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TUESDAY, MAY 10, 1870.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, March 30, 1870.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty's Birthday will be kept on Saturday, the 28th of May next.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, May 10, 1870.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Monday, the 30th instant, at two o'clock.

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

## REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEVEE 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 Levee, at St. James's Palace, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names *clearly written* thereon, one to be left with The Queen's Page in attendance in the 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 Levee, 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 an intimation from the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to make the presentation, of 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 these 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.

*Whitehall, May 3, 1870.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Arthur Mitchell, Esq., M.D., to be one of the Paid Commissioners in Lunacy for Scotland, in the room of Alexander Francis Browne, Esq., M.D., resigned.

*Whitehall, May 9, 1870.*

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto James Bryce, Esq., the place or office of Professor of Civil Law in the University of Oxford, in the room of Sir Travers Twiss, D.C.L., resigned.

*Whitehall, May 9, 1870.*

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend James French to the office and charge of First Minister of the church and parish of Dunfermline, in the presbytery of Dunfermline, and shire of Fife, vacant by the death of Doctor Peter Chalmers.

The Queen has also been pleased to present the Reverend Robert Nimmo Smith to the church and parish of Cargill, in the presbytery of Dunkeld, and county of Perth, vacant by the death of the Reverend William Charles Rose.

*Board of Trade,  
(Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, S. W., 6th May, 1870.*

THE Board of Trade have received from the the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a despatch from Lieutenant-Colonel Stokes, R.E., the British Representative on the European Commission of the Danube, forwarding regulations with regard to the pilotage of the Lower Danube, a translation of which is subjoined:—

#### EUROPEAN COMMISSION OF THE DANUBE.

##### *Provisions relative to the Piloting of Vessels in the Black Sea by the Danube Pilots.*

THE European Commission of the Danube, considering the 112th Article of the Regulation of Navigation and Police applicable to the Lower Danube, dated the 2nd November, 1865; whereas the enforcement of the prohibition to the river pilots to pilot vessels at sea encounters difficulties, and whereas shipmasters interested in easily finding good pilots for the voyage from the Bosphorus to the mouth of the Danube and vice versa, have themselves expressed the desire that this prohibition should be rescinded:

Whereas, however, it is of importance to give to the authority under which the pilots are placed the means of controlling the voyages made by them beyond the Danube, enacts the following provisions:—

ART. 1. From and after this day the provision enacted on the 16th April, 1868, and inserted in the last paragraph of Art. 75 of the Regulation of Navigation and Police applicable to the Lower Danube, dated the 2nd November, 1865, forbidding the licensed river pilots to pilot vessels in any part of their sea voyage, is repealed.

This prohibition continues, however, to be applicable to the pilotage in the channel of the Sulina Mouth, which is reserved as heretofore to the local pilots.

ART. 2. The river pilot who leaves the Danube to pilot a vessel at sea is bound to present his licence previously to the sub-chief pilot of the river service, who affixes to it a visé stating the date of his leaving.

The pilot is bound to observe the same formality when he re-enters the river.

Every offence against the provisions of the present Article is punished by a fine of fifty francs (£2), at least, and of a hundred francs (£4), at most.

ART. 3. The Inspector-General of the Navigation of the Lower Danube is charged to watch over the execution of the present provisions, and to pronounce the infliction of the fines incurred by the infraction of Art. 2 herein above.

The infliction of this penalty is regulated by the provisions of chapter II., part VI., of the Regulation of Navigation and Police of the 2nd November, 1865.

Done at Galatz, the 30th day of October, 1869.

(Signed) ZULAUF DE POTTENBURG.  
J. STOKES.  
B. BERIO.  
D'OFFENBERG.

*India Office, 9th May, 1870.*

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions and alterations of rank amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps and of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, made by the Governments in India:—

#### BREVET.

Major John Pringle Sherrif, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Captain William Henry Mackesy, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Major, in succession to Major-General William Lang, Bombay Infantry, deceased. Dated 4th January, 1870.

Major Francis Edward Archibald Chamier, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Captain Brydges Robinson Branfill, Bengal Cavalry, to be Major, in succession to Major-General Henry Prior, Madras Infantry, deceased. Dated 11th January, 1870.

Major Robert Renton, Madras Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Captain Croft Augustus Charles Hawkins, Bombay Staff Corps, to be Major, in succession to Major-General J. S. Hodgson, Bengal Infantry, deceased. Dated 15th January, 1870.

Major James Langford Pearse, Madras Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Captain Charles Tatham Hitchens, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Major, in succession to Lieutenant-General H. Dowker, Madras Infantry, deceased. Dated 6th February, 1870.

#### *To be Major.*

Captain Stephen William Ogilvie Stevens, 2nd Bombay Cavalry. Dated 31st January, 1870.

#### *To be Captains.*

Lieutenant William Henry James Stopford, 2nd Bombay Cavalry. Dated 11th February, 1870.  
Lieutenant William Sidney Nugent, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 12th February, 1870.

#### SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.

#### BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

##### *To be Lieutenant-Colonels.*

Major Henry Alexander Taylor. Dated 3rd February, 1870.  
Major Frederick Procter Bailey. Dated 9th February, 1870.

##### *[To be Majors.*

Captain John Angelo. Dated 7th February, 1870.  
Captain Charles Robert Chester. Dated 20th February, 1870.  
Captain (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Francis Edward Archibald Chamier. Dated 20th February, 1870.  
Captain Charles William Fletcher. Dated 20th February, 1870.

##### *To be Captains.*

Lieutenant Robert Atkins. Dated 4th February, 1870.  
Lieutenant James Richard Marett. Dated 4th February, 1870.  
Lieutenant Thomas Bernard Michell. Dated 19th February, 1870.  
Lieutenant Hipplesley Cunliffe Marsh. Dated 20th February, 1870.  
Lieutenant John McNair. Dated 20th February, 1870.  
Lieutenant Beilby Porteous Hodgson. Dated 20th February, 1870.

## BENGAL ARMY.

Major William Astell Franks, from late 12th Native Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st January, 1870.

## GENERAL LIST OF INFANTRY OFFICERS.

*To be Captains.*

Lieutenant Henry Scoley Moules. Dated 15th December, 1869.  
 Lieutenant Alexander Pringle Samuells. Dated 1st January, 1870.  
 Lieutenant Charles McKenzie Hall. Dated 1st January, 1870.  
 Lieutenant Hugh Bladen Swiney. Dated 1st January, 1870.  
 Lieutenant William Pringle Harrison. Dated 1st January, 1870.  
 Lieutenant John Edwards Werge Howey. Dated 1st January, 1870.  
 Lieutenant Walter Charles Farwell. Dated 1st January, 1870.  
 Lieutenant David Robertson. Dated 1st January, 1870.  
 Lieutenant William Franco Dodsworth. Dated 1st January, 1870.  
 Lieutenant Henry Marcy Clarkson. Dated 1st January, 1870.

## MEDICAL OFFICERS.

*To be Surgeons.*

Assistant - Surgeon John Armstrong Purefoy Colles, M.D. Dated 27th January, 1870.  
 Assistant-Surgeon Alexander Dugald Campbell, M.D. Dated 27th January, 1870.  
 Assistant-Surgeon Sydney Charles Courtney, M.D. Dated 27th January, 1870.  
 Assistant-Surgeon Charles Prentis. Dated 27th January, 1870.  
 Assistant-Surgeon Rajendra Chandra Chandra. Dated 27th January, 1870.  
 Assistant - Surgeon Robert Lidderdale, M.D. Dated 27th January, 1870.  
 Assistant - Surgeon James Edward Tierney Aitchison, M.D. Dated 27th January, 1870.  
 Assistant-Surgeon Leonard Horner Lees, M.D. Dated 27th January, 1870.  
 Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Stick Veale. Dated 27th January, 1870.  
 Assistant-Surgeon Bamlet Walker Switzer. Dated 27th January, 1870.  
 Assistant-Surgeon Cyrus Octavius Daniell, M.D. Dated 27th January, 1870.

## ALTERATIONS OF RANK.

## GENERAL LIST OF INFANTRY OFFICERS.

The undermentioned Officers will rank as follows :—

Captain Hatley Frere Woodcock, from 8th November, 1869.  
 Captain Frederick Wynn Williams, from 27th November, 1869.  
 Captain Edward Augustus Pemberton, from 28th November, 1869.  
 Captain Charles McDowal Skene, from 2nd December, 1869.

## MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

*To be Lieutenant-Colonels.*

Major Henry Manning Elliott. Dated 1st January, 1870.  
 Major Thomas Gordon Moore Lane. Dated 16th January, 1870.

Major John Duncan Campbell Wallace. Dated 16th January, 1870.  
 Major George Philip Burdenell Sherard. Dated 3rd February, 1870.

*To be Majors.*

Captain (Brevet Major) John William Willoughby Osborne, C.B. Dated 1st January, 1870.  
 Captain Henry Fitzroy Dakeyne. Dated 20th January, 1870.  
 Captain James Crawford. Dated 20th January, 1870.  
 Captain Otway Francis Smithers. Dated 20th January, 1870.  
 Captain Alexander Charles Hay. Dated 20th January, 1870.  
 Captain John William Orr. Dated 20th January, 1870.  
 Captain Frederick Gadsden. Dated 21st January, 1870.

*To be Captains.*

Lieutenant Thomas James Cotton. Dated 4th January, 1870.  
 Lieutenant Montague Protheroe. Dated 4th January, 1870.  
 Lieutenant Francis Middlecoat. Dated 4th January, 1870.  
 Lieutenant Edward MacDonald Stevenson. Dated 4th January, 1870.  
 Lieutenant Carey de Lancey Gostling. Dated 4th January, 1870.  
 Lieutenant Edward George Daves Beagin. Dated 4th January, 1870.

## MADRAS ARMY.

*Infantry.*

Lieutenant - Colonel (Major - General) Hubert Marshall to be Colonel. Dated 2nd January, 1870.

## MEDICAL OFFICERS.

*To be Surgeons-Major.*

Surgeon John Liston Paul, M.D., A.M. Dated 20th January, 1870.  
 Surgeon John George Gibbs. Dated 20th January, 1870.

*To be Surgeon.*

Assistant-Surgeon Henry John Beach. Dated 27th January, 1870.

## BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

*To be Lieutenant-Colonels.*

Major Alexander Young Shortt. Dated 1st February, 1870.  
 Major George Leslie Thomson. Dated 15th February, 1870.

*To be Majors.*

Captain Charles Henry Hunter Forbes. Dated 31st January, 1870.  
 Captain Charles Frederick Keays. Dated 20th February, 1870.

*To be Captain.*

Lieutenant John Graham McRae. Dated 2nd February, 1870.

## BOMBAY ARMY.

## GENERAL LIST OF INFANTRY OFFICERS.

Lieutenant Frederick Day Mander to be Captain. Dated 15th December, 1869.

## MEDICAL OFFICERS.

Surgeon William Guyer Hunter to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 21st February, 1870.  
 Assistant-Surgeon Henry Vandyke Carter, M.D., to be Surgeon. Dated 27th January, 1870.

Her Majesty has been pleased to permit the undermentioned Officer to resign his Commission:—

Lieutenant Stephen Hotham, Bengal Infantry.

*Admiralty, 6th May, 1870.*

The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty have appointed Dr. Patrick Digan, Staff Surgeon, of the Royal Navy, to be Visiting Surgeon at Southampton, under the Contagious Diseases Acts of 1866-1869.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Suffolk.**East Suffolk Regiment of Artillery Militia.*

Lieutenant Henry Smith to be Captain, vice Eagle, resigned. Dated 30th April, 1870.  
 Edmund Dresden, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th April, 1870.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Chester, and County of the City of Chester.**32nd Cheshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Charles Frederick Bennett, Esq., M.D., to be Captain, vice Fox, resigned. Dated 30th April, 1870.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Forfar.**7th Forfarshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Lieutenant Alexander Davidson to be Captain, vice Gordon, resigned. Dated 5th May, 1870.  
 Ensign William Scott to be Lieutenant, vice Wallace, resigned. Dated 5th May, 1870.  
 James Will to be Lieutenant, vice Davidson, promoted. Dated 5th May, 1870.  
 James Ireland to be Ensign, vice Lamb, resigned. Dated 5th May, 1870.

## MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Captain Charles Anderson bearing the title of Captain-Commandant in the 7th Forfarshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.**3rd or Royal Westminster Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia.*

Captain Joseph Percival Swan to be Major. Dated 30th April, 1870.  
 Lieutenant Theophilus Thompson to be Captain. Dated 30th April, 1870.

*2nd Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

The Reverend Edward Ker Gray to be Honorary Chaplain. Dated 30th April, 1870.

*9th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Alexander Scott to be Lieutenant, vice St. Clair, resigned. Dated 20th April, 1870.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Somerset.**West Somerset Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.*

The Honourable Arthur Wellington Alexander Nelson Hood, M.P., Captain 25th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Richards, resigned. Dated 3rd May, 1870.  
 Thomas Channon, Gent., to be Veterinary-Surgeon, vice J. Channon, resigned. Dated 7th May, 1870.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.**6th Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

George Martineau, Gent., to be Ensign. Dated 28th April, 1870.

*14th Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Ensign William Shearburn to be Lieutenant, vice T. Wood, resigned. Dated 26th April, 1870.

[The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 26th ultimo.]

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the East Riding of the County of York, and the Borough of Kingston-upon-Hull.**1st East Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.*

Richard Glover, Esq., to be Lieutenant, vice Goddard, resigned. Dated 13th April, 1870.

## MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain Godfrey Gardiner Gilbert Cooper Gardiner in the Royal Sherwood Foresters or Nottinghamshire Regiment of Militia, and in consideration of his long service to approve of his receiving a step of honorary rank, and being permitted to wear the uniform of the Regiment on retirement. Dated 30th April, 1870.

## NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 47.)—ENGLAND—EAST COAST.

*Alteration of Buoyage—Berwick to Orfordness.*

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 93, dated 30th November, 1869, respecting the intended alteration in the buoyage between Berwick and Orfordness.

The Trinity House has given notice that those alterations are now being effected, and that the buoyage will henceforth be as follows:—

*Coquet Island.*

*N.W. Coquet (can).*—Red and white chequered.  
*S.W. Coquet (can).*—Red and white striped.  
*N.E. Coquet (conical).*—Red and white rings, with staff and triangle.

*Pan Bush (can).*—Red.

*Sand Pit (can).*—Red.

*Hawley Point (conical).*—Black with staff and globe.

*Bondicair Bush (can).*—Red.

*River Tees.*

- South Gare and all Port Hand Buoys (can).*—Black and white chequered.  
*Tees Fairway (conical).*—Black and white rings, with staff and diamond.  
*No. 1 and all the Starboard Hand Buoys (can).*—Black.

*East Coast.*

- Long Scar*—Black—bell with staff and globe.  
*Salt Scar (can).*—Black.  
*Whitey Rock (conical)*—Black, with staff and globe.  
*Filey Brig (can).*—Black.  
*North Smithic (conical).*—Red and white rings.  
*South Smithic (can).*—Red.  
*Rosse Spit (conical).*—Black and white striped.  
*Protector (conical).*—Black.  
*North Lynn Knock (conical).*—Black and white rings, with staff and diamond.  
*South Lynn Knock (can).*—Black and white rings.  
*Inner Dowsing (conical).*—Black and white rings, with staff and diamond.  
*South Dowsing (conical).*—Black and white rings.  
*Outer Dowsing Watch (can).*—Black and white chequered.  
*Dudgeon Watch (can).*—Black and white striped.  
*North Races Bank (conical).*—Red and white rings.  
*South Races Bank (can).*—Red and white rings.  
*West Docking (can).*—Black and white striped.  
*Burnham Ridge (can).*—Black and white chequered.  
*Docking (conical).*—Red and white rings.  
*Burnham Flats (conical).*—Black and white rings, with staff and St. Andrew's Cross.  
*West Sherringham (conical).*—Black and white rings.  
*East Sherringham (can).*—Black and white rings.  
*Blakeney Overfalls.*—Black—bell, with staff and globe.

*Leman and Ower Sand.*

- North Ower (conical).*—Black.  
*South Ower (can).*—Black.  
*Leman (conical).*—Black and white chequered.

*Haisborough Gateway and Cross Sand.*

- Foulness (can).*—Black.  
*North Haisborough (can).*—Black and white chequered.  
*Mid Haisborough (can).*—Black and white chequered.  
*South Mid Haisborough (can).*—Black and white striped.  
*South Haisborough (conical).*—Black and white striped, with staff and cage.  
*North Cross Sand (conical).*—Black, with staff and globe.  
*East Cross Sand (conical).*—Black.  
*Mid Cross Sand (conical).*—Black.  
*South Cross Sand (conical).*—Black.  
*Winterton Ridge (conical).*—Red and white rings, with staff and St. George's cross.

*Yarmouth Roads.*

- Winterton Ness (can).*—Red.  
*West Cockle Spit (can).*—Red and white striped.  
*North Scroby (conical).*—Black and white chequered, with staff and cage.  
*N.W. Scroby (can).*—Black and white chequered.  
*Mid Scroby (can).*—Black and white chequered.  
*West Scroby (can).*—Black and white chequered.  
*Scroby Elbow.*—Black and white chequered, bell, with staff and cage.  
*S.W. Scroby (can).*—Black and white chequered.  
*Scroby Fork (can).*—Black and white striped.

- South Scroby Spit (conical).*—Black and white chequered.  
*South Scroby (conical).*—Black and white striped, with staff and cage.  
*North Cockle (conical).*—Black and white rings, with staff and diamond.  
*N.E. Cockle (can).*—Black.  
*S.E. Cockle (can).*—Black.  
*South Cockle (can).*—Black.  
*North Caistor (conical).*—Black.  
*Mid Caistor (can).*—Black.  
*Caistor Elbow (can).*—Black.  
*South Caistor (can).*—Black.  
*North Bank (can).*—Black.  
*North Corton (conical).*—Black and white rings, with staff and diamond.  
*N.E. Corton (can).*—Black.  
*S.E. Corton (can).*—Black.  
*Mid Holm (can).*—Black.

*Corton Gateway.*

- S.W. Corton (conical).*—Red and white striped, with staff and cage.  
*Mid Corton Spit (can).*—Red and white chequered.  
*South Corton Spit (can).*—Red and white chequered.  
*South Corton (can).*—Red and white rings.  
*North Holm (can).*—Red and white rings.  
*N.E. Holm (can).*—Red.  
*Holm Elbow (conical).*—Red.  
*East Holm (conical).*—Red, with staff and globe.

*Lowestoft Roads.*

- West Corton (can).*—Black and white chequered.  
*N.W. Holm (can).*—Black and white chequered.  
*West Holm (can).*—Black and white chequered.  
*S.W. Holm (can).*—Black and white chequered.  
*Holm Hook (can).*—Black and white striped.  
*South Holm (conical).*—Black and white rings, with staff and St. Andrew's cross.  
*North Newcome Spit (can).*—Black and white rings, with staff and diamond.  
*N.E. Newcome (can).*—Black.  
*East Mid Newcome (can).*—Black.  
*East Newcome (conical).*—Black.  
*East Barnard (conical).*—Red, with staff and globe.  
*South Barnard (can).*—Red.  
*Inner Shoal (can).*—Red and white striped.  
*North Newcome (can).*—Red and white striped.  
*N.W. Newcome (can).*—Red and white striped.  
*West Newcome (can).*—Red and white striped.  
*S.W. Newcome (can).*—Red and white striped.  
*South Newcome (conical).*—Red and white rings, with staff and triangle.  
*Inner Barnard (conical).*—Black and white rings, with staff and diamond.  
*West Barnard (conical).*—Black and white chequered.  
*Covehithe (can).*—Black.  
*Sizewell (conical).*—Black.  
*Aldboro' Napes (conical).*—Black, with staff and globe.  
*Aldboro' Ridge (can).*—Black.

Also, that no further notice will be given.

By command of their Lordships,  
 Geo. Henry Richards, Hydrographer.  
 Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
 30th April, 1870.

This notice will affect the following Admiralty Charts:—English Channel, No. 2675 *a*; Thames to St. Abb's Head, Nos. 2902 *a*, *b*; North Sea, sheet I., No. 1406; North Sea, No. 2339; Southwold to Cromer, No. 1630; Pakefield Gateway, to Orfordness, No. 102; Cromer to Trus-thorpe; No. 1455; Humber river, No. 109; Ya-

mouth and Lowestoft roads, No. 1543; Orfordness to Flamborough Head, No. 2182; Flamborough Head to Moray Frith, No. 2248; Lynn and Boston Deeps, No. 108; Trusthorpe to Flamborough Head, No. 1190; Flamborough Head to the Tees, No. 1191; Tees to Blyth, No. 1192; Tees Bay, No. 2567; Blyth to Eyemouth, No. 1193; and Coquet Road and Channel, No. 1721.

#### NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 48).—CAPE BRETON ISLAND—GUT OF CANSO.

##### *Fixed Light—Ship Harbour.*

THE Canadian Government has given notice, that from the 15th day of April, 1870, a light would be exhibited from a lighthouse recently erected on Point Tupper (Stapleton point), south point of Ship Harbour.

The light is a *fixed red* light, elevated 44 feet above the level of high water, and in clear weather should be seen from the northern entrance of the Gut of Canso, which is 7 miles distant, and from the south (in consequence of the intervention of the land) about 3 miles.

The tower is square. 24 feet high, and painted white; it stands 117 feet from the extremity of the point, and its position is lat. 45° 36' 40" N., long. 61° 22' 0" West from Greenwich.

By command of their Lordships,  
*Geo. Henry Richards*, Hydrographer.  
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
29th April, 1870.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Gut of Canso, &c., No. 2342; Gulf of St. Lawrence, No. 2516; Cape Breton Island, No. 2727; and St. John's to Halifax, No. 2666. Also, St. Lawrence Pilot, Vol. II, 4th edition, page 148.

#### NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 49).—ENGLAND—EAST COAST.

##### *Leading Lights, River Humber.*

THE Trinity House, Hull, has given notice, that in the course of about three months, four leading lights will be exhibited upon the northern, or Yorkshire, shore of the River Humber, for the purpose of facilitating the navigation between Paull and Kingston-upon-Hull, viz.—

Two at Thorngumbald Clough, about half-mile to the southward of Paull Lighthouse.

Two at Salt End, northward of Paull Lighthouse, near Heden Haven.

For vessels bound up the river, the present Killingholme lights serve as leading lights to the point where the new lights at Thorngumbald Clough will become leading lights, and the latter will serve as such until the two lights at Salt End are in one, when the last-mentioned will guide a vessel up to the Victoria Dock Pier, or to Hull-road.

On the exhibition of the four new lights, the light at Paull will be discontinued and eventually the Hebbles floating light will be discontinued and the vessel removed.

Also, that further notice will be given before the lights are exhibited.

#### THAMES ENTRANCE.

##### *Alteration of Maplin Spit Buoy.*

The Trinity House, London, has given notice, that in consequence of the Maplin sand having

extended in a southerly direction from the lighthouse, the Maplin Spit Buoy has been moved one cable to the southward, and has been changed from a can to a *conical buoy with staff and globe*.

The buoy now lies in 15 fathoms at low water springs with the Maplin Lighthouse bearing N.E.  $\frac{1}{10}$  of a mile and Maplin Buoy W.  $\frac{1}{2}$  S.  $1\frac{1}{10}$  miles.

As Maplin Spit has become dangerous, mariners are cautioned to give the lighthouse a wide berth in passing.

[All bearings are Magnetic. Variation  $19\frac{1}{2}$ ° Westerly in 1870.]

By command of their Lordships,  
*Geo. Henry Richards*, Hydrographer.  
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
30th April, 1870.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts:—Thames to St. Abbs Head, No. 2902 a; Trusthorpe to Flamborough Head, No. 1190; Humber River, No. 109; English Channel, No. 2675 a; and Thames River, Nos. 1975, 1607, and 1610. Also, British Lights List, Nos. 142 and 143; and North Sea Pilot, part III., page 91.

#### NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 50).—ENGLISH CHANNEL—ENTRANCE.

##### *Telegraph Ship.*

WITH reference to Notice to Mariners, No. 10, dated 21st January, 1870, respecting the establishment of a Telegraphic Station Vessel by the International Mid-Channel Telegraph Company, off the entrance to the English Channel:—

Notice is hereby given, that the ship ("Brisk") is now moored in position on the Admiralty Patch in—

Latitude 49° 20' 30" N.

Longitude 6° 17' West of Greenwich.

From the Telegraph Ship—

Bishop Rock Lighthouse bears N. by E., distant 33 miles.

Wolf Rock bears N.E.  $\frac{1}{2}$  E., distant 40 miles.

Land's End bears N.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  E., distant 49 miles.

Lizard bears E. by N.  $\frac{1}{4}$  N., distant 56 miles.

Ushant Lighthouse bears S. by E.  $\frac{3}{4}$  E., distant 70 miles.

The vessel is painted black, with the words "Telegraph Ship" in white letters on her sides; she has three masts, and at the top of the mainmast a large black cone will be hoisted during daytime, and a powerful globular light at night, elevated 30 feet above the sea, which in clear weather should be seen from a distance of six miles.

A flare-up light will also be shown every 15 minutes during the night, from an hour after sunset to an hour before sunrise.

During foggy weather, day or night, a bell will be rung continuously for half-a-minute every quarter of an hour, and until the 1st day of October, 1870, a gun will be fired every quarter of an hour, and after that date, every hour.

The Commercial Code of Signals for the use of all Nations will be used on board, to the exclusion of all other codes, and none other can be noticed.

[All bearings are magnetic. Variation 23° Westerly in 1870.]

By command of their Lordships,  
*Geo. Henry Richards*, Hydrographer.  
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
30th April, 1870.

This notice will affect the following Admiralty Charts:—English Channel, Nos. 1598 and 2675 c;

British Isles, No. 2; and British Isles to the Mediterranean, No. 1.

### NOTICE TO MARINERS.

(No. 51.)—NORTH SEA.

#### *Alteration in Position of Inner Eider Light-vessel.*

THE Prussian Government has given notice, that the light and pilot vessel at the mouth of the Eider River has been moved to a new position, inside the bar, and is now moored in two fathoms with the following bearings, viz. :—

St. Peter's Church, N.E.  $\frac{3}{4}$  E.

Blauort Beacon, S.S.E.  $\frac{1}{4}$  E.

Position, lat.  $54^{\circ} 15' 30''$ , long.  $8^{\circ} 34' 48''$  East from Greenwich.

Also, that outside the bar, in line with the black buoys, a *red conical buoy with staff and two balls* has been moored in three fathoms at low water, in lat.  $54^{\circ} 15' 31''$  N., long.  $8^{\circ} 32' 24''$  E, with the light-vessel bearing E. by S.  $\frac{3}{4}$  S.

*Directions.*—To cross the bar when entering the river, vessels should steer for the Eider light-vessel on an E.S.E. course.

The depth of the bar at low water is one fathom.

The outer light-vessel has been moored in her former position.

### BALTIC ENTRANCES—GREAT BELT.

#### *Alteration in Holskov Reef Buoy.*

The Danish Government has given notice, that the bell buoy on the Halskov reef has been changed to a buoy with a *white staff and a broom* the latter 20 feet above the sea.

[All bearings are Magnetic. Variation  $16^{\circ}$  Westerly in 1870.]

By command of their Lordships,

*Geo. Henry Richards*, Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,  
3rd May, 1870.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts :—Helgoland Light, No. 1887; Elbe and Eider Rivers, &c., No. 1875; Baltic Sea, No. 2842 a; Great and Light Belts, Nos. 2229 and 2116; and Femern to Bornholm, No. 2150; Also, North Sea Lights List, No. 176, and North Sea Pilot, Part IV., page 186.

### NAVAL PRIZE MONEY.

*Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy and Comptroller of Navy Pay, Admiralty, S.W., May 5, 1870.*

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the tonnage bounty, awarded for a slave dhow, name unknown, captured on the 5th November, 1868, by Her Majesty's ship "Daphne" ("Star" in company).

Agents or other persons having any just and legal demand, unliquidated, against the said bounty, 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.

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.

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### INCOME TAX.

WHEREAS it has become necessary to renew the list of persons to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners appointed to act in the division of Highworth, in the county of Wilts, as Commissioners for the general purposes of the Acts of Parliament for granting to Her Majesty duties on profits arising from property, professions, trades, and offices: Now we, two of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, in pursuance of the powers vested in us in that behalf, do hereby convene a meeting of the Land Tax Commissioners for the county aforesaid, being respectively qualified to act as such Commissioners, to be holden at the King and Queen Inn, Highworth, on Friday, the 13th day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of choosing fit and proper persons to be Commissioners to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners for the general purposes of the Income Tax Acts for the division of Highworth aforesaid.

*H. Roberts.*

*Alfred Montgomery.*

Inland Revenue, Somerset House,  
London, May 9, 1870.

### Bishop Stortford Union.—Parish of Sawbridgeworth.

To the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Sawbridgeworth, in the county of Hertford;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

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

And whereas at a meeting of the Vestry of the said parish of Sawbridgeworth, held at the Police Station in the said parish, after public notice in that behalf, on Thursday, the 3rd day of March last, it was resolved, that the Churchwardens of the said parish should apply to the Poor Law Board for an Order to put in force so much of the statute hereinafter described as applies to the providing of a Vestry Room in the said parish.

And whereas the Churchwardens of the said parish have made their application, in writing, to

the Poor Law Board, pursuant to the above resolution.

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

ARTICLE I.—That so much of the Act passed in the fourteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty, intituled “An Act to prevent the holding of Vestry or other Meetings in Churches, and for regulating the Appointment of Vestry Clerks,” as relates to the providing of a room for the purpose of holding any Vestry or other Meetings for the transaction of any business of, or relating to, the said parish of Sawbridgeworth, shall forthwith be applied to, and be put in force within the said parish.

ARTICLE II.—That a copy of this Order shall be published in the London Gazette.

Given under our hand and seal of office, this twenty-seventh day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

*George J. Göschen*, President.

*H. Fleming*, Secretary.

In the Matter of the Companies Act, 1867, and in the Matter of the Central American Association Limited and Reduced.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition has been presented to the Court of Chancery, for confirming a resolution of the above Company for reducing its capital from £150,000 to £30,000. A list of the persons admitted to have been creditors of the Company on the 15th day of April, 1870, may be inspected at the offices of the Company, No. 4, Westminster-chambers, Victoria-street, in the city of Westminster, or at the office of Messrs. Bischoff, Bompas, and Bischoff, of No. 4, Great Winchester-street-buildings, Old Broad-street, in the city

of London, any time during usual business hours, on payment of the charge of one shilling. Any person who claims to have been on the last-mentioned day, and still to be a creditor of the Company, and who is not entered on the said list and claims to be so entered, must on or before the 2nd day of September, 1870, send in his name and address, and the particulars of his claim, and the name and address of his Solicitor (if any), to the undersigned, at No. 4, Great Winchester-street-buildings, or in default thereof he will be precluded from objecting to the proposed reduction of the capital of the said Company.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

*Bischoff, Bompas, and Bischoff*, of No. 4, Great Winchester-street-buildings, Solicitors for the Company.

In the County Court of Durham, holden at Hartlepool.

In Admiralty.

LIST of the names of persons appointed Assessors for the above-named Court:—

John Coverdale, Hartlepool, Shipowner.  
J. B. Denton, Hartlepool, Shipowner, Shipbuilder, and a County Magistrate.  
George Pyman, West Hartlepool, Shipowner and Broker.  
George Clark, West Hartlepool, Retired Master Mariner.  
V. Richenson, West Hartlepool, Shipowner and Broker.  
W. G. Bennett, West Hartlepool, Shipbuilder.  
Matthew Horsley, Hartlepool, Pilot Master of the Port of Liverpool.  
Joseph Hill, Hartlepool, Shipowner.

*Henry Stapylton*.

Approved—

*Robert J. Phillimore*,  
Judge of the High Court of Admiralty,  
April 27, 1870.

#### COTTON STATISTICS' ACT, 1868.

RETURN of the Quantities of COTTON Imported and Exported at the various Ports of the United Kingdom during the Week ended 5th May, 1870.

	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.
	Bales.	Bales.	Bales.	Bales.	Bales.	Bales.
Cotton imported during the Week ended the 5th day of May, 1870 ... }	8,218	50	17,758	5,983	2,582	34,591
Cotton exported during the Week ended the 5th day of May, 1870 ... }	4,249	3,401	6,549	759	15	14,973

Dated the 6th day of May, 1870.

LOUIS MALLET,  
Assistant Secretary, Board of Trade.



RECEIPTS into and PAYMENTS out of the EXCHEQUER, between the 1st April, 1870, and the 7th May, 1870.

No. 23614.

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REVENUE AND OTHER RECEIPTS.	Budget Estimate for the Financial Year 1870-71.	Total Receipts into the Exchequer from 1st April, 1870, to 7th May, 1870.	Total Receipts for corresponding Period of last Year.	EXPENDITURE AND OTHER PAYMENTS.	Budget Estimate for the Financial Year 1870-71.	Total Issues from Exchequer to meet pay- ments, from 1st April, 1870, to 7th May, 1870.	Total Issues from Exchequer for corresponding Period of last Year.
	£	£	£		£	£	£
Balance on 1st April, 1870 :—							
Bank of England ... ..	—	7,633,761	3,775,717	Interest of Debt ... ..	26,840,000	5,967,653	6,255,743
Bank of Ireland ... ..	—	972,887	931,541	Other charges on Consolidated Fund...	1,320,000	288,126	290,732
		8,606,648	4,707,258	Supply Services voted by Parliament	38,283,000	2,039,258	2,977,020
<b>REVENUE.</b>				Telegraph Service ... ..	360,000	—	—
Customs ... ..	19,300,000	2,006,000	2,212,000				
Excise ... ..	21,660,000	2,076,000	1,959,000				
Stamps ... ..	8,589,000	955,000	1,027,000				
Taxes ... ..	2,850,000	450,000	849,000				
Income Tax ... ..	6,350,000	527,000	1,319,000				
Post Office ... ..	4,775,000	40,000	180,000				
Telegraph Service ... ..	675,000	50,000	—				
Crown Lands ... ..	385,000	—	—				
Miscellaneous ... ..	3,050,000	244,765	203,858				
Revenue ... ..	£67,634,000	6,348,765	7,749,858	Expenditure ... ..	£67,303,000	8,295,037	9,523,495
Total, including Balance ...		14,955,413	12,457,116	<b>OTHER PAYMENTS.</b>			
<b>OTHER RECEIPTS.</b>				Advances, under various Acts, issued from the Exchequer		97,240	66,050
Advances, under various Acts, repaid to the Exchequer		368,597	265,383	Expenses of Fortifications ... ..		—	—
Money raised for Fortifications ... ..		—	—	Exchequer Bonds and Bills, &c., paid off ... ..		—	1,000,000
Money raised by Exchequer Bonds ... ..		—	—	Surplus Income applied to reduce Debt... ..		63,746	—
Temporary Advances not repaid ... ..		—	—				
Totals ... ..		£15,324,010	12,722,499	Balances on 7th May, 1870:—		8,456,023	10,589,545
				{ Bank of England		6,051,553	1,619,360
				{ Bank of Ireland...		816,434	513,594
				Totals ... ..		£15,324,010	12,722,499

Treasury, 10th May, 1870.

THE LONDON GAZETTE, MAY 10, 1870.

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## COTTON STATISTICS' ACT, 1868.

RETURN showing the Quantities of COTTON in Stock, the Quantities Imported, Exported, and Forwarded Inland for Consumption.

	American.		Brazilian.		East Indian.		Egyptian.		Miscellaneous.		TOTAL.	
	Bales.	Cwts.	Bales.	Cwts.	Bales.	Cwts.	Bales.	Cwts.	Bales.	Cwts.	Bales.	Cwts.
Cotton in stock on the 31st day of March, 1870 ... }	241,788	963,622	67,836	97,355	178,536	451,311	44,353	177,654	11,798	94,874	544,311	1,784,816
Cotton imported during the month of April, 1870 ... }	220,161	857,055	35,469	53,203	85,123	275,368	9,812	46,256	9,468	28,742	360,033	1,260,624
Cotton forwarded from inland towns to ports during the month of April, 1870 ... }	399	1,558	38	53	54	293	111	480	38	2,398*	640	5,282
Total ... }	462,348	1,822,235	103,343	150,611	263,713	726,972	54,276	224,390	21,304	126,514	904,984	3,050,722
Cotton exported during the month of April, 1870 ... }	8,631	33,599	4,414	6,621	34,462	108,113	173	815	219	664	47,899	149,812
Cotton forwarded inland for consumption during the month of April, 1870 ... }	135,189	518,176	22,109	34,339	61,256	197,677	13,255	59,895	3,908	10,463	235,717	820,550
Total ... }	143,820	551,775	26,523	40,960	95,718	305,790	13,428	60,710	4,127	11,127	283,616	970,362
Cotton in stock on the 30th day of April, 1870 ... }	318,528	1,270,460	76,820	109,651	167,995	421,182	40,848	163,680	17,177	115,387	621,368	2,080,360
Total Imports during the first four months of 1870 ... }	729,206	2,838,693	146,329	219,492	205,275	654,858	72,300	340,841	38,993	118,370	1,192,103	4,172,254
Total Exports during the first four months of 1870 ... }	31,608	123,043	19,160	28,740	141,733	444,304	927	4,368	4,175	12,672	197,603	613,127

Dated the 7th day of May, 1870.

\* Pickings.

LOUIS MALLET, Assistant Secretary, Board of Trade.

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 30th day of April, 1870.

PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
			£
Ashford Bank ... ..	Ashford ...	Jemmett, Pomfret, and Co. ...	11397
Aylesbury Old Bank ... ..	Aylesbury ...	Cobb and Co. ... ..	19389
Baldock Bank and Baldock and } Biggleswade Bank ... ..	Biggleswade ...	Wells, Hogge, and Co. ... ..	16628
Barnstaple Bank ... ..	Barnstaple ...	Marshall and Co. ... ..	2746
Bedford Bank ... ..	Bedford ...	Barnard and Co. ... ..	25190
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank and } Oxford Bank ... ..	Bicester ...	Tubb and Co. ... ..	13307
Boston Bank ... ..	Boston ...	Claypon and Co. ... ..	68399
Boston Bank ... ..	Boston ...	Gee and Co. ... ..	14927
Bridgwater Bank ... ..	Bridgwater ...	Sealy and Prior ... ..	6363
Bristol Bank ... ..	Bristol ...	Miles, Miles, and Co. ... ..	19865
Broseley and Bridgnorth and Bridg- } north and Broseley Bank ... ..	Broseley ...	Pritchard and Co. ... ..	15511
Buckingham Bank ... ..	Buckingham ...	Bartlett, Parrott, and Co. ... ..	17187
Bury and Suffolk Bank, Sudbury } Bank, and Stowmarket Bank ... ..	Bury St. Edmunds	Oakes, Bevan, and Co. ... ..	63617
Banbury Bank ... ..	Banbury ...	J. C. and A. Gillett ... ..	22369
Banbury Old Bank ... ..	Banbury ...	Cobb and Son ... ..	16051
Bedfordshire Leighton Buzzard Bank	Leighton Buzzard	Bassett, Son, and Co. ... ..	28883
Brecon Old Bank ... ..	Brecon ...	Wilkins and Co. ... ..	36816
Brighton Union Bank ... ..	Brighton ...	Hall and Co. ... ..	17116
Burlington and Driffeld Bank ... ..	Burlington ...	Harding, Smith, and Co. ... ..	12530
Bury Saint Edmunds Bank ... ..	Bury St. Edmunds	Huddleston and Co. ... ..	2386
Cambridge Bank ... ..	Cambridge ...	Mortlock and Co. ... ..	15057
Cambridge and Cambridgeshire Bank	Cambridge ...	Messrs. Fosters ... ..	40598
Canterbury Bank ... ..	Canterbury ...	Hammond and Co. ... ..	20824
Carmarthen Bank ... ..	Carmarthen ...	David Morris and Sons... ..	10271
Colchester Bank ... ..	Colchester ...	Round Green, and Co. ... ..	14872
Colchester and Essex Bank, and } Witham and Essex Bank, and } Hadleigh Suffolk Bank ... ..	Colchester ...	Mills, Bawtree, and Co. ... ..	24582
Cornish Bank, Truro ... ..	Truro ...	Tweedy and Co. ... ..	24157
City Bank, Exeter ... ..	Exeter ...	Milford and Co. ... ..	11606
Craven Bank ... ..	Settle ...	Alcocks, Birkbeck, and Co. ... ..	78381
Derby Bank ... ..	Derby ...	W. and S. Evans and Co. ... ..	11779
Derby Bank ... ..	Derby ...	Samuel Smith and Co. ... ..	37604
Derby Old Bank and Scarsdale and } High Peak Bank ... ..	Derby ...	Crompton, Newton, and Co. ... ..	25801
Devizes and Wiltshire Bank... ..	Devizes ...	Locke and Co. ... ..	5265
Diss Bank ... ..	Diss ...	Fincham and Co. ... ..	9124
Darlington Bank, Durham Bank, } and Stockton-on-Tees Bank ... ..	Darlington ...	Backhouse and Co. ... ..	86572
Devonport Bank ... ..	Devonport ...	Hodge and Co. ... ..	5464
Dorchester Old Bank and Dorset- } shire Bank... ..	Dorchester ...	Williams and Co. ... ..	35898
East Cornwall Bank ... ..	Liskeard... ..	Robins, Foster, and Co. ... ..	77050
East Riding Bank ... ..	Beverley... ..	Bower and Co. ... ..	46448

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.				Average Amount.
				£
Essex Bank and Bishop's Stortford Bank	Chelmsford	Sparrow, Tufnell, and Co.	34256	
Exeter Bank	Exeter	Sanders and Co.	18326	
Farnham Bank	Farnham	Knight and Sons	5110	
Faversham Bank	Faversham	Rigden, Hilton, and Co.	5042	
Godalming Bank	Godalming	Mellersh and Co.	5490	
Guildford Bank	Guildford	Haydon and Co.	11058	
Grantham Bank	Grantham	Hardy and Co.	19576	
Hull Bank and Kingston-upon-Hull Bank	Hull	Smith, Brothers, and Co.	19421	
Huntingdon Town and County Bank	Huntingdon	Veasey and Co.	27830	
Harwich Bank	Harwich	Cox, Cobbold, and Co.	4341	
Hertfordshire, Hitchin Bank	Hitchin	Sharples and Co.	27307	
Ipswich Bank	Ipswich	Bacon and Co.	16945	
Ipswich and Needham Market Bank, Suffolk, Hadleigh Bank, Manningtree and Mistley Bank, and Woodbridge Bank	Ipswich	Alexanders and Co.	47602	
Kentish Bank	Maidstone	Randall and Co.	15666	
Kington and Radnorshire Bank	Kington	Davies and Co.	20796	
Knaresborough Old Bank and Ripon Old Bank	Knaresborough	Harrison and Co.	21311	
Kendal Bank	Kendal	Wakefield, Crewdson, & Co.	43828	
Leeds Bank	Leeds	Beckett and Co.	124068	
Leeds Union Bank	Leeds	W. Williams Brown and Co.	37360	
Leicester Bank	Leicester	T. and T. T. Paget	Not received.	
Lewes Old Bank	Lewes	Whitfield and Co.	29508	
Lincoln Bank	Lincoln	Smith, Ellison, and Co.	93232	
Llandovery Bank, Lampeter Bank, and Llandilo Bank	Llandovery	D. Jones and Co.	21004	
Loughborough Bank	Loughborough	Middleton, Cradock and Co.	6905	
Lymington Bank	Lymington	St. Barbe and Co.	3003	
Lynn Regis and Lincolnshire Bank	Lynn Regis	Gurneys and Co.	25754	
Lynn Regis and Norfolk Bank	Lynn Regis	Jarvis and Co.	10812	
Macclesfield Bank	Macclesfield	Brocklehurst and Co.	11226	
Manningtree Bank	Manningtree	Nunn and Co.	4789	
Merionethshire Bank	Dolgelly	Williams and Son	5598	
Miners' Bank	Truro	Willyams and Co.	17160	
Monmouth Old Bank	Monmouth	Bromage and Co.	3120	
Newark Bank	Newark	Godfrey and Riddell	18604	
Newark and Sleaford Bank, and Sleaford and Newark Bank	Sleaford	Handley, Peacock, and Co.	40806	
Newbury Bank	Newbury	Bunney, Slocock, and Co.	12111	
Newmarket Bank	Newmarket	Hammond and Co.	14056	
Norwich Crown Bank and Norfolk and Suffolk Bank	Norwich	Harveys and Hudsons	48152	
Norwich and Norfolk and Fakenham Banks	Norwich	Gurneys, Birkbecks, & Co.	61387	
Naval Bank, Plymouth	Plymouth	Bulteel, Harris, and Co.	20565	
New Sarum Bank	Sarum	Pinckney, Brothers	5325	
Nottingham Bank	Nottingham	Samuel Smith and Co.	27916	

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.				Average Amount.
				£
Oswestry Bank and Oswestry Old Bank	Oswestry	...	Croxon and Co. ...	9980
Oxford Old Bank ...	Oxford	...	Parsons and Co. ...	32118
Old Bank, Tonbridge, Tonbridge and Tonbridge Wells, Old Bank, Ton- bridge and Tonbridge Wells and Sevenoaks Bank ...	Tonbridge	...	H. S., T., and A. T. Beeching...	9435
Oxfordshire Witney Bank ...	Witney	...	J. W. Clinch and Sons ...	6769
Pease's Old Bank, Hull, the Hull Old Bank and Beverley Bank	Hull	...	Peases and Co. ...	47947
Penzance Bank ...	Penzance	...	Batten and Co. ...	5983
Pembrokeshire Bank ...	Haverfordwest	...	J. and W. Walters ...	9907
Reading Bank ...	Reading	...	Simonds and Co. ...	21811
Reading Bank ...	Reading	...	Stephens, Blandy, and Co. ...	22526
Richmond Bank ...	Richmond	...	Roper and Co. ...	6687
Royston Bank ...	Royston	...	Fordham and Co. ...	9537
Rye Bank ...	Rye	...	Curteis, Pomfret, and Co....	8330
Saffron Walden and North Essex Bank	Saffron Walden	...	Gibson, Tuke, and Co. ...	17913
Salop Bank ...	Shrewsbury	...	Burton, Lloyd, and Co. ...	7947
Scarborough Old Bank ...	Scarborough	...	Woodall and Co. ...	21983
Shrewsbury Old Bank and Shrews- bury and Ludlow Bank ...	Shrewsbury	...	Rocke, Eyton, and Co. ...	26065
Sittingbourne and Milton Bank ...	Sittingbourne	...	Vallance and Co. ...	2322
Southampton Town and County Bank	Southampton	...	Maddison, Atherley, and Co. ...	10685
Southwell Bank ...	Southwell	...	Wylde and Co. ...	11478
Stamford and Rutland Bank ...	Stamford	...	Eaton, Cayley, and Co. ...	18759
Shrewsbury and Welsh Pool Bank ...	Shrewsbury	...	Beck, Downward, and Co. ...	23210
Taunton Bank ...	Taunton	...	H. R., H. J., and D. Badcock ...	18189
Tavistock Bank ...	Tavistock	...	Gill, Sons, and Co. ...	8021
Thornbury Bank ...	Thornbury	...	Harwood and Co. ...	7965
Tiverton and Devonshire Bank ...	Tiverton...	...	Dunsford and Co. ...	8888
Thrapston and Kettering Bank, Northamptonshire ...	Thrapston	...	Eland and Elands ...	10347
Tring Bank and Chesham Bank ...	Tring	...	Butcher and Sons ...	13068
Towcester Old Bank... ..	Towcester	...	Mercer and Co. ...	4993
Union Bank, Cornwall ...	Helston	...	Vivian and Co. ...	8016
Uxbridge Old Bank ...	Uxbridge	...	Hull, Smith and Co. ...	8494
Wallingford Bank ...	Wallingford	...	Hedges, Wells, and Co. ...	4430
Warwick and Warwickshire Bank ...	Warwick	...	Greenway and Co. ...	19784
Wellington Somerset Bank ...	Wellington	...	Fox, Brothers, and Co. ...	3587
West Riding Bank, Wakefield, and Pontefract Bank ...	Wakefield	...	Leatham, Tew, and Co. ...	41800
Whitby Old Bank ...	Whitby	...	Simpson, Chapman, and Co. ...	13714
Winchester, Alresford, and Alton Bank	Winchester	...	Bulpett and Co. ...	8655
Weymouth Old Bank and Dor- chester Bank ...	Weymouth	...	Eliot, Pearce, and Co. ...	13222
Wirksworth and Ashbourne Derby- shire Bank... ..	Wirksworth	...	Arkwright and Co. ...	31734
Wisbech and Lincolnshire Bank ...	Wisbech...	...	Gurney and Co. ...	36835
Wiveliscombe Bank ...	Wiveliscombe	...	W. Hancock ...	2140
Worcester Old Bank and Tewkes- bury Old Bank ...	Worcester	...	Berwick, Lechmere, and Co. ...	44400
Wolverhampton Bank ...	Wolverhampton...	...	R. and W. F. Fryer ...	7671
Yarmouth and Suffolk Bank, and Halesworth and Suffolk Bank	Yarmouth	...	Gurneys, Birkbeck, and Co. ...	30724
Yarmouth, Norfolk, and Suffolk Bank	Great Yarmouth	...	Sir E. H. K. Lacon, Bt., and Co.	7763
York Bank ...	York	...	Swann, Clough, and Co. ...	36453

## JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.		Average Amount.
		£
Bank of Westmorland ... ..	Kendal ... ..	11813
Barnsley Banking Company ... ..	Barnsley... ..	8815
Bradford Banking Company ... ..	Bradford ... ..	49364
Bilston District Banking Company ... ..	Wolverhampton... ..	8232
Bank of Whitehaven Limited ... ..	Whitehaven ... ..	27869
Bradford Commercial Banking Company ... ..	Bradford... ..	20506
Burton, Uttoxeter, and Ashbourn Union Banking Company ... ..	Burton-upon-Trent ... ..	53142
Chesterfield and North Derbyshire Banking Company ... ..	Chesterfield ... ..	9547
Cumberland Union Banking Company Limited ... ..	Carlisle ... ..	35158
Coventry and Warwickshire Banking Company ... ..	Coventry ... ..	14569
Coventry Union Banking Company ... ..	Coventry ... ..	13946
County of Gloucester Banking Company ... ..	Cheltenham ... ..	101299
Carlisle and Cumberland Banking Company ... ..	Carlisle ... ..	26359
Carlisle City and District Bank ... ..	Carlisle ... ..	19878
Dudley and West Bromwich Banking Company ... ..	Dudley ... ..	30381
Derby and Derbyshire Banking Company ... ..	Derby ... ..	19224
Darlington District Joint Stock Banking Company ... ..	Darlington ... ..	26283
Gloucestershire Banking Company ... ..	Gloucester ... ..	142147
Halifax Joint Stock Bank ... ..	Halifax ... ..	17020
Huddersfield Banking Company ... ..	Huddersfield ... ..	35745
Hull Banking Company ... ..	Hull ... ..	26972
Halifax Commercial Banking Company Limited ... ..	Halifax ... ..	13692
Halifax and Huddersfield Union Banking Company ... ..	Halifax ... ..	38856
Helston Banking Company ... ..	Helston ... ..	1496
Knarborough and Claro Banking Company ... ..	Knarborough ... ..	26419
Lancaster Banking Company ... ..	Lancaster ... ..	62172
Leicestershire Banking Company ... ..	Leicester... ..	61994
Lincoln and Lindsey Banking Company ... ..	Lincoln ... ..	49736
Leamington Priors and Warwickshire Banking Company ... ..	Leamington Priors ... ..	12316
Ludlow and Tenbury Bank ... ..	Ludlow ... ..	10290
Moore and Robinson's Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited ... ..	Nottingham ... ..	30042
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company ... ..	Nottingham ... ..	28407
North Wilts Banking Company ... ..	Melksham ... ..	40570
Northamptonshire Union Bank ... ..	Northampton ... ..	56807
Northamptonshire Banking Company ... ..	Northampton ... ..	21126
North and South Wales Bank ... ..	Liverpool ... ..	64175
Pares's Leicestershire Banking Company ... ..	Leicester... ..	52561
Sheffield Banking Company ... ..	Sheffield ... ..	34625
Stamford, Spalding, and Boston Banking Company ... ..	Stamford ... ..	50976
Stuckey's Banking Company, Bristol Somersetshire Bank, and Somersetshire Bank ... ..	Langport ... ..	320925
Shropshire Banking Company ... ..	Shifnal ... ..	31140
Stourbridge and Kidderminster Banking Company ... ..	Stourbridge ... ..	48900
Sheffield and Hallamshire Banking Company ... ..	Sheffield ... ..	22102
Sheffield and Rotherham Joint Stock Banking Company ... ..	Sheffield ... ..	51320
Swaledale and Wensleydale Banking Company ... ..	Richmond ... ..	52917
Wolverhampton and Staffordshire Banking Company ... ..	Wolverhampton... ..	20930
Wakefield and Barnsley Union Bank ... ..	Wakefield ... ..	14586

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.							Average Amount.
							£
Whitehaven Joint Stock Banking Company	...	...	Whitehaven	...	...	...	26859
West of England and South Wales District Bank	...	...	Bristol	...	...	...	71375
Wilts and Dorset Banking Company	...	...	Salisbury	...	...	...	75375
West Riding Union Banking Company	...	...	Huddersfield	...	...	...	32881
Whitchurch and Ellesmere Banking Company	...	...	Whitchurch	...	...	...	5016
Worcester City and County Banking Company Limited	...	...	Worcester	...	...	...	175
York Union Banking Company	...	...	York	...	...	...	67550
York City and County Banking Company	...	...	York	...	...	...	89485
Yorkshire Banking Company	...	...	Leeds	...	...	...	115086

W. W. DALBIAC, Registrar of Bank Returns.

Inland Revenue Office, May 7, 1870.

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 7th May, 1870.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	75,750	3	43	3
Barley	5,100	0	34	2
Oats	3,283	7	23	1

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1866 to 1869.

Corresponding Week in	QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICES.					
	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.			
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	s.	d.		
1866	59,964	1	6,441	0	1,987	2	45	9	36	4	24	10
1867	62,433	5	5,508	4	3,607	4	64	9	38	11	25	10
1868	39,863	6	3,487	3	4,101	1	74	7	43	8	28	4
1869	60,786	2	2,745	6	2,488	5	44	2	40	2	26	9

Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade,  
May 9, 1870.

A. W. FONBLANQUE,  
Comptroller of Corn Returns.

## 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 7th May, 1870.

	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 ... ..	262,650	57,987	63,928	384,565	5,128	19,178	24,306
Barley ... ..	144,028	32,101	11,115	187,244	119	...	119
Oats... ..	284,850	2,783	2,894	240,527	1,312	346	1,658
Rye ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pease ... ..	34,246	14,624	...	48,870	102	440	542
Beans ... ..	22,236	944	...	23,174	...	800	800
Indian Corn ... ..	88,432	...	19,426	107,858	...	440	440
Buckwheat ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Beer or Bigg ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total of Corn (ex- clusive of Malt)... }	786,436	108,439	97,363	992,238	6,661	21,204	27,865
Wheatmeal or Flour	38,202	30,109	2,315	70,626	422	664	1,086
Barley Meal ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oat Meal... ..	10	...	...	10	116	...	116
Rye Meal ... ..	5	...	...	5	...	...	...
Pea Meal ... ..	...	...	...	...	11	...	11
Bean Meal ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Indian Corn Meal ..	220	...	...	220	...	...	...
Buckwheat Meal ...	10	...	...	10	...	...	...
Total of Meal ...	38,447	30,109	2,315	70,871	549	664	1,213
Total of Corn and Meal (exclusive of Malt) ... .. }	824,883	138,548	99,678	1,063,109	7,210	21,868	29,078
Malt (entered by the Quarter) ... .. }	Quarters. ...	Quarters. ...	Quarters. ...	Quarters. ...	Quarters. 1,573	Quarters. ...	Quarters. 1,573

Office of the Inspector-General of Imports and Exports,  
Custom House, London, May 9, 1870.

EDW. BERNARD,  
Inspector-General.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Horton Chapel, situated at Horton, in the parish of Penrice, in the county of Glamorgan, in the district of Gower, being a building certified according to law as a place of religious worship, was, on the 22nd day of April, 1870, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 26th of April, 1870.  
Richd. White Beor, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a separate building, named Zion Chapel, situate in Gam-street, in the town of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, in the district of Swansea, being a building certified according to law as a place of

religious worship, was, on the 2nd day of May, 1870, duly registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to the Act of 6th and 7th Wm. IV., cap. 85.

Witness my hand this 4th of May, 1870.

G. B. Haynes, Superintendent Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Edwin Clark, of No. 5, Westminster-chambers, in the city of Westminster, Civil Engineer, intends to apply by petition, under the 4th section of the Statute 5 and 6 William the 4th, c. 83, to Her Majesty in Council, for a prolongation of his term of sole using and vending his invention for improvements in floating docks, granted to him by



Letters Patent bearing date the 19th day of January, in the 20th year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria. And notice is hereby further given, that the said Edwin Clark intends to apply by Counsel to the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, on the 21st day of June now next, or if the said Judicial Committee shall not sit on that day, at the then next sitting of the said Judicial Committee, for a time to be fixed for hearing the matter of his said petition; and that on or before the said 21st day of June next, notice must be given of any opposition intended to be made to the said petition; and any person intending to oppose the said application must lodge a caveat to that effect at the Council Office, on or before that day.—Dated this 9th day of May, 1870.

*Chas. Morgan*, No. 15, Old Jewry, London,  
Solicitor for the above-named Petitioner.

Patent Law Amendment Act, 1852.

Office of the Commissioners of Patents for  
Inventions.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that—

3749. Philip Pierce, of Wexford, Ireland, Agricultural Implement Maker, has given notice at the Office of the Commissioners of his intention to proceed with his application for Letters Patent for the invention of "improvements in horse or other gearing."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 27th day of December, 1869.

3767. And Carl Wolfgang Petersen, of the City-road, in the county of Middlesex, Master Mariner, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in steam and other life boats and vessels, and in boilers for steam life boats and vessels."

3774. And John Stanton, of No. 13, Clifton-street, Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Gun-lock Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved rebounding safety gun-lock."

3775. And John Henry Johnson, of 47, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the production of cast iron, iron and steel."—A communication to him from abroad by Jean Marie Joseph Charles Du Lin, and Jean Auguste Combe d'Almas, of Paris, in the Empire of France.

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 30th day of December, 1869.

3778. And Augustus Matthiessen, of No. 77, Carlton-hill, St. John's-wood, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new or improved insulating substance for the covering of electric telegraph conducting wires, and for electric telegraph apparatus and insulators."

3780. And Henry 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 electro-magnetic engines."—A communication to him from abroad by Louis Bastet, of the city and State of New York, United States of America.

3784. And Alexander Chaplin, of Lavender-hill, in the county of Surrey, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in steam boilers."

3786. And John Wright, of Rochester, in the county of Kent, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved means of indicating the mileage of cabs and other vehicles, and apparatus connected therewith."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 31st day of December, 1869.

1. And Charles Hodgson, of Richmond, in the county of Surrey, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of compound rivetted bands of iron, steel, or other metal to be used as a substitute for wire ropes, and in the formation of pulleys to be used therewith."

3. And Stephen Holman, of 10, Laurence Pountney-lane, in the city of London, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for hinging, adjusting, and fastening gas retort lids, covers, or doors, and other lids, covers, and doors."

4. And Richard Albert Moll, of 27, Lombard-street, in the city of London, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in suspension tramways or roads."

5. And John Elce, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Machine Maker, and Richard Bond, of the same place, Foreman, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in self acting temples for looms."

9. And Charles Drake, of No. 208, New Kent-road, in the county of Surrey, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of concrete buildings, and in apparatus employed for this purpose."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 1st day of January 1870.

12. And Harry Herbert Cochrane, of the Grange, Stourbridge in the county of Worcester, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus for working signals and switches on railways."

13. And Edwin Knowles, of the firm of Knowles Houghton and Company, of Gomersall, near Leeds, in the county of York, Machine Makers, and George Hartley, of the same place, Mechanic, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in looms for weaving."

18. And William Cockburn the elder, of Glasgow, in Scotland, Veterinary Surgeon, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in horse shoes and in appliances to be worn therewith."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 3rd day of January, 1870.

24. And Thomas Nuttall and Richard Nuttall, both of Walmersley, near Bury, in the county of Lancaster, Manufacturers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in the manufacture of counterpanes, quilts, quiltings, toilettings, and other similar fabrics."

30. And Edward Cottam, of Wimbledon, in the county of Surrey, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery for rolling bars for the manufacture of shoes for horses and other hoofed animals."

31. And Charles Henry Lea, of Stafford, in the county of Stafford, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "a new or improved apparatus to signal trains in foggy weather with self-acting apparatus to communicate and indicate intelligencè to pointsman's cabin or other places."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 4th day of January, 1870.

36. And Charles Henry Westendarp, of 51, Lansdowne-road, Kensington Park, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, and Daniel Dowling, of 85, Kennington-road, in the county of Surrey, Gentleman, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in breech loading rifles."

38. And Edmund Edwards, of 22, Buckingham-street, Adelphi, in the county of Middlesex, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in cocks and valves."

39. And Yates Duxbury, of Hall-i'-th'-Wood Paper Works, near Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Paper Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in machinery used in making paper."

45. And Adonis Nicolas Cristin Gavard, of Boulevard de Strasbourg, No. 23, Paris, France, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved cartridge case for breech-loading fire-arms."

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 5th day of January, 1870.

60. And John Gamgee, of Queen's-road, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, Veterinary Surgeon, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in effecting the preservation of animal substances, and in the production and employment of a new antiseptic."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 7th day of January, 1870.

90. And Benjamin Joseph Barnard Mills, of 35, Southampton-buildings, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in tramways and in vehicles to be run thereon."—A communication to him from abroad by William Judson Addis, of Tanna, in the Presidency of Bombay.

98. 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 the manufacture of sugar."—A communication to him from abroad by Emile Rousseau, of Paris, in the Empire of France.

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 12th day of January, 1870.

291. And Charles William Fuller, of 85, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of bottles intended to contain aerated and other liquids, and in the mode of stoppering the same and other similar vessels."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 1st day of February, 1870.

326. And Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of

"improvements in the construction of knitting machines."—A communication to him from abroad by Henry Von Hartz and Julius Feiss, of Cleveland, State of Ohio, United States of America.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 4th day of February, 1870.

382. And Thomas James Smith, of the firm of Robertson, Brooman, and Company, of 166, Fleet-street, in the city of London, Patent Agents, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved means or apparatus for controlling and guiding the movements of torpedo boats, rams, and other similar vessels."—A communication to him from abroad by John Archibald Ballard, of Bombay, India, Colonel in the Royal Engineers.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 9th day of February, 1870.

427. And John Flear, of Gayton, near Ross, in the county of Hereford, Coachman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved machine or apparatus for clipping horses or other animals."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 14th day of February, 1870.

481. And Richard Hunt, of Scarborough, in the county of York, Hotel Keeper, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved apparatus or receptacle for storing and for withdrawing wine or other liquids, part of which apparatus is also applicable wherever a tap may be required."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 18th day of February, 1870.

669. And William Atkinson Fell, of Troutbeck Bridge, Windermere, in the county of Westmoreland, Machine Maker, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in reaping and mowing machines."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 7th day of March, 1870.

809. And James Murdoch Napier, of York-road, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in apparatus for running or pouring metals, and for moulding and forming the same."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 18th day of March, 1870.

895. And William Bailey, of the firm of William Bailey and Son, of Wolverhampton, in the county of Stafford, Manufacturing Chemists, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in brewing fermented liquors."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 26th day of March, 1870.

927. And George Flashman, the younger, of Dover, in the county of Kent, Upholsterer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of mattresses."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 30th day of March, 1870.

962. And Andrew Ody, of Bristol, in the county of Gloucester, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in weighing machines, and in combining machinery for hoisting and weighing goods."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 2nd day of April, 1870.

1055. And Lionel Weber, of No. 104, Rue Royale, Place du Congrès, in the city of Brussels, Belgium, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in galvanic cells and batteries."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 9th day of April, 1870.

1063. And Robert Wilson, of the firm of Messieurs Nasmyth, Wilson, and Company, of Patricroft, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain improvements in steam and other elastic fluid engines."

1071. And James Howard, of Bedford, in the county of Bedford, Agricultural Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in ploughs."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 12th day of April, 1870.

1096. And William Jesty, of Gosport, in the county of Hants, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in compositions for coating ships' bottoms and other like purposes, also applicable to stone and other building materials."

1098. And William Simpson and Alfred Gardner, both of Ilford, in the county of Essex, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of engines worked by steam or other motive power."

1100. And Alfred Vincent Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Mechanical Draughtsman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the production of metallic alloys of manganese."—A communication to him from abroad by Elliot Savage, of West Meriden, in the State of Connecticut, and Joseph Mayer and Julius Waterman, both of the city and State of New York, United States of America.

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 14th day of April, 1870.

1110. And Thomas White, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in covers for dishes and plates and other articles and vessels."

1113. And Alfred Borgnet, of Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, Manufacturer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the construction of retorts, muffles, pots and furnaces for reducing zinc and other ores."

1114. And Henry Edward Newton, of the Office for Patents, 66, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Civil Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improved apparatus to be employed in the performance of gymnastic exercises."—A communication to him from abroad by William Hanlon, of the city and State of New York, United States of America.

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 16th day of April, 1870.

1135. And Benjamin Joseph Barnard Mills, of 35, Southampton-buildings, in the county of Middlesex, Patent Agent, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in studs or buttons."—A communication to him from abroad by John Braxten Carter, of Hartsville, in the county of Bartholomew,

Jeweller, and William Dudley Knowles, of New Albany, in the county of Floyd, Dealer in Sewing Machines, both in the State of Indiana, United States of America.

1136. And Samuel Cunliffe Lister, Manufacturer, of Bradford, in the county of York, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in weaving silk and cotton velvets."

As set forth in their respective petitions, both recorded in the said office on the 19th day of April, 1870.

1190. And Augustus Morand, of Leeds, in the county of York, Gentleman, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in kilns or ovens, and in apparatus employed therewith, chiefly designed for drying and burning bricks, tiles, and ceramic ware."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 23rd day of April, 1870.

1192. And George Fenwick, of Gateshead-on-Tyne, Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of ropes or cables to be used for telegraphic or other purposes, and in machinery for producing such cables or ropes."

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 25th day of April, 1870.

1202. And Sir William Fothergill Cooke, Knight, of Branksea Lodge, Tooting, in the county of Surrey, and George Hunter, of Aberdovey, in the county of Merioneth, North Wales, Engineer, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in stone-cutting apparatus."

As set forth in their petition, recorded in the said office on the 26th day of April, 1870.

1220. And Robert Henry Kay and Alfred Thomas Richardson, both of Moberly, in the county of Chester, Crape Manufacturers, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in the manufacture of crape."

1225. And Richard Bruno Hamel and James Brower Holden, of Jersey City, State of New Jersey, U. S. of America, have given the like notice in respect of the invention of "improvements in mechanism for transmitting power and increasing the effectiveness of the same."

1227. And Charles William Alden, of Charlestown, of the State of Massachusetts, of the United States of America, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "certain new and useful improvements in pipe wrenches."—A communication to him by one Daniel Chapman Stillson, a person resident at Charlestown aforesaid.

As set forth in their respective petitions, all recorded in the said office on the 28th day of April, 1870.

1252. And William Robert Lake, of the "International Patent Office" Southampton-buildings, London, Consulting Engineer, has given the like notice in respect of the invention of "an improved valve or stop-cock."—A communication to him from abroad by John Cram Chapman, of Cambridgeport, Massachusetts, United States of America.

As set forth in his petition, recorded in the said office on the 2nd day of May, 1870.

And notice is hereby further given, that all persons having an interest in opposing any one of such applications, are at liberty to leave particulars in writing of their objections to such application

at the said Office of the Commissioners, within twenty-one days after the date of the Gazette in which this notice is issued.

Erratum in Gazette of Tuesday, May 3, 1870. 1191. For "Samuel Dyer Tellman," read "Samuel Dyer Tillman."

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Bron Heulog Lead Mining Company Limited.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court of Chancery, was, on the 6th day of May, 1870, presented to the Master of the Rolls, by Abraham Judah Lev, of No. 48, Paternoster-row, in the city of London, Printer, a creditor of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Master of the Rolls, on the 4th day of June, 1870; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Acts, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charges for the same.

*Matthews and Graetham*, of No. 68, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Leeswood Main Coal, Cannel, and Oil Company Limited.

**B**Y an Order made by the Master of the Rolls, in the above matter, dated the 30th day of April, 1870, on the petition of Henry Martin, of Nantwich, in the county of Chester, Gentleman, a contributory in the above-named Company, it was ordered that the above-mentioned Leeswood Main Coal, Cannel, and Oil Company Limited be wound up under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867.

*Churchill and Hordern*, No. 20, Devereux-court, Temple, London; Agents for *Finchett - Maddock, Moss, and Sharp*, No. 14, Abbey-square, Chester, Solicitors for the Petitioner.

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Great Oceanic Telegraph Company Limited.

**B**Y an Order made by the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins in the above matters, dated the 29th day of April, 1870, on the petition of Alfred Head Baily, of No. 3, Royal Exchange-buildings, Cornhill, in the city of London, Printer, Stationer, and Advertising Agent, a creditor of the above-named Company, it was ordered that the Great Oceanic Telegraph Company Limited be wound up by this Court, under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1862 and 1867; and it was ordered that the petitioner be allowed his costs of and relating to this application out of the estate of the said Company to be taxed by the Taxing Master.

*John Tucker*, of No. 28, Saint Swithin's-lane, London, Solicitor for the said Petitioner.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Herne Bay Pier Company.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the Vice-Chancellor Sir Richard Malins has fixed the 26th day of May, 1870, at twelve o'clock at noon, at his chambers, No. 3, Stone-buildings, Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, as the time and place for the appointment of an Official Liquidator of the above-named Company.

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and of the National Provincial Life Assurance Society.

**T**HE Vice-Chancellor Sir William Milbourne James has, by an Order, dated the 22nd day of March, 1870, appointed Mr. John Young, of No. 16, Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, Accountant, to be Official Liquidator of the above-named Company.—Dated this 9th day of May, 1870.

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Anchor Assurance Company.

**T**HE Vice-Chancellor Sir William Milbourne James has, by an Order, dated the 26th day of April, 1870, appointed Samuel Lowell Price, of No. 13, Gresham-street, in the city of London, Public Accountant, to be Official Liquidator of the above-named Company.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

In Chancery.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867, and in the Matter of the Anchor Assurance Company.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Company are required, on or before the 1st day of June, 1870, to send to Samuel Lowell Price, of No. 13, Gresham-street, in the city of London, the Official Liquidator of the said Company, 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; 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 Sir William Milbourne James, situate at No. 11, New-square, 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. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same to the Official Liquidator, at his office aforesaid, within three days from the said 1st day of June, 1870. Friday, the 10th day of June, 1870, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

In the Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster.—Liverpool District.

In the Matter of the Brunswick Steam Saw Mills Company Limited; and in the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1862 and 1867; and in the Matter of the Court of Chancery of Lancaster Act, 1850; and in the Matter of the Court of Chancery of Lancaster Act, 1854.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court of Chancery of the County

Palatine of Lancaster, was, on the 6th day of May, 1870, presented to the Chancellor of the Duchy and County Palatine of Lancaster by Edward Rimmer, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Timber Merchant, and John Rhodes, of Oldham, in the same county, Timber Merchant, creditors and shareholders of the said Company; and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor, on the 18th day of May, 1870; and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to oppose the making of an Order for the winding up of the said Company under the above Acts, should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

Lowndes, Thornely, and Archer, of No. 3, Brunswick-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the Petitioners.

