicated by the ship's papers, that is to say, after deduction of the

weight of machinery and fuel has been made from the total tonnage.

If the tonnage of the machinery is not indicated in the ship's papers, a deduction of 37 per cent. will be made on the total tonnage for paddle-wheel ships, and of 32 per cent. for screw vessels; the deduction will be made after the conversion of the tonnage of the vessel into English tons, effected in conformity with the regulations of Article 14 hereafter.

These vessels will be freed from all duty on entering the river.

Art. 3.

All commercial steam-vessels, other than those specified in the preceding Article will be subject to the same dues as sailing vessels, except the amount deducted for machinery and fuel, which will be effected on their total tonnage upon the base determined by the preceding Article. The amount of the fixed duty that such vessels will have to pay per ton measurement, will be determined conformably to the foregoing table according as they shall, or shall not, have ascended the river above the Port of Soulina, and after the deduction accorded to them by the first paragraph of the present Article.

Steam vessels not included in the category determined by Art. 2 above, and which shall make the voyage of the Danube, going and returning more than twice in the same year, will enjoy a deduction of 40 per cent. on the amount of the duties charged on entry and clearance, for each of the light voyages, before the end of the year, which they may perform after the two first, and if the number of annual voyages should exceed 10, the reduction shall be 60 per cent. for each voyage after the tenth during the year.

The number of voyages such vessels may have performed entering or clearing with less than one third of their cargo, will not be reckoned in the number of voyages necessary to obtain the advantage of the above reduction of dues.

Art. 4.

Sailing vessels and commercial steam vessels besides those specified in Art. 2 which may enter the Port of Soulina from the sea, and which shall have according to their manifest more than one third cargo, will pay for entering in the river the fourth part of the tax imposed for clearance by Arts. 1 and 3 above. The duty on entry will only be paid by vessels at the moment when they leave the river. The said vessels will pay on entry the integral amount of the tax fixed by Arts. 1 and 3, if they leave the river with less than one-third of their cargo.

Art. 5.

Lighters freighted for the passage of the mouth of the Soulina by vessels which have paid the duties established by the preceding Articles will pay for each passage performed with a complete or partial lading, only the following amount:—

Lighters of a burden of from 10 to 50 tons, 6 francs.

Those of a burden of more than 50 tons and not exceeding 100 tons, 8 francs.

Art. 6.

Vessels which remain anchored in the road of Soulina to load or discharge by means of lighters the whole or part of their cargo, will not be subjected to the dues established by Arts. 1, 3, or 4, above, they will pay only a uniform tax of 100 francs for each vessel, to contribute to the expenses of the establishments by which they profit.

Such of the said vessels as may enter the port without performing any operation of commerce which may be of a nature to subject them to the dues established by Arts. 1, 2, 3, or 4 above, will pay in addition to the above duty of 100 francs authorized by the preceding paragraph, 50 cents per ton for lighthouse and pilotage duty. This duty will be levied only once, on the vessels leaving port.

Lighters freighted to transport across the mouth the cargoes of vessels which shall have paid no other dues than those established by the

present Article, must pay for each passage across the mouth, with an entire or partial lading, a fixed due of 1 franc per ton on the total tonnage.

The lighters employed in discharging ballast will be exempt from all dues.

The duties of 50 centimes per ton respectively imposed by the present Article on sea-going vessels or lighters will be calculated for steamboats on the net tonnage, in conformity with the rules established by Article 2.

Art. 7.

Rafts and floats, of which the dimensions do not exceed 100 English feet in length by 40 feet in width, and which have been towed in descending the arm of the Soulina, will have to pay, on leaving the mouth, a fixed duty of 100 francs.

The duty will be 300 francs for every raft and float which shall have been towed in going down the arm of the Soulina, as well as for those of which the dimensions exceed 100 feet English in length or 40 feet in width.

Art. 8.

Vessels of war are exempt from all dues either on entering or clearing the Soulina mouth as are also tugs when they are not employed as lighters in conveying portions of the cargo of the vessels tugged.

Art. 9.

Vessels of more than sixty tons which enter the port of Soulina and clear again with less than a third of their cargo, and which are in consequence exempted from the dues established by the preceding Arts. 1, 2, and 3, shall pay, on clearance, a tax of fifty-five centimes per ton for lighthouse and pilotage dues.

The same tax shall be paid by sea-going vessels serving occasionally as lighters, and this shall be over and above the duty of 1 franc per ton imposed by paragraph 3 of Article 6 above.

Sea-going vessels or lighters which put into Soulina from stress of weather, and those which, by reason of casualties, are obliged to take refuge in the port, and are unable to continue their voyage, shall be free of all duty, provided they go to sea again without engaging in any commercial operation.

Art. 10.

Both sailing and steam-vessels, without exception, coming from sea with more than a third of their lading, and entering the port of Soulina to discharge a portion of their cargo, and which set sail again to continue their voyage to another port, shall pay, per ton gauge, a fixed duty of 2 francs, when the depth of the mouth exceeds 15 English feet; but if the depth is 15 feet only or under, this fixed duty shall decrease in the proportion established by Article 1 of the present Tariff, for those vessels of more than 300 tons, which do not ascend the river, and which, from the insufficiency of water in the Soulina passage, are not able to receive their entire cargo.

This fixed duty shall be levied upon a third of the taxable tonnage, if the quantity of merchandise unloaded at Soulina does not exceed a third of the total and taxable capacity of the vessel, but it shall be levied on two-thirds of the tonnage, if the quantity unloaded is more than one-third, and does not exceed two-thirds of such capacity.

Should it exceed two-thirds, the duties shall be leviable in accordance with the foregoing Arts. 1 and 3.

If the vessel which has discharged at Soulina, in the case foreseen by the present Article, less than two-thirds of its cargo, should receive merchandize in that port, it shall pay, over and above the tax leviable on account of the discharge, one-quarter of this tax, which shall be levied on a third or two-thirds of its taxable tonnage, according as the quantity of merchandize received is confined within a third or two-thirds of the vessel's capacity.

The duties fixed by the preceding Articles shall include :

The tax imposed upon vessels to cover the expenses of works and other improvements effected by the European Commission ;

The duties actually in force for the maintenance of the lighthouses constituting the lighthouse system of the mouths of the Danube ; and

The duties destined to cover the expenses occasioned by the pilotage service in the Soulina passage, and those of the other establishments instituted with the view of facilitating navigation.

Independently of these duties, vessels shall not be subjected to any other tax or charge, excepting the fees of the riverain pilots, which they shall pay for the descent, in conformity with the Article following.

Art. 12.

Sailing vessels over sixty tons, which shall have ascended the river above the port of Soulina, as well as rafts or floats of timber, shall pay, on leaving the river for the obligatory pilotage of the descent, a fixed tax as follows :—

For the passage from Galatz, or from a port situated beyond this point to Soulina, one hundred and twenty francs ;

For the passage from Réni or Ismaïl to Soulina, one hundred francs ;

And for the passage from Toultscha to Soulina, seventy-two francs.

This tax shall be reduced to half for steam-vessels.

The steam-vessels mentioned in the foregoing Art. 2, may be exempted from this tax, provided that the pilot on board holds a pilotage certificate of the second class. As regards the pilotage of the ascent, which is purely optional, the fee of the pilot can be fixed by arrangement, and it is paid to him direct by the captain of the vessel piloted.

Art. 13.

The amount of the duties shall be paid over to the Accountant charged with the administration of the Navigation Treasury of the port of Soulina, who will deliver a receipt for the same.

A statement showing the reduction into francs of the moneys in use upon the Lower Danube shall always be placarded in the office of collection.

This statement shall be periodically revised.

In cases where the liability to duty is contested, or payment questioned by the parties, the amount of duty shall be paid over to the Navigation Treasury as a deposit.

Demands for entire or partial restitution of the duties shall be carried before the European Commission, or before the international Authority which shall succeed it ; they should be stated in writing within three months of the payment or of the deposit, under pain of forfeiture.

Art. 14.

The term ton gauge shall be understood to mean the registered ton English.

The tonnage of vessels shall be taken from the papers on board.

The reduction of the tons of different countries, into English measure, shall be made according to the table annexed to the present tariff.

Art. 15.

Vessels entering the Danube without papers showing their tonnage shall be subjected, with the sole view of fixing the navigation dues to which they are liable conformably to the present tariff, to an approximative valuation to be made by two *experts*, under the direction of the Captain of the Port, and with the concurrence of the competent Consular authority. The Accountant of the Navigation Treasury shall have the option of assisting at the operation either in person or by means of a delegate.

The same shall take place if the tonnage borne upon the papers is notably incorrect, or if disputes arise with respect to the valuation of the portion of the cargo of a vessel in the case of the foregoing Arts. 1 and 4.

The estimate of the tonnage, in default of papers on board, shall be made at the expense of the vessel concerned ; the same shall take place, if the *experts* declare an excess of more than five tons over the capacity indicated by the papers on board, or if it is decided contrary to the declaration of the Captain or Master that the vessel carries more than a third of its full cargo ; in the contrary case the expenses will be charged to the Navigation Treasury. In no case can these estimates give rise to any appeal or application whatever.

Art. 16.

The depths by which the duties established by the present tariff shall be determined, shall be taken at the bar of Soulina in English feet.

The soundings shall be made under the direction and responsibility of the engineer charged with the improvements at the mouth, the results shall be placarded at the office of the Navigation Treasury, and at the office of the Captain of the Port.

If the state of the weather does not permit of such soundings, the amount of duties to be levied shall be based on the last depth taken.

No supplementary payment for clearance dues can be exacted from vessels, nor, except in cases of duly proved errors in the soundings, shall any partial restitution from the Navigation Treasury be required on account of the difference, however great it may be, between the depth of the mouth at the moment of the clearance of the vessel and that which shall have served as a basis for the settlement of the taxes paid.

Art. 17.

Every vessel, raft or float, which shall attempt by any means whatever, the escape, wholly or partly, from payment of the duties fixed by the present tariff, shall be liable in addition to the duties which it is required to pay in conformity with what precedes, to a fine equal to four times the amount.

If the tonnage indicated upon the ship's papers, or the declaration relative to the quantity of merchandise loaded or unloaded at Soulina, according to the foregoing Art. 10, appears to be false, verification of the vessel's capacity, or of the quantity of merchandise compared with the total tonnage, can be resorted to in the manner prescribed by the foregoing Art. 15.

The application of the fine shall be pronounced in the first instance by the Captain of the Port of Soulina ; the sentence of condemnation shall be notified to the condemned party either in person, or in the office of the Local or Consular

authority resident at Soulina, having charge of the interests of the nation to which he may belong.

The appeal against condemnations must be carried before the European Commission, or before the international authority which shall succeed to it.

Appeal must be made within the three months of the notification, under pain of becoming null.

The forms of procedure shall be ultimately determined by special regulations. Judgments rendered upon appeals shall not be susceptible of any further redress.

The penalties pronounced by the Captain of the Port shall have effect, notwithstanding the appeal; in case of petition the amount of the fine shall be consigned as a deposit to the Navigation Treasury.

The amount of the fines, when definitely declared, shall be paid into the said Treasury, to be applied towards defraying the expenses of the Marine Hospital.

Art. 18.

The Commanders of ships of war stationed at the mouths of the Danube, conformably to Art. 19 of the Treaty of Paris, shall be called upon to assure the payment of the duties established by the present tariff and of the penalties when definitely settled, with respect to vessels of their own nationality, and those whose flags they protect, either by treaty or custom, or in virtue of a special or general commission.

The action of the ships of war shall be demanded *en règle* through the Captain of the Port of Soulina upon the requisition of the Accountant charged with the administration of the Navigation Treasury.

In default of a ship of war having power to coerce an offending vessel, the Captain of the Port shall have recourse of the intervention of the Ottoman man-of-war stationed at Soulina.

Art. 19.

The Provisional Tariff of the 7th of March, 1863, shall cease to be applied, and the present tariff shall come into force after the ratification of the Public Act to which it is annexed, and upon the date to be hereafter fixed by a special notification of the European Commission to that effect.

Done at Galatz, the 2nd of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

Signed:

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TABLE shewing the proportion between the ton register English and the measures adopted in other countries for gauging vessels.

Vessels.	Factor by which the unit of measure of each country should be multiplied.		Observations.
	Tons.	Lasts.	
Austria	0.82	...	1 English ton equal to $61\frac{52}{100}$ kilos of Constantinople
France	1.00	...	
Italy	0.89	...	
Turkey ... ..	...	...
Prussia	0.98	1.50	
Russia	1.08	1.89	
America (United States)	1.00	...	
Belgium... ..	0.95	1.81	
Bremen ... ..	...	1.89
Denmark	1.02	1.96	
Spain	1.00	...	
Greece	0.76	...	
Hamburg ... ..	...	2.77
Hanover	0.98	2.25	
Holland... ..	0.89	1.75	
Lubeck ... ..	...	1.89
Mecklenburg	1.09	2.44	
Norway	0.98	2.08	
Oldenburg	0.96	1.50	
United Principalities	1.00	...	
Sweden	1.02	1.98	1 English ton $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 4\frac{82}{100} \text{ kilos of Galatz} \\ 3\frac{10}{100} \text{ „ of Braila} \end{array} \right.$

Galatz, the 2nd November, 1865.

ANNEXE to the Final Protocol of the 2nd November, 1865.

Arrangement relative to the repayment of the advances made by the Sublime-Porte for the improvement of the navigation of the mouths of the Danube.

The Sublime Porte having engaged, in the sitting of the Congress of Paris of the 27th March, 1856 (Protocol No. 16) to make the necessary advances for the execution of the

works with which the European Commission of the Danube was charged by the terms of Art. 16 of the Treaty of the 30th of the same month, it has provided for the expenses of the said Commission up to the moment when, by the coming in force of a tariff of navigation dues at the Soulina mouth, the costs for the completion of the works commenced have been levied directly by the Commission itself on vessels navigating the river.

Independently of the sum which It has paid in specie, the Sublime Porte has authorised the European Commission to cut in the forest of Dobrudcha a part of the wood necessary for the works, and it has moreover placed at the disposal of the Commission a dredging machine and a tug, furnished by the Arsenal of the Imperial Navy.

The Article 16 of the Treaty of Paris before mentioned, having stipulated that the expenses of the improvements executed at the mouths of the Danube, and those of the establishments having for object the securing and facilitating of the navigation, shall be re-imbursed by means of fixed duties paid by the vessels, it becomes necessary to determine the amount of the sums due to the Sublime Porte, as much on account of its advances in specie as on account of its payments of all kinds, together with the mode and conditions of the repayment of the sum for which it is recognised as creditor.

It is with this end that the arrangement as follows has been concluded between the delegates of the Sublime Porte, on the one hand, and the delegates of the six other Powers, represented in the European Commission of the Danube, on the other:—

Art. 1.

The debt to the Sublime Porte, repayment of which is to be effected by means of the navigation dues levied at the mouths of the Danube, is to be liquidated as follows:

a. The sums which the European Commission has received in specie, during the years 1856 to 1860, inclusively, as shown by the journal of the receipts of the Commission, amount to 316,975*d.* 19*p.* 3*p.*

b. The sum due to the Sublime Porte for the price of the wood which the said Commission has felled in the forest of Dobrudcha, and employed for the improvements, is fixed by common consent at 3,252*d.* 40*p.* 33*p.*

c. The hire of the tug placed by the Arsenal of the Imperial Navy at the disposal of the European Commission, is calculated at 15 per cent. per annum on the cost price of the said tug, for the 146 days of effective service during which it has been employed in the works; this amount is, consequently, fixed and agreed upon as the sum of 480*d.*

d. The hire of the steam dredge employed by the Commission, is also calculated at 15 per cent. on the cost price for the two years during which it remained at the service of the European Commission; this sum is fixed and agreed upon, in consequence, at the sum of 3,000*d.*

The sum total of the advances made by the Sublime Porte, and of the value of the funds furnished by it, amounts therefore to 323,708*d.* 13*p.* 36*p.*

From this sum should be deducted 14,555*d.* 33*p.* 24*p.*, being the amount of the expenses for constructing the telegraphic line established by the European Commission between Soulina, Toulchia, Ismail and Galatz, which the Sublime Porte has consented to defray, as set forth in the declaration made by its delegate in the sitting of the 3rd of March, 1857. (Protocol, No. XVII, § 6.)

From which it results that the debt to the Sublime Porte becomes reduced to and fixed at the sum of three hundred and nine thousand, one hundred and forty-two ducats, twenty-six piastres, twelve paras (309,142*d.* 26*p.* 12*p.*)

Art. 2.

This sum of three hundred and nine thousand one hundred and forty-two ducats, twenty-six

piastres, twelve paras, shall be paid to the Sublime Porte by the European Commission of the Danube, or by the Authority which shall succeed to this last, in fifty annual payments of fourteen thousand three hundred and ninety ducats each, including the repayment of the capital and the interest calculated at the rate of four per cent. per annum. The first payment shall fall due immediately after the completion of the principal works undertaken for the improvement of the mouths of the Danube.

The net produce of the navigation dues levied at the mouths, deduction of the necessary sums being made, shall be specially applied to this payment, both for the purpose of repaying the sums due to the Ottoman bank, for the guarantee of which, the produce of the tariff has, by permission, been pledged, as with the view of assuring the maintenance, preservation, and development of the improvements, and the service of the establishments mentioned in Article 16 of the Treaty of Paris.

Art. 3.

In consideration of the delay consented to by the Sublime Porte, for the repayment of the debt due to it, and of the facilities which it has afforded to the European Commission from the commencement of the works, the said Commission renounces entirely all claims to interest, and other expenses which have been incurred, to procure the necessary supplies, when a delay has arisen in the payments of the Sublime Porte.

Art. 4.

The Sublime Porte consents that the salaries of the Staff of the Administration of the Port of Soulina shall be paid, in future, by the European Commission, as well as the sums which may be actually due to the said Staff for the past. Such payments shall take place on the account of the Sublime Porte, being charged on the first instalments due conformably to the stipulations of the foregoing Article 2.

Art. 5.

It is understood that the European Commission of the Danube shall always have the option of discharging the whole or the remainder of the debt due to the Sublime Porte in virtue of the present arrangement, and this, too, without waiting for the expiration of the annual payments stipulated in the foregoing Article 2.

In the case of one or more of these payments having been paid off at the period when repayment is offered by the Commission, this repayment shall not include more than the sum remaining due as capital, to be determined by calculation.

The Authority succeeding to the European Commission shall equally have the option of making such anticipatory repayment.

Art. 6.

The present arrangement shall be ratified by the Sublime Porte within a period of two months, or sooner, if possible.

It has been signed in original in duplicate at Galatz, this second day of November, eighteen hundred and sixty-five.

(Signed)

A. DE KREMER.
ED. ENGELHARDT.
J. STOKES.
STRAMBIO.
SAINT-PIERRE.
OFFENBERG.
AHMET RASSIM.

Admiralty, 17th April, 1866.

Commander Thomas Henry Lysaght has been promoted to be Retired Captain, under the provisions of the Orders in Council of 1st August, 1860, 9th July, 1864, and 24th March, 1866, with seniority from the 13th instant.

Admiralty, 20th April, 1866.

John Sloan, Esq., M.D., has this day been promoted to the rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets on the Retired List.

Admiralty, 21st April, 1866.

The undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants and Acting Sub-Lieutenants have been this day promoted to the rank of Lieutenant and Acting Lieutenant respectively in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

Francis Romilly.
Edward Albert Liardet.
Frederick Augustus Gardner (Acting).
Arthur Stephens Phillpotts.
Frederick Ralph Carr.
Frederic Echlin (Acting).
Charles Alfred Woodroffe.
Charles Saville Broome.
St. Vincent Nepean (Acting).
Algernon Heber Percy.
George Harvey Rainier (Acting).
Harry Laurence Henderson Veitch (Acting).
Gerard Henry Ultred Noel.
Robert Henry Paul.
Astley Robert Cooper.
Edward Seymour Evans.
Philip Henry Worgan.
Edward Alverne Bolitho.
Honourable Archibald Robert Hewitt.
John James Frushard Bell.
John James Ava Campbell (Acting).

The Reverend George Haynes W. MacDowall has been this day appointed a Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 23rd April, 1866.

Herbert Frank Roe, Esq., to be Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 13th March, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Elgin.

Sir George Macpherson Grant to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 16th April, 1866.
William Grant, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 16th April, 1866.
John Grant, Esq., jun., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 16th April, 1866.

2nd Elginshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

James Jameson to be Captain, vice Cameron, resigned. Dated 16th April, 1866.
Charles J. Johnston to be Lieutenant, vice Jameson, promoted. Dated 16th April, 1866.

6th Elginshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

James Stephen to be Lieutenant, vice Macbean, resigned. Dated 16th April, 1866.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Salop.**3rd Shropshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Mr. Henry Knight Mousley to be Ensign, vice Harrison, resigned. Dated 19th April, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain John Douglas in the Royal Berks Militia.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Berks.**Royal Berks Militia.*

Lieutenant John Blandy-Jenkins to be Captain, vice Maitland, promoted. Dated 18th April, 1866.

Lieutenant Arthur Thomas Pratt Barlow to be Captain, vice Douglas, resigned. Dated 19th April, 1866.

John Beauchamp Hayes, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Voules, resigned. Dated 18th April, 1866.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Oxford.**Oxfordshire Regiment of Militia.*

John Lynch Fletcher, Esq., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant, vice Wykeham, promoted. Dated 20th April, 1866.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.**1st or Royal East Middlesex Regiment of Militia.*

John Richardson Ellis to be Lieutenant, vice Dowell, resigned. Dated 18th April, 1866.

2nd Middlesex Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Assistant-Surgeon John Wickham Barnes to be Surgeon. Dated 28th February, 1866.
Thomas Thyne, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Barnes, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1866.

3rd Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Charles George Toller to be Ensign, vice Chater, promoted. Dated 11th April, 1866.

Civil Service Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Thomas William Bowman to be Ensign, vice Gripper, deceased. Dated 11th April, 1866.

London Irish Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign Joseph Comyns to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th April, 1866.

37th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant John Brittan to be Captain, vice Robert, resigned. Dated 11th April, 1866.
Lieutenant Daniel Cubitt Nichols to be Captain, vice Day, resigned. Dated 11th April, 1866.

38th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

John George Callcott to be Ensign. Dated 11th April, 1866.

40th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Ensign Edward Swansborough to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1866.
Ensign James Thomas Burton to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1866.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Berwick.**3rd Berwickshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Ensign Hilton Middleton to be Lieutenant, vice Martin, deceased. Dated 13th April, 1866.
Robert Craig to be Ensign, vice Middleton, promoted. Dated 13th April, 1866.

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

4th Fifeshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

The Reverend John Millar to be Honorary Chaplain, vice Urquhart, resigned. Dated 18th April, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Herts.

3rd Herts Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Francis Niccoll Searancke to be Ensign, vice Howard, promoted. Dated 13th April, 1866.

6th Herts Rifle Volunteer Corps.

William Fuller Maitland, jun., to be Lieutenant, vice Nash, resigned. Dated 5th March, 1866.
Percy William Taylor to be Ensign, vice M. Taylor, resigned. Dated 5th March, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lieutenant-Governor of the Isle of Man.

1st Isle of Man Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Serjeant Frederick Dickinson to be Ensign, vice Kegg, resigned.

4th Isle of Man Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Thomas Kenley Clucas to be Captain.

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

Preston Rifle Volunteer Corps.

James Birkett Hodgson, Esq., M.D., to be Surgeon, vice Dixon, resigned. Dated 12th April, 1866.

Liverpool Irish Rifle Volunteer Corps.

William Benn, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Ashton, resigned. Dated 12th April, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northumberland.

2nd Northumberland Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Thomas Robertson to be First Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1866.

John Thompson to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1866.

William Maule to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1866.

Ralph George Huggup to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 29th March, 1866.

3rd Northumberland Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Thomas Sutton to be First Lieutenant, vice Wainwright, resigned. Dated 13th April, 1866.

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

Robin Hood Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Alfred Deedes, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Thackeray, resigned. Dated 13th April, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Counties of Orkney and Zetland.

4th Orkney Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Second Lieutenant John Dickson Turner to be First Lieutenant, vice Alexander Robertson, resigned. Dated 13th April, 1866.

Mr. Edward Dowling Stanley to be Second Lieutenant, vice J. D. Turner, promoted. Dated 13th April, 1866.

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

1st Administrative Battalion of Ross-shire Rifle Volunteers.

Captain Robert Bruce Æneas MacLeod to be Major, vice Mackenzie, promoted. Dated 12th April, 1866.

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

16th Worcestershire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

William Henry Hayward to be Honorary Assistant-Surgeon, vice Cooper, deceased. Dated 19th December, 1865.

[The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 13th instant.]

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

Hertfordshire Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant George Nisbet Marten to be Captain, vice Baker, resigned. Dated 27th March, 1866.

[The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 13th instant.]

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

2nd Tower Hamlets Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Charles Owen to be Lieutenant, vice Sankey, promoted. Dated 9th April, 1866.

Whitehall, April 4, 1866.

The Lord Chancellor has appointed Richard Marrack, of Truro, in the county of Cornwall, Gentleman, to be a Commissioner to administer oaths in the High Court of Chancery in England.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 17.)—ENGLAND—SOUTH COAST.

Beacon Buoys for Measured Mile, off Stokes Bay.

NOTICE is hereby given, that two beacon buoys, painted red, with staff and ball, have been moored off Stokes Bay, Spithead, for the purpose of indicating the course of the measured mile for testing the speed of Her Majesty's ships.

The Eastern buoy lies in 13 fathoms water, at half a mile southward of Gilkicker Point.

The Western buoy lies in 10 fathoms, at three quarters of a mile southward of Brown Down batteries, on the shore of Stokes Bay.

These buoys lie in a N.W. and S.E. direction, and are placed a cable's length from either end of the measured mile. As the course between the buoys is not more than $1\frac{1}{2}$ cables outside a bank in Stokes Bay, on which there are only $3\frac{1}{2}$ and 4 fathoms, at low water springs, vessels of heavy draught should not turn inwards or towards the shore of the bay.

[All bearings are magnetic. Variation $21^{\circ} 0'$ West in 1866.]

By command of their Lordships,

Geo. Henry Richards, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
16th April, 1866.

This Notice affects the Admiralty Chart:—
Owers to Christchurch; including Spithead,
No. 2045.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 18).—NORTH AMERICA—WEST COAST.

Light Vessel at Entrance to Fraser River.

THE Government of British Columbia has given notice, that a light vessel has recently been established at the Sand Heads, entrance to Fraser River, British Columbia.

The light is a *fixed white* light, and in clear weather should be seen at a distance of 11 miles. The vessel is painted red, with the words *South Sand Head* in white letters of two feet in length on her sides, has two masts, and carries at the main a skeleton ball 5 feet in diameter. A bell is sounded in foggy weather.

She lies in lat. 49° 3' 30" N., long. 123° 17' 16" West of Greenwich, in 10 fathoms water, with Garry Point bearing N. by E. $\frac{3}{4}$ E. easterly, distant $5\frac{2}{10}$ miles; North Sand Head buoy N.N.W. $\frac{3}{4}$ W. 7 cables; and the South Sand Head buoy E.N.E. 2 cables.

[All bearings are magnetic. Variation 22° 35' East in 1866.]

By command of their Lordships,

Geo. Henry Richards, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
16th April, 1866.

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Fraser River and Burrard Inlet, No. 1922; Haro and Rosario Straits, No. 2689; Vancouver Island, No. 1917; and Sheet 1, No. 579. Also, Vancouver Island Pilot, page 106.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 19).—MEDITERRANEAN.

Buoys in the Ionian Sea.

INFORMATION has been received at the Admiralty, that the buoy on the Madonna Shoal, eastward of the Island of Paxo, has not been in its position for some time; and that the buoy on the extremity of the shoal extending south-eastward from Cape Skala, Island of Kephallonia, is either sunk or washed away. The buoy on the Madonna not having been replaced, was the cause of the English yacht *Myth* being seriously damaged and nearly lost, by grounding on that shoal.

Mariners are therefore cautioned that when navigating in the vicinity of the shoals which have hitherto been marked by buoys, not to trust to the buoys being in their position.

By command of their Lordships,

Geo. Henry Richards, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
17th April, 1866.

See Admiralty Charts:—Channels of Corfu, No. 206; and Ionian Sea, No. 207.

NAVAL SALVAGE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset House, April 16, 1866.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the amount awarded for salvage services rendered to the British ship "*Latona*," between the 12th and 17th January, 1863, by Her Majesty's ship "*Argus*."

Agents or other persons having any just and legal demand, unliquidated, against the said award, are required to transmit the particulars of any such demand to the Registrar of the High Court of Admiralty, in order that the same may be examined, taxed, and allowed by that Officer, and paid under the sanction of the Judge of the said Court.

Agents and all other persons holding powers of attorney, prize orders, assignments, or other instruments, by virtue of which they may be legally entitled to claim the share belonging to any salvor, are requested, with as little delay as possible, to transmit the same, accompanied by the usual documents, to the Prize Branch of the Department of the "Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, Somerset House."

Due notice will be given, by future advertisements in the London Gazette, of the date proposed for the commencement of distribution; and, at the same time, the amount of an individual's share in the respective classes will be announced.

India Office, April 20, 1866.

THE Secretary of State for India in Council hereby gives notice,—

That the amount for which Tenders for Bills of Exchange will be received at the Bank of England, on Wednesday, the 2nd proximo, on the terms stated in the Advertisement issued from this Office on the 10th November, 1863, will be Rupees 32,50,000, of which not more than Rupees 10,00,000 will be drawn on the Government of Bombay.

Bills on Bombay, if paid for before twelve o'clock on Thursday, the 3rd proximo, will be delivered the same afternoon.

J. Stansfeld.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Trinity Introductory Congregational Church, situate at Walford-road, in the parish of Hornsey, in the county of Middlesex, in the district of Edmonton, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 23rd day of March, 1866, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 18th day of April, 1866.

Wm. Pulley, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Temple Chapel, situated in London-street, Derby, in the parish of Saint Peter, in the county of Derby, in the district of Derby, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 11th day of April, 1866, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 20th day of April, 1866.

Thos. Newbold, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Baptist Meeting House, situated opposite the Pond in the parish of Waterbeach, in the county of Cambridge, in the district of Chesterton, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 17th day of April, 1866, duly registered for

solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85, being substituted for a former building on the same site.

Witness my hand this 18th day of April, 1866.

Frederic Barlow, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named the Scotchgate Baptist Chapel, situate at Castlegate, in the parish of Berwick-upon-Tweed, in the county of the borough and town of Berwick-upon-Tweed, in the district of Berwick-upon-Tweed, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 18th day of April, 1866, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 19th day of April, 1866.

R. Home, Superintendent Registrar.

Seaton and Beer Railway Company.

Certificate of the Board of Trade for raising Additional Capital.

WHEREAS the Seaton and Beer Railway Company have complied with the requirements of The Railway Companies Powers Act, 1864.

Now, therefore, the Board of Trade do, by this their Certificate, in pursuance of the said Act, and by virtue and in exercise of the powers thereby in them vested, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, certify as follows:—

Power to raise Additional Capital.

1. The Seaton and Beer Railway Company (hereinafter called The Company) are authorised to raise, for the purposes of their undertaking, in addition to the capital already authorised to be raised by them, any further sums not exceeding in the whole the sum of twelve thousand pounds, by the issue of new shares, or new stock, either ordinary or preference, or partly ordinary and partly preference, at the option of the Company.

Privileges, &c., of the Holders of New Capital.

2. Save as herein, or by or under the authority of the Acts incorporated herewith otherwise provided, the holders of shares or stock in the additional capital hereby authorised to be raised, shall be entitled to the like rights and privileges, and be subject to the like liabilities as the holders of shares or stock in the existing ordinary capital of the Company.

Power to Borrow.

3. The Company may raise by borrowing on mortgage for the purposes of their undertaking any sums in addition to the money they are already authorised to borrow, not exceeding in the whole the sum of four thousand pounds.

Arrears may be enforced by Appointment of Receiver.

4. The mortgagees under this certificate may enforce payment of arrears of principal and interest due on their mortgages by the appointment of a receiver; and in order to authorise the appointment of a receiver, in the event of the principal money or interest due on such mortgages not being duly paid, the amount owing to the mortgagees, by whom the application for a receiver shall be made, shall be not less than one thousand pounds in the whole.

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Priority of existing Mortgages.

5. Every mortgage granted by the Company in pursuance of the powers of any Act of Parliament, and which shall be in force when this Certificate comes into operation, shall have priority over all mortgages to be granted under this Certificate.

Power to issue Debenture Stock.

6. In respect of any part of the money so authorised to be raised by mortgage, the Company may create and issue debenture stock.

Short Title.

7. This Certificate may be cited as the Seaton and Beer Railway (Additional Capital) Certificate, 1866.

Dated the 22nd day of February, 1866.

J. Emerson Tennent, Secretary to the Board of Trade.

Board of Trade, Whitehall.

West Somerset Railway Company.

Certificate of the Board of Trade for raising Additional Capital.

WHEREAS the West Somerset Railway Company have complied with the requirements of "The Railway Companies Powers Act, 1864."

Now, therefore, the Board of Trade do, by this their Certificate, in pursuance of the said Act, and by virtue and in exercise of the powers thereby in them vested, and of every other power enabling them on this behalf, certify as follows:—

Power to raise Additional Capital.

1. The West Somerset Railway Company (hereinafter called the Company) are authorised to raise, for the purposes of their undertaking, in addition to the capital already authorised to be raised by them, any further sums not exceeding in the whole twenty-four thousand pounds, by the issue of new shares or new stock, either ordinary or preference, or partly ordinary and partly preference, at the option of the Company.

Privileges, &c., of the holders of New Capital.

2. Save as herein or by or under the authority of the Acts incorporated herewith otherwise provided, the holders of shares or stock in the additional capital hereby authorised to be raised shall be entitled to the like rights and privileges, and be subject to the like liabilities as the holders of shares or stock in the existing ordinary capital of the Company.

Power to Borrow.

3. The Company may raise, by borrowing on mortgage for the purposes of their undertaking, any sums in addition to the money they are already authorised to borrow not exceeding in the whole the sum of eight thousand pounds.

Arrears may be enforced by appointment of a Receiver.

4. The mortgagees under this Certificate may enforce the payment of the arrears of principal and interest due on any such mortgages by the appointment of a receiver; and, in order to authorise the appointment of a receiver, in the event of the principal monies due on such mortgages not being duly paid, the amount owing to

the mortgagees by whom the application for such receiver shall be made shall be not less than one thousand pounds.

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Board of Trade, Whitehall.

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862, and of the Pateley Bridge Gas and Water Works Company (Limited).

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 21st day of May, 1866, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to Frederick Whinney, of Bank-buildings, in the city of London, and No. 5, Serle-street, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, the Official Liquidator of the said Company; and, if so required by notice, in writing, from the said Official Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims, at the chambers of the Master of the Rolls, in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. Wednesday, the 30th day of May, 1866, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 18th day of April, 1866.

A RETURN shewing the Amounts received from, and paid to, Savings' Banks, and Post Office Savings' Banks, in the United Kingdom, by the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt, during the Four Weeks ending Saturday, 21st April, 1866.

	Total Amount received by the Commissioners.			Total Amount paid by the Commissioners.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
SAVINGS' BANKS—						
In Money and Interest credited	8,815	9	2	261,912	9	5
To Transfer Certificates from Post Office Savings' Banks to Savings' Banks	51	7	8	.....	
By Transfer Certificates from Savings' Banks to Post Office Savings' Banks ... ..	.....			12,281	3	1
Total	£8,866	16	10	£ 274,193	12	6
POST OFFICE SAVINGS' BANKS—						
In Money and Interest credited	139,808	15	9	.....	
To Transfer Certificates from Savings' Banks to Post Office Savings' Banks	12,281	3	1	.....	
By Transfer Certificates from Post Office Savings' Banks to Savings' Banks ... ..	... ..			51	7	8
Totals	£ 152,089	18	10	£ 51	7	8

Total Amounts on the 21st April, 1866, at the credit of—

The Fund for the Banks for Savings	£ 37,464,335	3	0
The Post Office Savings' Banks Fund	7,157,745	2	8
Total	£ 44,622,080	5	8
Ditto—by last Monthly Account	£ 44,735,368	10	2

HY. THOMAS, Check Officer,
National Debt Office, 23rd April, 1866.

A. Y. SPEARMAN,
Comptroller-General.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act seventh and eighth Victoria, cap. 32, of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES, of the several Banks of Issue in ENGLAND and WALES, in Circulation during the Week ending Saturday the 14th day of April, 1866.

PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£
Ashford Bank	Ashford	Jemmett, Pomfret, and Co.	11871
Aylesbury Old Bank	Aylesbury	Cobb and Co.	23967
Baldock Bank and Baldock and Biggleswade Bank	Biggleswade	Wells, Hogge, and Co.	19986
Barnstaple Bank	Barnstaple	Marshall and Co.	3870
Bedford Bank	Bedford	Barnard and Co.	30402
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank and Oxford Bank	Bicester	Tubb and Co.	16188
Boston Bank	Boston	Claypon and Co.	73344
Boston Bank	Boston	Gee and Co.	14407
Bridgwater Bank	Bridgwater	Sealy and Prior	9974
Bristol Bank	Bristol	Miles, Miles, and Co.	21528
Broseley and Bridgnorth and Bridgnorth and Broseley Bank	Broseley	Pritchard and Co.	15898
Buckingham Bank	Buckingham	Bartlett, Parrott, and Co.	19337
Bury and Suffolk Bank, Sudbury Bank, and Stowmarket Bank	Bury St. Edmunds	Oakes, Bevan, and Co.	49538
Banbury Bank	Banbury	J. C. and A. Gillett	26825
Banbury Old Bank	Banbury	Cobb and Son	17658
Bedfordshire Leighton Buzzard Bank	Leighton Buzzard	Bassett, Son, and Co.	33725
Brecon Old Bank	Brecon	Wilkins and Co.	43905
Brighton Union Bank	Brighton	Hall and Co.	21663
Burlington and Driffield Bank	Burlington	Harding, Smith, and Co.	11733
Bury Saint Edmunds Bank	Bury St. Edmunds	Worledge and Co.	2885
Cambridge Bank	Cambridge	Mortlock and Co.	13875
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank	Cambridge	Messrs. Fosters	41998
Canterbury Bank	Canterbury	Hammond and Co.	26580
Carmarthen Bank	Carmarthen	David Morris and Sons	13235
Chertsey Bank	Chertsey	La Coste and Son	2500
Colchester Bank	Colchester	Round Green, and Co.	16095
Colchester and Essex Bank, and Witham and Essex Bank, and Hadleigh, Suffolk, Bank	Colchester	Mills, Bawtree, and Co.	29068
Cornish Bank, Truro	Truro	Tweedy and Co.	25055
City Bank, Exeter	Exeter	Milford and Co.	14635
Craven Bank	Settle	Alcocks, Birkbeck, and Co.	74705
Chepstow Old Bank	Chepstow	Snead and Co.	6782
Derby Bank	Derby	W. and S. Evans and Co.	11785
Derby Bank	Derby	Samuel Smith and Co.	35663
Derby Old Bank and Scarsdale and High Peak Bank	Derby	Crompton, Newton, and Co.	28716
Devizes and Wiltshire Bank	Devizes	Locke and Co.	6116
Diss Bank	Diss	Fincham and Co.	10232
Doncaster Bank and Retford Bank	Doncaster	Cooke and Co.	77647
Darlington Bank, Durham Bank, and Stockton-on-Tees Bank	Darlington	Backhouse and Co.	86735
Devonport Bank	Devonport	Hodge and Co.	7119
Dorchester Old Bank and Dorsetshire Bank	Dorchester	Williams and Co.	39665
East Cornwall Bank	Liskeard	Robins, Foster, and Co.	76754
East Riding Bank	Beverley	Bower and Co.	51462

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£
Essex Bank and Bishop's Stortford Bank	Chelmsford ...	Sparrow, Tufnell, and Co. ...	41280
Exeter Bank	Exeter ...	Sanders and Co. ...	21110
Farnham Bank	Farnham ...	Knight and Son ...	6645
Faversham Bank	Faversham ...	Hilton and Co. ...	Not received
Godalming Bank	Godalming ...	Mellersh and Co. ...	4990
Guildford Bank	Guildford ...	Haydon and Co. ...	11420
Grantham Bank	Grantham ...	Hardy and Co. ...	24998
Hull Bank and Kingston-upon-Hull Bank	Hull ...	Smith, Brothers, and Co. ...	21431
Huntingdon Town and County Bank	Huntingdon ...	Veasey and Co. ...	33464
Harwich Bank	Harwich ...	Cox, Cobbold, and Co. ...	5353
Hertfordshire, Hitchin Bank	Hitchin ...	Sharples and Co. ...	36436
Ipswich Bank	Ipswich ...	Bacon and Co. ...	18805
Ipswich and Needham Market Bank, Suffolk, Hadleigh Bank, Manningtree and Mistley Bank, and Woodbridge Bank	Ipswich ...	Alexanders and Co. ...	55499
Kentish Bank	Maidstone ...	Randall and Co. ...	18156
Kingston and Radnorshire Bank ...	Kington ...	Davies and Co. ...	17913
Knarborough Old Bank and Ripon Old Bank	Knarborough ...	Harrison and Co. ...	21585
Kendal Bank	Kendal ...	Wakefield, Crewdson, and Co. ...	45365
Longton Staffordshire Bank ...	Longton ...	C. Harvey and Son ...	5073
Leeds Bank	Leeds ...	Beckett and Co. ...	55219
Leeds Union Bank	Leeds ...	W. Williams Brown and Co. ...	37350
Leicester Bank	Leicester ...	T. and T. T. Paget ...	27764
Lewes Old Bank	Lewes ...	Whitfield and Co. ...	32363
Lincoln Bank	Lincoln ...	Smith, Ellison, and Co. ...	92863
Llandovery Bank, Lampeter Bank, and Llandilo Bank	Llandovery ...	D. Jones and Co. ...	9929
Loughborough Bank	Loughborough ...	Middleton, Cradock and Co. ...	7145
Lymington Bank	Lymington ...	St. Barbe and Co. ...	3145
Lynn Regis and Lincolnshire Bank ...	Lynn Regis ...	Gurneys and Co. ...	26355
Lynn Regis and Norfolk Bank ...	Lynn Regis ...	Jarvis and Co. ...	9828
Macclesfield Bank	Macclesfield ...	Brocklehurst and Co. ...	12180
Manningtree Bank	Manningtree ...	Nunn and Co. ...	5309
Merionethshire Bank	Dolgelly ...	Williams and Son ...	5097
Miners' Bank	Truro ...	Willyams and Co. ...	18064
Monmouthshire Agricultural and Commercial Bank	Abergavenny ...	Bailey and Co. ...	30329
Monmouth Old Bank	Monmouth ...	Bromage and Co. ...	3686
Newark Bank	Newark ...	Godfrey and Riddell ...	22615
Newark and Sleaford Bank, and Sleaford and Newark Bank	Sleaford ...	Handley, Peacock, and Co. ...	46672
Newbury Bank	Newbury ...	Bunney, Slocock, and Co. ...	15848
Newmarket Bank	Newmarket ...	Hammond and Co. ...	17395
Norwich Crown Bank and Norfolk and Suffolk Bank	Norwich ...	Harveys and Hudsons ...	48040
Norwich and Norfolk and Fakenham Banks	Norwich ...	Gurneys and Birkbecks ...	66213
Naval Bank, Plymouth	Plymouth ...	Harris and Co. ...	22969
New Sarum Bank	Sarum ...	Pinckney, Brothers ...	7091
Nottingham Bank	Nottingham ...	Samuel Smith and Co. ...	21795

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£
Oswestry Bank and Oswestry Old Bank	Oswestry	Croxon and Co. ...	9512
Oxford Old Bank ...	Oxford	Parsons and Co. ...	33628
Old Bank, Tonbridge, Tonbridge and Tonbridge Wells, Old Bank, Tonbridge and Tonbridge Wells and Sevenoaks Bank ...	Tonbridge	H. S., A. H., T., and A. T. Beeching ...	10250
Oxfordshire Witney Bank ...	Witney	J. W. Clinch and Sons ...	9245
Pease's Old Bank, Hull, the Hull Old Bank and Beverley Bank	Hull	Peases and Co. ...	48400
Penzance Bank ...	Penzance	Batten and Co. ...	7593
Pembrokeshire Bank ...	Haverfordwest	J. and W. Walters ...	9011
Reading Bank ...	Reading	Simonds and Co. ...	28716
Reading Bank ...	Reading	Stephens, Blandy, and Co. ...	27780
Richmond Bank ...	Richmond	Roper and Co. ...	6932
Rochdale Bank ...	Rochdale	Clement, Royds, and Co. ...	730
Royston Bank ...	Royston	Fordham and Sons ...	9315
Rugby Bank ...	Rugby	A. Butlin and Son ...	9952
Rye Bank ...	Rye	R. C. Pomfret and Co. ...	Not received
Saffron Walden and North Essex Bank	Saffron Walden	Gibson, Take, and Co. ...	21995
Salop Bank ...	Shrewsbury	Burton, Lloyd, and Co. ...	9748
Scarborough Old Bank ...	Scarborough	Woodall and Co. ...	22910
Shrewsbury Old Bank and Shrewsbury and Ludlow Bank ...	Shrewsbury	Rocke, Eyton, and Co. ...	28178
Sittingbourne and Milton Bank ...	Sittingbourne	Vallance and Co. ...	3405
Southampton Town and County Bank	Southampton	Maddison, Pearce, and Co. ...	8875
Southwell Bank ...	Southwell	Wylde and Co. ...	8717
Southampton and Hampshire Bank ...	Southampton	Atherley and Co. ...	1800
Stamford and Rutland Bank ...	Stamford	Eaton, Cayley, and Co. ...	18842
Shrewsbury and Welsh Pool Bank ...	Shrewsbury	Beck, Downward, and Co. ...	21744
Taunton Bank ...	Taunton	H. R., H. J., and D. Badcock ...	19930
Tavistock Bank ...	Tavistock	Gill, Sons, and Co. ...	10445
Thornbury Bank ...	Thornbury	Harwood and Co. ...	8290
Tiverton and Devonshire Bank ...	Tiverton	Dunsford and Co. ...	10675
Thrapston and Kettering Bank, Northamptonshire ...	Thrapston	Eland and Eland ...	11629
Tring Bank and Chesham Bank ...	Tring	Butcher and Sons ...	14124
Towcester Old Bank ...	Towcester	Mercer and Co. ...	6029
Union Bank, Cornwall ...	Helston	Vivian and Co. ...	14219
Uxbridge Old Bank ...	Uxbridge	Hull, Smith and Co. ...	9475
Wallingford Bank ...	Wallingford	Hedges, Wells, and Co. ...	6168
Warwick and Warwickshire Bank ...	Warwick	Greenway and Co. ...	21348
Wellington Somerset Bank ...	Wellington	Fox, Brothers, and Co. ...	2882
West Riding Bank, Wakefield, and Pontefract Bank ...	Wakefield	Leatham, Tew, and Co. ...	43929
Whitby Old Bank ...	Whitby	Simpson, Chapman, and Co. ...	14198
Winchester, Alresford, and Alton Bank	Winchester	Bulpett and Co. ...	11493
Weymouth Old Bank and Dorchester Bank ...	Weymouth	Eliot, Pearce, and Co. ...	15952
Wirksworth and Ashbourne Derbyshire Bank ...	Wirksworth	Arkwright and Co. ...	37946
Wisbech and Lincolnshire Bank ...	Wisbech	Gurneys and Co. ...	38545
Wiveliscombe Bank ...	Wiveliscombe	W. Hancock ...	3984
Worcester Old Bank and Tewkesbury Old Bank ...	Worcester	Berwick, Lechmere, and Co. ...	48903
Wolverhampton Bank ...	Wolverhampton	R. and W. F. Fryer ...	9835
Yarmouth and Suffolk Bank, and Ealesworth and Suffolk Bank	Yarmouth	Gurneys, Birkbeck, and Co. ...	36193
Yarmouth, Norfolk, and Suffolk Bank	Great Yarmouth	Sir E. H. K. Lacon, Bt., and Co. ...	9875
York Bank ...	York	Swann, Clough, and Co. ...	46716

JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.		Average Amount.
		£
Bank of Westmorland	Kendal	10987
Barnsley Banking Company	Barnsley... ..	9608
Bradford Banking Company	Bradford	50911
Bilston District Banking Company	Wolverhampton... ..	9321
Bank of Whitehaven	Whitehaven	30370
Bradford Commercial Banking Company... ..	Bradford... ..	20173
Burton, Uttoxeter, and Staffordshire Union Banking } Company	Burton-upon-Trent	48558
Chesterfield and North Derbyshire Banking Company	Chesterfield	9000
Cumberland Union Banking Company (Limited)	Carlisle	34758
Coventry and Warwickshire Banking Company	Coventry	16375
Coventry Union Banking Company	Coventry	13978
County of Gloucester Banking Company	Cheltenham	110197
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company	Carlisle	23938
Carlisle City and District Bank	Carlisle	19951
Dudley and West Bromwich Banking Company	Dudley	37749
Derby and Derbyshire Banking Company	Derby	19374
Darlington District Joint Stock Banking Company	Darlington	27681
Gloucestershire Banking Company	Gloucester	147050
Halifax Joint Stock Bank	Halifax	19343
Huddersfield Banking Company	Huddersfield	35067
Hull Banking Company	Hull	30482
Halifax Commercial Banking Company (Limited)	Halifax	13101
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company	Halifax	41342
Helston Banking Company	Helston	1459
Knarborough and Claro Banking Company	Knarborough	27748
Lancaster Banking Company	Lancaster	56137
Leicestershire Banking Company	Leicester... ..	62607
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company	Lincoln	50738
Leamington Priors and Warwickshire Banking Company	Leamington Priors	11755
Ludlow and Tenbury Bank	Ludlow	9719
Moore and Robinson's Nottinghamshire Banking } Company (Limited)	Nottingham	30656
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company	Nottingham	29230
National Provincial Bank of England	Birmingham	102770
	Hd. Office, 112, Bishopsgate-st., London	
North Wilts Banking Company	Melksham	48176
Northamptonshire Union Bank	Northampton	62068
Northamptonshire Banking Company	Northampton	20541
North and South Wales Bank	Liverpool	62170
Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company	Leicester... ..	55363
Sheffield Banking Company	Sheffield	36340
Stamford, Spalding, and Boston Banking Company	Stamford	55277
Stuckey's Banking Company, Bristol Somersetshire } Bank, and Somersetshire Bank	Langport	339405
Shropshire Banking Company	Shiffnall	35021
Stourbridge and Kidderminster Banking Company	Stourbridge	59499
Sheffield and Hallamshire Banking Company	Sheffield	23740
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company	Sheffield	53627
Swaledale and Wensleydale Banking Company	Richmond	52737
Wolverhampton and Staffordshire Banking Company	Wolverhampton... ..	28359
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank	Wakefield	14416

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.						Average Amount.
						£
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company	...	...	Whitehaven	...	...	22764
Warwick and Leamington Banking Company	...	...	Warwick	...	...	28870
West of England and South Wales District Bank	...	...	Bristol	...	...	8323
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company	...	...	Salisbury	...	...	71146
West Riding Union Banking Company	...	...	Huddersfield	...	...	34849
Whitchurch and Ellesmere Banking Company	...	...	Whitchurch	...	...	5704
Worcester City and County Banking Company (Limited)	...	...	Worcester	...	...	557
York Union Banking Company	...	...	York	...	...	70958
York City and County Banking Company	...	...	York	...	...	97057
Yorkshire Banking Company	...	...	Leeds	...	...	128401

W. W. DALBIAC, Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue Office, April 21, 1866.

CORN IMPORTED AND EXPORTED.

AN ACCOUNT shewing the Quantities of the several kinds of Corn and Meal Imported into each division of the United Kingdom; and the Quantities of British and Foreign Corn and Meal, of the same kinds, Exported from the United Kingdom, in the week ended the 21st April, 1866.

	QUANTITIES IMPORTED INTO				QUANTITIES EXPORTED FROM THE UNITED KINGDOM.		
	England.	Scotland.	Ireland.	The United Kingdom.	British.	Colonial and Foreign.	Total Exported.
	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.
Wheat	218,404	31,472	156,596	406,472	...	2,231	2,231
Barley	122,189	39,929	5,500	167,618	25	36	61
Oats	95,509	60	...	95,569	9,268	181	9,449
Rye	835	...	...	835	...	...	...
Pease	13,801	679	...	14,480	344	...	344
Beans	3,269	4,412	...	7,681	...	37	37
Indian Corn	148,469	16,068	71,170	235,707	...	231	231
Buckwheat	2,972	...	...	2,972	...	...	...
Beer or Bigg	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total of Corn (exclusive of Malt)	605,448	92,620	233,266	931,334	9,637	2,716	12,353
Wheatmeal or Flour	86,902	32,372	24,009	143,283	710	213	923
Barley Meal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oat Meal	1,540	...	...	1,540	913	...	913
Rye Meal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pea Meal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bean Meal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Indian Corn Meal	183	...	...	183	...	17	17
Buckwheat Meal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total of Meal	88,625	32,372	24,009	145,006	1,623	230	1,853
Total of Corn and Meal (exclusive of Malt)	694,073	124,992	257,275	1,076,340	11,260	2,946	14,206
Malt (entered by the Quarter)	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.	Quarters.
	...	...	...	...	1,148	...	1,148

Office of the Inspector-General of Imports and Exports, Custom House, London, April 23, 1866.

JOHN A. MESSENGER, Inspector-General.

A STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, Imperial Measure, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise, conformably to the Act of the 27th and 28th Victoria, cap. 87, in the Week ended 21st April, 1866.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	73,215	0	44	9
Barley	14,817	6	37	2
Oats	3,455	3	24	8

A COMPARATIVE STATEMENT, for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1862 to 1865, of the Quantities of BRITISH CORN Sold in the Towns from which Returns are received under the Act of the 27th and 28th Victoria, cap. 87, and of the Average Prices as ascertained under the Act 5th and 6th Victoria, cap. 14, so far as relates to 1862, 1863, and 1864.

Corresponding Week in	QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICES.					
	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1862	46,718	4	17,325	6	13,043	6	57	9	36	8	21	1
1863	56,546	7	14,245	0	6,799	5	45	6	35	4	21	6
1864	74,164	0	25,652	5	8,069	5	40	1	30	10	19	3
1865	62,003	5	19,049	3	3,145	5	39	7	30	0	22	7

Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade,
April 23, 1866.

A. W. FONBLANQUE,
Comptroller of Corn Returns.

Harborne Railway.

Proposed deviation in the County of Warwick.

NOTICE is hereby given, that application is intended to be made to Parliament in the present session, under the provisions of a Bill now pending in Parliament, intituled "A Bill to incorporate the Harborne Railway Company, and to authorise the making and maintaining of a railway to be called 'The Harborne Railway,' and for other purposes;" for powers to deviate a portion of the intended railway between a point marked and measured four furlongs, four chains, and fifty links, or thereabouts, in a certain field in the parish of Birmingham, and county of Warwick, numbered 53 in that parish, in respect of the railway described as No. 1 on the plans deposited with reference to the said Bill, on or before the 30th day of November last, with the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Warwick, at his office at Stratford-upon-Avon, and another point marked and measured one mile, eight chains, and fifty links, or thereabouts, in a certain field in the

parish of Edgbaston, and said county of Warwick, numbered 39 in that parish, in respect of the railway described as Railway No. 3 on the said deposited plans.

And notice is hereby further given, that plans and sections showing the line and level of the said deviation, with a book of reference to the said plans, and a copy of this notice, have been or will, on or before the 25th day of April instant, be deposited with the Clerk of the Peace for the said county of Warwick, at his office at Stratford-upon-Avon aforesaid, and on or before the same day a copy of so much of the plan, section, and book of reference as relates to each of the said parishes in or through which the said proposed deviation will pass or be situate; and also a copy of this notice will be deposited with the clerk of each such parish at his residence.

Dated this 19th day of April, 1866.

Wilkins and Blyth, No. 10, St. Swithin's-lane, and 6, Westminster Chambers, London, Solicitors for the Bill.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors,
at Calcutta.

In the Matter of Johan Anton Hoffmann, an
Insolvent.

ON Saturday, the 3rd day of February instant, it was ordered that the creditors of the said insolvent have six months further time from this day, to file, in the Office of the Chief Clerk of this Court, a statement of the amount of their respective claims against the estate of the said insolvent, duly verified by affidavit, and that the Chief Clerk do form a schedule from the claims so to be filed.

Moses, Attorney.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for
Inventions.

NOTICE is hereby given that—

3166. Emile Watteuu, of Middlesboro'-on-Tees, in the county of York, has given notice at the Office of the Commissioners of his intention to proceed with his application for Letters Patent for the invention of "an improved screwing and tapping machine."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 9th day of December, 1865.