#### CONTRACTS FOR PAINTS, COLORS, VARNISHES, DRY-SALTERY, &c.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, April 27, 1870.

**TENDERS** will be received on Tuesday, the 17th May next, at two o'clock, for

[PAINTS, COLORS, VARNISHES, DRY-SALTERIES, TURPENTINES, &c.

Samples can be seen on and after the 1st May.

Forms of tender containing conditions of contract and all particulars may be obtained at this office.

#### CONTRACT FOR STAVES AND HOOPS.

Contract Department, Admiralty, Whitehall, April 30, 1870.

**TENDERS** will be received on Friday, the 20th May next, at twelve o'clock, for

STAVES, Vistula Hoghead	. 10,000 No.
„ Fiumé, Barrel, long	. 48,000 „
„ „ „ short	. 80,000 „
„ „ „ Heading	. 80,000 „
IRON HOOPS, stout plate	. 111 Tons.
„ „ „ slight	. 16 „

to be delivered at Deptford.

A forms of tender containing conditions of contract and all particulars may be obtained at this Office on application by letter or otherwise.

West Flanders Railways.

No. 61, Moorgate-Street, London, E.C., May 3, 1870.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Dividend Coupon No. 42, at the rate of 5s. 9d. or 7 francs 18½ centimes per share, for the half-year ending 31st December, 1869, and the Coupon No. 35 on the preference shares, at the rate of 5s. 6d. or 6 francs 87½ centimes, will be payable on and after 16th May instant, at the offices of the Company in London and Bruges, and at Messrs. Brugmann, fils, Bankers, in Brussels.

In accordance with Art. 49 of the statutes, the accounts of the Company, with the vouchers in support of them, will be deposited from the 16th May instant, during twenty days at least, at the Siège of the Company, for the inspection of the Shareholders.

By order,  
F. Smith, Secretary.

To the Shareholders of the Boythorpe Stud Farm Company Limited.

Boythorpe Stud Farm Company Limited, Chesterfield, May 3, 1870.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above-named Company will be held at Chesterfield, on Saturday, the 11th day of June next, at three o'clock in the afternoon, to receive the accounts of the Liquidator.

John Naylor, Liquidator.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Wigan and Welsh Coal Company Limited will be held at the offices of Mr. Thomas Bellringer, Solicitor, No. 24, North John-street, Liverpool, on Wednesday, the 15th day of June next, at two o'clock precisely, for the purpose of receiving from the Liquidator appointed to wind up the affairs of the Company, a statement of the progress made in such winding up; and also for the purpose of inspecting the accounts and vouchers of the Liquidator, pursuant to the Joint Stock Companies Acts.—Dated this 4th day of May, 1870.

Frederic Lumby, Liquidator.

St. Austell Co-Operative Flour Mill Company Limited.

**A**T a Half-yearly General Meeting of the Members of the Company, duly convened and holden at Mr. D. Jenkins's Schoolroom, St. Austell, in the county of Cornwall, on Monday, the 10th day of January, 1870, and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting also duly convened and holden in like manner, at the same place, on Thursday, the 27th day of January, 1870, the following resolution was passed and confirmed:—

“That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that a Committee of Liquidators be appointed, consisting of the following gentlemen—Messrs. Lobb, Lilly, Rickard, Wm. Smith, Jos. Smith, Penhall.”

William Jenkin Turner, Chairman.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the New Clive Mining Company Limited will be held at No. 10, Coleshill-street, Birmingham, on Tuesday, the 21st day of June, 1870, at two o'clock in the afternoon, when the Liquidator appointed by the Company for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company and distributing the property will lay before the meeting his account shewing the manner in which such winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and will give any explanation that may be required by the meeting.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

Alfred Keep, Liquidator.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership (if any) hitherto subsisting between the undersigned, John Kershaw and George Joyce, as Builders, at Sheffield, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

John Kershaw.  
George Joyce.

**NOTICE**.—The Partnership hitherto existing between us, Joseph Roberts and Arthur Owen, trading under the name of Roberts and Owen, Grocers and Confectioners, No. 25, Bridge-street, Carnarvon, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts owing to the aforesaid firm; and all debts due to the same, will be paid and received by Arthur Owen, who will carry on the business on his own account.—March 30th, 1870.

Joseph Roberts.  
Arthur Owen

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Jane Farr and Jane Whiting, in the trade or business of Milliners and Dressmakers, carried on by them, at King-street, Stroud, in the county of Gloucester, under the style or firm of Farr and Whiting, has been dissolved by mutual consent, as on and from the 1st day of March last; and that the said trade or business will be continued by the said Jane Whiting on the same premises, in King-street, Stroud aforesaid, who will receive and pay the debts of the dissolved copartnership.—Dated this 4th day of May, 1870.

*Jane Farr.*  
*Jane Whiting.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership which has for some time past been carried on by us the undersigned, John Sidney Smith and Marshall Bruce, Brewers, of Colchester, in the county of Essex, was on the 5th day of May instant, dissolved by mutual consent, and in future the business will be carried on by the said John Sidney Smith on his separate account, and who will pay and receive all debts owing from and to the said partnership in the regular course of trade.—As witness our hands this 5th day of May, 1870.

*J. Sidney Smith.*  
*Marshall Bruce.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, George Lawson the elder and George Lawson the younger, carrying on business together as Corn Merchants, at Preston, in the county of Lancaster, under the style or firm of George Lawson, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Witness our hands this 6th day of May, 1870.

*Geo. Lawson.*  
*George Lawson, jr.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Quick, William Edwards, and Richard Trembath, carrying on business at Crowlas, in the parish of Ludgvan, in the county of Cornwall, as Grocers and General Dealers, under the style or firm of Quick and Company, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to and owing from the late firm will be received and paid by the said Richard Trembath, by whom alone the business will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 5th day of May, 1870.

*Thomas Quick.*  
*William Edwards.*  
*Richard Trembath.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, as Merchants and Commission Agents, in the city of Manchester, under the style of Robert Hinde and Company, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts and liabilities of the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Robert Hinde, by whom the said business will in future be carried on.—As witness our hands this 6th day of May, 1870.

*Thomas Emmott.*  
*Robert Hinde.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Joseph Arthur Beardmore and George William Abraham Salmon, carrying on business as Wine and Spirit Merchants, at Richmond House, Adelaide-terrace, Eastbourne, in the county of Sussex, under the style or firm of Beardmore and Salmon, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. And that in future the said business will be carried on by the undersigned Joseph Arthur Beardmore, who will pay and receive all debts owing by and to the said partnership.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1870.

*Joseph Arthur Beardmore.*  
*George William A. Salmon.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Henry Powney and Joseph Broughton, carrying on business as Elastic Web Manufacturers, at Leicester, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. And that all debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Henry Powney, who will carry on the business in future.—As witness our hands the 6th day of May, 1870.

*Henry Powney.*  
*Joseph Broughton.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, William Marchant and Edward Marchant, carrying on business as Paper Hangers, House Decorators, and General Ironmongers, at Godstone and at Tandridge, both in the county of Surrey, under the style or firm of W. and E. Marchant, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

*William Marchant.*  
*Edward Marchant.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Frederick William Essex and Burton Gibbs, of Nos. 60 and 61, Vauxhall-walk, Lambeth, in the county of Surrey, and late of No. 2, Star-court, Bread-street, in the city of London, Sheepskin Rug and Lapland Boa Manufacturers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

*F. W. Essex.*  
*Burton Gibbs.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership between the undersigned Robert Salmon, George Enos Salmon, and Corba George Chamberlin Sunman, carrying on business in Great Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, as Builders and Carpenters, was this day dissolved by mutual consent, and that the said George Enos Salmon is empowered to receive and pay all debts due to from or by the said copartnership concern.—Dated this 4th day of April, 1870.

*R. Salmon.*  
*G. E. Salmon.*  
*C. G. C. Sunman.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Cottrill, James Belfield, and John Marsh, as Wine and Spirit, and Ale and Porter Merchants, carried on by us at No. 18, York-street, and Vicar-lane, Sheffield, in the county of York, under the style or firm of Cottrill, Belfield, and Marsh, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. And that all debts owing to us or by us in respect of the said partnership will be received and paid by the said Thomas Cottrill and John Marsh, by whom the business will in future be carried on.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

*Thomas Cottrill.*  
*James Belfield.*  
*John Marsh.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership carried on for some time past at Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, by Christopher Valentine Smith and Alfred Thomas Cotterell, under the firm of Smith and Cotterell, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 23rd day of April, 1870.

*Christopher Valentine Smith.*  
*Alfred Thomas Cotterell.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, James Gerrish, Alfred Hugh William Brown, and Edwin Toplis Fox, heretofore carrying on business as Vinegar Brewers, at the Brewery-road, Caledonian-road, in the county of Middlesex, was, as regards the said Edwin Toplis Fox, this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated this 10th day of May, 1870.

*James Gerrish.*  
*Alfred H. W. Brown.*  
*Edwin Toplis Fox.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between Abraham Henry and Charles Adams, as Equestrian Managers and Circus Proprietors, at the city of Norwich and elsewhere under the firm of Henry and Adams, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. And that all debts due and owing to or by the late firm will be received and paid by the said Charles Adams.—As witness our hands this 30th day of April, 1870.

*C. Adams.*  
*A. Henry.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us under the firm of Easton Brothers, Builders, Wandsworth, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 25th day of March last.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1870.

*Evans William Easton.*  
*Henry Easton.*  
*James Easton.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore existing between us the undersigned, John Higginbottom and Ralph Higginbottom, as Cotton Spinners, at Woodside Mill, Wirksmoor, within the township of Disley, in the county of Chester, was dissolved by mutual consent, as and from the 12th day of March now last past. The said John Higginbottom and Ralph Higginbottom will each in future carry on business at Woodside Mill aforesaid on his own account; and all debts due and owing from and to the said late firm will be paid and received by the said Ralph Higginbottom.—Dated this 29th day of April, 1870.

*John Higginbottom.*  
*Ralph Higginbottom.*

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Thomas Short Carrall and Charles Taylor, under the style or firm of Carrall and Co., as Steam Ship Agents and General Commission Agents, at No. 41, Seething-lane, in the city of London, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—As witness our hands this 2nd day of May, 1870.

*Thos. S. Carrall.  
Charles Taylor.*

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, William Thomas Pilditch and Thomas Clench Gallop, under the style or firm of W. Pilditch and Co., as Wholesale and Retail Marine Store Dealers, at the North Quay, in the borough of Plymouth, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated Plymouth the 4th day of May, 1870.

*W. T. Pilditch.  
Thos. C. Gallop.*

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, Benjamin Mayfield and Albert Mayfield, carrying on business as Engravers and Enamellers, at No. 28, Northampton-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, under the style or firm of Benjamin Mayfield and Son, is this day dissolved by mutual consent; and that the business will henceforth be carried on by the said Albert Mayfield alone, by whom all debts will be received and paid.—Dated this 29th day of March, 1870.

*Benjamin Mayfield.  
Albert Mayfield.*

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, Frederic Delbreil and Henri Audoyer, under the style or firm of Delbreil, Audoyer, and Co., as Commission Agents, at No. 83, Lombard-street, London, has been dissolved by mutual consent, as from the 1st day of May, 1870.—Dated the 5th day of May, 1870.

*Fic. Delbreil.  
Henri Audoyer.*

[Extract from the Edinburgh Gazette of May 6, 1870.]

**THE** Copartnership business of Sugar Merchants, carried on by the Subscribers, the sole Partners thereof, in Glasgow, under the firm of James Christie & Company, and in Edinburgh under the firm of Bowe & Christie, was dissolved upon the 30th day of November, 1869, by the retirement of the said James Bowe.

From said date the business will be carried on as hitherto by the said James Christie for his own behoof.

*James Bowe.  
Jas. Christie.*

THOS. M'LAREN, S.S.C., Edinburgh, Witness.  
ARTHUR LEAHY, Clerk to the said Thomas M'Laren, Witness.

**JOHN STEELE GATEHOUSE**, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament, 22nd and 23rd Vict., chap. 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 John Steele Gatehouse, of Emsworth, in the county of Southampton, Brewer, deceased (who died on or about the 8th day of December, 1849, and whose will was proved in the Prerogative Court of Canterbury on the 16th day of March, 1850, by George Kennett, since deceased, and Thomas Gatehouse, the executors in the said will named), are hereby required, on or before the 1st day of June next, to send to me, at my office in Chichester, in the county of Sussex, particulars of their debts, claims, or demands upon or against the estate of the said testator, at the expiration of which time the said surviving executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which the said executors or executor shall then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

M. J. SOWTON, Chichester, Solicitor to the surviving Executor.

**CHARLOTTE HILL REYNOLDS**, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament, 22nd and 23rd Vict., chap. 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 Charlotte Hill Reynolds, formerly of No. 50, New-cross-road, in the county of Kent, Widow, deceased, who died on the 4th day of March, 1870, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 5th day of May, 1870, by Alfred Reynolds and Matilda Reynolds, the executor and executrix thereof,

are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of such claims and demands to the undersigned Messrs. Hawks, Willmott, and Stokes, the Solicitors to the said executors, at their office, No. 82, High-street, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, on or before the 6th day of June, 1870, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the testator among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they may then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

HAWKS, WILLMOTT, and STOKES, Solicitors to the said Executors.

**JOHN MEESON PARSONS**, Esq., Deceased.

Pursuant to an 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 claims or demands against or upon the estate of John Meeson Parsons, formerly of Anglesey Park, in the county of Kent, and of Raymond-buildings, Gray's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, and late of No. 45, Russell-square, in the said county, Esquire, deceased (who died on the 26th day of March, 1870 and whose will with a codicil thereto was duly proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 4th day of May, 1870, by Frederick Harrison, Lawrence Harrison, Charles Edward Jones, and Thomas George Dixon, Esquires, four of the executors named in the said will and codicil), are hereby required on or before the 1st day of July, 1870, to send particulars of such their debts, claims, or demands to Messrs. Young, Jones, Roberts, and Hale, of No. 2, Saint Mildred's-court, Poultry, in the city of London, the Solicitors of the said executors; and notice is hereby also given, that after the said 1st day of July, 1870, the assets of the said testator, John Meeson Parsons, will be distributed amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said executors shall then have notice; and that the said executors will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debts, claims, or demands they shall not have received notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 10th day of May, 1870.

YOUNG, JONES, ROBERTS, and HALE, No. 2, Saint Mildred's-court, Poultry, London, E.C., Solicitors to the said Executors.

**WILLIAM GRAY**, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic. 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 William Gray, late of Ancoats, within Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Millwright (who died on the 23rd day of August, 1863, and to whose estate and effects letters of administration (with the will annexed) were granted by the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 16th day of April, 1870, to James Aitken, of Ancoats aforesaid, Joiner, and Thomas Lugton, of the Land-o'-Cakes Inn, Great Ancoats-street, Ancoats aforesaid, Publican, the executors of the will and codicil of Isabella Gray, Widow, deceased, whilst living the relict of the said William Gray, deceased, and the universal legatee named in his said will), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their respective claims or demands to us the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said administrators (with the will annexed) at our offices, No. 62A, Lower King-street, in Manchester aforesaid, on or before Saturday, the 11th day of June, 1870. And notice is hereby further given, that after that day the said administrators (with the will annexed) will proceed to distribute the assets of the said William Gray, deceased, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and the said administrators (with the will annexed) will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

BRETT, HANKINSON, and CO., Solicitors to the said Administrators (with the will annexed).

**ISABELLA GRAY**, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic., 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 Isabella Gray, late of Ancoats, in the city of Manchester, Widow (who died on the 21st day of June, 1869, and whose will, with a codicil thereto, was duly proved in the District Registry at Manchester attached

to Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 13th day of July, 1869, by James Aitken, of Ancoats aforesaid, Joiner, and Thomas Lugton, of the Land-o'-Cakes, in Great Ancoats-street, Ancoats aforesaid, Publican, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their respective claims or demands to us the undersigned, the Solicitors of the said executors at our offices, No. 62A, Lower King-street, in Manchester aforesaid, on or before Saturday, the 11th day of June, 1870; and notice is hereby further given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Isabella Gray, deceased, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall not then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof, so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

BRETT, HANKINSON, and CO., Solicitors to the said Executors.

ROBERT DALE, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic., 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 or demand upon or against the estate of Robert Dale, late of Thorpe-next-Norwich, otherwise Thorpe St. Andrew, in the county of Norfolk, Timber Merchant, deceased (who died on the 5th day of March, 1870, and whose will was proved in the District Registry attached to Her Majesty's Court of Probate, at Norwich, on the 26th day of April, 1870, by William Houghton Clabburn, of the city of Norwich, Manufacturer, and Henry Ling, of the same city, Gentleman, the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send, in writing, to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executors, at my office undermentioned, particulars of their respective claims or demands, on or before the 24th day of June, 1870, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator, having regard only to the debts, claims, or demands of which they may then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall not have had notice at the time of such distribution.—Dated this 28th day of April, 1870.

FRED. FOX, Solicitor, Surrey-court, Surrey-street, Norwich.

JOHN BOOTH, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic., 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 claim or demand against the estate of John Booth, late of Macclesfield, in the county of Chester, Joiner and Builder (who died on the 17th day of September, 1852, and whose will was proved in the Consistory Court of Chester, on the 30th day of October, 1852, by John Smith, of Langley-within-Sutton, in the said county, Silk Printer, and Thomas Holder, of Macclesfield aforesaid, Silk Throwster, two of the executors therein-named, and both since deceased), are hereby required to send in the particulars in writing of such claims or demands to me the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of August, 1870, after which day the executors of the survivor of the said John Smith and Thomas Holder, deceased, will distribute the assets of the said John Booth, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, and for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof they will not be liable to any person or persons of whose claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

HENRY HAND, Church Side, Macclesfield, Solicitor to the said Executors.

WILLIAM URRY, Deceased.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Act, 22nd and 23rd Vic., 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 William Urry, late of Louth, in the county of Lincoln, Wheelwright (who died on the 2nd day of July, 1869, intestate, and of whose personal estate and effects letters of administration were on the 20th day of December, 1869, granted by the District Registry of Lincoln, of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, to Jesse Urry, of Market Rasen, in the said county of Lincoln, Basket Maker), are required to send the particulars of such claims and demands to the said administrator, on or before the 1st day of July next, at the expiration of which time the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said William Urry amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which he the said adminis-

trator shall then have had notice; and that he will not be afterwards liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debt or claim he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

ROBT. HEAFORD DAUBNEY, Market Rasen, Solicitor for the said Administrator.

Re THOMAS WILLIAMS, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic., 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 against the estate of the late Thomas Williams, of Carreg-y-Berfedd, Llanfihangel Glyn Myfyr, in the county of Denbigh, Farmer, deceased (who died on the 4th day of June, 1869, at Carreg-y-Berfedd aforesaid, and whose will was proved at St. Asaph, on the 26th day of October, 1869, by Peter Williams, of Carreg-y-Berfedd aforesaid, the sole executor thereof), are hereby required to send to me the undersigned, full particulars of their claims, on or before the 1st day of June next, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute and appropriate the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which he then shall have had notice; and the said executor will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim he then shall not have had such notice. All persons indebted to the said deceased are required to pay the amount of their respective debts to me forthwith.—Dated 2nd May, 1870.

O. DAVIES HUGHES, Temple-buildings, Corwen, Solicitor for the said Executor.

HENRY CROFTS, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vic., 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 Henry Crofts, late of Bloomfield, in the parish of Tipton, in the county of Stafford, Furnace Builder, deceased (who died on or about the 4th day of October, 1869, and whose will was proved by Henry Nicklin, of Smethwick, in the said county, and David Hall, of Bloomfield aforesaid, the executors therein-named, on the 11th day of November, 1869, in the Lichfield District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their claims and demands to the said Henry Nicklin and David Hall, or to the undersigned their Solicitor, on or before the 5th day of July next. And notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among 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 5th day of May, 1870.

JAMES ROUND, High-street, Tipton, Solicitor for the Executors.

Re JOHN VENMAN, Deceased.

Notice to Creditors, Legatees, and others.

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

WHEREAS, John Venman, formerly of Tiverton, and then of Tormoham, in the county of Devon, Gentleman (who died on the 2nd February, 1837), by his will dated 10th June, 1833, gave, devised, and bequeathed all his real and personal estate unto John Beedell, George Voysey the younger therein described, and Elizabeth Venman his wife, upon the trusts therein set forth, including trusts for the division of his residuary estate after the death of his the testator's widow, and his brother Hezekiah Venman among all the children of the said Hezekiah Venman who should attain the age of twenty-one years, and the child or children of any child of the said Hezekiah Venman who should die under that age leaving issue, and probate of the said was granted at Exeter, on the 25th April, 1837, to the said John Beedell, George Voysey the younger, and Elizabeth Venman (afterwards Elizabeth Radford), the executors and executrix named in the said will, all of whom are now dead, and William Radford, of Plymouth, Devonshire, Silk Mercer, is now the sole surviving trustee of the said will, having been appointed in the room of the said George Voysey, deceased. Notice is hereby given, that all creditors of, and other persons having any claims and demands upon or against the said estate of the said John Venman, deceased, and all persons claiming any legacy or interest under the will of the said John Venman, deceased, or any share in his residuary estate, are hereby required to send in their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, and the full particulars of their claims, demands, legacies, and interests together with the nature of the



securities (if any) held by them to the said William Radford, at the office of us the undersigned, Solicitors, on or before the 24th day of June next, at the expiration of which time the said William Radford will proceed to wind up the estate of the said John Venman, deceased, and to apply, distribute, and divide the assets thereof amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, demands, legacies, and other interests of which he shall then have had notice; and notice is hereby further given, that the said William Radford will not be answerable or liable for the estate or assets, or any part thereof, so distributed to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand, legacy or other interest he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of April, 1870.

PHILLIPS and SONS, Princess-square, Plymouth,  
Solicitors to the said William Radford.

Re SAMUEL BINNALL, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vic., 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 debts or claims against or upon the estate of Samuel Binnall, late of St. Martin-street, in the city of Worcester, Builder (who died on the 30th day of October, 1869, and whose will was proved in the Worcester District Registry of the Court of Probate, on the 24th day of December, 1869, by Josiah Baylis, of Park Tavern, London-road, Worcester, Innkeeper, and George Bailey Yapp, of Cradley, in the county of Hereford, Esq., the executors thereof), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts and claims to the said executors, on or before the 9th day of June, 1870, at the expiration of which time the executors will consider all claims excluded, and will proceed to distribute and appropriate the deceased effects and assets for the benefit of the parties entitled thereto under his will, having regard only to the debts or claims of which they shall have notice at the time aforesaid; and will not be liable for the estate and assets so distributed and appropriated to any person or persons of whose debts or claims they shall not at the time aforesaid have had due notice.—Dated this 30th day of April, 1870.

JOSIAH BAYLIS,  
GEORGE BAILEY YAPP,  
Executors.

JOHN REED, Deceased.

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

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors and all other persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Reed, late of Mexbrough, and of Cliff Field House, Swinton, both in the county of York, Earthenware Manufacturer, deceased (who died on the 22nd day of January, 1870, and whose will was proved in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Wakefield, on the 2nd day of May, 1870, by Frances Reed, the widow of the deceased, and the Reverend Henry Ellershaw, of Mexbrough, in the county of York, Clerk in Holy Orders, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims, or demands to the said executors, at the offices of the undersigned, F. L. Harrop, in Swinton aforesaid, on or before the 10th day of August, 1870, at the expiration of which time the said executors will distribute the assets of the said John Reed among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, and demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not, in respect of the said assets so distributed, be liable to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand the said executors shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

FRED. L. HARROP, Swinton, Yorkshire, Solicitor  
to the said Executors.

ROBERT CAPES, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vic., 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, debts, or demands on or against or due from the estate of Robert Capes, formerly of Gray's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, but late of Gainsborough, in the county of Lincoln, Gentleman, deceased (who died on the 12th day of October, 1869, and whose will was proved on the 23rd day of December, 1869, in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate, by Edwin Hough, of Carlisle, in the county of Cumberland, Solicitor, and William Norris, of No. 22, Acton-street, Gray's-inn-road, in the county of Middlesex, Solicitor, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their respective debts, claims, or demands to the said Edwin Hough, at Carlisle aforesaid, or to the said William Norris, at No. 22, Acton-street aforesaid, on or before the 11th day of June, 1870, after which date the said

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Edwin Hough and William Norris will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator Robert Capes, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the debts, claims, and demands only of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for such assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose debt, claim, or demand, or debts, claims, or demands, they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of April, 1870.

WILLIAM NORRIS, No. 22, Acton-street, Gray's-inn-road, London, Solicitor.

JOHANN LUDWIG FRITZ, Deceased.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic., 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 against the estate of Johann Ludwig Fritz, of No. 20, Gloucester-street, Camden Town, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman (who died on the 6th February, 1870, and whose will was proved on 24th February, 1870, in the Principal Registry of the Court of Probate, by Charles Ignatz Klaffenberger and Ferdinand Nitsch, the executors), are required, on or before 11th June, 1870, to send written particulars of their claims to Messrs. Pike and Son, No. 26, Old Burlington-street, in the county of Middlesex, Solicitors for the executors; at the expiration of which time the executors will distribute the assets of the said Johann Ludwig Fritz, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated 7th May, 1870.

PIKE and SON, No. 26, Old Burlington-street,  
Middlesex.

EDWARD ROUSE, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vic., 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 or demand against the estate of Edward Rouse, late of Stourton, in the county of Warwick, Yeoman, deceased (who died on the 25th day of March, 1870, and whose will was proved on the 14th day of April, 1870, in the District Registry at Birmingham of Her Majesty's Court of Probate by John Timms and Edward Rouse, the executors therein named), are required to send particulars, in writing, of such claims or demands to the undersigned, Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 1st day of August next, at the expiration of which time the said executors will distribute the assets of the said testator among 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 afterwards be answerable or liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 30th day of April, 1870.

APLIN and SAUNDERS, Chipping Norton,  
Solicitors to the said Executors.

The Reverend GEORGE JONATHAN QUARMBY,  
Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic., 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 the Reverend George Jonathan Quarmby, deceased, late of the parish of Saint George, Portsea, in the county of Southampton, Clerk (who died on the 2nd day of September, 1869, and letters of administration to whose estate were granted by the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 4th day of May instant to the Reverend James Richard Quarmby, of Goldhanger, in the county of Essex, Clerk), are to send particulars of their debts, claims, or demands to the said administrator, at the office of Messrs. Digby and Son, Solicitors, Maldon, Essex, on or before the 24th day of June next, at the expiration of which time the administrator will proceed to administer the assets of the deceased, having regard to those claims only of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

DIGBY and SON, Maldon, Essex, Solicitors to the  
Administrator.

JOHN RENTON DUNLOP, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act 22nd and 23rd Vic., 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 debts, claims, or demands against the estate of John Renton Dunlop, late of Tweed-street, in the county of the borough and town of Berwick-upon-Tweed, Esq., deceased (who died on the 18th day of April, 1869,

and whose will was proved in the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 28th day of October, 1869, by Philip Whiteside Mac-lagan, of Berwick-upon-Tweed, Doctor of Medicine, and Joseph Brown, of Wooler, in the county of Northumberland, Surgeon, two of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars of such debts, claims, or demands to the undersigned, at his office on the Quay Walls, in Berwick-upon-Tweed, on or before the 6th day of June next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said testator among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to such debts, claims, and demands of which they shall then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of May, 1870.

STEPHEN SANDERSON, of Berwick-upon-Tweed, Solicitor to the said Executors.

**Re ELIZABETH FISHER, Deceased.**

Notice to Creditors and others.

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Session of 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 the creditors and all persons having any claims against the estate of Elizabeth Fisher, formerly of Edmonton, near London, but late of Handsworth, near Sheffield, in the county of York, Spinster, deceased (who died on or about the 25th day of October, 1869, at Handsworth aforesaid, and whose will was proved in Her Majesty's Court of Probate, at the District Registry at Wakefield, on the 3rd March, 1870, by Samuel Fisher and George Credland, the executors therein named), are requested to send in the particulars, in writing, of such claims to me, as the Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 21st day of June next, at the expiration of which time the executors will proceed with the distribution of the funds and assets of the said deceased according to law; and all claims not then sent in will be excluded; and the executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 5th day of May, 1870.

WM. FRETSON, Bank-street, Sheffield, Solicitor to the Executors.

**Mr. JOHN HILL, Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic., 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 or demand upon or affecting the estate of John Hill, late of No. 25, York-street, in the city of Manchester, and of Peel Green, Patricroft, both in the county of Lancaster, Merchant (who died on the 6th day of October, 1869, and whose will was proved in the District Registry at Manchester attached to Her Majesty's Court of Probate, on the 8th day of February, 1870, by Philip Hulme Hill and John Boddan, two of the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, or demands to the said executors, at the offices of their Solicitors, Messrs. Potter and Knight, No. 88, Mosley-street, in the said city of Manchester, on or before the 30th day of June next, after which time the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have received notice; and they will not be answerable or liable for the assets so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

POTTER and KNIGHT, No. 88, Mosley-street, Manchester, Solicitors to the said Executors.

**Colonel CHARES LESLIE, K.H., Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic., 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 Charles Leslie, of Balquhain, late of Fettermeare House, Aberdeenshire, North Britain, of Hassop Hall, in the county of Derby, and of Slindon Hall, in the county of Sussex, Knight of the Royal Hanoverian Guelphic Order, and a Colonel in Her Majesty's Army (who died on the 10th day of January, 1870, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate on the 22nd day of April, 1870, by Charles Stephen Leslie, Esq., Anthony Leslie, Esq., Louis Xavier Leslie, Esq., the Right Honourable Thomas Alexander Baron Lovat, Marquise Constable Maxwell, Esq., and Henry James Stonor, Esq., six of the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their respective claims or demands to us the undersigned, the Solicitors to the said executors, on or before the 30th day of June next, after which last-mentioned day the said executors will

proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims, or demands of which the said executors shall then have had notice; and the said executors will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose debt, claim, or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

CARLISLE and ORDELL, No. 8, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, London, Solicitors for the said Executors.

**HUGH FRASER BROWN, Deceased.**

Pursuant to an Act of Parliament made and passed in the 22nd and 23rd years of the reign of Her present Majesty, 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 or demand upon or against the estate of Hugh Fraser Brown, late of Beauchamp's-court, in the parish of Alcester, in the county of Warwick, Farmer, deceased (who died on the 20th day of February last, and whose will was duly proved in the District Registry of Her Majesty's Court of Probate at Birmingham on the 28th day of April last by Martha Brown, his Widow, and the sole executrix thereof), are required, on or before the 24th day of June next, to send in the particulars of such claims and demands to the said executrix, at Beauchamp's-court aforesaid, who, in default thereof, will proceed to apply and dispose of the assets of the said testator, in manner directed by his said will, having regard to those claims and demands only of which she shall have had notice; and she will not be liable or responsible to any person of whose claim or demand she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 4th day of May, 1870.

JONES and SON, Alcester, Solicitors to the said Executrix.

**PETER THOMAS, Deceased.**

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic., 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 Peter Thomas, formerly of Newlyn, in the parish of Paul, in the county of Cornwall, Mason, deceased (who died on the 15th day of May, 1841, and whose will was duly proved by Frances Thomas, lately deceased, and James Thomas, of Newlyn aforesaid, the executrix and executor therein named, on the 26th day of May, 1841, in the Archdeaconry Court of Cornwall), are hereby required to send in the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to the undersigned, the Solicitors to the surviving executor, on or before the 1st day of July, 1870, at the expiration of which time the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which he shall then have had notice; and such executor will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim or demand he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

BORLASE and MILTON, Penzance, Solicitors to the surviving Executor.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of Joseph Gibbons, deceased, and in the cause of Gibbons v. Gibbons, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Malins, in one lot, by Mr. George Trist, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Auction Mart, Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, on Friday, the 27th day of May, 1870, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely:—

A semi-detached leasehold residence and garden, with possession if desired, being No. 7, St. John's-park-villas, Haverstock-hill, five minutes walk from Chalk Farm Station on the North London Line.

The property may be viewed by cards, and particulars and conditions of sale had of Messrs. Lewin and Co., Solicitors, No. 32, Southampton-street, Strand; and Messrs. Norton, Trist, Watney, and Co., Auctioneers, No. 62, Old Broad-street.

In Chancery.—Harman v. Potterton.  
Pair of Freehold Villa Residences in the best part of the Royal borough of Windsor.

MESSRS. FURBER, PRICE, and FURBER having been appointed by his Honour Vice-Chancellor Malins (the Judge to whose Court this cause is attached), will sell by auction, at the Mart, in Tokenhouse-yard, City, on Thursday, 19th May, at twelve for one o'clock:—

A pair of semi-detached villa residences, known as Nos. 1 and 2, Sussex-villas, Clarence-road, let at rentals producing £77 per annum. The property is situate within five minutes walk of the Great Western Railway, and close to Eton College.

The residences may be viewed by permission of the

tenants, only of whom particulars with conditions of sale may be obtained; as also of J. L. Dale, Esq., Solicitor, No. 8, Furnival's-inn; Messrs. Pilgrim and Phillips, Solicitors, Church-court, Lothbury; at the place of sale; and at the Auction and Estate Offices in Warwick-court, Gray's-inn.

**T**O be sold, by auction, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Pickering v. Minto, with the approbation of the Judge, to whose Court the said cause is attached, by Mr. Nathaniel Easton, the person appointed to sell the same at the George Inn, at Barton-upon-Humber, in the county of Lincoln, on the 30th day of May, 1870, at three o'clock in the afternoon, in five lots.

Valuable freehold estates, situate at Barton-upon-Humber, in the county of Lincoln, comprising the reversion in fee expectant on the death of the plaintiff, now aged about 62 years in two closes of rich tillage land on the road leading from Barton to Barrow. Also five several dwelling-houses and shops, and a tan yard on the Waterside-road. Also a capital messuage or dwelling-house, in Fleetgate. Also a tan yard, in the Back-lane. Also two closes of rich old grass land, in the back lane.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had (gratis) in London, of Messrs. Cunliffe and Beaumont, Solicitors, No. 43, Chancery-lane; Messrs. Coverdale and Co., Solicitors, No. 4, Bedford-row; Messrs. Chester and Urquhart, Solicitors, Staple-inn: and in the country, of Mr. W. H. Goy, Solicitor, Barton-upon-Humber, Lincolnshire; Messrs. Holden and Sons, Solicitors, Hull; Mr. Nathaniel Easton, Auctioneer, Hull; and at the place of sale.

**T**O be sold by auction, pursuant to Orders of the High Court of Chancery, made in the causes of Edmands v. Swift and Wight v. Swift, with the approbation of the Master of the Rolls, by Mr. John Bent, the Auctioneer appointed by the said Judge, at the Talbot Inn, Lench's Bridge, Kingswinford, on Tuesday, the 31st day of May, 1870, at six o'clock in the evening, in one lot.

A flour mill, with vertical steam engine and boiler, machinery, plant, and premises. And also two pieces of land adjoining to (one being at the rear and the other at the front of) the said mill, with a right of way for all purposes over the adjoining wood or gateway to and from the said mill, comprising an area of 400 square yards or thereabouts.

Particulars and conditions may be obtained on application to the Auctioneer; or Mr. Wight, Solicitor, both of Dudley; or Messrs. Palmer, Eland, and Nettleship, No. 4, Trafalgar-square, London; or from any of the following Solicitors, viz.: Mr. Bowen Stafford; Mr. Edwin Smith, No. 2, Cloisters, Temple, London; Mr. Wainwright, Dudley; Messrs. Tucker and Lake, No. 4, Serle-street, Lincoln's-inn, London; Messrs. Homfray and Holberton, Brierley-hill; Mr. Edmund Byrne, No. 3, Whitehall-place, London.

**T**O be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause of Green v. Love, with the approbation of the Vice-Chancellor Sir John Stuart, by Mr. Henry Rice, at the Guildhall Hall Coffee House, Gresham-street, City, on Tuesday, the 24th day of May, 1870, at one o'clock precisely, in one lot:—

A valuable copyhold estate, situate and being Nos. 34 and 35, Church-street, Stoke Newington, Middlesex, with numerous workshops, outbuildings, and extensive gardens in the rear. The whole forms a valuable site for building purposes, having a frontage of about 65 feet to Church-street, by a depth of about 192 feet.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be obtained of Mr. James Neal, Solicitor, of No. 4 and 5, Pinner's Hall, Old Broad-street, City; and of the Auctioneer, No. 2, Adelaide-place, London Bridge.

#### COUNTY COURTS' EQUITABLE JURISDICTION.

Barrow-on-Humber, Lincolnshire.

**T**O be sold by auction, pursuant to a Decretal Order of the Judge of the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Barton-on-Humber, made in a cause of Sewell against Barnaby, by Mr. C. J. Calthorp, at the Six Bells Inn, in Barrow aforesaid, on Wednesday, the 18th day of May, 1870, at six or seven o'clock in the evening, either altogether or in such lots as shall be agreed upon at the time of sale, and subject to conditions:—

All that valuable and well-accustomed freehold messuage or public-house, known as the Six Bells Inn, in Barrow aforesaid, with the coach-house, stables, hayloft, and other outbuildings, yard, and appurtenances thereto adjoining and belonging, as the same are now in the occupation of Mr. Henry Skelton.

And also all those three tenements or dwelling-houses, with the outbuildings and appurtenances thereto belonging, situate on the south of and adjoining to the said public-

house, one of which tenements is now occupied by Mr. Thomas Banks, and the other two are unoccupied.

The property may be seen by permission of the tenants, or as to the unoccupied premises, on application to Mr. Benjamin Barnaby, Veterinary Surgeon, Werlaby; and further particulars may be had on application to Messrs. Nowell and Priestley, Solicitors, Barton-on-Humber.—Dated this 27th day of April, 1870.

By order of the Court,  
ROBT. BROWN, Registrar.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of Francis Tapsell, late of Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Gentleman, deceased, and in a cause Bowler against Tapsell, the creditors of the said Frances Tapsell, who died in or about the month of August, 1864, are, on or before the 10th day of June, 1870, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Anthony Wellington Irwin, of No. 6, Gray's-inn-square, in the county of Middlesex, the Solicitor of the defendants, Frances Tapsell and Alfred Curtis, 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, situated No. 11, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Friday, the 17th day of June, 1870, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

**P**URSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of Mary Pickering, deceased, Pickering v. Pickering, the creditors of Mary Pickering, late of No. 42, Princes-gate, in the county of Middlesex, Widow (who died on the 23rd day of August, 1869), are, on or before Wednesday, the 15th day of June, 1870, to send by post, prepaid, to Messrs. William and Henry Parkinson Sharp, of No. 92, Gresham House, Old Broad-street, in the city of London, the Solicitors of the defendant, Arthur Proctor Pickering, the executor 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 John Stuart, at his chambers, No. 12, Old-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Saturday, the 25th day of June, 1870, at twelve of the clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

**P**URSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a cause Mirehouse against Mirehouse, the creditors of the Reverend William Mirehouse, late of Hambrook-grove, Winterbourne, in the county of Gloucester, Clerk, who died in or about the month of March, 1864, are, on or before the 4th day of June, 1870, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. Lewis Fry, of Bristol, a member of the firm of Messrs. Fry and Otter, the Solicitors for the plaintiff, Eliza Brunetta Mirehouse, the surviving executor of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, and the Christian and surnames of any partner or partners, their 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 Milbourne James, at his chambers, situated No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on Friday, the 10th day of June, 1870, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

**P**URSUANT to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of William Rushton, and in a cause John Rushton and others against Bethia Booth Snelson, Widow, the creditors of William Rushton, late of Cheadle, in the county of Chester, Yeoman, who died in or about the month of February, 1867, are, on or before the 6th day of June, 1870, to send by post, prepaid, to Mr. John Latham, of Congleton, in the county of Chester, the Solicitor of the defendant, their Christian and surnames, in full, their addresses and descriptions, with the Christian and surnames, in full, of any partner or partners, and 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 James, at his chambers, No. 11, New-square, Lincoln's-inn, Middlesex, on the 16th day of June,

1870, at twelve o'clock at noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the claims.—Dated this 9th day of May, 1870.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that the trustees under the deed of assignment, dated the 12th day of November, 1869, made by John Huck and Martin Bownass, both of Blackburn, in the county of Lancaster, Cotton Manufacturers and Copartners, trading under the firm of Bownass and Huck, for the benefit of their creditors, and which assignment was duly registered in the Court of Bankruptcy, intend, on the 24th day of May, 1870, or as soon thereafter as conveniently may be, to declare a Dividend thereunder on the joint estate of the said debtors; and all creditors are requested, on or before that date, to send particulars of their claims to Messrs. Broome, Murray, and Co., Accountants, No. 104, King-street, Manchester, or to the undersigned M. Bateson Wood, the Solicitor to the trustees in the matter of the said assignment, or in default thereof they will be excluded from such Dividend.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

M. BATESON WOOD, No. 10, Princess-street, Manchester.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a meeting of the creditors of the joint and separate estates of Samuel Hare, of New Wortley, in the parish of Leeds, in the county of York, Grocer, Richard Atkinson, of Kirkstall, in the said county, Cloth Drawer, and James Hare, of New Wortley aforesaid, Warehouseman, carrying on business at New Wortley aforesaid, and also at Castleford, in the said county, as Grocers and Tea Dealers, under the style or firm of Hare Brothers, who by Deed bearing date the 9th day of June, 1869, conveyed all their estate and effects to trustees to be applied and administered for the benefit of the creditors of the said Samuel Hare, Richard Atkinson, and James Hare, in like manner as if they had been adjudged bankrupt, will be held on the 20th day of May, 1870, at ten o'clock A.M., at my offices, No. 15, Park-row, in Leeds aforesaid; when and where the trustees 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 said joint and separate estates shall be divided amongst the said creditors. And all creditors who have not already executed or assented to the said deed are required to do so at or before the said meeting.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

JAMES RIDER, Solicitor to the Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of the creditors of George Craik McCraith, of Bridgend, in the county of Glamorgan, Travelling Draper.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a meeting for the purpose of Auditing the Accounts and declaring a Dividend under the above estate, will be held at the offices of Messrs. W. H. Williams and Co., Accountants, Exchange, Bristol, on Monday, the 23rd day of May instant, at one o'clock in the afternoon, on or before which day all creditors who have not assented to the Deed are to prove their debts, or in default will be excluded the benefit of the Dividend about to be declared.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

JAS. GENT. WOOD, No. 19, Clare-street, Bristol, Solicitor to the Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

In the Matter of the Deed of Assignment for the benefit of creditors, executed by William Gregory Biddlecombe, of No. 182, High-street, Southampton, in the county of Hants, Draper.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a meeting of creditors under the 174th section of the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, will be held at the offices of Messrs. Honey, Humphrys, and Co., of No. 28, King-street, Cheapside, London, Accountants, on Tuesday, the 24th day of May instant, at twelve o'clock at noon for the purpose of declaring whether any and what Dividend shall be made. Proofs of debts will also 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 then proved will be disallowed.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

HONEY, HUMPHRYS, and CO.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861, and the Bankruptcy Amendment Act, 1868.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors of George Lowman Lang, late of Crewkerne, in the county of Somerset, Attorney-at-Law, and duly registered, pursuant to the provisions of the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, and the Bankruptcy Amendment Act, 1868.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that Messrs. George Frederic Wills and Hickman Lang, the trustees under the above deed, will, after the expiration of fourteen days from the date of this advertisement, declare a First Dividend on all debts due from the said George Lowman Lang, of which notice shall have been given to the trustees. And notice is

hereby also given, that all persons having debts or claims against the estate amounting to £10 or upwards are required to verify the same by affidavit or statutory declaration, and all persons who have not already furnished particulars of their claims, and (in the case of creditors of £10 pounds or upwards) who have not already verified their claims in manner aforesaid, must forward such particulars and affidavits or declarations respectively to the undersigned, on or before the 21st day of May instant, or they will be excluded from the benefit of the said Dividend.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

EDW. BUDGE, Crewkerne, Somerset, Solicitor to the Trustees.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of creditors, executed by Walter Towner, of Seaford, in the county of Sussex, Draper.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a meeting of creditors under the 174th section of the Bankruptcy Act, 1861, will be held at the offices of Messrs. Honey, Humphrys, and Co., of No. 28, King-street, Cheapside, London, Accountants, on Wednesday, the 26th day of May instant, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of declaring whether any and what Dividend should be made. Proofs of debts will also be received, and creditors who have not proved, or do not then prove, will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend. And all claims not proved will be disallowed.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

HONEY, HUMPHRYS, and CO.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861, and the Bankruptcy Amendment Act, 1868.

In the Matter of a Deed of Arrangement between Edward Stephenson, of the Borough of Kingston-upon-Hull, Corn Merchant, and his Creditors.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a Meeting will be held at the office of Messrs. Carlill and Burkinshaw, No. 4, Parliament-street, Kingston-upon-Hull, on Monday, the 23rd day of May instant, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of auditing the Trustees' Accounts and declaring a First Dividend. The proofs of creditors who have not already proved their debts may be sent to the undersigned or presented at the Meeting.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

FRAS. SUMMERS, No. 1, Manor-street, Hull, Solicitor to the Trustees.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that Henry Savage, of No. 8, Mosley-street, in the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Bookseller and Stationer, has left in the office of the Chief Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy, Quality-court, Chancery-lane, London, an amended list of his debts and liabilities, and a statement of his property and credits, as required by "The Bankruptcy Amendment Act, 1868."—Dated this 9th day of May, 1870.

DOYLE and EDWARDS, No. 2, Verulam-buildings, Gray's-inn; Agents for WM. JOHN JOHNSTON, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said Henry Savage.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Hughes Gilbert (and not Frederick Hughes Gilbert, as erroneously advertised in the last Gazette), of No. 147, Queen's-road, Bayswater, in the county of Middlesex, Timber Merchant.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Lewis, Munns, Nunn, and Longden, No. 8, Old Jewry, in the city of London, Solicitors, on the 25th day of May, 1870, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 10th day of May, 1870.

LEWIS, MUNNS, NUNN, and LONGDEN, No. 8, Old Jewry, London, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Jones, of Tufnell Park-road, Holloway, Middlesex, Builder.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at our offices, St. Clement's House, Clement's-lane, Lombard-street, in the city of London, on the 23rd day of May, 1870, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

DALTON and JESSETT, St. Clement's House, Clement's-lane, Lombard street, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Keep, of No. 117, Newgate-street, in the city of London, Coffee-house Keeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Thomas Beard, Solicitor, No. 10, Basinghall street, City, on the 23rd day of May, 1870, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

THOS. BEARD, Attorney for the said Debtor, Joseph Keep.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Lewis Symons, of No. 340, Hackney-road, in the county of Middlesex, Pawnbroker and General Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the City Arms Tavern, Blomfield-street, Moorgate-street, London, on the 24th day of May, 1870, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

HARRISON PADMORE, Attorney for the said Lewis Symons.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Lewis Norman, of No. 6, Sackville-street, Piccadilly, in the county of Middlesex, Solicitor.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. S. A. Kisch, at No. 11, Wellington-street, Strand, on the 18th day of May, 1870, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 21st day of April, 1870.

S. A. KISCH.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Ashton, of No. 145, Hampstead-road, in the county of Middlesex, Cheesemonger.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 12, Southampton-buildings, Chancery-lane, on the 16th day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 28th day of April, 1870.

JOHN H. LYDALL, Attorney for the said Henry Ashton.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Middlesex, holden at Edmonton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Hayne, of High-street, Tottenham, in the county of Middlesex, Timber Merchant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Chauntler, Crouch, and Spencer, No. 8, Gray's-inn-square, London, on the 24th day of May, 1870, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of May, 1870.