3191. And John Townsend, of Shelf, near Halifax, in the county of York, Worsted Spinner, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in steam boilers or apparatus for generating steam."

3194. And John Goddard, of No. 11, Spring-place, St. Peter's-road, Hammersmith, in the county of Middlesex, Builder, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in the manufacture of folding shutters."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 11th day of December, 1865.

3202. And Christopher Easby, of 191, Rockingham-street, Sheffield, in the county of York, Truss Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved truss."

3210. And Levi Lemon Sovereign, of 88, Pentonville-road, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the naves and axletree boxes of carriage wheels."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 12th day of December, 1865.

3217. And James Henry Smith, of East-road, Hoxton, in the county of Middlesex, Machinist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in sewing machines."

3224. And John Sanderson, of Sharrow-vale, Sheffield, in the county of York, Steel Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of railway bars."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 13th day of December, 1865.

3228. And Harry Prowse, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Felt Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in the manufacture of felt."

3231. And William Winter, of Leeds, in the county of York, Sewing Machine Maker and
No. 23105. E

General Machinist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the bearings of certain wheels and pulleys, applicable to various kinds of machinery."

3237. And Jacques Masson, of No. 82, Boulevard Sebastopol, Paris, in the Empire of France, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved apparatus for apportioning the fodder of horses, cattle, and other domestic animals."

3242. And Henry George Fairburn, of St. Luke's, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved machinery for compressing and solidifying coal, clay, and other analagous substances."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 14th day of December, 1865.

3247. And George Warriner, of Little Ilford, in the county of Essex, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of fire places and furnaces."

3249. And James Aston, of Hythe, in the county of Kent, Gun Maker, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in breech-loading fire-arms, and in ammunition for the same."

3250. And Charles Blyth, of Dundee, in the county of Forfar, in the Kingdom of Great Britain, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in holders for hackling machines for jute, hemp, flax, and other fibrous substances."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 15th day of December, 1865.

3257. And Francis Johnston (of the firm of Johnston, Brothers, Cotton Manufacturers) and William Astley, Manager, both of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a means or method of and apparatus to be employed for utilizing waste healds for weaving."

3259. And James Atkinson Longridge, of Abingdon-street, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in locomotive engines."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 16th day of December, 1865.

3261. And Samuel Whitehouse the elder, Samuel Whitehouse the younger, Jeremiah Whitehouse, and William Whitehouse, all of Dudley, in the county of Worcester, Engineers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in the means of collecting waste gases arising from blast furnaces."

3266. And Orrin Clarke Burdick, of the city and county of New Haven, State of Connecticut, United States of America, Machinist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machines for making metal nuts and in dies for the same."

3267. And Henry Causer Ensell, of St. Helen's, in the county of Lancaster, Glass Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in smelting copper, and in obtaining products from the gases and vapours given off during the said smelting."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 18th day of December, 1865.

3276. And William Creasy, of Bull's Hall, Bedford, Wickham Market, in the county of Suffolk, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for drying and bleaching grain and other materials."

3280. And Louis Durand, of Lyons, in the Empire of France, but at present residing at Queen's Hotel, Saint Martin's-le-Grand, London, Chemist, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in dyeing and printing."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 19th day of December, 1865.

3289. And Thomas Rickett, of No. 16, Upper Barnsbury-street, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of metal tubes for gun barrels and other purposes, and in machinery or apparatus employed therein."

3291. And Michel Siégrist, of 12, Montpelier-street, Brompton, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for the use of passengers and others in signalling on railway trains."

3295. And Frederick Lamb Hancock and Charles Lamb Hancock, of Dudley, in the county of Worcester, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in propellers for ships and vessels, parts of which are applicable to windmill sails and fan blowers."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 20th day of December, 1865.

3303. And George Davies, of No. 1, Serle-street, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, and of No. 87, Saint Vincent-street, in the city of Glasgow, Civil Engineer and Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of an invention of "an improved gas-burner."—A communication to him from abroad by James Stratton, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in the United States of America.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 21st day of December, 1865.

3311. And Léopold D'Aubréville, of No. 60, Boulevard de Strasbourg, Paris, in the Empire of France, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved method of, and apparatus for, simultaneously manufacturing or weaving two separate cloths, at one and the same operation, on a common hand or power loom slightly modified for the purpose."—A communication to him by Gerber-Ulrich, a person resident at Sainte Marie-aux Mines, a town of France.

3313. And James Anderson, of Sheerness, in the county of Kent, Captain of the Great Eastern Steam Ship, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus to facilitate the cleansing, examination, and repair of the bottoms of ships and other submerged structures."

3317. And George Davies, of No. 1, Serle-street, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, and of No. 87, St. Vincent-street, in the city of Glasgow, Civil Engineer and Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved apparatus for burning combustible vapour (such as that from naphtha or coal oil), for heating, cooking, and lighting purposes."—A communication to him from

abroad by James Stratton, of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in the United States of America.

3319. And George Tomlinson Bousfield, of Loughborough-park, Brixton, in the county of Surrey, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for raising or forming articles of sheet metal."—A communication to him from abroad by Mellen Bray, a person resident at Haverhill-street, Boston, United States of America.

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of December, 1865.

3343. And Joseph Benn, of Goat, near Cocker-moath, in the county of Cumberland, Mechanic, and George Oswald Luckman, of the city of Manchester, Merchant, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for damping and gumming labels, stamps, envelopes, and sheets of paper."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 27th day of December, 1865.

3357. And Cromwell Fleetwood Varley, of Fleetwood House, Beckenham, in the county of Kent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of telegraphic cables or conductors."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 28th day of December, 1865.

3385. And William Frazer Cochrane, of Springfield, in the county of Clark, and State of Ohio, United States of America, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the means of feeding meal to the bolting reel in flouring mills."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 30th day of December, 1865.

30. And Thomas Edward Vickers, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Steel Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for rolling hoops or tyres for wheels or other purposes."

35. And William Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer and Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in preparing and treating wood and wood pulp for the manufacture of paper."—A communication to him from abroad by Jean Baptiste Neyret, Zéphirin Gaspard, Alexandre Nathan Petrone Orioli, and Amable Alfred Fredet, Manufacturers of Paper Pulp, all of 29, Boulevard St. Martin, Paris.

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 4th day of January, 1866.

181. And William Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer and Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the means and apparatus for obtaining and applying motive power."—A communication to him from abroad by Alexandre Bobrownicki, Engineer, of 29, Boulevard St. Martin, Paris.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 19th day of January, 1866.

203. And Thomas Rowatt the younger, of the firm of Thomas Rowatt and Son, of Edinburgh and London, Lamp Manufacturers, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in lamps for burning paraffin, petroleum, belmontine, and other hydro carbon oils without the use of a glass chimney."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of January, 1866.

228. And Mark Silvester, of Gilbert-road, Kennington-lane, in the county of Surrey, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved compound for removing and preventing incrustation in steam boilers."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 23rd day of January, 1866.

278. And William Hersee and George Smyth, both of Mitcham, in the county of Surrey, Floor Cloth Manufacturers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of printed floor cloths, oil cloths, table covers, and other similar fabrics."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 29th day of January, 1866.

394. And Henry Edward Francis de Briou, Doctor of Medicine, of St. George's Lodge, 19, Marlborough-hill, St. John's-wood, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved compositions for preserving metals from oxidation, corrosion, and galvanic action, for protecting metals used in the construction of ships against the destructive effects of sea water and preventing their fouling, for protecting woods from the attacks of animalculæ and preserving wood from damp rot and decay, for excluding damp from walls, and for use in submarine and other telegraphy."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 8th day of February, 1866.

554. And Cyrille Jean Caumon (also known as John Absterdam), of the city of Toulouse, France, Scientific and Mechanical Engineer, at present a resident of the city, county, and State of New York, United States of America, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "manufacturing iron and steel, and the alloyage of metals, together with preparing ores for the same."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 23rd day of February, 1866.

602. And Myer Myers and Maurice Myers, trading under the style or firm of Myers and Son, Steel Pen Manufacturers, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, and William Hill, Manager to the said firm, also of Birmingham aforesaid, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "new or improved apparatus for the use of smokers, parts of which apparatus are applicable to the securing or holding together of cigarette and other papers, as well as securing or connecting together straps and bands."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 27th day of February, 1866.

766. And Scovil Sturgis Merriam, of Springfield, in the State of Massachusetts, in the United States of America, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved submarine and torpedo boat."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 14th day of March, 1866.

769. And George McKenzie, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, Cement Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in obtaining illuminating gas and oil."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 15th day of March, 1866.

806. And Thomas George Sylven, of Bedford-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Gun Maker, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in breech-loading guns."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 19th day of March, 1866.

846. And Charles Denton Abel, of No. 20, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in Jacquard looms for weaving cut pile fabrics double."—A communication to him from abroad by Anton Funk, Carl Emil Becker, and August Hoffbauer, all of Berlin, in the Kingdom of Prussia.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 22nd day of March, 1866.

859. And Clinton Edgecombe Brooman, of 166, Fleet-street, in the city of London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new or improved process of transforming scraps or cuttings of Bessemer steel and other scraps or cuttings of iron puddled steel and cast steel into ingots of cast steel."—A communication to him from abroad by Emile Martin and Pierre Emile Martin, of Paris, France.

868. And James Erskine, of Newton Stewart, in the county of Wigton, North Britain, Gun-maker, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for filling cartridges for breech loading guns."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 23rd day of March, 1866.

911. And Reuben Noake, of Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Manager of Works, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in the manufacture of iron safes and other strong boxes."

919. And Charles Pardoe, of Brierley Hill, in the county of Stafford, Coke Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of coke ovens."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 29th day of March, 1866.

948. And Charles Albert Shaw, of Biddeford, of the county of York, and State of Maine, of the United States of America, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new and useful knitting machine."—A communication to him by Jonas Hinkley, a person resident at Norwalk, of the county of Huron, and State of Ohio, of the said United States.

951. And William Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in power looms for weaving."—A communication to him from abroad by William Breitenstein, of the city and State of New York, United States of America.

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 3rd day of April, 1866.

969. And François Rebière, of Saint Pierre les Calais, Town in the French Empire, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in bobbin net or lace machinery."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 5th day of April, 1866.

1039. And Alexander Horace Brandon, of 13, Rue Gaillon, Paris, in the Empire of France, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain new and useful improvements in springs, which are particularly adapted to use as railroad car springs, but may be applied to other purposes."—A communication to him from abroad by Alexander Watson, of New York, United States of America.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 12th day of April, 1866.

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

Erratum in Gazette of Friday, April 20, 1866.

935. For "pastilles of pastry materials," read "pastilles of pasty materials."

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862, and of the London India Rubber Company (Limited).

BY an Order made by the Lord Chancellor and Lords Justices of Appeal in the above matters, dated the 13th day of April, 1866, on the petition of the above-named Company, and of Thomas Stevens Geere, of Stratford, in the county of Essex, Esquire, John Henry Johnson, of No. 102, Gloucester-terrace, Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, Astley Paston Price, of No. 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, and James Thompson, of No. 35, Gutter-lane, in the city of London, Esquire, the present Directors of the said Company, it was ordered that the voluntary winding up of the said London India Rubber Company be continued, but subject to the supervision of this Court, and any of the proceedings under the said voluntary winding up may be adopted as the Judge shall think fit, and the creditors, contributories, and liquidators of the said Company, and all other persons interested in, are to be at liberty to apply to the Judge as there may be occasion.

Sole, Turner, and Turner, of No. 68, Aldermanbury, in the city of London, Solicitors for the said Petitioners.

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862, and of the Kilgetty Silica Company (Limited).

THE Vice-Chancellor Kindersley has, by an Order, dated the 21st day of March, 1866, appointed George Williams, of No. 5, Newington-road, Stoke Newington, Accountant, to be Official Liquidator of the above-named Company.—Dated this 18th day of April, 1866.

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1862, and of the Kilgetty Silica Company (Limited).

THE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 21st day of May, 1866, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to George Williams, of No. 9, St. Thomas-street, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, the Official Liquidator of the said Company; and, if so required, by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or

claims, at the chambers of the Vice-Chancellor Kindersley, No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved. Friday, the 1st day of June, 1866, at twelve o'clock at noon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1866.

SALE OF OLD STORES AT DEVONPORT.

Admiralty, Somerset-Place,
April 16, 1866.

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 Wednesday, the 2nd May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the Admiral Superintendent will put up to sale in Her Majesty's Dock Yard at Devonport, several lots of

OLD STORES,

Consisting of Rope, Seamings, Shakings, Bolt-rope, Spun yarn, Canvas (Painted and in Small Pieces), Clews, Leather, Coal Sacks, Homogeneous Steel, Cast Iron, Hemp Rakings, Buntin, &c., &c., &c., all lying in the said Yard.

Persons wishing to view the lots must apply to the Superintendent for notes of admission for that purpose.

Catalogues and conditions of sale may be had here and at the Yard.

CONTRACT FOR BALTIC HEMP.

Contract Department, Admiralty,
Somerset House, April 10,
1866.

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 Tuesday, the 1st May next, at two o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying

RIGA AND PETERSBURG HEMP.

To be delivered into Store at Her Majesty's Dock Yards according to a distribution, which, with a form of the tender and conditions of contract may be seen in the Lobby of the Storekeeper-General's Department, Admiralty, Somerset House.

No tender will be received after two 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 Baltic Hemp," and must also be delivered at the Department of the Storekeeper-General, Admiralty, Somerset House.

CONTRACT FOR CANVAS.

Contract Department, Admiralty,
Somerset House, April 10,
1866.

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 Tuesday, the 1st May next, at two o'clock, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying

and delivering into Store at Her Majesty's Dock Yards at Deptford and Portsmouth, by the 31st December next,

15,000 BOLTS OF CANVAS
(including 370 Bolts of 18 in. wide).

Tenders may be made for any quantity, not less than 1,000 bolts, and no tender will be received unless made on the printed form, which, with instructions for making the canvas, may be obtained on application at this Department.

No tender will be received after two 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 Canvas," and must also be delivered at the Department of the Storekeeper-General, Admiralty, Somerset House, accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering, in the sum of £25 per cent. on the value for the due performance of the contract.

CONTRACT FOR IVORY COMBS.

Contract Department, Admiralty,
Somerset House, April 16,
1866.

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 30th instant, at twelve o'clock at noon, they will be ready to treat with such persons as may be willing to contract for supplying and delivering into Her Majesty's Victualling Stores at Deptford, all such quantities of

IVORY COMBS,

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

No tender will be received unless made on the printed form provided for the purpose, and which may be obtained on application in the Lobby of the Department of the Comptroller of Victualling, Admiralty, Somerset House, where the conditions of the contract may be seen.

A pattern comb may be seen in the said Lobby, and also at the Victualling Yards at Gosport and Plymouth.

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

Every tender must be addressed to the Secretary of the Admiralty, and bear in the left hand corner the words "Tender for Ivory Combs," and must also be delivered at the Department of the Comptroller of Victualling, Admiralty, Somerset House, signed by two responsible persons, engaging to become bound with the person tendering in the sum of £100 for the due performance of the contract.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned, William Viner Rolleston and Joseph Gill, in the trade or business of Palm Oil Manufacturers and Exporters, carried on at Lagos, on the West Coast of Africa, under the firm of The Lagos Palm Oil Company, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Witness our hands this 24th day of April, 1866.

W. V. Rolleston.
Joseph Gill.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between us the undersigned, carrying on business at Liverpool, as Ship Chandlers, Ship Store Dealers, and Sailmakers, under the style of Montgomery, Fox, and Co., has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts will be received and paid by Mr. Montgomery.—Dated the 23rd day of April, 1866.

Jas. M. Montgomery.
W. C. Fox.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Horsfall Stephenson and John Shackleton Gill, of The Railway Arch, Todmorden, in the county of Lancaster, carrying on business as Accountants and Commission Agents, under the name or style of Stephenson and Gill, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st day of January, 1866.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1866.

H. Stephenson.
John S. Gill.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, Alfred Henry Catling and Joseph Chillingworth, of Nos. 145 and 146, Minories, in the city of London, Hemp and Flax Merchants, was this day dissolved, as from the 13th day of March last, by mutual consent. Mr. Catling will continue the business, by and to whom all debts are to be paid.—As witness our hands this 21st day of April, 1866.

Alfred H. Catling.
J. Chillingworth.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, Joseph Chillingworth and Alfred Henry Catling, of Nos. 116 and 117, Holborn-hill, in the city of London, Wholesale Confectioners, trading as J. Chillingworth and Co., was this day dissolved, as from the 13th day of March last, by mutual consent. Mr. Chillingworth will continue the business, by and to whom all debts are to be paid.—As witness our hands this 21st day of April, 1866.

J. Chillingworth.
Alfred H. Catling.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership hitherto existing between William Sweet and George Cooke, carrying on business under the style of Sweet and Cooke, as Wholesale Tea and Coffee Dealers, at No. 11, Cross-lane, St. Mary-at-hill, Eastcheap, City, was dissolved on the 3rd April, 1866, by mutual consent.—Dated 20th April, 1866.

William Sweet.
George Cooke.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between us the undersigned, Edward Tilston and Thomas Tilston, as Grocers and Provision Dealers, at Brownlow Hill, in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, has been dissolved.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1866.

Edward Tilston.
Thomas Tilston.

Reading, 15th March, 1866.

WE, the undersigned, John Allright, Alfred Edward Allright, and Jesse Allright, do hereby mutually agree to dissolve the partnership now existing between us under the name of Allright, Brothers, Drapers, Hosiers, and Clothiers, London-street, Reading, so far as Alfred Edward Allright is concerned.—Dated this 15th day of March, 1866.

John Allright.
Alfred Edward Allright.
Jesse Allright.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Walker, James Walker, and William Walker, carrying on the business of Bleachers at the Fairfield Bleach Works, at Droylsden, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of John Walker and Sons, has been dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 16th day of April, 1866.

John Walker.
James Walker.
William Walker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Thomas Jolly the elder, and Thomas Jolly the younger, as Commission Agents at Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, under the firm of Thomas Jolly and Co., was dissolved by mutual consent on the 31st day of March last. All debts due and owing to and by the concern will be received and paid by the said Thomas Jolly the younger.—Dated this 19th day of April, 1866.

Thos. Jolly, senr.
Thomas Jolly, jr.

THE Partnership subsisting between John Evans and Charles Wilbraham, Tailors and Drapers, No. 31, Slater-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, was dissolved on the 25th day of July, 1865; and the business has since been and now is carried on by the said John Evans, by whom all debts are to be received and paid.—Dated the 20th day of April, 1866.

John Evans.
Charles Wilbraham.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edmund Charles Buxton, the younger, and John Dean Manning, carrying on business as Commission Agents and Merchants, at Manchester, under the style or firm of Buxton, Manning, and Company, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 19th day of April, 1866.

E. C. Buxton, junr.
J. D. Manning.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Yeatman and Walter Carless, carrying on business as Paint, Color, and Varnish Manufacturers, at Duke-street and Henry-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the style of Yeatman and Carless, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or from the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Thomas Yeatman, by whom the said business will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 18th day of April, 1866.

Thomas Yeatman.
Walter Carless.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Michael Bousfield, Thomas Wilkinson Tetley, Richard James Tetley, and George Bousfield, carrying on business as Cotton Brokers at Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of Hollinshead, Tetley and Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent, so far as concerns the said George Bousfield, as from the 31st day of December, 1865.—Dated this 20th day of April, 1866.

George Bousfield. *T. Wilkinson Tetley.*
Mich. Bousfield. *R. T. Tetley.*

NOTICE.—The Partnership hitherto carried on by us as Accountants, at No. 14, Walbrook, in the city of London, under the firm of Alison and Waddell, has this day been amicably dissolved.—23rd April, 1866.

Daniel Alison.
James Waddell.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, carrying on business as Cotton Spinners and Manufactures, at Padfield, in the parish of Glossop, in the county of Derby, and elsewhere, under the firm of Fisher, Brothers, was dissolved on the 6th day of October, 1864, by mutual consent.—Dated this 16th day of March, 1866.

John Fisher.
James Fisher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Peace, Samuel Johnstone Hobson, and John Brownill, as Steel Converters and Refiners, Manufacturers of Saws, Rollers, Tilters, and Forgers, and carried on by us at the Merchant Works, in Sheffield, in the county of York, under the style of Joseph Peace and Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 31st day of December last. The business of Steel Manufacturers, Rollers, Tilters, and Forgers, will be continued at Merchant Works aforesaid by the undersigned, Samuel Johnstone Hobson and John Brownill, in conjunction with Mr. Henry John James Brownill, under the style of Brownill, Hobson, and Brownill, and the business of Saw Manufacturers will be continued by the undersigned, Joseph Peace, under the style of Joseph Peace and Co. All debts due to and from the said late firm will be received and paid by the firm of Brownill, Hobson, and Brownill.—Dated this 20th day of April, 1866.

Joseph Peace.
Saml. J. Hobson.
John Brownill.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between the undersigned, William Richard Hall Henn-Gennys and Andrew Lidstone Adams, both of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, carrying on business as Merchants and Commission Agents, under the style or firm of Henn-Gennys and Adams, in Liverpool aforesaid, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 1st day of April instant.—Dated this 6th day of April, 1866.

W. R. H. Henn-Gennys.
A. L. Adams.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Edwin Parker and William Howgate, carrying on business together as Dealers in Pictures, Prints, and the Fine Arts generally, at Leeds, in the county of York, under the style or firm of E. Parker and Co., was, on the 1st day of March last past, dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Edwin Parker.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1866.

Edwin Parker.
William Howgate.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between Edward Stamp and Edwin Willoughby, of No. 3, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London, Printers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 16th day of April, 1866.

Edward Stamp.
Edwin Willoughby.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Frederick Booth and William Joseph Rorke, carrying on trade at No. 16, Carr's-lane, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, as Merchants, under the style or firm of Booth, Rorke, and Co., was dissolved by mutual consent, as and from the 16th day of April instant. All debts due to and owing by the late partnership will be received and paid by the said William Joseph Rorke, by whom the said business will in future be carried on.—Witness our hands this 19th day of April, 1866.

Fredk. Booth.
William J. Rorke.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, James Smith and Sydney Smith, carrying on business at Boy-court, Ludgate-hill, and No. 125, Fleet-street, in the city of London, as Newspaper Proprietors, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing by the late partnership concern will be received and paid by the said James Smith, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1866.

James Smith.
Sydney Smith.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Thomas Scurr Womersley and Henry Mathews Burt, of St. Michael's-House, St. Michael's-alley, Cornhill, in the city of London, Bill Brokers, under the firm of Womersley and Burt, has been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 23rd day of April, 1866.

Thomas Scurr Womersley.
Henry Mathews Burt.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Wilson, Thomas Harrison, and Robert Parkinson, as Chemists and Druggists, at Bradford, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Maud and Wilson, was, on the 5th day of April instant, dissolved by mutual consent, so far as regards the said Thomas Wilson, who on that day retired from the concern; and that all debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Thomas Harrison and Robert Parkinson, who will henceforth carry on the said business on their own account.—As witness the hands of the said parties this 20th day of April, 1866.

Thos. Wilson.
Thos. Harrison.
Robt. Parkinson, Ph. D.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which was some time since contemplated between the undersigned, Edward Jessel, of No. 137, Cheapside, in the city of London, General Agent and Factor, and Michael Aaron Jessel, of Bristol, Pawnbroker, as General Agents and Factors, and which was to have been carried on under the firm or style of Edward Jessel and Co., was never entered into; and that the business which has been for some time past and is now carried on under the style of Edward Jessel and Co., has been and is so carried on by the undersigned Edward Jessel alone, the undersigned Michael Aaron Jessel having no interest whatever therein.—Dated the 1st day of March, 1866.

M. A. Jessel.
Edward Jessel.

COUNTY COURTS' EQUITABLE JURISDICTION.

PURSUANT to a Decretal Order of the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Penrith, made in the suit of Joseph Pattinson against George Carruthers, Robert

Graham, and Arthur Graham, it was declared that the Partnership heretofore existing between the plaintiff and defendants in certain winnings and losses in a greyhound bitch, called Meg, do stand dissolved as from the 7th day of April, 1866.

CARLETON VARTY, Registrar.

WETHARLEY HATTON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vict., chap. 35 intitled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of Wetharley Hatton, late of Dover, in the county of Kent, Smith, who died on the 8th of April, 1865, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Canterbury of Her Majesty's Court of Probate by John James Greestreet, of Dover aforesaid, Bootmaker, and William Watts, of the same place, Carpenter, on the 13th of May, 1865, are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims to the executors, at the office of Mr. Thomas Fox, Solicitor, No. 2, Townwall-street, Dover, on or before the 30th day of April, 1866, after which day the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the testator, according to the provisions of his will, having regard to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and will not be liable for the distributed assets to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice.—Dated the 5th day of April, 1866.

THOMAS FOX, Dover, Solicitor to the Executors.

JOHN MERCER LA PERRELLE.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of 22 and 23 Victoria, chap. 35, intitled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand upon or affecting the estate of John Mercer La Perrelle, late of the parish of St. Lawrence, in the city of Winchester, Painter (who died on the 14th day of January, 1866, and whose will was proved on the 6th day of February, 1866, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate by Charles Coles, the executor therein named, are hereby required to send full particulars, in writing, of their respective debts, claims, or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said Charles Coles, at our office, in the High-street, Winchester aforesaid, on or before the 18th day of July, 1866, after which date the said executor will proceed to apply and distribute the assets of the said John Mercer La Perrelle, deceased, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which he shall then have had notice, and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 18th day of April, 1866.

L. E. and BEST, High-street, Winchester, Solicitors for the said Executor.

SAMUEL ABBOTT, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, intitled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands upon or affecting the estate of Samuel Abbott, late of Golden Bank House, in the borough of Liskeard, in the county of Cornwall, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 22nd day of June, 1865, and whose will was proved in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Bodmin, in the said county of Cornwall, on the 21st day of July, 1865, by Samuel Abbott, of Redruth, in the said county, and William Jenkin Abbott, of the borough of Liskeard aforesaid, the executors therein named), are required to send particulars of their claims or demands, on or before the 31st day of May, 1866, to Christopher Childs, of Liskeard, in the county of Cornwall, Solicitor to the said executors; and notice is hereby given, that after the said 31st day of May, 1866, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Samuel Abbott, deceased, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said executors may then have had notice, and they will not be answerable or liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1866.

CHRISTR. CHILDS, Solicitor for the Executors.

JOSEPH AINSWORTH, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, intitled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of and all persons claiming debts or liabilities affecting the estate of Joseph Ainsworth, late of Barkston Ash, in the county of York, Farmer (who died on the 11th day of September, 1853, and whose will was proved on the 14th

day of November, 1853, by William Ainsworth, of Leeds, in the said county, Milkman, and John Handley, of Barkston aforesaid, Farmer, the executors in the said will named in the Exchequer and Prerogative Court of York, are to send to the said William Ainsworth, the surviving executor of the said will, at the office of his Solicitors, Messrs. Cariss and Tempest, No. 10, Albion-street, Leeds, in the said county, particulars, in writing, of their claims against the estate of the said testator, on or before the 1st day of June next, after which day the said surviving executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said surviving executor shall then have had notice, and the same executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of April, 1866.

CARISS and TEMPEST, No. 10, Albion-street, Leeds, Solicitors to the said surviving Executor.

THOMAS TICHBON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, intitled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and others having any claims against the estate of Thomas Tichbon, late of Robertsbridge, in the parish of Salehurst, in the county of Sussex, Draper and Grocer, deceased (who died at Robertsbridge, in Salehurst aforesaid, on or about the 2nd day of February, 1865, and whose will was proved in the District Registry of Lewes of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 19th day of April, 1865, by Esther Sarah Tichbon, Spinster, and James Caff, of Robertsbridge, in Salehurst aforesaid, Draper and Grocer, the executors named in the said will), are to send the particulars of their respective claims to the said James Caff, on or before the 24th day of May next, after which day the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which the said executors shall have then had notice, and that the said executors will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand the said executors shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1866.

ROBT. TOURNAY, Solicitor to the Executors.

The Dowager Countess CAWDOR, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, intitled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debt or claim against or upon the estate of The Dowager Countess Cawdor, late of No. 3, Tilney-street, Park-lane, in the county of Middlesex, deceased, who died on the 16th day of February, 1866, and whose will was proved in Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 5th day of March, 1866, by The Right Honourable John Frederick Vaughan, Earl Cawdor, one of the executors therein named, are required to send particulars of their debts or claims on or before the 15th day of May, 1866, to Messrs. Farrer, Ouvry, and Farrer, of No. 66, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, Solicitors to the said Dowager Countess Cawdor; and notice is hereby given, that after the said 15th day of May, 1866, the said executor, will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Dowager Countess Cawdor among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said executor may then have had notice, and he will not be answerable or liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim he shall not then have had any notice.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1866.