CHAUNTLER, CROUCH, and SPENCER, Attorneys for the said Charles Hayne.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Mathew Tolley, of Croydon, in the county of Surrey, Earthenware Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Hotel, Gresham-street, in the city of London, on the 25th day of May, 1870, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of May, 1870.

WILLIAM LEWIS, No. 7, Wilmington-square, London, Attorney for the said Mathew Tolley.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Guildford.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William King, of No. 113, High-street, Guildford, in the county of Surrey, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my office, No. 1, Lancaster-place,

Strand, on the 20th day of May, 1870, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of May, 1870.

F. FERDINAND SMALLPIECE, No. 1, Lancaster-place, Strand, Middlesex, Attorney for the said William King.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Maidstone.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Francis Shaw Dalison, of Hampton's Cottage, West Peckham, in the county of Kent, Paper Maker, trading as the Hampton's Paper Mills Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Tavern, in the city of London, on the 12th day of May, 1870, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

JOHN R. MONCKTON, No. 1, Raymond-buildings, Gray's-inn, Attorney for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Tonbridge Wells.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Bell, of No. 2, Vale Prospect, Tonbridge Wells, in the county of Kent, Draper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, No. 30, Friday-street, E.C., in the city of London, on the 30th day of May, 1870, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 9th day of May, 1870.

J. C. G. BENNETT, No. 30, Friday-street, E.C., London, Attorney for the said Debtor.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Whittles and Joseph Whittles, both of Bradford-road, in Dewsbury, in the county of York, Woollen Manufacturers, carrying on business under the style or firm of John Whittles and Son.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the King's Arms Inn, in Dewsbury aforesaid, on the 23rd day of May, 1870, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

CHADWICK and SON, Attorneys for the said Debtors.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Whittles and Joseph Whittles, both of Bradford-road, in Dewsbury, in the county of York, Woollen Manufacturers, carrying on business under the style or firm of John Whittles and Son.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named John Whittles has been summoned to be held at the King's Arms Inn, in Dewsbury aforesaid, on the 23rd day of May, 1870, at half-past three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

CHADWICK and SON, Attorneys for the said Debtors.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Whittles and Joseph Whittles, both of Bradford-road, in Dewsbury, in the county of York, Woollen Manufacturers, carrying on business under the style or firm of John Whittles and Son.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Joseph Whittles has been summoned to be held at the King's Arms Inn, in Dewsbury aforesaid, on the 23rd day of May, 1870, at four o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

CHADWICK and SON, Attorneys for the said Debtors.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Allen Bower, of Sheffield, in the county of York, Pawnbroker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Burdakin and Smith, Solicitors, No. 25, Norfolk-street, in Sheffield

aforesaid, on the 19th day of May, 1870, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

BURDEKIN and SMITH, No. 25, Norfolk-street, Sheffield, Attorneys for the said George Allen Bower.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Murgatroyd and Joe Taylor Fisher, of Shipley, in the parish of Bradford, in the county of York, Dyers and Cloth Finishers.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Boar's Head Hotel, in Bradford aforesaid, on the 18th day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of May, 1870.

CHAS. MILLS, No. 36, New-street, Huddersfield, Attorney for the said James Murgatroyd and Joe Taylor Fisher.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Murgatroyd and Joe Taylor Fisher, of Shipley, in the parish of Bradford, in the county of York, Dyers and Cloth Finishers.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the separate creditors of the above-named Joe Taylor Fisher, has been summoned to be held at the Boar's Head Hotel, on the 18th day of May, 1870, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of May, 1870.

CHAS. MILLS, No. 36, New-street, Huddersfield, Attorney for the said James Murgatroyd and Joe Taylor Fisher.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Wakefield. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Braime, of Horbury, near Wakefield, in the county of York, Carpenter and Joiner.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Great Bull Hotel, in Westgate, in Wakefield, in the said county, kept by John Tuting Sweeting, on the 23rd day of May, 1870, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of May, 1870.

JOSEPH STRINGER, Attorney for the said John Braime.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Leeds. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Thompson Lister, of Horsforth, in the county of York, Manufacturer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Benjamin Collett Pullan, situate in Bank-chambers, Park-row, Leeds, in the county of York, on the 23rd day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

BENJ. C PULLAN, Attorney for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Hertfordshire, holden at Hertford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Stephen Alston, of Bishop Stortford, in the county of Hertford, Tailor and Hatter.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Guildhall Tavern, Gresham-street, London, on the 23rd day of May, 1870, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of May, 1870.

B. P. GRIMSEY, Silent-street, Ipswich, Attorney for the said Stephen Alston.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Wigan. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alexander Winward, of No. 73, Standishgate-street, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, Watchmaker and Jeweller.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at No. 1, Church-gate, Market-place, Wigan, on the 24th day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock

in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

WILLIAM S. FRANCE, No. 1, Church-gate, Market-place, Wigan, Attorney for the said Alexander Winward.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Arthur Heelis, Alfred Heather, and William Edward Heather, of No. 70, Deansgate, in the city of Manchester, Commission Agents and Copartners, trading under the firm of Heelis, Heather, and Co.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named persons has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Sale, Shipman, Seddon, and Sale, Solicitors, No. 29, Booth-street, in the city of Manchester, on the 18th day of May, 1870, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of May, 1870.

SALE, SHIPMAN, SEDDON, and SALE, Attorneys for the said Arthur Heelis, Alfred Heather, and William Edward Heather.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Moffat, of Ridgefield, in the city of Manchester, Commission Agent, trading under the firm of Thomas Moffat and Co.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Grundy and Coulson, Solicitors, No. 31, Booth-street, Manchester, on the 18th day of May, 1870, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

GRUNDY and COULSON, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Salford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Watkin, of No. 150, Tatton-street, Regent-road, Salford, in the county of Lancaster, Beerhouse Keeper, and of Cross-lane, in Salford aforesaid, Joiner and Builder.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Walmesley, No. 26, Ridgefield, in the city of Manchester, on the 18th day of May, 1870, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

ALFRED O. WALMSLEY, No. 26, Ridgefield, Manchester, Attorney for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Jesse Firth, of Spotland Bridge, in the parish of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, Brewer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. John Standing, junr., Solicitor, The Butts, Rochdale, on the 17th day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

JNO. STANDRING, Junr., The Butts, Rochdale, Attorney for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Bolton. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Martin, of No. 13, Swan-lane, Derby-street, within Bolton, in the county of Lancaster, Joiner and Builder.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Swan Hotel, Churchgate, within Bolton aforesaid, on the 1st day of June, 1870, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

JOHN GORDON, Attorney for the said William Martin.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Moncrieff Bell, of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Draper.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Thomas Wildman

Barker, No. 14, Clayton-square, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 25th day of May, 1870, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

THOS. W. BARKER, No. 14, Clayton-square, Liverpool, Attorney for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Skea Wilson, of No. 70, Islington, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Tailor and Draper.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. T. and W. Dodge and Phipps, No. 15, Lord-street, Liverpool, on the 24th day of May, 1870, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

T. and W. DODGE and PHIPPS, No. 15, Lord-street, Liverpool, Attorneys for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Burnley. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Robinson, of Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, Auctioneer, Picture-frame Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Francis Hartley, Solicitor, No. 18, Hargreaves-street, in Burnley aforesaid, on the 25th day of May, 1870, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

FRANCIS HARTLEY, Attorney for the said John Robinson.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Oldbury. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Joseph Clarke, of Oldbury, in the county of Worcester, Butcher.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Samuel Henry Forrest, Church-street, Oldbury, on the 20th day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

SAMUEL H. FORREST, Church-street, Oldbury, Attorney for the said Joseph Clarke.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Walsall. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Brewer, of Potter's-lane, Wednesbury, in the county of Stafford, Builder and Timber Merchant.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at my offices, No. 66, Park-street, Walsall aforesaid, on the 23rd day of May, 1870, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

JOHN GLOVER, Attorney for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Burton-on-Trent. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Nixon, of Coppice Side, Church Gresley, in the county of Derby, Shoemaker.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Midland Hotel, in Burton-on-Trent, on the 26th day of May, 1870, at twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

R. A. NICHOLSON, Attorney for the said James Nixon.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Burton-on-Trent. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Andrew James Nixon, of Albert-village, Ashby Works, in the county of Leicester, Butcher.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Midland Hotel, in Burton-on-Trent, on the 26th day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

RD. NICHOLSON, Attorney for the said Andrew James Nixon.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Burton-on-Trent.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Richard Brawn, of Wanfield Hall, in the parish of Kingsione, in the county of Stafford, Farmer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the White Hart Inn, Uttoxeter, in the county of Stafford, on the 23rd day of May, 1870, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

WALTER WILSON, Attorney for the said Richard Brawn.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Staffordshire, holden at Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Samuel Myatt, of Newcastle-under-Lyme, in the county of Stafford, Innkeeper.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Robert Slaney, in Newcastle-under-Lyme, in the county of Stafford, Solicitor, on the 20th day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

ROB. SLANEY, Newcastle-under-Lyme, Attorney for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Knibb, of Windley Pool, Sutton Coldfield, in the county of Warwick, and of Woodlane, Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, Boat Builder and Hirer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Alexander Harrison, Solicitors, No. 8, Edmund-street, Birmingham aforesaid, on the 27th day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

A. HARRISON, Attorney for the said Debtor.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by the Reverend Thomas York, of Hagley road, Edgbaston, in the county of Warwick, Clerk in Holy Orders.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Beale, Marigold, and Beale, Solicitors, No. 30, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, on the 27th day of May, 1870, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

BEALE, MARIGOLD, and BEALE, No. 30, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, Attorneys for the said Thomas York.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Dowell, of No. 19, King Edward's-place, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Box and Ivory Rule Manufacturer.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Acorn Hotel, Temple-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, on the 18th day of May, 1870, at twelve o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 22nd day of April, 1870.

ROBERT HALE FOSTER, No. 48, Paradise-street, Birmingham, Attorney for the said William Dowell.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lincolnshire, holden at Great Grimsby.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Hopkin, of Barton-upon-Humber, in the county of Lincoln, Innkeeper.

**NOTICE** is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the George Inn, at Barton-upon-

Humber aforesaid, on the 12th day of May, 1870, at a quarter-to five o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 2nd day of May, 1870.

HENRY ED. MASON, Whitecross-street, Barton-upon-Humber, Attorney for the said Henry Hopkin.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Ellor Taylor, of the hamlet of Bracondale, in the county of the city of Norwich, Journalist.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. Abel Tillett, No. 8, Saint Andrew's street, in the city of Norwich, on the 23rd day of May, 1870, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

ABEL TILLET, No. 8, St. Andrew's-street, Norwich, Attorney for the said John Ellor Taylor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Bradbury, of No. 41, Saint Mary's-gate, and No. 25, Bruce-grove, in the town of Nottingham, Lace Manufacturer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Thorpe and Thorpe, Solicitors, Thurland-street, in the town of Nottingham aforesaid, on the 24th day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

ROBY L. THORPE, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Nottinghamshire, holden at Nottingham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Yates, of Mansfield, in the county of Nottingham, Clothier.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Thorpe and Thorpe, Solicitors, Thurland-street, Nottingham, on the 27th day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

ROBY L. THORPE, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Bedfordshire, holden at Bedford. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Manz, of Turvey, in the county of Bedford, Confectioner and Baker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Leverton Jessopp, Solicitor, No. 45, Harpur-street, Bedford, on the 23rd day of May, 1870, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

L. JESSOPP, No. 45, Harpur-street, Bedford, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Southampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Albert Taylor, of No. 51, East-street, in the town and county of the town of Southampton, Bootmaker, lately carrying on the business of a Baker, in addition to the said business of a Bootmaker, at No. 56, East-street, in the town and county of the town of Southampton aforesaid.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Joel Emanuel, Solicitor, of No. 5, Austin Friars, in the city of London, on the 14th day of May, 1870, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

WM. A. KILLBY, No. 8, Portland-street, Southampton, Attorney for the said Albert Taylor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Hastings.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Frederick Menage, of No. 48, Robertson-street, Hastings, in the county of Sussex, Boot and Shoe Maker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Second General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Messrs. Lawrence,

Plews, Boyer, and Baker, Solicitors, No. 14, Old Jewry-chambers, in the city of London, on the 16th day of May, 1870, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 3rd day of May, 1870.

FRED. A. LANGHAM, Hastings, Attorney for the said Frederick Menage.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Howse, of Shirehampton, in the county of Gloucester, Draper and Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the offices of Mr. H. H. Beckingham, Solicitor, Albion-chambers, Broad-street, Bristol, on the 24th day of May, 1870, at one o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

H. H. BECKINGHAM, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Carnarvonshire, holden at Bangor.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Edward Williams, of the Railway Hotel, in the parish of Llanfairpwllgwyngyll, in the county of Anglesey, Hotel Keeper, Draper and Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Castle Hotel, Bangor aforesaid, on the 24th day of May, 1870, at two o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

THOS. FOULKES, Bangor, Attorney for the said Henry Edward Williams.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Denbighshire, holden at Wrexham.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Charles Jones, of Holt, in the county of Denbigh, Grocer, Provision Dealer, and Baker.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the County Court Offices, Temple-place, Wrexham, on the 20th day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 4th day of May, 1870.

J. DEVEREUX PUGH, Attorney in the matter of the said Petition.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Birkenhead. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Louis Philippe Cumpston, of No. 6, Beatrice-street, Seacombe, in the county of Chester, late of Walton Park, Walton, and previously of No. 3, Great Mersey-street, Liverpool, both in the county of Lancaster, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. Maurice Nordon, Solicitor, No. 5, Cook-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 20th day of May, 1870, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

M. NORDON, of No. 5, Cook-street, Liverpool aforesaid, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Oxfordshire, holden at Banbury. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by George Wyatt, of Banbury, in the county of Oxford, Nurseryman and Seedsman.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the White Lion Hotel, in Banbury aforesaid, on the 20th day of May, 1870, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

LIONEL S. DRAPER, of No. 25, High-street, Banbury, in the county of Oxford, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Northampton.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by John Ball, of Mears Asby, in the county of Northampton, Tailor, Grocer, Draper, and Butcher.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Midland Hotel, Welling-



borough, in the said county of Northampton, on the 26th day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

R. C. ANDREWS, Brixworth, Northamptonshire, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.  
In the County Court of Cumberland, holden at Whitehaven.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by James Gregson, of Distington, near Whitehaven, in the county of Cumberland, Brewer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Messrs. Lumb and Howson, of No. 143, Queen street, Whitehaven, on the 25th day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

WILLIAM WILKIN LUMB, Attorney for the said James Gregson.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.  
In the County Court of Devonshire, holden at East Stonehouse.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by William Michell, of No. 2, Radnor-place, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Draper and Tea Dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the Globe Hotel, Plymouth aforesaid, on the 24th day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

RICHD. H. DAWE, No. 6, Courtenay-street, Plymouth, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.  
In the County Court of Cambridgeshire, holden at Cambridge.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Alfred Charles Smith, of Station-road, Cambridge, in the county of Cambridge, Baker and Confectioner.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the County Court Office, No. 15, Sidney-street, in the town of Cambridge, on the 20th day of May, 1870, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

HENRY FRENCH, No. 9, Saint Andrew's-hill, Cambridge, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.  
In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesbrough.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Thomas Bradley, of Portrack-lane, Stockton, in the county of Durham, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Mr. John Robert Elstob Hunton, No. 3, Finkle-street, Stockton aforesaid, on the 24th day of May, 1870, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

J. R. ELSTOB HUNTON, No. 3, Finkle-street, Stockton-on-Tees, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.  
In the County Court of Durham, holden at Stockton-on-Tees and Middlesbrough.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Robert Lewis, of the Cambrian Hotel, Portrack-lane, Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, Innkeeper.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a First General Meeting of the creditors of the above-named person has been summoned to be held at the office of Henry John Parrington, Solicitor, No. 1, Ramsgate-street, Stockton-on-Tees, in the county of Durham, on the 23rd day of May, 1870, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

HENRY J. PARRINGTON, Stockton-on-Tees, Attorney for the said Debtor.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.  
In the County Court of Cheshire, holden at Birkenhead.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Abel Llewellyn, of No. 27, Christchurch-road, within Cloughton, near Birkenhead, in the county of Cheshire, General Draper.

UPON sufficient cause this day shown, to the satisfaction of the Court, the General Meeting of Creditors in this matter, summoned for the 18th day of May, 1870,

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is hereby directed to be held at the rooms of the United Mercantile Agency, No. 145, Cheapside, London, at three o'clock in the afternoon, in lieu of the place originally named. And hereof let notice be given forthwith.—Dated this 4th day of May, 1870.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.  
In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Henry Cooper, late of No. 49, Langford-road, Kentish Town, in the county of Middlesex, but now of No. 3, Queen's-terrace, Church-end, Finchley, in the said county of Middlesex.

THE creditors of the above-named Henry Cooper who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 14th day of May, 1870, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned Henry Bourn, at the offices of Messrs. Yeo, No. 19, Hart-street, Bloomsbury-square, W.C., the Trustees under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

HENRY BOURN, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Maidstone.  
In the Matter of Edward Russell Tanner, of Maidstone, in the county of Kent, Tanner and Woolstapler.

THE creditors of the above-named Edward Russell Tanner who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 21st day of May, 1870, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to me, the undersigned, Herbert Monckton, of Maidstone aforesaid, Attorney, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Composition which will be then paid.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

HERBERT MONCKTON, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Tunbridge Wells.  
In the Matter of William Woodhams, of the Cross-Keys Inn, Tunbridge Wells, in the county of Kent, Innkeeper.

THE creditors of the above-named William Woodhams who have not already proved their debts, are required, on or before the 18th day of May, 1870, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, Joshua Robert Gower, of Tunbridge Wells, in the county of Kent, County Court Bailiff, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

JOSHUA R. GOWER, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Donald Ramsey Edgar, and Alfred Holdsworth Lee, of Shelf, near Halifax, in the county of York, Slubbing and Cotton Warp Dyers, trading in copartnership under the style or firm of Edgar and Lee.

THE creditors of the above-named Donald Ramsey Edgar and Alfred Holdsworth Lee who have not already proved their debts are required on or before the 21st day of May, 1870, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, William Irvine, of No. 20, Cheapside, Halifax aforesaid, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

WILLIAM IRVINE, Trustee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax.  
In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Donald Ramsey Edgar and Alfred Holdsworth Lee, of Shelf, near Halifax, in the county of York, Slubbing and Cotton Warp Dyers, trading in copartnership under the style or firm of Edgar and Lee.

Separate Estate of Donald Ramsey Edgar.

THE creditors of the above-named Donald Ramsey Edgar who have not already proved their debts are required, on or before the 21st day of May, 1870, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, William Irvine, of No. 25, Cheapside, in Halifax aforesaid, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

WILLIAM IRVINE, Trustee.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax. In the Matter of Proceedings for Liquidation by Arrangement or Composition with Creditors, instituted by Donald Ramsey Edgar, and Alfred Holdsworth Lee, of Shelf, near Halifax, in the county of York, Slubbing and Cotton Warp Dyers, trading in copartnership under the style or firm of Edgar and Lee.

Separate Estate of Alfred Holdsworth Lee.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named Alfred Holdsworth Lee who have not already proved their debts are required on or before the 21st day of May, 1870, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to me, the undersigned, William Irvine, of No. 20, Cheapside, in Halifax aforesaid, the Trustee under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

WILLIAM IRVINE, Trustee.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of a Special Resolution for Liquidation by Arrangement of the affairs of John Spurr Whitaker, of Halifax, in the county of York, Stuff and Fent Dealer.

**T**HE creditors of the above-named John Spurr Whitaker who have not already proved their debts are required on or before the 18th day of May, 1870, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to one of us the undersigned, Richard Thomas Hughes, of Mildred-court, in Bradford aforesaid, Stuff Merchant, and Edward Kitcheman, of No. 41, Leeds-road, in Bradford aforesaid, Stuff Merchant, the Trustees under the liquidation, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of the Dividend proposed to be declared.—Dated this 4th day of May, 1870.

RICHARD THOMAS HUGHES,  
EDWARD KICHEMAN,  
Trustees.

## The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court,

**A** MEETING of the creditors of John William Child, of No. 394, Watworth-road, in the county of Surrey, Grocer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 1st day of April, 1870, will be held at the offices of Messrs. Izard and Betts, of No. 46, Eastcheap, in the city of London, Accountants, on the 23rd of May, 1870, at three in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the propriety of sanctioning the acceptance by the trustee of a composition offered by the bankrupt of 7s. 6d. in the pound, payable by instalments at two, four, and six months date, secured by such persons and in such manner, as the Trustee and the committee of inspection may approve of, and for the annulling thereafter of the order of adjudication made against the bankrupt.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 27th July, 1869, against James Fludger Shew, of Newman-street, Oxford-street, Photographic Dealer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 11½d. 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 Monday next, and the three subsequent Mondays, 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 Court. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—May 7, 1870.

PETER PAGET, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 10th January, 1868, against James May, of Weydon Mill, Surrey, Miller.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 3s. 2½d. 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 Monday next, and the three subsequent Mondays, 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, except by the special direction of the Commissioner. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—May 7, 1870.

PETER PAGET, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 21st May, 1866, against David Lelliott, of Edward-street, Brighton, Draper.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 7½d. 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 Monday next, and the three subsequent Mondays, 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 a Commissioner. Executors or administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration under which they claim.—May 7, 1870.

PETER PAGET, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 24th November, 1868, against Walter Knowlman, of Edgeware-road, Cheesemonger.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 1s. 6½d. 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 Monday next, and the three subsequent Mondays, 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 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.—May 7, 1870.

PETER PAGET, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 19th February, 1868, against Edward Livermore Cross and Charles Sidgreaves, of High-street, Wapping, and Minorities, Ship Chandlers.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 3s. 8d. 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 Monday next, and the three subsequent Mondays, 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 a Commissioner. Executors or administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration.—May 7, 1870.

PETER PAGET, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 5th May, 1869, against Coleman Coleman, of Little Moorfields, Crinoline Manufacturer, and of Cheapside, Refreshment-house Keeper.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend at the rate of 1s. 5½d. 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 Monday next, and the three subsequent Mondays, 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, except by 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.—May 7, 1870.

PETER PAGET, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 18th January, 1864, against Joseph Marsh Blacklock, of Eastworth-lane, Chertsey, Superannuated Clerk in Her Majesty's War Office.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 6s., on account of 11s. 7d., 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 Monday next, and the three subsequent Mondays, 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 a Commissioner. Executors and administrators of deceased creditors will be required to produce the probate of will or letters of administration.—May 7, 1870.

PETER PAGET, Official Assignee.

Declaration of Dividend under a Petition, dated 28th November, 1867, against John William Thurston, late of Ladbroke-grove, Notting-hill, Baker and Tea Dealer.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the First Dividend, at the rate of 1s. 2d. 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 Monday next, and the three subsequent Mondays, 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.—May 7, 1870.

PETER PAGET, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of William Childs Webb, of Newport, Ship-owner, a Bankrupt. Date of adjudication, 26th January, 1867.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 3<sup>d</sup>. in the pound, upon application at my office, on any Monday, 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-place, Bristol.

In the Matter of George Barton, of Cromford and Bonsall, in the county of Derby, Draper, Haberdasher, Dealer and Chapman.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition for adjudication, bearing date the 2nd day of February, 1861, may receive a Second Dividend of 2d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on any Monday, between the hours of eleven and two. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

JOHN HARRIS, Official Assignee,  
Low-pavement, Nottingham.

In the Matter of William Aulton and John Sanderson Butler, of the town of Nottingham, Lace Manufacturers, Dealers and Chapman.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts (against the Separate Estate of William Aulton), under the above Petition for adjudication, bearing date the 4th day of November, 1857, may receive a Fourth Dividend of 0<sup>d</sup>. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on any Monday, between the hours of eleven and two. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities, exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

JOHN HARRIS, Official Assignee,  
Low-pavement, Nottingham.

In the Matter of Thomas Armitage, of Parliament-street, Leicester, in the county of Leicester, Elastic Web Manufacturer, trading under the style or firm of T. Armitage and Co.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition for adjudication, bearing date the 12th day of December, 1868, may receive a Second Dividend of 2d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on any Monday, between the hours of eleven and two. No Dividend can be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

JOHN HARRIS, Official Assignee,  
Low-pavement, Nottingham.

In the Matter of William Ashton Dolby, of Syston, in the parts of Kesteven, in the county of Lincoln, Land Agent and Steward.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition for adjudication, bearing date the 23rd day of December, 1861, may receive a Dividend of 8d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on any Monday, between the hours of eleven and two of the clock. No Dividend will be paid without the production of the securities exhibited at the time of proving the debt. Executors and administrators will be required to produce the probate of the will or the letters of administration under which they claim.

JOHN HARRIS, Official Assignee,  
Low-pavement, Nottingham.

In the Matter of John Dawson, of Chesterfield-street, in the town of Nottingham, Builder.

**I** HEREBY give notice, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above Petition for adjudication, bearing date the 8th day of September, 1865, may receive a Dividend of 5d. in the pound, upon application at my office, as under, on any Monday, between the hours of eleven and two. No Dividend can be paid without 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 Arthur Hill Leake, of Hollinwood, in the county of Lancaster, Ironfounder, adjudicated a bankrupt 28th October, 1867.

**T**HIS is to certify, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a First Dividend of 8<sup>d</sup>. in the pound, on New Proofs, and Second of 4d. in the pound on Total Proofs, upon application at my office, Oxford-street, Manchester, on Tuesday, the 24th day of May, 1870, or any subsequent day, between the hours of eleven and one.

D. A. McNEILL, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of Samuel Renshaw, of Peter-street and Cornbrook, both in Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Beer Retailer and Common Brewer, adjudicated a bankrupt 5th November, 1867.

**T**HIS is to certify, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a First Dividend of 5s. in the pound, on New Proofs, and Second of 9d. in the pound on Total Proofs, upon application at my office, Oxford-street, Manchester, on Tuesday, the 24th day of May, 1870, or any subsequent day, between the hours of eleven and one.

D. A. McNEILL, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of Richard Birtwistle, of Bury, in the county of Lancaster, Innkeeper, adjudicated a bankrupt 21st August, 1855.

**T**HIS is to certify, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate, may receive a Second Dividend of 4s. in the pound, upon application at my office, Oxford-street, Manchester, on Tuesday, the 17th day of May, 1870, or any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and one.

D. A. McNEILL, Official Assignee.

In the Matter of Brigham and Teale, of Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Dealers in Portable Lamps and Lamp Liquid, adjudicated bankrupts 30th October, 1868.

**T**HIS is to certify, that the creditors who have proved their debts under the above estate may receive a First Dividend of 8d. in the pound, upon application at my office, Oxford-street, Manchester, on Tuesday, the 24th day of May, 1870, or any subsequent Tuesday, between the hours of eleven and one.

D. A. McNEILL, Official Assignee.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

**W**HEREAS on the 28th day of March, 1870, a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was presented to the London Bankruptcy Court against Alexander Macminn Greer, of No. 152, Upper Thames-street, in the city of London, Commission Agent and Merchant, and under which said Petition the said Alexander Macminn Greer was adjudicated bankrupt on the 30th day of March, 1870; this is to give notice, that by an Order of the said London Bankruptcy Court, bearing date the 9th day of May, 1870, the said adjudication of Bankruptcy made against the said Alexander Macminn Greer was annulled.—Dated this 9th day of May, 1870.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of E. T. Heslop, of Sale, in the county of Chester, Commission Agent, a Bankrupt.

**W**HEREAS under a Bankruptcy Petition, presented to this Court, against the said E. T. Heslop, an order of adjudication was made on the 21st day of April, 1870; this is to give notice, that the said adjudication was by Order of this Court annulled on the 4th day of May, 1870.—Dated this 4th day of May, 1870.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

In the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, London. **W**HEREAS a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, was filed on the 7th day of March, 1864, against John Harrison, of No. 22, St. Peter-street, Hackney-road, in the county of Middlesex, General Dealer and Commission Agent (in formâ pauperis); this is to give notice, that the said adjudication is by order of the Court of Bankruptcy, bearing date the 9th day of May, 1870, annulled.

The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

In the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street. In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Thomas Marchant, of No. 106, Great Russell-street, Bloomsbury, in the county of Middlesex, Publisher, carrying on business in the name or style of Atchley and Co.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said William Thomas Marchant having been given, it is ordered that the said William Thomas Mar-

chant be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 7th day of May, 1870.

By the Court,

*Wm. P. Murray*, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Thomas Marchant is hereby summoned to be held at this Court, on the 3rd day of June, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to James Rigg Brougham, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Peter Paget, Official Assignee, No. 22, Basinghall-street, London. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Henry James and Christopher James, both of No. 103, Regent-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Fire-wood Dealers, carrying on business there in copartnership, under the firm of H. and C. James.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioners, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Henry James and Christopher James, having been given, it is ordered that the said Henry James and Christopher James be, and they are hereby, adjudged bankrupts.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 20th day of April, 1870.

By the Court,

*W. C. Spring-Rice*, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Henry James and Christopher James is hereby summoned to be held at this Court on the 25th day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupts to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of their affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupts must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupts must be paid, to William Hazlitt, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. George John Graham, Official Assignee, No. 25, Coleman-street, London. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Alfred Stroud, of No. 8, Longnor-road, Mile End, in the county of Middlesex, Goldsmith and Jeweller.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Alfred Stroud having been given, it is ordered that the said Alfred Stroud be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 9th day of May, 1870.

By the Court,

*P. H. Pepys*, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Arthur Stroud is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 24th day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to Henry Philip Roche, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Mansfield Parkyns, Official Assignee, No. 36, Basinghall-street, London. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Ellis the younger, of No. 10, Radnor-place, Hyde Park, in the county of Middlesex, Teacher of Dancing.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said William Ellis the younger having been given, it is ordered that the said William Ellis the younger be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 9th day of May, 1870.

By the Court,

*P. H. Pepys*, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Ellis the younger is hereby summoned to be held at the London Bankruptcy Court, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, on the 30th day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to William Powell Murray, Esq., one of the Registrars, at the office of Mr. Mansfield Parkyns, Official Assignee, No. 36, Basinghall-street, London. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar, at the said address.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Surrey, holden at Wandsworth.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against Henry Willis Smith and Francis Robert Simmonds, both of the White Hart-lane, Barnes, in the county of Surrey, Builders, trading under the style or firm of Smith and Simmonds.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading, and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said Henry Willis Smith and Francis Robert Simmonds having been given, it is ordered that the said Henry Willis Smith and Francis Robert Simmonds be and they are hereby, adjudged bankrupts.—Given under the Seal of the Court, this 6th day of May, 1870.

By the Court,

*W. A. Willoughby*, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said Henry Willis Smith and Francis Robert Simmonds is hereby summoned to be held at the office of the County Court of Surrey, holden at Wandsworth, on the 24th day of May, 1870, at twelve o'clock at noon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupts to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of their affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupts must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupts must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Southampton.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Bridger, of No. 8, Portland street, in the town of Southampton, Scrivener and Commission Agent.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the trading and of the act or acts of the Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said William Bridger, having been given, it is ordered that the said William Bridger be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 3rd day of May, 1870.

By the Court,

*A. S. Thorndike*, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Bridger is hereby summoned to be held at the County Court Office, Southampton, on the 19th day of May, 1870, at twelve o'clock at noon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Norwich.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Petition against William Johnson, of North Walsham, in the county of Norfolk, Draper and Clothier, Hatter and Tailor, and Farmer.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act or acts of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said William Johnson having been given, it is ordered that the said William Johnson be, and he is hereby, adjudged bankrupt.—Given under the Seal of the Court this 7th day of May, 1870.

By the Court,

*W. H. Cooke*, Judge.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said William Johnson is hereby summoned to be held at the office of the Registrar of this Court, in Redwell-street, in the city of Norwich, on the 24th day of May, 1870, at

twelve o'clock at noon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee, all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Norfolk, holden at Great Yarmouth.

In the Matter of the Bankruptcy Petition against John Storey the elder, of Sefton-lane, Southtown, in the county of Suffolk, Carpenter and Joiner.

UPON the hearing of this Petition this day, and upon proof satisfactory to the Court of the debt of the Petitioner, and of the act of Bankruptcy alleged to have been committed by the said John Storey the elder, having been given, it is ordered that the said John Storey the elder be and he is hereby adjudged bankrupt—Given under the Seal of the Court this 6th day of May, 1870.

By the Court.

C. H. Chamberlin, Registrar.

The First General Meeting of the creditors of the said John Storey the elder is hereby summoned to be held at the office of the Court, No. 23, King-street, Great Yarmouth, on the 30th day of May, 1870, at twelve o'clock at noon, and that the Court has ordered the bankrupt to attend thereat for examination, and to produce thereat a statement of his affairs, as required by the statute.

Until the appointment of a Trustee all persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid, to the Registrar. Creditors must forward their Proofs of Debts to the Registrar.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Julius Layland, of No. 67, Blackman-street, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, Pianoforte and Harmonium Manufacturer, trading as Julius Layland and Company, a Bankrupt.

William Layland, of No. 157, Blackfriars-road, in the county of Surrey, Professor of Dancing, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 3rd day of June, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 3rd day of May, 1870.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Henry William Mascall Vaughan, of No. 3, Merritt's-buildings, Worship-street, in the county of Middlesex, Cabinet Maker, a Bankrupt.

William Haeiden, of No. 27, Run-ton-street, Dean-street, New North-road, Hoxton, in the county of Middlesex, Timber Merchant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on the 6th day of June, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of May, 1870.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of John William Child, of No. 394, Walworth-road, in the county of Surrey, Grocer, a Bankrupt.

William Izard, of No. 46, Eastcheap, in the city of London, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, on the 1st day of June, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 2nd day of May, 1870.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of William Tarleton Jackson, of No. 213, Union-street, Southwark, in the county of Surrey, a Bankrupt.

James Thomas Hart, of Queen Elizabeth-street, Bermondsey, Surrey, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, Lincoln's-inn-fields, in the county of Middlesex, on the 6th day of June, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of May, 1870.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Abraham Baker, of No. 16, Acklam-road, Portobello-road, in the county of Middlesex, Builder, a Bankrupt.

William Finch Bell, of No. 94, Cannon-street, in the city of London, Timber Merchant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Bankruptcy Court, Portugal-street, Lincoln's-inn, on the 16th day of June, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the London Bankruptcy Court.

In the Matter of Ebenezer Jones, of Nos. 21, 23, and 24, London-street, Feñchurch-street, in the city of London, trading under the style of E. Jones and Co., Umbrella and Boot Salesman, a Bankrupt.

John Taylor, of No. 18, Fore-street, in the city of London, Manufacturer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the London Bankruptcy Court, on the 8th day of June, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 2nd day of May, 1870.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Kent, holden at Tunbridge Wells.

In the Matter of James Vinten, of No. 1, Bourner's-cottages, Tonbridge, in the county of Kent, and John James Vinten, of No. 5, Albert-road, Tonbridge aforesaid, Builders and Copartners, Bankrupts.

Joshua Robert Gower, of Tunbridge Wells, in the county of Kent, County Court Bailiff, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupts. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupts to take place at the Townhall, at Tunbridge Wells aforesaid, on the 16th day of June, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupts must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupts must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of May, 1870.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Taunton. In the Matter of William Lenthall, formerly residing at Pitminster, in the county of Somerset, but now residing at the Full Moon Inn, in High-street, in Taunton, in the said county of Somerset, or at Pitminster aforesaid, a Bankrupt.

Henry Paull, of Ilminster, in the county of Somerset, Attorney, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Shire-hall, Taunton, on the 20th day of June, 1870, at twelve o'clock at noon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 7th day of May, 1870.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Hampshire, holden at Newport and at Ryde.

In the Matter of James Hutchings, of Binsted, in the Isle of Wight, Builder.

William Edmonds, of St. James'-street, Portsea, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Guildhall, in the borough of Newport, in the Isle of Wight, on the 26th day of May, 1870, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Sussex, holden at Hastings. In the Matter of John Ellis, of the Albion Hotel, Hastings, in the county of Sussex, formerly an Innkeeper, but now out of business, a Bankrupt.

John McLeod More, of the Brewery, Old-street, St. Luke's, in the county of Middlesex, Brewer, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Townhall, Hastings, on the 13th day of June, 1870, at two o'clock in the afternoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustees, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustees. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustees.—Dated this 3rd day of May, 1870.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax. In the Matter of Joah Fawthrop, of Pellon-lane, Halifax, in the county of York, Wholesale Druggist, trading under the style or firm of J. Fawthrop and Co., a Bankrupt.

Samuel Haigh, of Halifax, Gentleman, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the County Court House, Union-street, Halifax, on the 7th day of June, 1870, at half-past ten of the clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Halifax. In the Matter of Caroline Devoto, formerly of Liverpool, in the county palatine of Lancaster, Licensed Victualler, but now of Halifax, in the county of York, out of business, a Bankrupt.

Joseph Calcraft, of Parkinson-lane, Halifax, Bailiff, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the County Court-house, Union-street, Halifax, on the 7th day of June, 1870, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Bradford. In the Matter of Joseph Moore, of Barnoldswick, in the county of York, Worsted Stuff Manufacturer, John Suttill, of Barnoldswick aforesaid, Worsted Stuff Manufacturer, Joseph Lund, of Bowling Back-lane, in Bradford, in the said county, Worsted Stuff Manufacturer, and Frederick Priestley, of Lower Syke, Clayton, near Bradford aforesaid, Worsted Stuff Manufacturer, all formerly of Barnoldswick aforesaid, Worsted Stuff Manufacturers and Copartners, trading under the style or firm of Moore, Suttill, and Co., Bankrupts.

Edward Dickin, of Bradford, in the county of York, Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupts. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupts to take place at the County Court, Bradford, on the 20th day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupts must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupts must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 4th day of May, 1870.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Dewsbury. In the Matter of John Benn and Henry Benn, of Morley, in the county of York, Cloth Manufacturers and Copartners, Bankrupts.

John Gordon, of Leeds, in the county of York, Public Accountant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupts. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupts to take place at the County Court-house, in Dewsbury aforesaid, on the 9th day of June, 1870, at twelve o'clock at noon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupts must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupts must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 5th day of May, 1870.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester. In the Matter of James Dean, of No. 7, Todd-street, in the city of Manchester, Hardware Factor and Steel and File Merchant, a Bankrupt.

Walter Hodgkinson, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Secretary to Messrs. F. Parks and Co. Limited, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Court-house of the above Court, Nicholas-croft, High-street, Manchester aforesaid, on the 15th day of June, 1870, at twelve o'clock at noon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Oldham. In the Matter of John Lord, formerly of Facit, in the parish of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, Manager in a Cotton Mill, a Bankrupt.

Isaac Ebenzer Gibbs of Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, Secretary to the Rochdale Commercial Loan and Discount Company Limited, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Townhall, Oldham, on the 13th day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Derbyshire, holden at Derby. In the Matter of Thomas Shaw, of Ilkeston, in the county of Derby, Joiner and Builder, a Bankrupt.

Samuel Ellis, of Grimsby, in the county of Lincoln, Timber Merchant, has been appointed Trustee of the property of the bankrupt. The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the County-hall, in Derby, on the 6th day of June, 1870, at twelve o'clock at noon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the trustee, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the trustee. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the trustee.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1869.**

In the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Wells. In the Matter of Edwin Henry Joseph, a Bankrupt.

The Court has appointed the Public Examination of the bankrupt to take place at the Townhall, Wells, on the 14th day of June, 1870, at twelve o'clock at noon. All persons having in their possession any of the effects of the bankrupt must deliver them to the Registrar, and all debts due to the bankrupt must be paid to the Registrar. Creditors who have not yet proved their debts must forward their proofs of debts to the Registrar.—Dated this 6th day of May, 1870.

**The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.****Notice of Sittings for Last Examination.**

William McMicken, of No. 38, Gracechurch-street, in the city of London, Printer, and residing at No. 23, New Cross-road, in the county of Kent, 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 October, 1869, 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, on the 28th day of June next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Mansfield Parkyns, of No. 36, Basinghall-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. James Cooper, of No. 5, Billiter-street, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

William Higgins, late of Beaufort House, Beaufort-street, Chelsea, in the county of Middlesex, not in any business, a Prisoner for Debt in Horse-monger-lane Gaol, Surrey, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy, in London, attending at the Prison aforesaid, on the 18th day of December, 1869, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted at the Court of Bankruptcy, in London, a public sitting for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 28th day of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Aldridge, of No. 49, Coleman-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Robert Colin Willson (sued as Robert Willson, as Robert John Willson, and as John Colin Willson), late of No. 90, Lower Thames-street, having Coal Offices at Old St. Pancras-road, Middlesex, and a Depot at Aldershot, Surrey, and residing at No. 46, Eleanor-road, North Dalston, in the county of Middlesex, Merchant, a Prisoner for Debt in the Debtors' Prison for London and Middlesex, having been adjudged bankrupt by a Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy, in London, attending at the Prison aforesaid, on the 22nd of December, 1869, and the adjudication being directed to be prosecuted at the Court of Bankruptcy, in London, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 28th of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at twelve at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Aldridge, of No. 49, Coleman-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

William Finch Rayner, of No. 12, Myers-terrace, Springfield, Assistant Sheriff's Officer, previously of Hare-street, Romford, Police Constable, formerly of Brantree, Police Constable, all which places are in the county of Essex, 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 30th day of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 21st day of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Brown, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Augustus James Baretta, of No. 1A, Homer-row, Marylebone-road, in the county of Middlesex, and of No. 10, Harcourt-street, in the same county, and of No. 19, Harcourt-street, in the same county, Herbalist, Photographer, and Astrologer, 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 30th day of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 21st day of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Weekes, of Portsmouth street, Lincoln's-inn, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Joseph Tilley, of No. 27, Compton-street, Brunswick-square, in the county of Middlesex, formerly of the Sir David Brewster Beerhouse, Court-hill-road, Lewisham, in the county of Kent, Beerhouse Keeper, out of business, 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 30th day of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 21st

of July 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. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. Jones, of No. 20, King's Arms-yard, Coleman-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Thomas Cobbold, of High-street, Hounslow, Middlesex, previously of Church-street, New Shoreham, Sussex, previously of No. 1, Richmond-street, Brighton, Sussex, Watchmaker, 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 31st of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 28th day of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at twelve of the clock at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Aldridge, of No. 49, Coleman-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Edwin Barker, of the Refiner's Arms, Buross-street, Commercial-road, in the county of Middlesex, licensed Victualler, formerly of No. 4, Peter-street, Hackney-road, Hackney, in the same county, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 31st day of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 21st day of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Brown, of No. 22, Basinghall-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Frederick Waycott Daw and William Henry Daw (trading in copartnership as J. and W. Daw), of No. 3, Blechyden-street, Bramley-road, Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, Builders, having been adjudged bankrupts under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 31st day of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupts to pass their Last Examination, and make application for their Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 21st day of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupts to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. J. G. Watson, of Basinghall-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Daniel Stopher, of No. 119, Mile End-road, in the county of Middlesex, Manager of a Public-house, formerly of the Sir Ralph Abercrombie, Charles-street, Hatton Garden, in the county of Middlesex, 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 31st day of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 21st of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Woolf, of No. 17, King-street, Cheapside, London, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Joseph Skinner, of Cleveland House, Clover-street, Chatham, in the county of Kent, Auctioneer and Appraiser, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 12th day of July, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 21st day of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at eleven of the clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. G. Warrington, of No. 9, Ironmonger-lane, London, and Hill and Co., Chatham, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

Edward Stedall, of No. 35, Newington-causeway, in the county of Surrey, also lately carrying on business at No. 5,

Cranbourne-street, Leicester-square, in the county of Middlesex, and of No. 225, Walworth-road, in the said county of Surrey, Mantle Manufacturer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 31st day of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 21st day of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. H. Holland, of No. 15, Great Knight Rider-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Simmons Morris, of No. 4, Botolph-lane, in the city of London, Merchant, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 26th day of November, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 21st day of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. H. C. Barker, of No. 11, Great James-street, Bedford-row, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Augustus Mearns, of Acre Hill Farm, Chessington, in the county of Surrey, Artist and Picture Dealer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy in London, on the 30th of December, 1869, a public sitting for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the Court, on the 21st of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. C. J. Holmes, of No. 153, Fenchurch-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Carl Fuchs, of No. 8, Great Portland street, Oxford-street, in the county of Middlesex, carrying on business as an Italian Warehouseman, under the name, style, or firm of Winand Bedbier, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 31st day of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 21st of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. E. Moss, of Winchester-house, Old Broad-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Edwin Clegg, of High-street, Plaistow, in the county of Essex, Baker, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy in London, on the 31st day of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 21st day of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. B. Smith, of No. 20, Gresham-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Alfred William Gorringe (trading as Alfred Gorringe and Company), of No. 20, Church-street, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Varnish Manufacturer and Dealer in Paints and Colors, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 31st day of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 21st day of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. T. Noton, of No. 12, Great Swan-alley, Moorgate-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

George Davis, late of No. 5, Bermondsey New-road, Bermondsey, Grocer, and now of No. 1, Sandhurst-road, Peckham Grove, Camberwell, both in the county of Surrey, Grocer and Cheesemonger, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy in London, on the 31st day of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 21st day of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. T. Keene, of No. 77, Lower Thames-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Frederick James, of No. 2, Lambourne-road, Clapham, in the county of Surrey, Builder, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 31st day of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 21st day of July 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. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. S. B. F. Lamb, of No. 35, Bedford-row, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

William Spinks, of No. 3, Golborne-road, Upper Westbourne-park in the county of Middlesex, Greengrocer, late of No. 1, Brindley-street, Harrow-road, Middlesex, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy in London, on the 31st day of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the Court, on the 21st day of July 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. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. F. Scarth, of No. 35, Welbeck-street, Cavendish-square, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

George Reeve, of Grosvenor-park, Camberwell, in the county of Surrey, Builder, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 31st day of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the Court, on the 21st day of July 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. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. A. G. Litton, of No. 9, Ironmonger-lane, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Chippett, late of No. 2, Clapton-place, Hackney, now of Manor House, Shacklewell-green, in the county of Middlesex, Saddle and Harness Maker, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 31st of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 21st day of July 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. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. J. B. Fenton, of Paragon-road, Hackney, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Mark Riddell Currie, formerly of Rangoon, in British Burma, trading as Currie and Co., in partnership with Edmund Jamieson Stanley and Alexander Gair, and also formerly of Moulmein, in British Burma aforesaid, trading as Mr. R. Currie and Co., in partnership with the said Edmund Jamieson Stanley, and now of Haseldean, near Cuckfield, in the county of Sussex, Merchant, out of business, 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 December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the Court, on the 21st day of July 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 sur-



sender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs. Stibbard and Co., of No. 2, East India-chambers, Leaden-hall-street, London, are the Solicitors acting in the bankruptcy.