FARRER, OUVRY, and FARRER, No. 66, Lincoln's-inn-fields, London, Solicitors for the Executor.

THOMAS DAVIS, Esquire, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, intitled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim or demand against the estate of Thomas Davis, late of No. 18, Westbourne-street, Hyde park-gardens, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, deceased (who died on the 2nd day of February, 1866, and whose will was proved on the 2nd day of March, 1866, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, by the Reverend Thomas John Davis, Henry Houseman, and Emily Davis, the executors therein named), are required to send to the said Henry Houseman, at the office of the undersigned, Messrs. Hodding, Townsend, and Co., No. 3, Prince-street, Storey's-gate, Westminster, the Solicitors to the said executors, particulars of their claims or demands against the said estate, on or before the 19th day of May next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst

the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which they shall then have received notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part or parts thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 20th day of April, 1866.

HODDING, TOWNSEND, and CO., No. 3, Princes-street, Storey's-gate, Westminster, Solicitors to the said Executors.

The Reverend **THOMAS REEVE**, Clerk, Deceased. Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of the Reverend Thomas Reeve, late of Raydon, in the county of Suffolk, Clerk, deceased (who died on the 13th day of May, 1865, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was proved by the Reverend Abraham Charles Reeve, of Higham, in the said county, Clerk, and the Reverend Edward James Reeve, of Standon Massey, in the county of Essex, Clerk, on the 14th day of August, 1865, in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Ipswich), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims or demands to the said executors, at the office of the undersigned, their Solicitor, on or before the 19th day of May next. And notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 17th day of April, 1866.

PETER B. W. LONG, Solicitor for the said Executor, Northgate-street, Ipswich.

ELIZABETH ELWORTHY, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the session of Parliament held in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty, Queen Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors of or other persons having claims or demands upon or against the estate of Mrs. Elizabeth Elworthy, late of Ashleigh, in the parish of Plymstock, in the county of Devon, Widow (who died on the 30th day of March, 1865, and whose will was, on the 23rd day of May, 1865, duly proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, by John Savery Brooking, of Hyde-park-square, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, and Timothy Surr, of Abchurch-lane, in the city of London, Esquire, the executors therein named, are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, or demands against the estate of the said deceased, with the nature of their securities (if any) to the undersigned, as Solicitors to the said executors, at our offices, No. 6, Courtenay-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, on or before the 1st day of June next, after which day the said executors will proceed to apply and distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for such assets, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim or demand they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 19th day of April, 1866.

J. E. ELWORTHY, CURTIS, and DAWE, No. 6, Courtenay-street, Plymouth, Solicitors to the Executors.

In the Executorship of **WILLIAM STEEVENSON**, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of, and persons claiming debts or liabilities affecting the estate of William Steevenson, late of Gruntham, in the county of Lincoln, Pawnbroker, deceased, who died on the 6th day of July, 1865, are hereby required to send, on or before the 1st day of June next, the particulars of their debts or claims to John Hardwick, of Syston, in the county of Lincoln, Gentleman, one of the executors of the deceased, or to me, as Solicitor for the said executors, at my office, in Grantham aforesaid, or in default thereof the said executors will, after the said 1st day of June next, distribute the assets of the said William Steevenson, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the debts or claims only of which the executors shall then have had notice.—Dated this 18th day of April, 1866.

HENRY THOMPSON, Grantham, Solicitor to the Assignees.

JOHN WEATHERILL DODDS, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and claimants against the estate of John Weatherill Dodds, of the borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 2nd day of December, 1865, and whose will was proved by John Wilkinson, of the said borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Wood Broker, the executor named in the said will, on the 20th day of December, 1865, in the District Registry attached to Her Majesty's Court of Probate at York), are hereby required to send particulars of their debts or claims, in writing, to us, the undersigned, as the Solicitors of the said executor, at our offices, as under-mentioned, on or before the 1st day of July next, after which day the executor will distribute the assets of the testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, or demands of which he shall then have had notice; and the executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand he shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated the 14th day of April, 1866.

HOLDEN and SONS, No. 2, Parliament-street, Hull, Solicitors to the said Executor.

In the Executorship of **WILLIAM SMART**, Deceased. Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of, and persons claiming debts or liabilities affecting the estate of William Smart, late of Ropsley, in the county of Lincoln, Farmer and Grazier, deceased, who died on the 2nd day of September, 1864, are hereby required to send, on or before the 1st day of June next, the particulars of their debts or claims to Mary Ann Smart, of Ropsley aforesaid, Widow, or to William Guylee, of the same place, Farmer and Grazier, the executrix and executor of the said deceased, or to me, as Solicitor for the said executrix and executor, at my office, in Grantham, in the county of Lincoln, or in default thereof the said executrix and executor will, after the said 1st day of June next, distribute the assets of the said William Smart, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the debts or claims only of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 18th day of April, 1866.

HENRY THOMPSON, Grantham, Solicitor to the Executors.

In the Matter of **RICHARD COOPER**, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that creditors, and all persons having any claims upon or demands against the estate of Richard Cooper, of the parish of Sedgley, in the county of Stafford, Moulder (who died on or about the 31st day of March, 1852, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 16th day of September, 1862, by William Whitehouse, late of Tipton, but now of Pirton, near Tettenhall; both in the said county of Stafford, Brewer, Maltster, and Farmer, the acting executor therein named), are required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims or demands to us, the under-mentioned, the Solicitors of the said executor, on or before the 1st day of June next, at the expiration of which time the said executor will distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties then claiming to be entitled thereto, having regard to the claims and demands of which the said executor shall then have had notice; and that the said executor will not be liable for any part of such assets to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of April, 1866.

T. M. and J. WHITEHOUSE, Queen-street, Wolverhampton, Solicitors to the said Executor.

JOHN WADE, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claim against the estate of John Wade, late of Winchmore Hill, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, deceased (who died on the 19th day of January, 1865, and whose last will and testament was proved by William Benjamin Wade, of Holborn-hill, Tailor and Draper, and Edward Clarke, of Upper Norwood, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 1st day of March, 1865), are hereby required, on or before the 1st day of June, 1866, to send the particulars of their claims to the undersigned, Messrs. Surr and Gribble, of No. 12, Abchurch-lane, London, the Solicitors of the said executors, after which time the executors will proceed to distribute the

assets of the said John Wade among the parties entitled thereto; and will not be liable for any part of such assets to any person of whose claim the executors shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 20th day of April, 1866.

SURR and GRIBBLE, No. 12, Abchurch-lane, City, Solicitors for the said Executors.

SUSANNA PARSONS, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty, Queen Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims, debts, or demands against or in any way affecting the estate of Susanna Parsons, late of The Crown and Cushion Inn, High-street, Woolwich, in the County of Kent, Licensed Victualler, deceased (who died on the 15th day of January, 1866, at The Crown and Cushion Inn aforesaid, intestate, and letters of administration to whose estate and effects were, on the 16th day of February, 1866, granted by Her Majesty's Court of Probate to Georgiana Blanchett, daughter of the said deceased), are hereby required to send in particulars of such claims, debts, or demands to the undersigned, James Pearce, on or before the 31st day of May, 1866, at the expiration of which time the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims, debts, or demands of which she shall then have notice; and the said administratrix will not be liable to any person of whose claim, debt, or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1866.

JAS. PEARCE, No. 12, Rectory-place, Woolwich, Solicitor to the said Administratrix.

GEORGE JONAS WIGLEY, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claim or demand against the estate of George Jonas Wigley, formerly of No. 5, Lancaster-terrace, Notting-hill, in the county of Middlesex, but late of Via di Tor Sanguigna, Rome, Architect, deceased (who died on the 13th day of January, 1866, intestate, and to whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were, on the 14th day of March, 1866, granted by the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate to Charles Joseph Eldred, of No. 8, Great James-street, Bedford-row, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman), are required, on or before the 1st day of July next, to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, or demands to Messrs. Eldred and Andrew, of No. 8, Great James street, Bedford-row, Middlesex, the Solicitors of the said administrator. And notice is hereby given, that after the said 1st day of July, the administrator will proceed to apply and distribute the assets of the said George Jonas Wigley among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which the said administrator shall then have had notice. And notice is hereby further given, that the said administrator will not be answerable or liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had due notice.—Dated this 23rd day of April, 1866.

ELDRED and ANDREW, No. 8, Great James-street, Bedford-row, Solicitors to the Administrator.

FRANCIS HAMP, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty, the Queen, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Francis Hamp, late of Ashby-de-la-Zouch, in the county of Leicester, Wine and Spirit Merchant, deceased (who died at Ashby-de-la-Zouch aforesaid, on the 3rd day of July, 1865, and whose will, with two codicils thereto, was proved by Margaret Hamp, of Ashby-de-la-Zouch, in the county of Leicester, Widow, Edward Pratt, of Cauldwell, in the county of Derby, Gentleman, William Edward Smith, of Ashby-de-la-Zouch aforesaid, Gentleman, and Henry Fisher, of Newport, in the county of Salop, Gentleman, executors named in and appointed by the said will, and the first codicil thereto, in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate for the counties of Leicester and Rutland, on the 28th day of August, 1865), are, on or before the 31st day of July, 1866, to send in to the said executors, or to me, as their Solicitor, at my office, in Ashby-de-la-Zouch, in the said county of Leicester, particulars of their respective claims or debts, or in default thereof the said executors will, at the expiration of the above period, proceed to apply and distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims or debts only of which they shall then have had notice; and will not be liable for the assets, or

any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose claim or debt they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated the 18th day of April, 1866.

W. E. SMITH, Solicitors to the Executors.

GEORGE MURAS, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Victoria, cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property, for the relief of Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and others having any debt or claim against or upon the estate of George Muras, late of Northumberland-street, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Auctioneer (who died on or about the 27th day of October, 1865, and whose will was proved on the 23rd day of January, 1866, by Joseph Aynsley, Davidson Shipley, and John Counley Preston, the executors therein named), are requested to send the particulars of their debts or claims to Messrs. Hoyle, Shipley, and Hoyle, Solicitors, No. 33, Mosley-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 1st day of June next, after which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the whole of the assets of the said George Muras, deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of April, 1866.

HILL and HOYLE, No. 73, Cannon-street, E.C.; HOYLE, SHIPLEY, and HOYLE, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; Solicitors for the Executors.

In Chancery.—Between Lewis Marks, Plaintiff, and William Scruton Wilson, Defendant.

TAKE notice, that this Honorable Court will be moved by Mr. Graham Hastings, before his Lordship the Master of the Rolls, on Thursday, the 3rd day of May next, or so soon after as Counsel can be heard on behalf of the above-named plaintiff, that the Bill of Complaint filed in this cause on the 2nd day of December, 1865, may be ordered to be taken pro confesso against you the above-named defendant, William Scruton Wilson, pursuant to the Orders of this Honorable Court, bearing date the 8th day of May, 1845.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1866.

DEANE, CHUBB, and SAUNDERS, No. 14, South-square, Gray's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Solicitors for the Plaintiff.

To the above-named Defendant,
William Scruton Wilson.

In Chancery.

In the Matter of an Act made and passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the 19th and 20th years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to facilitate Leases and Sales of Settled Estates;" and in the Matter of part of the settled estates devised by the will of Robert Partridge, deceased, being part of a field formerly two fields, and known by the names of Hoyhouse and Holme Ford, situate in the parish of Windermere, in the county of Westmoreland.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition in the above-mentioned matters was, on the 17th day of March, 1866, presented to the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, by George Partridge, of Gale Howe, Ambleside, in the county of Westmoreland, Gentleman, Robert Jackson Partridge, Edward Thomas Partridge, George Vanderghucht Partridge, and William Henry Partridge, respectively, infants, under the age of twenty-one years, by the said George Partridge, their father and guardian, and by Jane Whitmore, formerly Jane Partridge, Spinster, and the Widow of William Frederick Whitmore, of the Grove House, South Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, Henry Partridge, of Lansdown-road North, South Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman, Edward Partridge, of Wandsworth, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman, Robert Partridge, of Lansdowne-road North aforesaid, Gentleman, and William Partridge, of Clifton-cottages, Wandsworth, in the said county of Surrey, Gentleman, for the sale of the said piece of land, to a company recently formed for the establishment of Gas Works in the town of Ambleside aforesaid, for the sum of £250, and for directions that the Petitioner, George Partridge, should execute the deed of conveyance to the purchasers, and that the moneys to be received on the sale of the same hereditaments be paid into the bank to the account of the Accountant-General of the Court of Chancery, and be laid out in the purchase of bank £3 per cent. annuities; and that the interest to accrue on the said bank annuities when purchased be paid to the Petitioner, George Partridge, during his life, or until the further Order of the said Court. And notice is hereby also given, that the Petitioners may be served with any Order of the Court or notice relating to the subject of the said Petition, at the office of their Solicitors, Messrs. Marshall, Westall, and Roberts, situate at No. 7, Leadenhall-street, in the city of London.—Dated this 20th day of April, 1866.

MARSHALL, WESTALL, and ROBERTS, No. 7, Leadenhall-street, London, Agents for MOSER, SON, and ARNOLD, of Kendal, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery made in a cause of *Beaumont v. Oliveria*, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Stuart, in nine lots, by Messrs. Foster, the persons appointed by the said Vice-Chancellor at the Gallery, No. 54, Pall Mall, in the county of Middlesex, on the 11th day of May, 1866, at twelve o'clock:—

Certain valuable leasehold property, viz., a very superior family residence, being No. 8, Upper Hyde-park-street, Hyde-park-square, with coach-house and stabling, also improved ground rents of £200 per annum for seventy years arising from villa residences and houses in Howley-place-Porteus-road, Fulham-road, Dudley-place, and Bridge-terrace, Paddington, two semi-detached villas, Nos. 9 and 10, Park-place-villas, Paddington, and a leasehold dwelling-house, No. 13, Upper George-street, Bryanstone-square, all in the county of Middlesex, late the property of Benjamin Oliveira, Esq., deceased (and with the exception of No. 8, Upper Hyde-park-street, which is in hand), in the respective occupations of Mr. Thomas Richardson, Sir Matthew Wyatt, Mr. William Merry, Mr. James Miller, Mr. Charles Hughes, Mr. James Hewett, Mr. Joseph Lalcin, Mr. Matthew Saich, Mr. Robert Haynes, and Mr. Ebenezer Cornall Conquest, or their under-tenants.

Particulars whereof may be had (gratis) of Messrs. Roy and Cartwright, Solicitors, No. 4, Lothbury; C. F. Cundy, Esq., Solicitor, No. 8, Regent-street; Messrs. Boys and Tweedies, Solicitors, No. 5, Lincoln's-inn-fields; Messrs. Few, Solicitors, No. 2, Henrietta-street, Covent-garden; Messrs. Bailey and Co., No. 5, Berners-street, Oxford-street; Messrs. Curtis and Bedford, Haberdashers' Hall, Gresham-street West, in the city of London; or of the Auctioneers, Messrs. Foster, at their Gallery, No. 54, Pall Mall.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of *Smith v. Peck*, with the approbation of the Master of the Rolls, in seven lots, by Mr. John Christopher Payne, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Crown Inn, at East Retford, in the county of Nottingham, on Saturday, the 12th day of May, 1866, at five o'clock in the afternoon precisely:—

Certain freehold estates, situate at Hayton, in the county of Nottingham, late the property of William Peck, of Gate Burton, in the county of Lincoln, Farmer, deceased, and of John Peck, of Tilm, in the county of Nottingham, Farmer, deceased.

Particulars whereof may be had (gratis) of Messrs. Mees, Burnaby, and Denman, of Retford, Solicitors; Mr. Nettleship, No. 37, John-street, Bedford-row, London, Solicitor; Messrs. Swann and Tweed, of No. 9, Great James-street, Bedford-row, London, Solicitor; Messrs. Hughes and Son, Lincoln, Solicitors; of the said Mr. Payne, Ordsall, near Retford; and at the said Inn.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause wherein Thomas Mason Johnson is plaintiff, and James Henry D'Arcy Foulds and others are defendants, the persons claiming to be the next of kin of Mary Foulds, late of Trawden, near Colne, in the parish of Whalley, in the county of Lancaster, Spinster, who died in or about the month of July, 1817, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 25th day of May, 1866, 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. Friday, the 8th day of June, 1866, at three o'clock in the afternoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 16th day of April, 1866.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of *Peak and others v. Hilton* and others, the creditors of Richard Preston, late of Ince within Makerfield, in the county of Lancaster, Ironfounder (who died on or about the 15th day of February, 1864), are, on or before the 21st day of May, 1866, to send by post, prepaid, to Thomas Frederick Taylor, Esq., of Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, the Solicitor acting in this cause for the defendant, Ralph Hilton, one of the executors of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses, and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before His Lordship the Master of the Rolls, at his chambers, situate in the Rolls-yard, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, on the 4th day of June next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1866.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of Sophia Thomas, late of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick,

Widow, deceased, and in a cause *Thomas against Hodges*, the creditors of Sophia Thomas, late of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Widow, who died in or about the month of October, 1863, are, on or before the 28th day of May, 1866, to send by post, prepaid, to William Henry Farnfield, of No. 11, Serle-street, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, the Solicitor for the defendant, the executor of the said Sophia Thomas, deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir John Stuart, at his chambers, situate No. 12, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Monday, the 11th day of June, 1866, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 20th day of April, 1866.

PURSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of Arthur Atkinson, deceased, and in a cause of *Ducat v. Searle*, the creditors of Arthur Atkinson, late of Exeter, in the county of Devon, Gentleman, deceased (who died on or about the 7th day of May, 1865), are, on or before the 16th day of May, 1866, to send by post, prepaid, to James Searle, Esq., of Exeter aforesaid, Solicitor, the executor of the testator, Arthur Atkinson, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims; a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir John Stuart, at his chambers, situate at No. 12, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Wednesday, the 30th day of May, 1866, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 18th day of April, 1866.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of the Reverend Oswald Joseph Cresswell against Francis Joseph Cresswell, the creditors of Frances Cresswell, late of No. 103, Onslow-square, and No. 21, Prince's-gate, both in the county of Middlesex, Spinster (who died on the 30th day of December, 1865), are, on or before the 7th day of May, 1866, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. M. and F. Davidson, of No. 18, Spring-gardens, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, the Solicitors for the defendant, Francis Joseph Cresswell, of King's Lynn, in the county of Norfolk, Esquire, the executor of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Wood, at his chambers, No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, on Monday, the 21st day of May, 1866, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 19th day of April, 1866.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of *John Richardson Jackson v. Alfred Jackson* and others, the creditors of Erasmus Jackson, late of Elm-grove, Southsea, in the county of Hants, Banker, who died on or about the 25th day of January, 1863, are, on or before the 7th day of May, 1866, to send by post, prepaid, to George Cornelius Stigant, of Portsea, in the county of Hants, the Solicitor of the plaintiff, John Richardson Jackson, and the defendant, Alfred Jackson, the legal personal representatives of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof, they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Decree. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Vice-Chancellor Sir William Page Wood, at his chambers, No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Monday, the 21st day of May, 1866, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 19th day of April, 1866.

COUNTY COURTS' EQUITABLE JURISDICTION.

PURSUANT to an Order of the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Swaffham, made in a suit Robert Lockwood against John Lockwood, the creditors of, or claimants against the estate of Goddard Lockwood, otherwise Lockitt, late of Ashill, in the county of Norfolk, Yeoman, who died on or about the month of December, 1864, are, on or before the 10th day of May, 1866, to send by post, prepaid, to the Registrar of the County Court

of Norfolk, holden at Swaffham, their Christian and surnames, addresses, and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them; in default thereof they may be excluded from any benefit in the estate. Every creditor holding any security is to produce or transmit the same to the Registrar aforesaid, on or before the 10th day of May, 1866, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 19th day of April, 1866.

THOS. PALMER, Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Joseph Steadman the younger, of No. 6, Ingress-place, Northfleet, in the county of Kent, Grocer, hath by a deed, dated the 2nd day of April last, conveyed all his estates and effects to Henry Knight, of No. 29, Richard-street, Woolwich, in the said county of Kent, Grocer, and Edmund Gower, of No. 298, Gray's-inn-road, in the county of Middlesex, Grocer, their heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, absolutely to be applied and administered for the benefit of the creditors of the said Joseph Steadman, in like manner as if he had been at the date thereof duly adjudged bankrupt; and that the said deed was executed by the said Joseph Steadman the younger and Edmund Gower respectively, on the day of the date thereof, and by the said Henry Knight, on the 4th day of April, 1866, and the said executions were severally witnessed by me the undersigned, George Matthews Arnold, of Milton next Gravesend, in the county of Kent, Solicitor.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1866.

GEO. M. ARNOLD.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

In the Matter of Joseph Kaye, of Elland, in the county of York, Cloth Manufacturer, who was adjudged bankrupt in the Leeds District Court of Bankruptcy, on the 26th day of June, 1865.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in consequence of the proceedings in Bankruptcy having, by a resolution of the creditors, been suspended, a First and Final Dividend will be paid to all the creditors who have proved their debts, by the Assignees, George Lumb, of Greetland, Manufacturer, and Benjamin Blackburn, of Huddersfield, Machine Maker, at the Griffin Inn, Halifax, on Saturday, the 28th day of April instant, at four o'clock in the afternoon. All creditors who have not proved their debts, are requested to do so, and send the proofs to Mr. Francis Jubb, Solicitor, Halifax, on or before the 25th day of April instant.—Halifax, 19th April, 1866.

FRAS. JUBB, Solicitor to the Assignees.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Meeting of the Creditors of William Shields, of the White Hart Inn, Dudley Hill, near Bradford, in the county of York, Licensed Victualler and Innkeeper, who by deed, dated the 21st day of December, 1865, assigned his estate and effects to a trustee, for the benefit of his creditors, in like manner as if he had been adjudged bankrupt will be held on Monday, the 30th day of April, 1866, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at my offices, Park-row, Leeds aforesaid, for the purpose of declaring a First Dividend; and all creditors who have not yet proved their claims must do so at or before the said meeting, or they will be excluded from all benefit of the Dividend that may be then and there declared.—Dated 18th day of April, 1866.

BENJN. C. PULLAN, Solicitor to the Trustees.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Meeting of the Creditors of Stephen Sparrow, of Leeds, in the county of York, Cloth Merchant, a bankrupt, whose estate by resolution, pursuant to the 110th section of the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, has been administered out of Court, will be held on Saturday, the 28th day of April, 1866, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at my offices, Park-row, in Leeds aforesaid, when and where the assignee will submit a statement of the property received and of the property outstanding, and the meeting will declare by resolution whether any and what part of the produce of the estate shall be divided amongst the creditors; and all persons having claims against the said Stephen Sparrow are required to prove the same at or before the said meeting, or they will be excluded the benefit of any Dividend that may be then and there declared.—Dated this 18th day of April, 1866.

BENJN. C. PULLAN, Solicitor to the Assignee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of the creditors of Benjamin Gregory, of Dunstable, in the county of Bedford, Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Meeting of the Creditors of the said Benjamin Gregory will be held at the office of Messrs. S. Hunt and Son, No. 23, Faulkner-street, Manchester, on Monday, the 7th day of May, 1866, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of declaring a First Dividend under the said deed. All creditors who have not assented

to the deed are to send particulars of their claims on or before that day to the said Messrs. S. Hunt and Son, or in default they will be excluded from the benefit of the said Dividend about to be declared.

TATHAMS, 'CURLING, and WALLS, No. 3, Frederick's place, London, Agents for WILLIAM MEDLAND, Dunstable, Beds.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition, and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,023.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Composition.

Date of Deed—14th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtors—14th April, 1866.

Names and descriptions of the Debtors, as in the Deed—George Arthur Hurst and Thomas Small, both of Goole, in the county of York, General Shipping and Forwarding Agents, carrying on business under the style or firm of Hurst and Small.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—The creditors, second part; and Thomas Routh, of Leeds, in the said county of York, Accountant (trustee), third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Whereby the debtors covenant to pay on the registration of deed to the trustee in trust for the debtors' creditors, a composition of one shilling and eight pence in the pound on the amount of all their debts, and in consideration whereof they release them therefrom.

When left for Registration—19th April, 1866, at half-past two o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,030.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—13th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—13th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—James Levitt, of Hill Foot, Sheffield, in the county of York, Corn Miller.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—John Thompson, Luke Sampson, and Robert Sykes, all of Sheffield aforesaid, Corn Factors, and Henry Henchman, of Sheffield aforesaid, Banker's Clerk, (trustees), second part; and the creditors, third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Conveyance of all the debtor's estate and effects to the trustees, to be administered for the creditors benefit as in bankruptcy, with a release to the debtor, and a proviso that whether the creditors execute or assent to the deed or not they shall be bound by it and entitled to the benefit thereof.

When left for Registration—20th April, 1866, at eleven o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,031.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—23rd March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—23rd March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—George Wilmott, of No. 8, Still House-lane, Bedminster, in the city of Bristol, Shopkeeper and Fishmonger.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—John Brooks, of Still House-lane, Bedminster, in the said city of Bristol, Coal Dealer (trustee), second part; the creditors, third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—A Conveyance of all the estate and effects of the debtor to the trustee, to be administered for the benefit of all the debtor's creditors, as in bankruptcy.

When left for Registration—20th April, 1866, at eleven o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,035.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—5th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—5th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—John Dodd, of the town of Ross, in the county of Hereford, Innkeeper.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Joseph Turnock, also of the town of Ross, in the county of Hereford, Brewer (trustee).

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Assignment by the debtor of all his estate and effects to the trustee, for the benefit of his creditors, to be administered as in bankruptcy.

When left for Registration—20th April, 1866, at twelve o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition, and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,036.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—21st March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—21st March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Thomas Tyson, of Burslem, in the county of Stafford, Brewer.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—George William Garlick, of Burslem aforesaid, Bank Manager, Henry Hopkins, of the same place, Commission Agent, and Nathan Pratt, of Sneinton, in the county of Notts, Malster (trustees).

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Conveyance by the debtor of all his estate and effects to the trustees, to be administered for the benefit of the debtor's creditors, as in bankruptcy; and a release from them to him.

When left for Registration—20th April, 1866, at one o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,037.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Composition.

Date of Deed—6th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—6th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Joseph Fairer, of No. 188, Saint George-street East, in the county of Middlesex, Watch and Clock Maker.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—The creditors.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—A Covenant by debtor to pay all his creditors a composition of 2s. 6d. in the pound, on or before the 30th April, 1866, on the amount of their respective debts.

When left for Registration—20th April, 1866, at one o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,039.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—4th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—4th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—William Newman Clark, of Ramsbury, in the county of Wilts, Grocer and Provision Dealer.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—John Howe Mason, of Newbury, Berks, Grocer, and Richard Killick, of Hungerford, Berks, Grocer.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Assignment of all the estate and effects of the debtor to the trustees for the benefit of his creditors.

When left for Registration—20th April, 1866, at two o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition, and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,040.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—29th March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—29th March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—William Flamank Entwisle, of Otley, in the county of York, Draper.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Benjamin Berry, of Leeds, in the county of York, Wholesale Draper, and John Mellin Wike, of Manchester, in the county palatine of Lancaster, Merchant (trustee), and all other creditors, third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Assignment of all the estate and effects of the debtor to the trustees upon trust for the benefit of the creditors as in bankruptcy.

When left for Registration—20th April, 1866, at half-past two o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition, and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,041.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Composition.

Date of execution by Debtor—23rd April, 1866.

Date of Deed—23rd April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Montgomery Walker Williams, of No. 10, Buxton-road, Stratford, in the county of Essex, Clerk in the Money Order Office, Aldersgate-street, in the city of London.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Samuel Gale, of Barbican, in the said city, Cheesemonger (trustee), second part; and the creditors, third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Whereby the debtor covenants to pay the trustee from the 1st April instant the yearly sum of £40; by equal monthly payments, the first to be made on the 1st May next, until he shall have paid the trustee sufficient to pay his creditors their debts, in full; and a release by creditors.

When left for Registration—20th April, 1866, at half-past two o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,042.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—23rd March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—23rd March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Jacob Batch, of the city of Norwich, Paviour and Contractor.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—William Thomas Palmer, of the said city, Gentleman, and Henry Alfred Wilde, also of the said city, Accountant (trustees).

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—A Conveyance of all the debtor's real and personal estate to the trustees, for the benefit of all his creditors; and a release by them to him.

When left for Registration—20th April, 1866, at half-past two o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy, for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition, and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,043.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—5th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—5th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—William Frost, of No. 28, Long-lane, Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, Glue Piece Dealer.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Charles George Pfander, of No. 2, Park-villas West, Richmond, in the county of Surrey, Merchant (trustee).

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Conveyance by the debtor of all his estate and effects to the trustee, to be administered, for the benefit of the creditors of the debtor, as in bankruptcy; and a release to him.

When left for Registration—20th April, 1866, at three o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,044.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—23rd March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtors—23rd March, 1866.

Names and descriptions of the Debtors, as in the Deed—William Peel, of No. 6, Wesley-terrace, Shieldfield, and of No. 12, East Clayton-street, and Joseph Peel, of No. 12, East Clayton-street, Hat and Cap Manufacturers, and Hosiers and Copartners, and which William Peel carries on the separate business of a Lucifer Match Manufacturer, at Stepney, all within the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—William Wilson, of Wellington-place, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, Hat Manufacturer (trustee), second part; and all the joint and separate creditors, third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—An Assurance to the trustee of all the real and personal estate of the debtors, both joint and separate, to be administered for the benefit of their creditors, as in bankruptcy; and a release by their creditors in consideration thereof.

When left for Registration—20th April, 1866, at three o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition, and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,045.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—7th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtors—7th April, 1866.

Names and descriptions of the Debtors, as in the Deed—Christian Borries, of No. 36, Quay-side, in the borough and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and of High Heworth House, near Heworth, in the county of Durham, and Thomas Bromfield, of No. 36, Quay-side aforesaid, and of No. 37, Eldon-street, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, Corn Factors, Coal Exporters, Commission Agents, Ship and Insurance Brokers, and copartners, trading under the style or firm of Loeb, Borries, and Company.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Septimus Anthony Gail, of No. 42, Quay-side, in New-

castle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, Stationer, and Thomas Robson, of No. 8, Quay-side, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, Corn Factor (trustees), second part; and all the joint and separate creditors, third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—An Assurance to the trustees of all the real and personal estate of the debtors, both joint and separate, to be administered for the benefit of their creditors, as in bankruptcy; and a release by their creditors in consideration thereof.

When left for Registration—20th April, 1866, at three o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,046.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Composition.

Date of Deed—10th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—10th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—William Parker, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Flour Dealer and Baker.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—The creditors.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Whereby the debtor agrees to pay his creditors a composition of 9s. in the pound upon the amount of and in full of their debts, payable by three equal instalments, within fourteen days, three months, and six months from the date of registration of deed, secured as to the second instalments by the debtor's promissory note, and as to the last by the joint and several promissory note of the debtor and Thomas Ogle, of Liverpool aforesaid, Grocer, and Samuel Hesketh, of Liverpool aforesaid, Licensed Victualler.

When left for Registration—20th April, 1866, at three o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition, and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,047.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—12th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—12th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Peter Joseph Morfee, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Shipwright.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—John Grime, of Liverpool aforesaid, Merchant (trustee).

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—A conveyance to the trustee of all the debtor's estate and effects, to be administered for the benefit of his creditors as in bankruptcy.

When left for Registration—20th April, 1866, at half-past three o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,048.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—29th March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—29th March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Joseph Hamilton, of Haydon Bridge, in the county of Northumberland, Draper.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Matthew Hepworth, of the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Woollen Draper, and John Milning, of the same place, General Draper (trustees).

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Assignment of all the debtor's estate and effects to the trustees, to be administered, for the benefit of his creditors, as in bankruptcy.

When left for Registration—21st April, 1866, at half-past eleven o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,049.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—24th March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—24th March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Stephen Kisey the younger, of Penygelly, in the parish of Newtown, in the county of Montgomery, Farmer.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Cornelius Morgan, of Newtown, in the said county of Montgomery, Wine Merchant, and Pryce Jones, of Newtown aforesaid, Mercer and Draper.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Assignment of the whole of estate and effects of debtor to the trustees, to be administered, for the benefit of his creditors, as in bankruptcy.

When left for Registration—21st April, 1866, at twelve o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,050.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Composition.

Date of Deed—31st March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—31st March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—James Downey, of Denton Chare, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Clothes Dealer.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—The creditors.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Whereby the debtor covenants to pay his creditors, within six calendar months from the date of the deed, a composition of two shillings in the pound, in full, of their debts.

When left for Registration—21st April, 1866, at twelve o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,051.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Composition.

Date of Deed—9th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—9th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Thomas Waddington, of No. 1, John's row, Old Ford-road, Bow, and No. of 6, Priory-terrace, St. Leonard's-street, Bromley-by-Bow, both in the county of Middlesex, Grocer, Cheesemonger, Baker, and Beer Retailer.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—The creditors.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—A Composition of 6d. in the pound on the debtor's debts, payable within seven days after registration of the deed; and a release from the creditors to him.

When left for Registration—21st April, 1866, at half-past twelve o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,053.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—4th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—4th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Frederick Isaac Keesing, of No. 78, Great Duoliestreet, Strangeways, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Cap Manufacturer, Furrier, and Milliner.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Samuel Isaacs, of Nos. 11 and 13, Moreton-street, Strangeways, in the said city of Manchester, Saleman (trustee), second part; and the creditors, third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Whereby the debtor assigns all his effects to the trustee, for the equal benefit of his creditors, to be administered, as in bankruptcy; and a release by creditors.

When left for Registration—21st April, 1866, at one o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,054.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Composition.

Date of Deed—26th March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—26th March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Henry Hayward Jennings, of Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Tea and Coffee Dealer.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Mary Roan, of Plymouth aforesaid, Widow, second part; the creditors, third part; and Robert Conway, of Plymouth aforesaid, Public Accountant, fourth part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—A Composition to the creditors of the debtor of 15s. in the pound on their respective debts, payable by three equal instalments, at three, six, and nine months from the date of the deed.

When left for Registration—21st April, 1866, at one o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,055.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—14th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—14th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—James Clegg the younger, of Molesworth-street, within the borough of Rochdale, in the county of Lancashire, Medical Botanist.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—David Thoraber, of Barton-street, Blackburn, in the said county of Lancashire, Letter Press Printer (trustee).

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—An Assignment of all the debtor's estate and effects to the trustee, to be administered for the benefit of the creditors of the debtor, as in bankruptcy; and a release from them to him.

When left for Registration—21st April, 1866, at one o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,056.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—11th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—11th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—William Drew, of the Fountain Inn, No. 38, Frankfort-street, in the borough of Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Licensed Victualler.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Edward George Lewer, of Norley Brewery, in Plymouth aforesaid, Brewer, and Thomas Martin Matthews, of Plymouth aforesaid, Wine and Spirit Merchant (trustees).

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Conveyance by the debtor of all his estate and effects to the trustees, to be administered for the benefit of his creditors, as in bankruptcy; and a release from them to him.

When left for Registration—21st April, 1866, at one o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,057.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Inspectorship.

Date of Deed—24th March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—24th March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Johan Gustaf Carl Pontus Kleman, of Angel-court, in the city of London, Merchant, trading under the style of P. Kleman.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Henry Alers Hankey, of No. 51, Portland-place, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., and Horace Edward Chapman, of No. 25, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, Merchant (Inspectors), second part; and the creditors, third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Whereby it was covenanted that the estate of the debtor should be wound up for the benefit of his creditors under the direction of the inspectors, as in bankruptcy.

When left for Registration—21st April, 1866, at half-past one o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,058.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—26th March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—26th March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—James Currie, of Station-hill, near Wigton, in the county of Cumberland, Millwright.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the creditors—John Hind, of the city of Carlisle, Engineer and Iron-founder (trustee).

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—A Conveyance by the debtor of all his estate and effects to the trustee to be administered for the benefit of his creditors, as in bankruptcy.

When left for Registration—21st April, 1866, at half-past one o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,059.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—28th March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—28th March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—William Hughes, of Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Grocer and Provision Merchant.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Thomas Merrett Evans, of Leicester aforesaid, Wholesale Grocer, and Joseph Swain, of Leicester aforesaid, Wholesale Grocer.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Conveyance by the debtor of all his estate and effects to the trustees, to be administered for the benefit of the

debtor's creditors, as in bankruptcy; and a release from them to debtor.

When left for Registration—21st April, 1866, at half-past one o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,060.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Composition.

Date of Deed—26th March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—26th March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—John Bacon, of the city of Manchester, Boot and Shoe Dealer.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Thomas Chambers, of Sheffield, Bank Manager, John Tasker, of Sheffield, Accountant, James Schofield, of Sheffield, Boot and Shoe Dealer, and John Dickenson, of Rotherham, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer (trustees), second part; George Thomas Lowndes Dawson, of Manchester, Leather Dealer, and Edwin Arthur Schofield, of Chesterfield, Boot and Shoe Manufacturer (sureties), third part; and all creditors, fourth part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—A Deed, whereby the debtor covenants to pay to his creditors 6s. 8d. in the pound, in full, of their debts by three instalments of 2s. 6d., 2s. 6d., and 1s. 8d., in the pound in four, eight, and twelve months from the date of the said deed, the payment of the said composition being secured by the joint and several promissory notes of the debtor and the said parties thereto, of the third part; and a release to the said debtor.

When left for Registration—21st April, 1866, at two o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,061.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—27th March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—27th March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—James Ford, of the city of Bristol, Builder (debtor).

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—George Charles Durlington, of the city of Bristol, Commercial Traveller.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Assignment by the debtor of all his estate and effects to the trustee, to be administered for the benefit of his creditors, as in bankruptcy; and a release by them to him.

When left for Registration—21st April, 1866, at two o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition, and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,062.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Composition.

Date of Deed—10th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—10th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Robert Barnett, of No. 36, London-road, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, Boot and Shoe Maker.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—The creditors.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Whereby the debtor agrees to pay to his creditors 2s. in the pound on their debts, by two equal instalments, at six and nine months from date of deed, and, upon payment, release the debtor therefrom.

When left for Registration—23rd April, 1866, at eleven o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,068.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—14th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—14th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Charles Augustus Bennett, of Hope-cottage, in the parish of Sunninghill, in the county of Berks, Horse Trainer, &c.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Henry Cook, of Victoria-street, Windsor, Berks, Timber Merchant.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed.—Conveyance by the debtor of all his estate and effects to the trustee, to be administered for the benefit of his creditors; and a release by them to him.

When left for Registration—23rd April, 1866, at half-past eleven o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition, and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,064.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—19th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—19th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Thomas Bradley, of the Royal Oak, Llandudno, in the county of Carnarvon, Licensed Victualler.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—John Reeves, of Church-walks, Llandudno aforesaid, Wine and Spirit Merchant.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Conveyance by the debtor of all his estate and effects to the trustee, to be administered for the benefit of his creditors, as in bankruptcy.

When left for Registration—23rd April, 1866, at twelve o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,065.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—29th March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—29th March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—John Tily, of Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, Chymist and Druggist.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Elvira Bining, of Leamington, in the county of Warwick, Spinster, and John Williams, of Cheltenham aforesaid, Coal Merchant (trustees), second part; and the creditors, third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Assurance by the debtor of all his real and personal estate and effects to the trustees, upon trust for the benefit of his creditors; and a release from them to him.

When left for Registration—23rd April, 1866, at twelve o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,066.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Composition.

Date of Deed—17th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtors—17th April 1866.

Names and descriptions of the Debtors, as in the Deed—John Higgs Batty, of No. 32, Bouverie-street, in the city of London, and Joseph Henry Batty, of the said place, Printers, carrying or lately carrying on business under the name or firm of Batty, Brothers.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Edmund Johnson, of Castle-street, Printer (trustee), second part; and the creditors of the debtors, third part. A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Covenant by debtors with trustee to pay their creditors 2s. 6d. in the pound on their debts, within six weeks from the date of deed.

When left for Registration—23rd April, 1866, at half-past twelve o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198a:—

Number—17,067.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—27th March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtors—27th March, 1866.

Names and descriptions of the Debtors, as in the Deed—Thomas Edward Osborn and George Osborn, both of Bembridge, in the Isle of Wight, Bakers, and Grocers and Copartners (debtors).

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Henry Knight, of Albion-place, in the town and county of the town of Southampton, Wholesale Grocer (trustee).

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—A Deed, whereby the debtors convey to their trustee all their estate and effects, to be administered for the benefit of their creditors; and a release to the debtors.

When left for Registration—23rd April, 1866, at half-past twelve o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,068.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—13th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—13th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—James Clear, of Purbrook, in the parish of Farlington, in the county of Hants, Contractor.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Thomas Wainscot, of West-street, Fareham, in the parish of Fareham, in the said county of Hants, Boot and Shoe Maker (trustee).

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—A Deed, whereby the debtor conveys all his estate and effects to the said trustee, to be administered for the benefit of all his creditors, as in bankruptcy; and a release from them to him.

When left for Registration—23rd April, 1866, at half-past twelve o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,069.

Title of Deed whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—26th March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—26th March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—William Fitzgerald Borough, of No. 2, Sparrow-corner, Minorities, in the city of London, Ship Store and Provision Merchant, Ship Chandler, and Sail Maker.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Anne Kay, of No. 57, Queen Margaret's-grove, Milmay-park, in the county of Middlesex, Widow, of the second part; Joseph Salmon, of Ratcliff-cross, in the said county of Middlesex, Ship Biscuit Baker, and Hugh Wood, of No. 141, Minorities aforesaid, Provision

Merchant, trustees for the creditors of the late firm of Kay, Borough, and Co., or of the said William Fitzgerald Borough, as the surviving partner thereof, as thereinafter mentioned, of the third part, the several persons and firms whose names are written and seals are set and affixed in the schedule thereto, or who have in writing assented thereto, being a majority in number representing three-fourths in value of all the creditors of the late firm of Kay, Borough, and Co., or of the said William Fitzgerald Borough, as the surviving partner thereof, of the fourth part; and all other the creditors of the said late firm, or of the said William Fitzgerald Borough, as such surviving partner as aforesaid, of the fifth part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Assignment by the debtor to the trustees of all the real and personal estate of and belonging to the late firm of Kay, Borough, and Co., or of the said William Fitzgerald Borough, as the surviving partner thereof, in trust, for the benefit of the said creditors.

When left for Registration—23rd April, 1866, at one o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,070.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment Composition, or Inspectorship—Composition.

Date of Deed—23rd April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—23rd April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Richard Gully Amos, of the King's Arms, Bishopsgate-churchyard, in the city of London, Licensed Victualler.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the creditors—The creditors.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—A Deed whereby the said debtor covenants to pay to his creditors 6d. in the pound, on their debts, within two months from the date thereof; and a release by the creditors.

When left for Registration—23rd April, 1866, at half-past one o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,071.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Composition.

Date of Deed—31st March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—31st March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Joseph Barker, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Estate Agent.

The name and description of the Trustee or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—John Barker, of Liverpool aforesaid, Gentleman, and John Robinson Renner, of Liverpool aforesaid, Merchant, second part; and the creditors, third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—A Deed, whereby the debtor covenants to pay all his creditors their debts in full by four equal instalments, at six, twelve, eighteen, and twenty-four months from date of deed, with interest after the rate of five per cent. per annum; and a release from creditors.

When left for Registration—23rd April, 1866, at half-past one o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,072.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—4th April 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—4th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—William Darby, of Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Innkeeper (debtor), first part.

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The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Thomas Lewis, of Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Commission Agent (trustee), second part; and the creditors, third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Assignment of all the estate and effects of the debtor to the trustee, to be administered for the benefit of the debtor's creditors, as in bankruptcy; and a release to the debtor. When left for Registration.—23rd April, 1866, at half-past one o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,073.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—5th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—5th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—William Oliver, of Hartlepool, in the county of Durham, Shoe Dealer.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Benjamin Collins, of Leeds, in the county of York, Shoe Manufacturer (trustee).

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—A Conveyance by the debtor of all his estate and effects to the trustee, to be administered, for the benefit of his creditors, as in bankruptcy; and a release from them to him.

When left for Registration—23rd April, 1866, at two o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,074.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Composition.

Date of Deed—21st April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtors—21st April, 1866.

Names and descriptions of the Debtors, as in the Deed—Samuel Hodges and Samuel Horatio Hodges, both of Asher-lane, Redcross-street, in the city of Bristol, Wholesale Boot and Shoe Makers, and copartners.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Zachariah Seymour, of Street, in the county of Somerset, Stone Merchant, second part; and all the creditors, third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—A Composition of 10s. in the pound to all the joint and separate creditors of the debtors, payable by three equal instalments on the 24th July, the 24th October, and the 24th January next respectively, the last two instalments being guaranteed by the said Zachariah Seymour, and a covenant by the creditors not to sue the debtors or either of them.

When left for Registration—23rd April, 1866, at half past two o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,075.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—28th March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—28th March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Thomas Murrells, of Sudbury, in the county of Suffolk Cabinet Maker, and Upholsterer.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Joseph Alexander, of Sudbury aforesaid, Banker, and William Spice, of Ipswich, in the county of Suffolk, Gentlemen (trustees), second part; and the creditors, third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—An Assignment by the debtor of all his estate and effects to the trustees for the benefit of his creditors as in bankruptcy.

When left for Registration—23rd April, 1866, at half-past three o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196 and 198:—

Number—17,076.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Composition.

Date of Deed—9th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—9th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Thomas Gilbert, late of the Crown and Anchor, Watery-lane, in the parish of Aston, in the county of Warwick, Licensed Victualler, but now of Talford-cottages, Talford-street, Green-lanes, Birmingham, in the said county of Warwick, out of business.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—The creditors, second part; and William Lomas Harrison, of Birmingham aforesaid, Accountant, third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—A Composition to the creditors of four shillings in the pound on the amount of their respective debts, within fourteen days after the registration of the deed.

When left for Registration—23rd April, 1866, at half-past three o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,078.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Composition.

Date of Deed—16th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—16th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—William Marshall, of Bell-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Potatoe Salesman.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—The creditors.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—A Composition of five shillings in the pound, to be paid by two equal instalments in cash forthwith and at three months after date of deed, secured by the joint promissory note of the debtor and Edward Grimley, of No. 3, Clement street-parade, Birmingham aforesaid, Hair Dresser; and a release from the creditors to the debtor.

When left for Registration—23rd April, 1866, at half-past three o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,079.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—3rd April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—3rd April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—John Chapman, of West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, Brewer.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—William Henry Gilbert, of the city of Lichfield, Maltster, and James Smith, of Halford's-lane, West Bromwich aforesaid, Farmer (trustees), second part; and the creditors, third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—An Assignment of the estate and effects of the debtor (except wearing apparel and other such like articles of personal use and enjoyment) to the trustees upon trust for the equal benefit of all his creditors, and an acceptance by them of such assignment in full of their respective debts.

When left for Registration—23rd April, 1866, at half-past three o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,080.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Composition.

Date of Deed—21st April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—21st April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Thomas Lewis, of No. 8, Commercial-street, White-chapel, in the county of Middlesex, Printer.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—The creditors.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Whereby the creditors, in consideration of the debtor's covenant to pay them a composition of 2s. 6d. in the pound on their debts, on or before 20th May, 1866, or at any time after on demand, release him from all claims.

When left for Registration—24th April, 1866, at half-past ten o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,081.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—28th March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—28th March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Charles Sanderson, of the Sharrow Vale Works, Sheffield, in the county of York, Merchant, Steel Refiner, and Crinoline Steel Manufacturer.

The name and description of the Trustee or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—John Devonshire Ellis, of Sheffield aforesaid, Manufacturer, Samuel Lucas, of Dronfield, in the county of Derby, Merchant, Manufacturer, and Colliery Owner, Samuel Seville, of Hey Lees, Oldham, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Spinner (trustees); second part; and the creditors, third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Conveyance to the trustees by the debtor of all his estate and effects, to be administered for the benefit of his creditors, as in bankruptcy.

When left for Registration—24th April, 1866, at eleven o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,082.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Composition.

Date of Deed—29th March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—29th March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Henry Lyons, of Merthyr Tydfil, in the county of Glamorgan, Pawnbroker.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—James Rooker, of the town of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Gold Chain Manufacturer (trustee), second part; and the creditors, third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Whereby the debtor agrees to pay his creditors five shillings in the pound, by two equal instalments, within one and four months from the date of the deed.

When left for Registration—24th April, 1866, at eleven o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,083.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Composition.

Date of Deed—29th March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—29th March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—James Hutchinson Clayton, of Pudsey, in the parish of Calverley, in the county of York, Hop Merchant.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the creditors—George Wood, of Leeds, in the county of York, Maltster (trustee), second part; and the creditors, third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Whereby the debtor agrees to pay his creditors a composition of 2s. in the pound in full of their respective debts, and a release from them to him.

When left for Registration—24th April, 1866, at eleven o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,086.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—10th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—10th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—William Price, of College-street, in the city of Worcester, Maltster and Licensed Victualler.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—Thomas Baxter, of Castle-place, in the same city, Gentleman, second part; and the creditors, third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Assignment by the debtor of all his estate and effects to his creditors; and a release by them to him.

When left for Registration—24th April, 1866, at half-past twelve o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,087.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Composition.

Date of Deed—20th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—20th April, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—Robert Hone, of No. 47, Broad-street, Ratcliff, in the county of Middlesex, Builder.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—The creditors, second and third parts.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Whereby the debtor covenants to pay his creditors a composition of two shillings and sixpence in the pound, in full of their debts, within six months after registration of the deed.

When left for Registration—24th April, 1866, at half-past twelve o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition, and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,090.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Composition.

Date of Deed—5th April, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtors—5th April, 1866.

Names and descriptions of the Debtors, as in the Deed—John Wha'e and Edward Joseph Waller, of No. 57, Old Kent-road, in the county of Surrey, and Nos. 17 and 18, Laurie-place, Kirkdale, Sydenham, in the county of Kent, Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—The creditors.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Whereby the creditors release the debtors, in consideration of the payment to them of a composition of eleven shillings in the pound on the amount of their respective debts, payable by three equal instalments, in two, four, and six months from the date of the deed

the two first being secured by the joint and several promissory notes of the debtors, and the last by the joint and several promissory notes of them and Thomas Whale.

When left for Registration—24th April, 1866, at half-past one o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the following is a copy of an entry made in the book kept by the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Registration of Trust Deeds for the benefit of Creditors, Composition and Inspectorship Deeds executed by a Debtor, as required by the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, secs. 187, 192, 194, 196, and 198:—

Number—17,094.

Title of Deed, whether Deed of Assignment, Composition, or Inspectorship—Assignment.

Date of Deed—29th March, 1866.

Date of execution by Debtor—29th March, 1866.

Name and description of the Debtor, as in the Deed—James Hollowell, of Duston, in the county of Northampton, Innkeeper, Farmer, Builder, and Rate Collector.

The names and descriptions of the Trustees or other parties to the Deed, not including the Creditors—John Harris, of Duston aforesaid, Farmer, and Henry Garratt, of Duston aforesaid, Agent (trustees), second part; and the creditors, third part.

A short statement of the nature of the Deed—Whereby the debtor assures to the trustees all his real and personal estate, in trust, for conversion, and to divide the proceeds equally between his creditors; with a release to the debtor.

When left for Registration—24th April, 1866, at two o'clock.

THE SEAL OF THE COURT.

ERRATUM.—In the advertisement in the London Gazette of the 20th April, 1866, page 2539, of the Deed, No. 16,990, the name of the debtor was inadvertently printed *Ambler*, it should have been *Ombler*.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Meeting of the Creditors of Charles Joyce, Frederick George Westmorland, and Theophilus Larking Joyce, of No. 61, Moorgate-street, in the city of London, Merchants and Partners, trading under the firm of Charles Joyce and Co., the said Charles Joyce and Frederick George Westmorland also carrying on business at the same place in partnership as Underwriters, the said Charles Joyce also carrying on business at Alexandria as a Merchant, in partnership with Charles Tibaldi Joyce, under the style of Joyce and Co., bankrupts, has been duly appointed, and will be held at the Court of Bankruptcy in London, on Wednesday, the 9th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon, to accept the resignation of Mr. William Cameron, one of the creditor's assignees.—Dated this 24th day of April, 1866.

Thomas Davies, of Llanwrst, in the county of Denbigh, Builder, Cabinet Maker, and Confectioner, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed by him in the Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District on the 17th day of February last.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Meeting of Creditors of the said bankrupt will be held before one of the Registrars of the said Court, at Liverpool aforesaid, on the 10th day of May, 1866, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of resolving (if the majority in value of the creditors then present shall think fit) that the proceedings in bankruptcy in the said matter shall be suspended, and the estate and effects of the said bankrupt be wound up and administered in such manner as the creditors then present may direct and determine. Charles Turner, Esq., is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Evans, Sandys, Rouse, and Lockett, of Liverpool, and Richard James, Esq., of Llanwrst, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 6th May, 1865, against James B. Hodgson, of No. 4, Woodville-road, Stoke Newington, previously of No. 2, Camberwell-villas, Horsey New Town, late Chairman of the Imperial Music Hall Company (Limited), and occasionally Dealing in Shares.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 2s. 4d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 36, Basinghall-street, City, on Wednesday, the 25th instant, or the following Wednesday, between the hours of eleven and two on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited

at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special directions of a Commissioner. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—April 23, 1866.

M. PARKYNS, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 17th March, 1865, against Robert Fauchon, formerly of New House Farm, Wrotham, Kent, Farmer, but now of Shipbourne, near Tunbridge, out of business or employment.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 1s. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 36, Basinghall-street, City, on Wednesday, the 25th instant, or the following Wednesday, between the hours of eleven and two on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special directions of a Commissioner. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration.—April 23, 1866.

M. PARKYNS, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 19th March, 1862, against Robert Slade and James Slade, of the town and county of Poole, Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 9 $\frac{1}{4}$ d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 22, Basinghall-street, City, on Wednesday next, and the three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two of the clock on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special direction of the Commissioner. Executors or administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—April 21, 1866.

E. W. EDWARDS, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 10th January, 1865, against Cesare Guiseppe Natale Salvucci, of Jernyn-street, St. James', and James-street, Golden-square, Dealer in Italian Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend at the rate of 10d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 22, Basinghall-street, City, on Wednesday next, and the three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special directions of a Commissioner. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—April 21, 1866.

E. W. EDWARDS, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 19th March, 1862, against James Slate, of the town and county of Poole, Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 10s. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 22, Basinghall-street, City, on Wednesday next, and the three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two o'clock on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special directions of the Commissioner. Executors or administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—April 21, 1866.

E. W. EDWARDS, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 9th November, 1863, against John Willden the younger, of Cardigan-terrace, East Dereham, Norfolk, Coal, Corn, and Coke Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 1s. 9 $\frac{1}{4}$ d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 22, Basinghall-street, City, on Wednesday next, and the three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two of the clock on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special directions of a Commissioner. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—April 21, 1866.

E. W. EDWARDS, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 19th March, 1862, against Robert Slade, of the town and county of Poole, Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second Dividend, at the rate of 2s. 3d., and 19s. 9d. in the pound, to New Proofs, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 22, Basinghall-street, City, on Wednesday next, and the three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two o'clock on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced except by the special direction of the Commissioner. Executors or administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—April 21, 1866.

E. W. EDWARDS, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 13th December, 1864, against Thomas Stearn the younger, of Bridge-street, Cambridge, Dealer in Fancy Goods.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 2s. 0 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound, is now payable, and that warrants for the same may be received by those legally entitled, at my office, No. 22, Basinghall-street, City, on Wednesday next, and the three subsequent Wednesdays, between the hours of eleven and two o'clock on each day. No warrants can be delivered unless the securities exhibited at the proof of the debt be produced, without the special direction a Commissioner. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration.—April 21, 1866.

E. W. EDWARDS, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of James Savage, of Cardiff, Sail Maker and Ship Chandler, a Bankrupt.—Date of adjudication, 17th October, 1865.

HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 2s. 1d. in the pound, upon application at my office, on Wednesday, the 25th day of April, between the hours of eleven and one, and every subsequent Wednesday. 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.

A. J. ACRAMAN, Official Assignee,
No. 19, St. Augustine's-parade, Bristol.

In the Matter of Henry Peaty, of Bristol, Wholesale Grocer, a Bankrupt.—Date of adjudication, 31st May, 1855.

HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a Third Dividend of 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound, upon application at my office, on any Wednesday, 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.

A. J. ACRAMAN, Official Assignee,
No. 19, St. Augustine's-parade, Bristol.

In the Matter of James Jones, of Tretaliesin, in the parish of Llancynfelin, Cardigan, Draper, Grocer, and General Dealer, a Bankrupt.—Date of adjudication, 21st February, 1865.

HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 1s. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound, upon application at my office, on any Wednesday, between the hours of eleven and one o'clock. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

A. J. ACRAMAN, Official Assignee,
No. 19, St. Augustine's-parade, Bristol.

In the Matter of Stephen Cox, Chemical Manufacturer and Farmer, Netham Pa. St. George, near Bristol, a Bankrupt.—Date of adjudication, 25th November, 1858.

HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a Fourth Dividend of 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. in the pound, upon application at my office, on any Wednesday, between the hours of eleven and one. No Dividend can be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

A. J. ACRAMAN, Official Assignee,
No. 19, Saint Augustine's-parade, Bristol.

In the Matter of Joseph Johnson, of Booth-street West, Chorlton-upon-Medlock, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Baker and Flour Dealer, adjudicated bankrupt 19th February, 1866.

THIS is to certify, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 8s. 3d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 45, George-street, Manchester, on Tuesday, the 1st day of May next, or any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and one.

GEORGE MORGAN, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of James Horrocks, late of No. 137, Strretford-road, Hulme, in the county of Lancaster, Tailor and Draper, and late a Prisoner for Debt in Her Majesty's Prison at Lancaster, adjudicated bankrupt 16th April, 1864.

THIS is to certify, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 10½d. in the pound, upon application at my office, No. 45, George-street, Manchester, on Tuesday, the 1st day of May next, or any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and one.

GEORGE MORGAN, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of Peter Greenfield, of Brierley Hill, in the county of Stafford, Tea Dealer, Tobaccoist, and Stationer.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition for adjudication, bearing date the 11th day of February, 1862, may receive a First Dividend of 4d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Thursday, the 26th day of April instant, or any subsequent Thursday, between the hours of eleven and three of the clock. No Dividend can be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

GEORGE KINNEAR, Official Assignee,
No. 17, Waterloo-street, Birmingham.

In the Matter of Richard Aston, William Aston, and James Francis, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Gun Makers and Copartners in Trade, carrying on business under the style or firm, of R. and W. Aston.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition for adjudication, bearing date the 22nd day of May, 1865, may receive a First Dividend of 5s. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Thursday, 26th day of April instant, or on any subsequent Thursday, between the hours of eleven 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 and the letters of administration under which they claim.—

GEORGE KINNEAR, Official Assignee,
No. 17, Waterloo-street, Birmingham.

In the Matter of Abraham Barlow, of Chatsall, in the parish of Eccleshall, in the county of Stafford, Farmer.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition for adjudication, bearing date the 26th day of July, 1865, may receive a First Dividend of 5s. 1d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Thursday, the 26th day of April instant, or on any subsequent Thursday, between the hours of eleven and three o'clock. No Dividend can be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or letters of administration under which they claim.

GEORGE KINNEAR, Official Assignee,
No. 17, Waterloo-street, Birmingham.

In the Matter of Charles Carrick, now of No. 2, High-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Pawnbroker, Jeweller, and Clothier, and previously of No. 46, High Cross-street, and No. 2, Saint Nicholas-street, both in Leicester aforesaid, Pawnbroker, Jeweller, and Clothier.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition for adjudication, bearing date the 2nd day of January, 1866, may receive a First Dividend of 3s. 6d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Monday, the 30th day of April instant, or on the three following Mondays, between the hours of eleven and three. No Dividend can be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

JOHN HARRIS, Official Assignee,
Low-pavement, Nottingham.

In the Matter of John Sharpe Dawes, of the White Hart Inn, Ashby-de-la-Zouch, in the county of Leicester, Inn-keeper and Wine and Spirit Merchant.

I HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition for adjudication, bearing date the 5th day of August, 1864, may receive a Second Dividend of 1d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on Monday, the 30th day of April, or on the three following Mondays, between the hours of eleven and three. No Dividend can be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

JOHN HARRIS, Official Assignee,
Low-pavement, Nottingham.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

In the Court of Bankruptcy, London.

In the Matter of James Forsdike, of No. 71, High-street, Shoreditch, in the county of Middlesex, Tobacco Manufacturer.

I HEREBY a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy against the above-named James Forsdike was filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, on the 6th day of October, 1864, against the above-named James Forsdike, under which the said James Forsdike was duly declared bankrupt. This is to give notice that, by an Order of the said Court, bearing date the 20th day of April, 1866, the said adjudication was annulled.

TAKE notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, London, on the 4th day of July, 1865, by Oliver Wimburn Lloyd, of No. 31, Saint Swithin's-lane, in the city of London, and of No. 46, Davies-street, Berkeley-square, in the county of Middlesex, and of Knockholt, in the county of Kent, Gentleman, for adjudication of Bankruptcy against himself, did, on the 24th day of April, 1866, annul the adjudication of Bankruptcy made against the said Oliver Wimburn Lloyd upon the said Petition.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was filed on the 8th day of February, 1866, by John Hinks, of Cosford, near Rugby, in the county of Warwick, Farmer and Grazier, under which the said John Hinks was adjudicated bankrupt; this is to give notice, that the said adjudication is, by Order of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Birmingham District, bearing date the 14th day of April, 1866, annulled.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 15th day of September, 1865, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District by Philip Hale the younger, of Hatton, in the county of Chester, Farmer, under which Petition the said Philip Hale was, on the said 15th day of September, adjudicated a bankrupt. Notice is hereby given, that by an Order of the said Court, bearing date the 20th day of April, 1866, the said adjudication of Bankruptcy is annulled.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

WHEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was, on the 17th day of January, 1866, filed and entered of record in the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol, by Alfred Hezekiah Hollyman, late of Clevedon, in the county of Somerset, Yeoman, but now of Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, out of business, under which the said Alfred Hezekiah Hollyman was duly adjudged bankrupt; this is to give notice, that by an Order of the said Court, bearing date the 16th day of April, 1866, the said Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy has been annulled.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

Notice of Adjudications and First Meeting of Creditors.

John O'Brien, late of No. 33, Dauvers-street, previously of No. 155, King's-road, Chelsea, in the county of Middlesex, Commission Agent, a Prisoner for Debt in the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy, attending at the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex, on the 19th day of April, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, London, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said last-mentioned Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 9th day of May next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Mansfield Parkyns, of

No. 36, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Aldridge, of No. 46, Moorgate-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

William Robert Sidney (sued as William Sidney, and as W. R. Sidney), late of No. 22, Coulson-street, Chelsea, in the county of Middlesex, Commission Agent and General Merchant, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy, attending at the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex, on the 19th day of April, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, London, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said last-mentioned Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 9th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Mansfield Parkyns, of No. 36, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Aldridge, of No. 46, Moorgate-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Matthew Trattles, late of No. 19, Markfield-terrace, Tottenham, in the county of Middlesex, Carpenter and Builder, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy, attending at the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex, on the 19th day of April, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, London, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said last-mentioned Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 9th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Mansfield Parkyns, of No. 36, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Aldridge, of No. 46, Moorgate-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Gustave Edward Hofer (sued as G. E. Hofer), late of No. 88, Finsbury-square, in the city of London, Mining Agent, a Prisoner for Debt in the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy, attending at the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex, on the 19th day of April, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, London, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said last mentioned Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 9th of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Mansfield Parkyns, of No. 36, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Aldridge, of No. 46, Moorgate-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Robert Bacon, late of No. 41, Paddington-street, Marylebone, in the county of Middlesex, Plumber, a Prisoner for Debt in the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy, attending at the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex, on the 19th day of April, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, London, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said last-mentioned Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 9th day of May next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Mansfield Parkyns, of No. 36, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Aldridge, of No. 46, Moorgate-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Richard Bowie, of No. 105, Manor-street, Clapham, in the county of Surrey, Nurseryman and Florist, and of No. 33, High-street, Clapham, in the said county of Surrey, Nurseryman and Florist, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 18th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 30th day of April instant (and not on the 18th of April, as erroneously printed in last Gazette), at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Mansfield Parkyns, of No. 36, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. James Goldrick, of No. 342, Strand, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Cornelius Reynolds, late of the Rose and Crown Tavern, Whitefriars, in the city of London, and now of No. 32, Edward-street, Hampstead-road, in the county of Middlesex, Carpenter, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 19th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the

said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Mansfield Parkyns, of No. 36, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. James Shiers, of No. 5, New-inn, Strand, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Frederick George William Mullar, of Marlborough-villa, Oxford-road, Kilburn, in the county of Middlesex, Surgeon and Doctor of Medicine, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 19th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Mansfield Parkyns, of No. 36, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Preston and Dorman, of Nos. 20 and 21, Basinghall-street, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Charles Piggott, of Chatteris, in the county of Cambridge, Journeyman Plumber and Glazier, late of Cottenham, in the aforesaid county of Cambridge, at that time carrying on business as a Plumber and Glazier, Brewer and Cowkeeper, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 19th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Mansfield Parkyns, of No. 36, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. G. and W. Webb, of No. 11, Austin Friars, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Richard Palmer Childs, of North Villa, Park-road, Clapham, in the county of Surrey, and of No. 90, Dean-street, Soho, in the county of Middlesex, Upholsterer and Cabinet Maker, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy in London, on the 13th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Mansfield Parkyns, of No. 36, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Hulse, Trustram, and Birt, of No. 61, Cheapside, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Thomas Spring, formerly of No. 88, Prince of Wales-road, Haverstock-hill, then of No. 99, Prince of Wales-road, Haverstock-hill, and now of No. 88, Prince of Wales-road, Haverstock-hill, all in the county of Middlesex, Pianoforte Tuner, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 20th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Mansfield Parkyns, of No. 36, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. G. C. G. Allen, of No. 64, Chancery-lane, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Charles William Eustace Pineo (sued and committed as Charles W. E. Pineo), of No. 15, High-street, Portsmouth, Haunts, Architect and Surveyor, a Prisoner for Debt in the Haunts County Gaol at Winchester, Haunts, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 20th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Mansfield Parkyns, of No. 36, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. George White, of No. 8, Danes-inn, Strand, and of Portsea, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Henry Tripp, of Hope-cottage, Woodbine-grove, Penge, in the county of Surrey, Carpenter and Undertaker, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 20th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr.

Mansfield Parkyns, of No. 36, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. R. J. Dobie, of No. 1, Guildhall-chambers, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

William Witt, of East Mill Farm, in the parish of Forndingbridge, in the county of Hants, Farmer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 20th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Mansfield Parkyns, of No. 36, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. R. H. Peacock, of No. 3, South-square, Gray's-inn, as Agent for Mr. F. H. Tanner, Solicitor, of Wimborne Minster, Dorsetshire, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Richard Clutterbuck, late of Leadenhall Market, in the city of London, but now of No. 1, Albert-terrace, York-road, Camden Town, in the county of Middlesex, Fishmonger and Poulterer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 21st day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Mansfield Parkyns, of No. 36, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. J. T. Porter, of No. 76, Coleman-street, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Alfred Bradley Bloxam, of No. 14, Southampton-street, Strand, in the county of Middlesex, Wine Merchant, and residing at No. 46, Princes-square, Bayswater, in the said county, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 21st day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Mansfield Parkyns, of No. 36, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Lawrance, Plews, and Boyer, of No. 14, Old Jewry-chambers, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Joseph Ward, of Nos. 21 and 28, Westbourne-place, Paddington, in the county of Middlesex, Wine and Spirit Merchant, and Grocer, and Italian Warehouseman, lately carrying on the same businesses, at the same places, in partnership with Joseph Page, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 21st day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors, to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Mansfield Parkyns, of No. 36, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Lawrance, Plews, and Boyer, of No. 14, Old Jewry-chambers, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Benjamin Thomas Byatt, of No. 305, High-street, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, Cheesemonger, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 17th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Philip Henry Pepys, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 8th day of May next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. H. R. Silvester, of No. 18, Great Dover-street, Newington, Surrey, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Henry Stubbs, formerly of No. 5, Park-place, Carlisle-street, Lambeth, and now of No. 8, Shepherd's-place, Upper Kennington-lane, Surrey, Carman and Dealer in Manure, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 18th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Philip Henry Pepys, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar on the 8th day of May next, at twelve at noon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. H. R. Silvester, of No. 18, Great Dover-street, Newington, Surrey, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Henry Norton, of Woodbine-grove, Penge, in the county of Surrey, Tea Dealer and Grocer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 18th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Philip Henry Pepys, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 8th day of May next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. J. Goldrick, of No. 342, Strand, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

George Parker, of No. 39, Above Bar-street, in the town and county of Southampton, Pastrycook, Confectioner, and Eating-house Keeper, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 18th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Philip Henry Pepys, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 8th day of May next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Paterson and Son, of No. 7, Bouverie-street, London, as Agents for J. Mackay, Esq., of Southampton, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Eliazer De Winter (trading under the name or style of E. De Winter), of No. 99, Blackman-street, Borough, in the county of Surrey, Leather Merchant and Picture Frame Manufacturer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 19th of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Philip Henry Pepys, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 8th day of May next, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. A. Murray, of No. 20, Great St. Helen's, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Thomas Sanders, of Gresham House, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, Contractor for Building Works, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 19th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Philip Henry Pepys, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 8th day of May next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. Heath, of No. 12, Saint Helen's-place, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Thomas Metcalf, Johnson, of No. 8, Eaton-grove, Upper Holloway, in the county of Middlesex, Clerk to a Land Agent, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 21st day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Philip Henry Pepys, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 8th day of May next, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. C. P. Greenbill, of No. 63, Gracechurch-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Davies Taylor (sued as John Taylor), formerly of No. 15, Albert-street, Islington, then of No. 6, River-terrace, Hammersmith, then of No. 35, Offord-road, Islington, all in Middlesex, then of No. 10, South-terrace, Walworth, Surrey, then of No. 12, Oxford-place, Hammersmith, then of Caves-terrace, Hammersmith, then and late of No. 4, Mall-road, Hammersmith, all in Middlesex, Master Mariner, a Prisoner for Debt in the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex, in the city of London, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy (in formâ pauperis), filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 19th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to James Rigg Brougham, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Edward Watkin Edwards, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. E. Goatley, of No. 5, Bow-street, Covent Garden, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

William Catchpole, of No. 5, Church-road, Homerton New Town, Middlesex, out of business, formerly of No. 3, Wellington-terrace, Wick-road, South Hackney, Middlesex aforesaid, China and Glass Dealer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 17th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to James Rigg Brougham, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Edward Watkin Edwards, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. J. Hall, of No. 65, Coleman-street, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Edwin Mutter, formerly of Little Grosvenor-street, Berkley-square, in the county of Middlesex, then of No. 4, Stewart's-lane, Battersea, in the county of Surrey; but now of No. 21, Havelock-terrace, Battersea aforesaid, Grocer and Railway Porter, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 18th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to James Rigg Brougham, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Edward Watkin Edwards, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. J. D. Blake, of No. 3, Lothbury, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Denham, of No. 15, Star-street, Ryde, in the Isle of Wight, in the county of Hants, Builder, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 19th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to James Rigg Brougham, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at two of the clock in the afternoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Edward Watkin Edwards, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. E. F. Blake, of Ryde, Isle of Wight, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Moria Maclean, of No. 61, King William-street, in the city of London, Merchant, trading under the name, style, or firm of Maclean and Company, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 20th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to James Rigg Brougham, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Edward Watkin Edwards, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Lawrance and Co., of No. 14, Old Jewry-chambers, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Joseph Clark, of No. 14, Lumber-court, Upper Saint Martin's-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Green Grocer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 20th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to James Rigg Brougham, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar on the 23rd day of May next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Edward Watkin Edwards, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Edward Lewis, of No. 22, Great Marlborough-street, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Thomas Bains Lever, of No. 10, Storey-street, Caledonian-road, Islington, Middlesex, Railway Porter, formerly of Ramsey, in the county of Huntingdon, Miller and Baker, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 20th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to James Rigg Brougham, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 23rd day of May next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Edward Watkin Edwards, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. E. F. Marshall, of No. 9, Lincoln's-inn-fields, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Diver, of Thetford, in the county of Norfolk (and not Retford, as previously advertised), Brazier, Tinman, and Gasfitter, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 14th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender him-

self to James Rigg Brougham, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 9th day of May next, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Edward Watkin Edwards, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. D. E. Forbes, of No. 34, Bedford-row, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Samuel Instone, late of the Fox and Hounds Inn, Wellington, in the county of Salop, Licensed Victualler, and now a Prisoner for Debt in the Liverpool Borough Gaol at Walton, in the county of Lancaster, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy, attending at the Borough Gaol of Liverpool, on the 17th day of April, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, is hereby required to surrender himself to Owen Davies Tudor, Esq., a Registrar of the said last-mentioned Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 4th day of May next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the said Court, at Birmingham. Mr. George Kinnear, of No. 17, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. James and Griffin, of Birmingham, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

John Hampton, of Saint Michael's, Tebury, in the county of Worcester, Clerk in Holy Orders, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Birmingham District, on the 21st day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Owen Davies Tudor, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 11th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the said Court, at Birmingham. Mr. George Kinnear, of Waterloo-rooms, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. B. Scars, of Birmingham, and Messrs. Hayes, Twisden, Parker, and Co., of Russell-square, London, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Charles Biles, late of No. 4, Old Bread-street, in the city and county of Bristol, and carrying on business at the Crown and Mill, Castle Mill-street, in the city of Bristol aforesaid, Licensed Victualler and Dealer in Milk, a Prisoner for Debt in the Gaol at Bristol, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, attending at the Gaol at Bristol, on the 17th day of April, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted in the Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Honourable Montague Wilde, the Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 4th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. Alfred John Acraman, Esq., of No. 19, St. Augustine's-place, Bristol, is the Official Assignee.

John Smith and David Smith, lately carrying on business in copartnership as Grocers and Drapers, at Mountain Ash, in the county of Glamorgan, but which business is now carried on there by the said John Smith alone, the said David Smith now residing at Aberdare, in the said county of Glamorgan, having been adjudged bankrupts under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, on the 14th day of April, 1866, are hereby required to surrender themselves to the Honourable Montague Wilde, the Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 9th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court, at Bristol. Alfred John Acraman, Esq., of No. 19, St. Augustine's-place, Bristol, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. J. Hurrop, of Gloucester, and Messrs. Abbot and Leonard, of Bristol, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

John Berry, late of Gomersal, in the county of York, Maltster, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, attending at the Castle or Gaol of York, on the 13th day of April, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted at the Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, is hereby required to surrender himself to a Registrar of the said last-mentioned Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 10th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court, at the Commercial-buildings, Leeds. Mr. George Young, of Leeds, is the Official Assignee.

William Gray and William Jordan, of Middlesborough, in the county of York, Boot and Shoe Makers and Copartners in Trade, trading under the style or firm of Jordan and Co., having been adjudged bankrupts under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District,

on the 20th day of April, 1866, are hereby required to surrender themselves to a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 10th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court, at the Commercial-buildings, Leeds. Mr. George Young, of Leeds, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs Brewster and Stubbs, of Middlesborough, and Messrs. Cariss and Tempest, of Leeds, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

John Taylor, of Middleham, in the county of York, Saddler, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, on the 21st day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to James Stephen, Esq., the Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court, at the Commercial-buildings, Leeds. Mr. George Young, of Leeds, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. Robinson, of Richmond, and Messrs. Bond and Barwick, of Leeds, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Charles Price, of No. 49, Minto-street, Kensington, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Contractor, and late a Prisoner for Debt in the Liverpool Borough Gaol at Walton, in the aforesaid county, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District, attending at the Gaol aforesaid, on the 16th day of March, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted at the Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District, at Liverpool, is hereby required to surrender himself to one of the Registrars of the said last-mentioned Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 8th of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court, at Liverpool. Charles Turner, Esq., of No. 17, South Castle-street, Liverpool, is the Official Assignee.

William Harkness, formerly of Tranmere-park, in the county of Chester, afterwards of No. 139, Bridge-street, Birkenhead, in the said county of Chester, Clerk to a Glass Manufacturer, but now of No. 26, Sussex-street, Birkenhead aforesaid, Commission Agent, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District, on the 19th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to one of the Registrars of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 4th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court, at Liverpool. Charles Turner, Esq., of Central-chambers, South Castle-street, Liverpool, is the Official Assignee, and J. P. Harris, Esq., of Cable-street, Liverpool, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

William Deeley, now of No. 40, Moon-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Clerk, and previously of Ross, in the county of Hereford, Builder, Timber and Slate Merchant, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District, on the 21st day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to one of the Registrars of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court, at Liverpool. Charles Turner, Esq., of No. 17, South Castle-street, Liverpool, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Thomas Parker, of No. 5, Codrington-street, Liverpool, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

James Clarke, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Merchant's Clerk, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District, on the 13th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to one of the Registrars of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court, at Liverpool. Charles Turner, Esq., of No. 17, South Castle-street, Liverpool, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Bateson, Robinson, and Morris, of No. 26, Castle-street, Liverpool, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

John Jackson, of Reeds Holme Mill, in Crawshaw Booth, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Spinner and Manufacturer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Manchester District, on the 21st day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to David Cato Macrae, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 11th day of May next, at twelve of the clock at noon

precisely, at the said Court, at Manchester. George Morgan, Esq., of No. 45, George-street, Manchester, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Higson, Robinson, and Higson, of Manchester, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Richard Wood, of Nos. 1 and 3, Hampton-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Fruiterer, Green-grocer, Fishmonger, and Retailer of Beer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham, on the 14th of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to John Guest, Esq., the Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 11th of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. John Guest, Esq., of Birmingham, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Edwin Allen, of Union-passage, Birmingham, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

William Downes, for the last two months in lodgings at No. 4, Alexander-place, Villa-street, Hockley, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Gardener, previously and for about fourteen months of the same place, Gardener, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham, on the 19th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to John Guest, Esq., the Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 11th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. John Guest, Esq., of Birmingham, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Alfred B. East, of No. 45, Ann-street, Birmingham, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Edwin Harrison, in lodgings at the Bridge Tavern, Wood-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Patent Jet Manufacturer, and previously of No. 32, Sand-street West, Birmingham aforesaid, Huckster, and part of the same time occupying a Workshop at No. 27, Wrentham-street, Birmingham aforesaid, Patent Jet Manufacturer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham, on the 20th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to John Guest, Esq., the Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 11th day of May next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. John Guest, Esq., of Birmingham, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Edwin Allen, of Union-passage, Birmingham, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Richard Harding, of No. 12, Gate-street, in the borough of Hanley, in the county of Stafford (in lodgings), and late of Bethesda-street, in the borough of Hanley aforesaid, Plumber, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall, on the 19th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Edward Challinor, Esq., Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 19th day of May next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the County Court Office, Lamb-street, Hanley. Mr. Edward Challinor, of Hanley, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Edmund and Alfred Tennant, of Hanley, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Henry Patrick, late of Leeds, in the county of York, Shopkeeper, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy, attending at the Castle Gaol or Prison of York, on the 13th day of April, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted at the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds, is hereby required to surrender himself to Thomas Marshall, Registrar of the said last-mentioned Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 18th day of May next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Thomas Marshall, of Albion-place, Leeds, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Henry Mason, of York, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Musgreave Whiteley, of Armley, near Leeds, in the county of York, Grocer and Provision Dealer, and lately in partnership with John Holderness, as Flock Dealers, carrying on business at Moor-side, Armley, near Leeds aforesaid, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds, on the 19th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Mr. Thomas Marshall, Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 18th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Thomas Marshall,

of Albion-place, Leeds, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Charles Granger, of Leeds, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Edward Bolland (sued and committed as Edward Bollans), late of Thornhill, near Dewsbury, in the county of York, Cloth Merchant, but now of Bailey, near Leeds, in the same county, out of business, and late a Prisoner in the Gaol at York Castle, having been adjudged bankrupt by the Registrar of the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at York, attending at the Gaol, on the 14th day of April, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted in the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury, is hereby required to surrender himself to Mr. George Brooke Nelson, the Registrar of the said last-mentioned Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 4th day of May next, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. George Brooke Nelson is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Joseph Ibberson, of Dewsbury, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

George Aston, of Monmore-lane, Willenhall, in the county of Stafford, Grocer and Provision Dealer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton, on the 14th of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Charles Gallimore Brown, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 1st day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the Court-house, Queen-street, Wolverhampton. The Registrar of the said Court is the Official Assignee, and Mr. George Cresswell, of Wolverhampton, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Robert Jackson, of Snowhill, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Chemist and Druggist, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton, on the 17th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Charles Gallimore Brown, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 1st day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the Court-house, Queen-street, Wolverhampton. The Registrar of the said Court is the Official Assignee, and Mr. George Cresswell, of Wolverhampton, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Robert Bannister, late of Hesketh Bank, in the county of Lancaster, but now of No. 28, Dalton-road, Barrow-in-Furness, in the parish of Dalton, in the said county of Lancaster, Ship Carpenter, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Ulverston, on the 12th of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Mr. J. Pearson Postlethwaite, the Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 28th day of April instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the County Court Office. Mr. J. Pearson Postlethwaite is the Official Assignee, and Mr. S. H. Jackson, of Ulverston, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Norton, of the township of Witton-cum-Twambrooks, in the chapelry of Witton, and parish of Great Budworth, in the county of Chester, formerly a Brick Maker and Farmer, and now a Labourer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Northwich, on the 19th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Mr. Christopher Cheshire, Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 9th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. Christopher Cheshire, of Northwich, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. William John Roe Dunstan, of Northwich, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Richard Woolliams, formerly of the Barrack Tavern, in the parish of Saint Owen, in the city of Hereford, Innkeeper, but now out of business, and in lodgings at Mr. George Bowles', Park-street, Bartonsham, in the said city of Hereford, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Herefordshire, holden at Hereford, on the 20th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to John James Reynolds, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 5th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the County Court Office, Hereford. John James Reynolds, Esq., of Hereford, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. William Reece, of Ledbury, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Daniel Noonan, of Bradford, in the county of York, Beerhouse Keeper, and now or late a Prisoner for Debt in

York Castle, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, attending at York Castle, on the 13th day of April, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted at the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Registrar of the said last-mentioned Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 4th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court, Bradford. Mr. George Robinson, the Registrar of the said Court, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. John Walton Berry, of Bradford, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Thomas Fawthrop Fyrth, of Bradford, in the county of York, Farrier, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford, on the 18th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 4th day of May next, at a quarter to ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. George Robinson, the Registrar of the said Court, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Watson and Dickons, of Bradford, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Charles Almond, of Middleton, in the county of Northampton, Carpenter and Joiner, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Kettering, on the 20th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry John Nettleship, the Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 11th day of May next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the County Court Office, in Kettering. Mr. Henry John Nettleship is the Official Assignee, and Mr. John T. Paeman, of Uppingham, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

William Wells, of Harlestone, in the county of Northampton, Tailor and Grocer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton, on the 19th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to William Dennis, Gentleman, Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 10th day of May next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the County Court Office, Sheep-street, Northampton. William Dennis, Gentleman, of Northampton, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Jeffery and Son, of Northampton, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Anne Williams, late of Rock Cottage, Briton Ferry, in the county of Glamorgan, Widow, having been adjudged bankrupt by the Registrar of the County Court of Glamorgan, holden at Cardiff, attending at Cardiff Gaol, on the 11th day of April, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted at the County Court of Glamorgan, holden at Neath, is hereby required to surrender himself to Isaac Morgan, Esq., the Registrar of the said last-mentioned Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 1st day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the County Court Office, Neath. Mr. Isaac Morgan, of Neath, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. James Kempthorne, of Neath, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Lewis Young, of Farnborough-road, Farnborough, in the county of Hants, Fishmonger and Fruiterer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Surrey, holden at Farnham, on the 9th of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Mr. W. J. Hollest, a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 10th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. W. J. Hollest, of Farnham, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. George White, of Guildford, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Richard Fletcher, now of Mill-street, Brierley-hill, in the parish of Kingswinford, in the county of Stafford, Haulier, and previously thereto of South-street, Brierley-hill afore said, Cinder Dealer and Haulier, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Stourbridge, on the 21st day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to John Harward, Esq., a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 11th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. John Harward, Esq., is the Official Assignee, and Mr. John Pearman, of Stourbridge, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Thomas Key, of Digby Fen, in the county of Lincoln, Farmer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Sleaford, on the 19th of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Maurice Peter Moore, Esq., Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. The above-named Registrar is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Brown and Sou, of Lincoln, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Thomas Bird, residing in lodgings at No. 23, Torr-street, Everton, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, and at the same time occupying a Beerhouse, No. 3, Old Gorie, Queen's-dock, Liverpool aforesaid, Beerhouse Keeper, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool, on the 19th of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Hime, Esq., the Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 9th day of May next, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the said Court, No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool. Mr. Henry Hime, of No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. James Jonathan Thornley, of No. 2, Hattor-garden, Liverpool, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