William Sigmund Pollitzer, of No. 37, Fitzroy-square, in the county of Middlesex, and No. 188, Upper Thames-street, in the city of London, Paper Agent, 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 December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 21st day of July 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. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. A. Plunkett, of No. 37, Gutter-lane, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

James Aitken, of No. 353, Clapham-road, in the county of Surrey, and late of Old Broad-street, in the city of London, Commission Agent, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 31st day of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 21st day of July 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. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. E. Barron, of No. 29, Queen-street, Cheapside, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

George Fisher, formerly of Maida-hill, in the county of Middlesex, Butcher, then of Victoria-street, Westminster, Licensed Victualler, then of Marchmont-street, Brunswick-square, in the county of Middlesex, Butcher, then of Lime-street-passage, in the city of London, Butcher, and now of No. 9, Crooked-lane, King William-street, in the city of London, Refreshment-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 31st day of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 28th of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Aldridge, of No. 49, Coleman street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Leech, of Shirl-y, Croydon, in the county of Surrey, Carman and Beerhouse Keeper, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 31st of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 28th day of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Aldridge, of No. 49, Coleman-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

William Bloom, of No. 39, Orchard-place, Plumstead-road, having a Timber Yard at Powis-street, Woolwich, both in the county of Kent, Carpenter, Joiner, 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 31st day of December, 1869, a public sitting for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 28th day of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Aldridge, of No. 49, Coleman-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

George Davis, now of No. 25, Colebrook-row, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, of no business or occupation, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 31st of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Ex-

amination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 28th of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Aldridge, of No. 49, Coleman-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

William Twite, of No. 2, Downham-terrace, Merrick-road, Battersea, Butcher, previously of No. 1, Collingwood-terrace, Plough-lane, Battersea aforesaid, Greengrocer and Dealer in Coals, and previously of Cornwall-road, Brixton, all in Surrey, Greengrocer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 31st day of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 28th day of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Aldridge, of No. 49, Coleman-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Peter Payne, of the Green Leaf Tavern, Tower Hamlets, Walthamstow, Essex, Retailer of Beer and Carpenter, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 31st day of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 28th day of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Aldridge, of No. 49, Coleman-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

John Anton Keller, of No. 1, Joseph-street, Bow-common-lane, Middlesex prior thereto of Plough-road, Rotherhithe, prior thereto of Drummond-road, Bermondsey, both in Surrey, Japanner and Waterproofer, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 31st day of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 28th day of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Aldridge, of No. 49, Coleman street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

Richard Thrum, of No. 6, Alma-terrace, French Horn Fields, Wandsworth, in the county of Surrey, previously of No. 19, Winstanley-road, Clapham Junction, in the same county, Builder's Foreman, late of No. 48, Forest-street, Forest-gate, in the county of Essex, Builder and Dealer in China and Glass, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy, in London, on the 31st day of December, 1869, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before the said Court, on the 28th day of July next, at the said Court, at Basinghall-street, in the city of London, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. George John Graham, of No. 25, Coleman-street, London, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. W. W. Aldridge, of No. 49, Coleman-street, London, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

James Emmerson, of Framwellgate, in the city of Durham, Grocer, Dealer, and Chapman, having been adjudged bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Newcastle-upon-Tyne District, on the 19th day of June, 1868, and the proceedings having been (as pending business) transferred to the County Court of Northumberland, holden at Newcastle, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held before William Blanshard, Esq., Judge of the said last-mentioned Court, at the Courthouse, West-gate-street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on the 27th day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender.

Thomas Jennings, of No. 16, Cumbergate, Peterborough, in the county of Northampton, Boot and Shoe Salesman, having been adjudged bankrupt on the 18th day of December, 1869, under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy in London, the proceedings under which Bankruptcy have, by an Order of the said last-mentioned Court, been directed to be prosecuted at the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester, a public sitting, for the said bankrupt to pass his Last Examination, and make application for his Discharge, will be held by adjournment, before Mr. Serjeant Miller, Judge of the County Court of Leicestershire, holden at Leicester, on the 25th day of May instant, at three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, the day last aforesaid being the day limited for the said bankrupt to surrender. Mr. Thomas Ingram, Registrar of the said Court, is the Official Assignee, and Mr. Joseph Harvey, of Leicester, 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.

Notice is hereby given, that William Abbey, of the Corn Exchange, Hanging Ditch, Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Provision Merchant, and Commission Agent, and residing at Longsight, near Manchester aforesaid, adjudged bankrupt by Her Majesty's Court of Bankruptcy for the Manchester District, on the 27th day of December, 1869, having passed his Last Examination on the 8th day of April, 1870, the Court has appointed a public sitting to be held at the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester, before John Archibald Russell, Esq., Q.C., Judge of the said Court on the 15th day of June, 1870, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely, for considering the question of granting to the said bankrupt an Order of Discharge, when the assignee or any creditor who has proved may be heard against such Discharge.

#### The Bankruptcy Act, 1861.

In the Matter of James Easey, of No. 310, New North-road, Islington, in the county of Middlesex, Cheesemonger, against whom a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy was filed on the 31st day of March, 1869.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Meeting of Creditors will be held at the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, London, before William Powell Murray, Esq., the Registrar acting in the above matter, on the 6th day of June, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, for the Proof of Debts under the said Bankruptcy; at which meeting creditors who have not already proved their debts are to come prepared to prove the same.

**JAMES RIGG BROUGHAM, Esq.**, one of the Registrars of the Court of Bankruptcy, in London, authorized to act under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the said Court on the 24th day of January, 1868, by William Witchellow, of No. 17, Mile End-road, in the county of Middlesex, Medical Herbalist, trading in copartnership with Richard Jones, under the style or firm of Jones and Witchellow, and under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy filed in the said Court on the 30th day of January, 1868, against Richard Pritchard (commonly called and known as Richard Jones), of No. 17, Mile End-road, in the county of Middlesex, Medical Herbalist, trading in copartnership with William Witchellow, under the style or firm of Jones and Witchellow, which two Petitions and the proceedings thereunder have been consolidated, will sit on the 26th day of May, 1870, at half-past eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, at the Court of Bankruptcy, in Basinghall-street, in the city of London, in order to proceed to a new choice of an Assignee or Assignees of the estates and effects of the said bankrupts under the said Petitions, in the place and stead of Obadiah Webb, deceased, and Thomas Tyler, who has been removed under the 124th section of the Bankruptcy Act, 1861; 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.

In the Court of Bankruptcy for the Birmingham District. In the Matter of Thomas Welson, of Claverley, in the county of Salop, Saddler, adjudged bankrupt on the 6th day of July, 1861.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Court has appointed a meeting of the creditors of the above named bankrupt to be held at the Court of Bankruptcy for the Bir-

mingham District, at Birmingham, before a Registrar of the said Court, on the 27th day of May, 1870, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of proof of debts, and choosing an assignee or assignees of the estate and effects of the said bankrupt, in place of Sir Francis Lytton Holyoake Goodricke, Baronet, deceased.

In the Matter of James Thomas Lenny, formerly known as James Thomas Lenny the younger, of No. 1, Ranelagh-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Trunk and Portmanteau Manufacturer and Dealer in Fancy Goods, and there carrying on business under the firm of J. T. Lenny, late J. T. Lenny and Son, who was adjudicated bankrupt on the 16th day of September, 1869.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a meeting of the creditors of the above-named bankrupt will be held before one of the Registrars of the Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District, at the District Court, South John-street, Liverpool aforesaid, on the 20th day of May, 1870, at twelve o'clock at noon, for the purpose of choosing an assignee or assignees of the estate and effects of the said James Thomas Lenny, and also to consider and determine upon the advisability of taking the administration of the said estate out of Court, as provided by section 110 of the Bankruptcy Act, 1861. Charles Turner, Esq., of Central-chambers, South Castle-street, Liverpool, is the Official Assignee, and Alfred Clement Kent, Esq., of No. 10, Sweeting-street, Liverpool, is the Solicitor acting in the bankruptcy.

#### 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 Powell Murray, Esq., Registrar:

Robert Kennett, late of Langenhoe, in the county of Essex, Farmer, Grazier, and Cattle Dealer, and now of Colchester, in the said county, out of business, adjudicated bankrupt on the 30th day of March, 1868. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 6th day of June next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the Court of Bankruptcy, Basinghall-street, in the city of London, before Philip Henry Pepys, Esq., Registrar:

Stanford Frank Thompson, of No. 9, Charlotte-street, Pimlico, in no business or employ, previously of Watling-yard, Charlotte-street aforesaid, No. 53, Eccleston-square-mews, Pimlico, and Pimlico Pier-stables, Pimlico, all in Middlesex, Job Master and Livery-stable Keeper, adjudicated bankrupt on the 16th day of September, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 31st day of May instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

John Ward, of No. 10, Goodge-street, Tottenham-court-road, in the county of Middlesex, Printer and Engraver, out of employ, adjudicated bankrupt on the 17th day of November, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 31st day of May instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

Robert Moody the younger, Walter Tyrell Moody, and Frederick Moody, all of Albion-street, Newmarket, Saint Mary, in the county of Suffolk, carrying on business in copartnership, under the style of Moody Brothers, as Common Brewers, Maltsters, and Spirit Merchants, the said Robert Moody the younger also carrying on business at the Bull Inn, High-street, Newmarket, Saint Mary aforesaid, as a Publican and Wine and Spirit Merchant, and residing at Albion Lodge, Albion-street aforesaid, the said Walter Tyrell Moody residing at Sandpit-lane, Newmarket, Saint Mary aforesaid, and the said Frederick Moody residing at High-street, Newmarket. All Saints, in the county of Cambridge, adjudicated bankrupt on the 1st day of June, 1869. A Dividend Meeting of the joint and separate estates will be held on the 31st day of May instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

James Henry Scovell, of High-street, in the town and county of the town of Southampton, Sail Maker, adjudicated bankrupt on the 22nd day of January, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 31st day of May, 1870, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

Thomas Isaac Daniels, of No. 15, Guildford-road, Stockwell, in the county of Surrey, Solicitor (having an office at No. 55, Fore-street, in the city of London), previously of No. 4, Pagoda-villas, Lee, in the county of Kent, formerly of Amersham, in the county of Bucks, Attorney's

Clerk, adjudicated bankrupt on the 15th day of September, 1866. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 31st day of May instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the Court of Bankruptcy for the Birmingham District, at Birmingham, before Alfred Hill, Esq., Registrar :

William Sharp, of Stratford-upon-Avon, in the county of Warwick, Coal and Coke Dealer, and Temperance Eating-house Keeper, adjudicated bankrupt on the 19th day of August, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 8th day of June next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

At the Court of Bankruptcy for the Birmingham District, at Birmingham, before Owen Davies Tudor, Esq., a Registrar :

William Dunstan Leaver Edwards, of the city of Hereford, in the county of Hereford, Grocer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 2nd day of July, 1862. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 8th day of June next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

John Rubery, of Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, Umbrella Manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, adjudicated bankrupt on the 6th day of February, 1862. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 8th day of June next, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

At the Court of Bankruptcy for the Liverpool District, at Liverpool, before the Officer duly appointed, or the Court having jurisdiction to dispose of pending business of the said Liverpool Court :

Henry Stuart, of Rothwells-buildings, Goose-green, Pemberton, in the county of Lancaster, and having a place of business at School-common, Soboles Wigan, in the said county, Engineer and General Iron and Brass Founder, formerly of Darlington-street, in Wigan aforesaid, Manager at an Iron Foundry, adjudicated bankrupt on the 23rd day of October, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 20th day of May instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

Thomas Fletcher, of Tarleton, Croston, and Skelmersdale, all in the county of Lancaster, Saddler, adjudicated bankrupt on the 24th day of December, 1869. A Second Dividend Meeting will be held on the 20th day of May instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

James Woodward, of Neston, in the county of Chester, Teacher, Insurance Agent, and Schoolmaster, Dealer and Chapman, adjudicated bankrupt on the 21st day of January, 1864. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 20th day of May instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

James Mandelick, of Exchange-street East, in Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, Metal Broker and Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt on the 20th day of July, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 20th day of May instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

At the Court of Bankruptcy for the Manchester District, at No. 37A, Oxford-street, Manchester, before David Cato Macrae, Esq., a Registrar :

Joseph Norbury Brown, of Kennedy-street, in the city of Manchester, Grey Cloth Agent, formerly trading in co-partnership with Matthew Todd Whincup, at Kennedy-street aforesaid, under the style or firm of J. N. Brown and Co., adjudicated bankrupt on the 13th day of May, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 26th day of May instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

Matthew Todd Whincup, of Broome Edge, Heatley, previously of Sandiway-place, Altrincham, both in the county of Chester, formerly carrying on business at Kennedy-street, in the city of Manchester, in co-partnership with Joseph Norbury Brown, under the style of J. N. Brown and Co., as Grey Cloth Agents, and afterwards on his separate account, in Dickinson-street, Manchester aforesaid, Stuff Merchant, adjudicated bankrupt the 3rd day of May, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 3rd day of May instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

At the County Court of Gloucestershire, holden at Bristol, before the Registrar :

Samuel James Fry, of No. 39, Picton-street, in the city of Bristol, Warehouseman, adjudicated bankrupt on the 8th day of June, 1866. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 27th day of May instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

Christopher Anderson, late of Whitby, in the county of York, Draper, since of the Reeds Arms Hotel, Burnham, in the county of Somerset, Licensed Victualler, and now of Bath-terrace, Totterdown, in the said county, out of business, adjudicated bankrupt on the 11th day of January, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 27th day of May instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

At the County Court of Somersetshire, holden at Wells, before Edwin Lovell, Esq., Registrar :

Martha Clavey, of Chewton Mendip, in the county of Somersetshire, adjudicated bankrupt on the 8th day of September, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 25th day of May instant, at twelve o'clock at noon precisely.

At the County Court of Suffolk, holden at Bury St. Edmunds, before Thomas Collins, Esq., the Registrar :

John Parsons, of Bury St. Edmunds, in the county of Suffolk, Dental Surgeon, adjudicated bankrupt on the 1st day of January, 1868. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 26th day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the County Court of Durham, holden at Durham, before H. Greenwell, Esq., the Registrar :

Joseph Raw, formerly residing at furnished lodgings in Grey-street, Whitby, in the county of York, Master Mariner, out of employment, and now at furnished lodgings at Old Trimdon, in the county of Durham, Master Mariner, adjudicated bankrupt on the 21st day of December, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 24th day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

William Winn, of Thomery Colliery, in the county of Durham, Miner, Grocer, and Draper, adjudicated bankrupt on the 5th day of June, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 24th day of May instant, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

James Kerr, of Claypath, in the borough of Durham, Publican, adjudicated bankrupt on the 17th day of November, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 24th day of May instant, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Lancaster, before the Registrar :

James Bigland, of Skerton, near Lancaster, in the county of Lancaster, Butcher, and Shopkeeper, previously of Galgate near Lancaster aforesaid, Beerhouse Keeper, previously of Spouthouse Farm, near Garstang, in the said county, Farmer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 15th day of November, 1867. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 27th day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

James Brunton, of Edward-street, Lancaster, in the county of Lancaster, Journeyman Blacksmith, previously of Tunstal, in the said county, Innkeeper and Blacksmith, adjudicated bankrupt on the 17th day of March, 1865. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 27th day of May instant, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

John Clough, late in lodgings in Cross-lane, Salford, near Manchester, in the county of Lancaster, Cattle Dealer, previously of No. 107, Charter-street, Manchester aforesaid, Cattle Dealer and Beerseller, adjudicated bankrupt on the 14th day of August, 1863. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 27th day of May instant, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At the County Court of Northamptonshire, holden at Towcester, before William Whitton, Esq., Registrar :

John Masom, of Yardley Gobion, in the county of Northampton, formerly a Carrier and Dairyman, and now out of business and in lodgings, adjudicated bankrupt on the 23rd day of November, 1869. A Dividend Meeting will be held on the 23rd day of May instant, at ten o'clock in the forenoon 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:—

John Frost, now of the Woolpack Beerhouse, Delf-street, Bermondsey, in the county of Surrey, late of No. 12, Stangate-street, Lambeth, in the said county of Surrey, and formerly of the Star and Garter, Great Peter-street, Westminster, in the county of Middlesex, Licensed Victualler, adjudicated bankrupt on the 17th day of November, 1869. An Order of Discharge was granted by the Court of Bankruptcy, London, on the 5th day of April, 1870.

Robert Owen, of No. 9, Tudno-street, Llandudno, in the county of Carnarvon, Plasterer, adjudicated bankrupt on the 27th day of August, 1869. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Carnarvonshire, holden at Conway, on the 28th day of April, 1870.

James Beets, of No. 44, Grove-street, Pye Bank, Sheffield, in the county of York, Night Inspector of Nuisances, adjudicated bankrupt on the 30th day of December, 1869. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield, on the 5th day of May, 1870.

Henry Gant, of No. 42, St. Philip's-road, and Watery-lane, Sheffield, in the county of York, Baker and Confectioner, adjudicated bankrupt on the 9th day of December, 1869. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield, on the 5th day of May, 1870.

Richard Saville, of No. 152, Monsall-street, Queen's-road, in Newton, in the city of Manchester, in the county of Lancashire, Joiner and Builder, adjudicated bankrupt on the 15th day of December, 1869. An Order of Discharge was granted by the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Manchester, on the 4th day of May, 1870.

**T**HIS is to give notice, that the Court acting in the prosecution of an adjudication of Bankruptcy, made on the 9th day of August, 1865, against Thomas Pitt Balls, of Calder House, Brixton-hill, in the county of Surrey, late Foreman to an Omnibus Proprietor and Veterinary Surgeon, but now of no occupation, did, on the 1st day of April, 1870, grant the Discharge of the said bankrupt; 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.

**T**HE estates of John Martine Forrest, otherwise called John Martine, of Morhambank, a Farmer, residing at Morhambank, parish of Moreham, and county of Haddington, and carrying on business there as a Merchant, chiefly in the Grain Trade, under the name or title of John Martine, were sequestrated on the 6th day of May, 1870, by the Sheriff-Substitute of the county of Haddington.

The first deliverance is dated the 6th May, 1870.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, on Saturday, the 21st day of May, 1870, within the George Inn, Haddington.

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 7th day of September, 1870.

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

WM. WATSON, Writer, Haddington,  
Agent.

**T**HE estates of John Borthwick, formerly Bookseller, Portobello, afterwards residing at No. 18, Pitt-street there, and now or lately at Burn Brae House, Dalhousie, by Lasswade, in the county of Edinburgh, were sequestrated on the 6th day of May, 1870, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the 6th day of May, 1870.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, afternoon, on Friday, the 13th day of May, 1870, 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 7th day of September, 1870.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the county of Edinburgh.

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.

J. & R. MACANDREW, W.S.,  
13, Hill-street, Edinburgh, Agents.

**T**HE estates of William McNaught, Brickmaker and Builder, residing at No. 5, Woodvale-place, Copeland-road, Govan, were sequestrated on 5th May, 1870, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 5th day of May, 1870.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Saturday, the 14th day of April, 1870, 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 5th day of September, 1870.

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

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt.

JOHN GUY, Writer,  
82, West Regent-street, Glasgow, Agent.

**T**HE estates of Charles Carrol, Clothier, in Edinburgh, were sequestrated on the 2nd day of May, 1870, by the Sheriff of the county of Edinburgh.

The first deliverance is dated the 2nd day of May, 1870.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock, afternoon, on Tuesday, the 17th day of May, 1870, within Buchanan's Temperance Hotel, High-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 2nd day of September, 1870.

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.

CHARLES CARROL, Petitioner.

**T**HE estates of John Stewart, sometime Draper, Fore-street, Kilmarnock, now Draper in Whitburn, were sequestrated on the 5th day of May, 1870, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated 5th May, 1870.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at two o'clock, afternoon, on Saturday, the 14th day of May, 1870, within the Star and Garter Hotel, Linlithgow.

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 6th day of September, 1870.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the county of Linlithgow; and a Warrant of Protection granted to the Bankrupt.

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

ROB. FINLAY, S.S.C.,  
2, Queen-street, Edinburgh, Agent.

**T**HE estates of Adam Blacklock, residing at Nether Minnygap, in the parish of Johnstone, and county of Dumfries, were sequestrated on the 5th day of May, 1870, by the Sheriff of Dumfriesshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 5th day of May, 1870.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, afternoon, on Tuesday, the 17th day of May, 1870, within the Commercial Hotel, Dumfries.

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 5th day of September, 1870.

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.

J. HENDERSON, Solicitor, Dumfries,  
Agent.

**T**HE estates of George Gordon, Flax Spinner, Arbroath, were sequestrated on the 6th day of May, 1870, by the Sheriff of the county of Forfar.

The first deliverance is dated the 6th May, 1870.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock at noon, on Friday, the 20th day of May, 1870, within the Royal Hotel, in Dundee.

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 6th day of September, 1870.

A Warrant of Protection against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt has been granted to the Bankrupt till the meeting of creditors for the election of a Trustee.

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

PATTULLO & THORNTON, Solicitors,  
No. 1, Bank-street, Dundee, Agents.

**T**HE estates of Charles Penney and Company, Manufacturing Chemists, in Glasgow, and Charles Penney, Manufacturing Chemist there, sole Partner of said Firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual, were sequestrated on the 6th day of May, 1870, by the Court of Session.

The first deliverance is dated the 6th day of May, 1870.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Monday, the 16th day of May, 1870, within the Faculty-hall, 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 6th day of September, 1870.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff-Court of Lanarkshire.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the said Charles Penney until the meeting of creditors for the election of a Trustee.

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

W. G. ROY, S.S.C.,  
56, George-street, Edinburgh, Agent.

**T**HE estates of Peter McIntyre, Grocer, and Wine and Spirit Merchant, in Nairn, were sequestrated on the 6th day of May, 1870, by the Sheriff-Substitute for Nairnshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 6th May, 1870.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at ten o'clock, forenoon, on Wednesday, the 18th day of May, 1870, within Anderson's Hotel, Nairn.

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 7th day of September, 1870.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the said Peter McIntyre, against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of creditors for election of a Trustee.

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

ALEX. MACKENZIE, Solicitor, Forres,  
Agent.

**T**HE Estates of John Miller, Ironmonger and Coal Merchant, in Stranraer, were sequestrated on the 7th day of May, 1870, by the Sheriff of Wigton and Kirkcubright.

The first deliverance is dated the 7th day of May, 1870.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Saturday, the 21st day of May, 1870, within the Townhall of Stranraer.

A composition may be offered at this meeting, and to entitle creditors to the first dividend their oaths and grounds of debts must be lodged on or before the 7th day of September, 1870.

A warrant of protection has been granted to the bankrupt till the meeting for election of Trustee.

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

J. M. BANKIN,  
Solicitor, Stranraer, Agent.

**T**HE estates of Albert MacGregor, Jeweller in Perth, were sequestrated on the 6th day of May, 1870, by the Sheriff of the county of Perth.

The first deliverance is dated the 6th day of May, 1870.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at ten o'clock, forenoon, on Wednesday, the 18th

day of May, 1870, 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 6th day of September, 1870.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the Bankrupt till the meeting for election of Trustee.

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

WM. MACLEISH, Solicitor, Perth,  
Agent.

**T**HE estates of George Kaye and Company, Commission Merchants, St. Nicholas-lane, Aberdeen, and of George Kaye, Commission Merchant, in Aberdeen, the sole Partner of said Firm, were sequestrated on the 7th day of May, 1870, by the Sheriff of the county of Aberdeen.

The first deliverance is dated the 7th day of May, 1870.

The meeting to elect a Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Friday, the 20th day of May, 1870, within the Lemon Tree Hotel, St. Nicholas-street, Aberdeen.

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 7th day of September, 1870.

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.

PETER CLARK, Advocate in Aberdeen,  
Agent.

**T**HE estates of Hugh Lindsay Maclellan, Quartermaster in the Ross-shire, &c., Militia, residing at Fort-George, in the county of Inverness, were sequestrated on the 7th day of May, 1870, by the Sheriff of the county of Inverness.

The first deliverance is dated the 7th day of May, 1870.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock, noon, on Tuesday, the 17th day of May current, within the Caledonian Hotel, Inverness.

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 7th day of September, 1870.

A Warrant of Protection against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt, until the meeting of creditors for the election of a Trustee, has been granted in favour of the bankrupt.

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

H. C. MACANDREW, Solicitor, Inverness,  
Agent.

**T**HE estates of James Robertson, Farmer, Cottertown of Lethen, in the county of Nairn, were sequestrated on the 6th day of May, 1870, by the Sheriff-Substitute for Nairnshire.

The first deliverance is dated the 6th May, 1870.

The meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at one o'clock, afternoon, on Wednesday, the 18th day of May, 1870, within Anderson's Hotel, Nairn.

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 7th day of September, 1870.

A Warrant of Protection has been granted to the said James Robertson against Arrest or Imprisonment for Civil Debt until the meeting of Creditors for election of a Trustee.

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

ALEX. MACKENZIE, Solicitor, Forres,  
Agent.

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