William Simpson, of No. 21, Cobden-street, Everton, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, previously of No. 10, Bright-street, Everton aforesaid, formerly of No. 18, Queen Anne-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Journeyman Draper, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool, on the 19th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Henry Hime, Esq., the Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the said Court, at No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool. Mr. Henry Hime, of No. 80, Lime-street, Liverpool, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Sydney Otway Husband, of Cuthbert's-buildings, Clayton-square, Liverpool, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

George Roberts, of the parish of Monkwood, in the county of Monmouth, Hay Dealer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Monmouthshire, holden at Usk, on the 11th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Mr. Henry Roberts, the Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 8th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the County Court Office, Usk. Mr. Henry Roberts is the Official Assignee, and Mr. J. T. Williams, of Monmouth, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Henry Whiteley, of Bayball-terrace, Birkby, in the parish of Huddersfield, in the county of York, Book-keeper, and formerly of Cross Church-street, in the parish of Huddersfield aforesaid, Bookseller and Stationer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Huddersfield, on the 13th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Frederick Robert Jones, Esq., junior, Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 17th day of May next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. Frederick Robert Jones, junior, is the Official Assignee, and Joseph Bottomley, junior, Esq., of Huddersfield, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

George Calvert, of Mold-green, in the township of Dalton, in the county of York, Joiner, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Huddersfield, on the 13th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Frederick Robert Jones, Esq., junior, Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 17th day of May next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. Frederick Robert Jones, junior, is the Official Assignee, and Joseph Bottomley, junior, Esq., of Huddersfield, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Lumsdon, of the Neville-arcade, Westgate-street, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Refreshment-house Keeper, and Retailer of Ale and Porter, and formerly of No. 20, Cloth Market, in Newcastle-upon-Tyne aforesaid, Eating-house Keeper, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle, on the 19th day of April, 1866, is

hereby required to surrender himself to the Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 5th day of May next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, at the County Court Office, the Court-house, Westgate-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne. Mr. John Clayton, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. John Clavering, of the same place, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Francis Witton Huggins, formerly of Litchurch Cottage, Litchurch, in the county of Derby, out of business, then of Portobello, near Edinburgh, Scotland, Agent, then travelling in France, afterwards of Osmaston-road, Derby, in the county of Derby, Traveller, and now of No. 9, Osmaston-road, Derby aforesaid, in lodgings, Agent, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Derby-hire, holden at Derby, on the 17th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to George Henry Weller, a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 9th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the said Court, at the County-hall, Derby. George Henry Weller, of Derby, is the Official Assignee, and William Briggs, of Derby, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Charlton, of Brassington, in the county of Derby, Tax Collector, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy (in formâ pauperis), filed in the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby, on the 11th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to George Henry Weller, a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 9th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the said Court, at the County-hall, in Derby. George Henry Weller, of Derby, is the Official Assignee, and William Briggs, of Derby, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

George Kay, of Hobbhall Farm, Wirksworth, in the county of Derby, Farmer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy (in formâ pauperis), filed in the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby, on the 11th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to George Henry Weller, a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 9th day of May next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, at the said Court, at the County-hall, in Derby. George Henry Weller, of Derby, is the Official Assignee, and Samuel Leech, of Derby, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Massey, of Cublely, in the county of Derby, Farmer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy (in formâ pauperis), filed in the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby, on the 11th of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to George Henry Weller, a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 9th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the said Court, at the County-hall, in Derby. George Henry Weller, of Derby, is the Official Assignee, and Samuel Leech, of Derby, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Thomas Lamb Lawson, of South Hetton, in the county of Durham, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Durham, holden at Seaham Harbour, on the 19th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Mr. Henry B. Wright, a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 8th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the County Court Office, Seaham Harbour. Mr. Henry B. Wright, of Seaham Harbour, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Thomas Watson, of Durham, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Bennett, of Woods Cottage, in the hamlet of St. Thomas, in the borough of Launceston, in the county of Cornwall, and within the district of this Honourable Court, late Relieving Officer and Dealer in Timber, now out of business, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Cornwall, holden at Launceston, on the 19th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. The Registrar of the Court is the Official Assignee, and Richard Peter, Esq., is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Thomas Chapman, of Salter Hebble, in the parish of Halifax, in the county of York, Wheelwright, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Yorkshire, holden

at Halifax, on the 21st day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Michael Henry Rankin, Gentleman, a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 11th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. The Registrars are the Official Assignees, and Mr. John Haigh, of Huddersfield, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Gillard, of Drayton, in the county of Somerset, Carpenter, having carried on the trade or business of a Carpenter, at Drayton aforesaid, during the six calendar months next before the filing of his petition, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Langport, on the 19th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Mr. James Frederic Horatio Warren, a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 7th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. James Frederic Horatio Warren is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Sidney Watts, of Yeovil, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Henry Pearce, of Holly Hall, in the parish of Dudley, in the county of Worcester, Licensed Victualler and Miner, and lately in partnership with James Round and Samuel Round, carrying on business as Charter Masters, at New High-lane Pitts, in the parish of Dudley aforesaid, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Worcester-shire, holden at Dudley, on the 16th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Thomas Walker, Esq., Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 3rd day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. Thomas Walker, Esq., is the Official Assignee, and George Burn Lowe, of Dudley, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

William Edgerton, of Longton, in the parish of Stoke-upon Trent, in the county of Stafford, Beerseller, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Stoke-upon-Trent and Longton, on the 20th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to William Keary, Gentleman, the Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 5th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Office of the said Court, at the Townhall, Stoke-upon-Trent. The Registrar of the said Court is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Edmund and Alfred Tennant, of Hanley, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Thomas Goodworth, of Ealand, in the parish of Crowle, in the county of Lincoln, Shoemaker, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Thorne, on the 12th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to William Johnson Fox, Esq., the Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 2nd day of May next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the County Court Office, Thorne. The Registrar of the said Court is the Official Assignee, and Joseph Foster, of Thorne, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Smith, of Newton Longville, in the county of Buckingham, Saddler and Farmer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Buckinghamshire, holden at Newport Pagnell, on the 18th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Mr. John Parrott, a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 9th day of May next, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, at the said Court. Mr. John Parrott, of Stony Stratford, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Joseph Jones, of Aylesbury, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

William Barfoot, formerly of No. 9, Upper Saint James'-street, and afterwards of No. 106, Saint James'-street, both in Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Watchmaker and Jeweller, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of bankruptcy (in formâ pauperis), filed in the County Court of Sussex, holden at Lewes, on the 17th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Edgar Blaker, a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 9th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the County Court Office, No. 211, High-street, Lewes. Edgar Blaker, of Lewes, is the Official Assignee, and Alfred Thorncroft Mills, of Brighton, Sussex, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Caleb Goldsmith, of No. 4, Sea-houses, Eastbourne, in the county of Sussex, Dairyman and Grocer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy (in formâ pauperis), filed in the County Court of Sussex, holden at Lewes, on the 17th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Edgar Blaker, a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 9th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the County Court Office, 211, High-street, Lewes. Edgar Blaker, of Lewes, is the Official Assignee, and Edward Hillman, of the Cliffe, Lewes, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Robert Dodshon, of Darlington, in the county of Durham, formerly a Beerhouse Keeper and Cartwright, afterwards a Grocer, Provision Dealer, and Cartwright, and now a Cartwright, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Durham, holden at Darlington, on the 19th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Mr. Thomas Bowes, a Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 5th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court. The Registrar of the said Court is the Official Assignee, and Mr. George Webster, of Darlington, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Joseph Watson, late of Great Ayton, in the county of York, Innkeeper, and now of Great Ayton aforesaid, Labourer (wife carrying on the business of a Dressmaker, at Great Ayton aforesaid), having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Stokesley, on the 19th day of April, 1866, is hereby required to surrender himself to Mr. Fred Perkins, Registrar of the said Court, at the first meeting of creditors to be held before the said Registrar, on the 11th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the County Court Office, Stokesley. The Registrar of the Court is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Thomas Simpson, of Yarm, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Public sittings will be appointed by the Court for the said bankrupts, respectively, to pass their Last Examinations, of which sittings due notice will be given in the London Gazette. At the said first meetings of Creditors the Registrar will receive the Proofs of the Debts of the Creditors, and the Creditors may choose an Assignee or Assignees of the bankrupt's estate and effects. At the public sittings proofs of debts of creditors will also be received, and the said bankrupts will be respectively required to submit themselves to be examined, and to make a full disclosure and discovery of all their estate and effects and to finish their examinations.

Notice is also hereby given to all persons indebted to any of the said bankrupts, or that have any of their effects, not to deliver the same but to the Official Assignee whom the Court has appointed in that behalf, and give notice to the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

Notice of Sittings for Last Examination.

Henry Kirkby, of No. 4, Lower Church-street, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, Upholsterer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy (in formâ pauperis), filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 15th day of February, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Edward Holroyd, Esq., a Commissioner of the said Court, on the 29th day of May next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Edward Walkin Edwards, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Aldridge, of No. 46, Moorgate-street, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Thomas Fitzgerald Wintour, late of Spring-street, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, a Clerk in the Inland Revenue Office, then of Winsley, near Bath, then of Cheltenham and Clifton, in the county of Gloucester, then of Orme-square, Bayswater aforesaid, then of New Wandsworth, in the county of Surrey, an Officer in the 4th Middlesex Militia, and now of No. 9, Dunsford-villas, Merton-road, Wandsworth, in the said county of Surrey, temporary Clerk in the Inland Revenue Department, Somerset House, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 14th day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Edward Holroyd, Esq., a Commissioner of the said Court, on the 24th day of May next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Edward Watkin Edwards, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. H. M. Ody, of No. 14, Trinity-street, Southwark, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Charles Bolton, of Box-cottage, Chatham-road, Wandsworth-common, in the county of Surrey, out of business, and lately also of No. 8, Moreton-street, Pimlico, in the county of Middlesex, Furniture Dealer, and Monetary Agent, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 15th of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Edward Holroyd, Esq., a Commissioner of the said Court, on the 24th day of May next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Edward Watkin Edwards, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Lewis and Lewis, of No. 10, Ely-place, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Edwin Theodore Sandford, of No. 22, New North-road, Hoxton, in the county of Middlesex, Business Agent, late of York-street, in the city of Westminster, then a Licensed Victualler, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 16th day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Edward Holroyd, Esq., a Commissioner of the said Court, on the 24th day of May next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at half-past two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Edward Watkin Edwards, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. King, of No. 29, Queen-street, Cheapside, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Louis Alexandre Guillaume, of No. 24, Spencer-street, Goswell-road, and of No. 27, Hanley-road, Hornsey-road, both in the county of Middlesex, Watch Manufacturer, and Jeweller, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 16th day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Edward Holroyd, Esq., a Commissioner of the said Court, on the 24th day of May next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at half-past two of the clock in the afternoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Edward Watkin Edwards, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. T. Angell, of Guildhall-yard, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

James Novis, of Eastbourne, in the county of Sussex, Builder, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 19th day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Edward Holroyd, Esq., a Commissioner of the said Court, on the 25th of May next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Edward Watkin Edwards, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. J. Perry, of No. 2, Guildhall-chambers, Basinghall-street, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Walter FitzStephens, now or late of Stoke-road, Alverstock, in the county of Southampton, Baker and Grocer,

having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 7th day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Edward Holroyd, Esq., a Commissioner of the said Court, on the 25th day of May next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Edward Watkin Edwards, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Harrison and Lewis, of No. 24, Old Jewry, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Edward Grimwood, of No. 19, Ossulton-street, Somers Town, in the county of Middlesex, Draper, Dealer and Chapman, trading under the style or firm of E. Grimwood and Co., having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 17th of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Edward Holroyd, Esq., a Commissioner of the said Court, on the 25th day of May next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at two of the clock in the afternoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Edward Watkin Edwards, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. A. Jones, of No. 15, Size-lane, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Moore, of No. 92, Rotherfield-street, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Commercial Clerk, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 16th day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Edward Holroyd, Esq., a Commissioner of the said Court, on the 29th day of May next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Edward Watkin Edwards, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Aldridge, of No. 46, Moorgate-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Thomas Barnard, of No. 14, Molyneux-street, Edgeware-road, Middlesex, Bricklayer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 17th day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Edward Holroyd, Esq., a Commissioner of the said Court, on the 29th day of May next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Edward Watkin Edwards, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Aldridge, of No. 46, Moorgate-street, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Lionel Booth, of No. 307, Regent-street, in the county of Middlesex, and of Englefield-green, in the county of Surrey, Bookseller and Publisher, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 13th March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Edward Holroyd, Esq., a Commissioner of the said Court, on the 31st day of May next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Edward Watkin Edwards, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Lawrence and Co., of No. 14, Old Jewry-chambers, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Edmund Ellis, of Bidford, in the county of Warwick, in lodgings and out of business, previously of Swan Village, Westbromwich, in the county of Stafford, Licensed Victualler, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Birmingham District, on the 27th of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before George Williams Sanders, Esq., a Commissioner of the said Court, on the 31st day of May next, at the said Court, at Birmingham, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George

Kinnear, of No. 17, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. James and Griffin, of Birmingham, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

George Bruce Ramsay, of Raglan-road, Smethwick, in the county of Stafford, Builder and Contractor, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Birmingham District, on the 19th day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before George Williams Sanders, Esq., a Commissioner of the said Court, on the 31st day of May next, at the said Court, at Birmingham, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George Kinnear, of No. 17, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. James and Griffin, of Birmingham, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

John Gittoes the younger, of Westbromwich, in the county of Stafford, out of business, previously carrying on business at Stonefield and Great Bridge, both in the aforesaid county of Stafford, as a Cement and Blacking Manufacturer and Iron Manufacturer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Birmingham District, on the 5th of April, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before George Williams Sanders, Esq., a Commissioner of the said Court, on the 31st day of May next, at the said Court, at Birmingham, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George Kinnear, of No. 17, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. R. Free, of Birmingham, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

William Griffiths, late of the Star Inn, High-street, Merthyr Tydfil, out of business, and formerly of the Bell Inn, Plymouth-street, Merthyr Tydfil, in the county of Glamorgan, Innkeeper and Butcher, a Prisoner for Debt in the Gaol at Cardiff, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff, attending at the Gaol at Cardiff, on the 9th day of March, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted in the Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Matthew Davenport Hill, Esq., the Commissioner of the said last-mentioned Court, on the 8th day of May next, at the said Court, at the Guildhall, Bristol, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Alfred John Acraman, of No. 19, St. Augustine's-place, Bristol, is the Official Assignee.

Elizabeth Bridget Gibbs, late of Haverfordwest, Wine and Spirit Merchant, a Prisoner for Debt in the Gaol at Haverfordwest Castle, in the county of Pembroke, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of the County Court of Pembrokeshire, holden at Haverfordwest, attending at the Gaol at Haverfordwest, on the 9th day of March, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted in the Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, a public sitting for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Matthew Devonport Hill, Esq., the Commissioner of the Court, on the 8th day of May next, at the said Court, at the Guildhall, Bristol, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Alfred John Acraman, of No. 19, St. Augustine's-place, Bristol, is the Official Assignee.

Martha Lewis, formerly of the Ivy Bush Inn, Pembroke Dock, in the county of Pembroke, Licensed Victualler, and now lodging at the same house, in no trade or business, single woman, formerly the wife of John Rogers, but now divorced from him, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, on the 8th day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass her Last Examination, and make application for her Discharge, will be held before Matthew Davenport Hill, Esq., the Commissioner of the said Court, on the 8th day of May next, at the said Court, at the Guildhall, Bristol, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Alfred John Acraman, of No. 19, St. Augustine's-place, Bristol, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Press and Iuskip, of Bristol, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Charles Edward Brydges, late of Shrubbery Cottage, Cheltenham, in the county of Gloucester, late carrying on business as a Nurseryman, Seedman, and Florist, at Saint

James's-square, Cheltenham aforesaid, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, on the 6th day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Matthew Davenport Hill, Esq., the Commissioner of the said Court, on the 8th day of May next, at the said Court, at the Guildhall, Bristol, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Alfred John Acraman, of No. 19, St. Augustine's-place, Bristol, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. F. Marshall, of Cheltenham, and Messrs. Abbot and Leonard, of Bristol, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

David Henry Williams, of New Tredegar, in the county of Monmouth, Draper, Grocer, and Provision Dealer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, on the 28th of February, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Matthew Davenport Hill, Esq., the Commissioner of the said Court, on the 7th day of May next, at the said Court, at the Guildhall, Bristol, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Alfred John Acraman, of No. 19, St. Augustine's-place, Bristol, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. H. E. Murly, of Bristol, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Thomas Lawrence Perrett, of No. 33, Broad-quay, in the city of Bristol, and of No. 8, Regent-street, New Town, in the same city, Dealer in Teas and Coffees, Dealer and Chapman, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, on the 28th of February, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Matthew Davenport Hill, Esq., the Commissioner of the said Court, on the 7th day of May next, at the said Court, at the Guildhall, Bristol, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Alfred John Acraman, of No. 19, St. Augustine's-place, Bristol, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. J. Edwards Price, of Bristol, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

George Newcombe Hassell, of the town and county of Haverfordwest, Auctioneer, Appraiser, Coal Dealer, and Chapman, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, on the 13th day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Matthew Davenport Hill, Esq., the Commissioner of the said Court, on the 7th day of May next, at the said Court, at the Guildhall, Bristol, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Alfred John Acraman, of No. 19, St. Augustine's-place, Bristol, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Bramble and Blackburne, of Bristol, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Robert Wood, of Perthyre Mill, Rockfield, in the county of Monmouth, Miller, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, on the 13th day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Matthew Davenport Hill, Esq., the Commissioner of the said Court, on the 7th day of May next, at the said Court, at the Guildhall, Bristol, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Alfred John Acraman, of No. 19, St. Augustine's-place, Bristol, is the Official Assignee.

Robert Tapp, formerly of Milverton, in the county of Somerset, afterwards of Langford Burfield, in the said county of Somerset, Farmer and Cattle Dealer, since of the Saint Augustine's Tavern, in the parish of Saint Augustine, in the city and county of Bristol, Licensed Victualler, but now in lodgings at No. 51, College-street, in the city and county of Bristol aforesaid, out of business, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, on the 3rd day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Matthew Davenport Hill, Esq., the Commissioner of the said Court, on the 7th day of May next,

at the said Court, at the Guildhall, Bristol, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Alfred John Acraman, of No. 19, St. Augustine's-place, Bristol, is the Official Assignee.

Thomas Francis, of Broad-street, Llandilo, in the county of Carmarthen, Druggist, Grocer, and Seedsman, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, on the 12th day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Matthew Davenport Hill, Esq., the Commissioner of the said Court, on the 7th day of May next, at the said Court, at the Guildhall, Bristol, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Alfred John Acraman, of No. 19, St. Augustine's-place, Bristol, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. M. Brittan and Sons, of Bristol, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

William Potter Hickling, of Cotham-vale, in the parish of Westbury-upon-Trym, and carrying on business at No. 82, Broad-quay, in the parish of Saint Stephen, both in the city of Bristol, Chemist, Druggist, and Aerated Water Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Bristol District, on the 18th day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Matthew Davenport Hill, Esq., the Commissioner of the said Court, on the 8th day of May next, at the said Court, at the Guildhall, Bristol, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Alfred John Acraman, of No. 19, St. Augustine's-place, Bristol, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. J. G. Trenerry, of Bristol, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Montague Wigzell, of Topsham, in the county of Devon, late Manager of the Spiral Fluted Nail Company (Limited), and now Manufacturer of the Patent Double Acting Ventilator, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Exeter District, on the 4th day of April, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Biggs Andrews, Esq., the Commissioner of the said Court, on the 29th day of May next, at the said Court, at Queen-street, Exeter, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Theophilus Carrick, of Queen-street, Exeter, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. E. H. Clarke, of Exeter, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

William Saxton, of the city of Lincoln, Journeyman Wheelwright, and previously of Cropwell Bishop, in the county of Nottingham, Miller, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of the County Court of Lincoln, attending at the Gaol of the city of Lincoln, on the 10th day of February, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted at the Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before William Scrope Ayrton, Esq., a Commissioner of the said Court, on the 16th day of May next, at the said Court, at the Townhall, Kingston-upon-Hull, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George Young, of Hull, is the Official Assignee.

George Sugdon, of Beverley, in the county of York, Grocer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, on the 4th day of April, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before William Scrope Ayrton, Esq., a Commissioner of the said Court, on the 16th day of May next, at the said Court, at the Townhall, Kingston-upon-Hull, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George Young, of Hull, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Shepherd, Crust, and Todd, of Beverley, and Messrs. Bell and Leak, of Hull, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Edward Joseph Hiley, of the city of Lincoln, Hosier, Glover, Outfitter, and formerly a Commercial Traveller, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, on the 4th day of April,

1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before William Scrope Ayrton, Esq., a Commissioner of the said Court, on the 16th day of May next, at the said Court, at the Townhall, Kingston-upon-Hull, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George Young, of Hull, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Mason, Sturt, and Mason, of Gresham-street, London, and Messrs. Reed and Abbey, of Hull, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Fountains John Saxton, of Pontefract, in the county of York, Tanner, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, on the 28th day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Martin John West, Esq., a Commissioner of the said Court, on the 11th day of May next, at the said Court, Commercial-buildings, Leeds, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George Young, of Leeds, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. Jefferson and Mr. W. J. Walker, of Pontefract, and Messrs. Carriss and Tempest, of Leeds, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Joseph Brook, of Gomersal, near Leeds, in the county of York, Cloth Manufacturer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, on the 22nd day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Martin John West, Esq., a Commissioner of the said Court, on the 11th day of May next, at the said Court, Commercial-buildings, Leeds, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George Young, of Leeds, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Benjamin Chadwick, of Dewsbury, and Messrs. Bond and Barwick, of Leeds, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

John Allwood, of Woodworth-green, in the township of Bunbury, and the township of Houghton, both in the parish of Bunbury, in the county of Chester, Farmer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District, on the 4th day of April, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Henry James Perry, Esq., the Commissioner of the said Court, on the 23rd of May next, at the said Court, at Liverpool, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Charles Turner, Esq., of Central-chambers, South Castle-street, Liverpool, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Evans, Sandys, Roose, and Lockett, of Commerce-chambers, Lord-street, Liverpool, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Evan Jones, of Coedtalog, in the parish of Llanerfyl, in the county of Montgomery, Farmer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District, on the 4th of April, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Henry James Perry, Esq., the Commissioner of the said Court, on the 23rd of May next, at the said Court, at Liverpool, at twelve at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Charles Turner, Esq., of Central-chambers, South Castle-street, Liverpool, is the Official Assignee, and Thomas Dodge, Esq., of Commerce-chambers, Lord-street, Liverpool, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

David Evans, of the Commercial Hotel, Mostyn-street, Llandudno, in the county of Carnarvon, Innkeeper, previously of Ty-gwyn, Eglwysfach, in the county of Denbigh, Farmer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District, on the 28th day of February, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Henry James Perry, Esq., the Commissioner of the said Court, on the 23rd day of May next, at the said Court, at Liverpool, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Charles Turner, Esq., of Central-chambers, South Castle-street, Liverpool, is the Official Assignee, and Joseph Best, Esq., of South John-street, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Hoyle and William Goose, of Reed's Holme Shed, Crawshawbooth, near Rawtenstall, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturers, trading in copartnership under the style or firm of Hoyle and Goose, having been adjudged bankrupts under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Manchester District, on the 24th day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupts to pass their Last Examination, and make application for their Discharge, will be held before William Thomas Jemmett, Esq., the Commissioner of the said Court, on the 9th day of May next, at the said Court, at Manchester, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. George Morgan, Esq., of No. 45, George-street, Manchester, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Boote and Rylance, of Manchester, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Walter Kaye, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Proprietor of Refreshment-rooms, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Manchester District, on the 29th day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before William Thomas Jemmett, Esq., the Commissioner of the said Court, on the 18th day of May next, at the said Court, at Manchester, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. George Morgan, Esq., of No. 45, George-street, Manchester, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. John Leigh, of Manchester, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

James Henry Morton, of Leicester-road, Great Bowden, near Market Harborough, in the county of Leicester, Law Clerk, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Market Harborough, on the 23rd day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before Mr. Serjeant Miller, the Judge of the said Court, on the 14th day of May next, at the Corn Exchange, Market Harborough, at half-past ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. William Wartnaby, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. J. M. Douglass, of Market Harborough, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

William Bryant, of No. 5, Sophia-street, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, Grocer and Provision Dealer, also carrying on business at No. 8, Maria-street, Cardiff aforesaid, as a Grocer and Provision Dealer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Glamorganshire, holden at Cardiff, on the 31st day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held at the said Court, at the Townhall, Cardiff, on the 24th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Robert Francis Langley, of Saint Mary-street, Cardiff, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. John Bird, of Cardiff, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Peter MacKay, formerly of Rosgill, in the county of Westmorland, Grocer and Labourer, but now of Hartsop, Patterdale, in the said county of Westmorland, Miner, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Penrith, on the 5th day of April, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held at the said Court, at the Court Room, in Penrith, on the 28th of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Carleton Varty, of Penrith, the Registrar of the said Court, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Samuel Kilner James, of Penrith, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

William Hadley the younger, residing in lodgings at Mrs. Ingram's, Albert-road, Aston Park, Aston-juxta-Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Journeyman Hairdresser, previously of Whitehead-road, Aston-juxta-Birmingham aforesaid, carrying on business at No. 138, Great Hampton-street, Birmingham aforesaid, as Hairdresser, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham, on the 22nd day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held at the said Court, at the Court, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on the 14th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid

said being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. John Guest, Esq., of Birmingham, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Edwin Parry, of No. 13, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Benjamin Darrall, of No. 267, New Town-row, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Butcher, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham, on the 4th day of April, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held at the said Court, at the Court, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on the 14th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. John Guest, Esq., of Birmingham, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. J. and W. Brown, of Waterloo-street, Birmingham, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Richard Ghent Rowley, lodging at No. 2, Princes-street, previously residing consecutively in Rupert-street, in Bartholomew-row, and in Princes-street, in Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Surveyor's Clerk, formerly residing at the house at The Heath, Stourbridge, in the county of Worcester, and carrying on at No. 71, High-street there, and at Dudley-street, Brierley-hill, in the county of Stafford, the business of Auctioneer and Surveyor, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham, on the 28th of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge will be held at the said Court, at the Court, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on the 14th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. John Guest, Esq., of Birmingham, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Ebenezer Sargeant, of Colmore-row, Birmingham, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Ann Holt, late lodging at No. 68, Hurst-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, having Stalls in the Market Hall, Birmingham aforesaid, General Dealer, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy attending at the County Gaol of Warwick, on the 17th day of March, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted in the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass her Last Examination, and make application for her Discharge, will be held at the said last-mentioned Court, at the Court, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on the 14th day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. John Guest, Esq., of Birmingham, is the Official Assignee.

Mark Crosbee, late in lodgings in Myrtle-place, Clifton-road, Aston Manor, near Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, out of business, and previously thereto of the Sycamore Tavern, Park-road, Aston Manor aforesaid, Licensed Victualler, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy attending at the County Gaol at Warwick, on the 17th day of March, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted in the County Court of Warwick, holden at Birmingham, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held at the said last-mentioned Court, at the Court, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on the 14th day of May next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. John Guest, Esq., of Birmingham, is the Official Assignee.

Edwin Moody, of Phillip-street, Aston Brook, near Birmingham, Butcher, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy, attending at the County Gaol at Warwick, on the 17th day of March, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted in the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held at the said last-mentioned Court, at the Court, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on the 14th day of May next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. John Guest, Esq., of Birmingham is the Official Assignee.

William Turner Jones, of No. 3, Faulkland-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Retail Brewer and Dealer in Tobacco, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Wolverhampton, on the 26th day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held at the said Court, at Wolverhampton, on the 3rd day of May next, at twelve

o'clock at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Charles Gallimore Brown, Esq., of Wolverhampton, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Thomas Walker, of Wolverhampton, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Samuel Lines, of London-terrace, near the Six Ways, Smethwick, in the parish of Harborne, and county of Stafford, Greengrocer, and Retailer of Foreign and British Wines, and Ale, Beer, Porter, Cider, and Tobacco, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Oldbury, on the 2nd day of April, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held at the said Court, at Oldbury, on the 8th day of May next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. The Registrars of the Court are the Official Assignees, and William Thomas Travis, of Westbromwich, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Thomas Smith, of Barnwood, in the county of Gloucester, Labourer, formerly Farm Bailiff, having been adjudged bankrupt (in formâ pauperis) by the Registrar of the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Gloucester, attending at the Gloucester County Gaol, on the 9th day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held at the said Court, at the Shirehall, Gloucester, on the 3rd day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Frederick Wilton, of Gloucester, is the Official Assignee.

Eliza Hassalls, of Stoke-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, Widow, now out of business, but formerly of Tunstall, in the county of Stafford, Beerhouse Keeper, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy, attending at the Stafford County Gaol, on the 10th day of March, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted in the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Stoke-upon-Trent and Longton, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass her Last Examination, and make application for her Discharge, will be held at the said Court, at the Townhall, Stoke-upon-Trent, on the 7th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. William Keary, of Stoke-upon-Trent, Gentleman, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Ralph Stevenson, of Hanley, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

William Palfery, of No. 7, South-street, in the parish of Saint Mary Major, in the city of Exeter, Photographer and Jeweller, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Devonshire, holden at Exeter, on the 5th day of April, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held at the said Court, at the Castle of Exeter, at Exeter, on the 5th of June next, at eleven in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. R. R. M. Daw, Esq., of No. 13, Bedford-circus, Exeter, is the Official Assignee, and John Hughes, Esq., of Exeter, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Steel, of Stainly, in the county of Lincoln, Innkeeper, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Grantham, on the 29th day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held at the said Court, at the Guildhall, Grantham, on the 11th day of June next, at one of the clock in the afternoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Thomas Winter, of Grantham, Gentleman, is the Official Assignee, and Frederic Malin, of Grantham, Gentleman, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Charles Aylwin, of Didling, near Midhurst, in the county of Sussex, Farmer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Sussex, holden at Midhurst, on the 4th day of April, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held at the said Court, at the Townhall, in Midhurst, on the 24th day of May next, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Thomas Johnson, of Midhurst, Gentleman, is the Official Assignee, and George White, of No. 8, Danesinn, Strand, London, and of Guildford, Surrey, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

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William Barnes, late of St. Catherine's, near Guildford, in the county of Surrey, Grocer, Baker, and General-shop Keeper, afterwards of Esher, in the county of Surrey, in lodgings, and out of business, and now of Guildford, in the county of Surrey, out of business, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the County Court of Surrey, holden at Guildford, on the 23rd day of March, 1866, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held at the said Court, at the Townhall, Guildford, on the 12th day of May next, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Henry Marshall, of Guildford, is the Official Assignee, and George White, of Guildford, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

The first meeting of creditors has been duly held in each of the said bankruptcies, and at the several public sittings above-mentioned Proofs of Debts of creditors who have not proved will be received, and the said several bankrupts will be respectively required to surrender themselves to the said Court, and to submit themselves to be examined, and to make a full disclosure and discovery of all their estate and effects, and to finish their examinations.

JAMES RIGG BROUGHAM, Esq., one of the Registrars of the Court of Bankruptcy, London, authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed the 14th day of December, 1865, by Mary Barker, of the New Inn, Roade, in the county of Northampton, Widow, Innkeeper, and Farmer, will sit on the 7th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, London, in order to proceed to a choice of Assignee or Assignees under the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, under the said petition; when and where the creditors, who have not already proved their debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, and with those who have already proved to vote in such choice.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

Notice of Dividend Meetings.

Meetings of the Creditors of the Bankrupts hereinafter named will be held, pursuant to the 174th section of the said Act, at the times and places hereinafter mentioned; that is to say:—

At the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, before William Hazlitt, Esq., Registrar:

William Goodyear, of Railway Bridge Wharf, Battersea, in the county of Surrey, Stone Merchant and Mason, adjudicated bankrupt on the 11th day of October, 1865. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 10th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

Edward Gillam Markby, of Chatteris, in the Isle of Ely, in the county of Cambridge, Scrivener, adjudicated bankrupt on the 1st day of July, 1864. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 10th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

Ernest Dawson, late of Pinner, in the county of Middlesex, and now of Rose Bank Villa, Upper Norwood, in the county of Surrey, Clerk in the Admiralty, Somerset House, adjudicated bankrupt on the 13th day of February, 1862. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 10th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

Thomas George Rider, of No. 1, Albion-place, Camberwell New-road, in the county of Surrey, Leather Merchant, Dealer and Chapman, adjudicated bankrupt on the 28th day of October, 1861. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 10th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, before Henry Philip Roche, Esq., Registrar:

William Thomas Payn, of Lymington, in the county of Southampton, Outfitter, Dealer and Chapman, adjudicated bankrupt on the 18th day of October, 1864. A Final Dividend Meeting will be held on the 23rd day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

Edward George Barron the younger (trading under the name of E. Barron), of No. 5, Mitre-court, Milk-street, in the city of London, and of No. 22, Addington-square, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, Woollen Warehouseman, adjudicated bankrupt on the 17th day of June, 1864. A Final Dividend Meeting will be held on the 23rd day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

Jonathan Brandon and Robert Phillips Noah, of No. 4, Abchurch-lane and No. 2, Lawrence Pountney-place, both in the city of London, trading under the name, style, or firm of Jonathan Brandon and Company, Wine and Spirit Merchants, Exporters of Beer, and General Commission Agents, Dealers and Chapmen, and Copartners, adjudicated bankrupts on the 14th day of September, 1863. A Final Dividend Meeting will be held on the 23rd day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

John William Oakley the younger, formerly of Albion-street, Caledonian-road, King's Cross, and now of No. 58, Camden-street, Bethnal Green-road, both in Middlesex, Fender, Fire Iron, and Iron Bed-tead Factor, adjudicated bankrupt on the 18th day of July, 1865. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 28th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

John Belgrave Guazzaroni, of No. 1, Allen-terrace, Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, Surgeon and Apothecary, adjudicated bankrupt on the 5th day of July, 1865. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 28th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

John Hawgood, of Chatham Cottage, Chatham-place, Walworth New Town, in the county of Surrey, Ginger Beer, Soda Water, and Lemonade Manufacturer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 10th day of October, 1864. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 28th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

William Oppermann, of No. 19, Southampton-row, Bloomsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Cutler, formerly of No. 24, Devonshire-street, Queen-square, in the same county, Cutler's Assistant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 14th day of February, 1866. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 28th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

Richard George Cordeaux and John Bampffield Yule, both of No. 5, New Basinghall-street, in the city of London, Copartners, Wine Merchants, Dealers and Chapmen, adjudicated bankrupts on the 21st day of January, 1864. A Final Dividend Meeting will be held on the 7th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

At the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, before James Rigg Brougham, Esq., Registrar:

George Baxter, of No. 12, Northampton-square, Clerkenwell, in the county of Middlesex, Patentee of Printing in Oil Colours, lately residing at the Retreat, Peak-hill, Sydenham, in the county of Kent, but now residing at No. 4, Saint George's-terrace, Hyde-park, in the county of Middlesex, adjudicated bankrupt on the 14th day of January, 1865. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 7th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

Edward Love, of Grove-lane, Camberwell, and No. 4, Camberwell-grove, in the county of Surrey, Builder, adjudicated bankrupt on the 5th day of October, 1864. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 7th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

John Cates Burt, of No. 25, Alderminster-road, Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, Clerk in an Insurance Office, adjudicated bankrupt on the 14th day of July, 1864. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 7th day of May next, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.

Thomas White, of Church-street, Hackney, in the county of Middlesex, Wine Merchant, trading under the name, style, or firm of Wright and White, adjudicated bankrupt on the 8th day of December, 1862. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 7th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

At the Court of Bankruptcy for the Birmingham District, at the Shirehall, Nottingham, before Owen Davies Tudor, Esq., a Registrar:

Thomas Chapman Browne, of the borough of Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Bookseller, Printer, and Stationer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 17th day of January, 1866. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 29th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

At the Court of Bankruptcy for the Leeds District, at the Townhall, Kingston-upon-Hull, before James Stephen, Esq., one of the Registrars.

Robert Carlile Briggs, of the town or borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Underwriter, Dealer and Chapman, adju-

dicated bankrupt on the 12th day of September, 1862. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 16th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

At the Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District, at Liverpool, before F. Thring, Esq., Registrar:

John Wainwright, of the Moss, in the township of Broughton, in the parish of Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh, Grocer and Provision Dealer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 27th day of December, 1864. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 7th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

William Ream, of Nos. 428 and 430, Scotland-road, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Licensed Victualler, Dealer and Chapman, adjudicated bankrupt on the 30th day of October, 1865. A Second Dividend Meeting will be held on the 14th day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the Court of Bankruptcy for the Manchester District at the Athenæum, George-street, Manchester, before George Harris, Esq., a Registrar:

Charles Thompson, of No. 183, City-road, Hulme, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Boot and Shoe Maker, adjudicated bankrupt on the 10th day of July, 1865. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 7th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

At the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Hedon, before a Registrar.

Joshua Shaw, of Thorngumbald, in the East Riding of the county of York, Farmer and Coal Dealer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 16th day of January, 1865. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 4th day of May next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

At the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Northwich, before the Registrar:

George Cookson, of Darnhall, in the parish of Whitegate, in the county of Chester, Publican and Farmer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 1st day of February, 1866. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 2nd day of May next, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.

At the said Meetings the Assignees will, in pursuance of the 174th section of the said Act, submit statements of the Bankrupt's estate recovered and outstanding, and of all receipts and of all payments made or to be made thereout; and the creditors at the said respective meetings will, in pursuance of the said section, declare whether any and what Dividend shall be made, and whether any and what allowance shall be paid to the said bankrupts respectively. Proofs of Debts will be received, and creditors who have not proved, or do not then prove, will be excluded the benefit of the Dividend. And all claims not proved will be disallowed.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

Notice of the Granting of Orders of Discharge.

The Bankrupts hereinafter named have had Orders of Discharge Granted or Suspended as hereinafter mentioned by the several Courts acting in prosecution of their respective Bankruptcies, and such Orders will be delivered to the Bankrupts unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of the Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court:—

William Sadgrove the younger, and Richard Ragg, of Eldon-street, Finsbury, in the county of Middlesex, and Dunning's-alley, Bishopsgate-street, in the city of London, Cabinet Makers and Upholsterers, Dealers and Chapmen, carrying on business under the style or firm of Sadgrove and Ragg, adjudicated bankrupts on the 20th day of February, 1857. An Order of Discharge was granted to Richard Ragg, one of the said bankrupts, by the Court of Bankruptcy, London, on the 20th day of April, 1865.

Thomas Parker, formerly of Market-street, Westminster, Keeper of the Licensed House known by the sign of the Duke of Clarence, then and now of the White Horse and Bower public-house, Horseferry-road, Millbank, Westminster, part of the time Cab Proprietor, having Stables at Peter-street, Westminster, and now managing the business of a Licensed Victualler at the Angel and Crown, Union-street, Bishopsgate, all in the county of Middlesex, adjudicated bankrupt on the 27th day of March, 1865. An Order of Discharge was granted by the Court of Bankruptcy, London, on the 7th day of June, 1865.

Robert Bacon, late of Blackmore, in the county of Essex, Publican, Plumber and Glazier, but for five months past of No. 2, Great Woodstock-street, Marylebone, in the county of Middlesex, out of business, adjudicated bankrupt on the 25th day of October, 1861. An Order of Discharge was granted by the Court of Bankruptcy, London, on the 27th day of December, 1861.

John Ranken Davidson, formerly of No. 21, Gloucester-street, Pimlico, in the county of Middlesex, and of No. 11, Rue des Arbres, Dunkerque, in the Empire of France, and during that time carrying on business in copartnership with Richard Stephens, of No. 26, Parliament-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, as Railway Contractors, afterwards of Woodlands Cottage, East Sheen, in the county of Surrey, and now of No. 121, Sloane-street, Chelsea, in the said county of Middlesex, out of business, adjudicated bankrupt on the 9th day of February, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the Court of Bankruptcy, London, on the 19th day of April, 1866.

William Graham, of Barnard Castle, in the county of Durham, Publican and Mason, adjudicated bankrupt on the 1st day of March, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Durham, holden at Barnard Castle, on the 16th day of April, 1866.

Henry Weaver, of No. 3, Worrall-street, near the city, but in the county, of Gloucester, Builder, and one of the Beadsmen of the Cathedral Church of the said city of Gloucester, adjudicated bankrupt on the 3rd day of March, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Gloucester, on the 19th day of April, 1866.

John Roberts, of No. 4, Penybryn, Wrexham, in the county of Denbighshire, Joiner, adjudicated bankrupt on the 22nd day of February, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Denbighshire, holden at Wrexham, on the 17th day of April, 1866.

Henry Carrick, of the Foresters' Arms, Camden-road, Tonbridge Wells, in the county of Kent, Beer Retailer, and previously of the Pembury-road, Tonbridge Wells aforesaid, Coachman, adjudicated bankrupt on the 7th day of February, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Kent, holden at Tonbridge Wells, on the 19th day of April, 1866.

Charles William Biddles, of Frant-road, Tonbridge Wells, in the county of Sussex, Warehouseman, adjudicated bankrupt on the 19th day of February, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Kent, holden at Tonbridge Wells, on the 19th day of April, 1866.

William Cawthron, of Hadlow, in the county of Kent, Veterinary Surgeon, employed there in carrying on the profession or business of a Veterinary Surgeon, and as the Servant of the Executors of the will of the late John Sneyd Sherwood, of Hadlow aforesaid, Veterinary Surgeon, deceased, adjudicated bankrupt on the 8th day of March, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Kent, holden at Tonbridge, on the 20th day of April, 1866.

Horace Usherwood, of Crouch's Farm, Horsmonden, in the county of Kent, out of business, previously of Dry-hill, Tonbridge, in the same county, Coachbuilder and Wheelwright, adjudicated bankrupt on the 20th day of December, 1865. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Kent, holden at Tonbridge, on the 20th day of April, 1866.

Richard Daniel, of Stoke-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, Commission Agent, adjudicated bankrupt on the 14th day of February, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Stoke-upon-Trent and Longton, on the 16th day of April, 1866.

Ralph Smith, of Loothen, in the parish of Stoke-upon-Trent, in the county of Stafford, Labourer and Coal Dealer, and previously of Penkhull, in the said county of Stafford, Grocer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 28th day of February, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Stoke-upon-Trent and Longton, on the 16th day of April, 1866.

Thomas Dudley, now and for fifteen months last past residing in Old Meeting-street, West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, Hay, Straw, Corn, and Provision Dealer, pre-

viously thereto carrying on business as a Miller, in Bradford-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, adjudicated bankrupt on the 14th day of March, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Oldbury, on the 20th day of April, 1866.

Edward Griffiths, of Pit-street, West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, Puddler, adjudicated bankrupt on the 9th day of March, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Oldbury, on the 20th day of April, 1866.

John Richard Tyler, of High-street, West Bromwich, in the county of Stafford, Confectioner and Dealer in British Wines, adjudicated bankrupt on the 28th day of February, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Oldbury, on the 20th day of April, 1866.

Thomas Hughes, now and for eight months last past residing at the Bromford Tavern Inn, in the township of Oldbury, in the parish of Halesowen, in the county of Worcester, adjudicated bankrupt on the 8th day of March, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Oldbury, on the 20th day of April, 1866.

Joseph Andrews, of Somercotes, in the parish of Alfreton, Builder and Beerhouse Keeper, adjudicated bankrupt on the 12th day of February, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Alfreton, on the 9th day of April, 1866.

Joseph Dawes, of Somercotes, in the parish of Alfreton, Collier, adjudicated bankrupt on the 12th day of February, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Alfreton, on the 9th day of April, 1866.

Henry White, of Matlock Cliff, in the parish of Matlock, in the county of Derby, Blacksmith, adjudicated bankrupt on the 26th day of October, 1865. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Wirksworth, on the 14th day of April, 1866.

Joseph Moorby, of Wellow, in the county of Nottingham, Boot and Shoe Maker, adjudicated bankrupt on the 17th day of March, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Work-sop, on the 21st day of April, 1866.

Alfred Merrick, of No. 50, Park-street, in the city of Bristol, since then a Prisoner for Debt in the Gaol at Bristol, Journeyman Carpenter, adjudicated bankrupt (in formâ pauperis) on the 20th day of February, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol, on the 16th day of April, 1866.

Henry Pitts, of Swinford-mill, in the parish of Bitton, in the county of Gloucester, Miller, adjudicated bankrupt on the 24th day of February, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol, on the 16th day of April, 1866.

John Buscall, of Waterloo-road, in the parish of Saint Philip and Jacob, in the city of Bristol, trading under the style of firm of J. and W. C. Buscall, as Chair Manufacturers, adjudicated bankrupt on the 28th day of February, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol, on the 17th day of April, 1866.

William Cliff Brown, of No. 27, Ashley-road, in the city of Bristol, Commercial Clerk, previously of No. 4, Cheltenham-road, Bristol aforesaid, Cabinet Maker, adjudicated bankrupt on the 10th day of March, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol, on the 17th day of April, 1866.

Robert Stoneley Andrews, formerly of Farnborough, in the county of Warwick, Schoolmaster, Teacher of Singing, and Organist, then of Amersham, in the county of Buckingham, Schoolmaster, Organist, Pianoforte Tuner, and Dealer and Land Surveyor, and then and now of Bierton, in the county of Buckingham, Schoolmaster and Organist, adjudicated bankrupt on the 7th day of February, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Buckinghamshire, holden at Aylesbury, on the 11th day of April, 1866.

Thomas Mead, of Wingrave, in the county of Buckingham, General Dealer and Carrier, adjudicated bankrupt on the 7th day of February, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Buckinghamshire, holden at Aylesbury, on the 11th day of April, 1866.

John Charles Hall, of Fenny Stratford, in the county of Buckingham, Horse Clipper, adjudicated bankrupt on the 14th day of February, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Buckinghamshire, holden at Newport Pagnell, on the 13th day of April, 1866.

John Smith, of Newton Longville, in the county of Buckingham, Butcher, Publican, and General Dealer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 12th day of July, 1865. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Buckinghamshire, holden at Newport Pagnell, on the 13th day of April, 1866.

Thomas Willmott, of Rose Lands, Sea-side, Eastbourne, in the county of Sussex, Builder, adjudicated bankrupt (in formâ pauperis) on the 6th day of February, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Sussex, holden at Lewes, on the 17th day of April, 1866.

Michael Pellatt, of No. 12, Queen's-road, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, out of business, adjudicated bankrupt (in formâ pauperis) on the 6th day of March, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Sussex, holden at Lewes, on the 17th day of April, 1866.

William Wythe, formerly of Lowestoft, in the county of Suffolk, Lodginghouse Keeper, then of Wickham Bishop, in the county of Essex, Butler, adjudicated bankrupt (in formâ pauperis), on the 6th day of February, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Sussex, holden at Lewes, on the 17th day of April, 1866.

Edward Banks Julian, of Chipping Campden, in the county of Gloucester, Architect and Surveyor and Civil Engineer, from the 11th day of May, 1863, to the 25th day of November, 1865. Surveyor to the Campden Highway Board, and since that period up to the day of the date of the filing of his petition following the business or profession of an Architect and Surveyor, and Civil Engineer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 27th day of January, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Worcestershire, holden at Shipston-on-Stour, on the 19th day of April, 1866.

Thomas Holden, of No. 91, Regent's-terrace, Regent-road, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, previously of Alexandria, in Egypt, and previously of No. 22, Mulberry-street, in Holme, in the county of Lancaster, Salesman, adjudicated bankrupt on the 6th day of December, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford, on the 12th day of April, 1866.

Martha Susannah Brown, of No. 17, Lever-street, Hulme, in the county of Lancaster, Grocer, Provision and Milk Dealer, and Beer Retailer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 6th day of March, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford, on the 12th day of April, 1866.

William Platt, for one week last past residing at No. 11, Syndall-street, Stockport-road, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, and previously thereto of No. 10, Hampson-street, Salford, in the said county, Commercial Clerk and Coal Agent, adjudicated bankrupt on the 15th day of February, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford, on the 12th day of April, 1866.

Frederic Smith, of No. 96, Bury New-road, in the city of Manchester, Commission Agent, and formerly of the Waterloo-road, in the said city, Commercial Traveller, adjudicated bankrupt on the 26th day of February, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford, on the 12th day of April, 1866.

John Hall, of No. 41, Saint Steven's-street, Salford, previously of the Pleasant Inn, No. 84, York-street, Cheetham, and previously of No. 41, Oldham-street, Red-band, Cheetham, all in the county of Lancaster, Telegraph Clerk, and late Beer Retailer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 25th day of January, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford, on the 12th day of April, 1866.

Margaret Kenyon, of No. 122, Embden-street, Hulme, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Milliner, adjudicated bankrupt on the 5th day of February, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford, on the 12th day of April, 1866.

William Turner, of No. 20, Irvine-street, Liverpool, Edge-hill, in the county of Lancaster, late Manager to Mr. James Cornish, of Liverpool aforesaid, Bookseller, and late a Prisoner for Debt in the Liverpool Borough Gaol, at Walton, in the said county, adjudicated bankrupt (in formâ pauperis) on the 18th day of December, 1865. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool, on the 23rd day of March, 1866.

William Kay, now in lodgings at No. 93, Spring-gardens, Great Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, and formerly of Eagley Bridge, near Bolton aforesaid, Yarn Bleacher, adjudicated bankrupt on the 9th day of March, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton, on the 20th day of April, 1866.

Alexander Clarke, of Keinton Mandeville, in the county of Somerset, Innkeeper, adjudicated bankrupt on the 5th day of March, 1866. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Langport, on the 14th day of April, 1866.

THIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at Birmingham, on the 4th day of October, 1864, against William Peel and George Thomas Cobbett, of Queen-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Printers, Publishers, Engravers, and Stationers, did, on the 20th day of April, 1865, grant the Discharge of the said George Thomas Cobbett; and that such Discharge will be delivered to the bankrupt, unless an appeal be duly entered against the judgment of the Court, and notice thereof be given to the Court.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Henry James Perry, Esq., the Commissioner of Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, for the Liverpool District, did, on the 15th day of December, 1865, grant an Order of Discharge, subject to a suspension thereof for the period of four calendar months from the said 15th day of December, 1865, to John Sparks, of Ann-street West, Widnes, and of Widnes Dock, near Warrington, in the county of Lancaster. Shipsmith and Manufacturer of Anchors and other Smith Work, Dealer and Chapman, who was adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication, filed by him in the said Court, on the 22nd day of September, 1865; and that such Order of Discharge will now be drawn up and delivered to the said John Sparks.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Henry James Perry, Esq., the Commissioner of Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District, did, on the 19th day of April, 1866, grant an Order of Discharge to Hugh Kellock, of Liverpool, in the county palatine of Lancaster, Draper, who was adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication, filed against him in the said Court, on the 20th day of February, 1866, and that such Order of Discharge will be drawn up and delivered to the said Hugh Kellock, unless an appeal be duly entered within thirty days from the said 19th day of April, 1866.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Henry James Perry, Esq., the Commissioner of Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, for the Liverpool District, did, on the 20th day of April, 1866, grant an Order of Discharge to Thomas Hughes, of Menlog, near Holyhead, in the county of Anglesey, Builder and Contractor, and formerly of the Dale, Seacombe, in the county of Chester, Builder and Contractor and Farmer, who was adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication, filed by him in the said Court, on the 16th day of February, 1866, and that such Order of Discharge will be drawn up and delivered to the said Thomas Hughes, unless an appeal be duly entered within thirty days from the said 20th day of April, 1866.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Colne, in the Matter of John Heyworth, of Vine-street, Nelson, in the county of Lancaster, Dealer in Poultry, late a Prisoner for Debt in Her Majesty's Prison at Lancaster, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of the Manchester District Court of Bankruptcy, attending at the said Prison, on the 17th day of January, 1866, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted in the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Colne.

WHEREAS at a public sitting of the said Court, held on the 19th day of April, 1866, the Court granted an Order of Discharge to the said bankrupt. Notice is hereby given, that an Order of Discharge will be drawn up and delivered to the said bankrupt, after the expiration of thirty days from this date, unless, in the meantime, an appeal be duly entered against the granting thereof.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Colne, in the Matter of William Blezard, of Brierfield, within the township of Great and Little Marsden, in the county of Lancaster, Farm Labourer, formerly of Grindleton, in the West Riding of the county of York, Innkeeper, and afterwards of Grindleton aforesaid, Labourer, adjudged bankrupt on the 14th day of February, 1866.

WHEREAS at a public sitting of the said County Court, held on the 19th day of April, 1866, the Court granted an Order of Discharge to the said bankrupt. Notice is hereby given, that an Order of Discharge will be drawn up and delivered to the said bankrupt, after the expiration of thirty days from this date, unless, in the meantime, an appeal be duly entered against the granting thereof.

GEORGE WILLIAMS SANDERS, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Commissioners, authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 21st day of June, 1849, filed against Richard Edward Saxton, of Crich, near Alfreton, in the county of Derby,

Jeweller, will sit on the 29th day of May next, at eleven in the forenoon, at the Birmingham District Court of Bankruptcy, at the Shirehall, Nottingham, in order to make a Dividend of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt; when and where the creditors who have not already proved their debts are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend. And all claims not then proved will be disallowed.

THE estates of James Tweedie and Company, Wholesale Ironmongers, in Glasgow, and James Stewart Tweedie, Wholesale Ironmongers there, the sole Partner of that Company, as such, and as an Individual, were sequestrated on the 19th April, 1866, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 19th April, 1866.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Friday, the 27th April, 1866, within the Faculty Hall, St. George's-place, Glasgow.

A composition may be offered at this latter meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 19th August, 1866.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt.

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

HENRY B. LACY, Agent,
54, St. Vincent-street, Glasgow.

THE estates of John Mackenzie Mason, Kenneth-street, Inverness, were sequestrated on 18th April, 1866, by the Sheriff of the county of Inverness.

The first deliverance is dated the 18th April, 1866.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, on the Monday, the 30th day of April, 1866, within the Procurators Chambers, the Castle, in Inverness.

A composition may be offered at this latter meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 19th day of August, 1866.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt.

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

JAMES ROSS, Agent,
Solicitor, Inverness.

THE estates of William Peters, Coal Merchant, North British Railway Station, North Bridge, Edinburgh, and residing at No. 6, Union-place, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on the 18th day of April, 1866, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the 10th April, 1866.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, afternoon, on Monday, the 30th day of April, 1866, within Messrs. Lyon and Turnbull's Rooms, No. 51, George-street, Edinburgh.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 18th day of August, 1866.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff-Court of Edinburgh.

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

DAVIDSON & SYME, W.S.,
22, Castle-street, Edinburgh, Agents.

THE estates of Daniel M'Corquodale, Farmer, residing at Locholly, in the parish of Caputh, and Tenant of the Farms of Locholly and Whins of Fordie, both in the said parish of Caputh, were sequestrated on the 18th day of April, 1866, by the Sheriff of the county of Perth.

The first deliverance is dated the 18th day of April, 1866.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Monday, the 30th day of April, 1866, within the Guildhall, High-street, Perth.

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 18th day of August, 1866.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt till the meeting for election of Trustee.

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SPOTTISWOODE & PINKERTON, Solicitors,
Perth, Agents.

THE estates of the deceased, Henry Moore Wallace M'Vitie, Doctor of Medicine, sometime of Sydney, in the Colony of New South Wales, afterwards residing at No. 20, Albany-street, Edinburgh, were sequestrated on the 20th day of April, 1866, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the 26th day of March, 1866.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, afternoon, on Monday, the 30th day of April, 1866, within Messrs. Lyon and Turnbull's Rooms, No. 51, George-street, Edinburgh.

A composition may be offered at this meeting; and to entitle creditors to the first dividend, their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 21st day of August, 1866.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff-Court of Edinburgh.

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LEBURN, HENDERSON, & WILSON, Agents,
56, George-square, Edinburgh.

THE estates of Thomas Renwick, Commission Merchant, No. 3, St. Enoch-square, Glasgow, and carrying on business there under the firm of Thomas Renwick and Company, of which firm he is the sole Partner, were sequestrated on the 18th day of April, 1866, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 18th day of April, 1866.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Monday, the 30th day of April, 1866, within the Faculty-hall, Saint George's-place, 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 18th day of August, 1866.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the bankrupt.

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JOHN ROBERTSON, Writer,
104, West Regent-street, Glasgow, Agent.

THE estates of Archibald Brown, sometime Station Master at the Banff Station of the Banffshire Railway, and now Fleshier and Innkeeper, in Banff, were sequestrated on the 19th day of April, 1866, by the Sheriff of Banff, Engin, and Nairn (acting in Banffshire).

The first deliverance is dated the 9th day of April, 1866.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held within the Library of the Society of Solicitors of Banffshire, Low-street, Banff, on Thursday, the 3rd day of May next, at twelve o'clock, noon.

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 19th day of August, 1866.

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GARDEN M. HOSSACK, Solicitor, Banff,
Agent.

Banff, April 19th, 1866.

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